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SOUTH AMBOY, N. J., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1911.

Price Three Cents.

SEWER BIDS ARE REJECTED

Council Believes That by More Extensive Advertising Lower Price May be Obtained—Bitulithic Or-**Business Before Council.**

Regular meeting of the common council was held on Tuesday evening. Present-Mayor Welsh, Councilmen Månhattan, O'Connor, Stanton and Stuart; Clerk Fulton; City Solicitor Pearse, Treasurer Perrine and Street Commissioner Connors. President Manhattan presided.

Minutes of previous meeting were Approved as read.

The Clerk read a communication from Colwell, Massy & Reed, stating that a bill due the firm for approving a bond issue, amounting to \$151.20 had never been paid. No one had any knowledge of ever receiving a bill for same.

Mr. Stuart offered a motion that communication be received and filed, and bill paid.

Mr. Stanton moved to amend that it be referred to finance committee, third section of sanitary sewer sys-Motion as amended adopted.

A letter was read from the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking Company, stating that three bills for \$400, \$400 and \$200 respectively, sent to the city had not been paid.

The clerk stated he had replied to the letter by sending blanks upon which to properly make out the bills.

Mr. Stanton said the bills had been forwarded to the Mayor, who presented them to him, being chairman of the sewer committee, and that he had given the bills to the City Engineer for approval.

Mr. Stuart stated the City Engineer had advised that bills be not paid until a sleeve had been placed on sewer pipe.

On motion of Mr. Stuart, the letter was received and referred to committee on sewers.

The clerk read a letter from E. C. Aken, making application for re-appointment as overseer of the poor, and also his financial report.

On motion of Mr. Stuart, the applipoor, and report received and filed.

Parisen, secretary of meeting for election of officers of fire department, Mayor Welsh. and on motion of Mr. Stuart the report was received and action of fire department sustained.

The following bills werd ordered M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co....\$460.61

w. J. Cramer	0.40
John Connors	60.00
Brown Bros	11.6€
Brown Bros	8.00
Wyckoff & Rue	11.50
Albert Leonard	10.00
Thomas Wortley	13.00
Labor, Water Works	51.13
P. A. City Water Works	650,11
J. B. Croek	3.28
Harding & Hill	1.50
Eddy Valve Co	47.60
S. J. Mason	75.00
Patrick Howley	2.63
Labor, Streets	21.58
Labor, Garbage	38.14
J. J. Braney	36.00
Collins & Gundrum	164.70
Collins & Gundrum	203.36
S. A. Lumber & Supply Co	28,60
A deduction of \$12.49 for	outage
was made against bill of Mid	dlesex

and Monmouth Electric Light, Heat & Power Company,

The Clerk read reports from the various fire companies, stating the number of members entitled to an- cents, nual allowance. All were in good standing.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the papers giving power of attorney were referred to the city solicitor, and if found correct the money due each company be paid.

Connsellor John A. Conn was given privilege of the floor. He stated he represented P. J. Monaghan, the lowast bidder on third section of sanitary. newer, and made an earnest plea that the contract be awarded to bim, among the reasons being that he was the lowest, and that he was a rest. dent of the city and a heavy taxpays

discussion, in which Councilmen Stanton, Manhattan, O'Connor and Stuart Mayor Welsh, City Solicitor Pearse, Street Commissioner Connors and Contractor Monaghan took part.

Finally on motion of Mr. Stuart, permission will be granted to property owners living on section flushed, and on sections after being flushed later, to tap sewer upon applying for permit in proper manner.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the City Engineer and sewer committee were instructed to request contractor dinance on first Reading—Other to flush portion of the second section of sewer system so far as completed. The City Solicitor returned reports

of fire companies as approved by him. The clerk read ordinance relative to paving Broadway with bitulithic, which was continued on first reading

until next meeting. Mr. O'Connor reported that the committee on streets looked over First of some of our most representative street east of Broadway with a view of removing the open gutters each side thereof, and had advised city engineer to make an estimate of the cost thereof.

The report of the treasurer showed balances as follows: City account, \$11,500.54; Sewer account, \$21,500,22; Water account, \$3,608.61; which was received and ordered filed.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor it was decided when meeting closed, to adjourn to Thursday evening.

Mr. Stanton, chairman of committee on sewers, reported that commit- | Protestant Episcopal Church, of Keytee had decided to reject all bids on port.

On motion of Mr. Stuart, the bids and certified checks of the bidders the ear. The workmanship is of highwere ordered returned, and all bids on third section were rejected.

Adjourned to Thursday evening.

SHOEMAKER SHOP SET ON FIRE

Evidently some person made an attempt to set fire to the shoemaker shop of Joe Sillo, on Broadway, Tuesday night. Stico lives in Perth Amboy, and when he went into his shop Wednesday morning found it on fire, and lows: a large hole had been burned in the It was extinguished with but floor. little trouble. The fire had been start. ed underneath the building, and footprints on the window sill and fence indicated that the person had climbed in the yard, and then crawled under the building. Chief of Police McDoncation was referred to committee on nell was put on the case, and he has formed an opinion, although not pos-The clerk read report of William H. itive enough at present to cause an

A. O. H. OFFICERS.

At the regular monthly meeting of | 11 Idyll. Division No. 1, A. O. H., held on Sunday, December 10, in St. Mary's Hall, the following officers were elec-

President-James Donovan. Vice-President-Maurice Lucitt. Financial Secretary-John Connors. Recording Secretary-John Lucitt Treasurer-Edward McDonough

CHRISTMAS CANTATA

The members of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School will render a apoplexy, aged 79 years. He is surcantata at K. of P. Hall, on Christmas night, December 25.

Another of Gabriel's cantatas has been selected, entitled 'Santa Claus | noon, and was attended by a large is Coming." The boys will sing a number of relatives and friends. The march song. The farles will be on hand as will also "The Cobwebs," The Wireless," "Jack Frost," "Messenger M. E. Church. Interment was made Boy" and "Santa Claus." At the close of the cantata a drill will be given. Mr. L. E. Stulls, who has so successfully taught the drills in the past has charge of this one, which bespeaks Its success. Admission to all, excepting members of the school, fifteen

-----NEPTUNES WIN

BASKETBALL GAME.

On Friday night of last week the Neptune A. C. defeated the Tottenville Reserves by the score of 20 to 12. To night (Friday) the Neptunes will play the Newark Business College on their court, Bergen Hill, Admission to cents. Ladles admitted free,

CHRIST CHURCH NEWS,

This is the Bunday for the Men's Corporate Communion at 9 a. m. The Bunday School entertainment; postponed from December 25 to Dewill be held in K. of P. Opera House combor 26th, and sale of montes for James Dolan made an appeal to the on Tuesday, December 26, at 7.30 p. the evening following at 7.30 p. m. connell for permission to lap the sers in. A fine combination of talent has and section of the sanitary sewer, and been secured for the evening. Par- falls on New Year's has been postrequested decision one way or the ents and friends of the scholars wish. poned until January 2, 1912. ing to see the entertainment will be Blue Building & Loan Association, This request brought forth a long admitted on payment of 10 cents

Large Audience Hear Recital at M. E. Church - Fine Program Rendered by Prof. Wm. Hammond. Assisted by Miss Alice R. Wharton -Organ Adds Beauty to the Church.

The organ recital inaugurating the ney organ at the Methodist Episcopai Must Seek Remedy Church on Monday evening was attended by about 400 people, composed residents.

Prof. William G. Hammond, organist of the First Reformed Church of Brooklyn, was in charge of the recital and in his selections brought out all of the excellent points of the organ. His playing was grand and delighted those familiar with classical music.

Prof. Hammond was assisted by Miss Alice R. Wharton, of Keyport, soprans soloist, who sang two selections in a very pleasing manner. She was accompanied on the organ by Miss Evangeline B. Wharton, organist of the

The concensus of opinion was that the organ was of a delightfully mellow and sweet tone, most agreeable to grade, and the material used in its construction of the best. Its location is such as to greatly improve the appearance of the interior of the church and makes a favorable impression on the visitor. The pastor and the organ committee are to be congratulated upon their good judgment in the matter, both as to location and make of the organ. They could not have done better. The organ was built by Reuben, Midmer & Son, of New York, a firm with a reputation of building only first-class instruments.

The program rendered was as fol-

1 Onertoire in C. Minor
2 GavotteGluc
3 Spring Song
4 Solo, "Ninety and Nine" Campio.
Miss Alice R. Wharton
Miss Evangeline B. Wharton, Accompa-
nist and Organist, St. Mary's, Keyport,
5 SerenadeSchuber
Prof. Wm. G. Hammond.
6 Caprice
Prof. Wm. [G. Hammond.
7 Andante CanstabileTsehaikowsk
Prof. Wm. G. Hammond.
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arrest. The building is owned by Mayor Welsh.

8 Grand March (Alda).........Verdi 9 Toccato in G...........Dubois 10 Solo....(a) {"Theso are They" }....Gaul (b) "Thy Day is Ended" Bartlett Miss Alice R. Wharton.

Prof. Wm. G. Hammond 12 Pilgrims Chorus (Taunhauser), ... Wagner Prof. Wm G. Hammond. 13 Adoration

Prof. Wm. G. Hammond. 14 Improvisation

(Showing Sole Stops and full organ)

Nelson S. Deats.

Nelson S. Deats, father of Contractor Thomas Deats, of this city, died at his home near Matawan on Sunday, of vived by a widow and six children.

The funeral took place from his late residence on Wednesday after. sorvice was conducted by the Rev. W. A. Cobb, pastor of the Cliffwood in Rose IIIII cemetery. Stillwell & Mason, of this city, were funeral di-

WILLIAM BUCKLEY.

William Buckley, aged 60 years, departed this life at his home in Mechanlesville, on Monday last, after a brief Illness. Heart trouble was the cause of death. He is survived by two daughters.

The funeral took place from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock on Wednesday morning, and was largely atfended. The service was conducted by the Rev. Pather Lane, assistant rector. Interment was made in the parish cometery. John J. Scully was funeral director.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of Minr Building and Loan Association has been

The Annual meeting which also

John J. Delaney, Secretary.

David H. Watson has been appoint-

DAVID H. WATSON

ed superintendent of motive power of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad's lines west of the Ohio River, to succeed G. A. Schmoll. Mr. Watson formerly held the position of general foreman in the locomotive department at Garrett, Ind. Mr. Schmoll now has jurisdiction over the Wheeling division only.

Mr. Watson is one of South Amboy's boys, and his friends in this city will be pleased to learn of his success.

The Board of Utility Commissioners on Thursday rendered a decision in the case of the City of South Amboy vs. the N. Y. & L. B. R. R., and Pennsylvania R. R. The Board decided about as follows: If a public utility cause a nuisance or violate a statute not so as to interfere with rendering of safe, proper and adequate service nor so as to fail in its duties as a public utility proper, the remedy is to be sought in the courts, and not in an administration in hand.

The board desides that it has no jurisdiction over the P. R. R. fence, and that the bridge removed by the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. is a matter for the court to determine whether the highway is a proper highway.

Sutliff and Littell On New Grand Jury

Sheriff Bollschweiler on Monday seserve during the December term of Court. Edwin Furman, of Sayreville, was made foreman. After the jury had been sworn in. Justice James J. Bergen instructed that body to enforce the excise laws. He said. "The law should be enforced whether you like it or not. You did not make the law; but you must enforce it. The simple question for you to decide in excise cases and in all cases, is whether there is a prima facia case presented. You must not hear the defence of a case; must not try a case. That is for the petit jury."

The members of the grand jury are as follows:

Foreman-Edwin Furman, Sayreville brick manufacturer.

South Brunswick-Frank McNames hay press. Highland Park-R. M. Conway.

Woodbridge-J. Edward Harned. Sewaren-William Zeyan, superintendent tile works,

Metuchen-Nathan Robbins, retired. Carteret-Joseph Hermann, mayor. New Brunswick-Richard E. Martin, retired; William F. Harkins, insurance; William C. Jaques, hotel; Theodore Cohn, clothier; William H. Poy-

lan, architect. Perth Amboy

South Amboy-John Sutliff, Sr., Howard Littell.

South River-John Whiteman. Monroe-C. Addison Stults, former reeholder.

Madison-Edward Barker. Cranbury-John Major.

No Indictment Found.

The Grand Jury falled to find an indictment against Constanti Dakino, of Cliffwood, who Police Justice Birm-

WON HANDSOME DANNER.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church of this city was awarded a handsome banner at the full rally of the Middlesex Union held in the Second Reformed Church. New Branswick, on Priday night of had work, for having the largest percentage of membership in attendance,

Hollday Stationery and Perfomes in Cards, Christmas Seals and Enclose ure Cards at Dr. Albright's drug store, ane (1)

tlet your l'est t'ards for the bolls days at Jaques', where the assortment is large and prices low.

no material (i) a companion Blup at home and save money

ADVANCED AGAIN OFFICER RYAN

His Possession Taken From Wolff With Pocket Knives, Canned ticles.

Friday night of last week the store of H. Wolff & Co., was entered by thieves, and considerable merchandise Through the Court taken. A person residing in the vicinity suspicioned that all was not right in the store and telephoned to the City Hall that he thought thieves were working in the place. The night jailor immediately started out to look for an officer, and found Patrolman Gleason. In the meantime, Officer Ryan was on his beat in the vicinity of the store, when he noticed two men running in a suspicious manner. He started after them, and when they did lengthy debate on this matter, the not stop at his bidding fired a shot in vote was taken with the following rethe air to frighten them. One of the men then stopped and surrendered to yes; Stanton voting, no; and O'Conthe officer, and was recognized as Thomas Delaney, Jr. He had in his ter of the third reading being brought possession a lot of canned goods, pock-

et knives, jewelry and other articles. Officer Ryan was positive that he recognized the other man as Martin Myles, and on Saturday morning Myles was taken into custody as an accomplice. Delaney stated Myles was not implicated in the robbery.

At a hearing Police Justice Birmingham held both men for the action of the grand jury. Charles Safran, from the store.

Both Myles and Delaney have been before the grand jury recently on the charge of robbing this store, and were indicted, but at the trial they were acquitted.

Mrs. Sarah Buchanan.

Mrs. Sarah Buchanan, widow of John Buchanan, Jr., passed away at the home of her brother, W. A. Billingham, New Haven, Conn., on Monday last, after an illness covering sev-

of this city for many years, but after the death of her husband, she moved from this city, spending most of her time at Philadelphia and New Haven. She had many friends in this city, who deeply mourn her death. She was a most estimable woman, beloved by all who knew her.

The body was brought to this city on Wednesday evening, and taken to the home of her father-in-law, John Buchanan, of Second street. The funeral was held from Christ Church, of taken up by Mr. O'Connor and the which the deceased was a communi- city engineer was usked for a recant, at 2.30 o'clock on Thursday af- | port on the matter, and as his re-Axel Olsen, Chauncey C. Baldwin, ternoon. The service was conducted Frederick Dorsey, William V. D. Voor- by the Rev. H. M. P. Pearse, the rector, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Whittaker, pastor of a Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia. The body was interred in Christ Church cemetery alongside of that of her husband. The bearers were Messrs, Clarence Stults. A. Atkinson, Preston King, J. M. Parker, Joseph Smith and George Disbrow. Stillwell & Mason were funeral directors.

K. of C. Lecture.

On Wednesday evening, December Ingham committed to jail on a charge 20, at 8 o'clock, there will be given of assault and battery and for carry- at the hall of the Knights of Columbus ing concented weapons. He attempted a fecture by a visiting fourth degree to assault a foreman at Avery's brick- Knight, which will be of an educayard and complaint was made by him, Honal character, and it is the first of a series of lectures that will be given. during the winter season by some prominent business or professional man, who have made a success of his particular profession. The toples will vary so that some one will be sure to suit any particular faste.

Every Knight should avail themsolves of this opportunity and come, Immediately after the lecture there will be the Anal meeting of the 1912 bull committee. It is also important that all the members be present so funcy boxes also Christmas Postal that final arrangements can be completed as this affair is only a few works off.

> Candy given from to-day at Jaques' drug store, the advertisement,

Shop at home and care money

ADJOURNED MEETING OF COMMON COUNCIL

Councilmen Manhattan, O'Conno., Stanton and Stuart, Clerk Fulton, City Solicitor Pearse and City Engineer Mason were present at an adjourn-Thomas Delaney, Jr., Has Goods in ed meeting of the common council on Thursday evening.

The matter of the erection of a & Co's Store - Was Loaded Up stand pipe was taken up. Engineer Mason had prepared plans for the same which were reported upon favor-Goods, Jewelry and Other Ar- ably by the committee and the report adopted and referred to the committee for conjunction with the City Engineer.

The ordinance on the pavement of Broadway with bitulithic pavement was taken up on second reading. This was voted on by sections. At this time Councilman O'Connor asked to be excused from voting as he was a property owner on Broadway and it had been intimated that he was working for the pavement of Broadway in the interest of himself as a property owner.

Councilman Stanton said he had as much right to be excused from voting as Mr. O'Connor. After quite a sult: Stuart and Manhattan voting, nor excused; one absent. The matup, in order that the ordinance be kept alive, on motion is was laid over for further consideration at the next meeting of the council.

Mr. Curran asked to be heard and gave quite a lengthy explanation in reference to the different kinds of pavement used and further said he had given the council, property owners and others an opportunity to observe the different kinds of pavement lected his first grand jury, which will a member of the firm of H. Wolff & in divers cities, and was sorry that C., identified the goods as being taken all the council had not availed themselves of the opportunity, but wished it understood that he had not said that bitulithic was better than other pavement but that is was as good as any other and further in referring to the unfairness between two and three inch block that there had not been two inch block laid in tha last four years.

This produced quite a lengthy debate between the councilmen, Mr. Stanton opposing the passage of the ordinance as a matter of opinion, as he had no experience in the matter When asked for the kind of pavement he preferred he refused to commit Mrs. Buchanan had been a resident himself to any kind of pavement.

At the close of the discussion, Mr. Curran asked for the return of the check deposited with the council at the time the bids were presented to them, as he did not see there was any use of their money being held when the passage of the ordinance apparently was a failure. The check was ordered returned.

The matter of the improvement of First street between Broadway and the N. Y. and L. B. R. R. was then port was not ready, and the evening quite advanced, the council adjourned without any action thereon.

EXTEND THANKS

The ladies of Christ Church Parish desire to thank the public for their generous patronage of their Bazaar which was held for the benefit of Christ Church Home and the amount realized will be given in the next issue of the Citizen.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE

The Literary Society of the High School held a debate on Wednesday afternoon taking for its theme the weighty topic of "Fortification of the Panama Canal," a question that has enused much discussion from the most listingulahed statesmen of the country,

Taking the affirmative were Ralph 'rane, captain; and the Misses Sarah Diebert and Lillie Moss. On the negative were Mahlon Atkinson, and the Misses Ruth Locker and Dorothy Bergen. The Judges were the Misses Lefter, O'Connor and Munnich, teachers in the High School.

Some excellent points were brought out by both sides, showing that the participants and given the gublect much thought - Captain Crane exhibited much life in defending his side of the argument, and was effective in his relation. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative side,

Hox of tiuth's candy given away to every purchaser of the worth or more of goods to-day at Jaques' drug store. Hee Advertisement.

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THE WORD MELODRAMA.

Originally Meant a Play In Which Mu-

sic Was Introduceo. Nowadays "melodrama" is in general use as denoting a purely sensational play, with an all but impossible bero. heroine and villain among the characters represented. Formerly the word kept more closely in its signification to actual derivation. "Melodrama" is compounded of the Greek words melos, a song, and drama, an action, a play, and was applied to two sorts of performances when it first came

It signified a play, generally of the romantic school, in which the dialogue was frequently relieved by music. sometimes of an incidental and sometimes of a purely dramatic character. On the strength of his "Pygmalion" J. J. Rousseau is credited with the invention of this style. Some of the so called English operas of the older school, such as the once famous "Beggar's Opera" and the once popular "No Song, No Supper," are in reality true melodramas.

In the second place "melodrama" was applied to a peculiar kind of theatrical composition in which the actor recited his part in an ordinary speaking voice, while the orchestra played ment appropriate to the situation and bright the same day. Fishermen decalculated to bring its salient features clare this indicates an open winter into the highest possible relief. The and an early spring. merit of the invention of this descrip tion of melodrama belongs to George Benda, who used it with striking effect in his "Ariadne auf Naxos," produced at Gotha in 1774.-London Globe.

Familiar Quotations.

