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OBJECTIONS TO ASSESSMENT

Property Owners on David Street Claim Figures of Commissioners Are Too High—File Protest—Pavement on Stevens Avenue Halted by Trolley Co.

Property owners on David Street verbally presented objections to the report of the commissioners on the assessment for flagging and curbing on that street from Broadway to Stevens avenue, at the meeting of the Council Wednesday evening, and during the progress of the controversy matters waxed warm.

Present—Mayor Dey, Councilmen Manhattan, O'Connor, Slover, Stanton and Stratton; Clerk Mack, Engineer Mason, Treasurer Perrine and Street Commissioner Connors.

Minutes of regular and adjourned meetings were approved as read.

The clerk read application of Mr. Tryzonic for transfer of license to Wacław Cosmoskie, which was received and referred to committee on licenses.

The report of Water Superintendent Martin relative to injuries received by Augustus Linden while in the employ of the city, was read, received and referred to water committee.

Report of Street Commissioner Connors relative to injuries received by Thomas Leonard was read, and referred to street committee.

A letter from William McHarg, of the Newark division New York Telephone Company, was read, stating that Stevens avenue was free of the poles of the company. On motion of Mr. Manhattan, it was received and filed.

John Lasko presented a bill of \$9.90 against the city, claiming the expense was caused by a defective sewer system. It was received and referred to committee on sewers.

E. L. Mathis sent a communication stating that council could pay Mr. Moore \$16.00, the amount alleged to be due him, and deduct same from amount due Tippet & Wood.

On motion of Mr. Manhattan it was received and filed, and balance due Tippet & Wood ordered paid, less the \$16.00.

An anonymous communication, signed "Taxpayer" was read, asking the council for relief from bees that hive at Bordentown avenue and Broadway, claiming they are antagonistic to passers-by and get in their work by stinging them. No action taken.

A communication from John Connors, secretary Enterprise Hook and Ladder Company, was read, stating that William E. Slover had resigned as a member, and Nicholas Howley elected to fill vacancy. On motion of Mr. Manhattan, it was received, ordered filed, and action of company confirmed.

The clerk read a letter from the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, requesting that the assessment maps be sent them for approval, in accordance with Chapter 175, Laws of 1913. On motion of Mr. O'Connor, it was referred to committee on taxes and assessments.

Walter Mullen, of David street, sent a communication, stating that he had been assessed for more feet of curbing and flagging than he owned. It was received and referred to committee on streets.

O'Gara & McGuire in a letter stated they desired to proceed with work of paving Stevens avenue, but owing to trolley tracks not being placed at grade they were prevented from doing so. If the trolley company did not take some steps at once to place their tracks on grade, they would be compelled to stop work, and move plant away.

After some discussion, on motion of Mr. Manhattan, the clerk was instructed to notify the Jersey Central Traction Company and O'Gara & McGuire to proceed with the work at once.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

Labor, garbage	\$ 51.00
Labor, streets	133.83
Teams, streets	42.00
Collins & Gundrum	1,500.00
John Quinn	253.40
S. J. Mason	137.00
J. F. Chauley Co.	2,901.98
P. Delaney	10.50
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O'Gara & McGuire	1,287.87

M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.	438.74
S. Kwilinski	7.40
Richard McCloud, Jr.	9.41
South Amboy Printing Co.	7.25
P. A. City Water Work	881.95
Elizabeth Hardware Co.	6.74
Elizabeth Hardware Co.	1.88
Labor, water works	69.12
P. McCabe	5.00
John Quinn	11.04
William Maxfield	17.32
Michael Leonard	27.60
J. Mackey	27.60
Edward Roberts	20.70
J. Schultz	3.00
Thomas Downs	230.20
W. O. Berlew	18.00

Mr. O'Connor asked what had the city done on Stevens avenue sewer, in regard to portion to be paid by the Jersey Central Traction Company?

President Stanton answered by stating that it was desired that the council as a committee of the whole meet the officials of the company, and confer thereon.

The clerk read notice of receiving report of commissioners of assessment on flagging and curbing David street from Broadway to Stevens avenue.

Mr. George Bogart was given privilege of the floor, when he stated, "there is no written matter given out for the property owner to object to, and we are here to-night to hear and discuss the matter."

The clerk then read the report of the commissioners, showing the curbing had cost \$789.60, and the flagging \$1,104.64, \$129.84 of which was charged to the city at-large.

Mr. Bogart—The first question I would like to ask is, what has caused the exorbitant additional cost? There is one thing, the contract between the people and the city was \$1.36 per lineal foot, 28 cents for resetting curb, etc. That only can you assess.

I would like to know what has caused the exorbitant price of the engineering when a map was furnished and grades already given, and in addition to that, what has caused an additional cost of \$130.00? What has been done to make that cost 80 cents for flagging, 80 cents for curbing, and 40 cents for re-setting? "There is a difference of 12 cents for re-setting, 8 cents for new curbing and 16 cents for flagging. There was nothing done, the grade was done and the contractors put that in place at the time, and that was agreed to. Between three and four months ago the matter was brought up here and thoroughly discussed. Now we are getting another set of figures! By whom are they presented, the commissioners or by the engineer? I, for one, object to the bill. Where's the work? There's nothing additional been put on that street. Taking it at the figures given here the total cost is only 17-10c. per foot. Where do you get 24 out of it? I for one fail to see it and will file an objection to it at once."

"I was here when the bill was received and saw the maps, etc. I am not kicking on the inspector, printing or commissioners for that amount was not in excess for the work. To set the stakes would not take the city engineer and his assistant more than a day. Are we paying a commission on our work that is being done? If so, a man who receiving a salary cannot be paid for two things at once. I would like to ask what comprises this engineering bill of \$183.00. As one of the property owners I shall demand it and will file objections for and to it and there will be nothing done until it is satisfactorily answered. What has caused the additional in the contract price? You try to hold those people (the contractors) at the original price, why is it that the property owners have to pay an additional cost?"

O'Connor—"I suppose we had to pay the expenses of an inspector."

Mr. Bogart—"I have figured that in, the advertising and printing too; those are not exorbitant, but we cannot pay \$183 for engineering. I think that is beyond all question."

During the argument between Mr. Bogart and Councilman O'Connor Mr. Bogart stated: "That we are not objecting to the work, we are objecting to the price. That has been done a lot in this town and it will not be done in this case. I am not objecting to anything in reason. None of us are getting exorbitant salaries and business is business."

Mr. O'Connor took exception to the statement about "a lot of this being done."

Mr. Bogart—"I have figured that in, the advertising and printing too; those are not exorbitant, but we cannot pay \$183 for engineering. I think that is beyond all question."

Charles Stockton added the information that "seven dollars a lot had been added since the commissioners met in the hall, at least that was what was done in his case."

Mr. Manhattan asked the city engineer.

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SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AWARDED

Miss Dorothy Watts, of St. Mary's School, Secures the Scully Scholarship at Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield—Other Successful Scholars of Parish Schools.

Rev. Father, McConnell, of Belmar, Superintendent of the Parish Schools to the Diocese of Trenton, has announced the winners of six scholarships.

Two of the prizes were awarded to the high school members, and the others to the graduates from the grammar schools. Of the six hundred graduates for the year, two hundred and fifty-five took the tests, the examinations being held in the three convent centers, Trenton, Camden, and this city. As stated some weeks ago in The Citizen, Miss Dorothy Watts, of this city, was awarded a scholarship in Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield, the gift of Hon. Thomas J. Scully. Last year her sister secured a scholarship in the same college.

The prizes are valuable in themselves, three of them being worth \$1,600 each, but apart from the honor is high for the pupils winning, and also for the schools that produced the champions. The winners are as follows:

High School.

Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield, N. J., gift of Hon. Thomas J. Scully, Dorothy Watts, St. Mary's School, South Amboy.

Villanova College, Philadelphia, gift of the Augustinian Fathers, James J. Egan, Cathedral School, Trenton.

Grammar School.

St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia, gift of Mr. Patrick Farley, Leo Bayes, St. Mary's School, Camden.

Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield, N. J., gift of the Catholic Women of Belmar, N. J., Alice Alkexin, St. Nicholas School, Atlantic City.

St. Peter's College, Jersey City, gift of St. Peter's College, John Dwyer, Sacred Heart School, New Brunswick. St. Peter's College, Jersey City, gift of the Catholic Young Men of Belmar, N. J., Joseph Thoma, Star of the Sea School, Long Branch.

Fulton Will Run On Bull Moose Ticket

The Middlesex County Progressive Executive Committee held a meeting in the Landsberg building, New Brunswick, last Saturday afternoon and formulated part of the ticket for the coming fall election. The following candidates have thus far been selected:

For Assembly—James Griswold, of Perth Amboy; Joseph Fulton, of South Amboy; Joseph A. Edgar, of New Brunswick.

For Freeholder—E. G. Smith, of Perth Amboy; Oscar Jarrard, of New Brunswick.

Three other candidates for freeholder were withheld until they give their consent.

FUNERAL OF MRS. VOORHEES.

The funeral of Mrs. Isabella V. Voorhees took place from her late residence on Main street on Monday afternoon, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The service was conducted by the Rev. W. E. Grimshaw, assistant rector of Christ Church. Interment was made in Christ Church cemetery. The bearers were her sons, Frank Voorhees of Newark; and Carlton Voorhees, of this city; and brother-in-laws, Cadmus Voorhees, of Trenton; and John R. Voorhees, of Stanwick. Stillwell Mason directed the funeral.

To Remedy Rattling Windows.

Do not allow yourself to be made awake and nervous by rattling windows or doors when the comb on your dresser makes a perfect wedge, easily inserted and as easily removed. Especially annoying are such noises in hotels and other strange bedrooms, but even there the comb is at hand and equal to all sizes of cracks.

The yachting season is nearly over, but Yacht Club Coffee is always in season. Try a pound at Brown Bros. Tea Co.

NEW PHYSICIAN LOCATES IN TOWN

Dr. Seldon T. Kinney, formerly of Easton, Pa., has established himself in the offices formerly occupied by the late Dr. A. Treganowan, and is now fully prepared to serve the public in a professional way. He comes highly recommended. The Easton Free Press of the 15th Inst. says:

"Dr. Seldon T. Kinney left to-day to begin general practice in South Amboy, N. J., where he has secured an opening. Since finishing his service in the Metropolitan Hospital, New York City, he has been assisting his father, Dr. C. Spencer Kinney, at the Easton Sanitarium. He has had thorough training and many friends wish him success."

HENRY McKENNA JOINS

THE SILENT THROG.

Henry McKenna, a former resident of this city, departed his life on Saturday last at his home in Bradley Beach, from a complication of diseases, at the age of 69 years. He was a member of Gen. Wm. S. True's Post of this city, the Jr. O. U. A. M. of Hightstown; and the Carpenters Union. He survived by a widow, two daughters, Mrs. John Pryce, of Bradley Beach, and Mrs. John Manhattan, of this city; and one son, Harry McKenna, of New York.

On Wednesday, the body was brought to this city, where funeral service was held at three o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal Church, John street, Rev. N. J. Wright, of Bradley Beach, officiating. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives. At the grave in Christ Church cemetery the funeral rituals of the G. A. R. and Jr. O. U. A. M. were read. The pallbearers were W. J. Ingraham, S. H. Chaitin, William H. Dey, George Seward, R. P. Mason, and Israel Ward. Stillwell & Mason were funeral directors.

AUTOMOBILES COLLIDE.

An automobile ran into the rear of H. J. Berrien's car on the road from the county bridge Thursday afternoon. Berrien's car slowed down to allow a trolley car to pass and the following car crashed into it. The car had its headlights shattered and other slight damage was done, while Berrien's car escaped with a bent mud guard and a smashed tail light.

A COMMENDABLE ACT.

The friends of the late John Parker on learning of his death, and knowing that he left two little children, aged 3 and 5 years, penniless, started a subscription toward his burial expenses and to relieve the children over the tide of dire necessity. The people responded liberally, and \$131.75 was collected. For this commendable work credit is due to Henry M. Kline of Perth Amboy, who collected \$35.00 from the Morgan Beach colony; Edwin Furman, who collected \$31.25; Mrs. Dora Ginter, \$3.00; and William Dalrymple, \$62.50 from the people at large.

SHERIDANS PLAY

JAMESBURG TO-DAY.

The Sheridans traveled to Woodbridge last Saturday and lost what was probably the best game they have played this year. The whole team played fine ball, except in the fourth inning when Woodbridge scored 7 runs on them.

The locals touched Needer up pretty well, managing to get 11 hits and it was only the "Wonders" wonderful support that saved the game.

Buckalew caught a good game, allowing no stealing. Seven men tried to pilfer the second sack, but Buck with the assistance of "Chick" Callahan nailed 'em all.

Manager Delaney expected to go to Matawan tomorrow (Sunday) but he is now advised that the management has changed hands, and that the new man has booked Colliers for Sunday game, leaving the Sheridans without a game.

The Sheridans will meet the Jamesburg A. C. at Jamesburg today, and fully expect to win from the Helmetta enemies.

Delaney would like to arrange another game with the Athletics any time, any place or anyway, before the season closes and states that he stands ready to meet any offers in this respect.

He also offers the use of the Sheridan Park diamond to the Athletics for their use any time they wish to take advantage of the offer.

ALBAUGH MADE INSPECTOR

The Board of Health Appoints Him to Succeed J. A. Sexton as Plumbing Inspector—Balance in the Treasury Increasing—Will Enforce Compliance With Orders.

William Albaugh, of Henry street, was appointed plumbing inspector for the Board of Health at the regular meeting of that body Thursday night. Mr. Albaugh's application was the only one received for the position. All members of the board were present. The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Reports of the inspector covering a number of nuisances abated, and some still pending, was read and received and filed.

Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$504.64 at the last regular meeting; received by plumbing permits \$43.00; paid by order \$28.00, leaving a balance on hand of \$539.64. The report was received and filed.

Report of the Registrar of Vital Statistics, showing 12 births, 3 marriages and 11 deaths, was received and filed.

Secretary's report showed receipts of \$4.00 for taps and \$20.00 for plumbing permits. Report received and filed.

Report of the out-going plumbing inspector received.

Communication inviting the board to investigate certain unsanitary conditions on Elm street was read. Inspector's report covered this matter as abated.

Mr. Wilson moved that the resignation of J. A. Sexton as plumbing inspector be received and accepted. Motion carried.

Mr. Sexton's bill for services as plumbing inspector ordered paid.

Motion adopted that a case of disobedience be placed in the hands of an attorney for prosecution and fine as provided by law. The case is to be left as it stands for five days to give the said party another chance to comply with the board's instructions.

Complaint received from the Tompkins Home referred to the chairman of the poor committee.

Adjourned.

NEW WEEKLY PAPER.

"The Middlesex Plain Dealer" is the name of a weekly paper launched in Perth Amboy last week. George S. Walker, a newspaper man of experience, is the editor. Some scorching hot comments appear in its columns, as well as some of the sugary kind. It will espouse the cause of democracy.

ASSEMBLYMAN QUINN MADE

HEAD OF STATE LABOR BODY.

Assemblyman Arthur A. Quinn, of Perth Amboy, was chosen president of the New Jersey Federation of Labor in annual convention at Trenton on Wednesday. The convention will meet in Newark next year.

BOWLING MATCH.

Thursday night a bowling match took place on the Yacht Club alleys between the champions of the Y. M. C. A. and a team from the club. The Yacht Club were badly beaten in three games. The score:

Y. M. C. A.			
Ingraham	121	170	145
Orr	137	148	122
R. Crane	133	128	113

Totals 391 455 380

YACHT CLUB.

Cunningham	180	192	126
W. Stephenson	117	187	157
M. Lamberton	149	120	105

Totals 446 508 387

Alone Twenty-Four Years.

It was stated at an inquest on a woman at Newington, England, recently that she had been a tenant of Ponsby buildings, Blackfriars, for 24 years, and the porter said he had never known her to have a visitor. Her sister happened to call, and at her request he burst the door open and found the woman dead. Further evidence showed that the cause of death was bronchitis, and that the woman had been dead for two days.

Some talking machines are made, but the majority are born.

GRAND JURORS BANQUET AT PRICE

The members of the Middlesex County Grand Jury for April term of court went to Pleasure Bay on Thursday where they enjoyed one of Price's celebrated shore dinners. The committee which arranged the outing were George Gundrum, chairman, of this city; John Sheehy, of Perth Amboy; and Julius D. Posner, of New Brunswick.

Among the guests of the jury were Judge Daly, Sheriff Bollschweiler, County Clerk Cannon, County Collector Hagerly, Surrogate Clayton, Coroner Morgan, Deputy Sheriff Houghton and Grand Jury Clerk Schuyler Van Cleef.

Judge Daly made an excellent address, which was followed by other short speeches. William H. Quackenbush, the foreman, was presented with a beautiful pair of opera glasses of mother pearl, suitably engraved.

The occasion proved one of great pleasure to all in attendance.

DEMOCRATS GO ON ANNUAL OUTING

The annual excursion of the Democrats of Middlesex County to College Point took place on the steamer Point Comfort on Tuesday, and was a record breaker so far as numbers were concerned, about 100 going from this city alone. But in point of comfort the progress of the steamer going to the grove was anything but comfortable, for she moved only at a "snail's" pace. On her way home, some sandwiches must have been thrown in the furnace, as she moved at a lively gait. All the prominent Democrats of the county were on board, and Congressman Thomas J. Scully seemed to be the idol in popular favor.

The sun was well down in the west when Donnelly's Grove was reached, and all went ashore and enjoyed two hours in feasting. Some of the party came home by train supposing the boat would be until "the small hours" of the morning returning, but regretted their move, when they found that the Point Comfort could really get off a walk.

Skinner—Raynor.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raynor, of Highland street, was the scene of a beautiful wedding at 3 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Rachel E. Raynor, was united in the bonds of Holy matrimony to Mr. Frank D. Skinner, formerly of the Panama Canal Zone, but now of this city.

The beautiful ring ceremony was used, and wedding solemnized in the presence of a large circle of relatives and friends, a number being from out-of-town. The Rev. F. F. Craig, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride presented a charming appearance, attired in a gown of blue messaline, trimmed with lace, and carried a floral bouquet. The groom was attired in the conventional black. As they stood in the centre of the group of wedding guests and pledged their troth to each other, it was an impressive sight. At the conclusion of the ceremony, and after congratulations had been extended, the happy company sat down to a wedding repast which was lavishly served.

At 4:30 o'clock the bridal couple left in an automobile for Perth Amboy, where they took a train for New York, and from thence to Niagara Falls to spend their wedding trip.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Young, of Belford; Mrs. Phillips, the Misses Carrie and Nellie Phillips, of Long Island and Port Monmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Peters and Mrs. Mitchell, of Belford; Mrs. Bothwick, of Port Monmouth; Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, Fay Clark, Rev. F. F. Craig, Messrs. Chauncey, Raymond and Arthur Raynor, and Mrs. Grace Raynor.

Mrs. Skinner is assistant organist of the Senior C. E. Society of the Methodist Protestant Church and also a member of the choir. The happy couple have the best wishes of all their friends.

"After Dinner Coffee" tastes awfully good at breakfast time. Sold by Brown Bros. Tea Co.

Hope is an excellent tonic, but it makes a poor diet.

10TH AMBOY CITIZEN.

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YORK AMUSEMENTS.

Grand Opera House.

6th season of the Grand Opera New York will begin this Saturday, August 23rd, when Lew is' All Star Company will present that most nonsensical of all nonsensities "Hanky Panky." This is the same attraction that scored such a sensational success at the Broadway Theatre last season where it played 150 performances to capacity business enjoying an exceptional vogue.

The same stars as last seen here are still to be seen with the organization; Max Rogers, the surviving member of the Rogers Brothers; "Bobby" North, Harry Cooper, Hugh Cameron, Clay Smith, Christine Nielsen, Myrtle Gilbert, Virginia Evans, Flo May, and not overlooking Wm. Montgomery and Florence Moore.

A sensational get-rich-quick Wallingford is the background for the travesty, and the escapades of the celebrated con man are humorously depicted, as he is now added to the British peerage with the title of Sir J. Rufus, while Blackie Daw, instead of being his accomplice, as formerly, is now his foe. Cleopatra, a resurrected Egyptian mummy appears concurrently with these present day characters, and during the evening the gamut of hilarity is run.

The second act shows the campus of John D. Rockefeller's University of Chicago, with the famous "Yale Fence" interposed for comedy purposes, and finally, Mrs. Wallingford's Lodge at Chicago, showing a gorgeous Lawn Fete, with myriads of lights and colors in bewildering beauty. The chorus consists of fifty typical Broadway charmers, proclaimed by the New York critics "the most strenuous aggregation of young women who ever leveled their smiles across one row of footlights.

The book, lyrics and music are by Edgar Smith, E. Ray Goetz and A. Baldwin Sloane, respectively. There are seventeen musical numbers and as may be expected with any attraction bearing the Lew Fields trademark a production de Luxe.

New Bronx Opera House.

The Bronx Opera House, Cohan & Harris' and A. H. Woods' new theatre in upper Manhattan is ready for occupancy. Its formal dedication is announced to take place on Saturday evening, August 30. The opening attraction will be manager H. H. Frazer's production of Eugene Walters' powerful play, "Fine Feathers," presented by Robert Edison, Wilton Lackaye, Rose Coghlan, Max Figman and the others of the all star cast seen in the piece at the Astor Theatre last season.

Modern and down to the minute in every detail, and erected at a cost of more than \$300,000.00, the Bronx Opera House cannot other than appeal to the amusement seeking residents of upper New York, who will now have the pick of Broadway's most successful plays brought to their very doors and presented at popular prices and by the original companies. In a playhouse that in point of seating comfort, adequacy of acoustic qualification, elegance of decorative scheme and scientific stage paraphernalia, together with its absolutely perfect safety appliances before and behind the curtain, is not surpassed by any theatre in America.

One of the features in the policy to be pursued at the new Bronx Opera House is a season subscription system where, by registering their name and address, patrons may have the same seat reservation each week and held up to the day before the performance chosen. The scale of prices will be popular, 25 cents to one dollar, with bargain matinees on Wednesday at twenty-five and fifty cents.

Mr. Richard Madden, formerly business manager of the Grand Opera House, has been appointed to fill that position at the new Bronx Opera House.

The Word Cocoonat.

It really should be "coco-nut," but custom compels the inclusion of that superfluous "a." The term coco or cocoa by which the nuts are known is said by several authorities to be of Portuguese origin, and the derivation is quite out of the ordinary. According to Bauhin, coco or coquhen is derived from the three holes at the end of the nut, giving it the resemblance of a species of monkey. And her writer, Piso, would have us believe the name is due to the sound emitted when air is blown into one of the holes of the nut, it being likened unto the of an ape. The Portuguese for y is mameco or mameco. Perhaps the best explanation offered is "mame" as a grin or grimace, "mame" as a nut certainly of a hideous "a" the head of a flower the reep into

LARGEST FUEL CONSUMER.

Pittsburgh Uses More Than 22,000,000 Tons of Coal and Coke Annually.

The Pittsburgh district of Pennsylvania is the largest consumer of fuel in the world, and in magnitude of coal traffic it is also preeminent. In population Pittsburgh ranks fifth among the cities of the United States, having as "Greater Pittsburgh" only about one-sixth that of Greater New York, but in the consumption of coal alone Pittsburgh nearly equals that of the largest city in the country. It is estimated (no accurate data being available) that Greater New York consumes between 18,000,000 and 20,000,000 short tons of coal annually. The Pittsburgh district in 1912, according to Edward W. Parker, of the United States Geological Survey, consumed 17,721,783 tons of coal and about 5,000,000 tons of coke, or a total of about 22,700,000 short tons, over 10 per cent more than all the boroughs of Greater New York. Moreover, Pittsburgh also consumes millions of cubic feet of natural gas. The total quantity of coal sent to New York Harbor, ports for local consumption, for bunker trade, and for transshipment to coastwise and foreign ports, is between 35,000,000 and 40,000,000 short tons. In 1912 the total coal business of the Pittsburgh district, including local consumption and shipments east and west, amounted to 59,150,179 short tons. The coke used and handled was approximately 14,000,000 tons, making a total of about 73,000,000 tons, or nearly twice as much as the coal going to New York Harbor.

The quantity of coal shipped by rail and water to Pittsburgh and through Pittsburgh to points west in 1912 was 43,801,134 short tons, an increase of 4,160,226 tons over 1911. All of this increase was in rail shipments, as those by water fell off slightly, about 100,000 tons. The shipments to Pittsburgh were by rail, 7,778,450 tons, and by water, 9,943,333 tons. The shipments to points west of Pittsburgh were, by rail, 24,086,001 tons, and by water, 1,993,350 tons. The shipments from the Pittsburgh district to eastern points, all rail, which do not go through the city, amounted in 1912 to 15,349,045 tons, against 13,159,866 tons in 1911. The shipments of coke in 1912 were, to Pittsburgh 4,962,207 tons, to points west 5,684,566 tons, and from the Pittsburgh district to eastern points 3,294,656 tons.

Profits in Waste Paper.

The sale of waste paper used to afford perquisites for government officials. When John McCulloch (of Dictionary of Commerce fame) was appointed comptroller of the stationery office in 1841, he discovered that the proceeds from the sale of government waste paper were divided among his subordinates, who thus more than doubled their official incomes. The new comptroller prohibited this practice on the ground that all moneys derived from such sales belonged to the exchequer. Some of the officials disregarded this prohibition and continued to sell waste paper and pocket the proceeds. When this came to the ears of McCulloch they were prosecuted for "systematic appropriation of public property." For many years past the stationery office has made over \$10,000 a year from the sale of waste paper.—London Mail.

Jenny Lind's California Debut.

At Monterey, Cal., formerly a part of Mexico and ceded to the United States during the Mexican war, is the first public building built in California and now a broken down, weather racked ruin of adobe. In this building Jenny Lind made her first California debut, and when the gold the enthusiastic miners had thrown upon the stage after her performance was gathered up it was found to fill two five-gallon oil cans—about twenty pounds of gold and equal in value to about \$5,000. Another curious building is a police station which is built within the braces of an oil derrick and for unique buildings certainly establishes a record.—Health Magazine.

The Incentive.

"I have struck a new line of writing," said Scribbler. "I write articles from the point of view of a multimillionaire."

"Indeed! How do you manage to get in the right spirit?"

"Oh, that's easy. I write on the afternoon of pay days."—Exchange.

An Old Game.

"Has your wife found a house that suits her?"

"Yes; but don't say anything about it. Just now she's in blinding the landlord that she won't take it unless he redecorates the parlor and three bedrooms."—Detroit Free Press.

Strange Truth.

They say that love will go where it is sent. It appears to be always sent after the girl with a rich father. Why is it thuswise?—New Orleans Picayune.

The Principal's Jest.

Schoolteacher—This new little boy who's crying so hard says his name is Mose. Principal—Evidently an abbreviation of Ichrymose.—Judge.

Cookery Points

Preserving Day Don'ts.

Don't attempt to put up anything by guesswork. Preserves, jellies and pickles all require exact measurements to be perfect. Every fruit needs its own time for cooking. Get a preserving and pickling book and follow the directions to a "T," or, better still, ask the good housekeepers you know for their recipes and write them down word for word.

Don't think that you can put up a large quantity of fruit as easily as you can a small one, however experienced you are. There is a deal of standing to do, and interest flags when the body is weary. Much good fruit is spoiled on preserving and canning day because it was put up when the housekeeper had reached the listless and exhausted stage.

Don't think that you can be economical with sugar when preserves and jellies are in hand, for you will find this a great mistake. In the first place, fruit stunted of sweetness seldom keeps, and, in the second place, it has no taste. Jelly will not "jell" if the fruit juice and sugar are not measured exactly according to directions. But sometimes the jelling process is delayed for some reason or other even when there is enough sugar. In this event put the jelly in the sunshine for a little while, where the action of the bright light will produce the desired change.

Don't think that you can be entirely successful in all your canning, preserving and pickling if you have only makeshift tools. Proper implements save time, and they are more likely to bring success. The utensils needed for a good batch of work are a preserving kettle, well cleaned and dried jars, several jelly bags (half of cheesecloth and half of flannel), two or more square pieces of flannel, a long handled spoon, a colander, a puree sieve, two or three large bowls, a ladle, a pair of scales, a quart, pint and gill measure and perhaps a canner.

Don't think if your family is small that you must use quart jars. As all of the fruit cannot be eaten at once, it is a deal more sensible to put it into pint jars. Jelly and jam tumblers do not need to match, and for sealing these up paraffin candles can be melted down and the hot wax poured over the fruit. But this is only a makeshift device for the amateur practicing with a little fruit, for the paraffin sold by the pound is better for the purpose. Wash the candles off if they are to be used and strain the melted wax. Have about a quarter of an inch of the wax at the top of the fruit and seal up the "practice" tumblers with letter paper put on with white of egg.

Don't think that because you haven't got a regulation boiler for your fruit jars your nice things will spoil in the making. Any wash boiler can be used, but the water must never come up to the top of the jars, and they must stand on something while the boiling is going on or they will break. Spread the bottom of the wash boiler with hay or straw or cover it with four or five layers of newspaper; then put over the covering some weight or other to keep it down. The jars should be at least two inches under water, and if bottles are boiled the water should reach one inch below the cork. After the jars are in the wash boiler pour the water in—cold—and place the boiler on the stove, where it will come to a slow boil.

Don't forget that the time for boiling depends entirely upon the fruit, and if you have lost the recipes pin this memorandum up in the kitchen: Peaches should boil from twenty to thirty minutes; ripe pears (Bartlett), about thirty-five minutes; plums, fifteen minutes; apricots, twenty minutes; pineapples, forty-five minutes; berries of all sorts, five minutes; cherries, five or ten minutes; quinces, about twenty-five minutes.

Don't forget that when the time for boiling is up the jars should be removed from the water and set upside down to cool; also see that they are set on a dry table and not on a wet one, for the least drop of cold water will crack the jars.

Don't forget to fill up the slack jars with hot sirup as soon as they are taken from the bath; then close them at once, turning each one upside down when the top is tight.

Don't forget when canning vegetables that the same filling up of slack jars is made with boiling water, but that the jar must be at once sealed and boiled again for five or ten minutes.

Don't forget when the jars are cold to examine each one and to see if it is air tight; then, if all is well, wipe the jars off with a clean wet cloth and set them at once in a cold, dry place.

Don't forget that the good grocery stores pay a fancy price for first class homemade products of any sort. The labels must be written out by hand on neatly cut slips of letter paper. This gives the home look, and if the real home taste is inside the jar the grocer will take the batch, however small or big it is.

