
Would you like to know a boarding-house where the food is nice, where the service is quick and six dollars the price? Well, the hotel is called, "The Marlon," on Augusta street. The station is quite handy, when to work you want to beat: The rooms they are steam heated and are nice and hot, And when you go to bed to sleep a cosy room you've got. No better place I know of here in South Amboy— For this is the only boarding-house— a boarding-house of joy. The place is run by M^{rs}. Marshall, that is why you see The rooms are clean and food is good. take it boys

Torrey Pork Roast 14c lb. at Mon-
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When a wife wants pin money her husband is compelled to come to the scratch.

Mrs. Miller then moved that an appeal be taken to the State Board of Education and Mr. Coan remarked that while he was not a member of the board at the time of the original hearing he knew that Miss Everitt had not been giving to the school authorities the service which a good teacher should and that this statement held good not only as applied to the present board but others of the past as well. He also expressed

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1916.

HEARING MONDAY ON THE

EGAN HIGHWAYS BILL.

Appeal is being made to all persons interested in good roads to attend the hearing on the Egan Highways Bill at Trenton on Monday next. Automobile owners and members of the trade from every part of the state will be present to support this measure, which provides for a seven million dollar bond issue for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of routes throughout New Jersey. Effort is being made to have the rural population represented as well as the urban.

One notable feature following the introduction of this measure by Senator Charles M. Egan, of Hudson County, is that nearly every newspaper in the state has taken cognizance of it in the news columns and editorially as well. Thus far there has been no criticism, as might be expected from some localities that are to receive a lesser amount of benefit in the mileage of roadway to be affected. Every paper has seen fit to endorse the plan embodied in the bill to have the automobile and motor vehicle license fees, registration fees, fines, penalties, etc., used to meet the interest and principal of the big bond issue rather than to burden the taxpayers with the costs of the improvements.

Governor Fielder, in referring to the bill recently, said that the great objection to the bond issue rested in the fact that before it became a law it had to be referred to the people, while a state law could be secured by the simple passage of a bill through the legislature. He declared that the general trend of public sentiment is against bond issues. Senator Egan, however, claims to the contrary, and has purposely incorporated the referendum provision in order to put the matter up to the people at the next general election providing that the bill passes in the legislature, believing that the voting population will readily see the advantages of improved highways procurable without added expenses on the part of the general public. In his opinion it is admitted throughout the state that the automobiles wear out the roads, and his bill provides that the automobilists shall pay for the improved highways, but without added costs to the owners of the cars.

"I hope for a large attendance at next Monday's hearing, both from the city and farming districts," said Senator Egan. "All persons should be interested in this measure, which is to provide a very much needed improvement in New Jersey and without cost to the taxpayers. Everybody will admit the urgent need of good roads, but they are costly. I believe that this is the first time such a bill has ever been introduced in a New Jersey Legislature, calling for good roads without the possibility of an increased tax rate, and to serve ultimately towards bringing about a reduction in the assessments in various counties. This latter will follow because of the fact that the routes included in my bill will be taken over by the state, and the counties relieved of the maintenance costs in the future.

"The farming sections have as much to gain as the larger centers of population, inasmuch as the tillers of the soil will be enabled to get their products to markets in less time than with the present poor road facilities, and with less wear and tear upon live and rolling stock. In the cities and towns advantage will lie in being able to procure produce more readily and at consequently cheaper rates. This is all aside from the pleasure possibilities resultant from improved highways, as well as the plan being in line with the present nation-wide movement for preparedness insofar as good roads are very essential to the speedy mobilization of defensive forces."

The Cart Before the Horse.
Mr. Harbord had a jewel of a servant called Johnnie. One day he found his bedroom a foot deep in old and muddled tea leaves. Johnnie explained, "The missus said I made such a dust when I swept the floor and that I must put tea leaves all over the carpet, so I emptied the old barrel standing by the kitchen door, and I put them on the floor like missus said, mister, after I had swept the carpet."—London Telegraph.

Buried Alive.
In the early history of Japan it was decidedly a dubious honor to be closely related to any person of note, for one of the laws at that time decreed that when a person of rank or importance died all immediate relatives must be buried alive in a perpendicular position around the personage's grave. Their heads were left above the earth, and thus they remained until welcome death came to free them.

When you lose money and gain

NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

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

Middlesex Criminal Court.

Arraigned by Prosecutor Stricker in the county court at New Brunswick on Friday of last week to plead to an indictment charging him with manslaughter, John O'Brien, special officer of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, at Perth Amboy, pleaded not guilty and bail was fixed at \$4,000 by Judge Daly. Michael Welsh and John Sutliff, both of South Amboy, furnished bail and O'Brien was released from custody.

O'Brien is charged with slaying Stephen Hawrylko, at Perth Amboy, on the night of January 31. He is represented by Attorney Francis P. Coan. No date for the trial has been fixed.

Tony Merillo, through his counsel, John A. Delaney, of Perth Amboy, retracted his plea of not guilty to carnal abuse on Jane Balise, an 11-year-old girl, and entered one of guilty instead. The court imposed a sentence of not more than thirty years nor less than eighteen years in State prison.

The maximum imprisonment under the law for wronging a girl under twelve years of age is 30 years, while the minimum cannot be more than two-thirds of the maximum. The fact that Merillo saved the county the expense of a trial lopped a couple of years off his sentence.

Pleading guilty to two allegations, one charging larceny and the other charging breaking and entering and larceny, John Lauritsen, a youth of Perth Amboy, was sentenced to the Rahway Reformatory for a full term on each charge, the sentences to run concurrently. The defendant, according to a statement made by Probation Officer MacWilliam, is regarded by the police of Perth Amboy as an inveterate thief. He has been in scrapes of various kinds ever since he was a little boy, and had been an inmate of the Jamesburg Reform School, beside doing time in the county jail. The victims of his latest crimes were Peter Hanson and Peter Tybuszynski. From the former he stolen six chickens, and from the latter a suitcase and contents, valued at \$30. He had taken the chickens to South River, where he endeavored to sell them from house to house.

A plea of guilty was entered by Molke Koschak, indicted on a charge of carrying a loaded revolver in East Brunswick township on January 23. Through Stephen Somogyi, the court interpreter, Koschak said: "Yes, I carried it. It was in my pocket." The court directed that a plea of guilty be entered with the right reserved to the defendant, who was not represented by counsel, to change this if an investigation to be conducted by Probation Officer MacWilliam shall show that he is not guilty. Bail was fixed at \$500.

Fire Destroys Garage at Bound Brook.

Fire believed to have been of incendiary origin was discovered in the garage of Martin Cook, of East Main street, East Bound Brook, Sunday morning at 2.15 o'clock. It completely wrecked the building and devastated the contents. The damage is roughly estimated at \$30,000. Thirty valuable automobiles went up in the smoke.

Calling, Falls into Well, Dies.

Fatal injuries were suffered Saturday by Frank Mundy, of New Brunswick, in a fall into the well of a staircase he was ascending to call on a sick friend, George Erb. The accident occurred as Mundy was climbing the third floor of a house at Codwise avenue and New street, that city. He tripped and fell over the banister, landing on the second floor. Mundy was taken to a hospital, where he died three hours later. He is survived by his wife and five children.

Matthias Plum.

Matthias Plum, founder of Matthias Plum, Inc., printers, stationers and paper merchants at Clinton and Beaver streets, Newark, and a member of one of the oldest families of Newark, died suddenly Sunday at the Pine Hurst Inn, Summerville, S. C., of heart disease. Mr. Plum, who had resided in Madison since 1882, left the home of his daughter, Mrs. George W. Downs, in that town, February 3 last to go South with a party of friends to play golf. He was seventy-seven years old.

More Land for Du Pont Plant.

The E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. has increased its realty holdings in

the purchase of seventy-two acres of land from the estate of George Hochberger, through Mrs. Florence Hochberger, late of Sayreville Township. The transfer became known when the deed was recorded Monday afternoon at the county clerk's office of New Brunswick. The transfer is to the company, a corporation of Delaware. The tract conveyed comprises 72.46 acres. No consideration is mentioned in the deed, although revenue stamps worth \$6 are annexed. Property in Sayreville Township, near the powder works now located there, is quoted as worth at least \$200 an acre. If that figure can be taken as a criterion, the land acquired Monday by the du Pont company is worth more than \$15,000.

Leaves Her Estate to Rector.

All Mrs. Caroline Sloane's property is left to Rev. Thomas A. Hyde, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Jersey City. The will, dated July 6, 1915, was admitted to probate Monday afternoon by Surrogate John P. Egan and letters testamentary were granted to Mr. Hyde, who is named sole executor. He is referred to in the will as "my friend." Mrs. Sloane, who was the widow of Samuel Sloane, died at her residence, 327 Forrest street, Jersey City, February 1.

New Brunswick Rector Quits.

Because of ill health, Rev. E. D. Joyce has resigned the rectorship of Christ Episcopal Church, New Brunswick. He has been unable to fill his pulpit for some time and has spent several months out of the city. His resignation has been accepted by the vestry of the church, but nothing has been done regarding his successor. It is said a call may be extended to Rev. Herbert Parrish, who recently served the church as a supply and has been conducting missions at various places. Mr. Joyce, on November 7, 1913, celebrated his thirtieth anniversary of service at Christ Church.

Miss Enright Weds Franz Neilson.

Miss Emma Mulford Enright, daughter of Deputy State Commissioner of Education and Mrs. John Enright, of Freehold, was married Tuesday afternoon to Franz Neilson of Perth Amboy, a lawyer with offices in the Equitable building, New York City. The ceremony was performed at the Enright home, 39 Court street, by Rev. John F. Milbank, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Freehold.

Dies During Call on Friend.

Captain William Hand of Plainfield died suddenly Monday afternoon at the residence of Edward Townley, at Westfield. Mr. Hand and Mr. Townley had called for a short visit and chat. He had been sitting in the house but a few moments when his head dropped forward. Being unable to arouse him a physician was called who pronounced him dead. Captain Hand was in his seventy-seventh year and is survived by one son.

Held For Automobile Theft.

Conscience pangs Tuesday prompted Harry S. Conover of 155 Carroll place, New Brunswick, to seek the owner of an automobile he had stolen in Newark, and while he was thinking of doing so he was arrested. This is the story he told Wednesday morning to Judge Grice in the First Precinct Court at Newark. After admitting his guilt on a grand larceny charge, Conover, who was taken to Newark from New Brunswick by Lieutenants Kuhn and Heller of police headquarters, was placed under \$2,000 bail for grand jury action.

The machine taken is a new seven-passenger car, owned by the Union Powder Company of Parlin, Middlesex County. It was stolen from in front of a lunch room at 214 Market street, Newark, about 12.30 o'clock Sunday morning, while George Balcom of Parlin, the chauffeur, was eating.

Conover said he was walking down Market street to the Pennsylvania Railroad when he observed the machine. He started the engine and drove off, making his way in it to New Brunswick, where he placed it in a stable in Livingston avenue.

Tuesday, Conover said, he grew remorseful and made up his mind to return the machine, which had not been touched since Sunday morning. He informed his wife of what he had done and as a next step ascertained that the powder company was the owner. During the day he made in-

formation when Detective Sergeant Dunn of the New Brunswick police placed him under arrest at a garage in which he was employed.

Word that an automobile had been placed in the Livingston avenue stable was received by Dunn Monday, and after communicating with Hugo Schlatter of 163 Water street, Perth Amboy, superintendent of the powder company's plant, who identified the machine, he took Conover into custody.

Prof. Nelson, Biologist, Is Dead.

Professor Julius Nelson, teacher of biology at Rutgers College since 1888, and chief biologist of the New Jersey Agricultural Experimental Station the same length of time, died Tuesday night at his home in Highland Park from pneumonia, after a week's illness. He was considered an international authority.

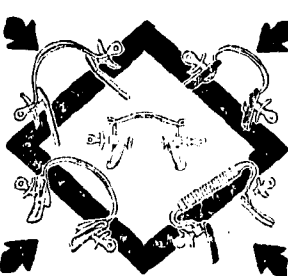
Professor Nelson was one of the oldest professors in the institution in point of service. He was a member of the Nature Study Society of America, the National Association of Shell Fish Commissioners, the New Jersey State Science Teachers' Association, the New Jersey State Microscopical Society and of Phi Beta Kappa.

Mr. Nelson was born in Copenhagen in 1858. He took his degree of bachelor of science at Wisconsin University in 1881, his master's degree three years later, and became a fellow of Johns Hopkins University in 1888. In that year, when he became biologist at Rutgers, a special act of the Legislature made him biologist of the experiment station, for the purpose of studying oyster culture. His specialties were bovine tuberculosis, dairy bacteriology and oyster culture. He is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters.

Potato-Eating Nations.
The Belgians are the greatest potato eaters in the world and the Irish come second.

Powder on a Slipper Sole.
The best method of applying face powder is to spank it on with a lamb's-wool-lined sole such as is used in worsted bedroom slippers.

Philosophy of Life.
"Where a man can live he can also live well; but he may not have to live in a palace."—Marcus Aurelius.



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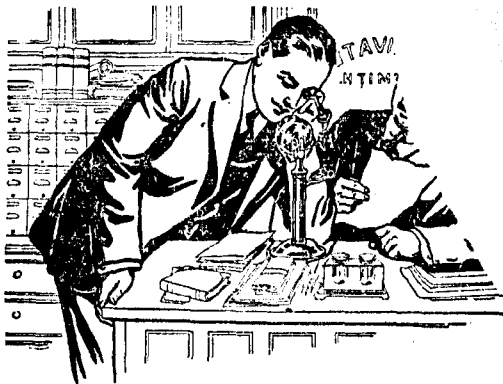
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TO FARMERS.

Agriculturist,
Railroad.)

most commendable matter of seed selection within the past increase in the number of corn, oats, wheat, and these show results are very encouraging to those doing the work. Perhaps the most encouraging example is the work that has been done during the past year in the selection of seed beans of the strains which resist fungus diseases. These plants have been developed by our farmers from perhaps a few beans from a single plant which showed ability to withstand attacks of this disease. This development has proceeded until now we have several large growers whose entire acreage of beans is seeded with a variety developed in this way. It has paid them well. During the fall just passed their entire output has been purchased by neighbors at a dollar per bushel above market quotations. And now these same growers have selected again from among these blight-proof beans those showing the best color, and the best type of plant, and are propagating them until they have not only the blight resisting qualities, but the production as well.

There is still room for effort which will increase our profits along this line. Practically every farmer at this time of the year has before him seed catalogs from all over the world; from dealers that are reliable and dealers that are unreliable. They can easily be separated by a perusal of their catalogs because the unreliable dealer promises the impossible. The reliable dealer is a very valuable asset to farming. In addition to this, our United States Government is doing very valuable work in the distribution of seeds from every part of the world that promises to be a great value to us in the United States. These are distributed, upon request, to people in whom the United States Government has sufficient confidence to believe that they will be used to advantage.

This question of seed development is one of the most interesting and most profitable features of farm work. I hope in the coming year no farmer on our line will be without a field set apart for seed development with the initial seed taken from selected plants on that farm, from plants from fields on the farmer's farm, from those developed seed catalogs or from the United States Government, and make this as a basis for a better supply of seed than the hit and miss variety, so much of which we have used indiscriminately in the past.

FUNNY MONEY IN CHINA.

Time or Making Change is a Bore
Trial to a Foreigner.

A dollar of our money in Chinese
cash weighs eighteen pounds.

In Chongfai, which is a small village
where white people seldom go, I was
going along with my guide when I saw
a peddler beside the street with
the Peking pears. I bought six
for 2 1/2 cents and in payment
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And in the next room to the one in
which Ada was now whispering to
Louise Ramsell Olivia Deering was
watching the auctioneer with a pallid
face as he held the mahogany workbox
high in the air above the curling
crowd.

"And now this here mahogany box
locked fast, to be sold sight unseen
What am I offered?"

As in a dream Olivia lived the next
few moments. She heard her own
voice bidding steadily against that of
some unknown person. For some un-
explainable reason she wanted that
workbox more than anything in the
world. Then, because Wayboro folk
preferred to know just what they were
buying and very many of them pos-
sessed ancient workboxes similar to
the one offered for sale, the other bid-
der dropped out, and Olivia found her-
self the possessor of it for the sum of
\$8.40.

Somewhat after this purchase Olivia's
interest in the sale ended, and, wrap-
ping the box in her light summer
shawl, she left the house. Her tall
graceful form hurried up the street
turned at a corner and went up a
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Olivia's Prize
PackageAnd the Secret It
Revealed

By CLARISSA MACKIE

The red auction flag fluttered from a
tree over the front gate and told to the
village of Wayboro that the household
effects of the late Zebedee Paine would
be sold to the highest bidder.

Ada Paine, a niece of the dead man
and his only known representative and
heir, was here, there and everywhere,
whispering a word of advice to one
concerning some especially choice ar-
ticle, finding a comfortable seat for
some good gossip of the neighborhood
or detailing her own future plans to an
interested group of listeners.

Miss Paine had been Zebedee's house-
keeper for fifteen years preceding his
death. It was Ada who had soothed the
old man's last hours, and some people
said that Ada Paine was now reaping
the reward for which she had so ar-
dently labored. Others said that young
Zebedee Paine would never have left
home and lost his life in the sea if it
had not been for his black eyed cousin
Ada's sharp tongue.

Olivia Deering walked slowly up the
path and bent her head to enter the
low, old fashioned doorway. She was
a tall, stately woman with abundant
brown hair lightly flecked with gray at
the temples; her skin was clear and
rosy and her hazel eyes shining and
lustrous. She wore a simple white
broad dress and a plain hat.

People turned and stared and nodded
at Olivia, and many of them wondered
how many years had passed since
Olivia had been under that roof. It
was known that once she had called
to see old Mr. Paine concerning the re-
ported death of his son, and it was rum-
ored that Olivia had not been permit-



C. B. B. B.

"THANK GOD, I HAVE RETURNED IN TIME
to see old Zebedee, and that Ada
Paine had sent her away with burning
cheeks and anguished eyes.

