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LIGHT SERVICE IS MISERABLE

The Councilmen Give Expressions of Unsatisfactory Service of Street Lighting—Can't Get in Touch with Company to Submit Objections—City Funds Getting Low.

The unsatisfactory service given by the company supplying current for the street lights in this city came in for discussion at the Council meeting last Tuesday evening. Councilman Chevalier opened the discussion with remarks to the effect that the lighting proposition was getting to be the talk of the town and that the criticism was merited, too. He said that the city fathers had been calling the lighting people on the telephone and writing letters for a long time, but that there didn't seem to be any improvement in the service. Mr. Chevalier was the protem chairman of the meeting, therefore handicapped in offering motions but he suggested that the body endeavor to get a representative of the lighting people to come to this city for a conference with the council in regard to the matter at hand.

Councilman Slover stated that he agreed fully with the sentiments expressed by the temporary chairman and he offered a motion to the effect that the clerk be instructed to extend an invitation to the lighting corporation officials to meet with the council as a whole at their next business meeting.

Councilman Stanton added the weight of his opinions to those already expressed and stated that the lighting service was indeed very poor and instead of getting better seemed to be growing steadily worse. He believed that a jacking up, as he expressed it, would undoubtedly do these people good and that the city might just get what it was paying for, which he did not believe to be the case now.

Like Councilman Stanton, Councilman Parisen was invited to express himself with reference to the lighting question. He said that his opinions were in perfect accord with the utterances of the previous speakers.

The motion submitted by the councilman from the Fourth Ward was then subjected to a vote and unanimously carried.

In the absence of the president, Mr. Stratton, Clerk Mack called the meeting to order and asked for nominations for a temporary chairman. Councilman Chevalier was nominated for the office by Councilman Slover. No one else had any suggestions to offer so the nominee was elected.

In addition to those heretofore mentioned there were in attendance Mayor Dey, Commissioners Hillmann and Donlin, Collector Diebert, Treasurer Brown, Mr. Mullane, Solicitor Coan and Engineer Thomas.

A communication from John Scully stated that on account of the negligence of the street commissioner, the corner of his property at Henry and Rosewell streets had been damaged considerably by the water resultant from recent storms. The water had swept across his lawn, went on the communication, and torn it and sections of hedges, etc., away. Inasmuch as he had been put to more or less expense originally and again to rectify the damage now sustained he would look to the city to reimburse him for the time and expense of putting things back in shape again. The letter also expressed an opinion to the effect that a surface storm sewer should be built at the place in question to properly carry off the surplus water. Upon motion of the councilman from the Second Ward the letter was received and referred to the street committee.

The matter of the guy wire at the corner of Bordentown and Pine avenues that interfered with the facility with which a fire hydrant could be put into service in case of need was again called to attention by the receipt of a communication from the Public Service Railway people to the effect that this guy wire belonged to the New York Telephone Company. It was received and filed.

The Board of Health, through their secretary Mr. W. R. Thompson, advised that as there was considerable clerical work incumbent upon the inspector which demanded a suitable

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LOUIS KREIELSHEIMER IS CALLED TO REST

Louis Kreielseimer passed away on Sunday afternoon last at his home 73 Gordon street Perth Amboy, at the age of 54 years. His illness covered a period of two years, but he was able to be about until about two months previous to his death.

Mr. Kreielseimer was in the jewelry business in this city for about seven years and was very successful. About fifteen years ago, noticing the rapid advancement of Perth Amboy, he took advantage of the situation and moved to Perth Amboy and opened a jewelry store there where he built up a large business. Besides a widow he is survived by a son and daughter, viz.: Irving and Theresa Kreielseimer. Four sisters and three brothers also survive him, viz.: Mrs. Fannie Eysler, Mrs. J. Schak and Mrs. Caroline Cohen, of New York; Mrs. Max Kaufman, of this city; and Leibold, Jacob and Samuel Kreielseimer of New York.

The deceased was a member of several lodges of this city, viz.: St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 63, F. & A. M.; General Morgan Lodge No. 96, I. O. O. F.; and Good Samaritan Lodge No. 52, K. of P. He was also a member of Lodge No. 784, R. P. O. E.; and Amboy Chapter No. 41, Royal Arch Masons, of Perth Amboy; and Solam Chapter, Order of the Mystic Shrine and Consistory of Jersey City.

The funeral was held from his late home in Perth Amboy on Tuesday morning and was largely attended by friends in Perth Amboy and this city. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Elias Solomon, of New York. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. Interment was made in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Cypress Hill, L. I.

WOMAN'S CLUB HAS INTERESTING MEETING

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club was held in the City Hall, Thursday afternoon with the President Mrs. Wm. Nichols presiding.

The program consisted of the following:

"Efficiency of the Public Schools" by Mrs. Alfred Miller; "Garden Making and Flower Culture" by Mrs. John S. Heston; and several selections on the piano by Miss Regina Scully.

A vote of thanks was given to Brown Bros., Stillwell & Mason, J. J. Scully, St. Vincent De Paul Society of Perth Amboy, Mrs. L. Furman and to all those donating their services toward making the card party recently held such a great success. The chairman, Mrs. Herbert Berrien, reports clearing over fifty dollars.

A favorable report was read by Mrs. James Van Pelt, chairman of the Legislative Committee; on the mosquito question.

Mrs. Leonard Furman and Mrs. A. J. Miller were appointed on a committee to compete for the Pictorial Review Prize for the best definition of the word "Home." Meeting adjourned.

ANNIE SOUTH.

Annie, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William South of Felts street, departed this life on Friday night, January 29, of rheumatism of the heart. The funeral was held at 9 o'clock on Monday morning from St. Mary's Church, Rev. E. P. Kennedy officiating. Interment was made in the parish cemetery under the direction of Undertaker J. J. Scully.

MEN'S ATHLETIC CLUB.

The Sacred Heart Athletic Club was organized about a month ago. It is composed of Polish young men of this city and has headquarters in Sacred Heart Hall. This building is open every night and contains various forms of amusements, such as card games, pool tables, box ball, punching bag and gloves, etc. Its membership now numbers about fifty.

An entertainment for the membership will be given in their rooms on Monday night, February 15.

RED MEN, ATTENTION!

Every member of Seneca Tribe, No. 23, Imp'd O. R. M., is requested to attend meeting next Thursday, February 11. Business of importance is to be transacted, and it is expected that some refreshments will be enjoyed at close of meeting.

Did the ground hog go back, or is he now enjoying this frosty weather?

NEW THEATRE OPENS MONDAY

Big Double Programme Arranged by the Management—Seating Capacity for 900—Handsome Stage Scenery—Splendid Electric Illumination.

The doors of the new Empire Theatre will be thrown open to the public for the first time on Monday evening next. The program offered will consist of high-grade vaudeville acts with moving pictures between each act. An admission of only ten cents will be charged and an attractive souvenir program booklet furnished each person attending. The initial performance will begin when the curtain rises.

The building is not quite completed, but the remaining work can be done without interfering in any way with the comfort of the audiences.