Fried Summer Squash.

Take three or four small and tender summer squashes—crooknecks are the best. Cut in slices about half an inch thick, take out the seeds and boil them half an hour or until tender in slightly salted water. When done fry them in oil to a delicate brown.

TREATING A DOG BITE.

Act Promptly and There Is Little Danger of Hydrophobia.

If you should be bitten by a dog suspected of rabies don't get scared, but act promptly.

Immediately apply a tourniquet above the wound. No tourniquet being at hand, use a handkerchief or necktie, twisting it tightly with a stick.

The poison should then be sucked out and the wound cauterized as soon as possible. If it is believed the dog was mad the Pasteur treatment should be resorted to. Only two-tenths of 1 per cent of those who take this treatment develop hydrophobia.

Although the germ of rabies has not been demonstrated, it is generally conceded the disease has a specific form. Rabies never occurs in the human spontaneously, but always by inoculation. It is also moderately well demonstrated that dogs and other animals likewise contract the disease through inoculation. Many more male than female dogs go mad. The reason given for this is that male dogs fight among themselves, but a male seldom bites a female. The proportion is seven mad males to one mad female. Contrary to popular belief, rabies is more common in a temperate zone than in the tropics or the arctic region and in spring and fall than in summer and winter.

The only sure preventive thus far found for rabies is thorough muzzling, which is another proof that the disease has its origin in inoculation.

There is a disease called lyssophobia which closely resembles hydrophobia and is brought on by nervous dread. It has been contended by some that there is really no difference between these diseases and that hydrophobia is imaginary. This claim is refuted by the fact that animals and very young children, knowing neither imagination, dread or fear, do succumb to a disease exhibiting the unmistakable symptoms of hydrophobia.

These symptoms are, first, a fear of water, from which the disease derives its name; then the muscles stiffen and an attempt to drink water brings on convulsions; next the mere sight of water is sufficient to bring on a recurrence of the convulsions, fever sets in and death ensues in about a week, generally from exhaustion.

There is no known remedy for rabies, though opiates are freely used to alleviate the pain.—Dr. John J. Reilly in New York World.

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It has been roughly estimated that 10 per cent of us, the people of the United States, keep busy and earn our living by amusing the other 90 per cent. This 10 per cent includes those who do the actual work of amusing: singers in grand opera, light opera, concert; actors in the "legitimate" theaters, in vaudeville, in burlesque, in small shows; performers in the various departments of the innumerable circuses, carnivals, street fairs, baseball players, football players, basketball players, motor racers, aviators, boxers, innumerable exponents of innumerable forms of professional athletics and professional sports.

It includes also the people who promote these amusements, who incorporate companies and manufacture devices to be used in amusing—film companies, with armies of employees in the moving picture field, for example; the people in their large office forces, the people who manage and direct theaters, amusement parks, race courses, athletic fields, etc.; stage hands, mechanics, electricians and employees in countless other ramifications of the general business of amusement.

It includes those who originate schemes of entertainment, those who finance them, those who manage them, those who execute them, those press agents, advance men, sign painters, "spielers" and "bankers," etc., who advertise them and draw the attention of the rest of us—the patrons who comprise the other 90 per cent.—World's Work.

Impertinence.

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Liszt a Dry Smoker.

Liszt was a dry smoker of a peculiar type. Massenet, who knew him well in his later years, tells us that Liszt could not play unless he had a cigar in his mouth, which he never troubled to light. He would sit down to the piano with a cigar between his teeth and keep munching it all the time he played. When the cigar was quite eaten up the abbe would rise from the instrument exhausted.

Making Sure.

"Understand me, sir. I cannot live without your daughter."

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Paradoxical.

"I would walk on hot plowshares for your sake, my love."

"Yes, and the minute you tried it you would get col feet."—Baltimore American.

Governor Fielder Has Stroked the Red Head of Democratic Victory



Senator Ramsay Had Previously Used Auburn Haired Negro as Mascot For President Wilson and Other Democrats, and Says the Perth Amboy Pickaninny is THE DEMOCRATIC MASCOT.

Governor FIELDER has paid a visit to the shrine of Democratic victory, as Senator William E. Ramsay of Middlesex county believes, and now has only to put up a perfunctory campaign to follow in the footsteps of Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States; Thomas J. Scully, congressman from the Third New Jersey district, to say nothing of himself as the victor in a very hard campaign for senator from Middlesex.

Dr. Ramsay first discovered little Frederick Lincoln, colored, when he was a candidate for the assembly. The little black baby has bright red hair, and the doctor, stroking the unusual head, declared him the official mascot of the Democratic party. Dr. Ramsay was elected to the assembly.

The next year, when Woodrow Wilson was in Perth Amboy during his gubernatorial campaign, the now president found himself suddenly drawn up in front of a negro tenement house. To his amazement the red headed mascot was carried out to the auto, and the candidate stroked his sorrel head.

Dr. Ramsay tried the mascot on Congressman Scully, and so far the little fellow has a straight run of victories.

When Governor Fielder paid an official visit to Perth Amboy the latter part of June he, like President Wilson three years ago, was surprised to find himself in front of the negro tenement, and to his amazement the mascot was trotted out. Governor Fielder stroked his head, as have the previous winners, and Dr. Ramsay declares there can be no doubt as to Fielder winning.

Little Freddie is now four years old. His parents, Charles and Lucy Lincoln, live at Washington and Penn streets, Perth Amboy. There are three other little Lincolns of dark hue, but Freddie is the only one with red hair, the others being regulation black. In fact, it is said that Freddie is the only red headed negro in New Jersey.

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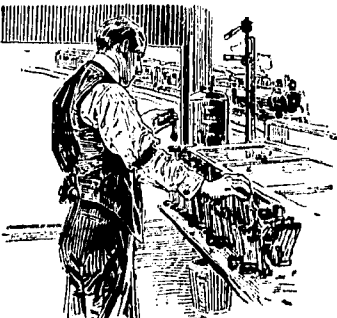
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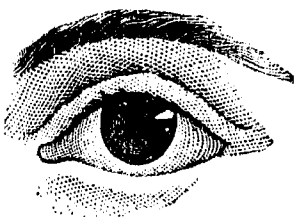
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PERSONAL

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

Miss Esther Hulsart, of Dover, is visiting Mrs. C. J. Agan.

Mr. Merritt Brown, of Spotswood, spent Monday in this city.

W. J. Donnell and family will spend September at Asbury Park.

J. T. Dill, of Main street, was an Ocean Grove visitor the past week.

Mr. John Ellison, of David street, is entertaining his aunt from Virginia.

Miss Leonard, of August street, is visiting in Brooklyn for a few days.

Miss Nellie Baney, of Jersey City, is the guest of relatives in this city.

William Irwin, of this city, spent Sunday last with his uncle at Dayton.

Russell Traywin, of Newark, is visiting his grandparents in this city.

Miss Media Everitt, of Bordertown avenue, is sojourning at Atlantic City.

Miss Edna Agan has returned after spending her vacation at Ocean Grove.

Master Thomas Hines, of Brooklyn, is visiting relatives on George street.

Raymond Green, of Second street, was a Burlington visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Klunk, of Bordertown avenue, was a Coney Island visitor Wednesday.

Mr. John Buchanan, of Second street, was an Old Bridge visitor Monday.

Miss Nettie Watson, of Elizabeth, has been spending the week in this city.

Mrs. Harry Scully, of John street, is entertaining relatives from Jersey City.

Mrs. J. Brown, of John street, has been spending a few days at Manasquan.

Mr. J. L. Irwin, of Main street, was the guest of friends in New Brunswick Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mullane are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelly, of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Charles Peterson, of George street, was an Asbury Park visitor Wednesday.

Miss Eliza Scully, of John street, is being entertained by relatives in Jersey City.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Van Pelt and daughter were Highland Beach visitors on Saturday.

Master Howard King, of Main street, has returned after a few days spent at Ocean Grove.

Miss Jennie Hendrickson, of Bordertown avenue, has been visiting at Asbury Park.

Miss Florence Parisen has returned from a pleasant vacation spent at Lambertville.

Mrs. E. C. Roddy returned from Ocean Grove Friday, after spending a vacation there.

Mr. Louis Stults, of George street, spent the week end with friend at Point Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sexton and daughter were visitors at Asbury Park on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Mason, Jr., have been sojourning at Asbury Park the past week.

Mr. Chas. T. Grace and family are off on a vacation in Pennsylvania near Frenchtown.

Master Charles Massey, of Broadway, is spending the summer with relatives at Mt. Holly.

Mrs. and Mrs. Leslie Sheppard, of Church street, are spending their vacation at Cedarville.

Prof. Paul S. Muller and wife have returned home from their vacation spent at Gettysburg.

Miss Bernyce Borgart, of George street, has returned after a pleasant week at Asbury Park.

Miss Amy Beck, of Millville, has been the guest of Antoinette

Mr. Clifford McLaughlin, of New Brunswick, visited friends in town Monday evening.

Mrs. O. Stylander, of Brooklyn, spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Nilson of Henry street.

Mrs. Arthur Hines, of Brooklyn, spent Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. Tierney of George street.

Edwin Jaques, of John street, has returned home from a vacation spent in traveling in the North.

Mr. John Whalen has been working at New Brunswick, the past week for the Raritan River Railroad.

Miss Hazel Gardner, of Perth Amboy, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Magnuson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Spice and family, of George street, enjoyed Wednesday at Coney Island.

Mr. Howard Ervin, of George street has accepted a position with the Public Service Railway Company.

Mr. Mahlon Atkinson, of Schenectady, N. Y., is spending his vacation with relatives on George street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sprague, of Second street, entertained Mr. F. DeWorth, of Trenton, the past week.

Mrs. Charles Autenreth, of Arlington, is being entertained by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Parison.

F. A. Deacon, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., returned Wednesday from a vacation spent at Ocean Grove.

Miss Bessie Hoken, of Helmetta, spent from Saturday until Monday with her aunt, Miss Betty Johnson.

Mr. I. F. Patterson of Brooklyn, and Mr. Joe Warren, of Watertown, N. Y., were visitors in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Bertram Longstreet, of Trenton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Compton, of Main street.

Mr. Joseph Terwilliger, of Long Branch, was entertained by relatives on George street over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Orr, of Bordertown avenue are entertaining Mrs. Orr's father, Mr. Moore, of Pottsville, Pa.

W. W. Goldberg, N. Natchen and Samuel Kinstlinger were sight-seeing in New York city on Tuesday evening.

Miss Iona Deats, of Main street, will enter a Newark Hospital this week to study the professions of a trained nurse.

Miss Mae Compton is spending her vacation at Ocean Grove and expects to return some time today or tomorrow.

Mrs. Kennedy and daughter, Mary, of Englishtown, visited the former's sister, Miss Betty Johnson, over the week end.

Mr. Ambrose Atkinson, of Schenectady, N. Y., who has been visiting relatives in town, left Tuesday for Lansford, Pa.

Miss Nellie Wilson and Miss Minnie Straub returned Saturday evening from a two weeks' vacation spent at Palenville, N. Y.

Mrs. August Blum and children who are staying at Ocean Grove, spent the week end at home, returning Tuesday morning to the shore.

Mr. James French, of Bordertown avenue, is on his vacation. During his absence his position is being filled by Lee Morgan, of David street.

Mrs. H. Sundstrom and daughter, Astrid, of Brooklyn, have returned home after a pleasant week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Nilson, of Henry St.

T. W. Barnes, of Gorgona, Canal Zone, Panama, is spending his vacation among friends in this city. Wallie is looking well, and says he likes it on the Zone.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearce, Carl Straub, Mrs. George Applegate, Mrs. John Irwin, Mrs. C. I. Bergen, Mr. and Mrs. William Pearce, of this city; Mrs. Vincent Conover, of Trenton, and Mrs. Winifred Voorhees of Hightstown were among the promenaders on the board walk at Asbury Park, on Monday.

Between Two Loves, An Atchison young man who owns a motor car and has been courting a girl several years has decided he can't afford to keep a car and a wife both, and up to the hour the Globe went to had taken no steps to dispose

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of Chosen Freeholders at their room in the County Record Building at New Brunswick, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock, p. m., for paving Ferry street, in the Borough of South River, according to plans and specifications on file at the office of Thos. H. Hagerty, County Collector, New Brunswick, N. J., and at the office of Alvin B. Fox, Perth Amboy, N. J.

A deposit of Five (\$5.00) Dollars will be required for copies of plans which will be refunded upon the return of same in good condition to either of the above officers.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300.00, payable to the order of Thos. H. Hagerty, County Collector, without any conditional endorsements, which check shall be forfeited if the successful bidder fails to enter into contract and bond within ten days from the award of the bid.

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Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100.00, payable to the order of Thos. H. Hagerty, County Collector, without any conditional endorsements, which check shall be forfeited if the successful bidder fails to enter into contract and bond within ten days from the award of the bid.

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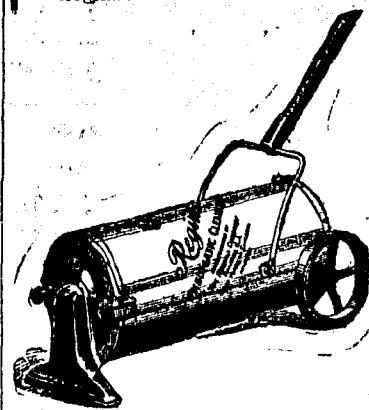
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WEEKLY LETTER TO FARMERS.

(By F. R. Stevens, Agriculturist,
Lehigh Valley Railroad.)

I have not forgotten that once before I wrote about drains on the farm, but the matter is of so much importance that it will not be amiss to call your attention to it again. The subject has been called to my mind at this time especially because, as I said in a recent letter, much of this season's loss of alfalfa may be traced directly to the lack of drainage.

There is a common opinion that only those farms that are low and flat need draining and that farms on the hills with sloping fields have a natural drainage that is sufficient. It is often true that the low flat farm needs drainage more imperatively than the farm on the hills, but it is also true that few farms, even on the hills, are so well drained naturally that some fields cannot be tiled with decided profit to the owner. It is texture of soil rather than situation that determines the need of drainage. The advantages of drainage may be summed up briefly as follows:

1. It increases the yield of the farm by enlarging the area that may be tilled. Oftentimes by proper drainage several acres, up to that time useless, are added to the tillable land on the farm. They also increase from 25 to 100 per cent. the yield from fields that have been tilled but have been too wet to produce normal crops. I have in mind a piece of land now planted with corn. This field, about an acre, has a main drain running along one side and several laterals running into this main at right angles with it and about forty feet apart. It is not an exaggeration to say that along these laterals directly over them and near to them there is ten times as much corn as at points midway between them. Ultimately the water will find its way to the drain from all parts of this field and all of it will be equally productive. Assuming this to be so, that field will produce ten times as much as it did before it was drained.

2. Drains make the production of a crop more certain. Well drained fields do not fail to yield a harvest even in a wet season.

3. They make it possible to work the land one or two weeks earlier in the season. We do not have to wait until water from the Spring rains evaporate or soak into the subsoil. In well drained fields the surplus water soon runs off through the drains and the soil is ready for plow or harrow.

As to the construction of drain several questions arise which I answer here briefly. Full information with details may be found in Farmer's Bulletin No. 354 U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. The best drain is of vitrified clay tile. Use the vitrified so as to escape action of frost which will destroy the soft burned porous tile. Stone may be used in constructing drains but tile is quite as cheap when labor of laying and gathering stone is considered.

In our soil drains should be from two to three feet, deep, should have a uniform fall of at least two inches to one hundred feet and should be from thirty to fifty feet apart. The size of tile must be determined by the amount of water to be carried, but in general it is better to have tile only large enough to carry the water, as small tile flush more readily than the large.

Care must be taken to screen all outlets and to keep them open. It is clear that if they be stopped the drains are useless.

Fortunately, with us only a part of the farm needs to be drained, as a rule. I am sure if you will take one field where drainage is poor and put in tile this fall, the increase of yield will be such that the matter of good drainage on your farm will be only a question of time.

To Clean the Soles of Shoes.

Get your druggist to make a solution of orange shellac and alcohol, and with a small brush apply this carefully to the heels and soles of your white shoes whenever the latter are polished. It leaves a satiny finish, and a ten-cent bottle has lasted considerably over a year.—Woman's Home Companion.

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Sporting Comment.

Athletics Put South River in the Dumps

In the best game that they have played this year the Athletics trimmed South River in the deciding game last Sunday afternoon, to the tune of 7 to 1. The game itself went to an extra session before it finally ended as the score was tied from the fourth inning on.

"Ackie" pitched a nice game allowing only eight hits and striking out eleven men, while the boys played perfectly behind their old Star hurler, in spite of the umpire who, by the way, gave about the rottenest exhibition of baseball arbitration that fan-dum has ever seen.

Mullen, the South River nine's captain, turned his team up side down for this game, but it didn't help matters much for the locals had invaded the town with a confident air and started things to happening right from the call of "play ball." Andy was right on the job receiving and the old war horse Dave was also very much in evidence around first. Render distinguished himself in right field and Murray played fast in center. Mox was right there at third and Eddie's playing around second was great stuff. Buckley at short didn't look at all like his first game this year, for the way he dug 'em up out of the dirt was pretty to see.

It is said that South River's hopes were based on this game and that they will not play any more now that they lost to their ancient enemies, South Amboy. Someone said that Andy's base throwing wasn't what it used to be, and it looked like Phillips had his goat at the bat. Grimes, of the South River team, put up a fast game and some of his plays were truly remarkable. If the South River lads had stood up to the plate they might have done a little better with their clubs.

Ackie's triple in the tenth inning struck the left field fence and bounced far into the field. A few inches higher and Ackie would have been the second man to put a fair ball over that fence, only one other being slammed over so far.

There were about four hundred rooters accompanying the team, and they were unusually quiet for them. There seemed to be more rooters from South Amboy than from South River.

Mullen pulled off a funny one in the tenth when he ordered Phillips to walk Dave. The catcher stepped out from behind and took five balls one of which was a strike, then Phillips hit Dave in the head with one of his swiftest offerings. Dave was unconscious for quite some time, and when the game was resumed the boys went in for revenge and touched Phillips' big league delivery for the double and the brace of singles that put the game on ice.

Jim O'Connors hid in the grand stand, but was called upon to officiate on the bases where he gave his usual grade of service.

Here's the game as she was played: First Inning.—Keating drew a pass and stole second, and took third on Phillips' wild throw to the sack. Borlund struck out and Eddie scored on Ackie's high foul to left. Campton struck out. One run.

Green hit over second for a single. Grimes batted a swift one by Mox for a single, Green taking third Mullen drew a pass filling the sacks. Armstrong hit through third scoring Green and Grimes. Miller hit to Keating for a fielders choice and Eddie got Mullen coming home. Heiberger struck out and Sulu flew out to right. Two runs.

Second Inning.—Connell raised a Texas to right and took second on a pass ball by Green. Buckley hit a fielders choice to first but Mox beat the throw to third. Render struck out and Delany scored Mox on a high foul to left. Murray hit a fast grounder and took second on a wild throw to first. Buckley scoring on the hit. Keating was out on an infield fly that Green picked up. Two runs. Raymond lifted a high fly to Render, Ackie struck Phillips out. Green waited and drew a pass and then stole second. Mullen whiffed. No runs.

Third Inning.—Andy fanned, Ackie got a base when Phillips hit him in the back. Campton's grounder towards second took a bad bounce over Heiberger's head and Ackie's runner scored. Armstrong threw high to first and Dave took second and third. Mox waited for a walk and started for second. Dave was caught coming home with a fake throw to get Mox. Buckley missed the third. One run.

Armstrong batted to Keating and was caught out at first. Ackie whiffed Miller but walked Heiberger. Sulu struck out. No runs.

Fourth Inning.—Phillips struck Render out again, Delany gave Grimes a spectacular put out with a fly back of short. Murray fanned. No runs.

Raymond struck out Phillips tripped for his first hit, Green doubled over first scoring Phillips taking third on a wide throw. Grimes flied out to Connell, Green coming home on the slow play. Mullen put Keating to Campton. Two runs.

Fifth Inning.—Keating was out on a swift one to second. Andy raised an easy fly to Grimes. Ackie also flied out to Grimes at short. No runs.

Armstrong out on a slow grounder Keating to Campton. Miller flied out to Delany. Ackie struck Heiberger out on three pitched balls. No runs.

Sixth Inning.—Campton hit safely by short after lifting half a dozen fouls. Mox struck out. Dave was caught trying to pilfer second. Buckley also struck out. No runs.

Sulu and Raymond fanned and Phillips was easy for Eddie to get at first. No runs.

Seventh Inning.—Render waited and Ackie walked him. Delany sacrificed Render to second. Murray fouled out to Mullen. Phillips fanned Keating. No runs.

Green flied, Connell to Campton. Grimes fouled back of the plate and Andy got it. Mullen hit to short right and Render wasn't fast enough to get under. Armstrong flied out to Delany. No runs.

Eighth Inning.—Andy whiffed again. Ackie batted a swift one down to second but Grimes scooped it for an assist. Campton missed his third strike. No runs.

Miller waited for a chase in which about all the players had a hand. Non was run down. Heiberger raised a foul to Connell. Ackie hit Sulu. Raymond batted into a fielders choice and Connell took Sulu at second. No runs.

Ninth Inning.—Connell fanned. Buckley drew a base on balls. Render lifted a foul that gave Green the put out. Delany swatted one to Phillips that was too hot to handle. Phil knocked it down to save his face but couldn't recover in time to get his man. Murray flied to Heiberger. No runs.

Ackie fanned Phillips and Green. Grimes singled through short and tried to steal second. Andy threw high and Keating just swung it down in time to get Grimes when he didn't slide. No runs.

Tenth Inning.—Keating hit straight to Heiberger but he let it get through his legs. Eddie thought that Green dropped the ball and started for second. Heiberger caught him a mile away. Andy struck out again and Ackie tripped to the field fence. Phillips was afraid of Campton and tried to walk him, ending up by hitting the renowned first baseman in the head with the ball. Connell scored Ackie's runner with a short single to right and took second on the throw to the plate. Buckley doubled to right and scored Mox. Render got his first hit through short scoring Buckley who had stolen second. Delany hit to Grimes and was out at first. Three runs.

Mullen hit safely down the first base line. Armstrong hit a liner to Keating for a double play on Mullen off first. Miller hit to Buckley and was safe on a short throw. Heiberger out on an infield ball, Ackie to Campton. No runs.

The score in detail:
South River
AB R H P O A E
Green c. 4 2 2 16 4 0
Grimes, ss. 4 1 2 6 2 0
Mullen, 1b. 4 0 2 4 0 0
Armstrong, lf. 5 0 1 2 0 0
Miller, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Heiberger, 2b. 4 0 0 1 1 1
Sulu, cf. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Raymond, rf. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Phillips, p. 4 1 1 1 1 0
Totals 36 4 8 30 8 1

Athletics
AB R H P O A E
Keating 2b. 4 1 0 4 5 0
Borlund, c. 5 0 0 12 1 0
Atkinson, p. 4 2 2 1 1 0
Campton, 1b. 4 1 1 2 0 0
Connell, 2b. 4 2 2 0 1 0
Buckley, ss. 4 1 2 0 2 0
Render, cf, 1b. 4 0 1 2 0 0
Delany, lf. 5 0 1 0 0 0
M. Borlund, lf. 4 0 1 2 0 0
Canton, cf. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals 38 7 10 30 10 0

Score by Innings:
Athletics 1 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 3—7
South River 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 4—4
Three base hits—Phillips, Green, Atkinson. Stolen bases—Keating, Green, Armstrong. Sacrifice hit—Delany. Struck out by Phillips, 14; by Atkinson, 11; Base on balls off Phillips, 4; off Atkinson, 5. Left on bases, South River, 8, South Amboy, 6. Umpires, Armstrong and Connors.

RED BANK WINS SHOOT.

The Riverside Gun Club of Red Bank defeated the Freehold Gun Club by three targets in the six-man team shoot for the championship of New Jersey, held at Stedler's Beach, Saturday afternoon. The event was scratch at fifty birds each man. The traps were located on the beach and the targets were sent flying over Raritan Bay.

The Freehold team captured the championship at the State shoot at the Riverside Gun Club in June. A month later the Riverside club challenged the champions for the trophy. Albert L. Ivins and J. Frank James, of the Riverside club, were tied for high man of the day. Each broke forty-six targets, Abe Bennett broke forty-five, Edward Von Kattengell forty-four, B. R. Shanley forty-two and E. M. Cooper forty-one. The three and six-man State championships are now held by the Riverside club. They are subject to challenge every thirty days by any club in the State.

BASEBALL IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

John Archer's bun, with men on second and third bases in the last half of the ninth inning Sunday, won the game for the Brunswicks against the Philadelphia Glants by the score of 4 to 3. There was a slim crowd at the game, but 450 attending.

Nearly 800 witnessed the game on Saturday between the Michelin Tire and Johnson & Johnson teams in the Factory League. The Johnson team suffered its first defeat of the series, losing by a score of 5 to 4.

The Simplex nine defeated the Cigar Shop, 8 to 2. Pitcher Hugh Geoghan, for the winning team, had sixteen strike-outs.

The Fruit Jar boys won over the Lamp and Bronze nine, 6 to 0, and Refrigerator defeated Middleshoe, 15 to 4. Janeway & Carpenter lost to the Public Service, 2 to 0.

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Detroit, Mich., Aug. 22.—Not to be outdone by other American League clubs recently reported to have paid large sums for new players, President Navin, of the Detroit Base Ball team, announced Monday the purchase of Pitcher Constock from the Minneapolis club of the American Association.

He is said to have cost Detroit \$10,000 in cash and players. It was not announced what members of the Detroit team will go to Minneapolis in exchange.

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Dated June 14, 1913.
FRANCIS P. KIRBY,
Administrator.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice, that the Subscriber, executor, etc., of William J. Marshall, deceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the fifth day of September, 1913, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April, 1913, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate.

Dated July 21, 1913.
FREDERICK DIERBERT,
Executor.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice, that the Subscriber, Executor, etc., of Thomas Broderick, deceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the twenty-ninth day of August, 1913, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April, 1913, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate.

Dated July 22, 1913.
JOHN S. COAKLEY,
Executor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY—Between the Star Building and Loan Association of South Amboy, N. J., complainant and George A. Thomas, et al. defendants, Pl. Fa. for sale of mortgaged premises dated July 24, 1913.

By virtue of the above stated writ to me directed and delivered, I will expose to sale at public vendue on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER THIRD, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Sheriff's Office, in the City of New Brunswick, New Jersey.

All tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of Sayreville or City of South Amboy, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey. To wit, a tract in the city of South Amboy.

Beginning one hundred feet from the Southeast corner of Alpine and Wilmurt Streets, thence (1) along Wilmurt street Southerly one hundred feet, thence (2) parallel with Alpine Street Easterly one hundred feet to centre of block, thence (3) Northerly along the said centre line of block one hundred feet to the corner of lot number three, thence (4) along the line of lots numbers three and four and five and six one hundred feet to the place of beginning. The said piece of land being designated as lots numbers seven, eight, nine and ten on block one on map of lots surveyed by Andrew J. Disbrow, and now known as Mechanicsville, and formerly owned by Sarah Wilmurt, said tract of land was conveyed to the Methodist Episcopal Church of South Amboy party of the first part by Albert Roll, widower, by deed dated the 14th day of October A. D. 1892 and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County of Middlesex on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1893 in book 253 of deeds page 358.

SECOND TRACT: All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the township of Sayreville now the city of South Amboy in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, Bounded and described as follows: Consisting of lots numbered eleven, twelve and thirteen on block D as laid down on a map entitled "Map of lots at South Amboy, Mechanicsville, surveyed for Messrs. Dey and Roll in 1866 and 1881 and protracted by a scale of one hundred feet to the inch by A. J. Disbrow," surveyor said lots each being twenty-five feet front and rear and one hundred and ten feet deep more or less.

THIRD TRACT: Being in the township of Sayreville, Middlesex county, N. J., beginning at a point one hundred and eleven feet from the corner of Ridgeway avenue and Raritan street in the Borough (now city) of South Amboy and running thence (1) Northerly along said Ridgeway Avenue fifty-one feet and six inches and thence (2) Easterly eighty-seven feet and ten inches thence (3) Southerly fifty feet to the line of Louis Borlund, thence (4) along the said lands of Louis Borlund one hundred feet to the place of beginning the said Ridgeway Avenue.

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

Joel Parker Council, No. 63, Jr. O. U. M., meets every Friday evening, in Knights of Pythias Hall, Councilor, M. Lee Stults; Recording Secretary, A. R. Chatten.

Gorm Lodge, No. 86, D. B. S.—Regular meetings second and fourth Fridays of each month at 8 p. m., in Borden's Hall. President, Louis Borlund, Jr.; Secretary, Jens Thompson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; Treasurer, John S. Lund.

Star of Jersey Lodge, No. 184, B. of L. E. and E., meets in Welch's Hall, First and Third Sundays of each month at 2 p. m. J. E. Pippett, President; L. D. Worley, Financial Secretary and Treasurer; F. L. Hawes, Recording Secretary.

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. William W. Anderson, president; Charles S. Backelov, vice-president; Bert Lamberton, Master of Forms; John Francis, financial secretary; Joseph E. Pippett, recording secretary; Joseph Hubbard, chaplain; Peter J. Cassidy, treasurer.

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. Ethel Stults; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada Ware.

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

Protection Engine Company meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at Engine House, Bergen Hill, at 7:30 p. m. President, William Birmingham; Treasurer, Michael Welch; Foreman, Patrick Conway; Secretary, Francis Stanton.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 96, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Grand, Syrus E. Davis; Secretary, Charles P. Thomas; Financial Secretary, Adolph Steiner.

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.

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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, Joseph E. Christoph; Keeper of Records and Seals, William A. Chapman.

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United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Local 1892, meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month in People's Hall, Sayreville. President, Benjamin Crabell; Vice-President, Fred Keonig; Recording Secretary, Fred Johnson; Financial Secretary, Frank M. Irwin; Treasurer, Charles Englehart.

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ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

Edward Agan is suffering from a badly broken arm.

The old offices of Yardmaster Grace have been razed.

The Jolly Morgan club will hold their annual clam bake to-morrow.

Special Officer Maxfield is on the sick list and John Quain is filling his place.

Patrick Fallon has filed his petition as a candidate for freeholder on the Democratic ticket.