Since then Olivia Deering and Ada
Paine had not been on speaking terms.
Now Ada's black brows drew together
in a frown when she saw Olivia's
dignified form moving through the
crowd.

"Some folks ain't got any sense of
delicacy," sneered Ada in a stage
whisper.

"I expect likely she wants to buy
some of little Zebedee's belongings for
a keepsake," uttered Louise Ramsell,
the sharp tongued village dressmaker.

"There ain't going to be any personal
belongings put under the hammer,"
said Ada hastily, not knowing that at
that very moment the auctioneer's
zealous assistant had just dug out
from a hiding place in the garret an
old mahogany workbox which had be-
longed to Mrs. Zebedee Paine and
which Ada had hidden there herself
long years ago.

And in the next room to the one in
which Ada was now whispering to
Louise Ramsell Olivia Deering was
watching the auctioneer with a pallid
face as he held the mahogany workbox
high in the air above the curling
crowd.

"And now this here mahogany box
locked fast, to be sold sight unseen
What am I offered?"

As in a dream Olivia lived the next
few moments. She heard her own
voice bidding steadily against that of
some unknown person. For some un-
explainable reason she wanted that
workbox more than anything in the
world. Then, because Wayboro folk
preferred to know just what they were
buying and very many of them pos-
sessed ancient workboxes similar to
the one offered for sale, the other bid-
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self the possessor of it for the sum of
\$8.40.

Somewhat after this purchase Olivia's
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whisper some message to her from the
lost lover of her youth.

Now she tossed aside her hat and
sat in the window overlooking the sea.
The mahogany box was in her lap,
and her shapely fingers rested lightly
upon it.

The box was heavy. Something moved
about within it. Very likely it had
not been opened since Zebedee went
away to sea. Olivia recollected that
Zebedee had told her that his dying
mother had given him her workbox
for his very own, and he had whis-
pered that he kept Olivia's letters in
it and a curl of her hair and the first
roses she had ever given him.

Then all at once Zebedee had gone
away to sea.

Without a word to Olivia he had left
her, and Ada Paine, who was in love
with her handsome young cousin, had
whispered here and there that Zeb-
edee was tired of Olivia and was taking
that way of getting out of his engage-
ment.

Olivia was thinking of all these
things as she sat there alone, looking
at the sea, with the mahogany box in
her lap.

Presently she looked down at the
box without a key.

"I wonder," she said dreamily, "if
wonder if he took my letters when he
went away or if he left them behind?"

She went to a small table, and from
the drawer she took a bunch of keys
of assorted sizes. Finally one thin
twisted key fitted into the little lock.
The bolt moved, and in response to
Olivia's touch the cover of the box
was raised.

For a long time she sat staring
down at the contents of the mahogany
box. They were so unexpected.

Instead of a bundle of old crumpled
and yellowed love letters there was a
little heap of unopened letters. Some
were the letters she had written to
Zebedee during the winter she spent
with her aunt in Lansing and others
were his letters which she had never
received because they had never passed
through the postoffice, and it was
on her return to Wayboro that she
learned that Zebedee had gone away
and that she was fitted. At that time
Ada Paine had been assisting in the
postoffice during spare time from her
duties as her Uncle Zebedee's house-
keeper.

Olivia wondered if there was any
connection between the two circum-
stances.

There was the evidence that Zebedee
had written to her. He had been faith-
ful, and at last convinced of her fidel-
ity he had gone away to sea to lose
his life in a shipwreck.

From her seat in the window Olivia
could look down the grassy road, and
presently she saw Ada Paine's short,
dumpy form hurrying toward the cot-
tage.

Olivia gathered up the letters and
concealed them in a locked trunk in
the spare room. Then she made her
way downstairs in time to open the
door to Ada Paine's insistent rapping.

"Will you come in?" asked Olivia
stiffly.

"Yes," panted Ada Paine as she hur-
ried into the sitting room. Her black
eyes darted here and there and finally
rested on the mahogany box.

She crossed the room and held the
box close to her breast.

"How dare you come to my house
and buy this?" she demanded fiercely.

Olivia surveyed her coolly.

"It was a public auction. I had a
perfect right to attend and to buy any-
thing that was put up for sale."

"This is a mistake. It was not in-
tended to be sold. It is mine—my per-
sonal property." There was anxious
inquiry in Ada's sharp eyes as she
looked at the pale, composed face of
the woman she had wronged.

"If it is your box, Ada," said Olivia,
"why does it contain letters that be-
long to me—letters that I never re-
ceived from your Cousin Zeb, letters that
he never received from me—why?"

Ada Paine gazed in horror at Oli-
via.

She dropped the box with a bitter
cry and flung her hands over her face.

For a long time they stood thus.
They did not hear footsteps approach-
ing by the grassy road and enter the
house by an open side door.

"Ada, why did you suppress my let-
ters to Zeb? Why did you withhold
my letters to him? I never could un-
derstand his desertion. I believed him
fickle, and he was true to me, and
Ada Paine, you have much to answer
for. I loved Zebedee Paine, and he
went to his death believing me to be
false to him!" Olivia's self control wavered.
A voice came from the door-
way—a man's deep throated tones,
thrilling with emotion.

"No, Olivia, I didn't go to my death.
I am very much alive, dear. Thank
God, I have returned in time to save
my old home, and what is more pre-
cious, my sweetheart, my only love!"

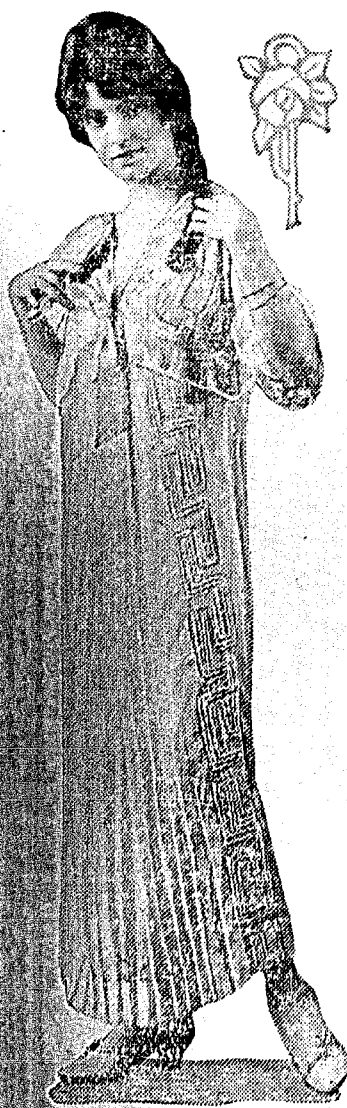
Olivia turned to find herself in the
arms of a handsome middle aged Zeb-
edee, sun browned under tropic skies,
where he had been held prisoner by a
savage tribe of south sea Islanders
for the past three years, so that his
self enforced exile had become actual
imprisonment.

While he whispered in Olivia's will-
ing ear the wretched woman who had
so foully shadowed their lives sudden-
ly dropped the mahogany box and fled
from the house.

And it was a sign that the years of
separation had not embittered their
hearts that Olivia and Zebedee made
haste to find Ada and to assure her of
their forgiveness.

And Wayboro people, agog over these
sudden happenings, whispered that
when Olivia Deering bought the mah-
ogany workbox she certainly had
found a prize package, but this they
could only guess because of the re-
sultant happiness for all concerned.
For no word of these things ever passed
the lips of Olivia or her husband or
their much chastened cousin.

MODISH LINGERIE.

Quite the Newest Design
For a Spring Nightgown.

A Dainty Model.

White crepe de chine is used for this
gown, which is so simple in outline
and trimming. The yoke and panels
front are tucked in a Greek pattern,
the neck and sleeves being finished
with valance. This model can be du-
plicated in batiste if preferred.

GRIP DO'S AND DON'TS.

One Health Commissioner Gives These
Rules to Grip Victims.

DO.

Keep away from crowded places of
assembly when grip is prevalent.

Have plenty of fresh air at home
and where you work.

Wear clothes according to the out-
side temperature, but avoid too heavy
clothes indoors to prevent unhealthy
skin coddling which will make you
more liable to attack by the grip germ.

All communications or items of news received by us must be accompanied by the signature of the writer to insure publication.

Entered in the Post Office at South Amboy as second class mail matter.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1910.

The Commissioner of Banking and Insurance has reported among the unclaimed deposits in the New Brunswick Savings Institution \$73.20 to the credit of the "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the Borough of South Amboy." Think of all this money lying in this bank so long and all track of it lost. The city fathers should get busy and endeavor to obtain this cash, as it will come handy to pay off interest on notes.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

February 17, 1910.
Editor of "The South Amboy Citizen."

Sir:—May a feeble voice from George street have just a little space in your valuable paper to utter a few words of protest against an atrocious which daily I am compelled to endure?

Having personally owned and paid taxes for this special piece of property, viz. seventy-five feet by one hundred, for forty-eight years and my father for as many years before, I think I am entitled to just a little consideration from these City Fathers, some of whom to my personal knowledge have never paid but one dollar poll tax, or their parents before them. Verily "talk is cheap."

The Perth Amboy Evening News of Wednesday states that Superintendent L. W. Berry of the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. offers an explanation concerning the steepness of the bridge crossing George street, particularly on the easterly side and asking permission from the Council to lengthen the approach. When that is done both council and railroad must remember that they are then encroaching upon private property and are responsible for a greater nuisance than already exists, as the roadway of the street is now three feet higher than my yard, said yard being absolutely ruined by the flow of water through it in a rain storm or a big thaw—the council having so far forgotten George street that there is not even a plowed gutter. Why? Well! "They can't very well on account of the bridge."

I have laid one curb, but that is buried long ago, four feet deep. Another I cannot place. Why? Because of the bridge. Should a curb be placed, the bridge being too narrow to cover the width of the street my curb would be in the middle of their sidewalk, said walk being the middle of the road. Good enough for George street, for who ever sees it? No one, but the tax assessor, who considers it fine enough for a higher valuation notwithstanding its obnoxious sights and sounds, and I certainly decline to pay damages for injuries received through my curbing.

On the other hand should I fill in my property to the level of the bridge or roadway? Thank you, I absolutely decline to pay damages to my neighbors for having taken the liberty of injuring their property even unto John street which street I think is known to the council.

Just why a body of men should be so forgetful of the interests and yes, positively insulting at their sessions to the property owners, whose confidence in their ability placed them in office, is incomprehensible to one taxpayer at least.

MRS. WM. D. DAYTON,
66 George Street, South Amboy, N. J.

JOSEPH WOJCISZOWSKI.

The funeral of Joseph Wojciszowski took place from the Sacred Heart Church at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, February 11, and was attended by a large number of people. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated with Rev. Father Urban, of Perth Amboy, celebrant, Rev. A. B. Strenski, deacon, and Father Wujek, of Perth Amboy, sub-deacon. Interment was made in the parish cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Maliszewski. The pall bearers were Laurence Iskra, Albert Kriskowski, John Kutz, Martin Wisniewski, John and Michael Kriskowski.

Mr. Wojciszowski departed this life on February 9, after a lingering illness. He was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad, and was considered a faithful servant of the company. He is survived by a widow and nine children. The family greatly appreciate the courtesy of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in sending their team and stage for conveyance to church and cemetery.

Many a bluffer has a wife that he is unable to bluff.

IT WILL BE ASKED FOR.

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\$624.68; taxes, 1914, \$80.50; interest, \$7.72; taxes, 1915, \$1,001.90; bank tax, \$605.00; sewers, \$48.00; Stevens avenue improvement, \$31.21; interest, \$8.57; Augusta street, \$8.84; interest, \$1.70; Rent, \$5.00; total, \$2,403.18. This report was also received and filed.

The Treasurer's bi-weekly report showed the following: General account balance, \$2,636.96; Water Department balance, \$4,283.58; Sewer account balance, \$2,508.92; Broadway Improvement account over-drawn, \$989.90. This report was also received and filed.

Mr. Julius Theobolt, superintendent of the Middlesex Electric Light Heat and Power Co., was given the floor and spoke with reference to the discontinuance of the service at the pumping station. Additional information as to whether the discontinuance was permanent or temporary was what the speaker seemed to want and this was given. He also offered the council any assistance they might find themselves in need of in getting the motors to run properly.

Sollicitor Conn stated that he had an order from the State Board of Health certifying that Mr. R. P. Mason had submitted a statement of vital nature during the last few months and that for so doing he was entitled to the sum of \$13.20. The Solicitor then went on to state that this bill had been referred to him by the Board of Health to whom it had been presented and that in examining the law he found that such bills should be paid by the regular disbursing officer of the city, this being the case the council should pay the bill. Upon motion of Councilman Parison being carried the clerk was authorized to draw warrant for the amount.

A resolution introduced by Councilman Stanton provided that the sum of \$55.00 be appropriated and turned over each month to the Board of Trustees of the Public Library. This resolution was adopted upon motion of Mr. Stratton.

An ordinance affecting the water department was introduced on first reading and laid over under the rules. The new ordinance seems to be pretty much the same as the old one except that it carries several mandatory regulations to govern the water commissioner. One of these is a provision to the effect that the commissioner render a monthly report to the council showing the number of jobs, the cost of material used, cost of labor, etc. It is said upon fairly reliable authority that the preparation of this ordinance is a useless procedure because it will never become effective.

Councilman Rue moved that the clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for the collection of garbage. Councilman Hackett asked for additional information as to what the intention was. This evoked some discussion, the result being that the members expressed themselves as believing that the city could get as good service and get it cheaper by putting it out to contract than to do it themselves. The motion was adopted upon a roll call vote showing all but Councilman Stratton voting in favor of the motion.

Councilman Parison moved that the matter of maps of the streets improved recently be referred to the street committee for action by the committee on assessments. The motion prevailed and adjournment was then taken.

WILL APPEAL EVERITT CASE.

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the opinion that no person could teach discipline who will not themselves bear discipline. Also that Miss Everitt had shown a total disregard for every rule that had been established by the board for the guidance of the teachers and that he believed that the matter should not be allowed to rest without an appeal.

Mr. Fulton stated that in the matter of the original charges about her being late and the action taken was just and right but that he did not believe in the supplementary charges which were afterward introduced. He also claimed that these charges were not made at the direction or request of the Board as maintained by Professor Barr and that it seemed to him that it would be inconsistent for them to do this. A discussion then ensued on this point during which it was clearly shown that the charges made by the superintendent were made at the request of at least a majority of the members of the board and that members had brought up grievances that they were familiar with. The Board's counsel also explained that the supplementary charges were not additional charges but simply an amplification of the first charges.

Some further discussion was indulged in with reference to the letters written by the teacher in question to board members in the past,

Judge Lyon summed up the matter when he said that the trouble with Miss Everitt was in the character of the woman in that she had an utter contempt for the authority of the board. He expressed the thought that the boards of the past had hesitated to put her out of her position until recently when the accumulation of transgressions seemed to more than merit her dismissal.

The vote taken by roll call showed Mr. Fulton the only member who voted against the appeal being taken to the State Board.

Mr. Coan then offered a motion to the effect that Judge Lyon be retained as counsel and that he be directed to prepare the necessary papers and make the appeal to the state board. This motion was also carried.

Mr. Fulton asked if Miss Everitt was on duty. To this the superintendent replied that she had reported on Monday morning and had started to resume her duties. This was done at the advice of her counsel and upon advice of counsel the superintendent told her that inasmuch as she had not been re-instated by the local authorities it would be advisable for her to leave the building. This she did.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

MR. EDITOR.

It again becomes necessary to correct the public statements of the Councilman-at-Large. I therefore request space in your valuable paper in order that the correction receive the same publicity as the misstatement.

In the statement I made two weeks ago regarding the financial condition of the Board of Health I tried to show just what the true situation was and to explain the request for an appropriation. Mr. Stratton did not like that statement and criticized it but made absolutely no effort to disprove it. The figures given in that statement were taken from the books of the preceding boards and the present board stands on them without any attempt to retract the amounts published.

For the information of Mr. Stratton and those that have never taken the trouble to investigate the matter a few words regarding the law governing the situation will not be amiss. According to the acts governing cities of this size the Board of Health must present to the Council an estimate of the amount of money they need for the ensuing year; which amount shall not exceed five cents per capita and when the request is made it is the duty of the Council to grant the appropriation as they have no choice in the matter, so that it would be lawful for the Board in this city to ask for and receive an appropriation of \$375.00 instead of \$350.00, the amount requested.

The statement published showed that the Board had on hand a balance of \$112.52 as a working fund for the year; since their organization it was necessary to purchase fumigating supplies amounting to \$97.44 leaving a balance of \$15.08. The total receipts to date amount to \$12.00, leaving a balance of \$27.08. Mr. Stratton stated that we did not ask for the money because we needed it, but I think the above figures justify the request. Mr. Stratton stated "If he sought to explain the reasons actuating the request of the Board of Health for appropriations, why did he not come out in a straight-

forward manner and publish the increase in salary granted the Secretary and Treasurer?" His question is as accurate as the rest of his article. For his information and for the information of the public I wish to inform him that the salary of the Treasurer was increased \$25.00 per year making his salary \$50.00 per year; but his statement regarding the increase of the Secretary's salary was absolutely untrue as the records of the Board, and the newspaper accounts of the meeting show. If Mr. Stratton would only stick to the truth he would be far better off.

He asks "That the people keep the figures published in mind and compare them with the figures of expense at the end of the year." He can rest assured that he and the public will have a chance to compare them as the Board will file their statement with the Council at the end of the year, something that the preceding Boards neglected to do.

Mr. Stratton also stated, "His efforts along lines have always been first and last in the interests of the citizens of South Amboy." In order to refresh his memory and the memory of the people he claims he protects, I wonder if he thought of them when he voted to pay the Morrill Chapman Wrecking Co. \$750 for sewer work or when he voted to pay \$105.00 for a grade map of Main street before it was accepted by the Council, or when he voted against the resolution to turn over to the County certain streets in this city when he knew they would be taken care of by the County thus saving the city thousands of dollars, or when he tried to saddle the city with the boulevard known as "The Bump the Dumps," or when he was so anxious to spend \$150,000 of the city money in a water plant that was not practicable. The foregoing are but a few instances of his protection and a small part of the record of which he is so proud and which he offers to the citizens of this city, he may feel proud of it but he is the only one that does (no doubt the P. R. R. Co. is proud of it, and they remember his stand in the Hole in the Wall discussion). (I feel sure the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. Co. are pleased with the stand he has taken regarding the George street bridge). That is part of the record Mr. Stratton desires the citizens to remember and I think they will.