One of the most familiar quotations from the Bible which are not to be found there upon research is "the lion lying down with the lamb." The spirit of the reference is correct enough, but turn up the passage in Isaiah and you will find: "The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid, and the calf and the young flon and the fatting together." The popular mind has condensed the zoological miscellany, and to the incorrect version alliteration has no doubt contributed.-Exchange.

ORNAMENTAL DRESS.

The Kind of Clothes Washington, Hancock and Adams Wore.

John Hancock, thin in person, six feet in stature, was very fond of ornamental dress. He wore a wig when abroad and a cap when at home. A man who visited Hancock one day at dressed in a red velvet cap lined with ing them. It is presumed that they noon in June, 1782, describes him as fine white linen, which was turned up knew of the Grand Jury's action. The two or three inches over the lower edge of the velvet; a blue damask gown lined with silk, a white silk stock, a white satin embroidered waistcoat, black satin small clothes, white silk stockings and red morocco slippers.

Washington at his receptions in Philadelphia was dressed in black velest fire to the store of Selover & Ston-vet. His hair was powdered and gathaker, but they meant to get at the ered behind in a large silk bag. His hands were incased in yellow gloves. on it and its edges adorned with a Reed are known to all Old Bridge peoblack feather. He wore knee and shoe buckles, and at his left hip appeared a long sword in a polished white leather scabbard with a polished steel hilt.

John Adams on the day of his inauguration was dressed in a full suit of Massachusetts were until the year 1703 robes of scarlet faced with black velocities and the scarlet faced with the scarl vet in winter and black silk gowns in nummer. At the beginning of the last century powder for the hair became unfashiouable, tying up the hair was abandoned, colored garments went out of use, buckles disappeared, and knee breeches gave place to trousers.-New York Press.

interested.

This is a real conversation. It might have taken place almost anywhere in the city, so why should we tell real numes?

"Do you know, dear," says Mrs. Ennywun, "I think we are paying aftegether too much for our church pew,

considering its focation."
"Do you think so?" replies Mr. Enny. "Well, we must attend to that at onco. Mr - where is it located? I want to make a note of it."

'No. 64 C." "Yes show stupid of me. And ab what church?" - Cleveland Plain Denter.

Richness of Walnuts,

"The percentage of food in walnuts," says the London Lancet, a litzh med tent authority, "is very high. They are very rich to fut, containing as much he dil per cent, while the proteins amount to nourly 16 per cent. It line toon ententated that thirty large wal nut hernels contain seemels to be us (we find three quarter points of bear beef, and get the walnut is often used as a supplement to a square meat!"

Not Much Difference,

Tonnay Pop, what is the difference between table dhote and a la carte? Tommy's Pop At a table d'hute, my son, you take what the walter fulligs you without autorius while It you dive a tie grounder brait entelle Biefer eine filleite benten what the wallia belogg jon. Philadel

NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

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

Soft Crabs in Winter.

Soft shell crabs, usually regarded as a luxury in winter, were common on dinner tables in Red Bank and vicinity on Monday. Thousands of the crabs were caught Saturday on "The Rocks" off Atlantic Highlands. These rocks are about 200 yards from the beach, and in the summertime are the favorite "shedding" grounds for crabs. Winter shedding in such vast numbers has never been heard of before, the winter catch of soft crabs not exceed. ing three or four at any one time. When the tide lowered Saturday the clamers became crabbers, and it was not long before "The Rocks" were practically rid of the crustaceans. The crabbers sold their catch at any price to get rid of them, and some householders got as many as a peach basket full for a quarter. Two shad were caught in the pounds off Sca-

. . . . Sulcide Ends Affliction.

Ill from consumption and despondent, Richard Picard, forty-five years old, who lived with his sister, Mrs. Edmund Von Stagg, at 10 Camden street, Roselle Park, committed suicide Sunday by inhaling gas. Picard's wife died about three years ago. Since his wife's death he had brooded a great deal. He leaves two sons, Richard and Otto.

. . . . Indited as Firebugs.

Leonard Rivers and George Reed, of Old Bridge, are now charged with being the Old Bridge firebugs, instead of Ellis Appleby. These are the young men who were indicted by the Grand Jury on Friday when it cleared Appleby of the charge. The Grand Jury handed in the indictments against them on Monday. The names of the young men were withheld Saturday, so that the Prosecutor's office would not be handicapped in getting the men. But when the officers took them into custody Saturday afternoon they told the officers that they were expectindictments against these two men are the result of three days work by the Grand Jury. The inquiry had not gone very far when the jurymen were satisfled, it is said, that there was no convicting evidence against Appleby. The jury did not think that he had bottom of the Old Bridge fires, so they examined many witnesses. Rivers and

. . . . Marshal Held for Killing Man.

Judge Peter F. Daly has held Patrick H. Horn, a marshal of Metuchen, pearl colored broadcloth, and his bair under \$2,000 ball on a charge of manwas powdered. Chief Justice Dana of slaughter. The officer ordered John Massachusetts used to wear in winter O'Brien to move off Main street, and a white cordured surfout lined with in the mix-up, O'Brien tell striking fur and held his hands in a large must. This hand causing concussion of the his head, causing concussion of the

In Juli For Beating Wife.

George Lewis, of New Brunswick is in the County jail charged with beating his wife because a supper she prepared did not suit him. He kicked her, knocking her off a chair, sending her to the floor. After the woman struck the floor, Lewis again kicked her. She is suffering from three broken ribs, and is injured in- escaped except the foreman, who reternally.

. . . . Confessed to Burning Building.

Fred Smith, nineteen years old, is in the County Jail on charge of setting fire to a vacant house owned by Edward and William Culver at Old Bridge. Smith confessed to County Detective Peitler.

. . . . Sale of Plainfield Press

Negotlations were completed Monday by which the Plainfield Daily Press, the oldest paper in Plainfield, was sold by A. L. Force to Leaffe R. Fort, son of former Governor Fort, at present the editor of the labewood Times and Journal, and Ralph L. Mor. row, for the past time years editor of The Press, Under the new partnerobto a number of changes will be hando in the incommical equipment of the plant. Mr. Poper, who established the paper twenty-five years ago, will retire from active work. In addition to The Daily Press the sale turbutes The Constitutionalist, its specially edition A corporation will he furned and the new owners will a stantal in molecularing latinary to

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and put the newspaper out of commission temporarily. The adjoining buildings occupied by Hurff & Haines, tobacconists, and Edwards, a florist, were partially destroyed. The machinery in the pressroom and linotype department was damaged by water. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an overheated flue.

. . . . State Teachers' Meeting.

At the twenty-seventh annual session of the New Jersey State Teachers' Association, to be held at Atlantic City, December 27, 28 and 29, addresses will be delivered by Governor Kendall, United States School Commissioner Claxton and Booker T. Washington.

Plainfield Rector Resigns.

Rev. Mroy T. Bowers, rector of St. Stephen's Church, Plainfield, has resigned to accept a call to St. James's Church, Goshen, N. Y. The resignation takes effect January 1.

. . . . Chops Off Babe's Finger.

"Charlie, put your hand on tho block," said George Williams, eight years old, to his brother, three years old, Sunday, while the older boy was chopping wood in the back yard of their home at 612 Pemberton avenue, Atlantic City. The keen edge of the axe was already descending when the baby, taking the jobe seriously, obeyed. The blade clipped off three of the child's fingers and mutilated a fourth. The injured boy was taken to the hospital.

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Youth Dies From Asphyxiation. William S. Law, eighteen years old, of 95 Avenue C., Bayonne, was found dead early Monday with the gas escaping from a jet in his room. It had been a habit of young Law to read in bed and it is supposed he did not turn the jet completely off. The youth's father, William D. Law, had been in the habit of visiting his son's room and making sure that the gas was turned off, but last night did not do so on account of not feeling well. He retired before his son. Young Law was graduated from the local high school last June and had since been running a small printing plant in a small building in the rear of his home.

. . . . Schlif Buys Red Bank Estate.

One of the largest real estate deals eported in Monmouth county for some time is the sale of the Andrew Freeman house and lot in the southeastern suburbs of Red Bank to Jacob Schiff, the New York banker. The property is one of the highest points in Eastern New Jersey. It was originally owned by the late Wyckoff Hendrickson, and later by J. B. Kinney. It is within a half mile of the Rumson drive. Mr. Schiff is said to have paid \$150,000 for the property. The new owner, who owns a large country es- be fairer. We are located right here tate, near Seabright, will, it is said, and our reputation should be sufficient spend a haif-million dollars in beautifying his latest possession.

Workmen Escape Falling Building.

While fifteen carpenters were at work on the new rectory of St. George's Church at Rumson on Monday, the timbers on the first floor gave away. The men jumped and all tion, after being built, was found to be too high and the timbers had been raised. The men were at work lowering the building when it colinpsed.

. . . . Ridgewood Home Burned.

Warned Sunday night by John J. Green, that their home was aftro, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reinschmidt and their little daughter, of Ridgewood, were enabled to escape from the house. The dwelling, which was toented in Melrose place, was damaged to the extent of \$5,000.

. . . . Rallroad Company Closes Street.

The eastern end of Third street. Elizabethport, has been closed off by the Central Rullroad of New Jersey The rattroad company has built a highhourd taken across the porth side of Turnbull alrest at its intersection with Third street. He far as is known. the company has he legal warrant for clusting the effect. The company of Beigle explain their action by saving that the short portion of Third from Partitual to the rallroad tracks was of strictiontly for use execut to index trains who aralled themselves of it as a short rat to reach the Elizabeth Trust Station British halfus recoper Thereis to ling straigh by frathe on the

ning News Company plant at Bridge- Long Branch division, occurred at this ton, completely gutted the building point and for the better protection of life the railroad company decided to close the street.

Wife Beater Kills Officer.

Patrolman Charles Lippincott, of Asbury Park, was shot and killed on Monday morning by Charles Clayton, of the same place, who the officer was about to arrest for wife beating. Atterward Clayton turned the weapon on Patrolman Miller and pulled the trigger, but the hammer fell on an exploded cartridge. Miller after a struggle wrested the revolver from Clayton and overpowered him. Miller is the only negro on the local police force. Wilson, State School Superintendent The murder occurred a short distance from Clayton's home on Prospect street. Several hours after the killing Clayton signed a confession of guilt. He was taken to the county jail at Freehold, where a formal charge of murder was made against him. Lippincott was one of the best liked men on the force, having been appointed about seven years ago. He was thirty-six years old and leaves i wife and three children. Clayton had been in trouble before for wife beating and had served a term in jail for the offence. Soon after midnight Monday morning, a call came to one of the police sub-stations that Clay. ton was again abusing his wife. Lippincott and Miller were sent to the house, and when they arrived there Clayton was just leaving. Seeing the officers he started to run away, with Lippincott and Miller in pursuit. Lippincott was in the lead. He called on Clayton to stop and the later threw up his left hand as if to indicate that he would g've up. Lippincott ran up and was about to place his hands on the suspect's shoulder when Clayton, who had a revolver in his right hand. shot the officer through the heart. When he tried to fire at Miller, it was almost a point blank shot. Had it not been for the defective cartridge, Miller would almost certainly have suffered the same fate as Lippincott,

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NOTICE.

All persons concerned may take notice, that the Subscriber, administrator, etc., of John S. Van Buren deceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the Twenty-second day of December, 1911, at 10 a.m., in the Term of December, 1911, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate. Dated November 1, 1911.

ELIAS S. MASON. Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

John Dooling, administrator of Eugene Dooling, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Eugene Dooling, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of the said deceased, under onth or affirmation, within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred of any action therefor against the said administration. ministrator.

Dated September 22, 1911, JOHN DOOLING, Administrator.

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the Surrogate,
Dated November 1, 1911,
ROGER LEONARD, JR,

NOTICE.

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Dated Secondary 6, 2011

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R EPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank, at South Amboy. In the State of New Jersey, at the close of business December 5, 1911:

RESOURCES. RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts. \$266.183 60
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured. \$28 78
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation. \$50,000 00
Bonds, Securities, etc. \$11,956 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents). \$9,487 17
Due from approved reserve agents. \$9,837 18
Checks and other cash items. \$1,500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents. \$996 66

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).... 47,915 50 Total......\$953,266 58 LIABILITIES.

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State of New Jersey, } ss:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of December, 1911.

F. E. DEGRAW, Notary Public.

Sunday-

SALE OF LANDS

FOR

UNPAID TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1910.

NOTICE OF SALE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY ALFRED T. KERR, COLLECTOR of Taxes of the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, 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 taxes and lien thereon, including interest and costs of sale; and the said sale will take

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1911,

at 2 o'clock P. M. at the City Hall in the City of South Amboy. And the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate so to be sold, and the names of the persons against whom the said taxes have been laid on account of the same, and the amount of tax laid on account of each parcel are as follows,

To whom Assessed Houses	There .	101 1101	ta-ta		
Estate John Connell	2	2324	Feltus	129	\$ 2.28
Bradley Estate	2	1-2	Center	96	3.04
Louis Borlund 1	2	12	Ridgeway Ave	211	25.08
Louis Borlund	2	3-4	Ridgeway Ave		3.04
Wm. Freeman 1	ī	40	Conover		7.84
Estate Daniel Buckley 1	$\overline{2}$	2526	Conover		9.12
Estate Daniel Buckley 1	2	3839	Conover		10.64
Michael Cleary 1	í	20	Conover		9.36
Unknown	2	40-42	Wilmot		.91
	2 .	28—29			1.52
Unknown	2	21—22	Wilmot		9.88
Jas. Huff	1	40			
Richard Parisen1	i	17		15	24.32
Margaret Connell1	1	19		16 16	10.64
Estate Capt. Chas. Parisen		20	Augusta		3.04
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Estate Capt. Chas. Parisen	1	22	Augusta		3.04
Estate Capt. Chas. Parisen	1	23	Augusta		3.04
Estate Capt. Chas. Parisen	1	24	Augusta		3.04
Margaret Connell 1	1	30	Augusta		15.20
Margaret Connell	1	31	Augusta	28	4.56
Mrs. Chas. Watson½	1	25	David		7.60
F. M. P. Pearse1	1	29	David	39	9.12
F. M. P. Pearse	1	30	David	39	3.04
John McCarthy 1	1	57	Augusta		8.36
John McCarthy	1/2	58	Augusta		1.52
Estate Mrs. J. Mulholland 1	1 ~	1	Augusta		12.16
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Mary A. Lamb	3		John		25.84
Mrs. Thos. Hurley 1	1	16	John		7.60
Estate John Douglas 1	1	63	Henry		7.60
Lee J. Thompson,	2	20-21	John		6.08
Estate Mrs. J. Mulliolland 1	1	3	Broaway		71,44
Thos. Ryan 1	1	18	Henry		6.32
Frank Muski 1	1	29	Henry		10.12
Estate Edward Wallis	2	3738	Broadway	. 11	6.08
Estate Mrs. K. Matchett	12	920	Louisa	. 31	6.08
Unknown	1	57	Ferris	. 31	.77
Estate G. L. Everitt	7	1-7	Stevens Ave	. 32	5.32
Mrs. A. Naw	2	89	Stevens Ave	. 32	1.52
Unknown	2	4243	Catherine	. 33	6.08
John Render	1	17	Pine Ave		1 3,04
Andrew O'Connor	2 .	3031	George		4,56
Mary Sullivan	4	D8	Pine Ave	. 42	12.16
Estate G. L. Everitt	1	14	Ferris	. 43	.77
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Mary Mulvey	4	3134	Lefferts		4.56
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J. A. Johnson	2	7080	Ward Ave	. 63	1.52
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Michael Leonard	2 2	910	Celtus	. 54	3.04
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Dated, South Amboy, N. J., November 24, 1911

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held as follows:

Sunday School10:30 a. m Morning Service10:30 a. m

Woman's World

Mrs. Kate Williamson, a Woman Out 5or Congress.



MRS. KATE WILLIAMSON,

"Kate Williamson for congress!" That is the battleery of the women f Colorado.

Since it became known that Colorado because of its increase in population is entitled to another representative in the national house the women of that state have declared that one of their number shall be the new member.

The movement was launched in Denver, and the women did not have far to look for a candidate. Colorado is one of the few states that place men and women upon an equality in the matter of voting. Equal suffrage, according to the women, is doing the state a vast amount of good. Incidentally it is bringing into prominence several women, some of whom are now holding elective offices. Colorado rolls up a large woman's vote, and the women are keenly alive to their opportunities. So when it became a matter of certainty that the state would soon be permitted to increase its congressional representation the clubwomen of the capital city got busy and finally decided to make a united effort to capture the office for one of their own sex. And the choice has fallen on Katherine Williamson.

Mrs. Williamson is a woman of strong personality. Her age is-well, she looks to be about thirty-sevencertainly not more than forty years. She is of medium height, possesses a striking figure and pleasing features. and her eyes play a strong accompaniment to her expressed thoughts. She has the happy faculty of making new friends as well as keeping the old. She has decided opinions of her own and weekday Services

Name of her own and fearlessly expresses them. At the same time she never permits herself to show anger because others cannot share her beliefs. Perhaps that is one of the case she has come into such prominence among the men and women of the state and placed her among the men and women of the state and placed her among the mental state and placed her among the state and placed her among the mental state and placed her among the has decided opinions of her own and the state and placed her among the leaders in the women's clubs and caused politicians to seek her counsel on more than one occasion.

At a public discussion a short time ago Mrs. Williamson was asked by one of the male speakers why women persisted in trying to secure universal equal suffrage.

'In your own case, Mrs. Williamson," he said, "your presence certainly graces this platform, but I imagine you would look far more charming at home with your children around you and bending your talents toward those things that make for the ideal home." Mrs. Williamson's answer has be-

come famous. "Sir," she said, "your remarks are like those of most men when they discuss a subject of which they know little or nothing. As you suggest, I will consider my own case. In the first place, I do not possess the home; in the second place. I haven't the children you mention, and, in the third place, I am a widow, and it would be decidedly improper to follow out further

your suggestions."

Mrs. Williamson has lived in Colorado only a few years. Her husband died about eight years ago, and a short time after she went to Denver, where she has since resided. She holds the office of state factory inspector, and it is common knowledge that the duties of that office are being conscientiously. and most successfully carried out. Herrecord in that office, her charming personality, her skill as a debater-all will aid her in the enthusiastic campaign which she and her friends will wage to win for her the first woman's sent in the intional house of reprenentatives.

Keeping Brass Beds New.

"When purchasing a bed from a friend of mine, who is a manufacturer of from and brass beds, I ob-Jected to the brasa ones because they are so hard to keep bright," was the comment of a housekeeper recently,

"That is because you polish them." he aneworld quizzhedly. Then in all serbuishess he sald: "Take my advice Then in all and let brass absolutely alone, not bandling it, not allowing it to be wet by any liquid and, above all, not ruiding it. Of course they are poltemporary, and the latter stage is worse than the first, time begun, the polishing must be kept up. The absent treatment is what breas wants."

t timb this expert's advice, and after the years my hed to still like new,

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, Assistant. 30 Ward Avenue.

Christ Church Services, Sunday, December 17, 1911, (Third Sunday in Advent)

Services during the week ending December 23, 1911.
Thursday—(St. Thomas) Holy Communion 9.00 a. m.

Friday—
Choir Rehearsal7.30 p. m.
Doane Memorial Chapel.
Morning Prayer, Litany and
Sermon......10.30 a. m.
Sunday School......2:30 p. m.
Chapel of the Good Shepherd
Sunday School.......3.00 p. m.

Sunday— The Sunday School.....2:30 p. m. Monday—
The Woman's Auxiliary...2.30 p. m.

Tuesday___ 7.30 p. m. The Junior Auxiliary....3:30 p. m.
The Boy Scouts......7:30 p. m.
Wednesday—
The Brotherhood of St. Andrew

Thursday—
The Brotherhood of St. Andrew (Seniors) 8:00 p. m.

Baptist Church.
Rev. Thomas Neal, Jr., Pastor.
Residence 71 Second street.
Services for the week beginning Sunday, December 17,1911. Sunday Services.

10.30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor.
Subject: "The Changeless Christ."
2.30 p. m. Bible School Lesson Study,
"East Touches the Law" Nehemiah

6.45 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. A Missionary journey around the world. 2 Cor. 12:1-15. Leader—Miss Edith Hardy.

John Street M. E. Church

Services for the week beginning Sunday, December 17, 1911. Sunday Services:

Preaching 10.30 a. m. Subject: "The Freedom and Dignity of the Christian."

7.30 p. m. Subject: "The Voice Behind Thee." Junior League, Thursday 4.00 p. m. Prayer service, Thursday 7.45 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Saturday 8 p. m. Seats free, strangers cordially invit-

Presbyterlan Church

Services for the week beginning, Sunday, December 17, 1911.