It is currently reported that Rev. George Kane has accepted a call to the Presbyterian Church at Audubon.

The Rev. H. M. P. Pearse, rector of Christ Church, has returned from his vacation with health much improved.

Court Raritan No. 44, P. of A., will hold their annual clam bake at Roberts' Crossing on Sunday, September 14.

The excursion of the M. E. Sunday School last Wednesday to Ocean Grove was one grand success, and largely patronized.

Charles Timmins has placed a flagstone walk in front of his property on Broadway, which is a great improvement.

Wheeler Bros. have raised the house of Mrs. Cox on George street, preparatory for the masons to build up the foundation.

It is said that the "dark horse" for councilman in First Ward on the Democratic ticket will soon loom up prominently before the people. Who can it be?

Architect Jensen, of Perth Amboy, was in this city Monday taking notes for plans of the new building that is to replace the old Leavy Building on Broadway.

Fine peaches are selling for \$1.10 a basket at Burlington. A number of local people are taking advantage of this opportunity for laying in a few for the winter's canning.

All members of the South Amboy Yacht Club are specially requested to attend regular meeting next Monday night. Important matters to be considered.—W. A. Chapman, secretary.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Constance Gordon Kerr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Kerr, to Mr. Aertsen Parry Keasbey, to take place at Christ Church on Wednesday, September 3.

The Sacred Heart Parish will hold at picnic at Stevensdale on Labor Day. New attractions will be presented. A feature will be a fine chicken dinner. All will find pleasure by spending Labor Day at the picnic.

The Central Railroad of New Jersey will run an excursion from this city to West Point and Newburg on September 7, by train and fast steamer "Asbury Park." Fare \$1.15; children, 60c. See adv. in another column.

An excursion under the auspices of the Central Railroad of New Jersey will be run from this city to Atlantic City on September 11. Several hours allowed at the seashore. Fare, round trip, only \$2.50. See adv. for further particulars.

The annual Rhode Island clam bake tendered by the South Amboy Terra Cotta Company to its employees will be held on the Bank's farm this Saturday afternoon. The games will take place between 10 and 11 o'clock in the morning.

The Past Councilors' Association, Jr. O. U. A. M. of Middlesex county, held their annual outing at Sedler's Beach on Tuesday afternoon. There was a large number in attendance, and all round great pleasure during time spent at the beach.

Mr. Fred Wheeler and family returned home Sunday from a ten day's sojourn at Highland Beach. While there they made their headquarters in Norton Wheeler's power boat, which is roomy and comfortable. They report a most delightful time.

The Rev. Joseph Y. Irwin and wife, of Port Jervis, N. Y., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Phil, of Fourth street.

Mr. Irwin was formerly pastor of the Baptist church of Second street which he served for a long time.

An automobile deliberately bumped into a trolley car on Broadway last Saturday afternoon. It was coming down Henry street, and in turning skidded against the car. Fortunately no one was injured, but the auto was considerably worse off by the bump.

J. C. Potthoff, executor, is offering the estate of the late Mrs. Margaret Rea for sale. It consists of an eight room house, gas and sewer connection, and two lots, barn and small buildings, in Augusta street.

John Parker, an iron worker, who was taken from Morgan to the Monmouth Memorial Hospital at Long Branch suffering with lockjaw, died at the hospital on Friday night of last week. This makes the second death due to the touching of a live wire at the county bridge at Morgan.

On Thursday a team of horses owned by Martin Wiatr was driven on the city dock where the wagon was loaded with old lumber. The driver had tied the lines to the wheel of the wagon and started the horses to backing, and they obeyed the order so well that the rear wheels passed over the string-piece, upsetting the lumber and driving into the water.

John White, of 83 Augusta street, is now with the Thomas West Company, furniture dealers, of Perth Amboy, having secured an excellent position as general salesman and advertising writer. Without doubt Mr. White will make good with this firm, as he has qualifications to fit him for the work, having had considerable experience in selling goods, and has a suave way of meeting people.

Mrs. Alfred Anderson, a former resident of South Amboy, but now of Perth Amboy, left for Redlands, California, Wednesday, August 20th, 1913, to visit her daughter, Laura, who has been spending a few months at Redlands, Cal., with her grandmother and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bastedo. Little Laura Anderson who went to Redlands for her health has improved wonderfully, and is in the best of health.

Goes good hot or goes good cold Yacht Club Coffee sold by Brown Brothers' Tea Co.

Martine Believes Fielder to be Logical Candidate

Washington, Aug. 21.—United States Senator James E. Martine, who was one of the first to champion the Witt-penn cause, now declares that Governor Fielder is the logical candidate for the Democrats to nominate for Governor. At his Washington offices today he authorized the following statement to the people of New Jersey:—"The political situation in New Jersey has developed to a point where every Democrat may clearly and easily see and do his duty. Acting Governor Fielder is, in my judgment, the man whose nomination will bring an administration satisfactory alike to the Democratic party and the people of the splendid old State of New Jersey."

"I have known Governor Fielder all through his public career. I knew him as a young man before he entered public life. I knew his splendid father before him. While I love and honor many men, there is none in whom I have greater confidence or for whom I feel a warmer affection. I know he will do honor to the party I love. I know he will do justice to the people of the State I love. I know they will all be proud of him as their Governor."

"Governor Fielder's long record in both houses of the Legislature is not only one unimpeachable in purpose, but is filled with acts in the interest of mankind. The Democratic party of New Jersey is familiar with his record and will triumphantly nominate him in September, and I believe that he will be overwhelmingly elected in November. I trust every loyal friend I have in grand old New Jersey will not only vote for but will work for the nomination of that lovable character, Jim. Fielder."

Many a courtship has been converted into a battleship.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

MARIA F. MEINZER AND EDWARD BARKER, Executors of Frank Meinzer, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Frank Meinzer to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred of any action therefor against the said executors.

Dated August 20, 1913.
MARIA F. MEINZER
and EDWARD BARKER
Executors. 8-23-9

Public Notice!

Sale of Property for Unpaid Taxes

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by Jonathan Bright, Collector of the Township of Sayreville, County of Middlesex, that he will sell at public sale all the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and real estate herein-after mentioned, for the shortest term for which any person or persons will agree to take the same and pay the tax lien thereon, including interest and costs of sale.

The said sale will take place at the Town Hall, on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27th, 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m., the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate so to be sold, and the names of the persons against whom said same, and the amount of taxes laid on account of each parcel, are as follows, viz.:

Boroughs, William H., 20 acres farm land.....\$ 8 35
Cox, David, 1 bldg. at Morgan 1 67
Perlie, Wm., 1 house and lot 10 19
Pink, Mrs. Minnie C., 1 house and barn and 30 acres land 50 10
Garrison, Wm., 1 bldg. at Morgan 1 67
Morominskie, 2 lots..... 2 67
Kratkoskie, Chas. 1 house & lot 7 68
Kurtz, Caroline, 2 lots..... 1 67
Lunkie, Emil, 1 acre land.... 1 67
Mertel, Wm., 1 house and lot.. 1 84
Morgan, Mrs. S. W., 1 house and 6 acres land..... 23 21
Mills, James, Jr., 1 house & lot 6 68
Pulaskie Land Co., 128 lots.. 26 72
Szera, Stephen, 1 house & lot.. 7 35
Speaker, Ernest, 2 lots..... 1 67

Dated at Sayreville, N. J., July 31, 1913.
(Signed) JONATHAN BRIGHT,
Collector.

NICHOLS' STUDIO
HIGHEST CLASS Portraiture

Stevens Avenue, near Henry Street.
South Amboy, N. J.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of Chosen Freeholders at their room in the County Record Building at New Brunswick, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock, p. m., for repairs to the trestle, fenders and ice breakers on the Amboy Bridge over the Raritan River, according to plans and specifications on file at the office of Thomas H. Hagerty, County Collector, New Brunswick, N. J., and at the office of Alvin B. Fox, Perth Amboy, N. J.

A deposit of Five (\$5.00) Dollars will be required for copies of specifications which will be refunded upon the return of same in good condition to either of the above offices.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$300.00 payable to the order of Thos. H. Hagerty, County Collector, without and conditional endorsements, which check shall be forfeited if the successful bidder fails to enter into contract and bond within ten days from the award of the bid.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids if in their opinion it is to the best interest of the County so to do.

A. J. GERHARDT, Director.
Attest: ASHER W. BISSETT, Clerk. 8-16-3

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock, p. m., for the construction of a Steel and Concrete Bridge on Ferry street, South River, N. J., according to plans and specifications on file at the office of Thos. H. Hagerty, County Collector, New Brunswick, N. J., and at the office of Alvin B. Fox, Perth Amboy, N. J.

A deposit of Five (\$5.00) Dollars will be required for copies of specifications which will be refunded upon the return of same in good condition to either of the above offices.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of \$100.00, payable to the order of Thos. H. Hagerty, County Collector, without any conditional endorsements, which check shall be forfeited if the successful bidder fails to enter into contract and bond within ten days from the award of the bid.

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NOTICE

Meeting of Commissioners of Assessment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Commissioners of Assessment of the City of South Amboy will meet at the City Hall in said city on Friday, September 5, 1913, at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of hearing all parties interested in a certain public improvement, to wit: The laying of sidewalks on both sides of David street, between Broadway and Stevens avenue; also the curbing of said street.

RICHARD M. MACK,
City Clerk. 8-23-2

Brown Bros. Specials!

You never saw our advertisement offering more good things to buy at very attractive prices than this week. We advise you to read it carefully and profit thereby.

Specials from Saturday to Tuesday (INCLUSIVE)

Granulated Sugar, lb. - 5c
With other groceries, no stamps.

Lean Cali. Hams, lb. - 13½c

Fancy Bacon, lean and tender, lb. 22c

Hershey's Cocoa, ½ lb. box 15c

Babbitt's Best Soap, 7 cakes 25c

Pure Lard, lb. - 14½c

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg. 9c

CELULOID STARCH large pkg. - 8c
small pkg. - 4c

STAMP SPECIALS

\$1.00 in stamps with following: Bixby's Shoe Polish, bot., 10c
Imperial Root Beer Ex. bot 10c
2 Cakes Lenox Soap..... 10c
Corn Starch, pkg..... 10c

\$2.00 in stamps with following: Vanilla or Lemon Ex. bot., 20c
3 Bottles Catsup..... 30c
2 Cans Corn..... 20c
2 Packages Macaroni.... 20c

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Sept. 11, 1913

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For full details consult Ticket Agents or write or phone
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OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL.

FOR RENT.
A RENT—House, six rooms, on John t. near shore. Apply to Peter Coyne, 8-24-11.
JR RENT—House, six rooms, on Catharine street. Apply to Mrs. H. J. Berrien. 8-16-11.
FOR RENT—Flat, four large rooms, gas, bath, all improvements, on Bordentown avenue. Apply to S. Lerner. 8-17-11.
FLAT TO LET on David street—P. J. Monaghan. 1-11-11.
FOR RENT—Store, 192 Broadway, P. F. Kenah. 7-4-11.
FOR RENT—Rooms in Parison Building. Steam heat, electric light and water. Inquire on premises. 8-17-11.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Four houses, all improvements, good location. Apply to A. Steiner, 25 Church street. 8-16-11.
FOR SALE—Nine room house, cellar under whole house, gas, city water, and three lots on George street, known as the Edwards property. Could be made into a two-family house with but little expense. Make an offer. Apply at Citizen office. 8-17-11.
FOR SALE—Five lots on Second street. Will sell single lots if desired. A. Steiner, 25 Church street. 1-5-11.
FOR SALE—A special bargain in a nine room house and 3 lots, city water and gas or electric lights. Also 6 room house, fine yard with flowers and fruit. Gas, hot and cold water, large stationary range. Also several special farm bargains ranging from six acres upwards. 22 lots in Block 41 bis, at a sacrifice price. All lots are extra size, some as deep as 200 feet. Charles S. Buckelew 8-25-11.

TO PROPERTY OWNERS—I make a specialty of managing estates and collecting rents, and can collect your rents better than you can collect your own. I will take charge of your repairs and collect for 5 per cent. You have no trouble chasing delinquents. You come to my office on the 10th of each month and get an itemized statement and check in full. Wm. H. Parison, real estate and insurance, 169 Broadway, South Amboy, N. J. 8-11-12.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Roll Top Desk and Postal Typewriter. J. Alfred Johnson, 187 Terra Cotta Co. 8-16-11.
WE STORE YOUR furniture in airy rooms. Reasonable rates. Money advanced on storage receipts. Millers' Furniture Store, 345-347 State St. cor. Fayette, Perth Amboy, N. J. 6-10.
MONEY TO LOAN in sums of \$100, \$200, \$500, \$1000 and up to \$2,000. Inquire at Law Office of John A. Lovely, 149 Broadway. apply to J. A. Coan, P. O. Building.
FOR SALE—A baby carriage, up-to-date, A-1 condition. Address for full particulars to L. P. O. Box 486, South Amboy. 7-5-11.
SONG WRITERS—Send us your song poems, or musical compositions. We will publish on a 50 per cent. royalty basis if available. Thousands of dollars have been paid to successful song writers. Why not get your share? We have the largest and best proposition. Write us now. Music written to your words or words written to your music without charge. Send for our two new numbers: "Would You" and "What Would You Do?" Ten cents each postpaid. Johnson-Lyons, Music Publishers, writers and dealers, 338 10th St. N. E., Washington, D. C. Send for free book.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A bright office boy over 16 years of age. Apply at South Amboy Terra Cotta Co. 9-30-11.
WANTED—Girl, about 15 or 16 years of age, for light housework. E. R. Brown, 184 Main street. 6-28-11.
WANTED—A woman to do washing half-day a week. Address L. P. O. Box 486, South Amboy. 7-5-11.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED—A strong Polish girl desires position at general housework. Address P. O. Box 382, or call phone 40, South Amboy, N. J. 7-19-11.

MOTOR CYCLES AND MOTOR BOATS

FOR SALE—1913 Model, Motor Cycles and Motor Boats at bargain prices, all makes, brand new machines, on easy monthly payment plan. Get our proposition before buying or you will regret it, also bargains in used Motor Cycles. Write us today. Enclose stamp for reply. Address Lock Box 11, Trenton, Mich. 7-28-10.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Sunday, August 24, a pair of spectacles. Suitable reward, if returned to Mrs. John Dayton, George street. 8-30-11.

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Electrical Contractor
135 Stevens Ave. South Amboy
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this Fall? Instruction by competent University teachers, who have had years of experience, may be had at
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PERTH AMBOY, N. J.
to enter—NOW!

ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

The public schools will open on Tuesday next.
Mrs. Ada Hamilton is quite ill at her home on Main street.
Fielder lithographs are much in evidence about the city.
Mrs. E. Armbruster has been on the sick list the past week.
There will be a service at 10.30 a. m. on Sunday in the Presbyterian Church.
Harry B. Ware, of this city, is a candidate for coroner on the Prohibition ticket.
William H. Martin will furnish music for a dance at Spotswood next Monday night.
Dr. E. H. Eulner is having a new garage built in the rear of his residence on Henry street.
Morgan Station now shows signs of improvement. It has received its yearly coat of paint and looks quite natty.
Elias S. Mason will be a candidate at the primary election for nomination as freeholder on the Republican ticket.

Next Wednesday at Christ Church the wedding of Miss Constance Kerr to Mr. Aertsen Parry Keasbey will be solemnized.

William Moss Jr., and Raymond Chasey have been sojourning at Highland Beach this week in the power launch "Echo."

City Jailor James Donovan is enjoying his vacation at Sea Isle City. During his absence his position is being filled by William Maxfield.

Mrs. Robert P. Mason, on Thursday, while sojourning at Ocean Grove, became suddenly ill, and she was brought in an automobile to her home in this city.

The contractor on Stevens avenue will commence on Monday next to excavate for the concrete on Stevens avenue. They are about completing their storm sewer work.

The teachers of the public schools have been notified to meet at their respective school houses at 9 o'clock this Saturday morning, to receive their assignments and supplies.

Good Samaritan Lodge No. 52, K. of P., will hold a watermelon cut at the lodge room, on Wednesday night, September 10. A full attendance is desired, so that all may enjoy the treat.

William Schmidt of Schenectady, N. Y., has purchased of H. R. Hansen the fixtures and good will of his barber shop and will continue the business. Mr. Hansen and family expect to go to Minnesota.

Michael O'Brien's bakery delivery wagon was overturned in a ditch on Thursday, but John O'Brien, who was driving the wagon, and his two sisters escaped injury. The horse became frightened at an automobile.

Alice Keenan, the five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keenan, died on Friday morning of last week, following a brief illness. Interment was made on Monday, J. J. Scully acting as funeral director.

Bertha Geant was arrested by Police Chief McDonnell on Tuesday on complaint made by her neighbors of being drunk and disorderly. As this was not her first offense the woman was sent to the county jail for thirty days.

Last Saturday Dr. W. P. Moss took a party to Coney Island in his power launch "Echo." Those of his guests were G. W. Crane, Dr. E. H. Eulner, J. M. Parker, R. C. Stephenson, Wm. Moss, Jr., and Raymond Chasey. All report a grand time.

"Jack" Willett, of Morgan, went out fishing Monday. It was his first trip in two years, and the weakfish were so glad to see him on the old fishing grounds, that they came to the top of the water to shake hands with him. His boat landed 73 beauties that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Antone Wischeski and two Polish girls were arrested on Monday evening and brought before Justice Birmingham on charge of being disorderly. It appeared as though the woman was the offender, having been intoxicated. She was fined \$5.00.

Master Louis Trinley, of First street, entertained a large number of friends at his home on Thursday evening. All who attended the gathering had a delightful time, in games, music, etc. Refreshments were served.

While at Ocean Grove last week Benjamin Green walked into one of the meetings held there when he heard one of the hymns composed by him being sung. The leader noticed Mr. Green in the audience, and called upon him for a talk, when he made a brief address.

John Niederman is now serving fish dinners at his place of business at Morgan. According to the Newark Star all he has to do is to send some one to the dykes to wash a shirt, and immediately blue fish appear and are scooped in, and he, therefore, always has them fresh to serve.

S. W. Morrett, of Harrisburg, Pa., J. W. Willets, and Edward Bloodgood made the largest catch of the season off Morgan on Monday. They hooked 72 fish, 64 of which were large weakfish. Mr. Arthur Van Ness caught 27 this week, and Benny Robinson and Billie O'Donnell have been making very large catches.

Finding another man in company with his wife at his home on Monday, George Wallis started a quarrel which resulted in his receiving two severe cuts on the forehead and several other bruises about the body. Wallis secured a warrant on Monday night for the man, who he claimed was Henry Barclay. The man could not be found, but the police expect to corner him soon. Wallis was attended by Dr. Albright, who took six stitches over one eye, and three in the other wound.

Elias Stratton, who has lived in this city all his life, went to Burlington, purchased a few baskets of peaches and attempted to sell them among his friends, so as to make a few pennies in addition to his railroad pension. He was apprehended by Officer Church, and told to stop selling or get a license. Mr. Stratton was told that a complaint had been made against him. Under the strict observance of the ordinance Mr. Stratton should procure a license the same as other vendors, but this fact he never thought of as he does not make a regular practice of peddling. It is well to enforce the law but why was Mr. Stratton molested in his brief selling, when every day, grocers, butchers, coffee and tea men from out of town are allowed to deliver goods without even a sign of a license.

Congressman Tuttle Favors Gov. Fielder

WASHINGTON, August 27.—Congressman William E. Tuttle, Jr., who has all along been an enthusiastic supporter of Governor Fielder, gave out the following statement in defense of his making a pre-primary choice between the candidates for Governor.

"I regard James F. Fielder as the logical and inevitable candidate of the Democratic Party in New Jersey this Fall. His long experience in the houses of the Legislature, his familiarity with the details of the State's business, his conceded ability, courage and independence, his freedom from factional quarrels, his temperament and character, his progressive but rational tendencies, his identity with the new movement within our party, and his possession of the confidence of the people—all make him an ideal leader at this juncture."

"After many years in the opposition the Democrats have assumed the responsibility of administering the government in the nation and in the State. We need safe, sane and steady leaders to carry out the great Democratic policies for which we have so long contended. The work has been well begun in New Jersey and it is of the highest importance that there should be no turning back; it is of the highest importance that the successor of Woodrow Wilson should be a man strong in mind and purpose, equipped and qualified for a great work, prepared to make effective in the face of any obstacles the progressive legislation enacted under the last administration."

"Governor Fielder has already demonstrated his capacity for this work. I can see no reason for the Democratic Party to turn to an untried man and I believe that the independent voters of the state, by an overwhelming majority, will approve his selection at the polls in November. The Democrats of Union County will be practically unanimous in his support and I confidently look forward to a great and successful administration under his leadership."

If you would hit the target of success you must aim before you shoot.

Advertise in The Citizen.

Her Object.
Little Dot had asked a lot of questions, and her father was growing impatient. Finally he protested: "Oh, Dot, I can't answer half your questions." "I know you can't, papa," she replied; "but I want to find out which half you can answer."

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Down goes the price and away goes the profits.

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Some are galvanized, others in white enamel. Some take ice on top, others on side.

Whether you need one next spring or now, come to-morrow and pick out choice.

Reg.	Now	Capacity
\$12.00	\$ 8.95	50 lbs
22 50	14.47	125 lbs
26.00	16.88	140 lbs

Important: For One Dollar, we will deliver a McDougall Kitchen Cabinet in Your Home. Club just started. Join it for \$1.00 and pay only \$25. instead of \$35.

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Sell like hot cakes. Everyone is so pleased with them, that one sold immediately brings another customer.

Factory Piano Polish 25c Bottle
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A King's Birthright

Every man in this town can dress Royally whether he has blue blood in his veins or not. For this store is the local home of The Royal Tailors makers of clothes-to-measure for the Crowned Heads of America.

500 SAMPLES

are on display in the Royal Corner of our store, and we will be more than glad to show them to you. They are priced at \$20, \$22, \$25, \$30, and \$35. Yes and even as little as \$16, and \$17. All wool, always—and every inch and stitch guaranteed. There are samples for the young men and also samples for his daddy. Drop in on us some time and look them over. We are not asking you to order the suit, wait until you see the samples then you will mention that.

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Specials from Saturday to Tuesday

VERY SPECIAL!

Mason Jars Quarts, doz. **44c**
Pints, dozen **39c**

Fancy Alaska Salmon (medium) 13c can 2 for 25c

Gold Medal Flour, 24½ lb. sack **84c**

Parlor Matches, 8 pkgs. **25c**

Fancy Maine Style Corn can **8c**

Quaker Oats, package **8c**

Lean Regular Hams, lb. **19½c**

Marvel Brand Milk, can **8c**

STAMP SPECIALS

\$1.00 in stamps with following:	\$2.00 in stamps with following:
Corn Starch, pkg. 10c	Golden Santos Coffee, lb. . 28c
German Mustard, bot. 10c	Vanilla or Lemon Ext. bot. 20c
3 cakes Lenox Soap, 15c	3 pkgs. Babbitt's Powder, 15c
Worcestershire Sauce, bot. 10c	2 cans Silver's Peas, 25c
Onion Salad, bot. 10c	3 pkgs. Tryphosa, all flavors
Root Beer Ext. bot. 10c	2 pkgs. Macaroni, 20c

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WEEKLY LETTER TO FARMERS.

(By F. R. Stevens, Agriculturist.
Lehigh Valley Railroad.)

The harvests of the year are not yet gathered, but it is time to think of plowing for the crops of another season. While every step in the production of a crop from plowing to harvesting needs intelligence to decide as to proper time and as to method of work, plowing is the foundation work for all that follows and unless done at the right time, and as it should be, will render all the after work more or less ineffective.

The chief arguments for plowing in the fall rather than in the spring are that the cold of winter and the frosts soften and loosen the texture of the soil, destroy many of the weeds and much of the insect life. Perhaps the strongest practical reason of all is that it divides the work necessary to get in a crop, enabling us to do a part in the fall so that in the spring when the weather conditions and soil conditions are ready for work we may have less to do. It makes a great difference in the time of putting in the crops in the spring whether we begin with the plow or the harrow. This has been especially noticeable this summer. Early oats have been better than late. An additional consideration in fall plowing is the fact that in the fall we need not be so particular as to condition of soil plowed. We may, therefore, use in this way much weather, especially in sod ground, of a sort that could not be utilized for spring work.

A further reason for fall plowing lies in the fact that ground plowed in the fall will absorb and retard much more moisture than that plowed in the spring, especially when the spring plowing is done after the spring rains, as it is most commonly done by necessity. It is for this reason that crops put in on ground plowed the previous fall will usually stand dry weather better than crops in the same field on ground plowed in the spring. There are some suggestions applicable to all which it is wise to observe.

1. Avoid plowing always at the same depth. When the plow runs year after year over a field at about the same distance from the surface there is formed a layer, packed and smoothed by the peel of the plow and by the feet of the furrow horse that becomes almost impervious to moisture and of little worth to the crop growing above. A better way is to plow a little deeper each year until a maximum depth is reached then begin again at a depth somewhat less and work downward.

2. In sloping fields manage your plowing so as to turn the soil, wherever possible up the hill. All the forces of nature tend to move the soil into the valleys. Move it back as you plow. The sucking plow has an advantage in this respect over the walking plow and also in the fact that dead furrows are avoided.

3. Turn over all the soil. If the plow is thrown out by a stone, take time to back up and plow through that place. It will pay in the end to clean out such stones. It is not good policy to be thrown out by it or to plow around the same stone year after year. Plowing reveals such obstruction and it is a good plan as the plow finds them to dispose of them.

Finally, remember, as has been intimated, that the way your field is plowed this fall will largely determine how much that field will yield next summer. To change slightly an old saying, "As a man plows so also shall he reap."

Cocoanut Butter Industry.

Marselles annually exports about \$10,000,000 worth of cocoanut butter, the business having been developed since 1897. Most of it goes to England, Holland and Scandinavia.

Old Stuff.

"It seems to me that Scribbler's writing has deteriorated since he became famous." "Oh, it isn't that. You see, since he became famous he's been able to sell all the rubbish he ever wrote."—Boston Transcript.

Mother! Have Your Children Worms?

Are they feverish, restless, nervous, irritable, dizzy or constipated? Do they continually pick their nose or grind their teeth? Have they cramping pains, irregular and ravenous appetite? These are all signs of worms. Worms not only cause your child suffering, but stunt his mind and growth. Give "Kickapoo Worm Killer" at once. It kills and removes worms, improves your child's appetite, regulates stomach, liver and bowels. The symptoms disappear and your child is made happy and healthy, as nature intended. All druggists or by mail, 25, Kickapoo Indian Medicine Company, Philadelphia, Pa., St. Louis, Mo.

Sporting Comment.

ATHLETICS HAVE

ARRANGED FOR TWO GAMES

Those Athletics have to go and spoil everything. After we dope out a couple of columns to convince South Amboy fandom that baseball is dead in this burg, the bunch has to go and arrange the best card which we have fastened our glimmers on this season. Far be it from us to use any slang, but we must say that we should worry a lot about baseball passing in its checks while Jack and Andy get on the job and arrange games like these: Sunday afternoon, Athletics vs. Franklins, at Copper Works Field, Perth Amboy. Monday morning, Athletics vs. Sheridans, at Sheridan Field.

And to top off the classy schedule, "Ackle" will be on the firing line when the local bunch meets the St. Anthony F. C. at Star—beg your pardon—Athletic Park.

Andy Borlund had a hunch that our boys will do a Harry Thaw with the bacon at Perth Amboy when the Franklins oppose his pets. In this game Atkinson, of Schenectady fame, will be on the firing line, Murray will do the flinging against the Sheridans on the following morning and when Atkinson gets through with his second game on Monday afternoon, we hope he will have tacked two more victories on his winning list.

As far as the attendance at these games goes, if South Amboy baseball bugs don't turn out in full force with flying colors, we can hang the crepe on baseball for good here. From the way we figure, no better attraction could be scheduled for Sunday and Labor Day. The dope on the players is as follows:

1st, base, Campion; 2nd, base, Stratton; ss, Keating; 3b, Connell; if, Howe; cf, Higgins; rf, Murray and Atkinson; catcher, Borlund; pitchers, Atkinson and Murray.

MURRAY DID GOOD WORK

Although baseball seems "down and out" for the remainder of the season in South Amboy, local fans still have a chance to smile over a feat like the one performed by Murray at Matawan Sunday.

The clever young twirler appeared in a Matawan uniform and went to the box for that team against the fast Wicatunk team. This team consists of mostly professional players and is supported by R. A. Collier, going under the name of "Collier's Team." It was rumored that the whole infield of the Wicatunk team was hired for the occasion and that a couple of the Chicago "Cubs" were on the job.

Be that as it may, Murray acted himself like a big leaguer and was far too clever for Collier's pets. They were nearly breaking their backs trying to reach his shoots. He allowed very few hits and kept a big margin all the time. A number of local fans witnessed the game.

BASKETBALL DISCUSSED

Now that baseball is on the decline, the fans will have nothing to do for the rest of the summer but scratch mosquito bites and discuss prospects for the basketball and football season. Basketball last year was on the wane in this city and O'Toole and Forgiven were unable to make it a paying proposition in the K. of P. Hall. This year it is up to some dived in the wool sport to take hold of a good five and give the locals some classy basketball. South Amboy fans demand a team composed mostly of local players and want them to win all the time. Of course this is unreasonable but it is a fact. Look at the team which O'Toole and Forgiven put on the floor last year. Cantlon, Deegan, Shlicker, Manhattan, Cathcart, Garland, Nebus, Simon and other classy tossers. The team won a big percentage of their games and still attendance fell off at each game. Dancing was provided at considerable expense and the boys who financed the attractions "went in a hole." Toward the end of the season the high school girls used the Hall in the afternoon and made a paying proposition out of the game. This year the high school will have a team on the floor. Newell James has been elected manager of the boys five and is already trying to schedule games. The high school has always been handicapped by lack of a court but they have played a good game, notwithstanding this. The girls, under the coaching of O'Toole, progressed rapidly and will likely play again this year.

POOL MATCH

Mert Ingraham, Harold Orr and Ralph Crane not only walked away with the bowling tournament at the Y. M. C. A. but are now coming to the front in other branches of sport provided at the Association building. Last Tuesday night they challenged the three best pool players around to

a match and "Pete" Bloodgood, "Pop" Whalen and Magee agreed to a match. The Commuters easily walloped their opponents by the following scores for racks:

Ingraham, 6 9 7 12 9 7; total 50
Magee, 9 6 8 3 6 4; total 36.
Crane, 11 12 7 10 10; total 50.
Bloodgood, 4 3 8 5 4; total 24.
Orr, 6 6 10 3 12 9 1; total 47.
Whalen, 9 9 5 12 3 6; total 44.