His remark that "Poverty and honesty are closely linked" is no doubt true in most cases and I know of no millionaires on the Board of Health.

He reminds us that he has served the city for several years without any remuneration. I admit that he received no salary as alderman and do not even question his honesty, but I believe that South Amboy would have progressed further if he had never been in the Council. I believe in giving a man credit for his actions and I think Mr. Stratton is the best Councilman the P. R. R. has had since South Amboy has been in existence, and I defy him to prove one instance where he voted for the taxpayers when it was an issue between them and the P. R. R.

It seems to me that the people of this city are satisfied to let him stand on his record and I know they are so proud of it that they will erect a statue of him in City Hall Park when he retires from public life on the first of January next.

In his illusions to "The self appointed champion of the Board of

Health" he said "Such people are never heard from unless they are paid to talk," that also applies to the party that composed Mr. Stratton's article, and it should teach the august Councilman that "Silence is golden." If Mr. Stratton would do less talking and a little more work we would all be better off. Let him always remember that "Empty wagons make the most noise."

Thanking you for the space given this article I am,

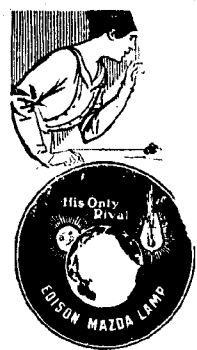
Yours very truly,

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Sophie Kozleowski, of Bergen Hill, made complaint recently that Victoria Decenole, of Melrose, was practicing midwifery without a State license. Accordingly a State officer visited this city and brought the defendant before Judge Mason, where the officer required Victoria Decenole to make an affidavit that she would not practice midwifery without first obtaining a license.

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tain work already does not permit of Bishop Lines sets forth that fund will be applied, follows:

... easing the number of meag- es which several clergymen siving, thus freeing them for and larger work. In aiding of the missions, overburdened special demands, as for street essments, unusual repairs, etc., nd in the development of church work in rural communities through the employment of a trained woman and the purchase of inexpensive automobiles for some of the mission- aries who have large distances to cover."

Appended to Bishop Lines's letter, which has been distributed through- out the several parishes, is a state- ment bearing the signature of a num- ber of interested laymen who therein express their hearty approval of the project and supplement the plea of the bishop for the special fund.

Boy of Six Badly Burned.

William Jr., the six-year-old son of William Murphy of Ridgedale avenue, Woodbridge, is in a serious condition from burns received Sunday, when he upset the lamp in an incubator. His right leg was burned from hip to foot, and both arms are severely burned from shoulder to the ends of his fingers.

Schooner Damaged by Fire.

The cabin of the two-masted schooner Julia A. Borkolo was destroyed by fire and the hull badly damaged Sunday night. The schooner was in winter quarters at a pier of the Roessler & Hasselacher Chemical Company, at the foot of Fayette street, Perth Amboy. Thousands of dollars worth of chemicals and large piles of soft coal are stored in the yard and warehouses of the chemical company and the firemen fought more than two hours to save the property.

The schooner was bought several years ago by Thomas Anderson of Perth Amboy and is now owned by his estate. Built in 1866, it has a carrying capacity of 160 tons and has been engaged in the coal trade.

P. R. R. Increases Wages for Main-tenance Group.

Announcement has been made by Superintendent Victor Wierman of the Trenton division that an increase of fifteen cents a day has been granted voluntarily by the Pennsylvania Railroad to the members of the main-tenance of way department that em- braces the section crews. This means that the men affected will receive nineteen cents an hour.

About January 1 the members of the construction crews were granted an increase of four cents an hour, making their pay twenty cents per hour. Dissatisfaction followed and several strikes occurred that greatly hampered the moving of trains owing to the failure to secure enough help to remove the snow.

Most of the men who struck secured employment at the plants of the Westinghouse Manufacturing Company at Runyon and Helmetta. This com- pany has voluntarily increased em- ployees from one and one-half cents to three cents per hour.

Announcement was made Saturday by the Westinghouse Company that the laborers would receive an in- crease of three cents an hour, effec- tive at once, and it also has inaugu- rated a rest period during the morn- ing and another in the afternoon for the men. Other features that will make the work of the men more con- genial are to be put into effect as soon as they can be worked out. This plant is a munition plant and the principal product is the loaded shells for the Allies.

With the large increase of help at these plants along the line of the Amboy division the Pennsylvania agitation has the running of a train Hightst to

mann, and the residue of his estate is divided into seven parts, two of which are given to his daughter, Estelle V. Pickard; two to his daughter Louise, and the remaining three to his daughter Bertha.

The Middlesex Title Guarantee & Trust Company, of which deceased was a director, is named as executor.

Camden Track Elevation Finished.

The last train to run through Camden on surface tracks pulled in- to the Pennsylvania Railroad terminal Tuesday afternoon. Hereafter all trains there will run on elevated tracks. The completion of the last bit of elevation Tuesday marked the end of a dozen dangerous grade crossings. The last stretch elevated was the northbound tracks of the West Jersey and Seashore division. The work of elevating all tracks in Camden was begun in 1902, and the cost in all approximates \$3,000,000.

Auto Runs Into One-Horse Truck.

Benjamin Gorman and a friend were riding in a Ford car through the main street of Sayreville about 8 o'clock Tuesday night, when the auto collided with a one-horse truck. The auto was badly smashed and the horse knocked down.

The police officers succeeded in freeing the occupants of the car from the tangled up mess. Gorman was taken to his home, where he was at- tended by Dr. Beekman, who found his hands badly cut and also his head. The physician took ten stitches in the wounds. The man with Gorman disappeared.

It was at first thought the horse had been fatally hurt by being jabbed by one of the shafts. Dr. Beloff of New Brunswick, was sent for and looked after the injuries of the horse.

Veteran Pilot Expires.

Captain George R. Spencer, for more than thirty years a pilot on the Pennsylvania ferries between Jersey City and Manhattan, died at his home in Bayonne on Tuesday. He was sixty-two years old. His wife, one daughter and three sons survive.

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... who was recently engaged in mis-
... sionary work in Turkey, told of his
... experiences in the recent Armenian
... massacres and his subsequent escape
... from Turkey.

... Strikers Get More Than They Ask.

A settlement was reached Saturday in the controversy between forty striking laborers employed by the Franklin H. Kalbfleisch Company, of Elizabeth, a chemical concern, and the officials of the company. The sought a twenty-five cent per diem increase and received a twenty-eight cent advance. Rumors of strikes in other factories are prevalent, but as yet no trouble has developed.

... Dozen Horses Die in Fire.

Trapped in the blazing stable of the Crewe-Levick Oil Company at New York avenue and the West Shore Railroad, Jersey City, early Sunday morning, twelve horses were burned to death. The police and firemen had time to rescue only two horses. The flames destroyed the stable. According to the police, a watchman, who discovered the fire, ran to the signal box in the street, but did not know how to turn in an alarm. Finally, the police say, a man walking along the railroad tracks saw the flames, rushed to the box and summoned the engines. The firemen kept the blaze from spreading to the other buildings of the oil plant.

... Bank to Enlarge Quarters.

The First National Bank of Perth Amboy has leased the Spitzer building, in which it has done its banking business for three years, and soon as present leases expire will occupy the entire building. The bank plans to open a savings department as soon as possession can be secured in two store rooms adjoining the present banking quarters.

... Preaches Farewell Sermon.

Rev. Frederick L. Greene, for five years pastor of the Hope Presbyterian chapel, Plainfield, preached his fare- sermon to his congregation Sun- day and will leave for his old home in Buffalo, April 1. Mr. Greene takes a long rest and has not yet decided whether or not he will re- active church work. Mr. Greene's resignation to the session of Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, the parent body of the chapel, time ago, and it was accepted expressions of regret.

... Lines Appeals for Special Fund.

Members of the Episcopal Church diocese of Newark have appealed to Bishop Lines to raise a fund of \$10,000 for the en- tire development of dio- cese. It is hoped to present the fund sub- and, a

MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD

**Practical Business Receiving and
Filing of Many Communications
and Reports—Complaint Against
Teacher Was Dismissed as Being
Greatly Exaggerated—Report of
Superintendent on Convention**

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education was held on Wednesday evening in School No. 2. There were present Mrs. A. R. Miller and Messrs. Coan, Fulton and Mason.

A communication from the State Board of Education regarding the use of smoke doors in all school buildings being compulsory and that the use of hooks, stops, etc., to keep them open was prohibited by the code, was read and placed on file.

Another communication from the same source regarding the ventilation systems of school buildings to fall into disuse was read and also placed on file.

A number of advertising letters were also placed on file on motion to that effect.

A communication from the former secretary in reply to a letter asking what had become of the contract for the erection of the fire escapes on School No. 1 was read and ordered filed. The letter stated that if the contract was not in the files he had never been given the contract to file and that the committee in charge of the work had held the contract at the time and probably still had it.

Literature from the County Superintendent of Schools regarding the minimum health regulations for rural schools, and a tabulated statement of the cost per head for instruction of pupils throughout the county was also ordered filed.

The following bills were read and

New York Telephone Co.	\$5 20
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New York Telephone Co.	5 15
S. A. Printing Co.	10 75
A. J. Miller	5 02
B. C. Stephenson	5 00
American Book Co.	2 41
J. L. Hammett Co.	7 65
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	3 42
The Frang Co.	48
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Water Bills	155 07
Water Bills	44 94
Water Bills	38 22
Winn & Co.	2 51
Winn & Co.	9 02
Hammacher Schlemmer Co.	42
Public Service Gas Co.	09
Public Service Gas Co.	27
Geo. M. Mortensen	81 82
James J. O'Connor	4 75

The report of the finance committee showed a balance of \$12,709.10 on hand with practically all money due received. The report was received and filed.

Commissioner of Education C. N. Kendall in a letter asked the co-operation of the local board in taking up with the legislature the need for an increase in the appropriation, and that was to meet its obligation for annual training.

Barr stated that he had written a letter to the Senators and that

St. Patrick's Celebration Most Enjoyable Event

The celebration of St. Patrick's Day, March 17, 1916, in St. Mary's Parish will long be remembered by those who took part.

In the evening St. Mary's Hall was filled to the doors with people who assembled to enjoy a comedy in three acts, "The Old New Hampshire Home," as presented by The Robert Emmett Dramatic Association. The hall was nicely decorated, and the stage settings and costumes were in keeping with the play, adding much to the effective work of the amateur histrions.

The play was admirably presented, calling forth much applause from the audience as expression of delight. All did well in their respective parts, and seemed fitted for the characters. It was eleven o'clock when the curtain was rung down and everybody was greatly pleased with their evening's entertainment.

After the play there was dancing for which a large and representative party remained. The music, under the direction of Prof. A. T. Kerr, was excellent, and proved pleasing to the lovers of the Terpsichorean art. The costumes worn by the ladies were of Fashion's latest creations. Dancing was continued until a late hour, when all dispersed to their homes, with expression of having had a most delightful time.

Supper was served by the ladies of the parish, and hundreds availed themselves of this feature, and soon the supply was exhausted.

The cast of characters was as follows:

Cast of Characters.
Aunt Tilly, a maiden aunt.....
.....Helen Dooling
Zeb Watkins, a country boy "up to snuff" and "not a bit green".....
.....William Brophy
Moses Gazinski, a Hebrew glazier.....
.....James McDonnell, Jr.
Edward Van Dusen, a polished villain, secretly married to Mabel.....
.....Robert Cantion
Mabel Winthrop, Farmer Winthrop's daughter.....
.....Julia Delaney
Muffins, a young lady with a mind of her own.....
.....Helen Parker
Farmer Winthrop, a rugged New Hampshire farmer.....
.....Neal J. Floystrop
Mrs. Winthrop, the farmer's wife.....
.....Hannah McNeal
Mickey Mullins, a traveling tinker.....
.....John Triggs
Oliver Stanhope, a young blacksmith in love with Mabel.....
.....William J. O'Toole
Rawlings, in league with Van Dusen.....
.....James Holton
The musical program was finely rendered and was as follows:

Musical Program.
Chorus—"The Dear Little Shamrock."
Solo—"The Rose of Kenmare".....
.....John Keene
Solo—"Where Irish Eyes are Smiling".....
.....James Cantion
"Molly Dear It's You I'm After".....
.....Misses M. Dooling and B. Hensberger.
Solo—"The Old Fashioned Mother".....
.....Miss N. Cantion
Solo—"Macushla".....
.....Peter Cunningham
Solo—"The Ould Plaid Shawl".....
.....Miss Helen Welsh
Chorus—"The Kerry Dances"

The following comprised the committee which had charge of the day's celebration:

Mrs. James McDonnell, Mrs. Hanaway, Mrs. Casey, Mrs. McNeal, Mrs. Coakley, Mrs. James Dwyer, Mrs. John Ryan, Mrs. Cosgrove, Mrs. Ratigan, Mrs. Wallis, Mrs. Patrick Smith, Mrs. James Rea, Mrs. B. Kane, Mrs. P. Malloy, Mrs. J. Duggan, Mrs. John Scully, Mrs. Lenahan, Mrs. Noble, Mrs. Borlund, Mrs. Thomas Grimely, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. James Cleary, Mrs. William Cheeseman, Mrs. Gleason, Mrs. Trinley, Mrs. T. Duggan, Mrs. Thomas Kennedy and Mrs. Conlogue; Messrs. John Hanaway, Thomas Lovely, Thomas Cantion, Thomas Burden, Walter Casey, Gerald Hackett, Edward Traverskiss, E. S. Weston, John Cosgrove, Christopher McDonnell, Thomas Lyons, Thomas Duggan, Jr., George Wyman, John John Grimley, James McDonnell, Thomas Gelsinon, John James Cleary, John Connors.

STEUERWALD QUEST OF HONOR

Game Warden of this city, and New York, are at the banquet to be given at the High Schools of this city and vicinity. The Children's Sunbeam Chorus will be held on Saturday evening. The following Tuesday, March 28th, as "Presbyterian Night," complete the special denominational nights. At these special nights, the local churches will make special reservations for themselves and the out-

SERVICES AT TABERNACLE

**Rev. Ira E. Hicks and Party Holding
Evangelistic Meetings in Big Building
at Broadway and Main Street
—Will Continue Until Easter Sunday—Stirring Addresses and
Impressive Singing.**

The big tabernacle meetings, under the leadership of Rev. Ira Evans Hicks, Evangelist, and his party, are already drawing large crowds to the big wooden shed built for that purpose at the corner of Main street and Broadway.

The Hicks' campaign is being backed by all the evangelical churches of the city and considerable interest is being manifested both in this city and outside. Services were started on Sunday, March 19, and will continue five weeks, closing on Easter Sunday, April 23. Beside Evangelist Hicks and his wife, who assist him, the party is made up of Rev. Harland Gould, assistant and manager; Mr. Wesley Hicks, chorister; Mr. I. A. Knight, pianist, and Mr. James B. Heird, tabernacle man.

The tabernacle, a rough wooden structure, covered with building paper, is on Main street, facing on Broadway, at the junction of the two trolley lines. It is at present 112 feet by 50 feet in size, with a seating capacity of slightly less than 1,000, but can be increased by building it out to the sidewalk to about 1,400 capacity. This alteration will be made if the crowds outgrow the present structure. The building is lighted with electricity, and heated by large coal stoves. A choir of 125 voices directed by Chorister Wesley Hicks adds wonderfully to the musical part of the services. A junior choir, or "Sunbeam Chorus" as it is called, will also be used at some of the services. The hymn-book used, entitled "Praise Him," is mostly the work of the members of the party; the words and music of most of the songs being written by the Rev. Mr. Hicks and his brother. The pianist, Mr. Knight, composed a great number of the selections played by him.

Evangelist Hicks, a man of striking personality, is a preacher of marvelous power and eloquence, holding his vast audiences completely in his sway from start to finish. Numbers of his hearers, who have also heard "Billy" Sunday, claim that Evangelist Hicks is the greater preacher of the two. They claim that this man, although very well known in the West and the South, now that he has opened his work in the East, will soon attain the renown and fame of Mr. Sunday. Possessed with rare ability as a preacher, with a mastery of eloquence that stoops at no time to mere sensationalism to attract, Mr. Hicks is able to impress his message on his hearers in no uncertain way. With a winsome and pleasing manner, filled with sincerity and earnestness, he is able to create an atmosphere that transforms the crude surroundings into a place of deep religious feeling and inspiration.

Services are being held every afternoon and evening, except Monday, and on Sundays three services are held. The Sunday afternoon service is for men only. This Sunday Mr. Hicks will talk to the men on the subject "Green Apples." The other two Sunday services start promptly at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. and are open to all.

Invitations are being extended to the various fraternal orders to send delegations, and "special nights" are being planned for. Next Tuesday, March 28th, will be "Methodist Night," Wednesday will be "Baptist Night," and Thursday will be "Protestant Night." Friday, March 31st, will be set apart as "School Night" at which time Hicks will address the scholars of the High Schools of this city and vicinity. The Children's Sunbeam Chorus will be held on Saturday evening. The following Tuesday, April 4th, as "Presbyterian Night," complete the special denominational nights. At these special nights, the local churches will make special reservations for themselves and the out-

ned for are, "Grammar: Merchants and Clerks' Works Night," a Men's Night." Nearby cars are arranging to send delegations to the river being the first.

The location of the building is especially convenient, as both Amboy trolleys, and the New York and Keyport lines pass the door.

W. H. Brumagim Dies Suddenly

On Tuesday about 6 o'clock p. m., William Harvey Brumagim passed away at his home on Second street at the age of 65 years.