God.' "God." 45 p. m. Wednesday- Prayer and Praise Meeting. Our midweek de-votional exercises to God.

8.00 p. in. Saturday, Chorne rehearsal Remember strangers always wel-come; seats free, If you have no church home, we invite you to come and worship with us.

معدد () محم Methodist Protestant Church Rev. F. F. Craig, Pastor,

dervices for the week beginning Sun-

Preaching 7:30 p. m. Thureday: Junior C. E. Meeting in afternoon. Praise and Frayer Hervice 7:45 p. m. Baturday evening, Choir rehearsal.

All are welcome, as all seats are free.

p. m., last Sunday of month.
The Parish House Meetings of the Various Societies:

The Girls' Friendly Society

(Juniors)......7:45 p. m.

Saturday-The Sewing School, where chil-

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hearty Christian welcome awaits all who come. Cheering services. Seats free. A church for the stranger and non-churchgoer. Come and see.

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Class 9:30 a. m. Junior Class 10 a. m.

Christian.
Sunday School 2.30 p. m.
Epworth League Service, 6.45 p. m.
led by Miss Martha Carlson. Evening service of song and sermon

ed. If you have no church home we give you a most hearty invitation to come and worship with us.

Rev George Kane, Pastor,

10.30 a. m. Morning service begins,
Preaching by the pastor. Subject:
"The Mind to Work."
2.30 p. m. General Sabbath School,
Classes for all. Subject: "Ezra
"Teaches the Law," Neh. 8,
7.00 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor

meeting, Subject: "Missions in the West Indies," 2 Cor. 12:4-15. Ab p. m. Evening service begins, Prenching by the paster. Theme:

day, December 17, 1911. Honday services: - Class Meeting 9:45 a. m. Preaching 10:30 a. m. Bunday Helmot 2:30 p. m. Y. P. H. C. E. Meeting 7:00 p. m.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1911.

The House of Representatives on Wednesday passed the Sulzer resolution for the abrogation of the Russian treaty by the almost unanimous vote of Perth Amboy to the market and see 300 to 1. That it should receive such if they could make a half dollar or so. a strong support may be attributed to the fact public opinion favored it. While there was only one vote cast against the resolution, several other votes were prefaced by expressions of protest against headstrong action. The the matter in abeyance until the efficiency of diplomatic effort has been fully tested.

It is doubtful, that after re-advertising for new bids on third section to steal some vegetables from his of sewer system, if they will be as low as the previous ones received.

Poor Broadway! Will it ever receive a new dress?

CRITICISM OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The two members of the Advisory Committee of the New Jersey Board of Public Education who make complaint concerning the public schools are not disqualified as critics because they are plain business men, rather than professional educators. criticism has a familiar sound. They visited two of the State normal schools and asked the students, who are supposed to be undergoing a rounding-out process to become teachers of children, some simple questions in spelling, history, geography and arithmetic, and the results were unsatisfactory. Naturally enough, they ask if the teachers are not equipped with this elementary knowledge, how can it be expected that their pupils shall be properly taught. But, so far from these embyro teachers being individually at fault, responsibility rests on the system, for these normal students were, for the most part, the proits secondary course.

The business man does not pretend to have mastered the science of pedagogy, and doesn't assume to be competent to discuss the curriclum or methods of teaching with the professional educator. But when he takes the product of the public schools and tries to use it in his business, he is a competent judge of the results which have been obtained by the course of schooling, and there is no disguising the fact that he finds them lacking. New York-Telephone Company Poor spelling, worse grammar, and a paucity of history and a dangerous tendency to inaccuracy in figures, tell the story of a common experience, even with high school graduates.

The natural inference is that not enough attention is paid to the "Three R's" of elementary education, and that too much time is wasted on

FARMER ACQUITTED OF SHOOTING SLOVER

The trial of Anton Winzinger, charg-

and the boy had once owned a burglar's electric lamp.

that he was not in the habit of staying out all night; that this was the only night that he had stayed out. On this night, he said, he and another boy had been in the vicinity of the Hole-in-the-Wall when an autoist came along and inquired the way to Sayreville. They pointed it out and volunteered to go with the man, and they got half way to the place when the auto ran into a wagon and knocked a wheel off the wagon. Then the autoist asked them to stay and help him fix the machine and they spent a lot of time there they claimed. He did not know who the autoist was or who owned the wagon. He said that the driver of the wagon was half stewed. After a long time he and the other boys started to walk back home and then decided to go to It was while they were trying to get a ride that the shots were fired.

Winzinger said his wagon had been held up before and he had heard of other wagons being held up there, and of farmers being stoned. He was Senate, however, will probably hold frightened and said that he fired blind. ly ont of the wagon. One of the shots hit Andrew Slover. The state contended that the farmer had no right to use a weapon in defence, even if he thought that an effort was being made wagon.

Judge Daly, in sending the case to the jury, said that a man attacked in his own home can use force in selfdefence, even to the extent of killing his assailant, but that a man has no right to use such force in defence of ordinary property, such as a wagon load of produce.

If that alone was put up as a justi-



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rills. If that isn't the reason, the pedagogues must find a better. The criticism is well-founded and the professional educators should heed it.—

Philadelphia Bulletin.

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OR THURSDAY, THE EIGHTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, NINETEEN HUN-DRED AND TWEEVE,

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the County Court House, in the city of New Brunswick, in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey: All that haid and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of South Brunswick in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

The trial of Anton Winzinger, charged with shooting Andrew M. Slover, a boy of Mechanicaville, at 3.30 a. m. on August 11th last, came up in the criminal court as New Brunswick on Wednesday. Mr. Winzinger was on his way to the market in Perth Amboy with a lond of produce. As he was passing through the Hole-in-the-wall three boys ran after his wagen. He fired at them and one of the bullets cut into the check of young Slover. The boy testified that he had been out with Ceorne Freeman and Frank Standards that the Winzinger's wagen and they were on their way to the market. They thought that they could get a ride in Winzinger's wagen and they ran after him to ask him for a ride when the three dupon them. The man firer him to ask him for a ride when the three dupon them. The man firer him to ask him for a ride when the three dupon them. The man firer him to ask him for a ride when the three dupon them. The man firer him to ask him for a ride when the three dupon them. The man firer him out with his father he saw the man driving across the bridge and political for the him to ask him for a ride when the three dupon them. The man firer him out in his father, who followed the man into this city, where he are also seen to the man fired three shotis.

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fication of the shooting the court said that it would be no legal justification. The boy, on cross-examination, said but it should be seriously considered had been stoned and robbed and that this farmer had been robbed and that he had been attacked by an armed negro at Matawan some time ago.

He told the jury to determine what the farmer thought his danger to be; that if the facts actually appeared to him that night that he was in danger, then the jury had a right to take his view into consideration.

The jury decided that Winzinger was not guilty. Roger Leonard, Jr., of this city, was one of the jurymen.

Shop at home and save money.

RESTORES ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

As a result of a decree of the Pope issued in July in reference to holy with the evidence that other farmers days, St. Patrick's Day was struck off 426, K. of C., at St. Mary's Hall. Tickthe list of Irish obligatory holy days ets, \$1.00 each. on which the Catholics are called upon to hear mass and abstain from unnecessary work.

At the request of the Catholic heirarchy in Ireland, however, the Holy See has just issued another decree which is interesting to the Irish people throughout the world. According to this the feast of St. Patrick will continue to be a holy day in Ireland without, however, being preceded by a day of fasting or abstinence.

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Ladies Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in a box..50c All Linen embroidered, 25c ca., box of 12 \$2.75 Embroidered Lawn Handkerchiefs, 6 in a

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We have a full line of Infants' goods. Wrappers, Bands, Dresses, Slips, Coats, Sweaters, Bootees and Caps, any of which make an acceptable Christmas gift.

Ladies' Bath Robes......\$1.69 and \$2.49 All sorts of Christmas Tags and Seals. Colgate's Vioris Soap, box of 3 cakes...28c Coral Necklaces......19c to Blocks for the little ones......10c to 49c

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Ladies' Neckwear

It would 'a a hard matter to describe them, they are here in all the newest designs and colorings......25e to 75c each. Side Jabots, the latest fad25c and 49c

Jeweled Back Combs......49c Military Brushes............98c up. Comb and Brush Sets.....98c up. Manicure sets at various prices. Jewel Cases......25c up Children's Rain Proof Capes in Blue or Red sizes 6 to 14, each......\$2.98 Ladies' Kid Gloves............\$1.00 and \$1.35 Ladies' Sweaters.......\$1.59 up Children's Sweaters......49c up Hat Pins......25c to 98c Phoenix Mufflers, all colors......50c Leather Pillow Tops ... \$2.49, \$2.98 and \$3.50 Sofa Cushion Slips at......25c and 49c German Silver Mesh Bags at various prices Fancy Belts......25c and 49c Couch Covers......98c up. Linen Table Cloths and Sets. .98c up to \$10.00 Sewing Machines

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An elegant line to choose from, size from 34 to 44 at prices ranging from 98c up.

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Fancy Pin Cushions	
Framed Pictures10c	to \$1.25
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Games, various kinds	25c up

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Camel Hair, Natural Wool, White and Scarlet at prices considerably less than you can buy them elsewhere.

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11-18-tf

FOR RENT-House, 192 Broadway. In quire of P. F. Kenah.

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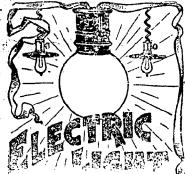
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ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented In Short Paragraphs for Busy

Next Wednesday will be the shortest day of the year.

Have you seen M. Kaufman's show window? Take a look at it, and see the Christmas season depicted.

The September Grand Jury on Monday presented to its foreman, W. Parker Runyon, a pair of field glasses.

The quarterly meeting of the Firemen's Relief Association was held on Thursday evening. The usual routine of business was transacted.

Poor vs. Frank Stults, of New Brunswick, will be heard in police justice's court at 2 o'clock next Tuesday after-The regular meeting of the Star

The case of the Overseer of the

been postponed to December 26, on account of Christmas falling on regular The Citizen acknowledges receipt of

copy of the Easton Free Press and

Building and Loan Association has

souvenir post card from Fred Wheeler, formerly of this city, who now resides The Exempt Firemen's Association met on Wednesday evening at Fire-

man's Hall. Business was transacted, and matters appertaining to its welfare discussed.

A freight car on a siding of the Raritan River railroad was broken into and a quantity of flour taken therefrom. Detectives have been plac-

An entertainment will be given in the Sacred Heart Parish Hall on December 26. A fine program is being arranged, which will include tableaux depicting Christmas life in the old

The members of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School have been very busy the past week preparing for their Christmas cantata, "Santa Claus is Coming," which will be given in K. of P. Hall on Christmas night.

Philip Sullivan, of this city, has been selected as one of the list as member of a struck jury to try the case of Charles S. Edgar against the International Smokeless Powder and Chemical Company, of Parlin.

Charles E. Skillman, agent for the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company of New Brunswick, was apprehended for selling goods without a city license. The case will be heard before Police Justice Birmingham at 10 a.m. on Tuesday next.

Wednesday morning, about five o'clock, Mrs. Harry Parisen met with a mishap that might have proven very serious. It appears that a railing had been removed from the back porch the day before and was left unfastened. When Mrs. Parisen went ont on the stoop in the dark, not remembering about the loose railing, she fell off striking head first on the ground. She 176 Henry St. South Amboy, N. J. fortunately was not otherwise injured.

FORSMAN HIT BY LUMP OF COAL

Charles Fersman on stepping from the Raritan River Railroad train at Bergen Hill station on Tuesday night was struck by a large piece of coal thrown from the tender by one of the crowd of boys who make a regular practice of making a bon fire by the little station, Mr. Forsman had stepped from the train and was passing the tender when one of the boys who make a custom of boarding the e gines to supply coal for their fire threw off the coal. It struck Mr. Forsman a violent blow on the shoulder, narrowly escaping inflicting serious injury.

So long as these boys are allowed to continue keeping up this bon fire, they are bound to seek a supply of fuel from the passing trains. This practice is fraught also with other danger. The fire is usually built only a couple of feet from the "station shanty," and it is probably only a question of time when the shanty itself will supply fuel for the fire, and possibly be the means of causing the destruction of other property. There seems to be good reason for prompt action, both by the railroad authorities, and by the police, the one to protect its passengers and property, and the other as a safeguard against property loss to citizens.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The address by Mrs. Captain E. L. Wilbur at the Sunday afternoon meeting December 10th, was interesting and instructive. The theme followed was "Rum does its work and does it well." Mrs. Wilbur gave, the talk in Salvation Army style and used illustrations taken from actual contact with the victims of rum as they are found by the active Army soldiers in the slums and not the slums only, but also along the higher walk of life. The personal testimony given by the speaker was so real, heart rending, and yet so full of appeal and symple. thy that only a few, if any, escaped with dry eyes, not the emotion that is offensive, but that which all are glad to have experience. The singing was taken hold of by the audience and the special selections appropriate to the speaker's work were sung with a will that creates inspiration.

Meeting Sunday afternoon, December17th, at the usual hour, 4 o'clock, will be addressed by Captain Heckman. Subject: "Seeking for What?" Captain Heckman is not a stranger among us, but is well known and loved by all who know him. He has been wonderfully blessed in his work among men as he goes from port to port. Captain Heckman is a thorough Salvationist and corries a commission in recognition of his work in Corps No. 1, New York City. Come and hear the Captain and you will be glad to have spent an hour. Special selection will be used in singing. The choir of the Methodist Protestant Church will be present to assist Captain Heckman with his choice selections.

Regular meeting of the Committee of Management will be held at the Association Friday evening at 8

Air brake and machinery and break down lectures in the Class Room every Monday and Friday, 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Classes for Motive Power and Trainmen. Special attention given the trainmen in the Friday lectures.

PRESBYTERIAN LETTER.

The Prayer meeting service next week will be changed to Wednesday at 7.45 p. m. Be sure and bear this notice in mind and come.

The Junior meeting will be omitted, because of preparation for the Christmas exercises, until after the holidays. Further notice will be given. The Sabbath School will give its annual Christmas entertainment on Friday evening, December 22, at 8 o'clock. 'The committee this year has propared a cantata entitled "Johnnie Doubter." We are looking for a successful entertainment. If nothing happens Santa Claus will be there. Don't fall to come.

On Sabbath evening, December 24 the Sabbath School will render its 25c Christmas musical program entitled The Christmas Hell," There will also he other special Christmas music. You are invited to this and all other 10c church services.

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Close to 500 rockers were bought for the holiday trade and all tastes and purses may be satisfied

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Steering sleighs made with heavy steel frame with finely finished top, on sale at........98c Larger sizes same style as above specials worth The names of the above sleighs are: Flexible Flyers, Fire Flies, Lightning Guiders, Fleet Wings,

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25 other latest styles in all finishes from \$8.98

These couches sell regularly anywhere from \$30.00 up, but we are closing out a few discontinued patterns and while they last the price is

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In his annual report to the President, Secretary of War Stimson declared that war with a first class power would find the army of the United States practically unprepared. He attributes this largely to the fact that the army was "scattered out over the country" and to a lack of reserves. The army on the peace footing habitually maintained he characterized as ineffective for any ser-

As to the unpreparedness of the army in artillery and ammunition, Secretary Stimson says that "at the present rate of appropriation it is estimated that it would take more than fifty years to secure a reasonable supply of field artillery guns, carriages, and ammunition that would be necessary in the event of war."

The report makes the statement that the cost of each effective rifleman in the United States Army is between two and five times as much as to any first class power in Europe. This in an illustration, Secretary Stimson declares, of the extravagance of the existing system of wide distribution of the army.

Dealing with insular affairs the Secretary of War urges that the right of American citizenship be granted to the natives of Porto Rico. A Porto Rican traveling abroad now is literally a man without a country. and Mr. Stimson says that a continued refusal to grant citizenship to the iclanders will "gravely wound the sensibilities of this loyal people."

Congress is urged to express its wishes regarding the disposal of the unoccupied Friar lands in the Philippines, to increase the limit of indebtedness which may be incurred by the Philippine Government for public works from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000, and to pass a Philippine naturalization law.

Secretary Stimson recommends that the permanent organization to operate the Panama Canal be established on a strictly business basis, leaving the question of tolls to the President, and giving American shipping practically free use of the canal. The Interstate Commerce Commission should regulate rates to prevent railway interests from exercising control.

Secretary Stimson takes a stand in favor of a system of selection in making army promotions instead of holding to seniority. He notes a distinct improvement in the personnel, but declares that there is much dead wood in the army.

The army posts were originally in many cases located with reference to possible Indian troubles, and few are in positions suited to strategic needs. The average number of companies to each of the forty-nine posts is only nine. He adds:

"In short, we have scattered our army over the country as if it were merely groups of local constabulary instead of a national organization. The result is an army which is extraordinarily expensive to maintain, and one whose efficiency for the main purpose of its existence has been nullified so far as geographical location can nullify it.

"It is true that the small units into which it has thus been subdivided have as a whole, maintained efficiency to a remarkable extent. * * * But for a remote contingency by which a National army must be always judged. namely, the contingency of a war with a first class power, the army is practically unprepared."

The Secretary declares that steps have been taken and others are in the course of prosecution to correct these faults of organization. It is in contemplation to remove the cavalry from the far northern posts to the southward, substituting infantry for them. The Texas manoeuvers showed the adaptation of the Southwestern States for cavalry training, whereas in the North for many months in the year it is impossible to drill out of doors.

The Secretary commits himself to the theory that it is a function of the modern army to be the school of the eitizen soldier, as opposed to those who contend for a permanent organ-Ization of professional soldiers Therefore he disapproves of the long term of childment and favors its shorten ing to two years, to allow as many men as possible to have its training.

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Her Illness

It Was Diagnosed by Many **Doctors. but Correctly** by Only One

By F. A. MITCHEL

It was Sunday morning. The State Street Presbyterian church of Berkeley was crowded to hear the first sermon of the new minister, the Rev. Charles Fordham. Miss Dorothy Cummings, daughter of Deacon Cummings -the deacon was one of the pillars of the church-sat in her father's pew spellbound by the minister's eloquence.

The following Tuesday evening Miss Cummings appeared at the weekly prayer meeting, surprising those who for years had been regular in their at-

On Thursday the minister dined at the home of Deacon Cummings, and Miss Dorothy during the evening found an opportunity to say to him that she had been deeply impressed by his Sunday sermon and would like to converse with him on the subject of the discourse. Mr. Fordham signified his willingness to further enlighten her, suggesting that she call at the church whenever she chose.

Miss Cummings did not appear at the church on the second Sunday of the new clergyman's administration. To inquiries concerning her her mother announced that she was indisposed. Mrs. Cummings bore a message to the same effect from her daughter to Mr. Fordham and asked if he could find it convenient to call during the week, since she was not well enough to go out. She desired a conference.

Now, the Rev. Mr. Fordham was a young bachelor, but old enough to understand the care that must be observed by a clergyman. He told Mrs. Cum-



ASKED THE PATIENT A GREAT MANY QUESTIONS.

mings he had laid down a rule for his guidance which he preferred not on rule was that he would not make any except him and Dorothy. tion must be administered at the she was supposed to have taken. Mr. church. He did not explain why he Fordham, having broken his rule once. the fact.

A few weeks later the Cummings family physician, Dr. Effingham Treat, was called in to see Dorothy. He looked at her tongue, felt her pulse and stuck a little glass thermometer in her mouth. Then he took out the prescription blank with which doctors invariably end a call, especially a first call, and wrote a prescription. This done. he left her, stating that the trouble was not serious. As soon as he had gone Dorothy threw his prescription

into the fire. A week passed, and Miss Cummings, being no better, her father called up Dr. Treat by telephone and was informed that he had gone to Smith's drug store. Mr. Cummings phoned the doctor there and asked him to call on-Dorothy, since she was no better, and he (her father) was worrled about her. Treat, having forgotten what medicine he had recommended the girl and not wishing it to appear that the case was not constantly on his mind, asked Smith, who sold the Cummingses all their drugs, to look up the prescription and tell him what he had ordered. Smith discovered that no prescription from the doctor to any of the Cummings family had been recently filled. On life way to visit the patient the doctor was stopped by the Rev. Mr. Fordham to Inquire about Miss Cummings. He wished to know whether Dorothy was very sick and gave conidentially as a reason ber request that he should call to administer spiritual advice, his refusal, necording to his tule, stating further that if she were

to tur at once. The doctor promised the elergyman that it Dorothy should become dangerously ill be would notify him and drove on. But on the way he did some thinking. He was nobody's fool, and

in danger he would not bestute to go

rived from the clergyman with that of the druggist and having suspected that his nationt was perfectly well. he began to see through her little scheme. Having arrived at the Cummings home, he went through the usua formalities of a professional call and on departing informed the family that his own health was breaking down from overwork and he was about to give up his practice for at least a year. He would, however, write out a statement of Dorothy's case, so far as he had observed it, which might be of service to any physician who should next treat her. Sitting down in the library, he wrote:

My diagnosis of this case is that there is a cordial affection. There are frequent heart flutterings, followed by depression. But since the heart is affected by nervous conditions I do not fear organic trouble. I rather infer mental influences. However, since I may be mistaken in this diagnosis I would recommend watching the action of the liver, the kidneys, the spices and other organs.