The interior of the theatre measures one hundred and twenty-one feet in length, forty eight feet wide and twenty-two feet in height. It has a seating capacity for nearly nine hundred persons, is steam-heated and has a sharply sloping floor so that those in the back can easily see over the heads of those sitting further front.

The stage runs the entire width of the building and is twenty-one feet deep. The wings take up about ten feet on either side. Almost any minstrel show, vaudeville act or dramatic production can be accommodated on this stage and such things will be presented from time to time.

A new moving picture machine was installed in the smaller building a couple of weeks ago, and this machine will be removed and installed in the new theatre. The "Perils of Pauline" films and other films will continue to be shown each night as heretofore.

No definite conclusion has been reached by the management as to what night will be vaudeville night. It is likely, however, that Thursday night will be selected with a possibility of one additional night each week and big features brought here for exhibition. The management plans to continue their present policy and endeavor to give the people good, clean shows that will be educating as well as entertaining. The attractions will be advertised in this newspaper from week to week. Prices will always be held down to a reasonable figure so that everyone can take advantage of the new enterprise.

The piano that will be used was furnished by Mr. Harry Parisen, who is the local agent for the manufacturers of the Radle piano. It is a specially constructed instrument, built especially for the Empire Theatre. It is the same one that was used at the Woman's Club entertainment Thursday evening in the K. of P. Hall and is a magnificent instrument.

The stage scenery is of the finest. There are garden, parlor and street drops that are second to none in the output of the companies furnishing them.

The building was constructed by Oscar Mundy and the interior painting done by William Parisen. Newell James installed the heating system. The metal ceiling was put up by the Perth Amboy Metal and Cornice Co. The electric fixtures were installed by James J. Dolan. There are seven exits to the outer air and although the building is as near fire-proof as modern ingenuity can make it, it can be emptied in two minutes in case of necessity.

There are two large dressing rooms taking up the entire available space beneath the stage instead of a number of smaller ones as is usually the custom.

The ticket office will be in the lobby on the right hand side. On the left will be a candy and cigar store.

Messrs. F. L. Dey and H. J. Berrien are the owners of the new enterprise. Mr. Theodore Manduka will continue in his capacity as manager and will do his best to see that patrons always get their money's worth and also see to it that those desiring diversion or entertainment will not have to go out of town in order to see a first-class performance.

Is the best too good for you? It serves you right. Who? Domestic Laundry, 169 Broadway, next door to Empire Theatre.

Bishop Matthews to Visit Here March 30

Bishop Matthews has appointed Tuesday evening, March 30 (in Holy Week) as the date of his visitation to Christ Church Parish for Confirmation. Parents who have children to be confirmed should notify the Rector at once, as it is desired that the class be fully organized by the beginning of Lent, which, by the way, is almost at hand. It is expected that the teachers of the Sunday Schools will do much personal work in bringing the matter of Confirmation before their pupils and the parents, and more time each Sunday is to be devoted by the teachers in drilling the pupils in the Church Catechism. Adults desiring confirmation should confer with the Rector as soon as possible.

Final Entertainment Capped the Climax

The final entertainment of the Grand Lyceum Course arranged for under the auspices of the Woman's Club was held in the K. of P. Hall on Thursday evening. The other entertainments were excellent, but this one was the best of them all. The Hinton-Verdi company called forth more laughter and applause from their audience than any of the preceding entertainers and it goes without saying that those attending their performance hugely enjoyed themselves.

Pietro Verdi and his "One Man Band" made from the start. When he was playing it required very little effort to imagine that it was a whole band or orchestra that was playing. He demonstrated himself past master of the wonderful accordion he played and his piano playing was equally as good. Miss Hinton was, as the circulars describe her, a treat for anybody. Her clever presentation of a series of character sketches in clever dialect was screamingly funny and at times awfully sad. The combined talent of these two artists produced an entertainment well worth while from every standpoint. Their repertoire included musical selections, recitations, dialogues, impersonations, songs, planologues, piano solos, humorous stories, sketches, etc.

An exceedingly noticeable feature of the entertainment was the piano furnished the entertainers. It is the same instrument that is to be used in the New Empire Theatre and is truly a magnificent instrument. Through the courtesy of Messrs. Dey and Berrien the piano was loaned to the Woman's Club committee for their entertainment and its full, rich tones swelling out on every side lent not a little zest to the successful culmination of the undertaking for which the Woman's Club is so highly deserving of appreciation.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Upon getting up out of bed about four o'clock on Tuesday morning Percy Hartshorn was suddenly stricken with acute dilatation of the heart and keeled over dead at his bedside. He was a bartender at Ye Old Spy Inn of Morgan and it was at that place that death overtook him. Hartshorn was thirty-seven years old and had lived at Morgan for some years and was a well known character thereabouts. Stillwell & Mason were given charge of the body after it was viewed by Coroner Morgan.

The body was claimed by some friends in Newark and it was taken to that place on Thursday morning. Funeral services and interment took place there on the day following.

P. O. S. OF A. OFFICERS.

The following have been elected officers of Washington Camp No. 36, P. O. S. A., to serve for the ensuing term:

Past President—Frank Prigge
President—Arthur T. Allen
Vice-President—Joseph Pippett
M. of P.—Burke Lambertson
Finan. Sec.—John H. French
Recording Sec.—Loren Briggs
Treasurer—Wm. M. Anderson
Conductor—Leonard Tice
Inspector—James English
Guard—John McDowell
Trustee—Wm. M. Anderson

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Next Wednesday evening the first degree will be exemplified at the meeting of South Amboy Council No. 426, K. of C., after which the Lecturer and his committee have arranged for entertainment and refreshments. The euchre tournament will start Tuesday evening, February 9. The announcement of winners at last euchre and pinochle tournament will be made later.

Have you tried Brown Bros. 19c Coffee? Some say it beats the best in town.

Four days of stormy weather this week.

FULTON MADE PRESIDENT

Will Serve Board of Education the Coming Year—City Superintendent Barr Will Attend Convention in Cincinnati—Committees Appointed.

There seemed to be a sort of strained tension in the atmosphere at the Board of Education meeting last Monday evening, although this may be accounted for either by the absence of the face of the one who was missing or by the strong personality of the new member, Mrs. A. J. Miller. The tension, it might almost be called embarrassment, lowered, however, as the meeting progressed until toward the end it was practically negligible.

The meeting was held in the office of the city superintendent, and it was noticed that all evidences of smoking utensils had been removed. Professor Barr's work table had been moved out into the center of the room and the chairs carefully arranged about it in such manner that all the members of the board sat facing each other instead of being scattered aimlessly about as was heretofore the case.

As the meeting had been called by the secretary for re-organization purposes it was called to order by him when all the members were found to be present. Messrs. Mason, Grace, Littell, Fulton and Mrs. Miller were the members of the board who were in attendance.

At the suggestion of Mr. Locker, Mr. Grace was nominated and elected as temporary chairman of the meeting. He asked for nominations for the office of president of the board for the year and appointed Mr. Mason and Mrs. Miller to act as tellers to count the votes.