Mr. Brumagim had been afflicted with heart trouble for some time, still death came suddenly and unexpectedly. He was one of our best citizens, honest, frugal and upright in all his dealings. For about thirty years he had been employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad, and up to the time he was compelled to remain at home, was foreman of the freight pier workmen. He was a member of Joel Parker Council No. 69, Jr. O. U. A. M., Seneca Tribe No. 23, Imp'd. O. R. M., and Good Samaritan Lodge No. 52, K. of P. For many years he has been treasurer of Joel Parker Council, and this order has lost a most useful member. He was also a member of the Pennsylvania Railroad Relief Association, and a communicant of Christ Episcopal Church. A widow and one son, Harvey, Jr., survive him.

The funeral was held from his late home at 2.30 o'clock Friday afternoon and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends. The Rev. C. S. Lewis, rector of Christ Church, officiated at the service, after which Joel Parker Council rendered their impressive burial ritual. Interment was made in Christ Church cemetery. Stillwell & Mason were funeral directors.

SPECIAL SERMON FOR WOMEN AT CHRIST CHURCH

On next Sunday morning the Rev. C. S. Lewis, Rector of Christ Church, will preach a special sermon to the women of the parish on "An Old-Fashioned Mother." Of course, the men of the parish are welcome, too. On the Sunday following the men will get a message on "Some Modern Delusions."

The Rev. C. S. Wood, of Roselle, is the special preacher for next Sunday night.

BAZAAR AND SUPPER.

Mrs. Locke, the matron of Christ Church Home, is arranging for a grand bazaar and supper to be held on May 24 and 25 for the benefit of the home. Many things are needed in and about the home, and it is hoped that sufficient funds will be realized to purchase them. The fair will be held on the school lawn, and attractive booths will be erected where many novelties will be on sale. The supper will be of the best, such as will be sure to please all participants. A number of High School girls have promised to assist in the work and will put forth every endeavor to make the bazaar a grand success. Among these girls are the Misses Sylvia Brinamen, Blanche Brinamen, Frances Gordon, Frances Perrine, Helen Parker, Elsie Applegate, Mildred Applegate, Marion Thom, Helen Read, Freda Martin, Blanche Havens, Margaret Brown, Florence Neiltopp, Vera French, Geneva MacIver, Marion Greene and Mabel Locke.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR FEBRUARY

Registrar of Vital Statistics William J. Nagle has issued his report for February. A comparison between February 1916 and February of last year is as follows:

Marriages	4
Deaths	15
Births	6

Just before regular month of Health Thursday of bottling milk intensive discussion. One concern doing bottling here for the unsanitary condition which the bottling was a opinion was also expressed milk bottled elsewhere and would bear looking into from a sanitary standpoint. The matter finally left in the hands of the inspector for action if necessary.

There were present at the meeting Messrs. James Briggs, Nicholas Howley, Irving Reese, Inspector Gelsinon, Treasurer Cozzens, Secretary Coakley, Plumbing Inspector Vail and Registrar of Vital Statistics Nagle. Communication advising meeting of Health Officers Association in Newark, March 29, ordered filed.

The Elizabeth Hardware Company, of Perth Amboy, quoting prices of \$35.00; \$47.50; and \$125.00 for smoke testing machines was also received and filed.

The Plumbing Inspector wrote recommending that permits be granted to P. J. Sullivan, also stating that charges preferred against him were withdrawn. Upon motion the communication was received and approved.

Another communication from the Board of Health, of Perth Amboy, requested co-operation of the local board with other boards of the county with a view to securing action by the Freeholders in the erection of a sanitarium for tuberculosis patients, a site for which has been procured. Upon motion the president and secretary were authorized to handle the matter.

The following bills were ordered paid: Thos. Vail, \$18.00; James Rea, \$16.30 Doige Disinfecting Co., \$2.25. The secretary was instructed to advise the latter company that their last shipment of goods was not up to standard.

The inspector's report stated nuisances abated and spoke of the necessity of scavenger work being done but no one available to do it. This subject was discussed at some length, and the secretary instructed to see what could be done in the matter.

The report also stated that the schools would be fumigated March 25th. The report was received and filed.

The plumbing inspector reported finding work being done satisfactorily and that the plumbers now showed a disposition to willingly conform with the regulations. The report, together with that of the registrar of vital statistics, was received and filed.

Upon motion of Mr. Gelsinon the registrar was authorized to purchase a seal to be imprinted on the documents issued from his office. former seal became lost several ago.

Secretary Coakley reported the Flemington Dairy Company, complained of at the last meeting, complied with the regulations that they explained the violation of the ordinances because of unfamiliarity with them. The differences been adjusted promptly and satisfactorily.

Upon motion of Mr. Gelsinon secretary, Mr. Howley and the president were authorized to prepare secure permits and other requested by the secretary.

In answer to question of Gelsinon the secretary total of \$39 from barn

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regular meeting of the Vestry the second quarter will be held at the Rectory on next Tuesday night, immediately after the service in the church. Much important business will be transacted.

The preacher for next Tuesday night is the Rev. Merton S. Barnes, rector of St. James' Church, Long Branch. The Rector of Christ Church will preach for the Rev. Mr. Barnes at the same hour.

The clergyman was preparing his discourse for Sunday, stopping occasionally to review what he had written, and to erase that which he was disposed to disapprove, when he was accosted by "the terrible infant" of the household, who numbered about eight summers:—"Daddy, does God tell you what to preach?"—"Certainly, my child."—"Then what makes you scratch it out, Daddy?"

Let every man in the parish bring two men to the men's service on next Sunday morning, at which time the Rector will preach on "Some Modern Delinquents." Of course, the women are not barred from attendance. Let us see the church filled with men. Men of the parish, it is "up to you." Scrape off the moss or vegetable excrescence from the dorsal portion of your respective anatomies, and "get busy."

On next Sunday evening the Rector will give the second of his stereoscopic lectures on "The Journeys of Christ." The parish house was nearly filled at the last lecture, and the pictures were the most beautiful yet seen in connection with our splendid microscope.

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a time, but money by it—at the price of gas!

On next Monday night at the Girls' Friendly Society, with the aid of the new Victrola, there will be "An Evening With Scotch Songs." The following numbers will be given: Scotch Medley March (bagpipes), The Battle of Killiecrankie (bagpipes), Robin Adair, How Gently, Sweet Afton, Jock O'Haseldean, Scots Who Hae Wi' Wallace Bled, Comin' Thro the Rye, Auld Lang Syne, Annie Laurie, Loch Somond, Leezie Lindsay, The Land O' the Leal, The Hills O'Skye, Douglass, Tender and True, Blue Bells of Scotland and Mary of Argyle.

Don't forget that next Sunday is the first in the month, and that, therefore, there will be two celebrations of the Holy Communion.

HIGH SCHOOL MENTIONINGS

Amboy Loses Debate to Red Bank.

On Friday evening of last week our debating team, accompanied by about 35 students, teachers, and friends, went to Red Bank on the 6.42 train, arriving at the High School about 8 o'clock.

The orchestra entertained, and the school sang its song. At 8.15 Prof. Radcliffe introduced the subject, "Freedom for the Philippines on or before 1925." The teams: Affirmative—Misses Newton, Gordon, (captain) and Mr. Kerr, Mr. Slover alternate. Negative—Messrs. Hendrickson, Tilton, Newman and M. alternate.

Mr. Radcliffe then introduced the judges: Mr. Charles Morris of Toms River, Mr. George Moore of New Brunswick, Mr. George Taylor of Asbury Park.

All of the speakers on both sides are to be congratulated on their excellent preparation and presentation.

Our team advocated that the Philippines should be free; Red Bank said that they agreed with us but argued from the fact that they (the islands) would not be ready for freedom by 1925. It was on this point that they won.

During the intermissions the orchestra played several selections and the school sang and cheered.

While the judges were out endeavoring to come to a decision, Mr. Minton, of Rutgers College, presented Red Bank and South Amboy with banners for having already defeated two opponents.

Upon the return of the Judges Mr. Taylor announced after a quite lengthy argument the judges had decided in favor of Red Bank. Our school is now eliminated from further participation in the contest this year.

Last Friday morning the second demonstration of the science club was given by Arthur Ingraham, '17, the subject being, "The Velocity of Sound Waves." Mr. Ingraham clearly explained how the velocity of sound would be determined and to demonstrate used an apparatus constructed himself.

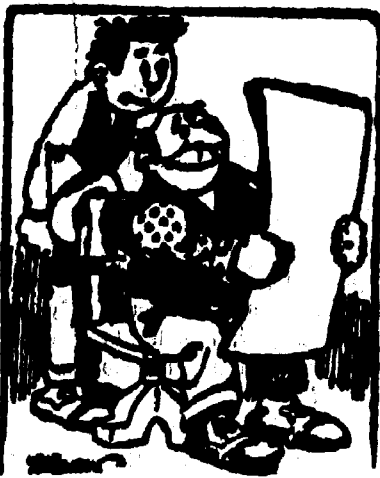
forget the Junior Class benevolent "The Nation's Peril" to be at the Empire Theatre on April 10th at 4:00 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Admission will be 10c. Now on sale.

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Mr. Notact—Why, Mrs. Tonnage, how closely you resemble Mrs. Van Stout! One might take you for her double.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A Scream.



Editor—At last Dodson, the humorist, has written us something that is genuinely funny.

Assistant—What is it? Editor—He wants to know why we don't take any of his stuff.—Boston Globe.

Not Concealed.



Binks—I wonder if it's true that geniuses do not make good husbands? Jinks—You might ask my wife.—Pittsburgh Press.

Those Girls!



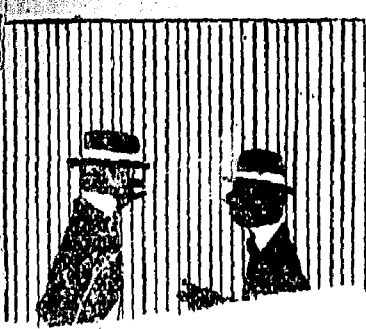
Amateur Actress—Didn't I act the part well? Her Friend—When you left the stage the audience said it was the best thing you ever did.—Boston Herald.

Helping Matters.



Visitor—How much rent do you pay for this dump? Subbubs—I own it. Visitor—Ah, I knew you were too sensible to rent such a place!—New York Globe.

Fa-fetched.



first put getting wa. together until milk comes to the. soon as actually add the creamy mixture the milk continues to boil, and the finished sauce will be quite smooth.

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STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, management, circulation, etc., required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The South Amboy Citizen, published weekly at South Amboy, N. J., for April 1, 1916.

Before me, a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared John A. Coan, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Secretary and Treasurer of the South Amboy Printing Company, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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I would like to have the public
and especially citizens of this city
report to me all births which occur.
The law states where a physician, or
midwife who has a state license to
do such work, are not present at the
birth of any child, then it is the duty
of the parents to report such birth.
There are no doubt quite a number
of births that are not registered.
In such cases, the parties named
above are liable to a fine of \$50.00
for each case not reported.

I have received a letter from the
State Registrar requesting me to ob-
tain a full report of all births that
occurred in this city, no matter how
old the child may be. So if any child
born here that has not been reported,
it can be done any evening. The city
records are open to any one wishing
to examine same in after years. The
baby now, if not recorded will have
quite some trouble to establish his
or her parentage. So it will be well
to have it recorded. There certainly
are more births here than are re-
corded each month, especially among
the foreign population, who probably
do not know the need of such re-
porting. Hoping the citizens will co-
operate with me in this work, I am

Yours truly,

W. J. NAGLE,

Registrar, 136 Broadway.

second day at the powder
found to have a pocket full of
matches?

1-1-1

We have a sneaking idea that one
little posy presented to the living is
infinitely more thoughtful than pre-
sents costly floral pieces or cut
flowers after death. What think you?

1-1-1

Want to witness a grisly chamber
of horrors? Then see "The Battle
Cry of Peace." A la Evening News:
"If this be an advertisement" take it
and welcome. Cui bono?

1-1-1

Will that young man who wants to
meet an affectionate young lady, ob-
ject matrimony, promise to take her
for a walk or to the movies each
evening?

1-1-1

We are sure glad the excitable
young lady who sat just behind us at
the Empire Monday night did not
have a gun handy. Being in direct
range we might have lost the top of
our dome. Who knows?

1-1-1

In a recent lawsuit a hypothetical
question asked by one of the at-
torneys took one and one-half hours
to get it off his system. Aren't you
glad these "kwerles" are not so
lengthy?

1-1-1

Did the "box fight" in Madison
Square Garden last Saturday night
prove the percentage has gone up?
Sure, there's two born every minute
in N. Y. nowadays.

1-1-1

Have you ever seen or heard Billy
Sunday? Here is your chance. He
(himself) will give a brief talk in
front of the Empire Theatre Saturday
afternoon at 2 o'clock. All who wish
to hear him be on hand to-morrow,
Saturday afternoon.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters remaining unclaimed for in
the Post Office for week ending Mar.
31st, 1916:

Charles Dempsey, Harold Gifford,
Howard Nickel, Capt. Bill, Barge 700,
Pert Demors, Tug Winne, Mrs. Al-
bert Johnson, Boat E. R. Tatnall,
Florence Smith, Mrs. D. Delaney,
William Burmaster, care of W. F.
Wilson, (2).

When calling for the above please
say "advertised." J. W. REA, P. M.

Mrs. Elmer
burg, spent las.
visiting friends in v.

Mrs. Maria Rule, of South River,
was a visitor in this city and called
on friends last Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Mills and daughter, of
Elizabeth, are spending a few days in
this city.

Mrs. William Allen of Elizabeth,
was a visitor in this city during the
week.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Dorothy Bossong of Sayreville
celebrated her fourth birthday on
Saturday last by entertaining a num-
ber of her little friends at the home
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl
Bossong. The dining room was very
prettily decorated in pink and white
Easter lilies. The favors were St.
Patrick hats. Dorothy received a
large number of presents. Among
those present were Mrs. A. M. Hamil-
ton and children, and Mrs. John
Heath, of this city; Mrs. G. Brown,
of Perth Amboy; Mr. C. Boehm and
children, Mrs. Jacob Bossong and
daughter, Melvin Hartman and Sara
and Olive Holmes of Sayreville.

A PRETTY SAYREVILLE WEDDING

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Franz,
at Miller's corner Sayreville, was the
scene of a very pretty wedding on
Wednesday afternoon when their
daughter, Miss Angelica Franz, be-
came the happy bride of Mr. Peter A.
Barich, the son of Mr. and Mrs.
Lorenz Barich of this city.

Promptly at 3.30 o'clock Miss Grace
Trafford of Tottenville presiding at
the piano struck forth the notes of
the wedding march and the bridal
party entered the room and the bride
and groom took positions under a
handsome white bell, when the Rev.
R. Stier, pastor of the German Pres-
byterian Church, of Sayreville, per-
formed the ceremony that united
them as man and wife.

The bride looked very pretty in a
gown of white crepe de chine with
lace trimming, and wore a veil linked
with a spray of lilies of the valley.
Miss Freda Franz, a sister of the
bride, attended as maid of honor, and
looked charming in a gown of white
chameuse with rose trimmings.

Mr. John Wist of this city served
as bestman.

After hearty congratulations had
been extended and a few minutes of
social converse held, the happy couple
and guests went on a tour of inspec-
tion to the newly furnished home of
the bride and groom, which is located
only a short distance away. Upon re-
turning to the home of the bride's
parents a bountiful supper was serv-
ed. The merry wedding festivities
were kept up until the wee sma'
hours of the morning, and music,
song and dance, interspersed with
refreshments, made the time pass
away all too quickly. A number of
very pretty gifts were received by the
bride.

Among the guests present were Mr.
and Mrs. Lorenz Barich of this city,
Mr. and Mrs. W. O. O'Brien, Mr.
Deutch, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Worrell,
Mrs. F. Grimley, Arthur Rehnitzer
of Perth Amboy, Mrs. Jonathan Traf-
ford and daughter, Grace, and Frank-
lin Pepper of Tottenville, William
White, Frank and Charles Wage-
blast, Misses Anna and Marie O'Brien,
Miss Madeline Rogan, Miss
Creamer, the Misses Jennie,
and Katherine Barich, Mr. a'
B. Robbins and Master
Barich.

The groom is employed
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On Friday eve
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...schools in this city were
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urch. Lambertson & Reese have
e contract.

Contractor John J. Ryan has the
contract for building an up-to-date
flat at Stevens avenue and Main
street for P. J. Cooney.

There will be a congregational
meeting at the Presbyterian Church
next Sabbath morning at 10 o'clock.
A full attendance is requested.

Next week children who have not
as yet commenced attending school
may be entered for the last quarter
the term which begins on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Goldberg are
rejoicing over the arrival of a young
son. He was born in New York City
last Saturday, and both mother and
son are getting along nicely.

Samuel Kinstlinger, the popular
jeweler, has decided to join the
"motor bugs," having placed an order
for a fine seven-passenger Studebaker
touring car.

A meeting of W. C. T. U. will be
held at the residence of Mrs. Thomas
Deats, Main street, Monday afternoon
at 3 o'clock. All members are re-
quested to be present.

Charles Fox has purchased from
Mrs. Emille Cristian property on
Stevens avenue on which his store
is located, formerly known as the
John Disbrow property.