Dorothy kept her room and refused herself to visitors. Dr. Archibald Swain-Chichester, whose practice was among the ultra fashionable set, next took up her case, read Dr. Treat's diagnosis--or, rather, scanned it contemptuously-asked the patient a great many questions, gave especial directions as to her diet, wrote the cus tomary prescription-or, rather, prescriptions, for there were three of them -and departed, promising to return again in a week. Since Mrs. Cummings was now much troubled about her daughter's condition Dorothy did not dare to burn up her prescriptions but when the medicines came she daily poured a small portion of each in a sink. Since she thwarted her physi clan's intention in her behalf it is not remarkable that she gained no benefit But, on the other hand, if she gained no benefit she suffered no injury.

Now, Dorothy in her feminine way was a far better diagnostician than any of her physicians. Though she had met the Rev. Charles Fordham but a few times, she had noticed in his eye that peculiar spark of love which flashes at times between two persons of opposite sex, as well as felt it in her own heart. During his first sermon she had kept her gaze fixed upon him and had several times noticed his momentarily concentrated upon her. During her illness-or, rather, her seclusion-he had made repeated inquiries of her family as to her condition and had manifested the usual solicitude of a pastor for one of his congregation. He even expressed a regret that the rule he had made with reference to refraining from private risits to the women of his church had prevented his giving the sick girl the penefit of spiritual comfort.

The statement seemed to have a bad effect when Mrs. Cummings repeated t to the patient, for the next day Dorothy admitted to her mother that one of the causes of her ailment was a self conviction of her own sinful condition. When Mrs. Cummings repeated this to the clergyman he threw his rule to the winds and informed the good lady that he would visit the invalid whenever she desired to see him.

The next Monday afternoon, Monday being the clergyman's visiting day. he rang the bell at the Cummingses and was ushered into an upstairs living room where Dorothy, whose pallor had been caused partly by confinement and partly by face powder skillfully applied, was half reclining on a lounge. She was dressed in a becomng kimono-like gown and partly covered by a silken spread with colors to correspond with the gown. She was a very pretty girl and never looked prettier than now, at the same time enlisting the sympathy of an invalid.

How far the young clergyman stuck to the subject of that he had come to any account to break through. This talk about is not known to any one but formal visits to the women of his departed the girl seemed to have been congregation and all spiritual instruc- more benefited than by all the drugs had made this rule. He simply stated found it much easier to break it a secoud time, after which it was far easier to break than adhere to it.

It was shortly before these visits began that Dr. Effingham Treat, meeting Mr. Cummings, asked after his daughter. Mr. Cummings said that he had had four physicians and gave Dr. Treat a summary of their opinions as to what was the matter with Dorothy. Dr. Swain-Chichester thought the patient was threatened with melancholia. The next practitioner attributed her illness to her liver, the next to the nerves, the next to a nonassimilation of food. There was one point on which they all agreed-that the patient gave no response whatever to the medicines they prescribed. This was not remarkable since she bad taken none of them. Dr. Treat listened to these diagnoses, looked wise and said nothing.

The visits of the Rev. Mr. Fordham to Miss Dorothy Cummings were contimed with excellent results. Her physicians were discharged, what re millied of her drups was destroyed, and it was not long before she was driving out for an ciring. They she was seen frequently in company with the elergy ruan, and members of the congress tion began to talk of an engagement It was whispered among come of the unnurried ladies who had themselves had designs on the reverend gentle men that Dorothy Cuminings was mak fing a dead set for film.

They were all of them beland the times. At one of the enriter visits Mr. Fordham had made on Miss Cumpilies he had proposed to her and been no copted. Bluce their engagement and Dorothy's recovery they were simply terring a courtelity for the world, and more especially the congregation of the Minte Mireel Prestatorian church When this outside influency had conputting the information by had de ances the engagement was announced aspendituation Chaptering DAVID QUINLAN. Henry St tinued long enough to satisfy appear



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NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS.

"Ben Hur: A Tale or the Christ."

Preparations for the new and elaberate production of "Ben-Hur" at the New Amsterdam theatre, New York, are on a scale of such magnitude that even with the spacious stage of this playhouse it will be necessary to close the theatre the weeks of December 11th and 18th, so that mechanics scenic artists and electricians may give the public a finished performance, so far as the picturesque and mechanical parts of the performance are concerned. The curtain will rise en this new production of the Lew Wallace drama on Saturday evening, December 23rd. It is promised for this restaging that is shall surpass in magnitude and splendor all former productions of this work. Klaw & Erlanger are in this instance building for America and London, for the equipment which will be seen here will be taken without change to London and will be shown there at the Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, Easter Monday, April 8th, 1912. As the historic Drury Lane Theatre has housed hundreds of spectacles made by English producers, Klaw & Erlanger are, in the instance of their revival of "Ben-Hur," exerting every effort and exhausting every avenue to make the production a superb and memorable one. Scenic artists, costumers, wigmakers, armorers, electricians and machinists have been at work for a The results will be shown when the curtain rises on the scene of the Three Wise Men and the Star of Bethlehem, and will sweep on through the sinking of the galley, and will reach a climax in the marvelous chariot race where five chariots and twenty horses will be used. For the great Mount of Olives scene, which closes the performance with the triumphal entry into Jerusalem, the stage will show the slope of the mountain beginning at the footlights and rising clear to the flies, the hillsides being crowded with hundreds of annimated figures clad in variegated robes and dresses of the period, waving palm branches and chanting the great Hosanna.

The interpreting cast includes Richard Buhler, Edward H. Robins, Oscar Adye, Walter M. Sherwin, Emmet C. King, Mark Price, J. Arthur Young, Edwin Cushman, Schuyler Ladd, Geo. Sydenham, Adelaide Nowak, Cecil Kern, Lillian Lawrence, Alice Haynes and Rose Beaudet.

Edgar Stillman Kelly, who arranged the musical settings for "Ben-Hur," has composed for this engagement a new overture and additional incidental music. To heighten the effects of Mr. Kelly's work a grand pipe organ has been installed in the New Amsterdam Theatre by the Austin Organ Company, of Hartford, Conn.

Seats for the "Ben-Hur" season will be placed on sale Monday morning, December 18th. During the New Amsterdam Theatre engagement matinees are announced for Christmas and New Year's.

Bljou Theatre.

Wilton Lackey will begin his New York engagement at the Bijou Theatre, December 21, in "The Stranger," a comedy drama in three acts which has won the endorsement of every proven another popular success for sented him the menu.

Mr. Lackaye. In the character of "Look 'ere, my man," roared the his versatility, playing with apparent ease and fine art the powerful dramatic scenes of the play equally as well as the light comedy situations.

The story of the play is as far removed from the conventional comedy drama as it is possible to imagine. The author has combined an absorbing dramatic story with frequent touches of refreshing humor and shows Mr. Lackaye in stage art at its

The scenes of "The Stranger" are laid in Danville, Virginia, where "John Marshali" (Mr. Lackaye, a traction magnate from New York, formerly a poorhouse boy of Danville, who left there years before to win his way to independence and happiness, suddenly returns to his native city in quest of a franchise to operate an electric line to Richmond, as a rival of the old-fashioned line owned by "Judgo Carter,"....Danville's most influential citizen. The parentage of "Marshall" is supposed to be a matter of serious question, and the younger "Carter" who is in love with "Mary Warrington" (for whom "Marshall" "Carter" is the illegithmale son in-

ican rights to which Mr. Lackage acquired while abroad last summer. L. S. Sire, the producer of the play, has furnished exceptionally fine stage settings for the piece, and surrounded

the star with a cast of unusual merit. Surrounding Mr. Lackage is a cast containing the names of Frank Sheridan, A. S. Byron, Malcolm Williams, Howard Hall, Louis Thomas, William Frederick, Henry Hall, Harriet Brent, Ouida Bergere, and Muriel Starr.

The Cohan Theatre.

Wednesday matinees at the Geo. M. Cohan theatre have been thrown into the discard. Cohan and Harris have announced that mid-week, day time performances of Geo. M. Cohan's "The Little Millionaire" will be out of the regular schedule of that musical farce for the next two weeks and when they are reinstated will be played on Friday afternoons instead of Wed. nesday. The first Friday matinee at the Cohan playhouse will occur on the afternoon of December 29 and this rule will continue for the balance of the season.

Mr. Cohan's reason for eliminating Wednesday matinees for the next fortnight is furnished in the fact that he is at work on a new play for Douglas Fairbanks and desires the extra time their withdrawal will give him to complete his manuscript and be ready for rehearsals called for Friday, December 29.

The Astor Theatre.

"The Red Widow," chaperoned by Cicero Hannibal Butts, (Raymon: Hitchcock) New York, U. S. A., is being made the recipient of a series of ovations at the Astor Theatre, New York, that would turn the head of a less sophisticated lady that this lurid one whose whole aim, according to the authors of this capital play, is to plant a collection of bombs under the front stoop of the Czar's palace in St. Petersburg, with the hope that their explosion will spill the Ruler of the Russians all over the surrounding Siberian scenery.

The Red Widow's plotting in the play is apparently just as sincere as any that has been hatched in earnest. It is far more interesting, however, for this Nihilist is a charming woman who lays her plans in a series of musical settings that are altogether alluring. Of course the Red Widow's schemes are folled in the end, not by the watchfulness of the police, but because of an infatuation inspired by a handsome officer of the Russian army, for the love of whom she forsakes her anarchistic line of endeavor and, according to the story related in this fascinating musical play, finds complete happiness that does not necessitate constant embroglious with the Czar's energetic police force. Not, however, before she has set many snares for the susceptible Butts who, in trying to escape, is treated to a series of hair raising experiences that he finds great difficulty in dodging before he is finally cleared of the charge of being an accomplice of the Red Widow and her bomb blowing brigade.

Incidently, the whole revolutionary scheme is worked ont to the accompaniment of music, mirth and general gayety, during which Raymond Hitchcock is seen at his best.

Not to Be Tricked.

A rural visitor to Glasgow desiring a meal extered a restaurant, and when city in which it has played and has he had taken a seat the waiter pre-

"John Marshall" of the piece, he has wide awake rustic, "you don't cheat me | 1 tap wire trouble or fire out. given new and convincing proof of looke this. I be only just coom in. I 2 taps 12 o'clock or test. ain't 'ad any of these 'ere things, and I shan't pay for 'em. I knows yer game, and I'll get my dinner somewhere else." He then took his departure, leaving the waiter to think it over .- London Ideas.

A New Use.

Quite a novel method of announcing an engagement was that employed by a clever young lady in the west. She telegraphed a girl friend in Boston: "Solomon, six, three."

Looking up that chapter and verse the friend read:

"I am my beloved's and my beloved is mine."-Boston Transcript.

The Way It Started. "He tried to kiss me. I can't under-

stand It " "Neither can L dear."

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"My wife would have been in her grave to-day," Writes O. H. Brown, of Mauscadine, Ala., "If it had not been avows his devotion), by treachery and for Dr. King's New Discovery. She decelt seeks to convert this fact into was down in her bed, not side to g d A husiness and social asset. "Marsh: up without help. She had a severe all" however, wins out in the end and bronchial trouble and a dreadful succeeds in proving that the younger cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she seen legan stead of himself, in this scene the to mond, and was well in a short arting is followed with breathless in: time." Infullible for coughs and oulds, it's the most reliable remady is planned to make the organic on earth for desperate lung trouble a stock company for the homorrhages, lagetope, asthma, hav and after the run of "The fever, comp and whomping cough 50several plays by fareign \$1.00. Trial builte free, thursanteed produced, the Amera by tien, W. Jaques,

Deer Are Great Swimmers. If a boy were asked to name an

animal that could swim a long way it is probable that he would think of almost anything before he named a If you told city folk that deep have been known to swim clear across the sound, from Long Island to Conpecticut, they would probably laugh at you, yet all the boatmen along the coast know this to be true. Deer will often take to the sea when they are closely pursued by the bounds, and they have been known to stay in the water swimming until the dogs got tired and went away or until night fell and sheltered them.-New York Sun.

Authors' Names

Authors who manipulate their names to suit their fancles are not a small band. There is Thomas Henry Hall There were Gabriel Charles Dante Rossetti and Charles John Huffam Dickens. Only one book of refer ence gives the full name of Oscar Fingall O'Flaherty Wills Wilde, some of whose poems first appeared over the ville is really Louis Benjamin, and very few people are aware that the bearer of the distinguished name Sir Sidney Lee was originally Solomon Lazarus Levi.-London Spectator.

"I made a mistake," said Plodding Pete. "I told that man up the road I needed a little help 'cause I was lookin' fur me family, from whom I had been separated fur years.

across?" "He couldn't see it. He said dat be didn't know my family, but he wasn't goin' to help in bringin' any such trouble on 'em."-Washington Star.

"Can't you settle this bill today, sir?" asked the tailor of the delinquent sen-

"No. Shears: it wouldn't be parliamentary. I've merely glanced over it you know, and I can't pass a bill until after its third rending."-Judge

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

South Amboy, N. J., December 1st

The annual meeting of the stock-holders of this bank for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the banking

house on Tuesday, January 9th, 1912. The polis will be open at 2 o'clock p. m., and remain open one hour. R. C. STEPHENSON

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 26th day of December, Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, at a meet ing of the Common Council of the City of South Amboy to be held on said date at the City Hall at the hour of eight o'clock p. m., an ordinance will be introduced for the purpose of vacating the southerly ten feet of Portia street as now laid out and extending from Feltus street to Raritan

And all persons that may object to the improvement aforesaid are hereby notified to present their objections in writing at the office of the City Clerk on or before the twenty-second day of December, Nineteen Hundred and Eleven.

> JOSEPH F. FULTON. City Clerk.

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-Broadway and Augusta street.

45-Main and Augusta streets. 4-Broadway and Bordentown ave

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Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting on Sunday last. Reading.

Miss K. O'Hara spent Sunday last

Mrs. Frank Petty spent Tuesday ast at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Tobias Grace, of Bound Brook, spent Thursday in this city.

Mrs. C. I. Bergen has been visiting at Trenton during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stratton spent

Monday last at Philadelphia, C. I. Bergen was an over Sunday

visitor with friends at Trenton. Cecil Metz, of Jersey City, was a

visitor in town on Monday last. Miss Agnes Dunne, of Newark, is

visiting friends on Henry street. Messrs. Eugene Finn and Neil Brien. of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Mary Lyons and Miss Elizabeth Woods were New York visitors this

Mrs. Roy B. Sheppard, of Milltown, visited friends in town last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Pearce, of Camden, visited friends in town on

Miss Fannie Walsh, of Elizabeth, is the guest of Miss Maggle Brien, of this city.

Mrs. Margaret Kenn, of New Brunswick, is visiting Miss Maggle Brien, of

Miss Carrie Good, of New Hope, Pa., is visiting Captain and Mrs. Edward Good, of David street.

A. H. Bergen spent several days this week with his sister, Mrs. R. B. Sheppard, of Milltown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Muirheid visted friends at Easton, Pa., on Saturday and Sunday last.

Mrs. James Hickey and Miss Amanda Byrnes, of Salem, Mass., are visiting friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George French, and son William, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy French of Perth Amboy,

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beswick, of Camden, were the guests of Miss Lauretta Bloodgood, of George Street, Saturday and Sunday last.

Master William H. Askin, of Perth Amboy, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Bloodgood, of George street.

Mrs. E. J. Gerrity, and daughter, Geraldine, of Brooklyn, have returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Catherine Gunkel, of Pine ave.

A Wasp That Uses Tools.

Wasps are in one respect more civilized than any other insect or animal. John Burroughs tells us that, "though it has been thought that man is the only tool using animal, yet there is one species of wasp, ammophila, that uses a little pebble to pound down the earth over her nest. She takes the pebble in her mandibles, as you or I would take a stone in our hand, and uses it as a hammer to pound down the seil above the cavity that holds her egg. This is a remarkable fact. So far as I know, there is no other animal on this continent that makes any mechanical use of an object or substance foreign to its own body in this way."

Well Defined.

"Pa. is a ressel a boat?" "Er-yes, you may call it that."
"Well, what kind of a boat is a blood

"A lifeboat."

LIST OF LETTERS

remaining uncalled for in South Amboy Post Office for the week ending December 16, 1911.

Catherine O'Donnell, Sadie Barnes Helen Farley, J. Bareger, Helen Benine. James Gallagher, Chris. Doyle. Anthony Dennello, Eugina Thompson. Lillian Slover, Grace Stader, Annie Martin, Edward Johnson, John Lynn, May Kelly, John Kennedy, John Hyer, James Gallager, Donel Gordon, Emma Gordon.

These letters will be sent to the Dead Letter Office December 31, 1911, if not delivered before. In calling for the above please say, "Advertised," giving date of list.

E. E. HAINES, Post Master.

= OUR ===

December Clearance Sale

Will be continued for 10 more days in order to give the opportunity to some of our trade who were unable to take advantage of this offering for lack of money, the opportunity is therefore still before you to save money on all your purchases · · · · ·

50c New Style Men's and Boys' Caps at. 25c 50c and 75c Leggins (Canvas) at. 89c Children's 50c Rubbers, Sizes up to 10½, at. 35c Men's \$15,00 Suits and Overcoats at. \$9.98 60c Union Made Overails at. 42c
Single and Double Breasted Fleece Lined Underwear at39c 85c ½ Wool Underwear in Heavy and Medium Weights at89c \$1.50 All Wool Underwear in Single or Double Breasted in Camel Hair. Natural Wool, or Red Medicated Flannel at95c
\$3.00 Two Buckle Felt Boots at
69c Boys' Rubbers, Sizes up to 2, at. .52c 85c Boys' Storm Rubbers at. .62c 95c Men's Storm Rubbers. .75e 75c Ladies' Storm Rubbers at. .47e
\$5.00 Men's Hip Boots at
\$1.75 You(h's Pants at
10c Canvas Gloves at
\$1.00 Boys' Knee Pants at
75c Outing Flaunel Night Shirts at
#1.25 Umbrellas at

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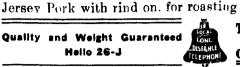


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Granulated Sugar 6c lb

Best Creamery Butter - 38c lb Other grades at 28c, 24c, 23c, 20c

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STAMP SPECIALS 17b. Tea, any flavor60c. 1 can Globe Syrup.......10c \$10,00 in stamps. 1 lb. Coffee................28c \$1.00 in stamps. \$1.00 in stamps. bottle Extract (Vanilla 1 can Bridal Soup......10e \$1.00 in stamps.

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South Amboy, N. J.

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SOUTH AMBOY, N. J., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1911.

Price Three Cents.

SEWER BIDS ARE REJECTED

Council Believes That by More Extensive Advertising Lower Price May be Obtained—Bitulithic Or-**Business Before Council.**

Regular meeting of the common council was held on Tuesday evening. Present-Mayor & Welsh, Councilmen Manhattan, O'Connor, Stanton and Stuart; Clerk Fulton; City Solicitor Pearse, Treasurer Perrine and Street street east of Broadway with a view Commissioner Connors. President of removing the open gutters each Manhattan presided.

Minutes of previous meeting were approved as read.

The Clerk read a communication a bond issue, amounting to \$151.20 had never been paid. No one had any knowledge of ever receiving a bill for same.

Mr. Stuart offered a motion that communication be received and filed, and bill paid.

Mr. Stanton moved to amend that it be referred to finance committee. third section of sanitary sewer sys-Motion as amended adopted.

A letter was read from the Merritt | On motion of Mr. Stuart, the bids ing that three bills for \$400, \$400 and were ordered returned, and all bids \$200 respectively, sent to the city had on third section were rejected. not been paid.

The clerk stated he had replied to the letter by sending blanks upon

Mr. Stanton said the bills had been forwarded to the Mayor, who present ed them to him, being chairman of the sewer committee, and that he had given the bills to the City Engineer for approval.

Mr. Stuart stated the City Engineer had advised that bills be not paid until a sleeve had been placed on sewer pine.