Mr. Mason nominated Mr. Fulton and Mr. Littell nominated Mr. Grace. The nominations closed at that and the ballots were prepared and cast. Mr. Grace did not vote on the question and the count of two for Mr. Fulton, one for Mr. Grace and one blank was the result. Mr. Grace declared Mr. Fulton elected to the presidency of the board. Mr. Fulton's training and experience as well as his extensive knowledge of parliamentary law will undoubtedly enable him to lead considerable dignity to the performance of the duties of the new office with which he has been honored.

The next order of business was the election of secretary. Mr. Locker was the only nominee for the position which he has already filled for the two years since the board was appointed. He was again re-elected by a unanimous vote. Mr. Locker thanked the board for the recognition of his services rendered in the past and assured them that he would exert himself to the best of his ability in the satisfactory fulfillment of the duties incumbent upon his position.

President Fulton asked for nominations for the office of vice-president of the board. Mr. Grace nominated Mr. Littell and Mr. Littell returned the compliment by nominating Mr. Grace. The balloting gave Mr. Grace the position, but he declined. Mr. Fulton stated that he could not see how Mr. Grace could decline after accepting the nomination. Mr. Mason said the only thing Mr. Grace could do would be to resign. Mr. Grace then stated that he would resign. Mr. Littell moved that the resignation be laid on the table until some future meeting. To this Mr. Grace objected and proposed an amendment to the effect that his resignation be acted upon immediately. Mr. Fulton declared the amendment out of order and the motion to lay the matter on the table prevailed.

The matter of determining the amount of compensation due the janitor for services at the night school for a part of a month was brought up by Mr. Littell. After some discussion the secretary was instructed to figure it up proportionately and draw salary check accordingly.

Mr. Fulton stated that he was not prepared to make the appointments of various committees, but the other members of the board felt that they should be appointed so that in the event that anything unexpected turned up there would be some one to

tend to it properly. Mr. Fulton then declared a recess during which he arranged for the appointments. They are as follows:

Finance—Messrs. Grace, Mason and Fulton.
School buildings—Littell, Fulton and Mason.

Teachers—Mr. Fulton, Mrs. Miller and Mr. Grace.

Rules and Regulations—Mrs. Miller, Mr. Littell and Mr. Grace.

School Books, Regulations, Printing, etc.—Messrs. Mason, Littell and Grace.

At this point Mr. Fulton cleared the secretary of any stigma which might be resultant from the publication in the last issue of this paper of Mr. McMichael's resignation and expression of his opinions. The secretary, in reply to a question, denied being implicated in the matter and stated that the letter had been filed as directed.

At the suggestion of the superintendent the secretary was directed to draw a draft to the amount of sixty dollars in favor of Professor Barr to defray his expenses in attending the superintendent's convention which will be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, the latter part of this month. This covers only the actual expenses of car fare, hotel bills, etc. Mr. Barr stated that he did not desire any extra compensation and expected to return an unexpended portion of this amount.

Mr. Fulton suggested that the board adjourn to meet again on the fourth Wednesday in the month for a regular meeting and that meeting be designated as the regular meeting night thereafter. His attention was called to the fact that the latter part of his motion would call for a change in the rules and regulations. Mr. Mason offered a motion embodying the first part of Mr. Fulton's suggestion. It was adopted.

The committee on supplies was authorized to procure some necessary supplies for which a requisition had been submitted and the meeting adjourned.

WILL CLOSE EARLY.

The 16th of this month is the date decided on for the inauguration of the two nights per week closing idea by the merchants along Broadway. The idea has been receiving consideration for some time past and has now been embraced by practically all of the shop keepers on our main business thoroughfare.

The closing nights will be Tuesdays and Thursdays, and on these days the stores will close at six o'clock.

It is probable that the movement will extend to other stores about the city other than those along Broadway when the people get used to the idea of doing their shopping on other evenings other than those upon which the stores will be closed.

PASSENGER AGENT APPOINTED.

The vacancy in the local passenger agency on the Pennsylvania Railroad caused by the death of the late Chas. F. Laird has been filled in the appointment of Mr. C. H. Smock to this position. The appointment was effective on February 1st.

Mr. Smock is the local freight agent and will shoulder the new responsibilities in addition to his present duties. The ticket selling and other consequent clerical work will probably be done by a clerk.

Mr. H. A. Bowen has been filling the vacancy temporarily for some time. He expects soon to resume his duties as extra agent again.

MRS. STULTZ ENTERTAINS.

The so-called "stock company" of the M. E. Church were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Stultz on David street on Wednesday evening. The affair was in celebration of the tremendous success scored last Friday evening at the Usher's Union entertainment.

Refreshments were served and games and pastimes indulged in.

The entire company was in attendance and compliments and felicitations were passed around profusely, until lateness of the hour brought an end to it all.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Building 10x12 feet, make good shore bungalow or garage. Also show case and stove. Apply to Daniel Bunting, Sr., 28 First street.

Prime Rib Roast, 16c a lb. at Monaghan's Meat Market.

Brown Bros. Tea Company's 19c Coffee is a winner. Try a pound and learn how good it is.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY SHOULD
HAVE FARM DEMONSTRATOR

The recent agitation on the part of Middlesex County farmers looking to the appointment of a county farm demonstrator has brought out some interesting facts concerning the value of this work in other counties in the state.

The need of farm demonstration work in this county can hardly be gainsaid. It might be thought that with the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station located in the county greater advances would have been made agriculturally. However, it is a well known fact that there are scores of farmers in Middlesex County who have never visited their Experiment Station and who are as little acquainted with its workings or the opportunities which it presents for advice and information as are those living hundreds of miles distant from it.

A county demonstrator would be a large factor in overcoming this difficulty. The place of the county demonstrator is primarily to tie up the farmers with the work which is being done at their Experiment Station, with a view to giving them all the help possible in their farming operations.

Several striking instances of what has been accomplished by demonstrators throughout the state might be mentioned. In Sussex County for instance, the demonstrator during the last year persuaded sixty farmers to try a small patch of alfalfa on their land. The importance of this will be understood when it is known that Sussex County is almost entirely a dairying section; hence a big item is the high cost of dairy feeds. Alfalfa has the same value as wheat bran which sells from \$28 to \$32 a ton in carload lots. Alfalfa has been grown successfully for a number of years by some farmers at a cost of \$7 to \$10 a ton. While it is a native of the middle west and difficult to introduce in the east, it has been conclusively demonstrated that the crop with the proper treatment can be grown successfully in the east.

If only ten of the sixty farmers trying out the crop are successful and the feed bills are reduced in this way, that fact alone will be worth the demonstrator's salary for years to come. There is the educational consideration also of the influence which the success of a few farmers in handling this crop will have upon their neighbors.

Another instance will serve to illustrate the value of the farm demonstrator. In Mercer County, its demonstrator, Mr. John H. Hankinson, in considering the potato disease situation with the farmers, brought about the organization of a Potato Growers' Association. Two years ago enormous losses occurred in this section through introduction of several diseases from Maine seed potatoes. As a result of the organization of these potato growers, the farmers have saved enough to send one member to Maine to purchase seed potatoes from growers there, these representatives selecting this seed from the field and thus insuring freedom from disease. The past fall ten carloads of seed potatoes were ordered in this way.