The stork arrived at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McDonald of
Broadway on Friday morning of last
week, and left a bouncing baby girl,
which adds to the happiness of their

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GETS LONG BRANCH GARBAGE JOB
Beginning Saturday, the contract for
removing Long Branch's garbage for
the next five years will be executed
by Harry T. Blodgett, son of the late
Senator Rufus Blodgett, who for
many years was superintendent of
the New York & Long Branch Rail-
road and Mayor of the city.
Mr. Blodgett is the head of the Sea-
board Utilization Company, which
is the present contract. He was
only bidder before the city com-
missioners Wednesday. His bid for
winning the garbage for the next five
years is \$59,000. The Seaboard com-
pany receives \$10,000 a year for
work.
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...along the tracks of the

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Daniel Webster or Gold Medal Flour, 24 lb. bag 95c | Pet Brand Eva Regular 5c

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B. R. TOILET PAPER, 7 packages.... 25c	OLIVES,, 25c size, large bottle stuffed or plain..... 22c	LARGE C.
ONION SALAD..... 8c	BUCKWHEAT..... 10c	MILK, Squar.
ALASKA PINK SALMON, can..... 8c	HECKER'S OAT FLAKES..... 8c	FANCY LEMO.
TUNA FISH, tall can..... 14c	MARMO JAM, jar..... 7c	FULL CREAM C. SESE.....
STRING BEANS..... 7 1/2c	ASPARAGUS STALKS..... 18c	NO. 6 PARLOR BROOM.....
CODFISH, 2lb..... 25c	PEAS, fancy E. J., 3 cans..... 25c	SOUR PICKLES..... 10c do.
GINGER SNAPS, lb..... 6c	B. & O. MOLASSES, 10c size, 3 cans.. 25c	MACKEREL..... 5 1/2c each
DROMEDARY DATES..... 8c	LIMA BEANS, large California, lb.... 8c	15c JAR PICKLES..... 12c
PERCIL, package..... 8c	DRY PEACHES, large California.... 7 1/2c	15c JAR MUSTARD..... 10c
LUSK'S MUSTARD, bottle..... 8c	GAS MANTLES, 6 for..... 25c	WRITING PAPER, box..... 8c
MAINE STYLE CORN, 3 cans..... 25c	CAN PEARS..... 7c	TOILET SOAP, box..... 8c

Carolina Full Head Rice, lb. - 7c | California Peaches, reg. 18c - 13c | Horseradish, per bottle - 7 1/2c

Eggs - 27c | Octagon, Babbitt's, Fairy or Sweetheart Soap cake 4c | Macaroni or Spaghetti, Anger or Muller, pkg. 7 1/2c | Argo Starch 4c

STAMP SPECIALS

100 Elk Stamps Free	10 Elk Stamps Free	10 Elk Stamps Free	10 Elk Stamps Free
Tea, lb., very best, any flavor. 60c	Box Pepper..... 10c	1 Can Plums..... 15c	Cake Bon Ami..... 10c
1 lb. Imperial Baking Powder 45c	1 Hand Sapollo..... 10c	1 Stove or Scrub Brush..... 10c	Bottle Elastic Starch..... 10c
50 Elk Stamps Free	Bottle Ammonia..... 10c	Bottle Pickles..... 10c	Package Eagle Corn Starch... 10c
1/2 lb. best Tea, any flavor..... 30c	Bottle Bluing..... 10c	1 Lewis Lye..... 10c	20c Package Farina..... 15c
1/2 lb. Imperial Baking Powder 25c		Bottle Shoe Polish..... 10c	Bottle Chow Chow..... 10c

HARDWARE | 98c Latest Improved Nickle Coffee Percolator 98c | HARDWARE

LANTERNS..... 39c	GALLON TIN OIL CAN..... 8c	LARGE BLUE EARTHEN BOWL..... 12c
TIN QUART MEASURE..... 7c	ALUMINUM SOAP DISH..... 5c	8in. NICKLE SHEARS..... 7c pair
RICE BROILERS..... 19c	AGATE KETTLES, pint, 5c, quart, 8c, 2 quarts, 10c.	LEMON SQUEEZERS..... 5c
POTATO MASHERS..... 5c	WOOD ROLLING PINS..... 7c	FANCY PARLOR LAMP..... 75c
DUST PANS..... 7c	GLASS LEMONADE SETS..... 69c	AGATE TEA POTS..... 8c
STOVE FOKERS..... 5c	GALVANIZED COAL HODS..... 19c	STOVE LIFTERS..... 5c
AGATE DIPPER..... 7c	HEAVY WIRE CARPET BEATERS.... 8c	MOP STICKS..... 8c
IMITATION LEATHER LUNCH BOX. 7c	AGATE PUDDING PANS..... 8c	MOPS..... 9c
LARGE GLASS LAMP, complete..... 29c	LONG HANDLE FIRE SHOVELS.... 7c	CLOTHES PENS, 100 for..... 8c
DOVER PATENT EGG BEATER..... 7c	AGATE WASH BASINS..... 8c	LARGE DECORATED SOUP OR DINNER PLATES..... 8c

GOOD MONTH FOR P. S. C.

During the month of February the total business of Public Service Corporation of New Jersey showed a gross increase of \$410,000, over the corresponding month of last year, the percentage of increase being 14.5. For the two months of this year the gross increase has been nearly three-quarters of a million dollars. The financial statement issued by the company follows:

Public Service System.	
Gross Increase in total business.....	\$410,227.32
Percentage of increase....	14.5
Balance available, after payment of operating expenses, fixed charges, sinking fund requirement, etc., for amortization, dividends and surplus.....	327,557.06
Increase in surplus available for dividends over corresponding month 1915.....	66,505.69

Two Months Ending February 29, 1916	
Gross increase in total business.....	\$737,631.43
Percentage of increase....	12.4
Balance available, after payment of operating expenses, fixed charges, sinking fund requirement, etc., for amortization, dividends and surplus.....	832,722.43
Increase in surplus available for dividends over corresponding period 1915.....	135,754.97

GETS LONG BRANCH GARBAGE JOB

Beginning Saturday, the contract for removing Long Branch's garbage for the next five years will be executed by Harry T. Blodgett, son of the late Senator Rufus Blodgett, who for many years was superintendent of the New York & Long Branch Railroad and Mayor of the city. Mr. Blodgett is the head of the Seaboard Utilization Company, which is the present contract. He was only bidder before the city commissioners Wednesday. His bid for winning the garbage for the next five years is \$59,000. The Seaboard company receives \$10,000 a year for work.

the land by condemnation or otherwise.

Remorse and economy are always faithful followers of the races.

Not all women who are proud of their figures are good calculators.

Death is as certain as marriage is uncertain.

The lower the gas is turned the brighter it seems for lovers.

But the infant industry never grows old.

Married people make up a quarrel because they have to.

And the beauty of a get rich scheme is also skin deep.

Impatient men seldom accomplish anything of great importance.

BORAK'S MEAT MARKET

THESE SPECIALS ARE FOR THE WHOLE WEEK

Tender Steaks 17c lb		Fancy Butterine 18c lb	
Large Cali. Hams NICE AND LEAN 12 ³ / ₄ c lb		PORK LOINS Whole or Half 15 ³ / ₄ c lb.	
		LIVER 3 lbs. 28c	
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		Skin Back Hams SPECIAL 17 ¹ / ₂ c lb	
PRIME RIB ROAST 13 ¹ / ₂ c lb		BONELESS BACON 16c lb	
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The rubber game will carry to the
winner a handsome cup given by the
manager. The cup was on exhibition
in the K. of P. Hall last Friday night
during the games.

The visitors looked a little light to go up against the champs but when they started to play it was evident that they were capable in making up in speed what they might have lacked in weight. For a while it looked bad for the Rivie team and the end of the first half found the visitors in the lead by a comfortable margin. In response to the pleadings of the fans the home team came across with a rally in the second half, McCreery finally, after several vain attempts to score, located where the basket was. Then Hank found it, too, four or five times in succession and it was "Good Night" Normal School boys.

In a preliminary game the local High School Alumni team was defeated by a team representing the South River High School. Cliver and James featured for the locals and Fitzpatrick for the visitors. The score was 14 to 5.

The score of the game was as follows:

South Amboy	South River
Burkhard	Forwards
Cliver	Fitzpatrick
Anderson	Center
James	Guards
Quinlan	Curley

Field Goals—Cliver, 1; James, 1; Fitzpatrick, 3; Marks, 2; Curley, 1. Goals from Foul—James, 1; Fitzpatrick, 1. Referee, Burns.

This is how the Normal School lost:

Riversides	Normal School
McCreery	Forwards
Canton	Branson
Thomas	Center
Allen	Guards
Burns	Henry

Field Goals—McCreery, 11; Thomas, 4; Canton, 3; Allen, 1; Branson, 5; Brennan, 3; Grocho, 4; Henry, 3. Goals from Foul—Thomas, 4; Marliss, 5. Referee, Canton.

The game this Friday night will end the season for the Riversides. The game will bring the soldiers from Asbury Park here and the Company H boys are expected to put up as classy an exhibition as has been staged on the home court this season. The soldiers have the distinction of being one of the very few teams to score a defeat over the Riversides when they were in condition and the Rivies expect to have to play their hardest in their last game to keep from getting trimmed again.

Not Afraid of Cold Steel.

In her younger days Eugene, when empress of the French nation, was noted for her great courage, as the following incident proves.

At a brilliant dinner party a somewhat tactless general told her majesty that women should not meddle in politics.

"You know, madame," he said, "that politics lead to war, and if the worse came to the worst you would not have the nerve to face cold steel."

"Wouldn't it?" cried the empress. "I show you!" And, snatching a large knife from the table, she inflicted a deep stab on her arm.

After that the general never broached the subject of woman's lack of nerves again.

Sharpening a Pocketknife.

Outliers have certain rules for sharpening razors, pocketknives, etc. "A razor," said one of the craft quoted by the Scientific American, "must be laid flat on the hone, because it is hollow ground and requires a fine edge. But a pocketknife requires a stiff edge, and the moment you lay it flat on a stone, so as to touch the polished side, you injure the edge. It must be held at an angle of twenty to twenty-five degrees and have an edge similar to a chisel."

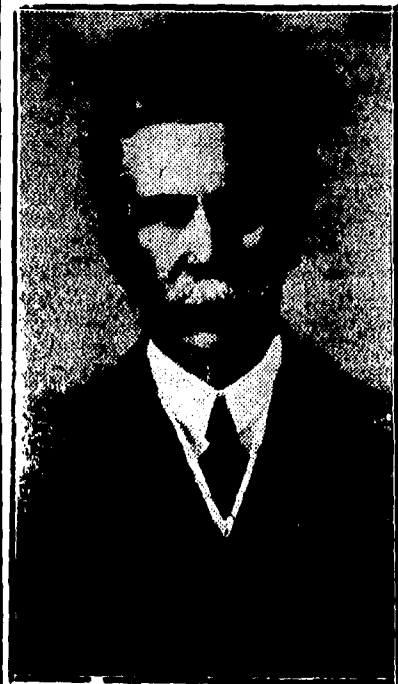
Ups and Downs.

Lady (who was on a visit to her native town)—How is Mrs. Gabbie? I haven't seen her for a long time! Hostess—She is having her usual ups and downs. Lady Visitor—And how may that be?

People Million. Calls for Legislative Inven-

George L. Record says that, in spite of the reduction of gas to 90 cents, which was secured by him in his two-year legal battle, as special counsel for the city of Passaic, the Public Service Gas Company still collect from Northern New Jersey gas consumers \$1,000,000 in excess of a proper earning on actual investment.

In the second of a series of statements as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, Mr. Record to-day gives the figures in the gas case as a clear indication to him that regulation of privately owned electric light, gas and trolley companies is a failure. He asserts that it was proven during his conduct of the cheaper gas campaign that, while the Public Service had invested \$3,200,000 in gas plants and equipment that corporation had issued securities to the amount of \$9,000,000—or \$5,800,000 of water. The best that could be done under present laws and by regulation was to get a reduction of



GEORGE L. RECORD

10 cents per thousand feet in the gas rate.

Mr. Record says that few people realize the enormous stake of public utility corporations in controlling politics so that their power to exact excessive rates may not be disturbed. He declares that the only way to drive them out of politics and break the hold of the public utility-brewery interests on the State is to elect a Governor and a Legislature pledged to enact a law that will give New Jersey complete self-government; that will give to every municipality local option on public ownership of gas and electric light plants, on questions of taxation and on saloons.

Mr. Record's statement follows: "In my previous statement I showed how the local option bills in New Jersey are defeated in our Legislature each winter by the influence of the political bosses, who are the direct representatives of the public utility corporations, as well as the brewers; that the two interests work together, and to beat either we must beat both."

I now propose to show how the control of New Jersey politics by the public utility corporations maintains our bi-partisan Boss System and costs our people millions of dollars annually in excessive rates for trolley, gas, electric and telephone service; that all attempts at regulation have completely failed, and that the only cure for these evils is Public Ownership. The Huge Stake of the Public Utility Corporations in Politics.

"Few realize the enormous stake these corporations have in controlling politics, so that their power to exact excessive rates for service may not be disturbed."

"The Passaic Gas case gave us a startling revelation on this point. The proofs showed that although the Public Service Company had invested not to exceed \$3,200,000 in the Paterson-Passaic gas plant, it had issued securities aggregating \$9,000,000. The Public Utility Commission reduced the price of gas ten cents per thousand feet in the whole North Jersey territory. The President of the Company stated before the Commission that such a reduction applied to this gas district alone would diminish the revenues of the company \$1,000,000 a year."

"From the proofs in that case I am satisfied that in the North Jersey gas district the people are still paying at least \$1,000,000 more than they should pay every year."

"In the Trenton six tickets for a quarter trolley case, the company officials stated on the hearing that \$100,000 a year depended upon the decision of the case before the Public Utility Commission."

"If one litigation over a gas rate and another over a trolley fare in a city like Trenton reveal these extortionate charges, it is plain that many more millions of dollars a year are wrongfully taken from the people of New Jersey in excessive trolley, telephone, electric light and water rates."

"Partial exemption from taxation to the amount of hundreds of thousands a year is another stake these corporations have in the control of government. This is illustrated by our present public utility franchise tax law. The trolley companies pay five per cent. on their gross receipts, while the telephone, gas and electric light companies pay only one per cent."

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The Meager Results of Regulation in New Jersey.

"The meager results that have been obtained from regulation are discouraging. In New Jersey we have had a Public Utility Commission with full powers for five years, and about half a million dollars has been appropriated for its use. But no reduction has yet been made by this commission in trolley, telephone, electric light or water rates in the populous cities of the State."

"The trial of the Passaic Gas case took two years. The decision of the Commission was appealed to the Supreme Court, which sustained it, and then to the Court of Errors, which reversed the decision."

"This last decision was obtained by the vote, probably the deciding vote, of a Judge who was the president of a company which had a large portion of its surplus invested in the securities of the Public Service Corporation, and this Judge's brother was a director in the Public Service."

"An outraged public opinion compelled the reversal of this decision. The case has now been taken to the United States Supreme Court and the litigation, which has already taken four years, is certain to take several years more. It is plain that with the public compelled to jump so many hurdles, the advantage is all on the side of the corporations in the long run."

"Regulation has plainly failed, either to establish equitable rates for public utility services, or to drive these corporations out of politics."

"On the other hand, wherever public ownership has been tried on an extensive scale, it has resulted in large savings to the community and in freeing the politics of the localities from the corrupting influence of the public utility which has been supplanted."

"If it were not for the control of our politics by these interests, telephone, electric light and gas rates would be so reduced that the average workman could have electric light and a telephone in his home, and gas could be much more extensively used for cooking than is now possible."

The Explanation of the "Invisible Government."

"In the power to exact these excessive charges we find the real explanation of the boss system in politics. A part of these immense and unearned profits, wrongfully exacted from the people, is used, directly or indirectly, to supply the political bosses with money to control nominations and to carry elections."

"The candidates thus nominated and elected grant franchises, appoint officials and judges, who, though personally honest, take the point of view of the corporations, pass laws desired by these interests—as they have tried this winter to pass a bill to strangle the jitneys in New Jersey—prevent the passage of laws opposed by the interests, and in numerous ways administer the law so as to give them advantages and privileges."

"These public utility and brewing interests are our real government—they are the 'man behind the boss'—the 'invisible government'—the 'man higher up'—the Republican 'Board of Guardians'—the Democratic 'Overlords'."

"This system threatens the very existence of the Republic. It is a political cancer which if not cut out will eat into the very vitals of free government. It can only be cured by removing through public ownership and local option the incentive which keeps these utility corporations and brewers in politics."

"If I am elected Governor of New Jersey I will do my utmost to destroy this system and drive the public service corporations and the brewers out of the politics of this State."

"But a still bigger task remains to be done in this State. That task is to actually reduce the cost of living, to increase the number of jobs, to furnish employment to the unemployed, to take the unjust burdens off of industry and business, and make it easier to do business and get a home in New Jersey. I propose to tell how this can be accomplished in another statement."

"GEORGE L. RECORD."

Close Call.

"Pa," said little Jimmie, "I was very near getting to the head of my class today."

"How was that, Jimmie?"

"Why, a big word came all the way down to me, and if I could only have spelled it I should have gone clear up."

—Exchange.

Intelligent Lad.

Employer—Boy, take this letter and wait for an answer. New Boy—Yes, sir. Employer—Well, what are you waiting for? New Boy—The answer, sir. —Boston Transcript.

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at two o'clock said day, at the Sheriff's city of New Brunswick, All the right, title and James Carberry, defendant to all the following descriptions:

Being a tract of land in of South Amboy, County of and State of New Jersey.

Situate in Block number 51 down on a map on file in the sex County Clerk's office entitled Map of property situate in

ough of South Amboy, Cou dlessex and State of New protracted by a scale of half inch in June 1835. Sa known and designated, as lot 14 in Block 50, are each 25 1 front and rear and 100 feet

fronting on David street and easterly of and adjacent to certain lots heretofore conveyed to Jo Dolan by deed of Noah Furman dated June 1, 1871. Said lots are bounded as follows: southerly by David street on which they front, westerly by lot No. 15 or the certain lots heretofore referred to as being purchased by said Dolan, easterly by lot 12, in Block 50.

Together with all and singular, the rights, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

EDWARD F. HOUGHTON,

Sheriff.

JOHN A. COAN, Attorney.

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MIDDLESEX COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

TO WILLIAM BURNETT, HIS heirs, devisees and personal representatives and all persons interested therein.