The Commuters have now challenged the Yacht Club pool team and a match will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on September 11th. A good deal of interest is being centered on this match.

SPORTING NOTES

There is talk of organizing a football eleven in this city for the season. The high school will be unable to put a team out this year but there are a large number of local boys who are interested in the game and will probably organize a team.

Died—On July, 19th, at Star Field Baseball, following a severe attack of non-attendanceitis. Perth Amboy papers please copy.

Smiling Jack Higgins, who hasn't had his picture in the Hall of Fame for some time back now comes to the front. He states that he is rounding out to his old time form and will continue to nab the flies off center field fence, with graceful ease. Besides that, he claims to have stored away several home runs and three base hits in his pocket. Jack says he has a surprise ready for the fans. Maybe he will get a hit.

Les. Stratton will be in Athletics tags once more. The clever second baseman always was a favorite with the local fans and his presence in the lineup assures them that there "will be sumpin' doin'" around second base.

Atkinson who is still there with the clever flinging and the sturdy old war club, is sure to attract a crowd to the week end games. To have Ackle back means a good crowd as well as a good brand of baseball.

According to Passport.

Prince Nicholas, who is a journalist by profession, was commissioned by the czar to investigate certain agrarian troubles. The prince went to Romania and there obtained one of the permits necessary for taking live stock across the frontier. Then he went to a Russian frontier post and presented the document to the official as his warrant to pass. The official could read but little in Russian and knew no Romanian, but the big document, with coat of arms and seal, greatly impressed him, and he cheerfully put the Russian official stamp on it. His investigations ended, the prince went back to Moscow and at the first opportunity presented the passport to the governor, saying:

"With this document I entered Russia and traveled about for five months. Yet you must admit that the description of me is scarcely correct or flattering." The amazed governor read that the prince was "one black sow, full grown, with one ear partly torn away."

Got Even With the Lawyer.

Many years ago there lived in Camden, Me., two neighbors, Dr. Huse and Judge Thayer. The doctor had occasion to sue a man and of course employed his neighbor, the judge, as his counsel. After a session of court he met the judge and asked about his case. The judge said it was continued. Meeting him again after another session and asking again about his case, the same answer was given.

As it cost \$2 or \$3 each time it was continued, the doctor thought by the time it was settled, after paying the judge, he would get nothing. Some time afterward the judge was afflicted with a felon and, of course, employed his neighbor, the doctor. After suffering awhile he met the doctor and said: "Doctor, this thing is getting along very slowly. I have walked the floor nights for a week. What are you doing to it?"

The doctor, who stammered, loudly replied, "Co-co-continuing it, by George!"

Attended to Beforehand.

When Judge Stewart of Vermont presided at the trial of a negro charged with the murder of another of his race he admitted afterward to friends that he had serious doubts of the prisoner's guilt until he began to pronounce sentence. The negro had pleaded not guilty and repeatedly on being questioned had asserted with much emphasis, "I didn't do it." The evidence was not convincing, and the judge was surprised when the jury brought in a verdict of guilty. His doubts vanished when, after reminding the negro that he had been duly tried by a jury of twelve men, etc., he said: "It is my duty to warn you that your days on earth are numbered, and it behooves you to avail yourself of the little remnant of time allotted to you to make your peace with God."

Just then the negro broke in with the exclamation, "Ah done dat already, Judge, befo' Ah went out ter kilt dat nigger!"—New York Sun.

Tough.



"What did your uncle leave you in his will?"
"Three guardians, a lot of advice and a little money."—Brooklyn Citizen.

Theory and Fact.



"Do you think it right to rob Peter to pay Paul?"
"If I happen to be Paul I do."—Philadelphia Press.

An Old Hero.



Stranger—I suppose, Sammy, you are very fond of the general, your father, the hero of so many battles. By the way, is he home?

Sammy—No, sir. He went out this morning while mamma is discharging the cook.—Philadelphia Record.

The Upper Hand.



Aunt Grundy—I thought you disliked that young man who calls on Grace? Grace's Pa—I can't very well show it. He's promised to get me all the baseball passes I can use this summer.—Chicago News.

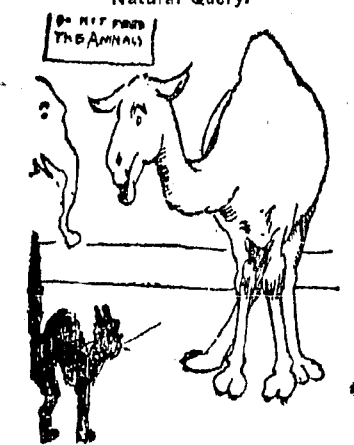
Disappointed Hopes.



Edgar—If you married me don't you think your pa would take me into his office?

Miss Winn—No. He said you're too big for an office boy, and too light for porter work.—New York Globe.

Natural Query.



Thomas Cat (on first seeing a dromedary)—Great Scott, old man! What have you got your back up about?—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

MARIA F. MEINZER AND EDWARD BARKER, Executors of Frank Meinzer, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Frank Meinzer to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred of any action therefor against the said executors.

Dated August 20, 1913.
MARIA F. MEINZER
and EDWARD BARKER
Executors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

FRANCIS P. KIRBY, ADMINISTRATOR of Michael S. Kirby, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Michael S. Kirby, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred of any action therefor against the said administrator.

Dated June 14, 1913.
FRANCIS P. KIRBY,
Administrator.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice, that the Subscriber, executor, etc., of William J. Marshall, deceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the fifth day of September, 1913, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April, 1913, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate.

Dated July 31, 1913.
FREDERICK DIEBERT,
Executor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY—Between the Star Building and Loan Association of South Amboy, N. J., complainant and George A. Thomas, et al. defendants, F. F. for sale of mortgaged premises dated July 24, 1913.

By virtue of the above stated writ to me directed and delivered, I will expose to sale at public vendue on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER THIRD, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Sheriff's Office, in the City of New Brunswick, New Jersey.

All tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of Sayreville or City of South Amboy, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey. To wit, a tract in the city of South Amboy.

Beginning one hundred feet from the Southeast corner of Alpine and Wilmut Streets, thence (1) along Wilmut Street Southerly one hundred feet, thence (2) parallel with Alpine Street Easterly one hundred feet to centre of block, thence (3) Northerly along the said centre line of block one hundred feet to the corner of lot number three, thence (4) along the line of lots numbers three and four and five and six one hundred feet to the place of beginning. The said piece of land being designated as lots numbers seven, eight, nine and ten on block one on map of lots surveyed by Andrew J. Disbrow, and now known as Mechanicsville, and formerly owned by Sarah Wilmut, said tract of land was conveyed to the Methodist Episcopal Church of South Amboy party of the first part by Albert Roll, widow, by deed dated the 14th day of October A. D. 1892 and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County of Middlesex on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1893 in book 253 of deeds page 358.

SECOND TRACT: All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the township of Sayreville now the city of South Amboy in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, Bounded and described as follows: Consisting of lots numbered eleven, twelve and thirteen on block D as laid down on a map entitled "Map of lots at South Amboy, Mechanicsville, surveyed for Messrs. Dey and Roll in 1866 and 1881 and protracted by a scale of one hundred feet to the inch by A. J. Disbrow," surveyor said lots each being twenty-five feet front and rear and one hundred and ten feet deep more or less.

THIRD TRACT: Being in the township of Sayreville, Middlesex county, N. J., beginning at a point one hundred and eleven feet from the corner of Ridgeway Avenue and Raritan street in the Borough (now city) of South Amboy and running thence (1) Northerly along said Ridgeway Avenue fifty-one feet and six inches and thence (2) Easterly eighty-seven feet and ten inches thence (3) Southerly fifty feet to the line of Louis Borlund, thence (4) along the said lands of Louis Borlund one hundred feet to the place of beginning the said Ridgeway Avenue.

Together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and also all the right, title and interest of the said defendants, of, in and to the same.

ALBERT ROLLSCHWEILER,
Sheriff.
JOHN A. COAN, Solicitor.
\$28.90

SOCIETIES

Gen. Wm. S. Truex Post, No. 118, G. A. R., meets first and third Wednesday afternoon of each month at 3 o'clock, in Michael Welsh's Hall. Commander, Aaron Stillwell; Adjutant, S. H. Chatten.

St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 68, F. & M. Meets at K. of P. Hall, first third Mondays of each month (excepting July, August, and holidays) 7:30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. U. A. M., meets every Friday evening, in Knights of Pythias Hall. Councilor, M. Lee Stults; Recording Secretary, A. R. Chatten.

Gorm Lodge, No. 56, D. B. S.—Regular meetings second and fourth Fridays of each month at 8 p. m., in Bundensen's Hall. President, Louis Borlund, Sr.; Secretary, Jens Thompson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; Treasurer, John S. Lund.

Star of Jersey Lodge, No. 484, B. of L. F. and E., meets in Welsh's Hall, First and Third Sundays of each month at 2 p. m. J. E. Pippett, President; L. D. Wortley, Financial Secretary and Treasurer; F. L. Hawes, Recording Secretary.

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. William W. Anderson, president; Charles S. Bucklew, vice-president; Bert Lambertson, Master of Forms; John French, financial secretary; Joseph E. Pippett, recording secretary; Joseph Hubbard, chaplain; Peter J. Cassidy, treasurer.

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. Ethel Stults; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada Ward.

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

Protection Engine Company meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at Engine House, Bergen Hill, at 7:30 p. m. President, William Birmingham; Treasurer, Michael Welsh; Foreman, Patrick Conway; Secretary, Francis Stanton.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 96, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Grand, Syrus E. Davis; Secretary, Charles P. Thomas; Financial Secretary, Adolph Steiner.

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

Lady Grace Lodge, No. 27, D. of R. I. O. O. F., meets on the First and Third Friday evening of each month, in Scully'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.

In the 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. Pocatoma, Mrs. Bertha Warner; K. of R., Kate J. Berlew.

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, Joseph F. Christoph; Keeper of Records and Seals, William A. Chapman.

Seneca Tribe, No. 23, Imp'd. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Knights of Pythias Hall. Sachem, John French; Chief of Records, George G. Cliver; Collector of Wampum, Stephen Miller.

Sterling Castle, No. 50, K. G. E., meets first and third Saturday evening of each month, at 7:30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Chief, Charles T. Grace; Master of Records, George H. Mack.

United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Local 1392, meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month in People's Hall, Sayreville. President, Benjamin Crabel; Vice-President, Fred Keonig; Recording Secretary, Fred Johnson; Financial Secretary, Frank M. Irwin; Treasurer, Charles Englehart.

Singing Society Liederkrantz, South Amboy. Practice of singing takes place every Monday of each month at 8 p. m. Business meeting held every first Monday of each month at 9 p. m. Fred Thumhart, President; Kutscher, vice-president; Harry Richard, secretary; Chas. Steuerwald, treasurer; B. Grohe, librarian.

Court Raritan, No. 44, F. of A., 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 Borlund; Financial Secretary, Edward Dewan; Treasurer, Michael Zupko; Rec. Secretary, Louis Meinzer; 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.

NEW JERSEY CENTRAL.

TRAINS LEAVE SOUTH AMBOY.

For New York, Newark and Elizabeth at 6:23, 7:06, *7:32, 7:50, *8:19, 10:01, 11:11 a. m.; 12:28, 3:19, 4:35, 5:00, 6:24, 7:34, 8:08, 9:44 p. m. Sundays, 8:26 a. m.; 1:17, 5:02, 6:47, 8:46, 9:22, 10:10 p. m.

For Long Branch, Asbury Park, etc., 5:22, 8:53, 11:50 a. m.; 2:29, 4:37, 6:39, 10:00, 12:56 p. m. Sundays, 4:28, 9:27, 9:42 a. m.; 5:02, 9:36, 12:56 p. m.

For Freehold, 5:22, 7:08, 8:58, 11:50 a. m.; 2:29, 5:39, 6:26, 6:39, p. m. Sundays, 11:10, a. m.; 5:02, 9:36, p. r

*New York only

NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

The special holiday attraction at the Grand Opera House, New York, opening with a Labor Day matinee, Sept. 1st, will be the celebrated de Koven Opera Company in a magnificent production of "Robin Hood" which had such a long and successful run at both the New Amsterdam and Knickerbocker Theatres last season.

The original production, chorus and orchestra have been kept intact, and most of the great opera stars of last season.

Heading the cast will be Heloise de Pasthory, a dramatic soprano from Covent Garden, London, who was recently engaged by cable for the important role of Maid Marian. Madame Pasthory speaks English perfectly.

Another importation is that of Misha Ferenzo, of the Imperial Opera, St. Petersburg, who will sing the title role.

George Frothingham, the last, save one, of the original Bostonians, now in harness, will don the cowl and gown of Friar Tuck for the 5,017th time at the Labor Day matinee. He has played the part almost continuously since the first performance twenty-two years ago.

The stalwart outlaws, Little John and Scarlet, have been entrusted to Joseph Parsons, late of Henry W. Savage's grand opera company, and Jerome Daley.

Others in the cast are Sara Maxon as Alan-a-Dale; Helena Morrill as Anabel, Tillie Salinger as Dame Durdan, Phil Branson as the sheriff, and Sid Draham as Sir Guy.

The company carries its own orchestra and a large and pretty chorus, which can sing and dance.

"Robin Hood" is the best of the standard operas, and this engagement at the popular Grand should appeal to all music lovers.

Important Postscript.

William H. Taft when he was president never overlooked an opportunity for a joke. In the closing months of his administration Henry L. Stimson, then secretary of war, wrote Mr. Taft a very urgent request that he give a friend of Stimson a certain federal position.

Mr. Taft wrote to Stimson as follows:

My Dear Stimson—I am sorry I cannot do anything for your friend in response to your letter of today. I would like to accommodate you, but it is impossible. Sincerely yours, WILLIAM H. TAFT.

Under that he wrote:

Turn over.

Then Mr. Stimson read on the other side of the paper:

I couldn't do it today because I gave the fellow the job yesterday.

The Skin on Boiled Milk.

What causes the formation of the skin on the surface of boiled milk and of hot cocoa that is made with boiled milk? Dr. Porcher of Lyons, France, says that it is the result of the disintegrating of the lime caseinate in the milk. Heat separates the lime and the casein and the lime combines with carbonic acid from the air to form a thin film of carbonate of lime. This film supports the undissolved casein in the milk as well as some coagulated albumen and fat.

The Amateur Photographer.

An amateur photographer was showing some snapshots of Italy.

"And these leaning buildings—what are they?" he was asked.

"They are some buildings in Pisa," he replied. "That perfectly straight one near them is the famous leaning tower."

A Misunderstanding.

She—I was rather disappointed in that gentleman to whom you introduced me last night. He—indeed! How so? She—Why, you spoke of him as a bridge expert, and he turned out to be nothing but a famous engineer.—Boston Transcript.

Abnormal.

Inspector—Any abnormal children in your class, Miss Pedagogue? School-teacher—Yes: one of them has good manners.—Life.

Another Mrs. Malaprop.

"No, she wouldn't listen to reason," said Mrs. Twickenbury. "She was in a most indicative mood."—Christian Register.

Do not allow idleness to deceive you, for while you give him today he steals tomorrow from you.—Old Saying.

Millions Spent for Soda.

Authorities in the drug business estimate the number of soda fountains in use in the United States at not less than 75,000 and they are said to represent an investment of \$50,000,000. The annual receipts of these supplies of soft drinks may total \$50,000,000.

Friday the Day of Rest.

is the common people's day, and they are bound that work does not come after.

SOMETHING NEW IN THE GREAT SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORLD

The Sunday-school board of the Methodist Episcopal Church is beginning to support missionaries to do Sunday-school work in the foreign field. The first man to go is Wallace H. Miner, who sails for Foochow, China, early in October. His going will signalize a day great in religious education. But before he goes Sunday-school leaders and workers of all denominations are to have an opportunity of bidding him farewell at a reception given under the auspices of the Methodist Sunday School Superintendents of New York, New York East and Newark Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which includes eastern Jersey, southern New York and Long Island, and Connecticut as far as Warehouse Point. This reception will be held at the Hanson Place Methodist Episcopal Church, Brooklyn, New York, Tuesday evening, Sept. 9, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. David G. Downey, D. D. former Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools and new Book Editor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, will preside. Addresses will be made by Frank L. Brown, Superintendent of the great Bushwick Avenue Methodist Episcopal Sunday School of Brooklyn, who has just returned from a worldwide tour of inspection of Sunday Schools; Dr. Allen MacRossie, Superintendent New York District, New York Conference; Mr. E. R. Carhart, President Brooklyn Sunday School Union; Rev. H. Wallace Miner and Dr. Edgar Blake, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools.

The timeliness of this new movement will be seen from the fact that the Sunday-school work of foreign lands has not kept pace with the Sunday-school work in the United States. The increase and average attendance of the Methodist Sunday schools of India was only two tenths of one percent, during the last four years. Mr. Miner's mission will be to assist the missionaries to promote the work of the Sunday school. He will also instruct the native preachers in methods of Sunday school organization and administration. He will introduce Sunday school training courses into the church schools for the students, and in addition to these labors, he will train native field workers who will organize Sunday schools and teach and train the workers in the local schools how to conduct the same. He will introduce modern methods in Chinese Sunday schools in so far as these methods are adapted to Chinese conditions.

Mr. Miner is the son of the Rev. George D. Miner, a missionary of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who for or more than twenty years has been the superintendent of the Day Schools of the Foochow Conference. He is a graduate of Allegheny College, Class of '87, and of Drew Theological Seminary, Class of '13. Mr. Miner also received his Master of Arts degree from Columbia University this year. Although educated in America, he speaks the Foochow dialect. He is splendidly equipped for his new and important tasks, and gives promise of great usefulness, not only to the Sunday schools, but to the general church in China. The Sunday schools of America will watch his work with deep interest and will follow him with prayers that God may greatly bless him in the new movement that he represents for the winning of the childhood of the East to Christ.

The reception at Hanson Place Church is open for all Sunday school workers of every denomination. Tickets may be secured free by writing to Clarence W. Hodge, 49 Broadway, New York City. The reception is being arranged by a committee consisting of The Rev. Ralph Welles Keeler, D. D., Assistant Editor of Sunday School Publications, 150 Fifth Avenue, New York, Chairman, and the following Methodist Episcopal Sunday-school superintendents: Dr. Richard M. Andrews, Calvary Sunday School, New York; John H. Bachmeir, St. Paul's German Sunday School, Brooklyn; E. R. Carhart, President Brooklyn Sunday School Union; J. V. Forster, Emory Sunday School, Jersey City; Benjamin W. Freire, Embury Memorial Sunday School, Brooklyn; Clarence W. Hodge, Prospect Avenue Sunday School, Brooklyn; William E. Holloway, Washington Heights Sunday School, New York; Dr. W. H. Johnston, Hanson Place Sunday School, Brooklyn; James A. Mills, Fourth Avenue Sunday School, Brooklyn; John A. Owens, Greenpoint Sunday School, Brooklyn; Harry G. Simpson, Bushwick Avenue Sunday School, Brooklyn; Dr. William Talbot, Roseville Avenue Sunday School, Newark; Eugene N. Travis, Nostrand Avenue Sunday School, Brooklyn.

Knew What Tommy Needed.

"It's enough to make a fellow sore," remarked Tommy. "Yesterday was pa and ma's wooden wedding and nearly all the neighbors sent shingles."

Good form

On the Steamer.

There is just as surely an etiquette for a steamer as for a drawing room, and for the benefit of readers who contemplate a trip on the water some of the formalities on board ship will be talked about.

After finding the location of your room and receiving the room key from the purser you should investigate your baggage, and if any be missing the cabin steward will direct you to the official to whom complaints can be made. It is wise to find out any little "landmarks" that will help you in locating your cabin, thus preventing mistakes and facilitating journeys to and from your room.

The next thing to do is to secure your seat at the dining table. You will be given a check, generally, which will place you in the dining room. This is given to the head steward on your first meal, and unless changed you should take the same seat at all subsequent meals.

Your deck chair is also important if you intend to profit by a rest each day. The deck steward for a stated fee will seat you and mark your chair by a card with your name written on it. It is unparliamentary to use another person's chair regularly, for nothing is so embarrassing to the rightful occupant as to find a chair filled and to be compelled to evict the man or woman who should have one of his own.

At table it is quite correct to speak to the ones seated near you. A "good evening" or "good morning" serves to break the ice. It is also permissible to speak to one's fellow passengers after the first day. It is very convenient to have some one introduce other men and women, but there is an informality on shipboard that bridges many gaps. Above all, do not overstep the bounds of good breeding. Do not bring on yourself the censure and adverse criticism of others.

Do not indulge in gossip, unkind criticism of others and be a nuisance by complaining against the accommodations and service. This type of traveler is never a favorite, and the punishment falls on his own head by the flight of others at his approach.

On the majority of lines it is not yet the accepted thing for a woman to go to the smoking room with a man to enjoy her after dinner coffee. The German steamers have shown a departure from this rule if the woman be married, in a party or with an older chaperon.

It is not obligatory to subscribe to the sea concert, but nearly every one does. Indeed, it is counted in with your "extra expenses" these days. If talented you should be a gracious contributor when asked.

Avoid Being Conspicuous at All Times.

The woman who resents a slight impertinence offered likely by some partially intoxicated youth, thereby giving her escort a bad half hour in his endeavor to punish the guilty, is not doing exactly the proper thing unless indeed the impertinence has been too pronounced to be overlooked. Better try the method of neither seeing nor hearing. The boy or man is made to understand that the offense cannot be repeated, and very likely no one else has known anything about it.

As an almost infallible rule no woman gets herself insulted unless she gives cause either by dress, manner or carriage. Men are very careful in such matters. If women are careful not to talk or laugh too loud, never to drink liquors in public restaurants or cafes, never by any chance to give a side glance or in any way indicate that they wish to be noticed, they may go from one extremity of the earth to the other in perfect safety unless unfortunate enough to find themselves in the company of intoxicated and brutal men. Even then, should there be any present, properly reared, with good mothers, sisters, sweethearts, to remember, any lack of civility will surely be punished and short shift given.

But if a girl or woman makes loud remarks, casts about her for looks of admiration, tells of experiences in crowds, and so on, she is to be blamed should she be insulted by the boldly expressed opinions of men watching her. This is indeed the truest test of good breeding and good training to be shown.

The Groom's Wedding Expenses.

The groom has a few expenses to meet. He should fee the clergyman for officiating. The best man usually attends to this, and the fee should not be less than \$5. In fashionable society \$25 is considered the minimum fee.

The groom should also fee the sexton of the church. He pays for the bride's bouquet, the bouquets of the bridesmaids and the boutonnières of the ushers. He sends carriages for the ushers and provides a carriage for himself and the best man. He also pays for a carriage for himself and wife after the ceremony. If the best man and groom have come from another city the groom is entitled to play the host and to pay for the expenses of both. This is not obligatory and is generally not permitted by the best man.

Of course the little souvenirs given at the farewell dinners of both bride and groom are paid for by each respectively. These are sent the day before the wedding by messengers if no special entertainment is given.

A NATURAL RIDDLE

Attraction of Gravitation Is a Mystery to Science.

IT CONTROLS THE UNIVERSE.

Yet That Wonderful Force That Directs and Regulates Moons, Planets, Suns and Stars Without Visible Means of Connection Is Inexplicable.

The mystery of mysteries in science is the attraction of gravitation that very force of nature that is the most familiar to us all. It seems strange that the most familiar thing in the world should be at the same time the most inexplicable, but so it is.

In order to see clearly wherein the mystery consists, let us first consider what gravitation appears to be. It is gravitation that gives the property of weight to all bodies. If there were no gravitation we could float like thistle-downs and infinitely better than this, thistle-downs, for they, too, are finally brought down by gravitation.

It is gravitation that brings a cannon ball eventually to the earth, no matter how swiftly it may be projected. The faster it starts the farther it will go, but during every second of its flight it drops the same distance vertically toward the earth, whether the speed imparted to it by the powder is 100 or 3,000 feet per second. Gravitation acts on a moving body exactly as well as on one at rest.

It is gravitation that curbs the motion of the moon and keeps it in an orbit of which the earth is the active focus.

So, too, it is gravitation that governs the earth in its motion around the sun, preventing it from flying away into boundless space. Astronomy shows that gravitation acts between all the planets and all the stars and controls their motions with respect to one another.

Now, this mysterious force appears to be an attraction, as if there were elastic cords connecting all the bodies in space and tending to draw them together. But space, as far as our senses can detect, is empty. There are no elastic cords and no physical connections whatever between astronomical bodies or between a flying stone or cannon ball and the earth. How, then, can there be an attraction? In order that a body may be attracted or drawn there must be something to draw it. Gravitation does the trick, but completely hides from us the mechanism through which it acts. We can discover no mechanism at all.

When an unfortunate aeroplanist drops from his machine at a height of a thousand feet he begins at once to fall toward the earth as if it were pulling him. But how can it pull if it has nothing to pull with? You may think at first sight that it is the air which acts as an intermediary, but that is not so, because the earth and the moon "pull" upon one another with a force equal to the strength of a steel cable 500 miles in diameter. But there is no air and no other tangible thing in the open space, 240,000 miles across, that gaps between the moon and the earth.

Then, gravitation exerts the same force at every instant. No matter how fast the falling aeroplanist may be descending at any moment, gravitation will keep on adding speed as if he had just started. Disregarding the slight retardation produced by the resistance of the air, he will fall sixteen feet in the first second, forty-eight feet in the second second, eighty feet in the third second, gaining thirty-two feet in his velocity during every second after the first.

From a height of 1,000 feet he will come down in about eight seconds, and will strike the ground with a velocity of about 256 feet per second. From a height of 10,000 feet he would fall in about twenty-five seconds and would strike with a velocity of 400 feet per second.

The same kind of calculation can be applied to the gravitation between the earth and the moon. If the moon were not in motion across the direction of the earth's "pull" it would fall to the earth in about 116 hours.

Now, to return to the mystery, how is this force exerted? Is it really a pull, as it seems to be? The answer to which science is tending is that instead of being a pull, gravitation is a push; in other words, that the falling aeroplanist is pushed toward the ground and the moon is pushed toward the earth.

On the face of it one might think that nothing was gained by this theory, because it seems as impossible that a push should be exerted without a tangible connection as a pull. But the clew is found in the supposed properties of that invisible, intangible, all pervading medium called the ether.

This, to be sure, is explaining one mystery by another, for we know nothing about the ether except that it conveys the waves of light and electricity; but, at any rate, it affords a conceivable explanation of gravitation. Dr. Charles F. Brush's theory regards the ether as being filled with a peculiar form of waves and that material bodies may intercept these waves in such a way as to be pushed toward one another on account of the diminished effect of the ether waves in the space between the bodies.—Garrett P. Serviss in New York Journal.

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Hens That Swim.

School Inspector (to the infant class)

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"What? Do you say a hen can swim?"

"Yes," with repeated nod.

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With persistent nod Maggie says "Yes."

Head master enters the room. Inspector calls his attention to Maggie's repeated answer.

Head Master (to Maggie)—Do you mean to say a hen can swim?

"Yes," says Maggie.

"Did you ever see a hen swim?"

"Yes; a water hen."

Inspector confesses he has still something to learn.—London Answers.

Turkey as "the Sick Man."

Now a collector of old prints comes forward with the proof that the expression, "the sick man of Europe," so persistently applied for years to Turkey, really dates back to the seventeenth century, when John Sobieski drove back the Turks from the gates of Vienna. He shows an old engraving with the Turk on his sickbed in the center and the doctors representing all the nations of Europe gathered about him. As has been the case ever since, they cannot agree as to the treatment. All want to make an end of the Turk, but the Spaniard wishes to apply a bomb, the Pole wishes to give him steel, the Prussian would strangle him with his cloak, etc. Change the names and costumes of the doctors and this cartoon of nearly three centuries ago would answer for any of the numerous congresses that have since then attempted to settle the vexing eastern question.—Argonaut.

Our Limitations.

There are noises louder than thunder which we cannot hear, the roar that lies on the other side of silence, writes Frank Harris in "Unpainted Waters." We men are poor, restless prisoners, hemmed in by our senses as by the walls of a cell, hearing only a part of nature's orchestra and that part imperfectly, seeing only a thousandth part of the color marvels about us and seeing that infinitesimal part incorrectly and partially.

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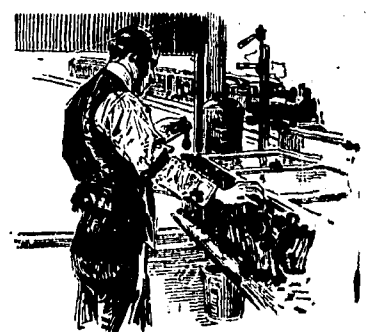
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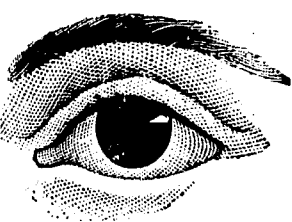
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**Brief Items Concerning People We
Know that Prove Interesting
Reading.**

Hobart Johnson was a Keansburg visitor on Sunday.

William Kipp, of Elizabeth, spent Sunday in this city.

Harvey Brumglin leaves to-day for a trip to Nova Scotia.

Miss Mabel Barton, of Jersey City, is visiting in this city.

Miss Norma Cassidy is visiting friends in South River.

Mrs. James Watson of Elizabeth, is visiting friends in this city.

Max Hockdorf, of Keyport, was a local visitor on Wednesday.

Miss Lavinia VanNess, of Newark, is visiting at Morgan Heights.

Kenneth Kressler, of Easton, Pa., is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. Fred Clarkson, of Metuchen, spent Wednesday at Morgan.

Mrs. Joel Magnuson spent Friday with friends at Cranbury.

Miss Agnes Agan is enjoying an extended trip to Island Heights.

Rev. Thomas Neal, Jr., has been enjoying the week at Pottstown, Pa.

Harry Southwick, of New York, is spending a few days in this city.

Andrew Dill and wife of Main street are visiting in Washington, D. C.

Master Raymond Manduka, of Millville, has been visiting in this city.

Mrs. C. O. Collins, of Rahway, was a South Amboy visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Traywin, of Newark, visited friends in this city on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Healy and children, of Orange, are visiting friends in this city.