On motion of Mr. Stuart, the letter was received and referred to committee on sewers.

The clerk read a letter from E. C. ed underneath the building, and f Aken, making application for re-ap-prints on the window sill and fe pointment as overseer of the poor, indicated that the person had clim and also his financial report.

On motion of Mr. Stuart, the appli- the building. Chief of Police McI cation was referred to committee on | nell was put on the case, and he poor, and report received and filed.

The clerk read report of William R. itive enough at present to cause Parisen, secretary of meeting for elec- arrest. The building is owned tion of officers of fire department, and on motion of Mr. Stuart the report was received and action of fire department sustained.

The following bills were ordered

M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co....\$460.61 W. J. Cramer..... 5.40 John Connors..... 60.00 Brown Bros...... 11.66 Brown Bros..... 8.00 Wyckoff & Rue..... 11.50 Albert Leonard........ Thomas Wortley..... 13.00 Labor, Water Works...... 51.13 P. A. City Water Works, 650.11 J. B. Creek...... 3.25 Harding & Hill...... 1.50 Patrick Howley..... 2.63 Labor, Streets..... 21.58 J. J. Braney...... 36.00 Collins & Gundrum..... 203.36 S. A. Lumber & Supply Co.... 28.65 A deduction of \$12.49 for outage

was made against bill of Middlesex and Monmouth Electric Light, Heat & Power Company, The Clerk read reports from the

number of members entitled to an- cents, nual allowance. All were in good | standing.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the papers giving power of attorney were referred to the city sollellor, and if found correct the money due each company be puld.

Counsellor John A. Conn was given privilege of the floor. He stated he represented P. J. Monaghan, the lowest bidder on third section of sunitary greer, and made an earnest plea that the contract be awarded to him, Among the reasons being that he was the lowest, and that he was a restdetil of the city and a heavy taxpay.

off of faugus an about galast semak. council for permission to tap the seeond section of the sanitary sewer, and been accured for the evening. Par- fulls on New Year's has been post-

discussion, in which Councilmen Stan ton, Manhattan, O'Connor and Student Mayor Welsh, City Solicitor Pearse, Street Commissioner Connors and Contractor Monaghan took part.

Finally on motion of Mr. Stuart, permission will be granted to property owners living on section flushed, and on sections after being flushed later, to tap sewer upon applying for permit in proper manner.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the City Engineer and sewer committee were instructed to request contractor dinance on first Reading-Other to flush portion of the second section of sewer system so far as completed. The City Solicitor returned reports

of fire companies as approved by him. The clerk read ordinance relative to paving Broadway with bitulithic, which was continued on first reading

until next meeting. Mr. O'Connor reported that the committee on streets looked over First side thereof, and had advised city engineer to make an estimate of the cost thereof.

The report of the treasurer showed from Colwell, Massy & Reed, stating balances as follows: City account, that a bill due the firm for approving \$11,500.54; Sewer account, \$21,500.22; Water account, \$3,608.61; which was received and ordered filed.

On motion of Mr. O'Connor it was decided when meeting closed, to adjourn to Thursday evening.

Mr. Stanton, chairman of commitee on sewers, reported that committee had decided to reject all bids on port.

& Chapman Wrecking Company, stat- and certified checks of the bidders

Adjourned to Thursday evening.

which to properly make out the bills. SHOEMAKER SHOP SET ON FIRE

Evidently some person made an atempt to set fire to the shoemaker ben, Midmer & Son, of New York, a shop of Joe Stilo, on Broadway, Tuesday night. Stilo lives in Perth Amboy, and when he went into his shop Wednesday morning found it on fire, and lows: a large hole had been burned in the floor. It was extinguished with but little trouble. The fire had been start- 3 in the yard, and then crawled w formed an opinion, although not Mayor Welsh.

A. O. H. OFFICERS.

At the regular monthly meeting Division No. 1, A. O. H., held Sunday, December 10, in St. Mary's Hall, the following officers were elec- 13 Adoration.....

President-James Donovan. Vice-President-Maurice Lucitt. Financial Secretary-John Connors. Recording Secretary—John Lucitt. Treasurer-Edward McDonough.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA

The members of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School will render a apoplexy, aged 79 years. He is sur-Eddy Valve Co...... 47.65 cantata at K. of P. Hall, on Christ-

nother of Gabriel's cantatas has been selected, entitled 'Santa Claus | noon, and was attended by a large march song. The faries will be on Collins & Gundrum...... 164.79 | hand as will also "The Cobwebs," The Wireless," "Jack Frost," "Messenger Boy" and "Santa Claus," At the close in Rose Hill cemetery. Stillwell & of the cantata a drill will be given. Mr. L. E. Stults, who has so successfully taught the drills in the past has charge of this one, which bespeaks Its success. Admission to all, exceptvarious fire companies, stating the ing members of the school, fifteen parted this life at his home in Me-

NEPTUNES WIN

BASKETBALL GAME. On Friday night of last week the

Septune A. C. defeated the Totten. ville Reserves by the score of 20 to 12.

To night (Friday) the Neptunes will play the Newark Business College on their court, Bergen IIII. Admission to cents. Ladies admitted tree,

CHRIST CHURCH NEWS.

This is the Sunday for the Men's 'arporate Communion at 9 a, m. The Sunday School entertainment postponed from December 25 to Dewill be held in K, of P. Opera House. on Tuesday, December 26, at 730 p the evening following at 730 p. m. m. A fine combination or falent has requested decision one way or the ents and friends of the scholars wish. poned until January 2, 1912. ing to see the entertainment will be Star Ituffding & Loan Association, this request brought forth a long admitted on payment of 10 cents.

WAS PLEASING

Large Audience Hear Recital at M. E. Church -- Fine Program Rendered by Prof. Wm. Hammond, Assisted by Miss Alice R. Wharton —Organ Adds Beauty to the Church.

The organ recital inaugurating the ney organ at the Methodist Episcopai Church on Monday evening was attended by about 400 people, composed of some of our most representative residents.

Prof. William G. Hammond, organist of the First Reformed Church of Brooklyn, was in charge of the recital, and in his selections brought out all of the excellent points of the organ. His playing was grand and delighted those familiar with classical music.

Prof. Hammond was assisted by Miss Alice R. Wharton, of Keyport, soprans soloist, who sang two selections in a very pleasing manner. She was accompanied on the organ by Miss Evangeline B. Wharton, organist of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of Key-

The concensus of opinion was that the organ was of a delightfully mellow and sweet tone, most agreeable to highway is a proper highway. the ear. The workmanship is of highgrade, and the material used in its construction of the best. Its location is such as to greatly improve the appearance of the interior of the church, and makes a favorable impression on the visitor. The pastor and the organ committee are to be congratulated upon their good judgment in the matter, both as to location and make of the organ. They could not have done better. The organ was built by Reufirm with a reputation of building only first-class instruments.

The program rendered was as fol-

foot-	4	Solo, "Ninety and Nine"Campion
ence	١	Miss Alice R. Wharton
nbed	M	iss Evangeline B. Wharton, Accompa-
		nist and Organist, St. Mary's, Keyport.
nder	5	SerenadeSchubert
Don.		Prof. Wm. G. Hammond.
bas	6	Caprice
		Prof. Wm. [G. Hammond.
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e an	1	Prof. Wni. G. Hammond.
1.6 d	8	Grand March (Aida)Verdl
	9	Toccato in GDubois
4	10	Solo(a) {"These are They" } Gaul
•	İ	(b) "Thy Day is Ended" Bartlett
	1	Miss Alice R. Wharton.
ig of	11	ldyllKinder
on		Prof. Wm. G. Hammond
	12	Pilgrims Chorus (Taunhauser) Wagner

Prof. Wm G. Hammond.

Prof. Wm. G. Hammond.

(Showing Sole Stops and full organ), **Nelson S. Deats.**

Nelson S. Deats, father of Contractor Thomas Deats, of this city, died at his home near Matawan on Sunday, of vived by a widow and six children.

The funeral took place from his late residence on Wednesday afternumber of relatives and friends. The service was conducted by the Rev. W. A. Cobb, pastor of the Cliffwood M. E. Church. Interment was made Mason, of this city, were funeral di-

WILLIAM BUCKLEY.

William Buckley, aged 60 years, dochanicsville, on Monday last, after a brief illness. Heart trouble was the cause of death. He is survived by two daughters.

The funeral took place from Ht. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock on Wedneeday morning, and was largely attended. The service was conducted rector. Interment was made in the parish cemetery. John J. Beully was funeral director,

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of Star Hullds ing and Lamb Association has been comber 26th, and sale of monles for

The Annual meeting which also

John J. Delancy, Secretary.

DAVID H. WATSON

David H. Watson has been appointed superintendent of motive power of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad's lines west of the Ohio River, to succeed G. A. Schmoll. Mr. Watson formerly held the position of general foreman in the locomotive denartment at Garrett, Ind. Mr. Schmoll now has jurisdiction over the Wheeling division only.

Mr. Watson is one of South Amboy's boys, and his friends in this city will be pleased to learn of his success.

Must Seek Remedy

The Board of Utility Commissioners on Thursday rendered a decision in the case of the City of South Amboy vs. the N. Y. & L. B. R. R., and Pennsylvania R. R. The Board decided about as follows: If a public utility cause a nuisance or violate a statute not so as to interfere with rendering of safe, proper and adequate service, nor so as to fall in its duties as a public utility proper, the remedy is to be sought in the courts, and not in an administration in hand.

The board desides that it has no jurisdiction over the P. R. R. fence. and that the bridge removed by the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. is a matter for the court to determine whether the

Sutliff and Littell On New Grand Jury

Sheriff Bollschweiler on Monday selected his first grand jury, which will serve during the December term of Court. Edwin Furman, of Sayreville. was made foreman. After the jury had been sworn in. Justice James J. Bergen instructed that body to enforce the excise laws. He said, "The law should be enforced whether yo like it or not. You did not make the law; but you must enforce it. The Offertoire in C Minor Batiate simple question for you to decide in excise cases and in all cases, is whether there is a prima facia case present. ed. You must not hear the defence of a case; must not try a case. That

is for the petit jury." The members of the grand jury are

Foreman-Edwin Furman, Sayreville brick manufacturer.

South Brunswick-Frank McNames, hay press. Highland Park-R. M. Conway.

Woodbridge-J. Edward Harned. Sewaren-William Zeyan, superintendent tile works.

Metuchen-Nathan Robbins, retired. Carteret-Joseph Hermann, mayor. New Brunswick-Richard E. Martin. retired: William F. Harkins, insurance; William C. Jaques. hotel: Theodore Cohn, clothier; William H. Boylan, architect.

Axel Olsen, Chauncey C. Baldwin, Frederick Dorsey, William V. D. Voor-

South Amboy-John Sutliff, Sr., Howard Littell.

South River-John Whiteman. Monroe-C. Addison Stults, former eeholder.

Madison-Edward Barker. Cranbury-John Major.

No Indictment Found.

The Grand Jury failed to find an inlictment against Constanti Dakino, of Cliffwood, who Police Justice Birm-

WON HANDSOME BANNER.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Preshyterian Church of this city was awarded a handsome banner at the fall rally of the Middlesex Union by the Rey, Father Lane, assistant held in the Second Reformed Church, New Brunswick, on Friday night of last week, for having the largest percentuge of membership in attendance,

> Holiday Stationery and Perfumes in famoy hores also Christmas Postal Pards, Christmas Heals and Enclose ure Cards at Dr. Athright's drug store,

tlet sour Post Curds for the holls days at Jaques', where the assorts ment is large and prices low.

thou at home and save money

ADVANCED AGAIN OFFICER RYAN CATCHES THIEF

Thomas Delaney, Jr., Has Goods in His Possession Taken From Wolff With Pocket Knives, Canned Goods, Jewelry and Other Articles.

Friday night of last week the store of H. Wolff & Co., was entered by thieves, and considerable merchandise Through the Court taken. A person residing in the vicinity suspicioned that all was not right time Councilman O'Connor asked to in the store and telephoned to the City Hall that he thought thieves property owner on Broadway and were working in the place. The night it had been intimated that he was jailor immediately started out to look | working for the pavement of Broadfor an officer, and found Patrolman Gleason. In the meantime, Officer Ry- property owner. an was on his beat in the vicinity of the store, when he noticed two men running in a suspicious manner. He started after them, and when they did | lengthy debate on this matter, the not stop at his bidding fired a shot in the air to frighten them. One of the sult: Stuart and Manhattan voting, men then stopped and surrendered to the officer, and was recognized as nor excused; one absent. The mat-Thomas Delaney, Jr. He had in his possession a lot of canned goods, pocket knives, jewelry and other articles.

recognized the other man as Martin Myles, and on Saturday morning Myles was taken into custody as an accomplice. Delaney stated Myles was not implicated in the robbery.

At a hearing Police Justice Birmingham held both men for the action of the grand jury. Charles Safran, a member of the firm of H. Wolff & C., identified the goods as being taken from the store.

Both Myles and Delaney have been before the grand jury recently on the charge of robbing this store, and were indicted, but at the trial they were acquitted.

Mrs. Sarah Buchanan.

Mrs. Sarah Buchanan, widow of John Buchanan, Jr., passed away at the home of her brother, W. A. Billingham, New Haven, Conn., on Monday last, after an illness covering several weeks.

Mrs. Buchanan had been a resident of this city for many years, but after the death of her husband, she moved from this city, spending most of her time at Philadelphia and New Haven. She had many friends in this city, who deeply mourn her death. She was a most estimable woman, beloved hy all who knew her.

The body was brought to this city on Wednesday evening, and taken to the home of her father-in-law, John Buchanan, of Second street. The funtor, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Whittaker, pastor of a Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia. The body was interred in Christ Church cemetery alongside of that of her husband. The bearers were Messrs. Clarence Stults, A. Atkinson, Preston King, J. M. Parker, Joseph Smith and George Disbrow. Stillwell & Mason were funeral directors.

K. of C. Lecture.

On Wednesday evening, December ingham committed to fail on a charge 20, at 8 o'clock, there will be given of assault and battery and for carry- at the hall of the Knights of Columbus ing concealed weapons. He attempted a becture by a visiting fourth degree to assault a foreman at Avery's brick. Knight, which will be of an educayard and complaint was made by him, ; tional character, and it is the first of a series of lectures that will be given during the winter senson by some prominent business or professional man, who have made a success of his particular profession. The top les will vary so that some one will be sure to sult any particular taste,

> Brery Knight should avail them. selves of this opportunity and come Immediately after the teefure ther will be the final meeting of the 1912 half committee II is also important that all the members he present so that final arrangements can be comploted no this affair is only a few weeks off.

Candy given free to day at Jaques drug store Hee advertissment.

Bling of hims and save minus

ADJOURNED MEETING OF COMMON COUNCIL

Councilmen Manhattan, O'Conno., Stanton and Stuart, Clerk Fulton, City Solicitor Pearse and City Engineer Mason were present at an adjourned meeting of the common council on Thursday evening.

The matter of the erection of & Co's Store - Was Loaded Up stand pipe was taken up. Enginee Mason had prepared plans for the same which were reported upon favorably by the committee and the report adopted and referred to the committee for conjunction with the City Engineer.

> The ordinance on the pavement of Broadway with bitulithic pavem. was taken up on second reading. This was voted on by sections. At this be excused from voting as he was a way in the interest of himself as a

Councilman Stanton said he had as much right to be excused from voting as Mr. O'Connor. After quite a vote was taken with the following reyes; Stanton voting, no; and O'Conter of the third reading being brought up, in order that the ordinance be kept alive, on motion is was laid over Officer Ryan was positive that he for further consideration at the next meeting of the council.

Mr. Curran asked to be heard and gave quite a lengthy explanation in reference to the different kinds of pavement used and further said ke had given the council, property own ers and others an opportunity to observe the different kinds of pavement in divers cities, and was sorry that all the council had not availed themselves of the opportunity, but wished it understood that he had not said that bitulithic was better than other pavement but that is was as good as any other and further in referring to the unfairness between two and three inch block that there had not been two inch block laid in the

last four years. This produced quite a lengthy debate between the councilmen, Mr. Stanton opposing the passage of the ordinance as a matter of opinion, as he had no experience in the matter When asked for the kind of pavement he preferred he refused to commit

himself to any kind of pavement. At the close of the discussion, Mr. Curran asked for the return of the check deposited with the council at the time the bids were presented to them, as he did not see there was any use of their money being held when the passage of the ordinance apparently was a failure. The check was ordered returned.

The matter of the improvement of First street between Broadway and the N. Y. and L. B. R. R. was then eral was held from Christ Church, of taken up by Mr. O'Connor and the which the deceased was a communi- city engineer was asked for a recant. at 2.30 o'clock on Thursday af- port on the matter, and as his reternoon. The service was conducted port was not ready, and the evening by the Rev. H. M. P. Pearse, the rec- quite advanced, the council adjourned without any action thereon.

EXTEND THANKS

The ladies of Christ Church Parish desire to thank the public for their generous patronage of their Bazaar which was held for the benefit of Christ Church Home and the amount realized will be given in the next isone of the Citizen.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE

The Literary Society of the High School held a debate on Wednesday afternoon taking for its theme the weighty topic of "Fortification of the Panama Canal," a question that has mused much discussion from the most listingulahed statesmen of the country.

Taking the affirmative were Ralph 'rane, captain; and the Misses Sarah Diebert and Little Moss. On the negative were Mahlon Atkinson, and the Misses Ruth Locker and Dorothy Bers gen. The Judges were the Misses Letter, O'Connor and Munnleh, teachers in the High School

Bome excellent points were brought out by both sides, showing that the partletpants had given the subject much thought. Captain Crane exhibited much life in defending his side of the argument, and was effective in his relatint. The judges decided favor of the affirmative side.

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THE WORD MELGDRAMA.

Originally Meant a Play In Which Music Was Introduced.

Nowadays "melodrama" is in general use as denoting a purely sensational play, with an all but impossible hero. beroine and villain among the characters represented. Formerly the word kept more closely in its signification to actual derivation. "Melodrama" is compounded of the Greek words melos, a song, and drama, an action, a play, and was applied to two sorts of performances when it first came into use.

It signified a play, generally of the remanfic school, in which the dialogue vas frequently relieved by music, sometimes of an incidental and sometimes of a purely dramatic character. On the strength of his "Pygmallon" J. J. Rousseau is credited with the invention of this style. Some of the so called English operas of the older school, such as the once famous "Beggar's Opera" and the once popular "No Song. No Supper," are in reality true ≟elodramas.

In the second place "melodrama" was applied to a peculiar kind of theatrical composition in which the actor recited his part in an ordinary speakinto the highest possible relief. The and an early spring. merit of the invention of this descrip tion of melodrama belongs to George Benda, who used it with striking effect in his "Ariadne auf Naxos." produced at Gotha in 1774.-London Globe.

Familiar Quotations.

One of the most familiar quotations from the Bible which are not cide Sunday by inhaling gas. Picard's to be found there upon research is "the light lying down with the lamb." The spirit of the reference is correct exough, but turn up the passage in great deal. I also should will with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid, and the calf and the young lion and the fatting together." The popular mind has condensed the zoological inlscellany, and to the incorrect ver-sion alliteration has no doubt coninbuted.-Exchange.

ORNAMENTAL DRESS.

The Kind of Clothes Washington, Hancock and Adams Wore.

John Hancock, thin in person, six feet in stature, was very foud of ornamental dress. He wore a wig when abroad and a cap when at home. A man who visited Hancock one day at noon in June, 1782, describes him as dressed in a red velvet cap lined with fine white linen, which was turned up two or three inches over the lower edge of the velvet; a blue damask gown lined with silk, a white silk stock, a white satin embroidered waistcont, black satin small clothes, white silk stockings and red morocco

Washington at his receptions in Philadelphia was dressed in black velered behind in a large silk bag. His hands were incused in yellow gloves. He held a cocked but with a cockade on it and its edges adorned with a buckles, and at his left hip appeared a long sword in a polished white leather scabbard with a polished steel hilt.

John Adams on the day of his inau-guration was dressed in a full suit of pearl colored broadcloth, and his hair was powdered. Chief Justice Dana of Massachusetts used to wear in winter a white corduroy surtout lined with fur and held his hands in a large muff. The justices of the supreme court of Massachusetts were until the year 1793 robes of scarlet faced with black velvet in winter and black silk gowns in summer. At the beginning of the last century powder for the hair became unfashionable, tying up the hair was abandoned, colored garments went out of use, buckles disappeared, and knee breeches gave place to trousers .- New York Press.

Interested.

This is a real conversation. It might mave taken place almost anywhere in the city, so why should we tell real

annes?