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made by Asbury Fountain, James Fountain and Brookfield Glass Company to Peter F. Daly, Law Judge of the County of Middlesex, at the Court House at the City of New Brunswick on Friday, the twenty-seventh day of May, 1916, at 10 a. m. for an order to cancel or record a certain mortgage made by Catherine Lott, Henry Lott, Abraham Lott and George Lott to William Burnett, which mortgage is dated May first, 1875, and was recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's office in book 2 at page 77 on the tenth day of June 1876, and was given to secure the sum of Four hundred Pounds, and which mortgage is a lien on certain lands designated in the Mortgage as being in the south ward of the City of Perth Amboy, afterward the Township of South Amboy and now the Township of Sayreville in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

Further take notice that you and each of you and all persons interested therein are required to show cause before the said Peter F. Daly, Law Judge of the County of Middlesex, at the said time and place why the said mortgage should not be cancelled of record.

Yours truly,

JOHN A. COAN
Atty. for Petitioners, P. O. Bu
South Amboy, N. J.
Dated March 17th, 1916.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1917.

When South Amboy does anything it is never done by halves, but it must be thoroughly done and nicely browned. The testimonial dinner to Congressman Scully was also a big boost for this city, and the question by visitors was "How did you manage to make this such a big affair?" There is no gainsaying that all felt proud of the dinner, a little "chesty" so to speak. It is seldom that such prominent speakers can be induced to come to a celebration of this kind, but we had them and there-by were honored with a great treat in the way of speechmaking. The many visitors from all parts of the congressional district and State was also very pleasing. Congressman Scully must have had pleasant dreams that night, for he surely was highly honored, not only by members of his own party but by those of the Republican party as well. The committee in charge deserve great praise for the clever management of the banquet and to whom must be given credit for its large proportions and splendid success.

EAT MORE RICE.
As the proprietor of a local bakery said recently "Shoe merchants, dry goods dealers and grocers can raise prices a quarter or a half, and the people do not seem to take very much notice, but when the baker adds a cent to a loaf of bread it almost starts a riot." Perhaps it's because we have been taught that bread is the staff of life that we view with more or less alarm any rise in its price. This ought to be a good time for rice mills to set forth before the public the great advantages of rice as a food, says Denison Herald. Use the slogan "Eat more rice and save on living expenses." It is a recognized fact that rice is one of the most nutritious foods known to mankind. When the different nations sent their soldiers to Peking a few years ago to relieve that city from the Boxer siege, a close watch was kept by each government of the diet, morale and marching conditions of the other. The Japanese were given the laurel wreath. Their soldiers were much smaller men than those of any other country, yet in full marching order they carried just as much weight. Their ration was rice and smoked fish, while the soldiers of the other nations fed their men white bread, beef, pork, potatoes and a much more diversified ration. Furthermore the Japanese arrived at the gates of Peking first and in better physical condition than the troops of any other nation. Eat more rice.

The pastor of a country church writes to us that "the great obstacle" to the success of his work lies in the fact that so many people are "indifferent to church activities." The brother has put a sure finger on a very common human failing, says Farm Life. Indifference has always been the great obstacle to progress in every line of life. The enthusiasts are the salt of life, the leaven that keeps the world from growing stale. The indifferent man is not only a poor churchman; he is a poor merchant, a poor student, a poor farmer, a poor citizen, a poor lover. We might all pray to the Lord to deliver us from the evil of indifference. We might well do our part by cultivating our enthusiasm and giving it a practical turn. Fortunately for ourselves and for the world, we all have matters in which we take a natural interest, approaching the point of enthusiasm. These are the matters we should cultivate. They offer us success along the line of least resistance.

SOUTH AMBOY LACKING IN PATRIOTISM
The G. A. R. of South Amboy has been offered two twelve-pound bronze cannons by the government and now finds itself unable to accept them for lack of funds to pay for the charges in mounting them and a piece of ground on which to locate them. Request for the latter was made by the post to the city council, but it was ignored.
It seems rather singular that a city of 7,482 inhabitants is so lacking in patriotism that the small request of the old veterans cannot be complied with. What is the matter with the patriotic societies of that city? Surely, this is an instance where they can put in practice one of the objects for which the orders stand.—Matawan Journal.
Advertise in The Citizen.

TESTIMONIAL DINNER TO CONGRESSMAN SCULLY WAS A TRIUMPHANT SUCCESS
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be a phenom, that's all." Which seemed to be the opinion of all present.
At the speakers' table were seated Rt. Rev. Mgr. J. F. Brady, Hon. Thomas J. Scully, Representatives Garland of Pennsylvania, Collier of Mississippi, Gard of Ohio, Heflin of Alabama, O'Shaunessy of Rhode Island, Chairman James D. Van Pelt, John A. Coan, John Scully, Surrogate Daniel Clayton, Prosecutor Joseph Stricker, County Clerk Bernard Gannon, Francis P. Coan, Albert Bollschweiler and Mayor A. T. Kerr. Among others in the hall were noticed Sheriff Houghton, County Physician Carroll, Internal Revenue Collector James Curren, Freshholder Gebhart, County Collector Burt, Asher Bissett, Supervisor John Daly of the N. Y. & L. B. R. R.; John Kennah, city clerk of Elizabeth; Edward J. Costigan of Washington, D. C.; John J. O'Brien, secretary to Congressman Scully; William Casey of Roosevelt, Patrick Devlin of Matawan, Postmaster Walker of Cranbury, Commissioner Thomas McCue, C. L. Berry and William Howe of Long Branch, Dr. Kimmouth of Asbury Park Press.
Taken as a whole it might be said without contradiction that the banquet was a most complete success, exceeding anything on so large a scale ever held in this city. The arrangements were carried out without a hitch. Through the kindness of Monsignor Brady the school rooms in the lower hall were devoted to the checking of hats and coats. This prevented much confusion (that would have occurred, should those present been compelled to store their coats in the main hall, in which every available space was occupied. A feature of the evening was the orchestra from Jackel's of New York, which with its patriotic music and old-time songs, stirred the guests to a high pitch of good humor. The leader and his musicians, certainly knew when to strike up the right tune at the right time. Circulars on which some of the songs were printed were distributed at each plate, and the guests entered heartily into the choruses.
The Hildebrecht Catering Company of Trenton furnished the dinner, and gave entire satisfaction throughout. The "Scully Punch" was quite a delicacy. The manner in which the courses were served evinced that this company is accustomed to catering to large assemblies. Messrs. D. T. Magowan and C. F. Anderson of Trenton were the managers for the company, and they were always on the alert for the serving of the guests.
James D. Van Pelt was the general chairman of the committees and Francis P. Coan secretary. The members of the committees were as follows:
Finance—A. T. Kerr, F. H. Gordon, M. J. Stanton, Wm. H. Parison, Richard U. Rue, James W. Hackett, E. R. Brown, Frederick Delbert, J. W. Mahoney, John Sulliff, Edw. Trevasikis, John J. Scully, John Connors.
Decorations—J. W. Rea, A. T. McMichael, J. D. Mullane, L. J. Conkley, T. J. Burden, Albin Van Dusen, Edward Dolan, Corey Winant, N. J. Howley, Irving Reese, Howard Reese, Thomas Lyons, P. Malloy, John Conlogue, Bismark Ludlow, A. Steiner, John P. Connors.
Entertainment—George Gundrum, George Cheesman, George Dunn, P. L. Cunningham, James A. Minnick, John M. Keene, James Holton, Wm. Martin, John Braney, Robert Chapman.
Speakers—J. D. Van Pelt, John A. Coan, F. P. Coan.
Publicity—J. A. Coan, J. D. Van Pelt, E. J. O'Connor, P. F. Kenah, F. P. Coan, R. M. Mack, H. G. Hoffman, M. J. Nangle, M. N. Roll, T. F. Dugan, Wm. Bullman, Robert Seagrave, J. M. Parker.
Reception—Charles Muirhead, D. C. Chase, C. McGonigle, Wm. Birmingham, M. Welsh, Wm. S. Day, A. T. Kerr, Charles Safran, R. C. Stephenson, H. C. Perrine, Wm. Wyckoff, J. A. Sexton, A. J. Miller, F. M. Littell, C. Straub, G. Straub, J. Frank Scully, C. L. Cozzens, P. J. Cooney, John Conlogue, C. M. Stuart, John Scully, Joseph Manhattan, John J. Scully, Dr. Moss.
Hall—M. Welsh, John Sulliff, A. T. Kerr.
Dinner—J. W. Rea, Robert Kerr, P. F. Kenah, Thomas Kerr, P. L. Cunningham, J. Frank Scully, Leo J. Conkley, Charles Safran.
Notification—A. T. Kerr, M. J. Stanton, George Gundrum, James Watson, M. Welsh.
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Club Notes
Among the things which were brought before the meeting of the Woman's Club at the Thursday afternoon session was an interesting article showing the deplorable conditions existing in the New Jersey prisons as shown by a report of a committee of investigation appointed by Governor Edge, which report recently was made public.
The suggestion was put forth at the meeting that in the event of war with a foreign power the Woman's Club establish a branch of the Red Cross Society here. Those present seemed heartily in favor of the idea and action is to be taken on the question at the next meeting of the Club.
Attention was called to the fact that the Choral Society, of Perth Amboy, was to sing the "Holy City" at the Y. M. C. A. in Perth Amboy at three-thirty o'clock next Sunday afternoon, February 18th. Admission to the affair is but twenty-five cents and it is hoped that a large representation from this city will take advantage of the opportunity.
On account of the lecture which is to be given under the auspices of the High School Senior Class next Tuesday evening there will be no meeting of the Board of Directors.
The Home Economics Department of the club and the Civic Committee will join together in holding a meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Stuart, of David street, next Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The department will again study the subject of beautifying the home grounds. It is likely that there will be a large attendance of those interested in the subject.
The secretary of the Club is in possession of six tickets to a lecture by Mrs. Ida Patterson, the New Jersey Household Economics Expert, to be given at the Hotel McAlpin in New York City on the afternoon of February 20. She is a very interesting lecturer and it is to be hoped that at least six members of the Club will take advantage of this opportunity to hear her.
BENEFIT PERFORMANCE WAS A GREAT SUCCESS
Tuesday evening marked the rendition of the monster benefit performance in the Empire Theatre. The entertainment consisted of an excellent vaudeville program and the proceeds of the packed house on the occasion will go to the benefit of the disabled soldiers and sailors of Ireland and the British Isles.
The raising of the curtain disclosed an audience that packed the house to its capacity. Programs containing a liberal quota of advertising of both local and out of town business enterprises were distributed among the audience and everybody settled down to enjoy the renditions of the entertainers.
The opinions of those who saw and heard the efforts of the actors all coincide that the entertainment was an excellent one. The efforts of the local participants were particularly well received and contributed greatly to the success of the evening.
The entire receipts of the evening will go toward the object for which the entertainment was planned. The entertainment was arranged under the auspices of the British Isles Relief Association and the expenses incurred in connection with the performance will be met by assessments upon the members of the association, as has been the custom with other similar benefit performances given in other places in the past. The association was first organized on August 31st, 1916, with a membership of eighteen. Plans were discussed for the raising of funds for the relief of wounded and disabled soldiers and sailors of the British Isles. Finally the association undertook the venture of a concert and dance in the Knights of Pythias Hall in Totenville on Nov. 17th, 1916. The venture was a financial and social success even exceeding the expectations of the promoters. On the 22d of December a second concert and dance was given in the Palace Hall in Perth Amboy. Again the venture was a success in every way. All the expenses incurred in connection with these entertainments were taken care of by the members of the association and the entire proceeds of the ticket sales were donated toward the relief object of the association. That the latest venture in this city was a success even more so than the others is a source of joy to the workers.
Membership in the association costs but twenty-five cents per month, dues being payable on the first Friday of each month. The membership now numbers one hundred and fifty-nine, and future growth is expected. The meetings of the association are held in the Caladonian Club Rooms in Perth Amboy on the first Friday evening of each month.

The committee under whose supervision the entertainment last Tuesday night was arranged were as follows: Chairman, Herbert Ellis Bicknell; vice-chairman, G. B. Coates, secretary, F. Peacock; treasurer, L. Lenahan; members, C. Sykes, S. Rowley, J. Dryden, G. Harrison.
BILL OF \$766.66 FOR AUTO HIRE.
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that a committee of the council consisting of the solicitor, engineer, himself and the first ward representative, had waited upon the superintendent of the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. the latter part of last week and secured a concession which they considered valuable to the city. The map covered the concession and he moved that the map be accepted. The motion carried without a dissenting vote.
Then the following bills were read and ordered paid by a unanimous roll call vote:

Labor	
Garbage	\$77.51
Streets	23.49
Sewers	3.75
Water Department	93.42
Streets	
Harry Brunt	13.55
H. Wolf & Co.	39.32
Sewers	
Edward Dolan	12.97
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.	45.35
Street Cables	
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.	493.81
Loss out of \$2.50 total	495.31
Catherine Streets	
A. H. Bergen	15.00
Scaffolds and Poles	
John Quinn	19.32
John J. McCormick	19.32
John McClelland	5.20
Patrick McGah	25.00
Fire Department	
H. D. Littell	20.00
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.	2.00
Public Service Gas Co.	2.52
Edward Dolan	10.80
Miscellaneous	
Frank Neer	17.00
N. Y. Telephone Co.	50
A. T. McMichael	15.00
Printing	
S. A. Printing Co.	64.52
Public Buildings and Grounds	
H. D. Littell	87.00
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.	34.00
Door	
Charles W. Fox	64.24
H. D. Littell	17.50
Chris. Kelly	8.00
Gottlob Straub	15.58
Water Department	
H. Wolf & Co.	11.30
Harry Brunt	4.45
C. I. Bergen	1.11
P. A. City Water Works	1,138.49
United Brass Manufact'g Co.	733.22
Councilman Parisen, just before adjournment was taken, moved that the clerk again advertise the fact that all bills against the city must be presented in time to be audited at the business session held on Friday nights preceding the regular meeting nights if they were to be passed at the regular meetings. Otherwise they would lay over for two weeks and come up at the next meeting. Previous advertisements along these lines had not had the desired effect and another attempt was therefore advisable in order to save the business people the inconvenience of having their bills remain unpaid.	
The munition ordinance evidently died a natural death for no mention was made of it at the meeting in question although it should have come up under the rules of the body for a second reading. It is said that the business or private meeting, the real council meeting as some folks that ought to know what they are talking about term it, last Friday night was an educational one for the councilmen, at least, in that they learned a good deal about the munitions business that they didn't know before. It is said that during the session the fact was impressed upon them that their jurisdiction was quite limited and also that most of the people that were so frightened at the strings of cars supposedly loaded with explosives were ignorant of the real contents of the cars and of their explosive properties. The meeting was attended by representatives of all the railroads supposedly affected by the proposed ordinance and also by representatives of the munition works. Therefore the meeting is said to have resulted in the councilmen becoming assured that the supposed danger from the munition shipping industry which has sprung into being in this city was so small as not to merit any amount of serious consideration at their hands. Concessions were made to the council by the railroads in the way of assurances of prompt movement of explosives through the city, however, and of proper care in the handling thereof.	
The Wherefore. "Miss Wombat is not a girl who wants to talk all the time. She is willing to listen." "Yes," somebody once told her that she had beautiful ears."—Kansas City Journal.	

Meats That
Meats are subject to grade, just as all articles are measured to conform to a given standard of quality. Now, meats of a high quality that make for pleasure and satisfaction. This is and we maintain—a standard of quality.

Prime Rib Roast - 18c-2
Pot Roast 14c & 16c Forequarters of Genuine **Lamb 20c**
Plate or Soft Rib Corned Beef - 12c Veal for roasting **16c up**
Hindquarters of Genuine Lamb - 24c

Monaghan's Meat Market
Telephone 26. Quality and Weight Guaranteed
209 David Street

In these cold days and long nights have you taken the precaution to procure that Brilliant and safe
Socony Kerosene Oil
which can be procured at L. F. Meinzer's, the only store on the block on Broadway?

To the Prospective Lot Buyer
Do you contemplate buying one or more lots? If so, do you realize the fact there are but very few vacant lots left in the city, and that the price will advance in the spring? In order to close an estate I am offering the only choice lots that I feel located on David street, Henry street, and town avenue.
Buy Now, Save Money and Take Your Chance
WM. H. PARK
103 N. Broadway

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WASHINGTON

Feb. 22, 1732



1917 185 Years since Washington was Born
128 Years since his first Inauguration
118 Years since his Death

Honors to Washington

Wednesday last the mortal remains of Washington the author of this he friend of a tomb with pomp," in the burial of the Union published in 1800. All the news of the day appears in the paper, as it is the only one of its kind in the city. It is a modest but a genuine and valuable publication.

Washington

Rebel and patriot, he led the way
When shackled manhood cried for
championing,
He of the breed that long had
learned to bring
The low bowed, pliant neck to scap-
tered sway—
The breed that worshiped the
anointed clay
And right divine attached to any-
thing
Empurpled and enthroned and chris-
tened "king."
His foe was Privilege; he won the
day.
His fathers' idols, old, unique, su-
preme,
These were his targets when he took
his stand
To cleanse his native country's deed
and dream,
To make sweet Freedom bloom
throughout the land—
Rebel and patriot and partisan,
Lover of Justice and his fellow man.
—James C. McNally.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

A Test of Memory

Mr. Editor:

In passing Mr. Henry Miller on Broadway this city, I said to him "during the time you resided at Mid-dletown Point or Matawan, as it is now named, do you remember my publishing the village newspaper?" He replied very distinctly, "it was a regular visitor at my house." Now, I was not the founder of the paper, as I only succeeded Editor Rutzen Schanck. The printing office was a stock concern owned by residents of Matawan and vicinity, and passed through vicissitudes until it came into possession of a permanent owner. Mr. Miller also remembered what a thriving village Matawan was at that time. Business here could be heard from one end of the town to the other. Among its varied industries was one of the largest wagon and carriage factories in the United States which sent its production all over the country. Mr. Miller also remem-bered that at the foot of the town there was a navigable stream upon which pilot steamboats and sailing vessels, which were owned by the merchants of the town and that constituted Matawan as the magnet that drew the trade of Monmouth county. In the town were located ten or twelve of the largest stores in the state. As shipping facilities were very meagre in those days the pro-ducers of Monmouth and Middlesex counties were very glad to avail themselves of the services rendered by the merchants who received what- ever farmers had to offer and paid them. The time had now arrived when I decided to sever my connection with the Matawan newspaper and I migrated to a Southern state, and in the town to which I went, I located its first printing office, and published its first newspaper, and it was highly appreciated which was evidenced by the extreme cordiality that I was treated while residing among the people of that locality. At the end of two years I could see that there was a dark cloud hover- ing in the distance, which would shortly overshadow the town, and however cordial our relations were, I was no secessionist and did not desire any part or lot in the new government they sought to establish, and I migrated to South Amboy and strange to say I located in this com- munity their first printing office and published their first newspaper, which was well received and drew the friendship of this community. I con- tinued the printing office and pub- lished the newspaper for about three years, when the press of other busi- ness became so great it crowded me out of the office. The newspaper contained unique features. During the existence of the newspaper the people of the township of South Amboy the United States government assessed and collected an income tax and as far as I have been able to learn this was the only community that was assessed and paid an income tax to the United States. It was as- serted afterward that the assess- ment and collection was unconstitu- tional. At the time I made some ef- fort to ascertain how the mistake was made and what became of the money, but could not get any clue. I interrogated Hon. B. F. Howell, whose brother, B. O. Howell, was assessed and paid the tax and whose name was published among the list. Mr. Howell said he could not answer my question. The publication of the assessment and collections of the in- come tax was a feature in the paper never published before. Although the tax has been assessed and col- lected since 1913, the names and amounts have never been published in any newspaper, therefore I claim my publication was the only paper in the United States that ever pub- lished an assessed and collected in- come.