Misses Nanna and Eualalia McGuire, of this city, are visiting at Kingston, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norcross, of John street, are visiting at Ocean Grove.

Miss Jennie Manhattan is spending her vacation with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mack, and children of Newark, are sojourning in this city.

Miss Kathryn Karl, of Roselle, spent the week end with friends in this city.

Roy Anderson, of Dugger, Ind., visited his uncle, Otto Anderson, the past week.

C. H. Dugan was a guest at The Casino, Saratoga Springs, New York, last week.

Miss Helen Traywin, of Newark, has been visiting in this city during the past week.

Miss Anna Miller, of Audubon, has been visiting friends in this city the past week.

Miss Louise Thom, of Old Bridge, is visiting Miss Maud Deats, of Main street.

Fred Dixon, of Plainfield, spent the fore part of the week with friends in this city.

Miss Gertrude Shannon, of New York, spent Wednesday afternoon in South Amboy.

Miss Claire Bender, of Minersville, Pa., is the guest of the Misses Scully, of First street.

Chris Nicorvo will leave town today for a trip to South Bethlehem and Allentown, Pa.

W. M. Emmons, and family, have returned home after several weeks' visit at Asbury Park.

Miss Eleanor Furman, of Rosewell street, is visiting Miss Jean Smith, at Wanamassa.

Rev. and Mrs. George Kane and son, Frederick, have returned from a sojourn in Maryland.

Mrs. Leon Mason, of Hoboken, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Ness, of Morgan Heights.

John Coughlin and wife, of Augusta street, are spending a few days at the Delaware Water Gap.

Mrs. John Snedeker, of Dutch Neck, was in attendance at the harvest home on Wednesday evening.

Miss Hazel Holland, of Rahway, has returned home after spending a week with friends in this city.

Miss Florence Mills, of New York, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. R. A. Mills, of David street.

Mrs. L. E. Moog, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Stults, of David street.

Misses Regina and Nellie Brophy and Miss Helen Emmons are spending a few days at Kingston, N. Y.

Harold Orr and Merton Ingraham, are spending a well-earned vacation at the Delaware Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kane, of John street, returned Thursday from a vacation spent in Philadelphia.

William Adams and wife of Augusta street are spending their vacation with relatives in Belvidere.

Joseph Capner, Jr., and William Bloodgood, witnessed the Baby Parade at Asbury Park, on Wednesday.

Samuel Schleimer, of Elizabeth, counsel for the Board of Education, spent Thursday evening in this city.

The Misses Evelyn Cassidy and Lucille Massey have returned home after a visit with friends in South River.

Edwin Simensen, of Augusta street, is spending a week with relatives and friends at Camden and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Breitner, of Brooklyn, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Stults, of Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCue of Asbury Park, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers, of John street.

Mrs. Daniel Salmon and sons, Daniel and John, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in New Brunswick.

Mrs. Laura Jones, of Jersey City, has returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Bloodgood, of John St.

Miss Elsie Moore, of Coatesville, Pa., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Orr, at the "Four Corners."

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bolton, of Trenton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson, of John street.

Miss Frances Schultz, of Augusta street, was taken to Newark on Thursday to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Warren Disbrow, Miss Katherine Disbrow and Miss Annie Disbrow spent the week end at "The Queen", Ocean Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Lawrence and children, of Brooklyn, are being entertained by Mrs. Susie Scully, of First street.

Mrs. A. H. Furman, of Rosewell street, returned home last Friday after making several days' visit at Wanamassa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rogers, of Burlington, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rogers, on John street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Morrett, of Harrisburg, Pa., motored to this city last Sunday, and have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willets.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crane and family, of Portia street, left this city Tuesday for Newport News, where they will spend their vacation.

The Misses Margaret O'Connor, of this city, Josephine Maguire and Dolly Del Mar, of Perth Amboy, leave Saturday for Niagara Falls and Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Magnuson, of Upper Main street, entertained the pastor of the Swedish congregation of Perth Amboy and his wife the fore part of the week.

Rev. C. S. Miller, of Audubon, has been spending a few days in town this week. He was formerly pastor of the M. E. Church, of this city, and his friends were pleased to meet him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heath, of Broadway, entertained on Sunday last, Mr. and Mrs. Latham, of New Brunswick, Mrs. Neuman and Miss Lulu Neuman, of Belmar; Paul Lochs and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bossong, and daughter, of Sayreville; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Hamilton and children, of this city.

L. S. Dill, General Foreman of the local P. R. R. yards, is away on a rather extensive trip for his annual vacation. Mr. Dill first visited Washington, D. C., then jumped to Prescott, Ariz., thence to Tacoma. Mr. Dill expects to take a short trip through the Black Hills after which he will start for home. This is probably the longest vacation trip that any of our local officials have ever taken and we wish him a pleasant time.

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OBJECTIONS TO ASSESSMENT

Property Owners on David Street Claim Figures of Commissioners Are Too High—File Protest—Pavement on Stevens Avenue Halted by Trolley Co.

Property owners on David Street verbally presented objections to the report of the commissioners on the assessment for flagging and curbing on that street from Broadway to Stevens avenue, at the meeting of the Council Wednesday evening, and during the progress of the controversy matters waxed warm.

Present—Mayor Dey, Councilmen Manhattan, O'Connor, Slover, Stanton and Stratton; Clerk Mack, Engineer Mason, Treasurer Perrine and Street Commissioner Connors.

Minutes or regular and adjourned meetings were approved as read.

The clerk read application of Mr. Tryzonic for transfer of license to Wacław Cosmoskie, which was received and referred to committee on licenses.

The report of Water Superintendent Martin relative to injuries received by Augustus Linden while in the employ of the city, was read, received and referred to water committee.

Report of Street Commissioner Connors relative to injuries received by Thomas Leonard was read, and referred to street committee.

A letter from William McHarg, of the Newark division New York Telephone Company, was read, stating that Stevens avenue was free of the poles of the company. On motion of Mr. Manhattan, it was received and filed.

John Lasko presented a bill of \$9.90 against the city, claiming the expense was caused by a defective sewer system. It was received and referred to committee on sewers.

E. L. Mathis sent a communication stating that council could pay Mr. Moore \$16.00, the amount alleged to be due him, and deduct same from amount due Tippet & Wood.

On motion of Mr. Manhattan it was received and filed, and balance due Tippet & Wood ordered paid, less the \$16.00.

An anonymous communication, signed "Taxpayer" was read, asking the council for relief from bees that hive at Bordentown avenue and Broadway, claiming they are antagonistic to passers-by and get in their work by stinging them. No action taken.

A communication from John Connors, secretary Enterprise Hook and Ladder Company, was read, stating that William E. Slover had resigned as a member, and Nicholas Howley elected to fill vacancy. On motion of Mr. Manhattan, it was received, ordered filed, and action of company confirmed.

The clerk read a letter from the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, requesting that the assessment maps be sent them for approval, in accordance with Chapter 175, Laws of 1913. On motion of Mr. O'Connor, it was referred to committee on taxes and assessments.

Walter Mullen, of David street, sent a communication, stating that he had been assessed for more feet of curbing and flagging than he owned. It was received and referred to committee on streets.

O'Gara & McGuire in a letter stated they desired to proceed with work of paving Stevens avenue, but owing to trolley tracks not being placed at grade they were prevented from doing so. If the trolley company did not take some steps at once to place their tracks on grade, they would be compelled to stop work, and move plant away.

After some discussion, on motion of Mr. Manhattan, the clerk was instructed to notify the Jersey Central Traction Company and O'Gara & McGuire to proceed with the work at once.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

Labor, garbage	\$ 51.00
Labor, streets	133.83
Teams, streets	42.00
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P. A. City Water Work	881.95
Elizabeth Hardware Co.	6.74
Elizabeth Hardware Co.	1.88
Labor, water works	69.12
P. McCabe	5.00
John Quain	11.04
William Maxfield	17.32
Michael Leonard	27.60
J. Mackey	27.60
Edward Roberts	20.70
J. Schultz	3.00
Thomas Downs	230.20
W. O. Berlew	18.00

Mr. O'Connor asked what had the city done on Stevens avenue sewer, in regard to portion to be paid by the Jersey Central Traction Company?

President Stanton answered by stating that it was desired that the council as a committee of the whole meet the officials of the company, and confer thereon.

The clerk read notice of receiving report of commissioners of assessment on flagging and curbing David street from Broadway to Stevens avenue.

Mr. George Bogart was given privilege of the floor, when he stated, "there is no written matter given out for the property owner to object to, and we are here to-night to hear and discuss the matter."

The clerk then read the report of the commissioners, showing the curbing had cost \$789.60, and the flagging \$1,104.64, \$129.84 of which was charged to the city at-large.

Mr. Bogart—The first question I would like to ask is, what has caused the exorbitant additional cost? There is one thing, the contract between the people and the city was \$1.36 per lineal foot, 28 cents for resetting curb, etc. That only can you assess.

I would like to know what has caused the exorbitant price of the engineering when a map was furnished and grades already given, and in addition to that, what has caused an additional cost of \$130.00? What has been done to make that cost 80 cents for flagging, 80 cents for curbing, and 40 cents for re-setting? "There is a difference of 12 cents for re-setting, 8 cents for new curbing and 16 cents for flagging. There was nothing done, the grade was done and the contractors put that in place at the time, and that was agreed to. Between three and four months ago the matter was brought up here and thoroughly discussed. Now we are getting another set of figures! By whom are they presented, the commissioners or by the engineer? I, for one, object to the bill. Where's the work? There's nothing additional been put on that street. Taking it at the figures given here the total cost is only 17 7-10c. per foot. Where do you get 24 out of it? I for one fail to see it and will file an objection to it at once."

"I was here when the bill was received and saw the maps, etc. I am not kicking on the inspector, printing or commissioners for that amount was not in excess for the work. To set the stakes would not take the city engineer and his assistant more than a day. Are we paying a commission on our work that is being done? If so, a man who receiving a salary cannot be paid for two things at once. I would like to ask what comprises this engineering bill of \$183.00. As one of the property owners I shall demand it and will file objections for and to it and there will be nothing done until it is satisfactorily answered. What has caused the additional in the contract price? You try to hold those people (the contractors) at the original price, why is it that the property owners have to pay an additional cost?"

O'Connor—"I suppose we had to pay the expenses of an inspector."

Mr. Bogart—"I have figured that in, the advertising and printing too; those are not exorbitant, but we cannot pay \$183 for engineering. I think that is beyond all question."

During the argument between Mr. Bogart and Councilman O'Connor Mr. Bogart stated: "That we are not objecting to the work, we are objecting to the price. That has been done a lot in this town and it will not be done in this case. I am not objecting to anything in reason. None of us are getting exorbitant salaries and business is business."

Mr. O'Connor took exception to the statement about "a lot of this being done."

Charles Stockton added the information that "seven dollars a lot had been added since the commissioners met in the hall, at least that was what was done in his case."

Mr. Manhattan asked the city engineer.

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SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AWARDED

Miss Dorothy Watts, of St. Mary's School, Secures the Scully Scholarship at Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield—Other Successful Scholars of Parish Schools.

Rev. Father McConnell, of Belmar, Superintendent of the Parish Schools for the Diocese of Trenton, has announced the winners of six scholarships. Two of the prizes were awarded to the high school members, and the others to the graduates from the grammar schools. Of the six hundred graduates for the year, two hundred and fifty-five took the tests, the examinations being held in the three convenient centers, Trenton, Camden, and this city. As stated some weeks ago in "The Citizen," Miss Dorothy Watts, of this city, was awarded a scholarship in Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield, the gift of Hon. Thomas J. Scully. Last year her sister secured a scholarship in the same college.

The prizes are valuable in themselves, three of them being worth \$1,000 each, but apart from the honor is high for the pupils winning, and also for the schools that produced the champions. The winners are as follows:

High School.

Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield, N. J., gift of Hon. Thomas J. Scully, Dorothy Watts, St. Mary's School, South Amboy.

Villanova College, Philadelphia, gift of the Augustinian Fathers, James J. Egan, Cathedral School, Trenton.

Grammar School.

St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia, gift of Mr. Patrick Farley, Leo Bayes, St. Mary's School, Camden.

Mt. St. Mary's College, Plainfield, N. J., gift of the Catholic Women of Belmar, N. J., Alice Alkexin, St. Nicholas School, Atlantic City.

St. Peter's College, Jersey City, gift of St. Peter's College, John Dwyer, Sacred Heart School, New Brunswick.

St. Peter's College, Jersey City, gift of the Catholic Young Men of Belmar, N. J., Joseph Thoma, Star of the Sea School, Long Branch.

Fulton Will Run On Bull Moose Ticket

The Middlesex County Progressive Executive Committee held a meeting in the Landsberg building, New Brunswick, last Saturday afternoon and formulated part of the ticket for the coming fall election. The following candidates have thus far been selected:

For Assembly—James Griswold, of Perth Amboy; Joseph Fulton, of South Amboy; Joseph A. Edgar, of New Brunswick.

For Freeholder—E. G. Smith, of Perth Amboy; Oscar Jarrard, of New Brunswick.

Three other candidates for freeholder were withheld until they give their consent.

FUNERAL OF MRS. VOORHEES.

The funeral of Mrs. Isabella W. Voorhees took place from her late residence on Main street on Monday afternoon, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends.

The service was conducted by the Rev. W. E. Grimshaw, assistant rector of Christ Church. Interment was made in Christ Church cemetery. The bearers were her sons, Frank Voorhees of Newark; and Carlton Voorhees, of this city; and brother-in-laws, Cadmus Voorhees, of Trenton; and John R. Voorhees, of Stanwick. Stillwell Mason directed the funeral.

To Remedy Rattling Windows.

Do not allow yourself to be made wakeful and nervous by rattling windows or doors when the comb on your dresser makes a perfect wedge, easily inserted and as easily removed. Especially annoying are such noises in novels and other strange bedrooms, but even there the comb is at hand and equal to all sizes of cracks.

The yachting season is nearly over, but Yacht Club Coffee is always in season. Try a pound at Brown Bros. Tea Co.

NEW PHYSICIAN LOCATES IN TOWN

Dr. Seldon T. Kinney, formerly of Easton, Pa., has established himself in the offices formerly occupied by the late Dr. A. Treganowan, and is now fully prepared to serve the public in a professional way. He comes highly recommended. The Easton Free Press of the 15th inst. says:

"Dr. Seldon T. Kinney left to-day to begin general practice in South Amboy, N. J., where he has secured an opening. Since finishing his service in the Metropolitan Hospital, New York City, he has been assisting his father, Dr. C. Spencer Kinney, at the Easton Sanitarium. He has had thorough training and many friends wish him success."

HENRY MCKENNA JOINS THE SILENT THRONG.

Henry McKenna, a former resident of this city, departed his life on Saturday last at his home in Bradley Beach, from a complication of diseases, at the age of 69 years. He was a member of Gen. Wm. S. Truax Post of this city, the Jr. O. U. A. M., of Hightstown; and the Carpenters Union. He is survived by a widow, two daughters, Mrs. John Pryce, of Bradley Beach, and Mrs. John Manhattan, of this city; and one son, Harry McKenna, of New York.

On Wednesday, the body was brought to this city, where funeral service was held at three o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal Church, John street, Rev. N. J. Wright, of Bradley Beach, officiating. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives. At the grave in Christ Church cemetery the funeral rituals of the G. A. R. and Jr. O. U. A. M. were read. The pallbearers were W. J. Ingraham, S. H. Chatlin, William H. H. Dey, George Seward, R. P. Mason, and Israel Ward. Stillwell & Mason were funeral directors.

AUTOMOBILES COLLIDE.

An automobile ran into the rear of H. J. Berrien's car on the road from the county bridge Thursday afternoon. Berrien's car slowed down to allow a trolley car to pass and the following car crashed into it. The car had its headlights shattered and other slight damage was done, while Berrien's car escaped with a bent mud guard and a smashed tail light.

A COMMENDABLE ACT.

The friends of the late John Parker on learning of his death, and knowing that he left two little children, aged 3 and 5 years, penniless, started a subscription toward his burial expenses and to relieve the children over the tide of dire necessity. The people responded liberally, and \$131.75 was collected. For this commendable work credit is due to Henry M. Kline, of Perth Amboy, who collected \$35.00 from the Morgan Beach colony; Edwin Furman, who collected \$31.25; Mrs. Dora Ginter, \$3.00; and William Dalrymple, \$62.50 from the people at large.

SHERIDANS PLAY JAMESBURG TO-DAY.

The Sheridans traveled to Woodbridge last Saturday and lost what was probably the best game they have played this year. The whole team played fine ball, except in the fourth inning when Woodbridge scored 7 runs on them.

The locals touched Needer up pretty well, managing to get 11 hits and it was only the "Wonders" wonderful support that saved the game.

Buckalew caught a good game, allowing no stealing. Seven men tried to pilfer the second sack, but Buck with the assistance of "Chick" Callahan nailed 'em all.

Manager Delaney expected to go to Matwan tomorrow (Sunday) but he is now advised that the management has changed hands, and that the new man has booked Colliers for Sunday game, leaving the Sheridans without a game.

The Sheridans will meet the Jamesburg A. C. at Jamesburg today, and fully expect to win from the Helmetta enemies.

Delaney would like to arrange another game with the Athletics any time, any place or anyway, before the season closes and states that he stands ready to meet any offers in this respect.

He also offers the use of the Sheridan Park diamond to the Athletics for their use any time they wish to take advantage of the offer.

ALBAUGH MADE INSPECTOR

The Board of Health Appoints Him to Succeed J. A. Sexton as Plumbing Inspector—Balance in The Treasury Increasing—Will Enforce Compliance With Orders.

William Albaugh, of Henry street, was appointed plumbing inspector for the Board of Health at the regular meeting of that body Thursday night. Mr. Albaugh's application was the only one received for the position. All members of the board were present.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Reports of the inspector covering a number of nuisances abated, and some still pending, was read and received and filed.

Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$504.64 at the last regular meeting; received by plumbing permits \$43.00; paid by order \$28.00, leaving a balance on hand of \$539.64. The report was received and filed.

Report of the Registrar of Vital Statistics, showing 12 births, 3 marriages and 11 deaths, was received and filed.

Secretary's report showed receipts of \$4.00 for taps and \$20.00 for plumbing permits. Report received and filed.

Report of the out-going plumbing inspector received.

Communication inviting the board to investigate certain unsanitary conditions on Elm street was read. Inspector's report covered this matter as abated.

Mr. Wilson moved that the resignation of J. A. Sexton as plumbing inspector be received and accepted. Motion carried.

Mr. Sexton's bill for services as plumbing inspector ordered paid.

Motion adopted that a case of disobedience be placed in the hands of an attorney for prosecution and fine as provided by law. The case is to be left as it stands for five days to give the said party another chance to comply with the board's instructions.

Complaint received from the Tompkins Home referred to the chairman of the poor committee. Adjourned.

NEW WEEKLY PAPER.

"The Middlesex Plain Dealer" is the name of a weekly paper launched in Perth Amboy last week. George S. Walker, a newspaper man of experience, is the editor. Some scorching hot comments appear in its columns, as well as some of the sugary kind. It will espouse the cause of democracy.

ASSEMBLYMAN QUINN MADE HEAD OF STATE LABOR BODY.

Assemblyman Arthur A. Quinn, of Perth Amboy, was chosen president of the New Jersey Federation of Labor in annual convention at Trenton on Wednesday. The convention will meet in Newark next year.

BOWLING MATCH.

Thursday night a bowling match took place on the Yacht Club alleys between the champions of the Y. M. C. A. and a team from the club. The Yacht Club were badly beaten in three games. The score:

Y. M. C. A.			
Ingraham	121	179	145
Orr	137	148	122
R. Crane	133	128	113

Totals

YACHT CLUB.			
Cunningham	180	192	125
W. Stephenson	117	187	157
M. Lamberton	149	129	105

Totals

Alone Twenty-Four Years.

It was stated at an inquest on a woman at Newington, England, recently that she had been a tenant of Ponsby buildings, Blackfriars, for 24 years, and the porter said he had never known her to have a visitor. Her sister happened to call, and at her request he burst the door open and found the woman dead. Further evidence showed that the cause of death was bronchitis, and that the woman had been dead for two days.

Some talking machines are made, but the majority are born.

GRAND JURORS BANQUET AT PRICE'S

The members of the Middlesex County Grand Jury for April term of court went to Pleasure Bay on Thursday where they enjoyed one of Price's celebrated shore dinners. The committee which arranged the outing were George Gundrum, chairman, of this city; John Sheehy, of Perth Amboy; and Julius D. Posner, of New Brunswick.

Among the guests of the jury were Judge Daly, Sheriff Hollschweller, County Clerk Gannon, County Collector Hagerty, Surrogate Clayton, Coroner Morgan, Deputy Sheriff Houghton and Grand Jury Clerk Schuyler Van Cleef.

Judge Daly made an excellent address, which was followed by other short speeches. William H. Quackenboss, the foreman, was presented with a beautiful pair of opera glasses of mother pearl, suitably engraved.

The occasion proved one of great pleasure to all in attendance.

DEMOCRATS GO ON ANNUAL OUTING

The annual excursion of the Democrats of Middlesex County to College Point took place on the steamer Point Comfort on Tuesday, and was a record breaker so far as numbers were concerned, about 100 going from this city alone. But in point of comfort the progress of the steamer going to the grove was anything but comfortable, for she moved only at a snail's pace. On her way home, some sandwiches must have been thrown in the furnace, as she moved at a lively gait. All the prominent Democrats of the county were on board, and Congressman Thomas J. Scully seemed to be the idol in popular favor.

The sun was well down in the west when Donnelly's Grove was reached, and all went ashore and enjoyed two hours in feasting. Some of the party came home by train supposing the boat would be until "the small hours" of the morning returning, but regretted their move, when they found that the Point Comfort could really get off a walk.

Skinner—Raynor.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raynor, of Highland street, was the scene of a beautiful wedding at 3 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Rachel E. Raynor, was united in the bonds of Holy matrimony to Mr. Frank D. Skinner, formerly of the Panama Canal Zone, but now of this city.

The beautiful ring ceremony was used, and wedding solemnized in the presence of a large circle of relatives and friends, a number being from out-of-town. The Rev. F. F. Craig, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride presented a charming appearance, attired in a gown of blue messaline, trimmed with lace, and carried a floral bouquet. The groom was attired in the conventional black. As they stood in the centre of the group of wedding guests and pledged their troth to each other, it was an impressive sight. At the conclusion of the ceremony, and after congratulations had been extended, the happy company sat down to a wedding repast which was lavishly served.

At 4:30 o'clock the bridal couple left in an automobile for Perth Amboy, where they took a train for New York, and from thence to Niagara Falls to spend their wedding trip.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Young, of Belford; Mrs. Phillips, the Misses Carrie and Nellie Phillips, of Long Island and Port Monmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Peters and Mrs. Mitchell, of Belford; Mrs. Bothwick, of Port Monmouth; Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, Fay Clark, Rev. F. F. Craig, Messrs. Chauncey, Raymond and Arthur Raynor, and Mrs. Grace Raynor.

Mrs. Skinner is assistant organist of the Senior C. E. Society of the Methodist Protestant Church and also a member of the choir. The happy couple have the best wishes of all their friends.

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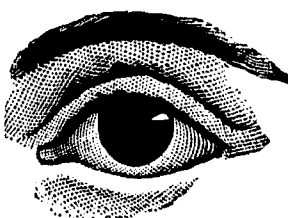
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PERSONAL

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

PERSONALS—

George Mahr, of Buffalo, is visiting in this city.

J. Frank Miller has returned from his trip in Canada.

Mrs. Anna Snyder was a Matawan visitor last Sunday.

James Rea, of Broadway, was a New York visitor Monday.

Mrs. B. Lambertson, of George st., is visiting at Matawan.

Lew Rogers, of John street, was a seashore visitor Sunday.

Lee Lawew, of Henry street, spent Sunday in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wyckoff are sojourning at Hainesburg.

F. M. Littell is enjoying his vacation at Schenectady, N. Y.

Mr. Charles S. Buckelew was a Newark visitor on Thursday.

William Crozier, of John street, was a New York visitor Saturday.

William H. Brumagim, of Second street, is away on a vacation.

Mrs. John Perkins, of David street, is vacationing at Asbury Park.

James Manion, of Main street, was a Newark visitor last Saturday.

Mrs. S. T. Bastedo returned home from Ocean Grove last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willett Martin, of Elizabeth, are sojourning in this city.

Master Andrew Dill has been visiting friends at Atlantic City this week.

Miss Martha Carlson is spending her vacation at her home in Cranbury.

Miss Clara G. Martin, of Jersey City, is visiting with friends in this city.

Mrs. F. W. Buckalew, of Elizabeth, has been a city visitor this week.

V. N. James, of Second street, was an Asbury Park visitor over Sunday.

Miss Loretta Schilly, of Second st., is in Stapleton, S. I., visiting friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pearse, of John st., is spending some time in Ocean Grove.

Mrs. Edward Rogers, of Burlington, visited friends in this city on Thursday.

Master Everitt Point of Jersey City is visiting his grandparents in this city.

Mrs. Hilton Smith, of Burlington, spent Tuesday with friends in this city.

Mrs. Edward Dolan and Miss Kitty Lenahan spent Tuesday at South Beach.

Mrs. Richard Lowndes, of John street, was a Trenton visitor last Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis E. Stults and daughter, Dorothy, are sojourning at Point Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Applegate spent the week end with their son at Runyon.

Albert M. Cole has been enjoying the sights at Niagara Falls during the past week.

Mr. William Emerson, of Old Bridge was a visitor in this city Tuesday afternoon.

Richard and Harper Lewis, of John street, are spending their vacation at Seabright.

Rev. George A. Welsh, of Seabright, visited his parents in this city on Wednesday.

Nicholas Howley, of Stockton street, spent Sunday at Palisades Amusement Park.

Mrs. E. W. Blizzard, of Broadway, is spending a vacation in the State of Delaware.

Miss Helen Ford, of New York, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Gormley, of George street.

Howard Bergen, of First street made a motor-cycle trip to Toms River this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Penny, of George street, were New York visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Steuerwald, of Newark, spent the week end with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mason have been spending the week at Ocean Grove and Asbury Park.

Mrs. Sanders, of Sayreville, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Joel Magnuson, of upper Main street.

Mr. Edward Anderson and Miss Margaret Donovan motored to Asbury Park on Wednesday.

Mr. Charles Sprague, of Second st., spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Berdine, of Florence.

Mr. Charles Rose, of Bordentown avenue, is spending a few weeks at Lake Sheldrake, N. Y.

The Misses Sarah and Lillian Disbrow, of John street, were Asbury Park visitors Saturday.

Mr. Byron Cleaver, of Perth Amboy, spent last Sunday with Latimer Penny, of George street.

Mr. Edward Hulitt, of the U. S. S. Connecticut, spent the week end with his mother in this city.

Theodore Manduka spent Tuesday with his parents in Millville. He returned Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Medinets, of Broadway, were Asbury Park and Ocean Grove visitors Sunday.

Mr. John Brophy and family of David street, spent a few days at the Delaware Water Gap this week.

Mrs. Ollie Brown, of Newark, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Thomas, of David street.

Miss Elizabeth Biles, of New Brunswick, spent the early part of this week visiting friends in this city.

Harry Ware, the local electrician for the Pennsylvania railroad, was a Philadelphia visitor over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shellers, of Runyon, broke camp at Morgan and returned to their home last Saturday.

Edward Sutliff left this city on Sunday to visit some of his college chums at Fall River, Springfield and other cities of Massachusetts.

Miss Katherine Houghton, of New Brunswick, is visiting the Misses Anna and Sallie O'Connor, of David st.

Mrs. K. Guyton, of New Brunswick, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. E. J. O'Connor, of David street.

Miss Nanna Scully and Miss Katherine O'Connor have returned from Portland, Me., where they spent their vacation.

Rev. J. E. Shaw, of the M. E. Church is spending his annual vacation of two weeks in Asbury Park.

Miss Elsie McDowell, of Prospect street, returned from a visit with relatives in Jamesburg on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Marguerite Olsen, of New Brunswick, spent Wednesday afternoon with her aunt, Mrs. John Samuelson, of George street.

Mr. John Bogart, of Bordentown avenue, returned early Saturday morning from Johnstown, Pa., where he had spent his vacation.

Miss Helen Lewis, of John street, was in attendance at the birthday party of her cousin, Dorothy Van Dusen, of Perth Amboy, on Monday last.

Miss Katherine Murphy who has been visiting at the home of James McDonnell, of Church street, returned to her home in Rome, N. Y., last Tuesday.

Mrs. Jane R. Bastedo, Mrs. J. E. Robinson and Miss Katherine Robinson, of Point Pleasant, spent Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bastedo, of George street.

Miss Ida Nilson, of Cranbury, and Mrs. August Larson, Mrs. A. Linden, Mrs. Olaf Olsen, Mrs. Joel Magnusen, and Miss Betty Johnson, of this city, were guests of Mrs. Augustus Gally, of South River, on Monday afternoon last.

The many friends of Miss Elizabeth Dayton, of George street, will be pleased to learn that she has returned home from Saint Barnabas Hospital, Newark, where she underwent a successful operation, and that she is on the road to rapid recovery.

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The Old Painter.

An anecdote which Charles Francis Adams told years ago to the young Henry Cabot Lodge was retold by him in Scribner's. It was one of Gilbert Stuart and of Mr. Adams' grandfather. Stuart painted a portrait of John Adams in extreme old age, when he was nearing his ninetieth year. It is a very fine portrait of the old man leaning on his cane. Charles Francis Adams, a boy of eighteen, used to keep his grandfather company during the sittings and watch the painter at work. He said that Stuart, who was old, too, and near the end of his career, was physically feeble. Both his hands shook violently. From a quivering palette he would take his color, and with his brush shaking and trembling he would touch the picture. Mr. Adams said it looked as if he might dash the paint on anywhere, but the brush always touched the portrait, extraordinary as it seemed, in exactly the right spot and in the right way. Despite his shaking hands and trembling fingers the old artist never made a mistake.

Bear Hunting in India.

Among the sports of India is the capturing of bears, and to this end curious means are sometimes devised. For example, four or five sturdy men are armed, two with long spears cross barred on the handles close to the sharp two edged blade, and two or three with ten foot bamboos, of which the ends are smeared with bird lime. These hunters sally forth with dogs before dawn. They pass along the base of the hills with the fresh morning wind blowing up the plains below. Should the hunters be lucky it is not long before the dogs wind the bear. The dogs are slipped and disappear in the semidarkness. Soon their roaring and growling indicate that they have found the game. The hunters run up to the spot where the bear is fighting with the dogs. The men with the bladed poles poke the bear in the ribs and adroitly twist the ends in its long hair, thus holding it fast on each flank. The spearmen complete the operation by repeated spear thrusts.