These are only instances taken at random and might be duplicated in other counties. The movement in Middlesex County has behind it influential farmers in the county, and a number of men in neighboring counties have signified their willingness to render any assistance possible looking toward the securing of a farm demonstrator.

Many Uses For Old Leather.

Old leather material, which finds its way into the waste pile, is extremely valuable and returns to our homes in many other shapes. It is soaked in water to remove the dirt, all the nails and threads are picked out, and the leather is reduced to a thick pulp. From which wall papers, screens, etc., are made. The finer the original quality of leather the better it takes the bronze and old gold of the designs which make these hangings things of beauty. Bookbinders and framemakers also know the value of this pulp, and carriage builders press it into sheets.

Got an Answer.

Professor (discussing organic and inorganic kingdoms)—Now, if I should shut my eyes—so—and drop my head—so—and remain perfectly still, you would say I was a clod. But I move, I leap. Then what do you call me? Bright Pupil—A clodhopper, sir.—Boston Transcript.

Pat and the Lava.

An Irishman, having returned from Italy, where he had been with his master, was asked in the kitchen, "Now, then, Pat, what is the lava I hear the master talking about?" "Only a drop of the crater," was Pat's reply.

Some of us take desperate chances because we have nothing to lose.

NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

Items of Interest From all Parts of the State as Gleaned From Our
Exchanges Briefly Paragraphed.

Cliffwood Home Destroyed by Fire.

A barking dog at 2 o'clock Friday morning awakened Mr. and Mrs. A. Freimann of Cliffwood, just in time to escape from a fire which destroyed their home and a barn adjoining. Mr. and Mrs. Freimann and their six-year-old daughter fled from the house clad only in their night garments. From a neighboring cottage, where they took shelter, they watched the fire destroy their home, which was one of the prettiest country places in this vicinity. The fire did about \$12,000 damage. Freimann carried \$7,000 insurance on the house.

Plunge in Auto Into Canal.

Ex-City Physician Samuel G. Freeman and Dr. C. H. Reed were injured seriously at Trenton, Saturday, when their automobile plunged from North Montgomery street bridge into the canal feeder. The fact that most of the water had been let out for the winter saved them from drowning. When the car came to the bridge the steering gear broke and the car crashed through the wooden railing, dropping fifteen feet to the bed of the stream. Persons who saw the accident lifted the doctors from their perilous position. Dr. Reed was taken to McKinley Hospital, where it was found that one of his legs was broken. Dr. Freeman was taken home. Both suffered severely from shock.

Smoke Kills Three in Bed.

Firemen called to the home of George Miller, Elizabeth, about 10 o'clock Saturday night found Mrs. Miller and her two small children dead in bed from suffocation. The fire started in the basement and was discovered before it had spread to the first floor. The Miller family made their home on the second floor, and mother and children had retired about an hour before. In one bedroom Mrs. Miller was found and in another her four-year-old son, George. In the alcove adjoining the mother's room lay the youngest child, Evelyn. George E. Miller, the husband and father, was not at home.

Teach Fox Trot in Nutley School.

The fox-trot and other modern dances are to be taught in the high school at Nutley. The Board of Education will pay the bill. "We teach elocution, and we might as well go to the other social graces, including modern dances," said William Hinckley Mitchell, a member of the board.

Sues for \$5,000 for Pulling His Whiskers.

Because of an alleged attack upon his beard, Isaac Kohansky of Bayonne has filed suit in the Hudson County Circuit Court against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, claiming \$5,000 damages. Kohansky says he was driving his horses recently on one of the Pennsylvania ferries of the Cortlandt street line, when a deckhand shouted to him to hurry. The horses, the plaintiff asserts, backed up instead of going forward, whereupon the deckhand jumped on the wagon, got a firm hold on his beard and gave it five hard jerks.

Rector Celebrates 90th Birthday.

Rev. Dr. William N. Dunnell, a retired Episcopal clergyman, of Red Bank observed his ninetieth birthday Wednesday. He is enjoying good health and has accepted an invitation to speak next Sunday morning at Trinity Episcopal Church at place, of which he was rector from 1858 to 1871.

Born in New York, the son of Dr. Elbridge Gerry Dunnell, he received his education in Columbia and Grisswold College and the General Assembly. He was ordained to the deaconate by Bishop Horatio Potter in New York in 1858. The same year he was called to Red Bank, where he established a church. He was ordained into the priesthood in 1859 by Bishop William Henry Odenheimer. At the first convention after he had assumed charge, he had the church admitted to communion with other churches of the diocese. He also established services in eight of the surrounding localities, six of which now have consecrated churches.

At the end of twelve and one-half years of service he was called to All Saints' Church, New York, where he had attended Sunday-School as a boy. In 1879 Grisswold College recognized his services and granted him the degree of S. T. D. During his ministry in New York he worked principally

with the poor. The doctor served that parish forty years, retiring in 1911. Having grown to love this place when rector here, he established a summer home, which he occupied permanently after his retirement. He was married twice. A son and daughter were born to him and his first wife. His son, who was organist in his father's church, died at the age of twenty-one as he was about to enter the ministry. The daughter died when sixteen years old.

Asbury Park Factory Burns.

Asbury Park's largest factory building, a three-story brick structure covering two full city blocks at First avenue and Langford street, was burned early Sunday morning. The loss is estimated at \$50,000. One hundred and fifty persons had goods stored in rooms on the third floor. The fire is believed to have been caused by defective electric light insulation in quarters occupied by the American Paper Box Company.

The Monmouth Skirt Company and the Asbury Park Manufacturing Company, makers of night clothing, occupied the first and second floors. From fifty to seventy women and girls are out of work as a result of the fire. The building was owned by the Mergangey-Paynter Storage Company.

John Lewis Hendricks.

John Lewis Hendricks, connected with the office of the Secretary of State, died suddenly Sunday at his home, 341 Bellevue avenue, Trenton. He was stricken with apoplexy about 1 o'clock, and passed away two hours later. Mr. Hendricks, who was in charge of the department of recording and certification, lived in Trenton for nearly eighteen years, during which time he was affiliated in an official capacity with the State. He was born in Peekskill, N. Y., but at the time of his appointment was living in Englewood. A widow, one son, John Lewis Hendricks of Trenton, and two brothers residing in New York survive.

Eugene Walling.

Eugene Walling, for twenty superintendent of the canning department of the Hazard factory at Shrewsbury, died Monday at his home in Grand avenue, Long Branch, from a complication of diseases. He was a son of Peter and Rachel Walling of Keyport and was born in New York sixty-four years ago. Mr. Walling had been in the restaurant business in Long Branch for the past two years, and last spring purchased the Mühlenbrink Block, Broadway and Branchport avenue. Mr. Walling was a member of the Foresters at Red Bank. He is survived by a widow, two daughters, two sons, a brother and sister.

Wills \$5,000 for Parish School.