The advertising department of the paper was also uniquely conducted. So that you readers can readily com- prehend, I will illustrate in the fol- lowing manner: Max Kaufman, who is a dry goods merchant located on Broadway this city, and John Wan- amaker, big dry goods merchant, located on Broadway, New York City, whose advertisements appear in our South Amboy Citizen occasionally. I think I am voicing Mr. Kaufman's sentiments that he will get no cus- tomers from New York City, but I do not think he would like to say that John Wanamaker would not get any trade from South Amboy as a result of advertising in our Citizen. As to outsiders I only published advertisements for those manufact- urers whose goods were sold by the business people in this vicinity.

L. F. MEINZER.

Madge—So you consider it an ideal match? Marjorie—Yes; he has money, and she knows how to spend it.—Judge.
The man who praises the baby wins the mother's smile.
Love and coins may be tested by the ring.

NOTICE OF INTENTION.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, of the intention of the Common Council of the City of South Amboy to introduce and pass an Ordinance providing for and regulating the reception of sealed bids and proposals for the erection or driving of test wells in the city of South Amboy. Said ordi- nance will be introduced at the council meeting to be held in the City Hall on February 27th, 1917, at 8 p. m.

Objections to said ordinance must be made in writing and mailed to the City Clerk or objectors may appear in person and be heard at said meet- ing.

RICHARD M. MACK,
City Clerk.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Middlesex County, N. J., for the ex- traordinary repair of South Amboy Sayreville road Section 1, in the City of South Amboy and Township of Sayreville in the County of Middlesex with a Warrenite surface upon a concrete foundation; estimated amount of surface pavement required is 17, 580 square yards, of foundation 17,580 square yards; and opened and read in public at County Record Building, New Brunswick, N. J., on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and form of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work, prepared by Alvin B. Fox, Middlesex County Engineer, and approved by the State Commission of Public Roads have been filed in the office of said engineer at 125 Smith street, Perth Amboy, and of the said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the spec- ifications and blue prints of the draw- ings by the engineer on proper notice and payment of the cost of prepara- tion. Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the man- ner designated therein and require by the specifications, must be en- closed in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of the bidder on the outside, addressed to the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Mid- dlesex County, N. J., and must be ac- companied by a certified check or cash for not less than \$1,000.00 and be delivered at the place on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications copies of which will be furnished on application to the engineers.

By order of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Middlesex County, N. J. ASHER W. RISSETT,
2-10-3 Clerk.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

TO IRA C. GOODNOW, HIS HEIRS, devisees and personal representa- tives.

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey made on the date hereof in a cause wherein Frederic M. P. Pearse is complainant, and you and others are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Com- plaint on or before the twenty-sixth day of March next or the said bill will be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed for the pur- pose of foreclosing the right of red- emption under a certain sale of lands for taxes held by the Collector of Taxes of the Borough (now City) of South Amboy on the thirty-first day of December, 1907, the complain- ant being the purchaser at said sale of the following described premises, situate, lying and being in the Borough (now City) of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and State of New Jer- sey, known and distinguished on the duplicate tax assessment book of said Borough (now City) of South Amboy as aforesaid, as lots numbers 43 and 44 in Block 42.

And you are made defendants be- cause you claim or are claimed to have some title, interest or estate in the said premises.

Dated, January 24th, 1917.
DANIEL W. APPLEGATE,
2-10-6 Solicitor for Complainant.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY TAKE notice, that the Subscribes, administrator with the will annexed, etc., of George Henry, de- ceased, intends to exhibit his final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the ninth day of March, 1917, at 10 a. m., in the Term of December 1916, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surro- gate.

Dated January 29, 1917.
FREDERICK C. REHPUSSE,
2-7-5 Administrator with the will annexed.

NOTICE.

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

WILLIAM J. BOWE,
Administrator of James H. Gordon
deceased.

WE SELL PIANOS

No fake premium certificates given, no prize puzzles, no humbug of any kind, but simply honest value for your money. Tuning and Repairing at Right Prices.

HARRY PARISEN
201 David Street South Amboy

SAM GOLD THE TAILOR

All kinds Cleaning, Pressing, Dyeing, neatly done at reasonable prices. ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

107 N. Broadway South Amboy

Sawtay Taste and Odor Test

Take two saucers. Place a tea- spoonful of the fat you are now using in one, and a teaspoonful of

SAWTAY 100% Pure Butter-of-Nuts For Baking Shortening-Frying

in the other. Heat them on the back of the stove. Observe which melts the more quickly.

After they are melted, smell and taste the SAWTAY. You will find it wholly without taste or odor. Then, smell and taste the other fat! Keep in mind that whatever odor and taste the fat has, it imparts to the food.

FRESH APPLE PIE

2 cups flour 1/2 teaspoonful salt 1 cup Sawtay
Mix salt and flour well, add SAWTAY; work gently until SAWTAY is thoroughly blended with flour, then add just enough water to hold pastry together. Divide into two equal parts; roll one and line pie plate. Mix one cup of sugar with two tablespoons flour; stir this well through the fresh apples; then fill the crust and dot the top of the apples with one teaspoon SAWTAY, cover with other crust, folding the top crust under the bottom one, and pinching the edge. Brush the top with a little milk and bake from 30 to 40 minutes in a moderate oven.

SAWTAY is economical—Use 1/3 less & over & over

Send for "From Soup to Nuts"
Book of Recipes and Reasons

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Installing of Electric Starting and Lighting Systems
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REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS DONE
WE CAN FIX YOUR AUTO TROUBLES

Cars Stored and Cleaned Supplies of All Kinds

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

ADJOURNED SALE.

TO ANNIE LEARY:—

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the date hereof in a cause wherein Harry C. Perrine, Individually and as Administrator of the Estate of Harry C. Perrine, deceased, is com- plainant, and you are defendant, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint on or before the third day of April next or the said Bill will be taken as con- fessed against you.

The said Bill is filed for the pur- pose of foreclosing the right of red- emption under a certain sale of land for taxes held by the Collector of Taxes of the Borough (now City) of South Amboy on the thirtieth day of October, nineteen hundred and five, the said Harry C. Perrine, deceased, being the purchaser at said sale of the following described premises, situate, lying and being in the Borough (now City) of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, known and distinguished on the dupli- cate tax assessment book of said Borough (now City) of South Amboy as aforesaid, as lots numbers 18 and 19 in Block 45.

And you are made defendant be- cause you claim or are claimed to have some title, interest or estate in the said premises.

Dated, February 2nd, 1917.
FREDERIC M. P. PEARSE,
2-10-4 Solicitor for Complainant.

Some women are afraid in the dark and others are afraid of light.

A black eye indicates a revengeful nature—the other fellow's.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF the Orphans' Court of the County of Middlesex made on the second day of June, nineteen hundred and sixteen, the subscriber, the guardian of Daniel Buckley, a lunatic, will on the

TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF FEBRU-
ARY,

nineteen hundred and seventeen, at two o'clock in the afternoon sell at public vendue, upon the premises, all those certain two (2) lots of land situate, lying and being in South Amboy, formerly the Township of Sayreville, in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, designat- ed as lots numbers twenty-five (25) and twenty-six (26), in Block num- ber eight (8), on map of lots survey- ed by Andrew S. Disbrow, Esq., the tenth, (10) day of December, A. D. 1866, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County of Middlesex aforesaid, bounded as follows, viz: BEGINNING eighty-seven (87) feet from the northeast corner of Ridge- way Avenue and Conover Street; thence (1) along the line of said Conover Street westerly fifty (50) feet to corner of lot number twenty- seven (27); thence along the line of said lot number twenty-seven (27) northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence (3) parallel with said Conover Street easterly fifty (50) feet to corner of lot number four (4); thence (4) along the rear line of lot number four (4), three (3), two (2) and one (1) southerly one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning.

W. B. McMICHAEL,
Guardian.
Dated, Asbury Park, New Jersey,
November 20, 1916. 1-20-4

SPORTING COMMENT.

COMPANY H TEAM

DEFEAT THE RIVERSIDES

In one of the cleanest games that has been played on the K. of P. court the Riversides went down to defeat in a whirlwind contest against Company H. boys, of Asbury Park, last Friday night. The game was featured by brilliant plays on the part of both teams and the final score of 30 to 33 shows the equality of the teams.

The game was a long time in getting under way because of the late arrival of the Parkite team. They came by automobile and failed to allow for road conditions which rendered fast driving almost an impossibility. Once under way, however, the fans were more than repaid for their long wait, while the orchestra was working overtime banging out one steps, two steps and fox trots. From the start to the finish it was fast and furious every minute with difficult shots and brilliant bits of play bringing the fans to their feet to vigorously applaud every little while.

The first score of the game was made by Sanderson, the soldier forward, when he made good on the first of the two fouls that were called on the Rivies in the first half of the game. The first field pointed was scored by Knapp, Sanderson's side partner at the forward position. Then John McCreery rung up a double-pointer on a long shot and the game was well under way.

The game was notable for the few fouls that were called on the players. During the game the Parkites were called for but two fouls, both of them in the last half; and the local team was penalized for but four during the game, two in each half. It was also remarkable that not even once during the contest were the Riversides in the lead in the scoring.

Although the Company H. boys had handed out a pair of defeats to the Riversides on the Armory Court last year the Rivies had confidently figured on doing the same as they did last year—defeating the visitors on the local court at least. The visitors sprung a surprise on the locals, however, which surprise resulted in the Rivies sustaining the second defeat on their home court and the third which has been handed them this season. The soldiers had built up an unusually strong combination for the game with the Rivies and came here in tip top condition. They were evidently both prepared and determined to beat the Riversides and they did and did it so thoroughly that even the Rivie players were compelled to admit admiration for the prowess of the Parkite players.

The Rivies were short the services of "Hank" Thomas and used Harrigan, a new man with a big reputation, at the pivot position. Harrigan appeared to be an unusually clever and experienced player and gave ample demonstration of his ability but was unable to locate the baskets successfully. His only field goal was made when he was right under the basket where he could almost roll the ball into the point-counting net. In all other respects, however, the new man made good and with familiarity with the baskets should prove a valuable addition to the Rivie ranks.

The Rivies started a rally several times during the contest but each time the soldiers seemed to experience but little difficulty in either breaking up the rally or else pushing the score still higher by the adoption of offensive tactics. Taken all in all the fans were more than convinced that the visitors were able to outplay the Rivies in every department of the game.

In a last minute effort to save the game the Rivies put in Harold Evans, who hasn't been playing much since the Newark Turner game on account of a badly sprained knee. Evans was in the game about half a minute when Referee Cantlon caught him in the act of soaking one of the soldiers in the ear with his fist. A foul was called, of course, and the fans did more than help the referee call Evans down for the foul. The Rivie fans are an unusually fair-minded lot, as a rule, and any player that persists in fouling intentionally and following the practice of what is known as "dirty" playing will not long remain much of a favorite, no matter how good a player he may be.

The Rivies are scheduled to again play the Company H boys at Asbury Park on St. Patrick's Day, on which occasion they will be the guests of the soldiers over the week end. Last year the Rivies were the chief actors at a big benefit game on the Armory and remained the guests of the Company H team over the week end, "the having had a good time."

game was average in number and quite enthusiastic. The manager of the Rivie enterprise, Harold Hoffman, deserves a lot of credit for the excellence of the games he stages. The teams that are brought here are without doubt the best that can be procured and there is always the certainty that there will be an exciting game when the Riversides play.

Following is the score of last week's game:

Company H. (33) Rivies (30)
Knapp forward McCreery, Evans
Sanderson forward Cantlon
Wyllie center Harrigan
Kuterim, Gracey guard Burris
Ferry guard Allen
Field Goals—Knapp, 6; Cantlon, 6;
Kuterim, 5; McCreery, 5; Allen, 3;
Sanderson, 2; Ferry, 2; Harrigan, 1.
Fouls—Sanderson, 3; Cantlon, 1.

FOR MATINEES.

A Gown Designed For
Decorative Afternoon Use.

Brown chiffon velvet and satin combined feature this frock, trimmed with velvet buffons and narrow cordings.



DRESSY EFFECT.

A bit of sensibly bands the Lanvin neck, and a toque of the same velvet gives an airship effect that is very nutty. The skirt is velvet ribbon.

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

Lessons Learned in Play Leave an Everlasting Impression Upon Character.

A child's play is really its most important business, for in it the exercise necessary for the growing body is obtained, and at the same time lessons are learned which leave an everlasting impress on the character. For this reason it seems almost incomprehensible that any mother should be satisfied to provide her children with toys that violate its good taste or by a too complete mechanism deprive their owner of the joy of achievement, the necessity of using his or her quick wittedness or imagination.

There is no need to give a baby one of those repulsively ugly rag dolls with staring eyes and distorted features when there are lovely, cuddly bunny rabbits with bright colored coats and dear, soft little doggies which can be held in their little master's arms as he goes off to the by-by land, and these pretty toys will be cultivating his sense of proportion and artistic truth and at the same time giving him a soft corner in his heart for his four footed neighbors.

From Japan comes a very complete set of doll's furniture which would delight any small homemaker. It is cut out of a solid block of Wang Yung wood and can be reassembled into a block again by the use of a little patience and ingenuity, a fact that makes it a most instructive toy, carrying out the Montessori game of solids in a more advanced and more interesting form.

Another fascinating toy which would bring joy to any little boy and to a good many girls is a carpenter's blue apron with a wide pocket, in which there is a very complete set of diminutive tools, and for the more domesticated wee lady there is a doll's dress-making outfit put up in an attractive box.

With toys such as these, not to mention the better known games in which many can take part, a child can at a very small cost be taught to educate himself unconsciously, learning lessons that are of far greater value for "er than many of those given in a room."

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FOR YOUNG FOLKS

Sleepy Time Story About a Greek Girl.

MYSTERY OF A QUEER VASE.

What Happened When a Curious Little Person Lifted the Lid—Many Woes Came Out to Sadden the People of the World—An Odd Garden in Germany.

Tonight, said Uncle Ben, to little Ned and Polly Ann, I am going to tell you a story that has come down from antiquity. It is about

A PEEPING GIRL.

Curiosity is wanting to know about things that don't concern you. It nearly always gets folks into trouble.

There was Pandora. I think I shall have to tell you about her.

Pandora was a lovely young Greek girl. She had everything that heart could wish for when she was born. The gods who lived in their beautiful place on Mount Olympus had each given her a splendid birthday present. She received beauty from one, health from another, talent from another, and so on.

There was one old god, though, who thought he would play a joke on the others. So he waited until the other gods had all given their gifts, and then he gave Pandora the gift of curiosity.

Though Pandora as she grew up was said to be given to poking her pretty little nose into things that didn't concern her and asking so many questions that her guardian, old Epimetheus, was often greatly put out, she was such a charming girl and so clever that he overlooked this little fault.

Now, little faults sometimes make as great trouble as great big naughtinesses, and in Pandora's case this turned out to be especially true.

Old Epimetheus had stored away in a safe place in his house a very costly vase. The vase was always covered and in a place where no one was allowed to go.

Pandora often wondered about the vase, and she asked Epimetheus so many questions about it that he thought it wise to lecture her every now and then about staying out of the room in which the vase was kept.

The more he warned her not to go near it the more curious she became about the vase.

"I don't see how one little peep could hurt it or me," she said to herself.

So one day when Epimetheus was away from home Pandora crept into the room.

Pandora crept behind the curtain. There stood the vase in the corner covered with a dark cloth. She lifted the cloth and then started as she heard a queer humming and buzzing inside the vase.

Carefully she lifted the lid, but before she could peep in a dark winged thing had darted out and then another and another.

Pandora was so frightened that she did not know what to do. Epimetheus rushed into the room, but the vase was nearly empty. Only one little sprite remained in the bottom of the vase. His name was Hope. Care, Sickness, Poverty and all sorts of evil sprites had flown away to wander about the world ever since, but we still, thanks to Epimetheus, have Hope with us to comfort us when the evil sprites are tormenting us too much.