Modern Witches.

Centuries have passed since "witches" were executed in England, but in very recent times they have suffered physical harm. Dr. Jessop knew a Norfolk man who died in 1883, and in the sixties had joined with his two brothers in a night expedition to the house of an old woman. They took her out of bed, and in the presence of half a dozen other people threw her into a pond, "where she would infallibly have been drowned, but that some who were not so mad as the rest cried out that she was sinking to the bottom and must be saved." The conclusive evidence against her was that she kept a black cat and wore a black silk dress on Sundays. In 1882 there was still alive, and master in an elementary school, one who, as a young man, had scratched a "witch's" arms till the blood poured down, because she had "overlooked" him, and only so could his health be restored.—London Chronicle.

Compulsory Illuminations.

The west end of London is always ablaze with lights on the evening of the king's birthday, but no living Londoner can claim to have seen a general illumination of the metropolis. In his "Recollection and Reflection" J. R. Planché writes: "The last general illumination of London was that celebrating the battle of Waterloo. Now there are more beautiful displays, but this one was really general. Not a window in the smallest court but had its candle stuck in a lump of clay, while in houses of more pretension one blazed in every pane. Mobs paraded the metropolis from Hyde park corner to Whitechapel with cries of 'Light up!' and smashed every window that did not swiftly display a dip in answer to the summons."

Charm of the Nutmeg Tree.

The nutmeg tree has all seasons for its own. Every day in the year it shows buds, blossoms and fruit in every stage of maturing. The shell of the nutmeg is like a bit of polished ebony, and the mace it exposes when it bursts is of a bright scarlet. With all these varied features upon it at the same time, the nutmeg tree is one of the most beautiful exhibitors of the odd and beautiful in vegetation that the world possesses.—Browning's Magazine.

No Fancy Shaves For Him.

The weather was warm, and Pat decided to shave on the back porch. Mrs. Casey, across the way, observed this. "Pat," she called, "shure an' Oi see ye air shavin' outside."

"Begorra," he responded, "and did ye think Oi was fur lined?"—Judge.

Going the Limit.

"Jones—If Mr. Oldboy makes any such assertion I will denounce him as a liar. President—Mr. Jones, I will call you to order. Our bylaws do not allow you to go that far. Jones—Then I call Mr. Oldboy a liar as far as it is permitted by the bylaws of this association.—London Telegraph.

Minister Praises This Laxative.

Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Allison, Ia., in praising Dr. King's New Life Pills for constipation, writes:—"Dr. King's no home should be without them." New Life Pills are such perfect pills no better regulator for the liver and bowels. Every pill guaranteed. Try them. Price 25c, at all druggists.

SNARES IN ENGLISH.

Puzzles For Foreigners Who Are Learning the Language.

It is hard for the person to whom English is his native tongue to realize what a struggle the foreigner has to understand some of the peculiarities of our spelling and pronunciation. One foreigner gives the following description of his first lesson in an English class.

"We have been given a book to learn the letters. I arrive at the class, having learned them perfectly.

Soon, in the course of the lesson, we have the word I-o-w. "Love," I pronounce it, thinking the w has the sound of v.

"No; it is pronounced 'to,'" says the teacher.

"Then why is the w there?" I inquire, mystified.

"It is there because that is the way the word is spelled," responds the teacher, "but it is silent. Never mind why; it is sufficient to know that it is there."

Before long we come to n-o-w.

"Pronounce it," says the teacher.

"No," I reply.

"Why will you not?" she asks me.

It is some time before she understands that I am trying to pronounce the word when I say "No." Then she declares that, although I-o-w is I-o, n-o-w is now.

"If you want to make it no," she explains kindly, "you put k before it."

You may believe I am bewildered.

However, I memorize that n-o-w is now.

The next word is s-n-o-w. I pronounce it like now with an s before it.

The teacher laughs. The w is again become silent, apparently for no reason, and the word is called sno.

But that is not all. Later I find that if you drop the n from snow you can pronounce it whichever way you like.—Youth's Companion.

LONDON'S QUEER MARKET.

All Its Wares Are Strawn Upon the Cobbled Pavements.

There are many queer markets scattered over the face of the globe, but London, among its many other unique features, is the proud possessor of what is perhaps the strangest and most extraordinary of them all.

At the Caledonia market, Islington, whence the great metropolis draws a large proportion of its meat supply, the cobbled pavements, with their countless rows of white fenced pens, are usually given up to the display of fat stock, but Fridays "a change comes o'er the spirit of the dream." The cobbled pavements are there, the white pens still break up the wide expanse, but no cattle or sheep are to be seen.

On that day the great market is given over to a throng of miscellaneous traders, whose wares provide the most amazing contrasts imaginable. There is nothing in the whole gamut of human devices and needs which one may not come across displayed in some odd collection set forth on the cobbles. The traders use few counters or stalls. Each of them, whether he has a stock worth three or four hundred pounds or a few rusty old bolts and spindles which one might reasonably expect to purchase for a shilling or two, dumps his wares on the pavement of the market. Moreover, at this remarkable place there are markets within markets, each taking its regular turn and place during the day and then packing up and vanishing. The market was opened by Prince Albert, Queen Victoria's consort, about sixty years ago.—Wide World Magazine.

Wager of Battle.

In 1817 one Richard Thornton, called to the bar of the king's bench charged with the murder of Mary Askford, in open court threw down his glove and defied his accuser, whereupon there was a pretty to do. Wager of battle, it was supposed, had died a natural death in the dark ages, but Lord Ellenborough after much consultation of precedent held that it was still the law of England and ordered a field to be prepared. Thornton's accuser thereupon declining combat, the prisoner was discharged. Next year parliament passed an act abolishing this privilege of appeal to the strong right arm.

Concoited.

"So you broke your engagement with him."

"Yes."

"What for?"

"He's a concoited thing. I simply couldn't stand him."

"I never heard him brag. What makes you think him concoited?"

"All the time we were engaged he never once told me that he was unworthy of my love."—Detroit Free Press.

Provisional Government.

"Father," said the small boy, "what is a provisional government?"

"Well, my son, my impression in a general way is that a provisional government is one that has to keep hustling from day to day for provisions."—Washington Star.

The Best of Friends.

"Are you good friends of the Browns?"

"I should think so. We're taking care of their canary, bulldog and goldfish while they're abroad."—Detroit Free Press.

Difficult Feat.

There are a lot of difficult feats, but probably the most difficult of all is that of remembering the name of the man to whom you have just been introduced.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Lay hold on life with both hands. Wherever thou mayest seize it, it is interesting.—Goethe.

For the Children

Dog Knows His Master's Favorite Music.



MASTER TOMMY WITH HIS PET COLLIE.

Most of you children have seen the advertisement of a certain talking machine which shows a clever little fox terrier dog listening to his master's voice as it comes through the transmitting horn.

Well, here's a splendid, fine collie puppy who not only recognizes his young owner's voice, but is perfectly familiar with the music played on the piano by his talented master.

There is a spirited march that makes the dog come from under the piano and walk about the room to the stirring strains, sidestepping and prancing about in wonderful dog fashion.

He never whines and yelps as so many of his kind do at the sound of music, but seems to appreciate it in a remarkably intelligent manner.

Master Tommy is something of an all round sport, and he and the dog have many an exciting wrestling match in which it is hard to find out which is the winner.

Consequences.

One of the most popular games at a party is consequences. It is an old favorite, but has lost none of its charms with age. The players sit in a circle.

Each person is provided with a half sheet of note paper, and a pencil and is asked to write on the top (1) one or more adjectives, then to fold the paper over so that what has been written cannot be seen. Every player has to pass his or her paper on to the right hand neighbor, and all have then to write on the top of the paper that has been passed by the left hand neighbor (2) "the name of the gentleman."

After this the paper must again be folded and passed as before; this time must be written (3) one or more adjectives; then (4) a lady's name; next (5) where they met; next (6) what he gave her; next (7) what he said to her; next (8) what she said to him; next (9) the consequence and lastly (10) what the world said about it.

Be careful that every time anything has been written the paper is folded down and passed on to the player on your right.

When every one has written what the world says the papers are collected and one of the company proceeds to read out the various papers, and the result may be something like this:

(1) The horrifying and delightful (2) Mr. Brown (3) met the charming (4) Miss Phillips (5) in Westchester park; (6) he gave her a flower (7) and said to her, "How's your mother?" (8) She said to him, "Not for Joseph." (9) The consequence was they danced the hornpipe and the world said, (10) "Just what we expected."

A Little Bird Told Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Robin have just returned from their annual trip to Florida.

The newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Thrush, have been looking for furnished apartments in the Grove. It is to be hoped that they will soon be settled and give us all a "house warming" party.

Our friend Mr. Blue Jay has laid in a lot of horsehair and straw for building purposes. He will sell them to the highest bidder. Come early and avoid the rush.

Friends of the Wrens will find them at home hereafter in their new quarters at the junction of Old Fence and the Stone Wall.

Mr. Robin is organizing a police force to drive out the unruly sparrows who have taken up their summer abode in the Park Trees. Good for Mr. Robin!

The Kind Word.

Some of the older boys and girls doubtless studied cancellation in school last winter. But there is another kind of cancellation that can be used by boys and girls of all ages, says Apples of Gold. For example, two boys were speaking of another boy.

"He is slow in games," said one.

"Yes," replied the other, "but he always plays fair."

"He is so stupid in school," said the first boy.

"But he always studies hard," answered the second.

Thus, you see, every unkind word spoken by the first boy was canceled by a kind word from the second.

A Young Cynic.



Tom—They say that every woman is beautiful in some one's eyes. Do you believe it?

Jack—Certainly—if you include her own.—Philadelphia Press.

The Completed Work.



"Love for your daughter has driven me half crazy."

"It has, eh? Well, who completed the job?"—New York American.

Logic.



Teacher—Who'll tell me what is meant by the floating population?

Kid—People who live in houseboats.—Kansas City Star.

Foolish.



"Dad, aren't washerwomen foolish?"

"Are they? Why?"

"Why, because they set tubs to catch soft water when it rains hard."—Comic Cuts.

Breaking His Promise.



"All the same, you promised mother that you'd never let a cloud come between us."—Pele Mele.

A Compromise.



Private Secretary—I only want enough salary so I can marry and be comfortable.

R. R. President—What you ask is impossible, but I'll give you enough money to marry on.—Chicago News.

General D. F. Collins is out for Fielder for Governor

Union County Man Indorses Acting Governor "BECAUSE HE HAS MADE GOOD"

GENERAL D. F. COLLINS of Elizabeth, Democratic state committeeman from Union county, is one of the most ardent supporters of Governor Fielder in the state. General Collins was originally a Wittpenn man, but that was before Fielder became a candidate. His decision to support Fielder was not a political "flip" in any sense of the word, but was rather a recognition of the present acting governor's superior training and mental equipment for the office. In the words of General Collins:

"Fielder's advent into the race effected a complete change in the situation, and I was immediately impressed with his availability and splendid equipment for the position.

"His service of eight years in the legislature—two years in the lower house and six years in the senate—has naturally put him in close touch with the great questions at issue in our state and in the solution of which the public is so vitally interested.

"DURING THIS LONG SERVICE HE HAS LOYALLY STOOD WITH THE PARTY AND WAS, IN FACT, THE LEADER IN THE LEGISLATIVE CONTESTS FOR THE ENACTMENT OF THOSE PROGRESSIVE LAWS WHICH, UNDER THE MASTERFUL HAND OF WILSON, HAVE BEEN WRITTEN INTO STATUTE.

"Upon the election of Governor Wilson to the presidency Mr. Fielder succeeded him in the gubernatorial chair by reason of his position as president of the senate.

"Every fair minded person must admit that he assumed this great responsibility under most trying conditions and surrounded by many difficulties and pitfalls. Yet, to his credit, he it is said, he has measured up to the situation splendidly and discharged the duties of the position in a manner creditable alike to himself and his party and justified the splendid indorsement given to him by President Wilson when he turned over to Fielder the governorship.

"I am heartily in favor of the nomination of James F. Fielder for governor because he has made good. His experience and training particularly qualify him for the position at this time.

"TO MY MIND HE IS THE LOGICAL CANDIDATE TO NOMINATE. TO DO OTHERWISE WOULD BE A SERIOUS MISTAKE. HIS PRIVATE AS WELL AS HIS PUBLIC CAREER IS WITHOUT A BLEMISH.

"Honest, unassuming and easy to approach, he is favored with a natural dignity and reserve which go to make an attractive personality. His candidacy is growing in public favor. Union county will give him a decisive majority at the primary in September, and I predict his nomination and election as the next governor of New Jersey."

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WEEKLY LETTER TO FARMERS.
(By F. R. Stevens, Agriculturist.
Lehigh Valley Railroad.)

Much has already been done to make life on the farm more desirable than it was a generation ago. The former has the telephone, the parcel post, and free delivery of his mail. Farming itself is becoming more remunerative and more attractive because of improved machinery and better methods.

There are still objections, however, to the farm as a home on the part of those who have had a taste of life in the city with its many conveniences. Some of these conveniences we may not have in the country, but one of these, and that perhaps, the most important is within reach of many farmers.

I refer to an adequate supply of water running at the barn and in the house whenever a faucet is turned. Such a supply would lighten work at the barn and in the kitchen and the work would be better done than it is now. Besides the kitchen we should have a bathroom with the fixtures usually found there. Running water in kitchen and bathroom would mean, of course, a drain sufficiently large and entirely sanitary. What I am proposing then would demand three things:

1. An abundant supply of water.
2. Proper fixtures in kitchen and bathroom.
3. A good drainage system.

The source of water may be a spring or well, but in either case it will usually be necessary to pump the water either into a reservoir with sufficient elevation to give the necessary flow or into a closed pressure tank. The latter method is gaining in favor as the tank may be entirely hidden and is free from danger of freezing. Either a gasoline engine or a windmill will do the necessary pumping.

The question for fixtures for kitchen and bathroom is not as serious as formerly in the time of lead pipe and wiped joints. They all can be bought with standard threads and connected with gas or steam pipe so that the farmer with ordinary mechanical skill can do all the work of installation. Their cost will vary according to one's taste, but a liberal estimate would be for kitchen sink ten dollars and for bathroom fixtures fifty dollars. The drain is the most important part of the problem because of its bearing on health, but it can be safely laid with vitrified or glazed pipe if joints are cemented and a properly constructed septic tank is provided.

I am not here attempting to more than outline the essential parts of a farm water system, the details and information as to proper construction of every part can be obtained without expense in New York State from the College of Agriculture at Ithaca, and in Pennsylvania from the Director of Industries at Harrisburg or by sending to C. A. True, Experiment Station, Washington, for farmer's bulletin No. 527.

It is not necessary to do all the work at one time. First, make sure of a good water supply and then take it to the barn. Next pipe it into the house and put in kitchen sink and a drain of five or six inch glazed pipe. Last of all install fixtures in bathroom and connect them with drain. This work may well extend over a year or two and be done at your leisure. The important thing is that we recognize a good water system, with its attendant advantages as necessary on a farm and work toward it as soon and as rapidly as possible.

One of the attendant advantages I have already suggested: the work at house and barn would be easier, another advantage lies in the fact that life in a house with running water and bathroom privileges is much pleasanter than in a house without them. This one of the reasons why our boys and girls go into the city or away to school do not return to the old home. Farm life is hard at its best, especially, perhaps, for our wives and daughters. Shall we not wisely do all that may be done to make it easier and more attractive?

She Knew.

"Darling," he murmured, as soon as they had been seated in the high-priced restaurant, "you can have anything you want on the bill of fare. Shall I read it off to you?" "No," replied the dear girl, "just read it to the waiter."

Secret of Perfect Mortar Lost.

The man who could dislodge the buried recipe for Roman mortar would be bowed down to and worshiped by the builders of the present day. How they made it is a profound secret, and bids fair to remain so. The mortar is as firm now as it was two thousand years ago; it has calmly scoffed at the ravages of time and weather.

Sporting Comment.

SHERIDAN A. C. TO
PLAY WOODBRIDGE

The Sheridan A. C. have decided to travel now as they do not seem to be able to make their expenses on the home grounds.

Next Sunday will be their first game of the new schedule which will take them to Woodbridge to meet a team representing that place. They will use the same lineup as heretofore and a good game is expected from the boys after their long rest.

The following Sunday Manager Delaney expects to take his warriors to Matawan to meet the A. C. of that place. The team will play on the home grounds from time to time when their traveling engagements allow them to do so.

According to Manager Delaney, they would like to have another chance at the Athletics if they have not broken up and if they have, he is willing to meet an all star team composed of the players comprised in the old Athletic team.

Y. M. C. A. TEAM RESTING.

Some one said that the management of the Y. M. C. A. team was left in the hands of the secretary. Anyway it looks like the players are having a vacation as well as Mr. Deacon. Well, after their good showing at Spotswood, it was coming to them.

Red Bank Has Fast Yacht Race.

Eight sloops of the Red Bank Yacht Club participated on the North Shrewsbury river at Red Bank, on Saturday afternoon. Only five finished. The scratch event was captured by May Win, J. Frank James. The handicap event was won by John J. Gillig's Papoose. A steady southwest wind caused the craft to fairly fly through the water. At times the decks were covered with water.



"Oh, how do you do, dear? I haven't seen you for some time. What's new?" "Nothing special, only my husband." —Fliegende Blätter.

The Other Side.

"You shouldn't be dissatisfied," said the optimist. "Look at all you have." "Yes," assented the pessimist, "but look at all I haven't." —Judge.

Life's Stage.

Patience—Do you believe this life's a stage? Patience—Sure, and all the women want to be leading ladies.—Yonkers Statesman.

The man of brains sees difficulties, surmounts or avoids them. The fool knows no difficulties.—La Bruyere.

LIVED REAL DRAMA.

Henning Berger, the author of "The Deluge," which will be produced under the management of Arthur Hopkins early in the season, has lived through more than one drama in his own life. "In the first place," Berger recently wrote to Frank Allen, who adapted and translated the play for production in this country, "my whole life in America, or, to be more specific, in Chicago, was a drama, or at least I suppose one would call it a drama. I heard a lecturer who was speaking on the technique of drama say on one occasion that conflict of some sort was essential to dramatic action. I had a conflict every day out there trying to keep soul and body together."

And no sooner had Berger returned to his own country, where "The Deluge" was written and produced, to become the leading success of the day, than drama turned for a moment into grim tragedy. The playwright on the very evening when he was guest of honor at a banquet served to celebrate his success accidentally shot and killed his best friend. Although it was obviously an accident, Swedish laws demanded his imprisonment for six months, and Berger spent the succeeding half year in jail.

CARNIVAL AT KEANSBURG
IS NOW IN PROGRESS

The carnival celebration at Keansburg commenced Friday and will continue all next week. The following program has been prepared for the carnival:

August 15—Coronation of king and queen at dancing pavilion, followed by coronation dance.

August 16—Athletic sports; special exhibitions; concerts afternoon, and evening.

August 17—Concert at pavilion, preaching by the Rev. Charles T. Naylor, of Brooklyn.

August 18—Concert on boardwalk; 8 p. m. prize dancing at pavilion.

August 19—Floral parade on boardwalk; flower display; balloon dance at pavilion; concert and greased pig chase.

August 21—Children's carnival at pavilion.

August 22—Water sports; masquerade and Mardi Gras on boardwalk; ball in pavilion.

August 23—Baby show at pavilion and baby parade on boardwalk, led by king and queen.

There will be souvenirs and prizes for each entry. Crowds of visitors are arriving daily, and a record attendance at the carnival is assured.

Brunswick's Down Plainfield.

The Plainfield baseball nine was defeated Saturday by the Brunswick at New Brunswick, by a score of 9 to 1. These two teams the first time they met played a better game. Plainfield winning, 3 to 0. In the factory league games Johnson & Johnson won over the Simplex nine 5 to 2, the Refrigerator team defeated the Lamp and Bronze 3 to 1 and the Consolidated Fruit Jar nine won over the New Brunswick Cigar team 8 to 3.

Read advertisements in The Citizen.

Snags in English.

A Russian artist who has so thoroughly mastered the English language that all its subtleties are as familiar to him as are those of the language of the czar was telling a few friends about the difficulties he encountered. "You have so many superfluous letters," he said, "that when I began to think I was becoming a master of your language I succeeded in having myself laughed at a dozen times a day. I began to learn English in Boston, its American fortress. One day while walking with a friend I saw a street sign. 'Oh, I said, 'what a funny name for a street! Kneeland street!' I pronounced the K. 'You're wrong,' said my friend. 'You pronounce it 'Nee-land' street. The K is silent.' I took the lesson to heart. The next day I went into a restaurant. I looked over the bill of fare. 'Give me some 'id-neys,' I said. The servitor looked at me agast. Finally in desperation I pointed to the record of what I wanted. 'Oh! Kidneys,' he said. 'Excuse me,' I rejoined haughtily, 'the K is silent.'"

Gladstone on Disraeli.

G. A. Storey, A. R. A., recorded a touching incident he witnessed at the academy banquet of 1881 when a portrait for which Beaconsfield had sat to Millais shortly before his death was among the exhibits. "This unfinished work, pale and even ghastly, was in one of the side galleries. Gladstone, catching sight of the picture, went and stood long in front of it. * * * No one disturbed him. At the end of the feast Gladstone rose and in the finest and most feeling tone delivered a panegyric on the great man who had passed away. In a voice clear and sympathetic and full of emotion he told us of his admiration for the sterling qualities of the man who, though opposed to him in politics, was in no other sense an opponent. He spoke as only one generous in heart and of a broad and great mind could speak of another great man who had passed away. The speech surpassed anything I ever heard."—London Chronicle.

A Park of Glaciers.

Glacier National park is situated in northern Montana, 230 miles northwest of Yellowstone park in an air line and 447 miles by railroad. It is under the control and supervision of the secretary of the interior, who is represented in the actual administration of the park by a superintendent, assisted by a number of park rangers who patrol the reservation. The park is bounded on the north by the Canadian line, on the east by the Blackfoot reservation and on the west and south by the Flathead river. It has an area of about 915,000 acres and derives its name from many glaciers which are scattered throughout its area. There are eighty glaciers between five square miles and a few acres in area. The park is a rugged mountainous region and contains over 250 lakes, which are surrounded by steep and beautifully wooded mountains.

In the Navy of Life.

"Does the hero marry the heroine at the end of all their troubles?" "No; at the beginning."—Judge.

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IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY—Between The Star Building and Loan Association, of South Amboy, N. J., complainant, and Louis Borlund, et. al, defendants. Pl. Fa, for sale of mortgaged premises, dated July 9, 1913.

By virtue of the above stated writ to me directed and delivered, I will expose to sale at public vendue, on **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST TWENTIETH NINETEEN HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN,**

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Sheriff's office, in the City of New Brunswick, New Jersey. All tract or parcel of lands and premises, situate, lying and being in the City of South Amboy, in the County of Middlesex, and State of New Jersey.

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Beginning at a point fifty-one feet eight inches from the corner of Raritan street and Ridgeway avenue and also at the corner of lot number two, now owned by the party of the second part, thence (1) along the northerly line of Ridgeway avenue, westerly sixty feet two inches more or less to land of Cornelia Fouratt, thence (2) along the line of said Fouratt, eighty-three feet, more or less to the line of lot number five, thence (3) along the line of lot number fifty, fifty-eight feet more or less to lot number two, land of the party of the second part, thence (4) along the line of lot number two one hundred feet more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

Also all that tract or parcel of land in the township of Sayreville, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

Known and designated on a certain map of lots made and surveyed by Henry M. Thomas, A. D. 1832, and known as a map of the town of Melrose, and on file in the office of the Clerk of the County of Middlesex as lots twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three and thirty-four (27-34) inclusive in block number (150). Bounded as follows: Beginning at the corner of Chestnut street and Roll avenue, thence (1) along the line of Roll avenue, two hundred feet to lot number thirty-five, thence (2) along the side line of lot number thirty-five one hundred feet to the centre of said block, thence (3) along the centre line of said block two hundred feet to Chestnut street, thence along the line of Chestnut street, one hundred feet to the place of beginning.

Together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, and also all the right, title and interest of the said defendants of, in and to the same.

ALBERT BOLLISCHWEILER, Sheriff.
JOHN A. COAN, Solicitor.
\$23.12 7-26-4

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

FRANCIS P. KIRBY, ADMINISTRATOR of Michael S. Kirby, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Michael S. Kirby, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred of any action therefor against the said administrator. Dated June 14, 1913.

FRANCIS P. KIRBY, Administrator
6-21-9

NOTICE.

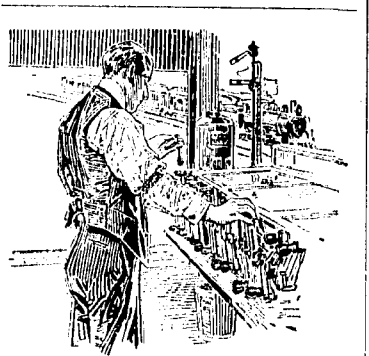
ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice, that the Subscriber, executor, etc., of William J. Marshall, deceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the fifth day of September, 1913, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April, 1913, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate. Dated July 31, 1913.

FREDERICK DIEBERT, Executor.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice, that the Subscriber, Executor, etc., of Thomas Broderick, deceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the twenty-ninth day of August, 1913, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April, 1913, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate. Dated July 22, 1913.

JOHN S. COAKLEY, Executor.
7-26-5



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Gen. Wm. S. Truax Post, No. 113, G. A. R., meets first and third Wednesday afternoon of each month at 3 o'clock, in Michael Welsh's Hall. Commander, Aaron Stillwell; Adjutant, S. H. Chatten.

St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 63, F. & A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first and third Mondays of each month (excepting 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, M. Lee Stults; Recording Secretary, A. R. Chatten.

Gorm Lodge, No. 86, D. B. S.—Regular meetings second and fourth Fridays of each month at 8 p. m., in Bundsen's Hall. President, Louis Borlund, Jr.; Secretary, Jens Thompson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; Treasurer, John S. Lund.

Star of Jersey Lodge, No. 484, B. of L. F. and E., meets in Welsh's Hall, First and Third Sundays of each month at 2 p. m. J. E. Pippett, President; L. D. Wortley, Financial Secretary and Treasurer; F. L. Hawes, Recording Secretary.

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. William W. Anderson, president; Charles S. Bucklew, vice-president; Bert Lambertson, Master of Forms; John French, financial secretary; Joseph E. Pippett, recording secretary; Joseph Hubbard, chaplain; Peter J. Cassidy, treasurer.

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. Ethel Stults; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada Ward.

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

Protection Engine Company meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at Engine House, Bergen Hill, at 7:30 p. m. President, William Birmingham; Treasurer, Michael Welch; Foreman, Patrick Conway; Secretary, Francis Stanton.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 96, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Grand, Syrus E. Davis; Secretary, Charles P. Thomas; Financial Secretary, Adolph Steiner.

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.

Lady Grace Lodge, No. 27, D. of R. I. O. O. F. meets on the First and Third Friday evening of each month, in Scully'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.

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, Poca-hontas, Mrs. Bertha Warner; K. of R., Kate J. Berlew.

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, Joseph F. Christoph; Keeper of Records and Seals, William A. Chapman.

Seneca Tribe, No. 23, Imp'd. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Knights of Pythias Hall. Sachem, John French; Chief of Records, George G. Oliver; Collector of Wampum, Stephen Miller.

Sterling Castle, No. 50, K. G. E., meets first and third Saturday evening of each month, at 7:30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Chief, Charles T. Grace; Master of Records, George H. Mack.

United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Local 1392, meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month in People's Hall, Sayreville. President, Benjamin Crabell; Vice-President, Fred Keonig; Recording Secretary, Fred Johnson; Financial Secretary, Frank M. Irwin; Treasurer, Charles Englehart.

Singing Society Liederkrantz, South Amboy. Practice of singing takes place every Monday of each month at 8 p. m. Business meeting held every first Monday of each month at 9 p. m. Fred Thumhart, President; Kutscher, vice-president; Harry Richard, secretary; Chas. Steuwerwald, treasurer; B. Grohe, librarian.

Court Raritan, No. 41, F. of A., 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 Borlund; Finan. Secretary, Edward Dewan; Treasurer, Michael Zupko; Rec. Secretary, Louis Meizer; Sr. Woodward, Nelson Kvist; 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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For New York, Newark and Elizabeth at 6:23, 7:06, *7:50, *8:19, 10:01, 11:11 a. m.; 12:28, 3:19, 4:35, 5:00, 6:24, 7:34, 8:08, 9:44 p. m. Sundays, 8:26 a. m.; 1:17, 5:02, 6:47, 8:46, 9:22, 10:10 p. m.

For Long Branch, Asbury Park, etc., 5:22, 8:53, 11:50 a. m.; 2:29, 4:37, 6:39, 10:00, 12:56 p. m. Sundays, 4:28, 8:27, 9:42 a. m.; 5:02, 9:36, 12:06 p. m. For Freehold, 5:22, 7:08, 8:53, 11:50 a. m.; 2:29, 5:39, 6:26, 6:39, p. m. Sundays, 11:10, a. m.; 5:02, 9:36, p. m. *New York only

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FOR RENT.