"Do you know, dear," says Mrs. Ennywun, "I think we are paying altegether too much for our church pew. considering its location."

"Do you think so?" replies Mr. Ennywun. "Well, we must attend to that at once. Er - where is it located? I want to make a note of it."

"No. 68 C\" "Yes show stupid of me. And sobwhat church?" - Cleveland Plata Dealer.

Richness of Walnuts.

"The percentage of food in walnuts," says the London Lancet, a high med-leal authority, "Is very high. They are very rich in fat, containing as much as 63 per cent, while the proteins amount to nearly 16 per cent. It has been entenlated that thirty large wal unt keenels contain to much fut as two and three quarter pounds of lean book and yet the walnut is often used as a supplement to a square med!"

Not Much Difference.

Tommy-Pop, what is the difference of ween table diside and a la carte?

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NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

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

Soft Crabs in Winter.

Soft shell crabs, usually regarded as a luxury in winter, were common on dinner tables in Red Bank and vicinity on Monday. Thousands of the buildings occupied by Hurff & Haines, crabs were caught Saturday on "The Rocks" off Atlantic Highlands. These rocks are about 200 yards from the beach, and in the summertime are the favorite "shedding" grounds for crabs. Winter shedding in such vast numbers has never been heard of before, the winter catch of soft crabs not exceed. ing three or four at any one time. When the tide lowered Saturday the clamers became crabbers, and it was not long before "The Rocks" were practically rid of the crustaceans. The crabbers sold their catch at any price to get rid of them, and some householders got as many as a peach basket full for a quarter. Two shad a more or less elaborate accompani, were caught in the pounds of Seabright the same day. Fishermen decalculated to bring its salient features clare this indicates an open winter

. . . . Suicide Ends Affliction.

Ill from consumption and despondent, Richard Pleard, forty-five years old, who lived with his sister, Mrs. Edmund Von Stagg, at 10 Camden street, Roselle Park, committed suiwife died about three years ago. Since his wife's death he had brooded a great deal. He leaves two sons, Rich-

. . . . Indited as Firebugs.

Leonard Rivers and George Reed, of Old Bridge, are now charged with being the Old Bridge firebugs, instead of Ellis Appleby. These are the young men who were indicted by the Grand Jury on Friday when it cleared Appleby of the charge. The Grand Jury handed in the indictments against them on Monday. The names of the young men were withheld Saturday, so that the Prosecutor's office would not be handicapped in getting the men. But when the officers took them into custody Saturday afternoon they told the officers that they were expecting them. It is presumed that they knew of the Grand Jury's action. The indictments against these two men are the result of three days work by the Grand Jury. The inquiry had not gone very far when the jurymen were satisfied, it is said, that there was no convicting evidence against Appleby. The jury did not think that he had set fire to the store of Selover & Stonvet. His hair was powdered and gath- aker, but they meant to get at the bottom of the Old Bridge fires, so they examined many witnesses. Rivers and Reed are known to all Old Bridge peo-

. . . . Marshal Held for Killing Man.

Judge Peter F. Daly has held Patrick H. Horn, a marshal of Metuchen, under \$2,000 bail on a charge of manslaughter. The officer ordered John O'Brien to move off Main street, and in the mix-up, O'Brien fell striking his head, causing concussion of the brain, which resulted in his death.

In Jail For Beating Wife.

George Lewis, of New Brunswick is in the County jail charged with beating his wife because a supper she prepared did not suit him. He kicked her, knocking her off a chair, sending her to the floor. After the woman struck the floor, Lewis again kicked her. She is suffering from three broken rlbs, and is injured in-

. . . . Confessed to Burning Building.

Fred Smith, nineteen years old, is in the County Jall on charge of setting fire to a vacant house owned by Edward and William Culver at Old Bridge. Smith confessed to County Detective Pettler.

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Sale of Plainfield Press

Negotiations were completed Monday by which the Plainfield Daily Press, the oldest paper in Plainfield, was nold by A. L. Force to Leslie R. Fort, son of former Governor Fort, at present the editor of the Lakewood Times and Journal, and Ralph L. Morrow, for the past plac years editor of The Press, Under the new partner. while a mumber of changes will be undo in the mechanical equipment of the plant. Mr. Porce, who established the paper twenty-five years ago, will retire from active work. In addition to The Dally Press the sale untidos The Constitutionalist, its seculty edition. A corporation will to formed and the new unders will accepted preservoids on landary to

A & 6 & Heldgelon Paper Burned Onle

Fire Tursday, morning in The Ly-

mission temporarily. The adjoining close the street. tobacconists, and Edwards, a florist were partially destroyed. The machinery in the pressroom and linotype department was damaged by water. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an overheated flue.

State Teachers' Meeting.

At the twenty-seventh annual session of the New Jersey State Teachers' Association, to be held at Atlantic City, December 27, 28 and 29, addresses will be delivered by Governor Wilson, State School Superintendent Kendall, United States School Commissioner Claxton and Booker T. Washington.

* * * * Plainfield Rector Resigns.

Rev. Elroy T. Bowers, rector of St. Stephen's Church, Plainfield, has resigned to accept a call to St. James's Church, Goshen, N. Y. The resigna tion takes effect January 1.

* * * * Chops Off Babe's Finger.

"Charlie, put your hand on the block," said George Williams, eight years old, to his brother, three years old, Sunday, while the older boy was chopping wood in the back yard of their home at 612 Pemberton avenue, Atlantic City. The keen edge of the axe was already descending when the baby, taking the joke seriously, obeyed. The blade clipped off three of the child's fingers and mutilated a fourth. The injured boy was taken to the hospital.

. . . . Youth Dies From Asphyxiation.

William S. Law, eighteen years old, of 95 Avenue C., Bayonne, was found dead early Monday with the gas escaping from a jet in his room. It had been a habit of young Law to read in bed and it is supposed he did not turn the jet completely off. The youth's father, William D. Law, had been in the habit of visiting his son's room and making sure that the gas was turned off, but last night did not do so on account of not feeling well. He retired before his son. Young Law was graduated from the local high school last June and had since been running a small printing plant in a small building in the rear of his hom?.

Schin Buys Red Bank Estate.

One of the largest real estate deals eported in Monmouth county for some time is the sale of the Andrew Freeman house and lot in the southeastern suburbs of Red Bank to Jacob Schiff, the New York banker. The property is one of the highest points in Eastern New Jersey. It was originally owned by the late Wyckoff Hendrickson, and later by J. B. Kinney. It is within a half mile of the Rumson drive. Mr. Schiff is said to have paid \$150,000 for the property. The new owner, who owns a large country estate, near Seabright, will, it is said, spend a half-million dollars tifying his latest possession.

Workmen Escape Falling Building.

While fifteen carpenters were at work on the new rectory of St. George's Church at Rumson on Monday, the timbers on the first floor gave away. The men jumped and all escaped except the foreman, who received a few scratches. The foundation, after being built, was found to be too high and the timbers had been raised. The men were at work lowering the building when it collapsed. * * * *

Ridgewood Home Burned.

Warned Sunday night by John J. Green, that their home was aftre, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Relaschmidt and their little daughter, of Ridgewood, were enabled to escape from the house. The dwelling, which was located in Melrose place, was damaged to the extent of \$5,000.

* * * * Rallroad Company Closes Street.

The eastern end of Third street. Elizabeth port, has been closed off by the Central Railrand of New Jersey. The intlyind company has built a high board tence across the north side of Turnbull street at its intersection with Third street. He for as is known the company has no legal warrant for clusing the street. The company of: netale explain their action by saying that the short postling of Third from l'application the callenad tracks was of proclimate the use exempt to podes. trains who grathed themselves of it as a short out to reach the Elizabeth. geit ifteitigt. Beierigt forbeite emegen Table 1 to less of another the college with them

ning News Company plant at Bridge- Long Branch division, occurred at this ton, completely gutted the building point and for the better protection of and put the newspaper out of com- life the railroad company decided to

. . . . Wife Beater Kills Officer.

"Patrolman Charles Lippincott, of Asbury Park, was shot and killed on Monday morning by Charles Clayton, of the same place, who the officer was about to arrest for wife beating. Afterward Clayton turned the weapon on Patrolman Miller and pulled the trigger, but the hammer fell on an exploded cartridge. Miller after a struggle wrested the revolver from Clayton and overpowered him. Miller is the only negro on the local police force. The murder occurred a short distance from Clayton's home on Prospect street. Several hours after the killing Clayton signed a confession of guilt. He was taken to the county jail at Freehold, where a formal charge of murder was made against him. Lippincott was one of the best liked men on the force, having been appointed about seven years ago. He was thirty-six years old and leaves a wife and three children. Clayton had been in trouble before for wife beating and had served a term in jail for the offence. Soon after midnight Monday morning, a call came to one of the police sub-stations that Clayton was again abusing his wife. Lippincott and Miller were sent to the house, and when they arrived there Clayton was just leaving. Seeing the officers he started to run away, with Lippincott and Miller in pursuit. Lippincott was in the lead. He called on Clayton to stop and the later threw up his left hand as if to indicate that he would g've up. Lippincott ran up and was about to place his hands on the suspect's shoulder when Clayton, who had a revolver in his right hand, shot the officer through the heart. When he tried to fire at Miller, it was almost a point blank shot. Had it not been for the defective cartridge, Miller would almost certainly have suffered the same fate as Lippincott.

ACTUAL STARVATION.

Facts About Indigestion and Its Relicf That Should Interest You.

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NOTICE.

All persons concerned may take notice, that the Subscriber, administrator, etc., of John S. Van Buren deceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the be fairer. We are located right here Twenty-second day of December, 1911, and our reputation should be sufficient at 10 a.m., in the Term of December, 1911, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate.

Dated November 1, 1911. ELIAS S. MASON

Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

John Dooling, administrator of Eugene Dooling, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Eugene Dooling, 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 administrators. ministrator.

Dated September 22, 1911. JOHN DOOLING, Administrator.

NOTICE.

All persons concerned may take notice, that the Subscriber, executor etc., of Roger Leonard, deceased, in-tends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Prilay, the Twenty-second day of December, 1911, at 10 n. m., in the Term of December, 1911, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate,
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Rev. W. A. Cobb. Pastor. Services during the week will be

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Sunday School10:00 a. m Morning Service10:30 a. m

Lot No. Street or Avenue Block No. Am't Tax

SALE OF LANDS

FOR

UNPAID TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1910.

NOTICE OF SALE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY ALFRED T. KERR, COLLECTOR of Taxes of the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, 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 taxes and lien thereon, including interest and costs of sale; and the said sale will take Estimates Furnished. Jobbing

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1911

at 2 o'clock P. M. at the City Hall in the City of South Amboy. And the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate so to be sold, and the names of the persons against whom the said taxes have been laid on account of the same, and the amount of tax laid on account of each parcel are as follows,

To whom Assessed Houses	Lots	Let No.	Street or Avenue Blo	ck No.	
Estate John Connell	2	2324	Feltus	129	\$ 2.28
Bradley Estate	2	12	Center	96	3.04
Louis Borlund 1	2	12	Ridgeway Ave		25.08
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Wm. Freeman 1	ī	40	Conover		7.84
Estate Daniel Buckley 1	$\overline{2}$	2526	Conover		9.12
Estate Daniel Buckley 1	2	3839	Conover		10.64
Michael Cleary 1	ī	20	Conover		9.36
Unknown	2	40-42	Wilmot		.91
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Jas. Huff 1	2	2122	Wilmot		9.88
Richard Parisen 1	ī	40	Broadway	15	24.32
Margaret Connell 1	ī	17	Augusta	16	10.64
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Margaret Connell 1	1	30	Augusta	28	15.20
Margaret Connell	1	31	Augusta	28	4.56
Mrs. Chas. Watson1/2	1	25	David	39	7.60
F. M. P. Pearse1	ī	29	David	39	9.12
F. M. P. Pearse	ī	30	David	39	3.04
John McCarthy 1	ī	57	Augusta	39	8.36
John McCarthy	1/2	58	Augusta	39	1.52
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Thos. Kennedy 1	1″	35	Augusta	50	4.56
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Estate Chas. H. Thompson 1	î	19	John	25	1,8,24
Mrs. Margaret Kelly 1	$\hat{2}$	32-33	John	25	6.84
Mary A. Lamb1	3	34-36	John		25.84
Mrs. Thos. Hurley 1	ĭ	16	John	37	7.60
Estate John Douglas 1	î	63	Henry	37	7.60
Lee J. Thompson	$\tilde{2}$	2021	John	48	6.08
Estate Mrs. J. Mulholland 1	ī	3	Bronway	26	71.44
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Frank Muski 1	1	29	Henry	38	10.12
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Estate Mrs. K. Matchett	12	920	Louisa	ŝi	6.08
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Estate G. L. Everitt	7	17	Stevens Ave	32	5,32
Mrs. A. Naw	ż	80	Stevens Ave	32	1.52
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Andrew O'Connor	2	3031	George	36	4.56
Mary Sallivan	4	58	Pine Ave	42	12.16
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In addition to the above amounts there will be collected on each parcel interest at the rate of twelve per cent, per annum from December the 20th, 1910, to the time of payment, together with a fee of twenty-five cents for each parcel of land advertised, twenty-five cents for each parcel of land sold, fifty cents for each certificate of sale, and the cost of printing, postage, affidavits and acknowledgments, together with the proportionate cost of this advertisement.

Lated, South Amboy, N. J., November 24, 1911.

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Woman's World

Mrs. Kate Williamson, a Woman Out 5-r Congress.



MRS. KACE WILLIAMSON.

"Kate Williamson for congress!" That is the battleery of the women of Colorado.

Since it became known that Colorado because of its increase in population is entitled to another representative in the national house the women of that state have declared that one of their number shall be the new member.

The movement was launched in Denver, and the women did not have far to look for a candidate. Colorado is one of the few states that place men and women upon an equality in the matter of voting. Equal suffrage, according to the women, is doing the state a vast amount of good. Incidentally it is bringing into prominence several women, some of whom are now holding elective offices. Colorado rolls up a large woman's vote, and the women are keenly alive to their opportunities. So when it became a matter of certainty that the state would soon be permitted to increase its congressional representation the clubwomen of the capital city got busy and finally de-cided to make a united effort to capture the office for one of their own sex. And the choice has fallen on Kath-

erine Williamson. Mrs. Williamson is a woman of strong personality. Her age is-well, she looks to be about thirty-sevencertainly not more than forty years. She is of medium height, possesses a striking figure and pleasing features, and her eyes play a strong accompaniment to her expressed thoughts. She is a natural leader among women and has the happy faculty of making new friends as well as keeping the old. She has decided opinions of her own and fearlessly expresses them. At the same time she never permits herself to show auger because others cannot share her beliefs. Perhaps that is one of the reasons she has come into such prominence among the men and women of the state and placed her among the leaders in the women's clubs and caused politicians to seek her counsel on more than one occasion.

At a public discussion a short time ago Mrs. Williamson was asked by one of the male speakers why women persisted in trying to secure universal equal suffrage.

"In your own case, Mrs. Williamson," he said, "your presence certainly graces this platform, but I imagine you would look far more charming at home with your children around you and bending your talents toward those things that make for the ideal home." Mrs. Williamson's answer has be-

come famous.

"Sir," she said, "your remarks are like those of most men when they discuss a subject of which they know little or nothing. As you suggest, I will consider my own case. In the first place, I do not possess the home; in the second place, I haven't the children you mention, and, in the third place, I am a widow, and it would be decidedly improper to follow out further

your suggestions." Mrs. Williamson has lived in Colo rado only a few years. Her husband died about eight years ago, and a short time after she went to Denver, where she has since resided. She holds the office of state factory inspector, and it is common knowledge that the duties of that office are being conscientiously and most successfully carried out. Her record in that office, her charming personality, her skill as a debater-all will aid her in the enthusiastic campulgit which she and her friends will wage to win for her the first woman's sout in the untional house of represculatives.

Keeping Brass Beds New

"When purchasing a bed from a friend of mine, who is a manufacturer of from and brass bests, t ob-Jerted to the brass ones because they are so fined to keep bright," was the comment of a homeleoper recently,

"That is because you pollsh them." he answered quizzleally. Then in all seriousness he said: "Take my advice and let brass absolutely alone, not handling it, not allowing it to be wet by any liquid and, above all, not rubbing it. Of course their are polishes which give tuster, but it is only temporary, and the latter stage is worse than the Brst. Once begon, the pollability most be kept up. The absent frontment is what bress wants." I took this expert's advice, and after

the years my hed to still like fiew,

The Churches

Services as Arranged for the Coming Week.

Christ Charch Parish Rector, Rev. H. M. P. Pearse. Residence, Christ Church Rectory.

Rev. W. E. Grimshaw, Assistant. 30 Ward Avenue. Christ Church Services, Sunday, December 17, 1911. (Third Sunday in Advent) Holy Communion.....9.00 a. m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Ser-

Services during the week ending December 23, 1911
Thursday—(St. Thomas)

Holy Communion......9.00 a. m.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd
Sunday School......3.00 p. m.
Evening Prayer.....3.30 p. m.
Baptism is administered as follows:
At Christ Church at the 10:30 a. m.
service, 2nd Sunday of month.
At Deane Mem. Chapel at 10:30 a. m.

last Sunday of month.

At Chapel of Good Shepherd at 3:30 p. m., last Sunday of month. The Parish House

Meetings of the Various Societies: Sunday-The Sunday School.....2:30 p. m. Monday—
The Woman's Auxiliary....2.30 p. m.
The Girls' Friendly Society
730 p. m.

7.30 p. m. Tuesday-

The Junior Auxiliary...3:30 p. m.
The Boy Scouts.....7:30 p. m.
Wednesday—
The Brotherhood of St. Andrew (Juniors).........7:45 p. m.

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew (Seniors) 8:00 p. m.

Saturday— The Sewing School, where chil-

dren are taught plain sewing

2.30 p. m.

The Basketball Team ... 7.30 p. m. The Basketball Team....7.30 p. m.,
The Rector can be found at the
Rectory (except on Monday) 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.

Baptist Church. Rev. Thomas Neal, Jr., Pastor. Residence 71 Second street. Services for the week beginning

Sunday, December 17,1911. Sunday Services. Sunday Services.
10.30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor.
Subject: "The Changeless Christ."
2.30 p. m. Bible School Lesson Study,
"Ezra Teaches the Law," Nehemlah

6.45 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. A Missionary journey around the world, 2 Cor. 12:1-15. Leader—

Miss Edith Hardy.
7.30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor.
Subject: "The Healing Touch," Luke 8:45.
Weekday Services

Weekday Services
7.30 p. m. Tuesday—Special meeting
of the Christian Endeavor Society.
7.45 p. m. Thursday—Praise, Prayer
and Testimony meeting.
3.30 p. m. Friday—Junior Christian

Endeavor.
7.30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.
At the Baptist Church Home a
hearty Christian welcome awaits all who come. Cheering services. Seats free. A church for the stranger and non-churchgoer. Come and see.

John Street M. E. Church Rev. C. S. Miller, Pastor, Residence: 120 John St.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, December 17, 1911. Sunday Services: Sunday Services:
Class 9:30 s. m.
Junior Class 10-s. m.
Preaching 10.30 s. m. Subject:
"The Freedom and Dignity of the Christian."
Sunday School 2.30 p. m.

Enwor led by Miss Martha Carlson. Evening service of song and sermon 7.30 p. m. Subject: "The Voice Behind

Thee Junior League, Thursday 4.00 p. m. Prayer service, Thursday 7.45 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Saturday 8 p. m. Seats free, strangers cordially invited. If you have no church home we give you a most hearty invitation to

come and worship with us. Presbyterlan Church

Rev George Kane, Pastor. Services for the week beginning, Sunday, December 17, 1911.

0.30 a. m. Morning service begins.

10.30 a. m. Morning service begins.
Prenching by the pastor, Subject:
"The Mind to Work."
2.30 p. m. General Sabbath School.
Classes for all. Subject: "Ezra
Teaches the Law," Neh. S.
7.00 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor
meeting, Subject: "Missions in the
West Indies," 2 Cor. 12:1-16.
7.45 p. m. Evening service begins,
Preaching by the pastor. Themo:
"God,"

Remember strangers always wel-come; scats free, if you have no church home, we lavite you to come and worship with us.

Methodist Protestant Church Itev. F. F. Craig, Pastor. Merylees for the week beginning Sun-

day, December 17, 1911 day, December 17, 1911.

Bunday services:
Class Meeting 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 10:30 a. m.
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legal newspaper and therefore a proper medium for the publication of their notices.

All communications or items of news received by us must be accompanied by the signature of the writer to insure publication and they spent a lot of time there they

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1911.