Rev. Thomas A. Roche, rector of the Church of the Holy Spirit of Asbury Park, has been notified that the late Mrs. Elizabeth O'Connor of New York has bequeathed \$5,000 for the establishment of a Roman Catholic parochial school at the Park. Mrs. O'Connor was a summer resident in Asbury Park. She had given generously to the Holy Spirit Church, her benefactions including a \$10,000 marble altar and several marble statues.

Freeholders Accept Work.

The work of placing new piling under the Amboy bridge and rest piers under the draw of the bridge, has been accepted by the Board of Freeholders. At an adjourned meeting of the board held in New Brunswick Monday afternoon a communication was received from State Road Commissioner Stevens, stating that this work was done by the General Contracting and Engineering company according to the plans and specifications. On the recommendation of the State Road Commissioner the work was accepted by the board.

Allgair Resigns Position.

William Allgair, clerk in the county clerk's office, at New Brunswick, has resigned his position to accept the office of assistant cashier of the South River Trust Co. Mr. Allgair has been connected with the county clerk's office for the past five years and has acted as assistant county clerk, as well as having charge of the naturalization records. County Clerk Gannon said that the place will not be filled. Business has been slack at the clerk's office and the county clerk had intended laying off

clerk's for two weeks at a time, beginning with February 1. The resignation will make this unnecessary, as the work will be divided among the other clerks. The salary of the office was \$100 a month. Mr. Allgair expects to retain his interest in the Star Theatre at South River, which he has managed for some time.

Fifteen Strikers Back at Work.

Fifteen of the seventy strikers at the Bowker Fertilizer Works Elizabeth who have been on strike six days returned to work Tuesday unconditionally. Others were said to be willing to return, but there was no work for them to do because of the stopping of operations at the Roosevelt factories, on which the local plant depends for its working material. The situation around the factory has remained quiet.

Peter V. Davison.

Peter V. Davison, seventy years old, died at his home in Gatzmar avenue, Jamesburg on Tuesday, after an illness of nearly two years. He was stricken with apoplexy on May 10, 1913, and has been helpless ever since. On Sunday last he suffered another stroke. The decedent was born in Jamesburg and had resided there all his life. For many years Mr. Davison served on the Republican county committee and township committee. He is survived by three brothers, Benjamin D. Davison, William H. Davison, Jamesburg; Isaac S. Davison, Golden, Col., and one sister, Mrs. Robert Whitlock, of Asbury Park.

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WHEN OLD AGE
COMES

the sense of sight grows most precious, though often the best of glasses cannot restore to old eyes even a portion of their youthful power. These facts should impress all with the importance of early care for the organs of sight. Do not wait till your eyes become impaired, but have them tested at once, as often an eye specialist can detect and remedy in time what might prove a serious trouble if neglected.

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The following revision has been made in rates for telephone service in the

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Rates for Message Rate Individual Line Telephone Service, Business only, reduced to:

No. Local Messages	Rate per Annum	Additional Local Messages
600 or less	\$39.00	5c. each
800	48.00	5c. "
1000	57.00	4c. "
1200	63.00	3c. "
1500	69.00	3c. "

Additional local messages above 1,500, 2 cents each, when contracted for in advance in lots of 300.

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Stephen's Lodge, No. 63, F. & A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first and third Mondays of each month (except July, August, and holidays) at 7:30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets every Friday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Councilor, A. L. Peterson; Recording Secretary, C. H. Edwards.

Friendship Council, No. 16, D. of L., meets on alternate Fridays of each month, at 2:30 p. m., in Knights of Pythias Hall, First and Stockton streets. Councilor, Mrs. Pearl Van der; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada rd.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 96, I. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Grand, Jasper Samuelson; Secretary, Charles P. Thomas; Financial Secretary, Sig. Emilussen.

Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 52, K. of P., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall, corner of First and Stockton streets. Chancellor Commander, F. B. Norcross; Keeper of Records and Seals, William A. Chapman.

Seneca Tribe, No. 28, Imp'd. O. B. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Knights of Pythias Hall. Sachem, Geo. E. Coward; Chief of Records, George G. Cliver; Collector of Wampum, Stephen Miller.

Ianthe Council, No. 6, D. of P. Imp'd Order of Red Men, meets every second and fourth Thursday of the month, at 2:30 p. m., in K. of P. Hall. Pocahontas, Mrs. Ella Roxbury; K. of R., Mrs. Laura G. Adams; P. O. Box 654.

Sterling Castle, No. 50, K. G. E. M., meets first and third Saturday evening of each month, at 8 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Chief, Charles T. Grace; Master of Records, George H. Mack.

Protection Engine Company meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at Engine House, Felton street, at 7:30 p. m. President, William Birmingham; Vice-president, Joseph Bailey; Treasurer, Michael Welsh; Secretary, Frank D. Stanton; Foreman, Michael J. Cronin.

Washington Camp, No. 36, P. O. S. of A., meets second and fourth Monday nights of each month, at K. of P. Hall, at 8 o'clock. Frank H. Prigge, president; Arthur Allen, vice-president; Bert Lambertson, Master of Forms; John French, financial secretary; Lorins G. Briggs, recording secretary; Joseph Hubbard, chaplain; William M. Anderson, treasurer.

Star of Jersey Lodge, No. 494, B. of L. F. and E., meets in Welsh's Hall, First Sunday of each month, at 2:30 p. m., and on third Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Henry Selover, President; L. D. Wortley, Financial Secretary and Treasurer; F. L. Hawes, Recording Secretary.

Germ Lodge, No. 86, D. B. S., Regular meetings second and fourth Fridays of each month at 8 p. m., in Jundesen's Hall. President, Jens L. Borlund, Sr.; Secretary, A. J. Johnson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; Treasurer, John S. Lund.

Lady Grace Lodge, No. 27, D. of B. L. O. O. F. Meets on the First and Third Friday evening of each month in Souly's Hall, Stevens avenue. Mrs. S. Linden, N. G.; Mrs. Margaretta Thomas, Recording Secretary.

Independence Engine & Hose Co. No. 1, meets third Monday in each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Foreman, Martin Shuler; President, John B. Woodward; Secretary, N. N. Pearce.

Paul DeGraw Hamilton Lodge, No. 552, B. of K. T., meets every 2d and fourth Sunday of each month at K. of P. Hall. President, Leonard Tice; Secretary, William Bulman; Treasurer, Thomas J. Kennedy; Agent of Official Publication, Edward McDonough.

Singing Society Liederkreis, South Amboy. Practice of singing takes place every Saturday at 8 p. m. Business meeting held every first Saturday of each month at 9 p. m. Fred Thumhart, President; John Kucher, vice-president; George Nellus, secretary; Chas. Steuwerwald, treasurer; B. Grobe, librarian.

Star Building and Loan Association, of South Amboy, N. J., meets in City Hall, on the fourth Monday evening in each month. President, Thomas C. Gelsinon; Secretary, John J. Delaney; Treasurer, John J. Coakley.