TO LET—Five-room house on Felts street. Gas and water. Apply corner Henry and Felts streets. 8-16-2

FOR RENT—House, six rooms, on Catharine street. Apply to Mrs. H. J. Berrien. 8-16

FOR RENT—Flat, four rooms and bath, room, stationary range. Inquire 71 Borden town avenue. 8-16-2

FOR RENT—Flat, four large rooms, gas, bath, all improvements on Borden town avenue. Apply to S. Lerner. 8-17-1

FOR RENT—House, six rooms, gas, water, etc., 105 David street. Apply to Miss M. J. Everett, Borden town avenue. 8-17-1

FLAT TO LET on David street—P. J. Monaghan. 1-11-1

FOR RENT—Store, 192 Broadway, P. F. Kenna. 7-4-1

FOR RENT—Rooms in Parson Building. Steam heat, electric light and water. Inquire on premises. 8-17-1

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Four houses, all improvements, good location. Apply to A. Steiner, 25 Church street. 8-16-1

FOR SALE—Nine room house, cellar under whole house, gas, city water, and three lots on George street, known as the Edwards property. Could be made into a two-family house with little expense. Make an offer. Apply at Citizen office. 8-17-1

FOR SALE—Five lots on Second street. Will sell single lots if desired. A. Steiner, 25 Church street. 1-11-1

FOR SALE—A special bargain in a nine room house and 3 lots, city water and gas, electric lights. Also 6 room house, fine yard with flowers and fruit. Gas, hot and cold water, large stationary range. Also several special farm bargains ranging from six acres upwards. 22 lots in Block 11 lots at sacrifice price. All lots are extra size, some as deep as 200 feet. Charles S. Buckelew 8-25-1

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FOR SALE—Roll Top Desk and Postal Typewriter. J. Alfred Johnson, 182 Broadway, City. 8-16-1

WE STORE YOUR furniture in airy rooms. Reasonable rates. Money advanced on storage receipts. Millers' Furniture Store, 315-317 State St. cor. Fayette, Perth Amboy, N. J. 5-10

MONEY TO LOAN in sums of \$100, \$200, \$500, \$1000, \$2000 and up to \$25,000. Inquire at Law Office of John A. Lovely, 149 Broadway. 8-16-1

MONEY TO LOAN on Bond and Mortgage apply to J. A. Coen, P. O. Building. 8-16-1

FOR SALE—A baby carriage, up-to-date, A-1 condition. Address for full particulars to L. P. O. Box 486, South Amboy. 7-5

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl, about 15 or 16 years of age, for light housework. E. R. Brown, 101 Main street. 8-23

WANTED—A woman to do washing half-day a week. Address L. P. O. Box 486, South Amboy. 7-5

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On August 8th, between railroad and my house on Second street, a Masonic ring. Suitable reward if returned to Lewis S. Dill, 49 Second street. 8-9

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED—A strong Polish girl desires position at general housework. Address P. O. Box 382, or call phone 40, South Amboy, N. J. 7-19

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FOR SALE—1913 Model, Motor Cycles and Motor Boats at bargain prices, all makes, brand new machines, on easy monthly payment plan. Get our proposition before buying or you will regret it. Also bargains in used Motor Cycles. Write us today. Enclose stamp for reply. Address Lock Box 11, Trenton, Mich. 7-24-10

Discipline.

The rigor of discipline seems undesirable to many in the present generation. They are unaware that obedience is strengthening and peace giving. A military regime, with its iron-clad discipline, does not break spirit. It makes men ready for forced marches and to meet death. If discipline hurt the human spirit, then soldiers would never win battles. Battles would be won by mobs. Discipline does not diminish life. It enhances life, and so confers a sense of peace.—Collier's Weekly.

Wrote His "Leaders" at Home.

Alfred Austin, while British poet laureate, was lucky in his work as a journalist. For many years he did his daily task at home with the assistance of a telegraph wire run into his study sixty miles from the London Standard office. His instructions came over the wire and his editorial article went to town by train. Sometimes he would telegraph the whole article.

Got No Sympathy from Him.

Fort Scott has a citizen who is a dyspeptic and therefore has a grievance against anybody that has an appetite. Recently a hobo met him on the street. "Mister," said the hobo, "I haven't had anything to eat but a sack of peanuts in four days." "That's all you need, you glutton," exclaimed the Fort Scott man.—Kansas City Star.

Most of us admire a fool as long as he has money.

ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

Preparations are being made for the further dredging of Cheesapeake creek.

Joe A. Sexton motored to Union Valley Thursday night where he attended the Harvest Home.

The work at the Woodbridge Creek Bridge has been completed, much to the satisfaction of the traveling public.

R. P. Mason, of First street, will occupy the pulpit of the First M. E. Church of John street, Sunday morning and evening.

Street Commissioner Connors has had Church street brushed up this week, and its improved appearance is very noticeable.

John Salmon, of Mechanicsville, has accepted a position as clerk with Samuel Medinets in the latter's hardware store on Broadway.

Clarence H. Edwards, carpenter and builder, has moved to No. 36 John street, where his residence and shop will be for the future.

The Jersey Central Traction Company has placed Belgian block between their rails at the junction of Main street and Broadway. A much needed improvement.

Before Justice Mason on Friday on

complaint of Game Warden Steuward William Buckelew was fined \$20.00 for gunning without a license. The fine was paid.

The old benches in the local New

York and Long Branch railroad station have been taken out and wall seats, stained a stone color, substituted in their stead.

A house service water pipe has

broken at First street, near Broadway, and as the water oozes through the ground it presents the appearance of a bubbling spring.

The piece of road from Stevens to

Pine avenues on Bordentown avenue is certainly in wretched condition due principally to the Public Service Street Railway Co. not keeping the roadbed of their tracks filled in.

The young lads in the vicinity of

Stevens avenue and Henry street had a masqued parade all of their own Thursday night, and attracted considerable attention by their tooting of horns and comical costumes. They paraded to drum up patronage from the younger set to a show they proposed giving in a tent in one of the yards.

About 10.30 p. m. Friday of last week

a large Knox touring car was completely destroyed by fire on the Keyport road near Seidler's. It was occupied by four people. The car was valued at \$4,500 and was insured in the Williamsburg Fire Insurance Co. On orders from the company, the car was taken to Littell's garage, where it now is.

The crowd of curious sensation

seekers at the Nolan trial in the City Hall Monday evening was probably the largest that ever attended a similar case. The boisterous interruptions were so frequent and prolonged that the court was eventually forced to detail an officer to maintain order. The case furnished a lot of amusement at least, regardless of the satisfaction obtained by the contesting parties.

TWO METHODIST CLERGYMEN

BEQUESTED \$500 EACH

Rev. J. Morgan Read, D. D., pastor of the First Methodist Church, New Brunswick, and Rev. Dr. H. J. Zelley have been made beneficiaries under the will of Mrs. Chester, late of Camden. Each of the clergymen was bequeathed \$500.

Mrs. Chester was one of Rev. Dr. Read's parishioners when he was stationed at the Union M. E. Church at Camden in 1897. Dr. Zelley was also at one time pastor of the Camden Church.

MISS SARAH IBBS.

Miss Sarah Ibbis suddenly departed this life on Wednesday morning, at the home of her niece, Anna Ibbis, on Augusta street, at the age of 64 years.

The funeral took place from her late home at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon, the Rev. W. E. Grimshaw conducting the service. Interment was made in Christ Church cemetery, Stillwell & Mason being funeral directors.

DEMOCRATIC OUTING TO COLLEGE POINT

The mid-summer outing of the Democracy of Middlesex County promises to be a big affair, and the demand for tickets has been so great, that the committee has chartered a larger boat, than the one at first selected.

The outing will be held at Donnelly's Grove, College Point, Long Island, on Tuesday next. The steamer Point Comfort, running between Keansburg and New York, with a capacity of 1,400 will convey the party to College Point.

The boat will leave New Brunswick at 8.30 a. m. and stop at Sayreville at 9; South Amboy at 9.30; Perth Amboy at 9.45 and Roosevelt at 10. It will reach Donnelly's Grove at 1 and leave at 5 and under the charter must dock at New Brunswick not later than 9.30 p. m.

United States Senators Hughes and Martine and Congressman Scully have accepted invitations to the clambake.

The following will be the menu for the Rhode Island clambake:

- Soup
- Bisque of Clam
- Hard and Soft Clams
- Fish
- Sheepshead and White Potatoes
- Honey Comb Tripe and Sweet Potatoes
- Lobsters
- Hard Crabs
- Spring Chicken and Corn
- Water Melon
- Ice Cream
- Boston Brown Bread
- Celery
- Olives
- Pickles

Mrs. George Voorhees.

Isabella W. Voorhees, wife of Geo. Voorhees, passed away at her home on Main street on Thursday morning, at the age of 68 years and three months. She had been ill since May last.

Mrs. Voorhees was the daughter of the late Peter Journee, who for many years ran the flour mill at what is now known as Runyon, the Perth Amboy water works plant being situated on the property. She had resided in this city over forty-five years, and had a large circle of friends, who now mourn her death. Besides a husband, she is survived by two sons, Frank, of Newark, and Carleton, of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Brown, of Spotswood, and Mrs. Elizabeth Butler, of this city; and one brother, Albert Journee, of Union Hill.

The funeral will be held from her late residence at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon next, to which relatives and friends are invited. Rev. W. E. Grimshaw will conduct the service. Stillwell & Mason have charge of the funeral arrangements.

THIRTY DAYS TO SOBER UP.

A man who gave his name as Edward Doyle, and his home as the wide, wide world, but lately hailed from Keyport, was apprehended by Officer Gleason Monday evening and taken to the City Hall.

When given a hearing before Judge Birmingham on Monday evening, the man said that he had been drunk and that was his reason for lying around sleeping in the streets and becoming abusive and disorderly when requested to move on by the officer. The man said that he had bought and paid for a suit of clothes in Keyport, and that he had only been on this debauch one day. He stated that he had never been arrested before and that he was sorry he had torn the officer's coat. The man was rather delapidated looking, and said he had no money, having spent all of his pay which he had received for working for Doctor Robinson, of Morgan Heights.

The Judge gave him thirty days in the county jail expressing the hope that he would get sobered up before the expiration of his term and would take a fresh hold upon himself and endeavor to straighten up and do better.

MADE COUNTER CHARGES.

Judge Birmingham released Charles Kane and Richard Sullivan under \$100 bond to await the action of the grand jury Wednesday night when these two men waived a hearing on charges of assault and battery. The charges were preferred by William Ryan, of Henry street, who had been held for the action of the grand jury on similar charges preferred by Kane the night before. No counsel appeared for either party and the proceedings were extremely short. John Cosgrove of John street, signed the bonds for both Sullivan and Kane. The charges themselves were simply counter charges to those preferred by Kane because of the alleged assault against him by Ryan last Saturday night.

He is a rich man who can buy

wearing apparel for seven grown daughters without missing the money.

Lock-Jaw Set In.

John Parker an iron worker, who was so seriously burned by electricity at Morgan last week while trying to rescue the late William Webber, is now in a very serious condition, lockjaw having set in. On advice of his physician, Dr. Hardman, of Keyport, Mr. Parker was taken to the Monmouth Memorial Hospital at Long Branch on Thursday morning. His recovery is doubtful.

Spend Your Money Where You Make It

By HOLLAND.

MONEY that is kept in the community helps every one in that community. It is a part of the common fund on which any one with anything to sell—merchandise, labor, farm products—can draw. Money that is sent away from home is withdrawn from this common fund. It helps to impoverish the entire community. Send all the money away and all the people in the community would be "broke."

The dollar that you spend with the local merchant will continue to circulate in the neighborhood, paying lawyer, doctor, blacksmith, carpenter, teacher. Ultimately it may return to you to be again started on its journey of purchase and payment. The dollar sent to the mail order house goes to swell the bank account of a concern in Chicago or New York. It is lost to your community forever. Your neighbor can't get it, and you will never see it again.

Can't you see that self interest tells you to do your buying at home? Can't you see that it is the part of wisdom to spend your dollar where you are likely to get it again?

The advertisements in this paper will aid you in deciding where to make your purchases. Only the more reliable merchants can afford to advertise continuously, and only the better grade of goods can stand such publicity.

Bit of Scientific Information.

If the earth were to revolve seven times faster than it does bodies at the equator would lose their weight and remain stationary in the air without support.

Charity.

"Do you think \$20 will be enough to give the minister?" inquired the prospective bridegroom. "You'd better make it \$25," replied the best man. "He is going to be married himself next week."

Often a man has a lot of good

traits that you would never suspect if he didn't tell you about them.

WILLIAM BEHN

Electrical Contractor

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank, at South Amboy, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business August 9, 1913:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$337,298.41
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	75,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Other Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits (Postal Savings)	5,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	416,000.00
Banking Houses, Furniture, and Fixtures	1,213.42
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	12,833.21
Due from approved reserve agents	101,259.43
Checks and other cash items	6,270.71
Notes of other National Banks	385.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	679.53
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank	101,259.43
Specie	84,230.85
Legal-tender notes	11,750.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	2,500.00
Total	\$975,919.16

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus, secured and unsecured	75,000.00
Undivided profits, losses and expenses	35,217.32
Taxes paid	48,400.00
National Bank notes outstanding	8,369.74
Due to other National Banks	1,223.81
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	29.00
Dividends unpaid	749,850.51
Individual deposits subject to check	5,570.71
Cashier's checks outstanding	241.00
Postal Savings Deposits	1,530.21
Reserved for Interest on Savings Accounts	1,000.00
Total	\$975,919.16

State of New Jersey, ss:

I, R. C. Stephenson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. C. STEPHENSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of August, 1913.

F. E. DOUGLAW, Notary Public

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HARRY C. PERRINE,
HENRY WOLFE,
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Directors

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Special from Saturday to Wednesday (INCLUSIVE)

Large Lump Starch Very Special lb. 4c

Evaporated Milk A Real Bargain can 7c

Royal Baking Powder, 1/2 lb. can 19c (Very Special)

Eagle Condensed Milk, 13c can, 2 cans 25c (Very Special)

Campbell's Assorted Soups, 9c can, 3 for 25c (Very Special)

Fancy Mixed Tea Very Special lb. 34c

Golden Santos Coffee, lb. 19c

STAMP SPECIALS

\$1.00 in stamps with following:	\$2.00 in stamps with following:
Bixby's Shoe Polish, bot. 10c	Vanilla or Lemon Ex. bot. 20c
Imperial Root Beer Ex. bot 10c	3 Bottles Catsup..... 30c
2 Cakes Lenox Soap..... 10c	2 Cans Corn..... 20c
Corn Starch, pkg..... 10c	2 Packages Macaroni.... 20c

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of Chosen Freeholders at their room in the County Record Building at New Brunswick, on

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 1913.

It now looks as though Gov. and
Mrs. William Sulzer, of New York,
will need that farm they went shop-
ping for some days ago.

TRYING OUT THE RECALL.

The first recall election in New
Jersey is to be held at Atlantic City,
and the second will quickly follow
at Long Branch. The necessary pe-
titions under the provision of the
commission government act have been
filed. The Atlantic City one is di-
rected against Mayor William Riddle
and Directors William H. Bartlett
and Albert Beyer. Other petitions are
in course of preparation, and it is
likely that when the recall election
is held the voters of Atlantic City
will have the opportunity of saying
at the polls whether they want to
oust or retain five members of the
commission, for the second group
of petitioners are opposed to Direc-
tors Harry Bacharach and J. B.
Thompson. In fact, the recall pe-
titioning in this instance is a game
of politics. The commission is split,
three to two, and the enemies of "the
big three" have practically been not-
ified by the opponents of "the little
two" that the recall of one faction
will mean the recall of both.

So the result of the coming elec-
tions, unless they should be held up
by legal technicalities, will give the
people the opportunity of saying on
which side of the contention the ma-
jority stands.

Whatever the outcome, it will not
mean that these resorts have tired
of commission government. The
change in the form of municipal
rule has brought about many chang-
es for the better. This is admitted
in Atlantic City by the most bitter
of the opponents of the two groups
in the commission. Those who think
mistakes have been made place the
blame on the instruments chosen
rather than on the scheme of gov-
ernment. The "recallers" have been
able to find out definitely the in-
dividuals responsible for weak spots
in the administration. The Mayor
and the directors have been unable,
had they so desired, to shift the
burden of responsibility for specific
acts that have been objectionable to
many of their constituents. They
have been forced to act in the open,
and now their acts are to be passed
upon by the men who elected them
a year ago.

When the election is held, there-
fore, the good and the bad acts of
the individual commissioners will be
considered by the voters. Each will
stand on his own merits, not judged
by any one particular act, but by
his course in the conduct of the de-
partment under his charge. The is-
sue on each individual will be plain.
The question will be as to whether
he has averaged up to the job as a
representative of the public inter-
ests. If he hasn't and a better
equipped candidate is nominated
against him, then the commissioner
will be recalled. In other words, he
will have been prevented from serv-
ing unfaithfully for three years be-
cause his unfaithfulness or inabil-
ity has been discovered at the end
of one year. Furthermore, the count-
ing of the votes will demonstrate
just how much stock is taken by the
people in the attacks being made on
the commissioners.

Commission rule is democratic.
New Jersey is testing out the law
very thoroughly. The recall will
give another demonstration of the
working of the act that will be
watched with interest and with pro-
fit.—Newark News.

LIST OF LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled
for at the South Amboy Post Office
for the week ending August 16, 1913.
Hazel Catwell, Ann McGuire, Chas.
P. Bowler, Lizzie O'Connor, Laura
Geant, George Street; Mrs. A. E.
Hyland, Grafton Belcher, Minnie
Johnson, William Mey, Mr. Faerey,
Lawrence Lamb, Nick Smith, Katie
Walling, J. H. Van Wighten, John
McCarthy, Mary McCarthy, Augusta
street; John McCarty, Alex. Burala,
Schooner Lucia Porta.

These letters will be sent to the
Dead Letter Office if not called for
before August 31, 1913.

E. E. HAINES, P. M.

Advertise in The Citizen.

T. J. SCULLY MAY BE
STATE COMMITTEEMAN

The Newark Evening News says
Representative Thomas J. Scully has
his eye on membership in the State
Democratic committee. Mr. Scully
would be willing to serve as the
representative of Middlesex County,
where there will shortly be a vacan-
cy caused by the expiration of the
term of "Ollie" Kelly, of Metuchen, if
his constituents demand it.

Mr. Kelly was appointed to the
State Board of Health by President
Wilson, then serving as Governor.
He has announced that he will not
run again, and so far as Mr. Scully
has heard there is but one other pos-
sible candidate for the office, George
A. Viehmann, of New Brunswick. Mr.
Viehmann, who is managing the
finances of the Fielder campaign,
has been quoted as disclaiming any
wish to serve on the State committee.
He is said to be in favor of Mr.
Scully taking the place.

"I have no desire to go on the
State committee," said Mr. Scully
Tuesday, "but if my constituents feel
that I can be of service to them
there I will give my time to the
work. The framing of a State plat-
form is the principal duty of the
State committee now, as I understand
it. I shall certainly, whether on or
off the committee, fight to have the
Democratic State platform thoroughly
progressive, worthy of the party and
deserving of the support of the
people. Greater executive and leg-
islative efficiency are needed; and we
must work to attain them."

CANAL ACROSS NEW JERSEY
IS URGED AT ONCE

From the engineer's office of the
War Department the House of Rep-
resentatives on Wednesday received
estimates for the construction of an
inter-coastal waterway from New York
Bay to Delaware Bay. This is part
of the long proposed scheme of inland
waterways to extend from Boston to
Beaufort, N. C.

The report recommends that the
federal government begin at once to
construct a twelve foot lock canal
across New Jersey to cost \$20,000,000,
for which an appropriation of \$100,000
should be made immediately available.
Brigadier General William H. Bixby
in making the report, urged federal
purchase of the Chesapeake and Dela-
ware Canal, between Chesapeake and
Delaware bays, at a cost not exceeding
\$2,514,290, and its enlargement to a
sea level canal of twelve feet depth
and ninety feet bottom width. In this
enlargement, he said, there would be
followed the methods indicated by a
special engineering board at a cost
which, including the first year's main-
tenance, would amount roundly to
\$8,000,000, of which \$3,000,000 should
be made first available, with subse-
quent appropriations of from \$500,000
to \$1,000,000 a year.

General Bixby, reviewing the \$2-
000,000 project for a waterway from
the Delaware River across New Jer-
sey to New York Bay, for which he
proposed that New Jersey and Penn-
sylvania contribute \$3,000,000 and \$7-
000,000, respectively, advocated early
construction of a lock canal with
twelve feet depth and ninety feet bot-
tom width in earth sections and about
fifty-six feet width in locks from the
Delaware to New York Bay. This
would be along lines indicated by the
special engineering board, but mod-
ified when necessary so as to provide
for future enlargement of the canal to
twenty-five feet depth and 125 feet
bottom width and for future reduc-
tion to sea level at the \$20,000,000
total cost.

The War Department in a previous
partial report on this inland water-
way scheme recommended an im-
mediate improvement between Beaufort
and Norfolk, immediate purchase of
the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal
and its early enlargement, and advised
against federal construction of any
inland route between New York Bay
and Fishers Island.

Cadet Life at West Point.

Briefly, at 3:45 p. m. the academic
work is over for the day and drills for
all classes occupy the hour from 4 to 5.
followed by a dress parade at 5:25, ex-
cepting Wednesdays and Saturdays.
This is the schedule from Sept. 1 to
Nov. 1 and from March 15 to June.
On Saturdays academic work ends at
12:30, and, with the exception of in-
spection at 1:50, the afternoon of the
cadet is free until 6:25 supper call. His
amusements are much like those of
college students generally. Football
is perhaps the most popular organized
sport. Games are played on the West
Point grounds with teams from many
colleges, and the season closes with
the annual army-navy game, when the
West Pointers meet the midshipmen
from Annapolis on Franklin field,
Philadelphia. Basket ball follows dur-
ing the winter months, many contests
with teams from other schools occur-
ring during the season, and then in the
spring comes baseball of course.—Pop-
ular Mechanics.

Doing things for effect is seldom
effective.

Why is the soda
cracker today
such a universal
food?

People ate soda
crackers in the
old days, it is
true—but they
bought them
from a barrel or
box and took
them home in a
paper bag, their
crispness and
flavor all gone.

Unedea Biscuit
—soda crackers
better than any
ever made be-
fore—made in
the greatest
bakeries in the
world—baked to
perfection—
packed to per-
fection—kept to
perfection until
you take them,
oven-fresh and
crisp, from their
protecting pack-
age. Five cents.

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COMPANY

SCULLY IS ON CONGRESSIONAL
CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

The importance of the work which
falls to the lot of the executive com-
mittee on the Congressional campaign
committee this year is becoming more
generally recognized, and New Jer-
sey Congressmen are congratulating
themselves, under the circumstances,
that the honor of being a member of
this executive committee of four has
been conferred upon New Jersey's
representative on the Congressional
committee, Thomas J. Scully. The
other members of the committee are
Senators Ollie James of Kentucky,
and Thomas P. Gore, of Oklahoma, and
Representative Edward T. Taylor, of
Colorado.

The executive committee will work
with a similar committee from the
Democratic National Committee.

ANNUAL CONVENTION
FORESTERS OF AMERICA

The Foresters of America are plan-
ning to have upwards of 25,000 mem-
bers in attendance at the biennial
convention of the Supreme Court of
the order, which is to be held at
Atlantic City August 26, 27 and 28.
The first day, Tuesday, will see the
opening of the proceedings in the
Music Hall on the Steel Pier. The
Mayor of Atlantic City will preside
and at 2 p. m. Governor Fielder is
to make a half-hour-long address.
Thursday, closing day, will be the
day of big events. There will be
an exhibition drill for prizes at 9
a. m. in the Music Hall. That after-
noon an elaborate street parade in
which it is said 20,000 members in
full uniform will take part, will be
the feature.

Two of the order's past supreme
chief rangers are residents of this
state. They are John F. Kelly, of
Jersey City, and William A. Kitts of
Maywood, Bergen County.

At the coming convention some
important changes in the legislation
affecting the order will be brought
about. The death benefit may be
raised from \$100 to \$200 and the
sick benefits from \$6 to \$8 a week.
The constitution will be so amended
that none but citizens of the United
States will be eligible for member-
ship. It is also proposed to amend
the constitution so that in the fu-
ture only one court of the order will
be allotted to each town or city.
This will bring about amalgamation
of all the courts existing in each
community into one large body.

SENATOR PIERCE ON TAX REFORM

Candidate For Governor Discusses
Platform Plank.—Would Have
Burden of Taxation Fall
Equally.

Cranford, August 15.—Pursuant to
his promise to discuss the five planks
of his gubernatorial platform, Senator
Pierce issued a statement to-day ex-
plaining his second plank. The state-
ment follows in full:

To Equalize Tax Assessments.

"It is a first principle in taxation,
that the burden shall fall equally. It
does not fall equally at the present
time in New Jersey.

"To illustrate, from cases presented
to the recent Tax Commission: In
Camden county, a highway separates
taxing districts assessed at different
ratios; the lower assessed side has
been built up and developed, while the
land across the road remained un-
improved.

"In Elizabeth, the main street is
the boundary line between districts.
The commission was informed the
less valuable side of the street is as-
sessed higher than the more valuable
side.

"In a rural community, two assess-
ors assessed the same parcel, each
supposing it to be in his district.
One returned it at \$350 and the other
at \$1,050.

"In Ashbury Park, according to an
estimate given by the Mayor intended
as conservative, small properties and
cottages are assessed at seventy per
cent. of value, business and hotel
properties at from thirty to fifty per
cent.

"The above cases are types of con-
ditions existing generally through the
State. The Tax Commission, after
visiting every county, made this State-
wide finding:

"The ratio of assessment to value
varies in different districts, and fre-
quently between taxpayers in the
same district, the variance ranging
from thirty per cent. of value to full
value and above.

The Cause.

"The fundamental trouble is the
fact that the present system of as-
sessment in New Jersey is less a
system than an aggregation of de-
tached units. The units (taxing dis-
tricts) are working largely indepen-
dently, with imperfect control by the
county boards, and less by the State
Board of Equalization. There is no
proper continuity of authority from
top to bottom. The result is lack of
equalization.

The Remedy.

"In applying a remedy, the tax
commission adopted the principle that
the work of assessment should be put
upon a business basis, and conducted
efficiently as a private business is
conducted; a central authority at the
top subject to change of administra-
tion, but the routine work to be kept
in the hands of a permanent body of
trained employees, secure in their po-
sition and free from political or other
influence.

"Like a private business, the auth-
ority at the top to issue uniform rules,
and instructions, with power to en-
force them; books and papers to be
standardized; a State Supervisor to
be responsible for general efficiency
and for equalization between counties;
a county assessor to be appointed in-
stead of elected, to have a district
sufficiently large to require his full
time, to give his full time, to be prop-
erly paid, and to be removable only
for cause.

Bills Offered.

"The bills offered by the tax com-
mission represent the combined study
of experts, local officials and men of
practical experience within the State.
I am advised by A. C. Pleydell, sec-
retary of the New York Tax Reform
familiar with methods in other States
—that the proposed legislation, if
adopted, would give New Jersey the
best system of assessment in force in
any State in the Union.

"I am proposing, whether I win or
lose the gubernatorial race, to use
all honorable effort to place the sub-
stance of the legislation upon the
statute books."

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swick, on

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at 2:30 o'clock, p. m., for furnishing
14,400 ft. B. M. 2-in x 10-in x 20-ft
Prime Spruce Plank, dressed on one
side, delivered on steel spans south of
draw spans, on the Amboy Bridge,
according to plans and specifications
on file at the office of Thomas H.
Hagerty, County Collector, New Brun-
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Attest:
ASHER W. BISSETT,
8-16-3 Clerk.

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Public Notice!

Sale of Property for
Unpaid Taxes

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-
on by Jonathan Bright, Collector of
the Township of Sayreville, County
of Middlesex, that he will sell at
public sale all the lands, tenements,
hereditaments, and real estate hereinafter
mentioned, for the shortest term
for which any person or persons
will agree to take the same and pay
the tax lien thereon, including in-
terest and costs of sale.

The said sale will take place at the
Town Hall, on
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27th, 1913,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the said lands,
tenements, hereditaments and real
estate so to be sold, and the names
of the persons against whom said
same, and the amount of taxes laid
on same, and the amount of taxes laid
on account of each parcel, are as
follows, viz.:

Boroughs, William H., 20 acres faria land.....	\$ 85
Cox, David, 1 bldg. at Morgan 1 67	
Perhle, Wm., 1 house and lot 10 19	
Plnk, Mrs. Minnie C., 1 house and barn and 30 acres land 50 10	
Garrison, Wm., 1 bldg at Morgan 1 67	
Horominski, 2 lots.....	2 67
Kratkoskie, Chas. 1 house & lot 7 68	
Kurtz, Caroline, 2 lots.....	1 67
Linkie, Emil, 1 acre land.....	1 67
Mertel, Wm., 1 house and lot.....	1 84
Morgan, Mrs. S. W., 1 house and 6 acres land.....	23 21
Mills, James, Jr., 1 house & lot 6 68	
Pulaskie Land Co., 128 lots.....	26 72
Szera, Stephen, 1 house & lot.....	7 35
Speaker, Ernest, 2 lots.....	1 67
Thomas, Geo., 1 house & 2 lots 10 02	

Dated at Sayreville, N. J., July 31,
1913.

(Signed) JONATHAN BRIGHT,
Collector.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT
the Common Council of the City of
South Amboy will consider the report
of the Commissioners of Assessment
for the laying of sidewalks and curb-
ing on David street between Broad-
way and Stevens avenue, at a regular
meeting of the Council to be held
at the City Hall on August 19, 1913,
at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. All
owners of property affected by said
improvement should present their
objections to adoption and confirma-
tion of said report on or before said
date.

RICHARD M. MACK,
8-9-2 City Clerk.

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River, according to plans and speci-
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8-16-3 Clerk.

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PERTE AMBOY, N. J.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY—
Between the Star Building and
Loan Association of South Amboy, N.
J., complainant and George A. Thom-
as, et al. defendants, F. F. for sale
of mortgaged premises dated July
24, 1913.

By virtue of the above stated writ
to me directed and delivered, I will
expose to sale at public vendue on
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER THIRD,
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND
THIRTEEN,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of
said day, at the Sheriff's Office, in the
City of New Brunswick, New Jersey.
All tract or parcel of land and
premises, situate, lying and being in
the Township of Sayreville or City
of South Amboy, in the county of
Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

To wit, a tract in the city of South
Amboy, Beginning one hundred feet from
the Southeast corner of Alpine and
Wilmurt Streets, thence (1) along
Wilmurt street Southerly one hundred
feet, thence (2) parallel with Alpine
Street Easterly one hundred feet to
centre of block, thence (3) Northerly
along the said centre line of block
one hundred feet to the corner of lot
number three, thence (4) along the
line of lots numbers three and four
and five and six one hundred feet to
the place of beginning. The said piece
of land being designated as lots num-
bers seven, eight, nine and ten on
block one on map of lots surveyed by
Andrew J. Disbrow, and now known
as Mechanicsville, and formerly owned
by Sarah Wilmurt, said tract of land
was conveyed to the Methodist Epis-
copal Church of South Amboy party
of the first part by Albert Roll, wid-
ower, by deed dated the 14th day of
October A. D. 1892 and recorded in
the Clerk's office of the County of
Middlesex on the 24th day of April,
A. D. 1893 in book 258 of deeds page
358.