The House of Representatives on Wednesday passed the Sulzer resolu--- tion for the abrogation of the Russian treaty by the almost unanimous vote of | Perth Amboy to the market and see 300 to 1. That it should receive such a strong support may be attributed It was while they were trying to get a to the fact public opinion favored it. While there was only one vote cast protest against headstrong action. The the matter in abeyance until the effully tested.

It is doubtful, that after re-advertising for new bids on third section to steal some vegetables from his of sewer system, if they will be as low as the previous ones received.

Poor Broadway! Will it ever receive a new dress?

CRITICISM OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The two members of the Advisory Committee of the New Jersey Board of Public Education who make complaint concerning the public schools are not disqualified as critics because they are plain business men, rather than professional educators. Their criticism has a familiar sound. They Fisited two of the State normal schools and asked the students, who are supposed to be undergoing a rounding-out process to become teachers of children, some simple questions in spelling, history, geography and arithmetic, and the results were unsatisfactory. Naturally enough, they ask if the teachers are not equipped with this elementary knowledge, how can it be expected that their pupils shall be properly taught. But, so far dividually at fault, responsibility rests on the system, for these normal students were, for the most part, the product of this system, and, generally, of If your home or office inits secondary course.

The business man does not pretend to have mastered the science of pedagogy, and doesn't assume to be competent to discuss the curriclum or methods of teaching with the professional educator. But when he takes the product of the public schools and tries to use it in his business, he is a competent judge of the results which have been obtained by the course of schooling, and there is no disguising the fact that he finds them lacking. New York Telephone Company Poor spelling, worse grammar, and a paucity of history and a dangerous tendency to inaccuracy in figures, tell the story of a common experience, even with high school graduates.

The natural inference is that not enough attention is paid to the "Three R's" of elementary education, and that too much time is wasted on

FARMER ACQUITTED OF SHOOTING SLOVER

The trial of Anton Winzinger, charg-

and the boy had once owned a burglar's electric lamp.

The boy, on cross-examination, said that he was not in the habit of staying out all night; that this was the only night, he said, he and another boy had been in the vicinity of the Hole-in-the-Wall when an autoist came along and inquired the way to Sayreville. They pointed it out and volunteered to go with the man, and they got half way to the place when the auto ran into a wagon and knocked a wheel off the wagon. Then the autoist asked them to stay and help him fix the machine claimed. He did not know who the autoist was or who owned the wagon. He said that the driver of the wagon was half stewed. After a long time he and the other boys started to walk back home and then decided to go to if they could make a half dollar or so. ride that the shots were fired.

Winzinger said his wagon had been against the resolution, several other held up before and he had heard of votes were prefaced by expressions of other wagons being held up there, and of farmers being stoned. He was Senate, however, will probably hold trightened and said that he fired blindly ont of the wagon. One of the shots ficiency of diplomatic effort has been hit Andrew Slover. The state contended that the farmer had no right to use a weapon in defence, even if he thought that an effort was being made

> Judge Daly, in sending the case to the jury, said that a man attacked in his own home can use force in selfdefence, even to the extent of killing his assailant, but that a man has no right to use such force in defence of ordinary property, such as a wagon load of produce.

If that alone was put up as a justi-



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Master's Sale of Land.

Afils. If that isn't the reason, the pedagogues must find a better. The criticism is well-founded and the professional educators should heed it.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Philadelphia Bulletin.

NCHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.—BY the court of Chancery, made on the twenty-third day of Novamber, meateen hundred and eloven, in a cause pending in said court on bill for partition, wherein cornelius M. Dunning is complatinat, and Mary A. Slicocks, et. als. are defendants, it. George S. Slizer, one of the special masters of said court, will expose for sale at public vendue

THURSDAY, THE EIGHTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, NINETEEN HUN-DRED AND TWELVE,

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the County Court House, in the City of New Brunswick, in the county, in Middlesex and State of New Jersey; All that land and promises, situate, tying and being in the Township of South Brunswick in the county of Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

The trial of Anton Winzinger, charged with shooting Andrew M. Slover, a boy of Mechanicsville, at 3.30 a. m. on August 11th last, came up in the oriminal court as New Brunswick on Wedneaday. Mr. Winzinger was on his way to the market in Perth Anthoy with a load of produce. As he war passing through the Hole-in-the-wall three boys ran after his wagon. He first head of the holes of the said william J. Stont on the northeast side of the road furies was on his way to the market his wagon. He first head of produce. As he war passing through the Hole-in-the-wall three boys ran after his wagon. He first head of the holes of young Slover.

The boy testified that he had been out with George Preeman and Prantis Sandback that hight and that they were on their way to the market. They thought that he had been out with George Preeman and Prantis Sandback that his part of the way to the market. They thought that he had been only the world god a ride in Winzinger's wagon and they ran after him to mak him for a ride in Winzinger's wagon and they ran firer him to mak him for a ride when he fired upon them. The man fired three shots.

He said that he had never seen the malifest him for a way to the market was colored by the comparable way to the man hefote, but as he was goling to Perth Andey the next morning in a trolley car with his father, while the way to the man late this father, while the way to the man late this father, while the way to the man late this city, where he causad his agrees.

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fication of the shooting the court said that it would be no legal justification, but it should be seriously considered had been stoned and robbed and that he had been attacked by an armed ne-

gro at Matawan some time ago. He told the jury to determine what the farmer thought his danger to be; that if the facts actually appeared to him that night that he was in danger, then the jury had a right to take his view into consideration.

The jury decided that Winzinger was not guilty. Roger Leonard, Jr., of this city, was one of the jurymen.

Shop at home and save money.

RESTORES ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

As a result of a decree of the Pope issued in July in reference to holy r seption South Amboy Council, No. with the evidence that other farmers days, St. Patrick's Day was struck off 426, K. of C., at St. Mary's Hall. Tickthe list of Irish obligatory holy days ets, \$1.00 each. night that he had stayed out. On this this farmer had been robbed and that on which the Catholics are called upon to hear mass and abstain from unnecessary work.

> At the request of the Catholic heirarchy in Ireland, however, the Holy See has just issued another decree which is interesting to the Irish people throughout the world. According to this the feast of St. Patrick will continue to be a holy day in Ireland without, however, being preceded by a day of fasting or abstinence.

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ltems of Interest Presented In Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

Next Wednesday will be the shortest day of the year.

Have you seen M. Kaufman's show window? Take a look at it, and see the Christmas season depicted.

The September Grand Jury on Monday presented to its foreman, W. Parker Runyon, a pair of field glasses.

The quarterly meeting of the Firemen's Relief Association was held on Thursday evening. The usual routine of business was transacted.

The case of the Overseer of the Poor vs. Frank Stults, of New Brunswick, will be heard in police justice's court at 2 o'clock next Tuesday after-

The regular meeting of the Star Building and Loan Association has been postponed to December 26, on account of Christmas falling on regular

copy of the Easton Free Press and souvenir post card from Fred Wheeler, formerly of this city, who now resides

The Citizen acknowledges receipt of

The Exempt Firemen's Association met on Wednesday evening at Fireman's Hall. Business was transacted, and matters appertaining to its welfare discussed.

A freight ear on a siding of the Raritan River railroad was broken into and a quantity of flour taken therefrom. Detectives have been plac-

An entertainment will be given in the Sacred Heart Parish Hall on December 26. A fine program is being arranged, which will include tableaux depicting Christmas life in the old

The members of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School have been very busy the past week preparing for their Christmas cantata, "Santa Claus is Coming," which will be given in K. of P. Hall on Christmas night.

Philip Sullivan, of this city, has been selected as one of the list as member of a struck jury to try the case of Charles S. Edgar against the International Smokeless Powder and Chemical Company, of Parlin.

Charles E. Skillman, agent for the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company of New Brunswick, was apprehended for selling goods without a city license. The case will be heard before Police Justice Birmingham at 10 a. m. on Tuesday next.

Wednesday morning, about five in town than ours. Getting our estit o'clock, Mrs. Harry Parisen met with mates before your final decision a mishap that might have proven very a mishap that might have proven very serious. It appears that a railing had been removed from the back porch the day before and was left unfastened. When Mrs. Parisen went ont on the stoop in the dark, not remembering about the loose railing, she fell off striking head first on the ground. She 176 Henry St. South Amboy, N. J. fortunately was not otherwise injured.

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Swift's Premium Hams - 151/4c lb SPECIAL! Elgin Creamery Butter, lb. - 38c 1 Qt. Cranberries 9c, 3 qts. for 25c 7 cakes Babbitt Soap 3 packages Corn Flakes 25c White Grapes lb. Mothers', Quaker and Heckers Oatmeal

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FORSMAN HIT BY LUMP OF COAL

Charles Forsman on stepping from he Raritan River Railroad train at Bergen Hill station on Tuesday night was struck by a large piece of coal thrown from the tender by one of the crowd of boys who make a regular practice of making a bon fire by the ittle station. Mr. Forsman had stepped from the train and was passing the tender when one of the boys who make a custom of boarding the engines to supply coal for their fire

threw off the coal. It struck Mr.

Forsman a violent blow on the shoul-

der, narrowly escaping inflicting ser-

ious i**nj**ury. So long as these boys are allowed to continue keeping up this bon fire, they are bound to seek a supply of fuel from the passing trains. This practice is fraught also with other danger. The fire is usually built only a couple of feet from the "station shanty," and it is probably only a question of time when the shanty itself will supply fuci for the fire, and possibly be the means of causing the destruction of other property. There seems to be good reason for prompt action, both by the railroad authorities, and by the police, the one to protect its passengers and property, and the other as a safeguard against property loss to citizens.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The address by Mrs. Captain E. L. Wilbur at the Sunday afternoon meetand instructive. The theme followed was "Rum does its work and does it Mrs. Wilbur gave the talk in Salvation Army style and used illustrations taken from actual contact with the victims of rum as they are found by the active Army soldiers in the slums and not the slums only, but also along the higher walk of life. The personal testimony given by the speaker was so real, heart rending, and yet so full of appeal and sympathy that only a few, if any, escaped with dry eyes, not the emotion that Is offensive, but that which all are glad to have experience. The singing was taken hold of by the audience and the special selections appropriate to the speaker's work were sung with a will that creates inspiration.

Meeting Sunday afternoon, December17th, at the usual hour, 4 o'clock, will be addressed by Captain Heckman. Subject: "Seeking for What?" Captain Heckman is not a stranger among us, but is well known and loved by all who know him. He has been wonderfully blessed in his work among men as he goes from port to port. Captain Heckman is a thorough Salvationist and corries a commission in recognition of his work in Corps No. 1, New York City. Come and hear the Captain and you will be glad to have spent an hour. Special selection will be used in singing. The choir of the Methodist Protestant Church will be present to assist Captain Heckman with his choice selections.

Regular meeting of the Committee of Management will be held at the Association Friday evening at 8

Air brake and machinery and break down lectures in the Class Room every Monday and Friday, 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Classes for Motive Power and Trainmen. Special attention given the trainmen in the Friday lectures.

PRESBYTERIAN LETTER.

ted, because of preparation for the Christmas exercises, until after the holidays. Further notice will be given. The Sabbath School will give its

annual Christmas entertainment on propared a cantata entitled "Johnnie cessful entertainment. If nothing hap-

he Sabbath School will render its 25c Christmas musical program entitled The Christmas Bell." There will also be other special Christmas music, You are invited to this and all other 10c church services.

The pastor signs himself, Your Servant.

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All Goods Delivered Free Anywhere

\$14.50 Turkish Rockers \$8.98

Largest and most comfortable chair on the market at anything so low in price. Just the present for an old lady or gentleman.

36.50 Full Turkish Rockers **27.50**

This splendld rocker is fairly alive with springs and is the Acme of solld comfort, other styles similar at from \$12.00 to \$32.50.

38.50 Early English Settees 25.00

Has richly carved frame in Early English waxed finish, seats upholstered in best Spanish leather with deep cone springs.

30.00 Early English Settees 18.50

Size smaller than above special but of same general style and finish.

25.00 Mahogany Rockers **16.00**

This is the most magnificent rocker ever placed in our stock, made of solid mahogany, polished back, and seat upholstered in best Spanish leather. Regular price \$25.00, now \$16.00.

Close to 500 rockers were bought for the holiday trade and all tastes and purses may be satisfied

10.00 Fibre Rush Rockers 8.00

Our regular price on these high grade rockers has been \$10.00, but most stores charge from \$11.50 to \$12.00. This style rocker is very desirable in every way.

SLEIGHS! SLEIGHS!!

Steering sleighs made with heavy steel frame with finely finished top, on sale at......98c Larger sizes same style as above specials worth The names of the above sleighs are: Flexible Flyers, Fire Flies, Lightning Guiders, Fleet Wings,

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This great special alone is worth coming for, very comfortable and finely made throughout, quantity limited.

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Two inch continuous post brass beds full size, this bed is very attractive, and these Pre-Inventory prices mean bargains for those who act

\$7.50 Weathered Rockers at \$5.00

These rockers and chairs are extra strong, well made and finely finished. The leather upholstering and workmanship is extra good. Complete new stock of mission chairs and rockers from \$1.98, to \$20.00.

12.50 Morris Chairs at **7.98**

As an exceptional Christmas bargain we offer Genuine Royal Push Button Morris Chairs up to January 1st only at the above price lich inculdes finest grade velour cushions.

30.00 Imperial Couches at 20.00 25 other latest styles in all finishes from \$3.98

These couches sell regularly anywhere from \$30.00 up, but we are closing out a few discontinued patterns and while they last the price is

1.48 Axminister Rugs worth 2.00

\$20.00 each.

Regular \$2.00 Axminister rugs in all the latest designs, made of strictly all wool goods, special

3.50 and 4.00 Axminister Rugs 2.50 Smith's and other makes have been placed on

These rugs are 3x6 feet, and are made of first quality in every way, something that will make a first class present.

13.50 Seamless Brussels Rugs 7.98

Strictly all wool one piece Brussels rugs, size 9x12 feet, large stock to select from in both florals and orientals.

20.00 Axminister Rugs 9x12 ft 13.50

These are regular \$20.00 rugs, in both floral and oriental designs. Every rug is perfect in every

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\$1.25 and 1.50 Folding Go-Carts with hood and \$2.75 Pullman Go-Carts polished wood body, hood \$1.50 Children's Rockers at..................98c Extra well built of hard wood, nicely finished,

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DECLARES OUR ARMY

IS UNREADY FOR WAR. Too Small and Scattered for Use In Emergency, Says Secretary Stimson-For Shorter Enlistments.

In his annual report to the President, Secretary of War Stimson declared that war with a first class power would find the army of the United States practically unprepared. He attributes this largely to the fact that the army was "scattered out over the country" and to a lack of reserves. The army on the peace footing habitually maintained he characterized as ineffective for any serious war service.

As to the unpreparedness of the army in artillery and ammunition, Secretary Stimson says that "at the present rate of appropriation it is estimated that it would take more than fifty years to secure a reasonable supply of field artillery guns, carriages, and ammunition that would be necessary in the event of war."

The report makes the statement that the cost of each effective rifleman in the United States Army is between two and five times as much as to any first class power in Europe. This in an illustration, Secretary Stimson declares, of the extravagance of the existing system of wide distribution of the army.

Dealing with insular affairs the Secretary of War urges that the right of American citizenship be granted to the natives of Porto Rico, A Porto Rican traveling abroad now is literally a man without a country, and Mr. Stimson says that a continued refusal to grant citizenship to the islanders will "gravely wound the sensibilities of this loyal people.".

Congress is urged to express its hes regaling the disposal of the accupied ar lands in the Philippines, to increase the limit of indebtedness which may be incurred by the Philippine Government for public works from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000. and to pass a Philippine naturalization law.

Secretary Stimson recommends that the permanent organization to operate the Panama Canal be established on a strictly business basis, leaving the question of tolls to the President, and giving American shipping practically free use of the canal. The Interstate Commerce Commission should regulate rates to prevent railway interests from exercising control.

Secretary Stimson takes a stand in favor of a system of selection in making army promotions instead of holding to seniority. He notes a distinct improvement in the personnel, but declares that there is much dead wood in the army.

The army posts were originally in many cases located with reference to possible Indian troubles, and few are in positions suited to strategic needs. The average number of companies to each of the forty-nine posts is only nine. He adds:

"In short, we have scattered our army over the country as if it were merely groups of local constabulary instead of a national organization. The result is an army which is extraordinarily expensive to maintain, and one whose efficiency for the main purpose of its existence has been nullified so far as geographical location can nullify it.

"It is true that the small units into which it has thus been subdivided have as a whole, maintained efficiency to a remarkable extent. * * * But for a remote contingency by which a National army must be always judged, namely, the contingency of a war with a first class power, the army is prac-

tically unprepared." The Secretary declares that steps have been taken and others are in the course of prosecution to correct these faults of organization. It is in contemplation to remove the cayalry from the far northern posts to the southward, substituting infantry for them. The Texas manocuvers showed the adaptation of the Southwestern States for cavalry training, whereas in the North for many months in the year it is impossible to drill out of doors.

The Secretary commits himself to the theory that it is a function of the modern army to be the school of the elfizen soldler, as opposed to those who contend for a permanent organization of professional soldiers, Therefore he disapproves of the long term of chlistment and favora its shortening to two years, to allow as many men as possible to have its training.

manual filmens ENDS WINTERS TROUBLES,

To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost-bitten toes and fingers, rued hands and lips, chilblains, ores, red and rough skins, prove alille. This much frombles by hotors Ducklen's Arnien Salve. A trial convinces. Orestest heater of Hurns, Bolls, Piles, Cuts, Bares, Britists, Es. roms and " sain - tiply 25e at thea.

Her Illness

It Was Diagnosed by Many Doctors, but Correctly by Only One

By f. A. MITCHEL

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It was Sunday morning. The State Street Presbyterian church of Berkeiey was crowded to hear the first sermon of the new minister, the Rev. Charles Fordham. Miss Dorothy Cummings, daughter of Deacon Cummings -the deacon was one of the pillars of the church-sat in her father's pew spellbound by the minister's eloquence.

The following Tuesday evening Miss Cummings appeared at the weekly prayer meeting, surprising those who or years had been regular in their attendance.

On Thursday the minister dined at the home of Deacon Cummings, and Miss Dorothy during the evening found an opportunity to say to him that she had been deeply impressed by his Sunday sermon and would like to converse with him on the subject of the dis course. Mr. Fordham signified his willlinguess to further enlighten her, suggesting that she call at the church whenever she chose.

Miss Cummings did not appear a he church on the second Sunday of the new clergyman's administration. To inquiries concerning her her mother announced that she was indisposed Mrs. Cummings bore a message to the same effect from her daughter to Mr. Fordham and asked if he could find it convenient to call during the week. since she was not well enough to go out. She desired a conference,

Now, the Rev. Mr. Fordbam was a coung bachelor, but old enough to understand the care that must be observed by a clergyman. He told Mrs. Cum-



ASKED THE PATIENT A GREAT MANY QUESTIONS.

mings he had laid down a rule for his guidance which he preferred not on any account to break through. This talk about is not known to any one rule was that he would not make any but formal visits to the women of his departed the girl seemed to have been congregation and all spiritual justruction must be administered at the she was supposed to have taken. Mr. church. He did not explain why he Fordham, having broken his rule once, had made this rule. He simply stated found it much easier to break it a secthe fact.

A few weeks later the Cummings family physician, Dr. Effingham Treat. was called in to see Dorothy. He looked at her tongue, felt her pulse and stuck a little glass thermometer in her mouth. Then he took out the prescription blank with which doctors invariably end a call, especially a first call, and wrote a prescription. This done, he left her, stating that the trouble was not serious. As soon as he had gone Dorothy threw his prescription

A week passed, and Miss Cummings, being no better, her father called up Dr. Treat by telephone and was informed that he had gone to Smith's drug store. Mr. Cummings phoned the doctor there and asked him to call on Dorothy, since she was no better, and he ther fathers was worrled about her. Trent, having forgotten what medleine he lad recommended the girl and not wishing it to appear that the case was not constantly on life mind, asked Swith, who sold the Cumulagees all their drugs, to look up the prescripthan and tell him what he had ordered. Smith discovered that no prescription from the doctor to any of the Cumndings family had been recently filled.