Court Marlin, No. 44, F. of A. M., meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, at 8 p. m., in Protection Hall. Chief Ranger, Marcus Peterson; Sub-Chief Ranger, Louis Borland; Financ. Secretary, Edward Dewan; Treasurer, Michael Zupko; Rec. Secretary, Louis Melzer; Sr. Woodward, Nelson Banks; Jr. Woodward, Nelson Kvist; Sr. Beadle, Michael Press; Jr. Beadle, Ludwig Hartman; Trustees, Aaron Hyer, Sr., Richard McCloud, Sr., Andrew Kronmeyer.

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He who cannot forgive others breaks the bridge over which he must pass himself, for every man has need to be forgiven.

BUT LITTLE LOSS BY FIRE ON PENNSYLVANIA R. R. SYSTEM

High efficiency in the methods and apparatus used in fighting fires on the Pennsylvania Railroad System is shown by the annual report of the Insurance Department, which has just been compiled.

Four hundred and twenty-seven fires—more than three quarters of all that occurred on the property of the System last year—were extinguished by company employees before receiving the aid of public fire departments. Promptness in checking these fires kept the average loss on each down to \$43, although the property directly endangered was worth \$9,516,434. The actual damage sustained in fires extinguished by employees was only \$18,468, or less than one-fifth of one per cent. of the value of the property threatened.

Organized fire brigades among the employees last year checked 34 fires and saved \$1,524,075 worth of property, at a loss of \$706. Other employees, by the use of chemical extinguishers, put out 71 fires saving property to the value of \$3,713,228, with a loss of only \$2,684; and by the use of company's fire hose protected property with a value of \$1,779,022, through extinguishing 43 fires with a loss of \$2,262.

The total fire loss on the Pennsylvania System during the year 1914, including fires where the assistance of City Fire Departments was received, was \$658,483.00, while the value of the entire property was nearly \$400,000,000, the fire loss being only 16 cents per each \$100.00 of property value at risk.

Many of the fires resulting in this loss were from causes over which the railroad company had no control. Forty-three fires originated on adjacent property. Incendiaries started twelve fires; boys were responsible for two; tramps for fifteen; lightning for seven; and carelessness with matches and tobacco for sixteen.

AN ABRUPT PROPOSAL.

Abernethy Was Too Busy For Romance and Courtship.

The reported fashion of the famous Dr. Abernethy's courtship and marriage is very characteristic. It is told that while attending a lady for several weeks he observed those admirable qualifications in her daughter which he truly esteemed to render the married state happy. Accordingly on a Saturday, taking leave of his patient, he addressed her to the following purport:

"You are so well that I need not see you after Monday next, when I shall come and pay you a farewell visit. But in the meantime I wish you and your daughter to seriously consider the proposal I am about to make. It is abrupt and unceremonious, I am aware, but the excessive occupation of my time by my professional duties affords me no leisure to accomplish what I desire by the more ordinary course of attention and solicitation. My annual receipts amount to £—, and I can settle £— on my wife. My character is generally known to the public, so that you may readily ascertain what I am. I have seen in your daughter a tender and affectionate child, an assiduous and careful nurse and a gentle and ladylike member of a family. Such a person must be all that a husband could covet; and I offer my hand and fortune for her acceptance. On Monday when I call I shall expect your determination, for I really have not time for the routine of courtship."

In this manner the lady was wooed and won, and it may be added the union was felicitous in every respect.—Westminster Gazette.

BLOODTHIRSTY FERRETS.

They Kill Not For Food, but For the Mere Sake of Slaughter.

The ferret is one of the most peculiar members of the animal kingdom. It belongs also to an extraordinary family, that of the weasels. A branch of this family is called the polecats, the European representative of our skunks, and the ferret is a species of polecat, generally an albino, yellowish white in color, with pink eyes.

To hunt and kill mice, rats, rabbits and other small animals is the ferret's delight. It is coldly methodical in its murderous pursuits, and, while it serves its master well, never flinching in the chase and never shrinking from an attack, it exhibits no trace of affection or attachment toward its trainers, as nobler animals do. The ferret is a typical killer and blood shedder. It has no friends and apparently wants none. It cannot be trusted and will sometimes attack small children.

It likes to kill not for the sake of food, but for the sake of killing. The mere act of taking the life of another creature is a pleasure to it. How it got this bloodthirsty strain in its nature no one can tell. Its appetite for slaughter serves well in ridding our houses of rats and mice, but of what use is it to the ferret to kill those creatures? Its nature is that of a demon, and wherever it sees the life blood beating at a throat its brutal instinct urges it to slit the throat with its keen teeth and let the life throb out!—New York Journal.

Give some men a pointer and they'll kick because it isn't a setter.

CHILD'S SPRING FROCK.

Designers Are Turning Out Some Excellent Models in Cotton.



CHILD'S GINGHAM FROCK.

Spring styles for children are being shown by manufacturers. One of the new models is illustrated. It is of plaid gingham with plain bands of gingham trimming the front and forming a band about the waist. It is adorned with large pearl buttons, and the patent leather which encircles the waist is finished with a pearl buckle.

THE SEWING BASKET.

Some Hints For Making the Needle-woman's Work More Convenient.

To prevent soft material from puckering when sewing it on the machine put strips of newspaper under it and sew through both material and paper. When an unusually large hole has to be darned on house linen or woven underwear, it is a good plan to first tack a piece of net over the hole and then darn on the net. When finished cut away the rough edges of the net with a pair of small scissors.

Loose buttons, hooks and eyes, etc., are apt to get about in the workbasket. Collect them and thread hooks on one safety pin, eyes on another, buttons on another. Close each safety pin, and everything may be kept in place.

To make tucks in blouses, etc., lay the fronts together, stitch on machine with needle unthreaded, then fold by perforated line and stitch in usual manner.

Choose a shallow drawer in which to keep the sewing materials. Fit into it small cardboard boxes and fasten each with a drawing pin through the bottom. Then place in each box different kinds of sewing material—buttons, hooks, eyes, darning needles, safety pins, thimbles, etc.

The Popular Begonia.

The begonia in its many varieties is a perennially popular house plant. One of the best winter begonias is the exquisite Gloire de Lorraine, which produces an abundance of pink flowers above its attractive waxy green foliage. It will thrive in a temperature as low as 65 degrees F. The Gloire de Sceaux is another beautiful pink begonia. The Rex begonia is the most popular indoor foliage plant, if we except the Boston fern.

Cheesecloth Duster.

Don't think any old rag good enough for a duster. Have a cheesecloth duster, and keep it for that purpose until it is worn out.

The oftener it is washed the softer it gets. Have two separate cloths for dishes and pots. Keep the dish cloth for that purpose. Use the pot cloth for wiping shelves, etc. Scald both out once a day. When you need a new dish cloth take the old one for a pot cloth.

THE COLOR SCHEME.

All colors for day wear are subdued. Rose is a favorite color.

A lovely bronze green is among the favorite shades.

Burnt green is one of the fashionable tones.

Dark green is firmly established among staple colors.

The all white frock continues its popularity for evening.

Dark blue and seal brown is a modish combination.

The all black frock with an artistic dash of color is fashionable.

Navy blue and brown and green are in great favor. Among light colors sand and putty are chosen.