SECOND TRACT: All that certain
tract or parcel of land and premises
hereinafter particularly described, sit-
uate, lying and being in the town-
ship of Sayreville now the city of
South Amboy in the county of Middle-
sex and State of New Jersey, Bounded
and described as follows: Consisting
of lots numbered eleven, twelve and
thirteen on block D as laid down on a
map entitled "Map of lots at South
Amboy, Mechanicsville, surveyed for
Messrs. Dey and Roll in 1866 and 1881
and protracted by a scale of one hun-
dred feet to the inch by A. J. Dis-
brow," surveyor said lots each being
twenty-five feet front and rear and
one hundred and ten feet deep more
or less.

THIRD TRACT: Being in the town-
ship of Sayreville, Middlesex county,
N. J., beginning at a point one hun-
dred and eleven feet from the corner
of Ridgeway avenue and Raritan
street in the Borough (now city) of
South Amboy and running thence (1)
Northerly along said Ridgeway Ave-
nue fifty-one feet and six inches and
thence (2) Easterly eighty-seven feet
and ten inches thence (3) Southerly
fifty feet to the line of Louis Borlund,
thence (4) along the said lands of
Louis Borlund one hundred feet to the
place of beginning the said Ridgeway
Avenue.

Together with the hereditaments
and appurtenances thereto belong-
ing, and also all the right, title and
interest of the said defendants, of, in
and to the same.

ALBERT DOLLSCHWEILER,

Sheriff.

JOHN A. COAN, Solicitor.

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Sam Jinks

He Was Everybody's Fool

By F. A. MITCHEL

Sam Jinks was an abnormal individual. It was uncertain whether he was man or boy. He was undersized; he had only a few stray hairs on his face, but there were as many gray ones in his head. He spoke—when he did speak, which was seldom—with a squeaky, high pitched voice. Sam lived by doing odd jobs in the settlement. How he came to be there or who he was no one knew. The settlers usually gave him the jobs out of charity. They gave him, too, their castoff clothes, which were not only threadbare, but altogether too big for him. He went about everything he did with great solemnity, and it was



THEY SAW HIM AND FLEW TO MEET HIM.

said of him that he was born for a church deacon and had failed to develop. He was the butt of many a joke, but he didn't seem to mind it, and he was supposed to be too obtuse to understand that he was an object of ridicule.

One of the settlers, Jim Bunkers, was especially inclined to guy Sam. He would send Sam off on fools' errands, then abuse him for not having gone in the right direction, or to the right person, or for having committed some other stupidity. Jim's disposition had been soured by ill success. He had left his wife and children to seek his fortune in a new field, opening a store in the settlement to supply the people round about. But his profits were small, and his losses from bad debts were large. The consequence was that he had put off sending for his family from year to year and was getting discouraged.

One summer the country in his vicinity filled up considerably, and by autumn Jim noticed that the demand for goods was increasing and his stock needed replenishing. Encouraged, he resolved to use all his capital as well as his credit, go to the nearest city, lay in a good stock, and there was a prospect that in one year more he might feel warranted in sending for his wife and children. He had completed his journey and was returning when, a few miles from the settlement, whom should he see sitting on a log beside the road but Sam Jinks looking more solemn than ever.

"Hello, Sam!" exclaimed Bunkers. "What are you doing away out here?" "Waiting for you," Sam replied.

"Waiting for me? What for?" "Bad news."

"What's happened?" asked Bunkers in a sharp, irritable tone.

"I don't like to tell. Better wait till you get home and see for yourself." "You doggone fool! What did you come out here to tell me bad news for and then tell me to wait for it till I get home?"

"Well, if I must tell, your store was broke into last night."

Bunkers' countenance fell. Just as prosperity was coming his hopes were dashed. Sam got up off the log. Jim started, and the two jogged on.

"Did they get away with all the stock?" asked Bunkers.

"I hadn't been inside the store to see."

"What time did they break in?"

"About 10 o'clock last night."

"Didn't the neighbors know anything about it?"

"No. None of 'em lives near enough."

"How did the devils effect an entrance?"

"Tried up a window."

"How many of 'em were there?"

"Five."

"How do you know so much about it?"

"I was there and seen it all."

"And you don't know how much stock they got away with?"

"I came away before they left."

"And didn't give any alarm?"

Sam made no reply to this, but hung his head. Jim gave him a look of con-

tempt and could scarcely refrain from kicking him.

"Sam," he said, "you're too stupid to live. You should have run up the road to Martin's and told him."

"Now, why didn't I think of that?" said Sam reflectively.

"Because you were born a fool and will never be anything else than a fool. You have missed the opportunity of your life. If you had given the alarm and saved my goods I would have looked out for you for the rest of your life."

The two proceeded on their way for some distance silent and with mournful countenances. Bunkers' indicating that the hopes he had cherished were blighted, Sam's indicating that he was ruining having missed the opportunity of his life. Presently the former asked: "Did you get a sufficient sight of the robbers to see what kind of lookin' persons they were?"

"Not last night when they come, but I seen 'em this mornin'."

"This mornin'?"

"Yes, they was there this mornin'."

Bunkers groaned. What a trial to have to deal with such a numskull! "You don't mean they didn't have time to get away with all the stock in the night?"

"I dunno; they was there at sunup this mornin'."

"Had they gone when you came away?"

"Reckon."

"Do you mean that they were permitted to do as they liked with my store from 10 o'clock at night till sun rise this mornin'?"

"Reckon."

"And not a neighbor interfered with them?"

"The neighbors didn't know they was there."

"After you saw them break in what did you do?"

"I listened for awhile to find out what they was about."

"What did you hear?"

"Nothin'."

"Did they have a light?"

"First off, but they put it out."

"What did you do next? You didn't stay there all night, did you?"

"I went home thinkin' I'd come here in the mornin' and break the news to you."

Bunkers, not being able to make head or tail of this incoherent statement, concluded to hurry on and find out for himself what had really happened—whether any of his stock had been left and why his neighbors had not taken any action in the matter. He had shut up his store, since he had no one to take his place while he was gone. Now he regretted taking such a chance. Martin was his nearest neighbor, about an eighth of a mile distant. The next, Saunders, lived on the other side of a hill. It was very easy for robbers to pry up a window, go into his store and appropriate what they liked. On second thought he was not so much surprised that they should take their time about it.

The wayfarers plodded on in silence till they came to a rise in the ground whence they could see Bunkers' store. Smoke curled from the chimney. The owner stood looking at it in astonishment.

"It can't be," he said, "that the rascals are strong enough to defy the whole settlement."

"There was five of 'em," suggested Sam.

"Five desperate men, well armed, might be too formidable to warrant an attack—that is, by any force that could be collected within a few miles. Maybe they're waitin' to git in more men from a distance."

"Like enough," Sam put in.

"Shut up," growled Bunkers, irritated that Sam, too stupid to give an alarm when he saw a store broken into, should offer an opinion.

There was another silence while the two descended the declivity. Presently Sam said:

"Air you goin' to tackle 'em all alone by yourself?"

Bunkers made no reply to this. He was trying to think what it all meant, what to do. The truth is, he was badly rattled. He walked on in silence.

"How would it do," asked Sam, "for me to go ahead, see what they're doin' and come back to tell you? They wouldn't do nothin' to a meensy chap like me."

Bunkers uttered an exclamation of contempt. He was not the man to put a fool into danger he would not encounter himself.

As they drew nearer a girl about fifteen years old came out of the house and stood looking up the road.

Bunkers stopped stock still.

"By jings!" he exclaimed; then added, "If that don't look just like my Emeline!"

From this time he forgot all about Sam, who dropped behind and disappeared. As Bunkers drew near the store he hastened his steps, for he saw his daughter, and before he reached her his wife came out, holding his boy, Jim, by the hand. They saw him and flew to meet him.

Mrs. Bunkers had got a legacy and used it to surprise her husband by taking herself and children to join him. She had arrived in the night and had been obliged to break into the house for shelter. There was a happy reunion.

But where was Sam?

Bunkers found him and said to him: "Sam, anybody who calls you a fool again I'm goin' to lick him. You got it on to me splendid. I said if you had given the alarm I'd 'a' taken care of you for the rest of your life. You come into my store and I'll give you a salary. If you're smart enough to fool me you can make somethin' of yourself. Anyway, you'd better try."

Sam tried and succeeded far beyond his employer's expectations.

HIGH PRICED HONOR

It Costs to Represent Uncle Sam at a Foreign Court.

HEDGED ABOUT BY DIGNITY.

Trials and Tribulations That Beset a New Ambassador—Ceremonies In Which He Must Participate and For Which He Must Give Lavish Tips.

An unofficial American can live more economically abroad than at home—that is a fact. Food is cheaper. Servants work for less money. This being so, why is it not possible for an unpretentious Yankee diplomat to live in Europe for the same money as in America? I put the question to a former ambassador who has lived in London, Paris and Rome.

"They tell me one can go to the market and buy a part of a chicken—a wing or a drumstick. Think of it! Food must be cheap there."

"But the ambassador cannot sally forth with a market basket on his arm," said the retired diplomat.

"That sums up the difficulty. An ambassador cannot do anything for himself. So he is a shining mark for everybody. There is nobody so helpless in America, except the poor taxpayer. Let us look into it."

International law, which is as full of the spin distinctions as common law or domestic law, regards an ambassador as the direct personal representative of the ruler of his country and ordains that he be treated in a manner befitting such a very important person. This accounts for the ceremony attending the ambassador's presentation of the president's letter of credence to the sovereign. In detail the function varies in different countries, but the continental custom is in general as follows:

At the day and hour fixed by the king, emperor or president a court functionary of high degree in gorgeous uniform appears at the abode of the new American ambassador. He is accompanied by numerous other personages, somewhat lower in rank, but uniformed in equally bright colors. He is provided with three court carriages, together with attendants and outriders. He is in command of a mounted escort and, last, but not least, of a white plumed band, accoutered with instruments of glittering brass.

The American ambassador, probably flustered by the ceremony, is conducted to the first of the carriages which is drawn by eight horses. He is politely waived to the back seat, while his personal escort, instead of sitting by his side, takes the seat facing him. The Yankee diplomat wears a frock coat—Prince Albert, he calls it—and a silk hat, and his gloves, dictated by his wife, are of gray suede.

Across from him sits the chief functionary, attired with a brilliance seldom seen outside of comic opera.

In solemn stately procession the carriages and outriders, preceded by the mounted troop, with the resonant band in the van, take up the march to the palace. On both sides of the thoroughfare is a curious, gaping crowd. At that the many corps de garde soldiers come out and present arms, and when the American ambassador, a platoon man, perhaps, arrives at the palace there is an elaborate presentation of arms and a beating of drums that completely take the gimp out of him.

Unexpectedly simple is the sovereign's reception of the new diplomat, but after it is over the American must again endure the ceremonious procession back to his domicile. Then comes the shock.

The first secretary explains that the sun must not set before the porthole is distributed. This, the ambassador learns, is French for tip. He also learns that the transportation to and from the palace has a purse string to it. The keeper of the royal stables must be tipped.

"It is an inviolable custom," insists the first secretary.

"How much?" asks the fledgling diplomat.

"For an ambassador," says the first secretary, "the rule is \$200."

There is probably an explosion, but in the end the ambassador pays.

A London editor, who was born in America and received his newspaper training on this side of the water, once said:

"You can safely give a present, if not a gratuity, to any official below the sovereign on the continent."

"How about England?" I asked.

"The present should be more expensive, the gratuity larger."—Henry Bench Needham in Saturday Evening Post.

Paint Saves Money.

Why not use a little paint occasionally? It prolongs the life of the buildings, adds value to the price of the farm and helps to make a "home beautiful." Buildings last 25 to 50 per cent longer if painted. That means that a building which would last fifty to seventy-five years unpainted would last 75 to 125 years if painted. It is the same with fences and farm implements. It is easy to see that paint saves money.—Kansas Farmer.

Generous.

Father—I want to tell you this, my son. The secret of success is hard work. Son—If it's a secret, dad, you shouldn't have mentioned it. Fortunately, I'm too much of a gentleman to take advantage of information gained in that way.—Boston Transcript.

Successful minds work like a glint—let—to a single point.—Bovee.

The Churches

Services as Arranged for the Coming Week.

CHRIST CHURCH PARISH.

Rector, Rev. H. M. P. Pearse, Residence, Christ Church Rectory.
Rev. W. E. Grimshaw, Curate, Residence 96 Second Street.
Services Sunday, August 17, 1913. (Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity.)
CHRIST CHURCH
Holy Communion.....8.45 a. m.
Sunday School.....9.30 a. m.
Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon.....10.30 a. m.
Evening Prayer.....7.30 p. m.

Doane Memorial Chapel
Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon.....10.30 a. m.
Sunday School closed until September 7.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd.
Closed until September 7.

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 10.30 a. m. last Sunday of the month.
At Chapel of Good Shepherd, at 2.30 p. m., last Sunday of the month.

The Rector can be found at the Rectory (except on Mondays) from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m., and from 1:30 to 2:30 p. m., and requests that cases of sickness be reported to him promptly in order that he may attend to them.

METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH

Rev. F. E. Crute, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, August 17, 1913.

10.30 a. m. Preaching Service, Subject: "Christian Fortitude."
2.00 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor. Topic: "How can we live peaceably?" A peace meeting. Bible ref. Rom. 12:18.

2.30 p. m. Sunday School. Lesson study "Crossing the Red Sea." Bible ref. Exodus 14:19-31.

7.00 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor. Topic: "Lessons from the forest and field." Bible ref.—Ps. 104:1-35.

1. Name one lesson from forest or field.

2. One Natural law that applies in the spiritual world.

3. How does Nature speak of God and His care?

7.45 p. m. Song Service. Books for all.

8.00 p. m. Preaching service. Subject: "The Indestructible Kingdom."

Thursday—7.14 p. m. Class Meeting. Led by J. F. Fulton.

8.00 p. m. Prayer Meeting, led by the pastor.

Friday—Choir Practice.

The Sabbath was made for Man and not Man for the Sabbath.—St. Mark 2:27, to rest, meditate, do good and worship God.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. George Kane, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, August 17, 1913.

9.30 a. m. Sabbath School Session. Classes for all. Come.

7.00 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor Thursday—

7.45 p. m. Regular Prayer and Praise meeting. Our mid-week devotional exercises to God.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Thomas Neal, Jr., Pastor.

Residence 71 Second Street.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, August 17, 1913.

9.30 a. m. Bible School Session.

10.30 a. m. Preaching.

6.45 p. m. Senior C. E. Society meeting.

7.30 p. m. Delightful Song Service and Sermon.

Week Day Services:

Thursday

7.45 p. m. Church Prayer Meeting.

Friday

3.30 p. m. Junior C. E. Meeting.

7.30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.

Come hear the Gospel and enjoy a Christian Fellowship. All seats free.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. J. E. Shaw, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, August 17, 1913.

Sunday Services.

Class, 9.30 a. m.

Preaching, 10.30 a. m.

Sunday School, 2.30 p. m.

Epworth League Service, 6.45 p. m.

Preaching, 7.30 p. m.

Services during the week.

Junior League, Thursday, 4.00 p. m.

Prayer Service, Thursday 7.45 p. m.

Choir Rehearsal, Saturday 8.00 p. m.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 1913.

M. P. CHURCH NOTES

The class and prayer service last week was nicely attended and a good meeting held.

The services last Sunday were all good, but owing to a large number being away on their vacations, several other families in which there was and is sickness, and because of the large number who were compelled to work, coupled with all this the intense heat and storm in the evening, kept a large number away from the meetings. The pastor counted twenty families not represented at the services last Sunday evening, all members of the church. It is to be hoped that the weather will not cause it to occur again, and yet we had visitors at all services last Sunday. The pastor preached as usual at both services.

Our members from Maxville, two families, braved the weather and attended the Senior C. E. and evening preaching services.

The attendance at the Sunday School affected somewhat the special offering to the parsonage fund, nothing very special being done this vacation month, and still there was \$11.53 more to be added and other moneys were in hand but not turned in and will be used as a nucleus for next month's offering when an effort will be made to have a much larger amount. Only two more collections before Conference. Let us make them as large as possible.

We trust that those who have received Conference Assessment Cards will begin to turn them in or the amount they would like to contribute as time is drawing near to make up conference reports. Those not receiving cards can secure same by applying to the pastor.

P. A. Stults taught the lesson to the entire school last Sunday and some very helpful and profitable lessons were taught.

The Junior C. E. was led and addressed by Miss Ethel Dill, who told the little ones a number of things illustrative of the topic which was, "Lessons from the Sky and Clouds," a Nature meeting. Surely all were profited by this service.

The Juniors have memorized the books of the Bible up to the Book of Psalms. Two new ones are added each Sunday. In this way all sixty-six will be learned.

The superintendent of the Juniors, Mrs. Peterson, with Mr. Peterson, left on their vacation last Saturday up New York State.

J. F. Fulton led an extremely interesting Senior C. E. service last Sunday evening. It was very encouraging to temperance workers to hear the good things he told us of the spread of the temperance cause. Others took part in the service.

The temperance meeting of the C. E. was so interesting that the song service time was used in discussing this all-important issue.

Flowers were sent to the sick from the church last Sunday.

A. Mr. Skinner, from Panama, was a worshipper with us at the services of the day.

The Sunshine Committee of the Junior C. E. Society has been at work this week carrying fruit, flowers and sunshine to the sick.

The social held last Saturday by the little gleaner class netted another sum to the parsonage fund.

The ladies have dispensed with the weekly quilting for this heated period.

Mule Starting.

Ancient methods for inducing momentum were as varied as they were usually ineffective—watering the mule to change his mood, putting a carrot on a pole just beyond his reach, causing him to sneeze with pepper, twisting his tail (the latter seldom tried, albeit, owing to the high voltage of his heels), building a fire under him. A modern method is to borrow an automobile, 60 horsepower, hitch a chain to the balky mules with their load and yank them up the street in a reluctant but lively canter.—Jackson News.

Nothing New About This.

"I consider that whatever belongs to my husband belongs to me."—A woman witness in a Jersey City trial. The general feminine view and in practice the usual condition.

Suffered Eczema Fifty Years—Now Well

Seems a long time to endure the awful burning, itching, smarting, skin-disease known as "tetter"—another name for Eczema. Seems good to realize, also, that Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has proven a perfect cure.

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NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

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

Injured by Fall from Scaffold.

Harry Wilson, a carpenter, aged 20 years, of Bound Brook, was severely injured Saturday, when he fell from a scaffold swung on the second story of the new theatre being built at Dunellen. His left hip was fractured and he suffered internal injuries. He was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital at Plainfield.

Move for Minister's Release.

Burlington County women, believing in the man's innocence, are circulating and signing petitions to the Board of Pardons for the release from prison of Rev. George D. Huggins, a seventy-five-year-old Methodist preacher of Cookstown, who is serving a five-to-fifteen-year sentence for an alleged assault on Viola Fallis, fifteen years old, a ward in his home. The man appealed his conviction to the Supreme Court and the Court of Errors in vain, and then began his term. It is now said that the girl has repudiated her story, and Assemblyman Robert Peacock, counsel for Huggins, will ask for his pardon on newly discovered evidence. The aged preacher was found guilty largely upon medical testimony, and the lawyer claims to have proof that the girl had been the victim of an assault long before the time she charged Huggins with having attacked her.

Ask Clemency For Autolst.

Petitions are being circulated throughout Mercer County seeking clemency for Addison Perrine, the Hightstown automobile driver, who was convicted of manslaughter as the result of a fatal collision. He has abandoned his fight for a new trial and will be sentenced soon in Mercer court at Trenton.

Lightning Burns Farm Buildings.

Lightning Sunday night burned the outbuildings, together with crops and a horse, on the farm near Ellisdale, occupied by John Ireland and owned by Charles Woodward, of Bordentown. The loss is \$3,500, partly insured.

Wind Does Damage at Keansburg.

Several tents were blown down, stands on the board walk were overturned and other damage was done in the storm Sunday afternoon at Keansburg.

Shore Town In Darkness.

The storm at Belmar on Sunday afternoon put out of commission all the arc lights in the main street of that borough, and those of Avon and Bradley Beach. The darkness made the heavy Sunday night traffic of automobiles difficult for the police to handle.

Lightning Strikes Wire; Cars Stalled

Traffic on the Jersey Central Traction Company's lines at the Highlands was abandoned for three hours Sunday night. Lightning struck the trolley wire and burned out the switchboard at the sub-station at Stone Church. The switchboard was also burned out at the sub-station at Red Bank and the high tension wires were blown down by the storm at Lorrillards. Highlands was in total darkness until after 11 o'clock Sunday night, when the electric light was supplied the borough by the Traction Company.

Chosen as Maid to Queen.

Another Asbury Park girl has been selected as a maid to Queen Titana XIII. She is Miss Doris Atkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Atkinson, of the Hotel Newburgh, and has just passed her seventeenth birthday. Miss Atkinson has local fame as a swimmer and a diver. She is a student of the Asbury Park High School. Announcement has also been made of the selection of Miss Hazel Littauer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Littauer, of Yonkers, as an attendant upon her majesty. The girl, who is nineteen years old, has spent many summers at Asbury Park, and as a child was much in demand for fancy dancing at hotels. She is a bathing enthusiast and a good swimmer.

Boating Party in Danger.

The power-boat Ede, with William Holden, of 151 Passaic street, Newark, the owner, and a party of Newark guests on board, was nearly capsized in Raritan Bay Sunday during the storm. The boat was returning from Highlands when the storm was

encountered at the point of Sandy Hook. Life preservers, also two tents that were lashed to the deck, were washed overboard.

Pin Found In Appendix.

A pin, swallowed three years ago, has just been removed from the appendix of Miss Dorothy Pine, daughter of Harry S. Pine, of Trenton. It was bent and discolored and will be presented to Mercer Hospital.

Storm Does Damage at Hopatcong.

Much damage was done by the violent thunder storm which passed over Lake Hopatcong Sunday afternoon, many boats being overturned by the sudden squall. Four lifesaving crews were constantly on watch. One party of girls and two men had a narrow escape from drowning. Their boat was overturned and they were struggling in the water when W. H. Harris picked them up almost exhausted. Many cottages suffered damage from the wind and lightning. The Hotel Breslin and Lake View, on the east shore, were damaged by the wind. The roof of the cottage of George Kronenburg, of Morristown, situated on the west shore, was ripped off and the sides of the building collapsed.

"Salt Water Day" Draws 15,000.

Fully 15,000 persons from all sections of Monmouth County visited Keansburg Saturday, the occasion being "salt water day" for farmers. Swimming, games, baseball and other sports were indulged in.

Tow Drowned Man to Shore.

Captain G. Kreutzer, of 289 Walnut street, Newark, with a party of guests en route from Highlands to their home in the captain's power boat "Mabel" picked up a drowned man floating in Raritan Bay, about three miles off Belford Sunday afternoon. The body was taken in tow to Keansburg. Coroner Harry Fay, of Red Bank, examined the body, and said that in his opinion it had been in the water three or four days. It was clad in dark grey pants, blue underwear, black stockings and low shoes. The man was five feet seven or eight inches tall and about forty years old. No marks were found on the clothing that might go toward establishing the man's identity. The body was buried by Undertaker Harvey Bedle, of Keyport, in the Potter's field.

Boy Sues For False Arrest.

A suit for \$5,000 damages has been instituted by Benjamin Warne against Holmes C. Smith, of Madison Township; Justice of the Peace Joseph Hayter and Special Officer Clifford Cathcart, for false arrest. Warne is fifteen years old and was formerly employed by Smith. Smith claimed his life was in danger because of Warne's threats and had Warne arrested. Warne alleges he was jailed without an opportunity to get bail, and that the commitment papers were drawn before the warrant was served. The two officials say they acted within the law.

Fine Man For Wearing Woman's Bathing Costume.

Frederick Gam, of Newark, was fined \$100 and costs Sunday afternoon by Justice of the Peace D. K. Wentworth for appearing on the beach at Keansburg and in the water in feminine bathing attire and acting in a disorderly manner. The complainant was John Howland, superintendent of the bathing beach at New Point Comfort. The superintendent has announced that he will take action against any person acting indecently or wearing any but regulation bathing suits.

Tiling Company Buys Property.

The American Encaustic Tiling Company, of which John Hodge is president, has purchased about ten acres of land, with factory buildings, at Perth Amboy. The American Encaustic Company has a large plant at Zanesville, Ohio, and expects to use the new plant for its Eastern business. The property was held at \$100,000.

Many Officials to be Elected This Fall.

Besides the election of a governor next November, there will be chosen in this state eight states senators, sixty members of the assembly, county clerks in four counties, sheriffs in three counties, and surrogates in three counties. Many counties will

elect freeholders, coroners and other minor officers. In Hunterdon, Monmouth and Sussex counties one member of the small board of freeholders will be elected. It is expected that Bergen, Mercer and Union Counties will again vote on the question of abolishing the large boards of freeholders and adopting the small boards. Mayors will be elected in several cities.

Bean Sprouted in Boy's Ear.

The parents of William Manahan, of 784 Bergenline avenue, Union Hill, had been treating him for earache for the past three weeks. The boy is six years old, had been complaining to his parents during that time about severe pains in his ear. Without having the child examined the parents used all sorts of washes without alleviating the pain in the ear. Monday the parents took William to Welsmann's drug store on Bergenline avenue. The druggist took a small mirror and found that there was an obstruction there. He anulated a small set of instruments and brought out of the boy's ear a bean that had already sprouted. Then William confessed that he was playing by himself about three weeks ago. He found a bean and put it into his ear. He was afraid to tell his folks, as he feared that he would get a whipping. The warmth of the boy's ear and the oils that had been injected into the tympanum caused the germ in the bean to sprout and this was what caused the boy considerable pain. The little fellow is now all right and his parents are grateful that the cause of his trouble was so quickly discovered and so easily remedied.

Brakeman's Foot Mashed.

Frederick Donnelly, of Bordentown, who has been employed as a brakeman on a Pennsylvania Railroad freight train for two weeks, was injured Monday night. The toes of his right foot were smashed while he was attending brakes at Prospect Plains. He was taken to the Mercer Hospital in Trenton.

Widow Loses Suit Against Order.

A decision was given Monday by Judge Doramus in favor of Wyckoff Council No. 40, Jr. O. U. A. M., the defendants in a suit brought by Mrs. Lillian Seely, widow of John O. Seely, of Ridgewood. The action was to recover money said to be due the widow under class "B" of the bylaws of the council. It was held that Mr. Seely was an incurable consumptive at the time he entered class "B," and that his statements to the contrary were not true. Seely's physician testified that the young man was a consumptive at the time he joined the order.

Jailed for Not Supporting Family.

Frederick Nelman, of Belford, was committed to the county jail at Freehold Monday, accused of failing to support his wife and three children. Following a hearing given Nelman on complaint of Overseer of the Poor Roberts several weeks ago, Nelman was put on probation and ordered to pay \$3.50 a week for his family's support. His failure to pay brought about his arrest. Mrs. Nelman has left her husband and moved to Keansburg, alleging cruelty.

Recall of Commissioners Demanded.

"Incompetency and failure to perform their duties as commissioners of the city of Long Branch" are the reasons assigned in a petition filed with City Clerk W. R. Warwick, Monday afternoon, asking for the recall of three of the five commissioners—Bryant B. Newton, Mayor, and head of the department of public affairs; Thomas V. Arrowsmith, head of the department of public safety, and Marshall Woolley, head of the department of streets and public works. Action will be taken at the November election. There is talk of recalling the other two commissioners at the same time. They are Frank J. Howland, head of the department of revenue and finance, and John W. Flock, head of the departments of parks and public property. The recall is signed by 400 voters. Long Branch has been under commission rule since May 7, 1912.

Names Three Jersey Postmasters.

President Wilson Tuesday afternoon nominated the following New Jersey postmasters: Borgeat, Lennel R. Matthews; Englewood, Thos. Birtwhistle; Ocean Grove, Walter F. Clayton.

Fielder's Record as an Advocate of Equal Taxation



The Present Candidate For Democratic Nomination For Governor Was In the Thick of the Fight Years Ago When the Bosses Were In the Saddle and When the Fighting Took Both Brains and Courage.

THAT the taxation problem is still far from a solution in New Jersey must be admitted by all, and when it is considered that practically no attention was paid to taxation matters during the administration of Woodrow Wilson as governor it must dawn upon some that there is, after all, THE VITAL SPARK OF PROGRESS TO THE KEY-NOTE OF THE FIELDER CANDIDACY—to wit, that we "pause" in our march and pay attention to the correction of a great deal of legislation that has been placed upon the statute books.

Fielder has been a student of taxation since the fight began. Wilson himself paused in the great battle for equal taxation because he found greater work to do. But long before Woodrow Wilson had even thought of leaving Princeton Governor Fielder was a conspicuous figure in the great fight for equal taxation that had grown out of the memorable gubernatorial campaign in which Charles Black, Democrat, was defeated by Edward Casper Stokes. And while Black was defeated he had defined equal taxation with such compelling force during his campaign that it became the burning problem of the early part of the Stokes administration. And it was Fielder, then a member of the house, just beginning his career as a legislator, who bore a heavy part of the battle.

THOSE WERE MEMORABLE DAYS. THERE WAS NO COMPELLING FIGURE TO FORCE LEGISLATION THROUGH BOTH BRANCHES OF THE LEGISLATURE IN THOSE DAYS. THE FIGHTING WAS HARD AND THE BOSSES WERE IN THE SADDLE. TO WIN PROGRESSIVE LEGISLATION IN THOSE DAYS TOOK LEADERSHIP AND BRAINS, AND BOTH WERE EXEMPLIFIED IN JAMES FAIRMAN FIELDER IN THAT GREAT FIGHT THAT WRESTED THE TAX BOOKS FROM THE HANDS OF THE RAILROADS.

The fight for equal taxation in the legislature of 1903 and 1904 led to the appointment of a commission in 1904, which resulted in the Duffield act, passed in 1905, under which second class railroad property is taxed on valuations fixed by the state board of assessors at the local tax rates in all the municipalities of the state. The state collects the taxes and turns the moneys over to the municipalities.

The equal taxation fight also brought about the distribution of a large slice of railroad taxes, to be divided up among the taxing districts of the state, to be used for local school purposes.

But Governor Fielder wanted to go still further. Realizing that the valuations in themselves are unfair and unjust, he has advocated the appointment of railroad appraisers for the purpose of ascertaining the fair value of railroad property as a basis for assessment.

There is still much to be done to perfect the fight for equal taxation, and there is no man in public life in the state of New Jersey who is better equipped to meet the situation than Governor Fielder.

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