On his way to visit the patient the doctor was stopped by the Rev. Mr. Fordbuth to Inquire about Miss Cumndags. He wished to know whether Dorothy was very sick and gave conidentially as a reason her request that he should call to administer spiritual advice, his refusal, according to his rule, stating further that if she were in danger he would not hesitate to go

to but at once, The doctor promised the dergyman that it Inputly should begins dangerously III be would notify him and drove on. But on the way be did some thinking. He was notedy's feel, and putting the information by had de amore the engage.

rived from the clergyman with that of the druggist and having suspected that his patient was perfectly well. he began to see through her little scheme. Having arrived at the Cummings home, he went through the usua! formalities of a professional call and on departing informed the family that his own health was breaking down from overwork and he was about to give up his practice for at least a year He would, however, write out a state ment of Dorothy's case, so far as be had observed it, which might be of service to any physician who should next treat her. Sitting down in the library, he wrote:

My diagnosis of this case is that there is a cordial affection. There are frequent heart flutterings, followed by depression. But since the heart is affected by nervous conditions I do not fear organic trouble. I rather infer mental influences. However, since I may be mistaken in this diagnosis. I would recommend watching the ignosis I would recommend watching the action of the liver, the kidneys, the splee: and other organs.

Dorothy kept her room and refused herself to visitors. Dr. Archibald Swain-Chichester, whose practice was among the ultra fashionable set, next took up her case, read Dr. Treat's diagnosis-or, rather, scanned it contemptuously-asked the patient a great many questions, gave especial direc-tions as to her diet, wrote the customary prescription-or, rather, scriptions, for there were three of them -and departed, promising to return again in a week. Since Mrs. Cummings was now much troubled about her daughter's condition Dorothy did not dare to burn up her prescriptions, but when the medicines came she daily poured a small portion of each in a sink. Since she thwarted her physiclan's intention in her behalf it is not remarkable that she gained no benefit. But, on the other hand, if she gained no benefit she suffered no injury.

Now, Dorothy in her feminine way was a far better diagnostician than any of her physicians. Though she had met the Rev. Charles Fordham but a few times, she had noticed in his eye that peculiar spark of love which flashes at times between two persons of opposite sex, as well as felt it in her own heart. During his first sermon she had kept her gaze fixed upon him and had several times noticed his momentarily concentrated upon her. During her illness-or, rather, her se clusion—he had made repeated inquiries of her family as to her condition and had manifested the usual solici tude of a pastor for one of his congregation. He even expressed a regret that the rule he had made with reference to refraining from private visits to the women of his church had prevented his giving the sick girl the benefit of spiritual comfort.

The statement seemed to have a bad effect when Mrs. Cummings repeated it to the patient, for the next day Dor othy admitted to her mother that one of the causes of her ailment was a self conviction of her own sinful con dition. When Mrs. Cummings repeated this to the clergyman he threw his rule to the winds and informed the good lady that he would visit the invalid whenever she desired to see him

The next Monday afternoon, Monday being the clergyman's visiting day he rang the bell at the Cummingses and was ushered into an upstairs living room where Dorothy, whose pallor had been caused partly by confinement and partly by face powder skillfully applied, was half reclining on a lounge. She was dressed in a becoming kimono-like gown and partly covered by a silken spread with colors to correspond with the gown. She was a very pretty girl and never looked prettier than now, at the same time enlisting the sympathy of an invalid.

How far the young clergyman stuck to the subject of that he had come to except him and Dorothy. When he more benefited than by all the drugs oud time, after which it to break than adhere to it.

It was shortly before these visits began that Dr. Effingham Treat, meeting Mr. Cummings, asked after his daughter. Mr. Cummings said that he had had four physicians and gave Dr. Treat a summary of their opinions as to what was the matter with Dorothy. Dr. Swain-Chichester thought the patient was threatened with melancholla. The next practitioner attributed her illness to her liver, the next to the nerves, the next to a nounselmilation of food. There was one point on which they all agreed—that the patient gave no response whatever to the medicines they prescribed. This was not remarkable since she had taken none of them. Dr. Treat listened to these diagnoses, looked wise and

sald nothing. The visits of the Rev. Mr. Fordham to Miss Dorothy Cummings were conthreed with excellent results. Her physicians were discharged, what reinstred of her drive was destroyed, and tt was not long before she was driving out for an airing. Then she was reen frequently in company with the clergy man, and members of the congrega tion began to talk of an engagement H was whilepered among come of the imparted tadles who had themselves and designs on the reverend gentle man that Dorothy Cummings was took Ing a dead set for him,

They were all of them behind the times. At one of the enriller visits Mr. Porthum had made on Miss Cummings he find proposed to her and been no copted. Since their enungement and Dorothy's recovery they were simply having a courtship for the world, and time expectally the congregation of the Mate Atrest Presbyterian church When this outside intimacy had continned ima enough to sellary appear



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NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS.

Ben Hur: A Tale or the Christ."

Preparations for the new and elabrate production of "Ben-Hur" at the New Amsterdam theatre, New York, are on a scale of such magnitude that even with the spacious stage of this playhouse it will be necessary to close the theatre the weeks of December 11th and 18th, so that mechanics scenic artists and electricians may give the public a finished performence, so far as the picturesque and mechanical parts of the performance are concerned. The curtain will rise on this new production of the Lew Wallace drama on Saturday evening, December 23rd. It is promised for this restaging that is shall surpass in magnitude and splendor all former productions of this work. Klaw & Erlanger are in this instance building for America and London, for the equipment which will be seen here will be taken without change to London and will be shown there at the Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, Easter Monday, April 8th, 1912. As the historic Drury Lane Theatre has housed hundreds of spectacles made by English producers, Klaw & Erlanger are, in the instance of their revival of "Ben-Hur," exerting every effort and exhausting every avenue to make the production a superb and memorable one. Scenic artists, costumers, wigmakers, armorers, electricians and machinists have been at work for a year. The results will be shown when the curtain rises on the scene of the Three Wise Men and the Star of Bethlehem, and will sweep on through the sinking of the galley, and will reach a climax in the marvelous charlot race where five charlots and twenty horses will be used. For the great Mount of Olives scene, which closes the performance with the triumphal entry into Jerusalem, the stage will show the slope of the mountain beginning at the footlights and rising clear to the flies, the hillsides being crowded with hundreds of

The interpreting cast includes Richard Buhler, Edward H. Robins, Oscar Adye, Walter M. Sherwin, Emmet C. King, Mark Price, J. Arthur Young, Edwin Cushman, Schuyler Ladd, Geo. Sydenham, Adelaide Nowak, Cecil Kern, Lillian Lawrence, Alice Haynes and Rose Beaudet.

annimated figures clad in variegated

robes and dresses of the period, wav-

ing palm branches and chanting the

great Hosanna.

Edgar Stillman Kelly, who arranged the musical settings for "Ben-Hur," has composed for this engagement a new overture and additional incidental music. To heighten the effects of Mr. Kelly's work a grand pipe organ has been installed in the New Amsterdam Theatre by the Austin Organ Company, of Hartford, Conn.

Seats for the "Ben-Hur" season will be placed on sale Monday morning, December 18th. During the New Amsterdam Theatre engagement matinses are announced for Christmas and New Year's.

Bijou Theatre.

Wilton Lackey will begin his New York engagement at the Bijou Theatre, December 21, in "The Stranger," a comedy drama in three acts which has won the endorsement of every city in which it has played and has proven another popular success for Mr. Lackaye. In the character of "John Marshall" of the piece, he has given new and convincing proof of his versatility, playing with apparent ease and fine art the powerful dramatic scenes of the play equally as well as the light comedy situations.

The story of the play is as far removed from the conventional comedy drama as it is possible to imagine. The author has combined an absorbing dramatic story with frequent touches of refreshing humor and shows Mr. Lackaye in stage art at its bost.

The scenes of "The Stranger" are laid in Danville, Virginia, where "John Marshall" (Mr. Lackaye, a traction magnate from New York. formerly a poorhouse boy of Danville, who left there years before to win his way to independence and happiness suddenly returns to life native city in quest of a franchise to operate an electric line to Richmond, as a rival of the old-fashioned line owned by "Judge Carter.". Danville's most influentlal citizen. The parentage of "Marshall" is supposed to be a partter of serious question, and the younger "Carter" who is in love with "Mary Warrington" (for whom "Marshall" decell seeks to convert this fact into a business and social asset. "Marsh-All' however, wins out in the end and succeeds in proving that the compact "Arter" is the Hiegitimals son in-

renduced, the Amera by the W Jaques.

ican rights to which Mr. Lackave acquired while abroad last summer. L. S. Sire, the producer of the play, has furnished exceptionally fine stage settings for the piece, and surrounded

the star with a cast of unusual merit. Surrounding Mr. Lackage is a cast containing the names of Frank Sheridan, A. S. Byron, Malcolm Williams, Howard Hall, Louis Thomas, William Frederick, Henry Hall, Harriet Brent. Ouida Bergere, and Muriel Starr.

The Cohan Theatre.

Wednesday matinees at the Geo. M. Cohan theatre have been thrown into the discard. Cohan and Harris have announced that mid-week, day time performances of Geo. M. Cohan's "The Little Millionaire" will be out of the regular schedule of that musical farce for the next two weeks and when they are reinstated will be played on Friday afternoons instead of Wed. nesday. The first Friday matinee at the Cohan playhouse will occur on the afternoon of December 29 and this rule will continue for the balance of the season.

Mr. Cohan's reason for eliminating Wednesday matinees for the next fortnight is furnished in the fact that lie is at work on a new play for Douglas Fairbanks and desires the extra time their withdrawal will give him to complete his manuscript and be ready for rehearsals called for Friday, December 29.

The Astor Theatre.

"The Red Widow," chaperoned by Cicero Hannibal Butts, (Raymond Hitchcock) New York, U. S. A., is being made the recipient of a series of ovations at the Astor Theatre, New York, that would turn the head of a less sophisticated lady that this lurid one whose whole aim, according to the authors of this capital play, is to plant a collection of bombs under the front stoop of the Czar's palace in St. Petersburg, with the hope that their explosion will spill the Ruler of the Russians all over the surrounding Siberian scenery.

The Red Widow's plotting in the play is apparently just as sincere as any that has been hatched in earnest. It is far more interesting, however, for this Nihilist is a charming woman who lays her plans in a series of musical settings that are altogether alluring. Of course the Red Widow's schemes are foiled in the end, not by the watchfulness of the police, but because of an infatuation inspired by a handsome officer of the Russian army, for the love of whom she forsakes her anarchistic line of endeavor and, according to the story related in this fascinating musical play, finds complete happiness that does not necessitate constant embroglious with the Czar's energetic police force. Not, however, before she has set many snares for the susceptible Butts who, in trying to escape, is treated to a series of hair raising experiences that he finds great difficulty in dodging before he is finally cleared of the charge of being an accomplice of the Red Widow and her bomb blowing brigade.

Incidently, the whole revolutionary scheme is worked ont to the accompaniment of music, mirth and general gayety, during which Raymond Hitchcock is seen at his best.

Not to Be Trioked.

A rural visitor to Glasgow desiring a meal extered a restaurant, and when he had taken a seat the waiter presented him the menu.

"Look 'ere, my man," roared the wide awake rustic, "you don't cheat me | 1 tap wire trouble or fire out. oike this. I be only just coom in. I ain't 'ad any of these 'ere things, and I shan't pay for 'em. I knows yer game, and I'll get my dinner somewhere else." He then took his departure, leaving the waiter to think it over.—London Ideas.

A New Use.

Quite a novel method of announcing an engagement was that employed by a clever young lady in the west. She elegraphed a girl friend in Boston; "Solomon, slx, three."

Looking up that chapter and verse the friend rend:

"I am my beloved's and my beloved is mine," - Boston Transcript,

The Way It Started. "He tried to kiss me. I can't understand It "

'Neither can I, dear." "You ent?" - Houston Post.

----()-----SAVED HIS WIFE'S LIFE.

"My wife would have been in her grave to-day," Writes O. H. Brown, of Manacadine, Ala, "If it had not been avows his devotion), by treachery and for Dr. Klug's New Discovery. She was down in her hed, not able to get up without help. Him had a sovere broughlot trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began * himself,...in this scope the to mend, and was well in a short followed with breathless in time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most religible remedy nned to make the organic on earth for desperate long frequenstock company for the hemorrhages, lagringe, asthma, havafter the run of "The forer, eroup and whanting cough for several plays by foreign \$1.00. Print house from companies

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animal that could swim a long way it is probable that he would think of alanything before he deer. If you told city folk that deer have been known to swim clear across the sound, from Long Island to Connecticut, they would probably laugh at you, yet all the boatmen along the coast know this to be true. Deer will often take to the sea when they are closely pursued by the hounds, and they have been known to stay in the water swimming until the dogs got tired and went away or until night fell and sheltered them.-New York Sun.

Authors' Names.

Authors who manipulate their names to suit their fancies are not a small Caine. There were Gabriel Charles Dante Rossetti and Charles John Huffam Dickens. Only one book of refer ence gives the full name of Oscar Fingali O'Flaherty Wills Wilde, some of whose poems first appeared over the initials O. F. O'F. W. W. Lewis Melville is really Louis Benjamin, and very few people are aware that the bearer of the distinguished name Sir-Sidney Lee was originally Solomon Lazarus Levi.-London Spectator.

Unsuccessful.

"I made a mistake," said Plodding Pete. "I told that man up the road I needed a little help 'cause I was lookin' fur me family, from whom I had been separated fur years."

"Didn't that make him come "He couldn't see it. He said dat be didn't know my family, but he wasn't

goin' to help in bringin' any such trou-ble on 'em."-Washington Star.

Unlikely to Pass. "Can't you settle this bill today, sir?" asked the tailor of the delinquent sen-

"No. Shears; it wouldn't be parliamentary. I've merely glanced over it, you know, and I can't pass a bill until after its third reading."-Judge.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

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NOTICE.

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JOSEPH F. FULTON,

City Clerk.

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BRUSHES MILITARY BRUSHES HANDKERCHIEFS UMBRELLAS MEYER'S GLOVES SUSPENDERS IN BOXES TIES IN BOXES LEATHER BAGS PIN CUSHIONS COAT HANGERS WRITING PAPER **JABOTS** SIDE FRILLS

EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES

FANCY CENTREPIECES PICTURE FRAMES HAIR RECEIVERS SEWING BAGS GARTER AND SLEEVE HOLD-ER SETS

COLUMBIA SHIRTS ASH TRAYS BOOKS BEDROOM SLIPPERS POCKET BOOKS SHAVING MIRRORS

M. KAUFMAN

150 Broadway

South Amboy, N. J.

Practical

are the most appreciated. For such presents you will find many suggestions in our windows.



SHOES FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN J. Alfred Johnson

182 Broadway

South Amboy

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting on Sunday last. Reading.

Miss K. O'Hara spent Sunday last

Mrs. Frank Petty spent Tuesday ast at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Tobias Grace, of Bound Brook, spent Thursday in this city.

Mrs. C. I. Bergen has been visiting at Trenton during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stratton spent Monday last at Philadelphia.

C. I. Bergen was an over Sunday visitor with friends at Trenton.

Cecil Metz, of Jersey City, was a visitor in town on Monday last.

Miss Agnes Dunne, of Newark, is visiting friends on Henry street.

Messrs, Eugene Finn and Neil Brien, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in this city.

Woods were New York visitors this

Mrs. Roy B. Sheppard, of Milltown, visited friends in town last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Pearce, of Camden, visited friends in town on

Miss Fannie Walsh, of Elizabeth, is the guest of Miss Maggie Brien, of this city.

Mrs. Margaret Kenn, of New Brunswick, is visiting Miss Maggie Brien, of this city.

Miss Carrie Good, of New Hope, Pa., is visiting Captain and Mrs. Edward Good, of David street.

A. H. Bergen spent several days this week with his sister, Mrs. R. B. Sheppard, of Milltown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Muirheid visited friends at Easton, Pa., on Saturday and Sunday last.

Mrs. James Hickey and Miss Amanda Byrnes, of Salem, Mass., are visiting friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George French, and son William, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy French of Perth Amboy,

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beswick, of Camden, were the guests of Miss Lauretta Bloodgood, of George Street, Saturday and Sunday last.

Master William H. Askin, of Perth Amboy, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Bloodgood, of George street.

Mrs. E. J. Gerrity, and daughter, Geraldine, of Brooklyn, have returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Catherine Gunkel, of Pine ave.

A Wasp That Uses Tools.

Wasps are in one respect more civilized than any other insect or animal. John Burroughs tells us that, "though It has been thought that man is the only tool using animal, yet there is one species of wasp, ammophila, that uses a little pebble to pound down the earth over her nest. She takes the pebble in her mandibles, as you or I would take a stone in our hand, and uses it as a hammer to pound down the sell above the cavity that holds her egg. This is a remarkable fact. So far as I know, there is no other Miss Mary Lyons and Miss Elizabeth animal on this continent that makes any mechanical use of an object or substance foreign to its own body in this way.'

Well Defined.

"Pa, is a ressel a bont?" "Er-yes, you may call it that." "Well, what kind of a boat is a blood

"A lifeboat."

LIST OF LETTERS

remaining uncalled for in South Amboy Post Office for the week ending December 16, 1911.

Catherine O'Donnell, Sadie Barnes, Helen Farley, J. Bareger, Helen Benine, James Gallagher, Chris. Doyle, Anthony Dennello, Eugina Thompson, Lillian Slover, Grace Stader, Annie Martin, Edward Johnson, John Lynn, May Kelly, John Kennedy, John Hyer, James Gallager, Donel Gordon, Emma Cordon.

These letters will be sent to the Dead Letter Office December 31, 1911, if not delivered before. In calling for the above please say, "Advertised," giving date of list.

E. E. HAINES, Post Master.

= OUR ===

December Clearance Sale

Will be continued for 10 more days in order to give the opportunity to some of our trade who were unable to take advantage of this offering for lack of money, the opportunity is therefore still before you to save money on all your purchases

50c New Style Men's and Boys' Caps at25c
50c and 75c Leggins (Canvas) at
Children's 50c Rubbers, Sizes up to 101/2, at
Men's \$15.00 Suits and Overcoats at
60c Union Made Overalls at
Single and Double Breasted Fleece Lined Underwear at
85c 1/2 Wool Underwear in Heavy and Medium Weights at89c
\$1.50 All Wool Underwear in Single or Double Breasted in
Camel Hair, Natural Wool, or Red Medicated Flannel at95c
\$3.00 Two Buckle Felt Boots at\$2.39
\$3.75 Two Buckle Guaranteed Felt Boots at\$2.89
65c Girls' Rubbers, Sizes up to 2, at
69c Boys' Rubbers, Sizes up to 2, at
85c Boys' Storm Rubbers at
95c Men's Storm Rubbers
75e Ladies' Storm Rubbers at
\$5.00 Men's Hip Boots at
\$4.75 Men's Knee Boots at
\$8.00 Ladles' Slik Waists at
\$2.50 Men's and Young Men's Pants at
\$1.75 Youth's Pants at
\$2.50 Lined Corduroy Pants at
\$2.50 and \$3.00 Men's Shoes at
\$1.50 Dress Gloves at
10c Canyos Gloves at pairs for 25c
the Woolen Social at B pairs for 850
\$1.50 Grey or Blue Plannel Shirts at
\$3.00 and \$3.50 Boys' Suits or Overcoats at
\$1.00 Boys' Knee Pants at
50c Neckwear, Holiday Special at25c
#2.50 Offskin Suits or Long Conts at
and Knitted Nock Mufflers at
The Outing Flannel Night Shirts at
\$1.00 Men's Rubber Conts at\$2.08
\$4.00 Boys' Rubber Conts at\$2.10
#1.25 Umbrolles at
Men's and Hoys' \$1,50 Aweaters atminimization
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Forequarters Spring Lamb 10c Prime Rib Roast, cut from native beef 1212c & 14c Nice Milk Fed Veal for roasting . 12c and 14c 2 lbs. Rib or Loin Lamb Chops

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14c

HOLIDAY SPECIALS!

A great reduction on goods that every housewife needs at this time of year

Special from Saturday to Wednesday

New Sweet Cider - 19c gal

New Raisins 10c pkg

New Currants - 11c pkg

Fancy Citron 17c lb

R. & R. Plum Pudding 23c Can **New Apricots 18c lb**

Granulated Sugar 6c lb

Best Creamery Butter -38c b Other grades at 28c, 24c, 23c, 20c

Pure Lard

13c lb

STAMP SPECIALS

11b. Tea, any flavor60c. | 1 can Globe Syrup.......10c \$10.00 in stamps.

1 lb. Coffee.....28e \$1.00 in stamps. 1 bottle Extract (Vanilla

\$1.00 in stamps. 1 dozen Fresh Eggs..... (Guaranteed) \$1.00 in stamps. 1 can Bridal Soup......10e \$1.00 in stamps.

A nice assortment of Candies, Nuts, Fruits. etc.

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