Black and white combinations and soft rich colors are in favor for afternoon costumes.

Brown is fashionable, but to be correct the brown must be dull. Dark brown shoes and gossamer hose of brown silk are worn with frocks of almost any color.

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CHRIST CHURCH.

Holy Communion 8.00 a. m.
Holy Communion and Sermon 10.30 a. m.
Sunday School 2.30 p. m.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 7.30 p. m.
Services during the week ending February 13.
Friday—Choir rehearsal . . . 7.30 p. m.

Doane Memorial Chapel.

Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon 10.30 a. m.
The Sunday School 2.30 p. m.

Chapel of The Good Shepherd.

Sunday School 3.00 p. m.
Evening Prayer 3.30 p. m.

Baptism is Administered as Follows:
At Christ Church, at the 10.30 a. m. Service, Second Sunday of the month.
At Doane Memorial Chapel, at 9.30 a. m. last Sunday of month.
At Chapel of Good Shepherd, at 3.30 p. m. last Sunday of month.

THE PARISH HOUSE.

Meetings of the Various Societies:
Sunday—
The Sunday School 2.30 p. m.
Monday—
The Girls' Friendly Society 7.30 p. m.
Tuesday—
St. Martha's Guild 2.30 p. m.
The Junior Auxiliary 3.30 p. m.
Men's Club 8.00 p. m.
Saturday—
The Sewing School, where children are systematically taught plain sewing 2.30 p. m.

The Rector may be found at the Rectory, and requests that cases of sickness be reported to him promptly in order that he may attend to them.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. H. C. White, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, February 7, 1915:
10.30 a. m. Preaching.
2.30 p. m. Sunday School.
7.30 p. m. Preaching.
Thursday—
7.45 p. m. Regular Prayer and Praise meeting.
4.00 p. m. Thursday, Junior C. E.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. E. H. Tilton, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, February 7, 1915:
10.30 a. m. Preaching.
2.30 p. m. Bible School Session.
6.45 p. m. Senior C. E. Society meeting.
7.30 p. m. Delightful Song Service and Sermon.

Week Day Services:

Wednesday
3.30 p. m. Junior C. E. Meeting.
Thursday
7.45 p. m. Church Prayer Meeting.
Friday
7.30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. J. E. Shaw, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, February 7, 1915:
Sunday Services.
9.30 a. m.—Class.
10.30 a. m.—Preaching by Pastor
2.30 p. m.—Sunday School
6.45 p. m.—Epworth League Service
7.30 p. m.—Preaching by Pastor
Services during the week.
Junior League, Thursday, 3.30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Thursday, 7.45 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Saturday 8.00 p. m.

METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH

Rev. W. A. Ledford, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, February 7, 1915:
10.30 a. m. Regular Preaching.
2.00 p. m. Junior C. E.
2.30 p. m. Regular Sunday School.
6.45 p. m. Senior C. E.
7.30 p. m. Song service.
7.45 p. m. Regular Preaching.
Thursday—
7.15 p. m. Class meeting.
8.00 p. m. Prayer meeting.
Friday—Choir practice.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED WILL take notice, That all debts owing to the estate of James H. Gordon, or to the firm of Howell & Gordon, are now due and payable. Notice is further given that the proper and legal settlement of the Estate of James H. Gordon, deceased, will require a collection of all the above mentioned debts, by legal action, if necessary. Payment may be made to Francis Gordon, at the store corner of Broadway and David street, or to the undersigned.

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The City Hall as an office building is becoming decidedly popular. First the new collector installs himself therein. Now comes the Board of Health with a request that a desk for the use of their inspector be provided. The communication to that effect was authorized at the last meeting of the board and submitted to the council Tuesday evening. There are several stalls railed off in the old council chamber that are not used for anything in particular and there seems to be a likelihood that they will become the headquarters for the various officials of the city in time.

ROLL CALL A SUCCESS.

The entertainment in the M. E. Church last Friday evening, Jan. 29, was a success in every way. It was the occasion of the Dollar Roll Call and the entertainment was furnished by the Fishers' Union. A large attendance welcomed the efforts of local talent exclusively. No admission was demanded, but an offering for hymn books was taken up. The congregation responded liberally toward this worthy object and over ten dollars were received.

The program, which was published last week, was well rendered and evidently much enjoyed. Much regret was expressed because an accident to his harp prevented Mr. Shaw's rendering his portion of the program. Prolonged and enthusiastic applause greeted many of the selections and more than once necessitated a second or third appearance. "The Matrimonial Agency" was a screaming, laughable playlet which carried a none too delicate thrust at those of the female sex who either from choice or necessity are living in the state of unwedded bliss and commonly known as "Old Maids."

The finishing touches were added to an already excellent entertainment in the unfurling of our country's flag during the singing of the last number, "The Star Spangled Banner."

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

On Sunday evening a surprise party was held at the home of Master Joseph Domzel on Augusta street in honor of his fifteenth birthday. Notwithstanding the stormy weather, many of his young friends were present and had a most delightful time. Refreshments were served and at a late hour all departed for their homes wishing Master Joseph many happy birthdays.

Among those present were: Mary Murphy, Elizabeth Keating, Alice Dugan, Anna Carroll, Mildred Sullivan, Cecelia Conway, Catherine Carroll, Pearl Domzel, Helen Keating, Julia Kelley, Etta Sullivan, James Hyson, Jerry Higgins, James O'Leary, Francis Carroll, Francis Covell, Harry Johnson, Frank Hyson and Thomas O'Leary.

Ordinarily there isn't much similarity between high grade carpenter work and painting pictures but it looks as if the manual training teacher of the public schools was as adept at both. Mr. James made a poster advertising the "Aaron Boggs" play Thursday afternoon and it sure is a peach of a piece of work. It is to be placed in the window of Parlsen's Drug Store where "he who runs may read." Take a look, it's well worth while.

Four boys averaging about ten or twelve years of age were brought before the Recorder last Monday evening on charges of swiping coal. Special Officer John Keenan of the Pennsylvania Railroad was the complainant. The parents of the boys were present and paid the fine of one dollar each imposed after the delivery of a severe reprimand. The boys were John Higgins, John and Hank Brennan and Leo McCarthy, of this city.

FINED TWO DOLLARS.

Arren Hapsel, Jr., was given a fine before Police Justice Birm Monday evening. The complainant against him was for coal out of a car in the Penn. Yards here. Special Officer Keenan was the complainant. Going to the evidence and coming to the prisoner's pleas the justice let him off with a fine of two dollars.

MIDDLESEX C. E. UNION.

Meeting of Middlesex C. E. Local will be held in Stetson Bapch. Monday, February 8, at 8 o'clock in observance of Christian week.

Fibre Baskets.

The next waste baskets to be furnished in the schools may be fibre instead of reed. The fibre basket is a sort of box and has the advantage of not allowing fine scraps to pass through onto the floor. They are also much more durable and cost very little more than the others.

Educational Campaign.

Professor Hendrickson, the principal of the High School, is the prime mover and central figure in an educational campaign which is being started. The mothers of the pupils and also other women who are interested in the schools or in school work are the ones who will benefit by the new movement which may eventually end in the formation of a parent-teacher association in this city. A special effort will be made to secure the active interest and co-operation of the Woman's Club at the very beginning.

The first "Busy Bertha," as some people prefer to call the Kaiser's biggest guns, will be brought to bear in the near future when a meeting of mothers will be called. This meeting will take place in the auditorium of School No. 2 and will be for any one who is interested.

A speaker well qualified to present the vital subjects under consideration will be procured in the person of Henry M. Maxson, of Plainfield. He is now superintendent of schools in that city. Mr. Maxson will talk upon the physical well being of the pupils and its relation to the progress or retrogression in mental development and ultimate success or failure in life in the individual scholars. Other subjects that the speaker will dwell upon are things in connection with home work for students and the choice or selection of a proper course of study in conformity with the students natural aptitudes. Dr. Maxson is an authority on all these points and it will be well worth any one's while to hear him speak.

The basic idea of the entire movement is to establish a closer relationship between the school authorities and the guardians and parents of the children attending school. Thus a spirit of co-operation will be established and conclusions regarding the betterment of conditions when and where necessary may and can be reached with more facility.

Many Absent.

The effects of the stormy weather are always apparent in the attendance figures. Last Monday there were 159 absentees in School No. 2. This is about half of the enrollment. Practically all of those absent were in the grammar grades as most of the pupils in the higher grades attend if it is at all possible to get out.

Mrs. Emilussen Substituted.

Miss Agan was out of school on Tuesday. Mrs. Emilussen substituted for her for the one day.

Physical Culture Class.

It may be that a physical culture class will be started in the schools. It is said that some of the pupils' carriage denote their need of some such instruction so that they might realize the advantage, yes, imperative necessity of at least sitting, standing and walking with the head held high and the chest thrown forward. It is sad, almost, to see some students who go about with hanging heads, bowed shoulders and a stooped spine. The posture grows habitual and permanent and the consequent negative results may be more far reaching than the unfortunate victim ever suspects.

Will Render a Play.

The play "Aaron Boggs" will be given in the new Empire Theatre next Thursday evening. Tickets are now on sale at Parlsen's Drug Store or may be procured from any of the High School students. Arrangements have been made with the management whereby moving pictures will be shown between the acts of the play. Much time has been spent in rehearsing and a state of perfection in the rendition of the parts is fast being reached. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted toward defraying the expenses incurred on Class Day.

The High School plays are always largely attended and it is unlikely that the much talked of and widely advertised "hard times" will seriously effect this one.

Athletic Meet.

An athletic meet is being arranged for to be held on Lincoln's Birthday. Events now marked up are pole vaults, chinning contests, standing high kick, running high kick, a two hundred and twenty yard run, putting the shot, and hammer throwing. The meet will be held on the Y. M. C. A. grounds the same as heretofore and Messrs. Deacon, Smock and Canton have consented to again act in their former capacities.

Skating Contest Dubious.

It begins to look hopeless for that skating contest. Last Tuesday the

ground had frozen out of his hole to look up the weather conditions and found them favorable for swimming. Therefore according to tradition and the predictions of several old veteran captains the back bone of winter is broken and the likelihood of skating ice very small. Our High School boys aren't the only disappointed ones because the aforesaid hog got his feet wet instead of admiring his shape. Just think of that Red Bank man who hasn't yet had an opportunity to try out his new five-hundred dollar steel iceboat idea.

LIGHT SERVICE IS MISERABLE.

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place wherein to transact the duties it would be advisable to furnish him with a desk in the City Hall. Upon motion of Mr. Slover, the matter was referred to the committee on public buildings and grounds without comment.

Mr. D. E. Mahoney brought up the question of his assessment for improvements on account of the paving of Broadway. Some time ago a complaint was received by the council that the assessment was too high on this piece of property because of the fact that the curbing had not been touched. The proper committee investigated the claim and found that the assessors had made no separate assessment for curbing and that they could not do anything with the complaint. In the letter above referred to Mr. Mahoney stated that he could not pay the assessment in question until he had first gone over the matter carefully and thoroughly. He asked to be advised when the council met again in order that he might attend and go over the matter with them. Mr. Slover asked to have the letter read the second time after which he remarked that inasmuch as the committee had already made an investigation and report on the subject he did not see where there was anything further that could be done with the matter and that under the existing conditions he would move that the communication be simply received and filed. The motion was carried.

A letter from the Public Service Railway officials stated that the matter of the loose rail joint in front of Kaufman's store on Broadway had been referred to the proper channels and the trouble would be alleviated as soon as possible. Mr. Slover stated that this had already been done, and he accordingly moved that the communication be received and filed.

The following bills were read by the clerk and upon motion of Mr. Slover ordered paid:

Labor.	
Sewers	\$19 42
Garbage	51 34
Streets	27 25
Water Department.....	41 00
Streets	
Team hire.....	13 50
William E. Slover.....	65 40
Sewers	
Thomas Downs.....	27 60
David Quinlan.....	14 00
Thomas Downs.....	56 17
Fire Department	
Public Service Gas Co.....	4 72
Walter Smith.....	10 00
Thomas Manion.....	10 00
Coakley & Sullivan.....	6 50
Water Department.	
Arthur L. Perkins Co.....	45
William E. Slover.....	60
Poor Account	
D. E. Mahoney, 5 bills.....	37 00
L. F. Meizer.....	5 58
Coakley & Sullivan.....	3 53
D. E. Mahoney Co., 2 bills....	13 00
D. E. Mahoney.....	23 02
Public Buildings and Grounds.	
C. I. Bergen.....	4 20
Coakley & Sullivan.....	39 00
William E. Slover.....	1 15
Miscellaneous.	
George E. Applegate.....	1 85
S. A. French.....	13 22
W. O. Berlew.....	7 50

Councilman Slover submitted a resolution covering the expiration of a Broadway Improvement note on February 16th. The amount of the note is two thousand dollars but only half that amount will be embodied in the renewal which the resolution authorized. The other half is taken care of by a payment of the necessary amount which is now standing to the credit of that account. The renewal was for a period of three months at the rate of six per cent. Upon motion of the councilman from the Third Ward and a roll call of the body the resolution was adopted.

Another resolution introduced by the chairman of the finance committee authorized the discounting of a note for seven thousand dollars in anticipation of taxes in order to pay the Board of Education a balance of that amount still due them on their appropriation. The rate of interest and the period of time was the same as in the preceding resolution and it was also adopted.

Mr. Slover reported on the matter of a request of Mr. Michael Welsh to have his lots on the corner of Stevens avenue and John street now assessed as facing on the avenue changed to face on John street.

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Sweater Coats for Men and Boys 50c to \$6.00.
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Sheepskin Vests	-	2.00
Children's \$1.25 Sweaters	-	95c
Ladies' \$1.00 Warm Lined Shoes	-	85c
Men's \$3.00 Warm Lined Shoes	-	2.25
Children's \$2.75 Sweaters	-	2.25
Ladies' Sweater Coats, formerly \$2.98, now	-	2.19

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