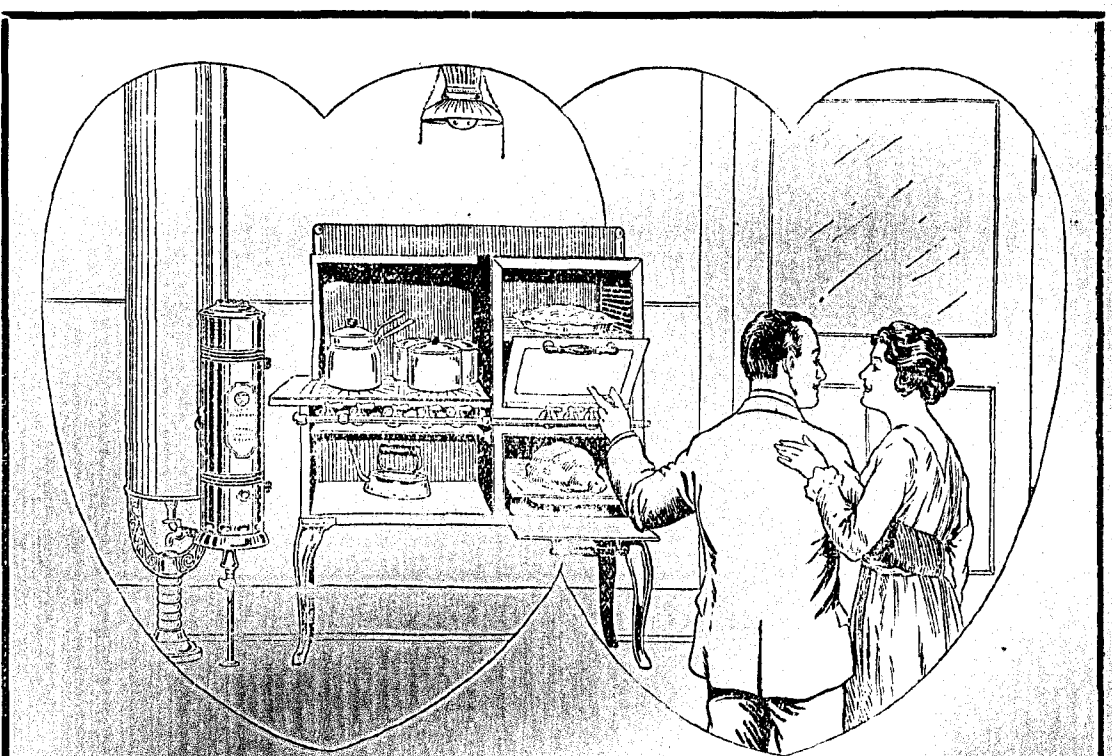
An Interesting Garden.

One of the most interesting gardens in the world, to children at least, is one in Berlin. The owner of the place has adorned it with statuary that every child would be glad to see, because



STATUE OF RED RIDING HOOD.

there he has placed groups of fairies and pixies and all sorts of the queer little people children love. A notable place in the garden is a little pond where a story and rejoices was saved from the forest.



True Thoughtfulness Shown By These Valentine Day Gifts

Pleasing, helpful and enduring gifts are these you can bestow upon your wife—a Cabinet Gas Range, Gas Water Heater and a self-heated Gas Iron. What better than a kitchen thus equipped?

Consider the years of service they will give:

- the added time your wife will have for rest and recreation through the doing away with the work coal and ashes cause, and the building and tending of the coal range fire;
- how much cleaner and sanitary the kitchen can be kept;
- how much more appetizing and healthful the food will be when cooked by the even, perfectly controlled gas heat;
- how much less the expenditures for fuel will be than with a coal range constantly consuming fuel;
- how quickly and inexpensively water can be heated for any purpose, and how quickly and easily ironing can be done.

A Cabinet Gas Range, like the one illustrated, costs \$37.00—\$3.00 payable April 2d; balance \$3.00 monthly.

A Gas Water Heater of the type shown costs \$18.50—\$2.00 payable April 2d; balance \$2.00 monthly.

Five per cent. discount for cash.

75c per month buys a Gas Iron.

To place your order at once will enable you to avoid disappointment, as manufacturers and railroads are having difficulty in making deliveries.

You can also buy to better advantage RIGHT NOW, because all materials used in constructing Gas Ranges and Gas Water Heaters are constantly increasing in price.

PUBLIC SERVICE



Plentitude.
There's good advice on every hand
And needlessly we pass it by.
An article for which demand
Will never equal the supply.
—Washington Star.

Possibly So.

Do Hunt—Yes, I had a narrow escape from a rhinoceros.
Do Quiz—And what saved you?
Do Hunt—The fact that the rhinoceros could not climb a tree and something to do with it—Exchange.

After Marriage.
He told her she was queerly;
Results were grim.
Today he feels that keenly—
She's ruling him.
—San Francisco Chronicle.

Rather.



"I was in college once, mum, but I had to quit."
"Too much brain work!"
"Well, it did jar me brains. You see I had the job of a tackling dummy on the football field."—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Doubts Heredity.

"Do you believe in heredity?"
"No."
"Why not?"
"Look at the cheap sk."

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Amboy, N. J.

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IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.
TO CHARLES WATSON:
By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey made on the date hereof in a cause wherein Maude L. Watson is complainant and you and others are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint on or before the eleventh day of April, 1917, or the said bill will be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed for the partition of real estate of the complainant and the defendants, namely the following described premises situate in the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey known as lots Nos. 9 to 20, both inclusive, in Block 31 on a certain lot titled "Map of the Village of Amboy made by John Perrine, or, June 1835."

I am made a defendant because I have an undivided right, interest in said premises.

FREDERIC M. P. PEARSE,
Solicitor for Complainant,
738 Broad street,
N. J.

ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

Lent will begin on Wednesday next.

Next Thursday will be Washington's Birthday.

Mr. Alexander Parison, of Pine avenue, succeeded in passing the requirements for a license last week to drive an automobile.

Mr. George Morgan, of Ward avenue, has left the employ of Wyckoff & Rue, to accept a position with the Public Service Gas Company in this city.

Mr. A. L. Way, of Bordentown avenue, engineer for the Public Service Gas Co., has been transferred to Somerville and will remove there shortly.

The trolley roadbed on Bordentown avenue is becoming so extremely rough that a ride over it in a fast moving car is far from being a pleasant experience.

The Board of Education will offer a gold and a silver medal to the winners in the Spelling Bee elimination contest to be held in the schools in May.

The munition shipping industry at this port is having a disagreeable effect upon several of the local insurance agents. Some have already been requested to send in their commissions.

Lodge 1554, Loyal Order of Moose, will hold a regular meeting next Monday night, owing to there not being a quorum present last Monday night. All members are requested to be present.

Anyone desiring a good spiritual feast, go to the church on the corner of Second street and Stevens avenue, on Thursday evening and enjoy the meetings, get a supply. All are welcome.

It is rumored that the Common Council is considering favorable action in the matter of mounting the memorial guns which were secured for the local G. A. R. members through the efforts of Congressman T. J. Scully.

The Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, D. D., of Brooklyn, N. Y., will give one of his famous lectures in the Knights of Pythias Hall on Tuesday, February 20, at 8 o'clock p. m., for Senior Class, South Amboy High School. Everybody should avail themselves of hearing him. Admission 35 cents.

A meeting of the Ushers' Union of the Methodist Protestant Church was held at the home of Mr. Peter M. Georgeson on First street, on Tuesday evening, of this week, to elect officers for the ensuing year and talk over matters pertaining to the business for which they are organized.

The play "The Thread of Destiny" which was given so successfully here last May, will be repeated in the High School auditorium at Matawan next Tuesday evening by a number of local players. A large following will go to Matawan from here to again enjoy the success of the troupe.

The last social event in Sayreville before the Lenten Season will be the monster masquerade ball under the auspices of the Harry Williams-Joe Cheeseman Association on Tuesday evening next at Allgair's pavilion. Music will be by Lehman's orchestra. Six cash prizes will be given away. Tickets only 25 cents.

Mrs. Edith Smith Davis, A. M. Litt. D., Superintendent of Scientific Temp. Instruction and Investigation of the "World's and National Woman's Christian Temperance Union," will give a lecture in the Baptist Church, Second street, on Monday evening, February 19, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Davis is a trained woman, being a graduate of several colleges. Every one is invited to attend and hear this very able speaker. A silver offering will be taken.

FOR HIRE—A seven passenger closed car for receptions, weddings, funerals and touring. J. J. Scully, Stevens avenue. 1-20

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the South Amboy Post Office for the week ending February 17:

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Honey Crisp Corn Flakes, pkg. 8c	Oyster or Trenton Crackers, lb. 10c	Cream of Rice, pkg. 14c
Pleasant View Brand Corn, can 12c	Good Mixed Tea, lb. 29c	Frehofer's Elbow Macaroni, pkg. 9c
Best Blue Rose Rice, loose, lb. 7c	Long Island Brand Catsup, bot. 10c	Ready Maid Soups, can 9½c
Banjo Brand Salmon, can 10c	Cranberries, qt. 9c	Onsommone and Boullion
Epicure Brand Hominy, pkg. 9c	Winall Brand Peas, can 12c	Sweetheart Toilet Soap, cake 4c
Kellogg's Krumbles, pkg. 9c	Columbia River Salmon, can 18c Coronet Brand	Yacht Club Salad Dressing, bot. 19c
Noodles, loose, lb. 9c	Lard, white compound, lb. 17½c	Santos Coffee, good drinker lb. 20c
High Grade Baked Beans, can 11c		

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Royal Glue, bottle 10c
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A HOMEMADE FIRELESS.

A Stout Wooden Box, Old Newspapers and Hay the Chief Requisites.

A fireless cooker is almost a necessity in the up to date kitchen, but the expense is a serious consideration with the young housewife. However, a very satisfactory substitute can be made at virtually no cost and will prove an economical means of boiling and stewing.

Get a wooden box with a hinged lid; line it with newspapers or packing paper; then cover the papers with balze or felt. Cover the lid inside in the same manner. Press enough hay firmly into the bottom of the box to form a compact layer six inches deep. Fill the box with hay, pressing it well against the sides, and make nests for the pans or enseroles you intend to use, leaving a partition of hay between them and a space of six inches between the top of the pots and the box lid. To fill this space you make a mattress-like cushion of balze and fill it tightly with hay. It must fit the top of the box tightly and be six inches thick. See the contents of the pans are absolutely boiling when put in. If opened during cooking they must be rebolled.

You can make easily any kind of stew, of meat, game or poultry, by cooking it over the fire in the usual way for twenty minutes and when boiling putting it into the hay box, covering it with the cushion, shutting up the lid and leaving it six hours. Lentil, pea or mixed vegetable soups require thirty minutes' boiling on the fire and four hours in the hay box. Boiled meat requires thirty minutes' boiling for a small joint and forty-five for one of five pounds and four to five hours in the hay box. Beefsteak pudding requires an hour's steady boiling on the fire and four to five hours in the hay box; suet pudding the same. Soft vegetables, like potatoes, and cereals, like rice, sago, tapioca, macaroni, require five minutes' boiling and one and a half hours in the box. Haricot beans, lentils, carrots, turnips, require twenty minutes' boiling and three hours in the box. Oatmeal porridge can be cooked fifteen minutes on the fire, then left all night in the box and be given five minutes on the fire before serving at breakfast. Any kind of fruit can be stewed in the hay box. It is best to make a sirup of sugar and water, add cloves, lemon or any flavoring liked, bring to the boil, add the fruit and let it simmer ten minutes; put into the cooker and leave three hours. Small fruit takes less time. Any dish that is to be eaten hot must be brought to the boil after taking it out of the hay box before serving.

Childish Modes.
For the very small girl the short one piece smock over bloomers is a favored play costume and is made up in all the sturdier tub stuffs, with touches of smocking, cross stitch, feather stitch or other embroidery or with tiny contrasting binding.

About Pockets.
We are to be "pocketed" the coming season as never before, and who will admit that this fashion feature can fall to please us and inspire in our hearts and minds a very strong and substantial desire for new clothes?

MILLINERY

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Arabic Figures.
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Veal for Stewing 2 lbs. 25c	Sirloin, Porterhouse or Round Steaks 22c lb.
Small Leg of Veal Full Cut 15¾c lb.	
Prime Rib ROAST 16c-18c lb	Chopped Meat 16c lb FRESH CHOPPED
Roasting Chickens 26¾c lb.	Rump of Veal Milk Fed 14c lb.
Lamb and Veal Chops 21c lb.	
BEEF STEAKS Nice and tender 17c lb	ROAST PORK
Loose or Link Sausage 19½c lb.	Sirloin or P'terh'se Roast
Armour's Star Hams - 20½c lb	Fresh Hams -
VEAL CHOPS 18c lb	25c SPECIALS! 3 lbs FRESH PIGS FEET..... 25c 2½ lbs PICKLED PIGS FEET..... 25c 2 lbs SOUP MEAT..... 25c 2½ lbs SOUR KROUT..... 25c
Roast of Veal 13c lb.	
Chuck Roast 7 lbs. 98c	Calif. Hams 16¾c lb
Fancy T. Butter 31c lb	Pure Leaf Lard 18c lb
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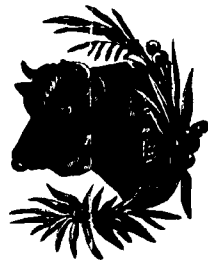
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? BY NIBOR. ?

Fellow in Perth wasted ten perfectly good bullets trying to commit suicide. One took effect in his heel. Why did he not aim a few feet higher, he would then have succeeded in blowing out his brains?

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What has become of the old fashioned man who after "setting 'em up" for a couple of friends, slammed a handful of change on the bar and let the man behind help himself?

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Why is it the family with a bunch of boys in the house is always the one that lets the sun remove the snow from the sidewalk? Awk!

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It is reported the new Packer House in Perth is to open February 22. Isn't that appropriate now? Such an old colonial name as Floresch is somehow inseparably identified with thoughts of Valley Forge, the Minute Men, etc. By gracious sakes, sure Mike!

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Recently a young lady of this city journeyed to Perth and purchased five pairs of shoes. A local druggist shopped at home and bought six pairs of pedal protectors. Is this a result of the war scare? Oh no, Trilby, it simply proves men do not care as much about trolley rides as do young ladies.

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Before another election a few "Seally Punches" might help some around South River. What any men?

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Who is the local gentleman of wide acquaintance who has lost faith in the president since the recent diplomatic break? If he is afraid the George street bridge might be destroyed, he should quiet his fears as the folks on the wrong side of it are not worrying any.

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Fellow in New Brunswick named K. A. Long says he is going to quit shouting "Too proud to fight" and changed it to "Thank God for Bryan." Why not say Thank God for Jalen and take a dose, Kid? It will be good for what's ailing of you both.

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Prolonged visits are apt to deal hospitality a death blow.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the trustees of the South Amboy Yacht Club for sale of property now owned by them. It consists of nineteen building lots, with 100 feet of shore front, together with a strip 20 feet wide, running 100 feet from Bordentown avenue. For further particulars, call on or address,

CHARLES STEUERWALD,
2-3-11 Commodore.

PERSONAL

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

Orlando Perrine, of Long Branch was a local visitor last Saturday.

Mr. George Seward, of George street, was a Newark visitor on Tuesday.

Rev. C. S. Lewis, of Main street, was a New York visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Petty, of Main street, visited her mother at Gibbstown this week.

Charles Welsh, of Henry street, spent Sunday and Monday visiting at Morganville.

Miss Bertha Heath, proprietress of the First street restaurant, is recovering from serious illness.

Mrs. Michael Campbell and sons of Philadelphia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Kenah over Sunday last.

Miss Margaret Gallagher has not yet recovered sufficiently to be able to resume her duties as teacher in School No. 1.

Miss Mary Mount of Municipal Hospital, Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Compton of Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Costigan of Washington, D. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Kenah the fore part of the week.

Miss Mary Mount, formerly of this city and Dr. Darby of Philadelphia, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Mount of Main street.

Mr. S. P. Rose, of Lower Broadway, has been confined to his home all the week suffering from a sprained knee sustained last Saturday.

George W. Lykes of the Bronx, New York, has been spending a few days with his sons and daughter at the old homestead on George street this city.

Miss Mary Ward Ball of Blomington returned home Monday last, being a guest of Miss Fanny M. Minner, at the M. P. Parsonage for a few days.

Mr. N. N. Pearce, of Second street, has been confined to his home by injuries received while in the performance of his duties as a carpenter.

Superintendent of Schools O. O. Barr, of Stevens avenue, was a Newark visitor on Wednesday for the purpose of attending a conference of School Superintendents of the State and the Principals of the State Normal Schools.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Primka on February 10th in honor of Mrs. Primka's birthday. The evening was spent in dancing, singing and other parlor amusements. Mrs. Primka received many pretty and useful gifts. Refreshments were served and at a late hour the guests departed for their homes.

Among those present were: Mrs. Brownmiller and Miss Katherine Sorensen, of Perth Amboy; Mr. and Mrs. Nels Martinsen, Mr. and Mrs. Helmar Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Petersen, Mrs. F. Nielsen, Mrs. Petersen, Mrs. Mathilda Petersen, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Chr. Miller, Mrs. Niel Johnson, the Misses Anna Miller, Agnes Shannon, Anna McCormack, Clara Anderson, Catherine Shannon, Margaret Johnson, and Emily Nielsen, the Messrs. Timothy McCue, Thomas Armstrong, Anthony Connors, Walter Cummings, James Miller, Louis Petersen, Louis Nielsen, Nels Nielsen, William Johnson, all of this city.

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Last week articles of incorporation of the Central Jersey Traction Company were issued, the incorporators being F. A. Cater of Keyport and James F. Shrader and Logan D. Gill of Philadelphia. The company is capitalized at \$800,000 and succeeds the Jersey Central Traction Company, which operates the trolley line from Perth Amboy to Highlands and Red Bank, and between Keyport and Matawan to Freehold. It is said a change in ownership has, or is about to take place, and that the new corporation was launched to conform to the requirements of the new owners—Matawan Journal.

And many a man never fails because he never tried.

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Ceresota Flour, 24½ lb. sack \$1.40
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White Corn Meal, per package 9c
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Pears, large can 20c

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per pkg.

Butterine, in prints lb. 23c
Special

Booth's Catsup, bot. 10c

Very Best Head Rice 3 lbs. 25c

Fancy Coffee, lb. - 21c

Fancy Mixed Tea, special, lb. 29c

Wilton Red Kidney Beans, can 10c

Cali. Dried Peaches, lb. - 10c

Sun Maid Raisins, 2 pkg 25c

Uneda Biscuit, pkg. 4c
Fresh from the oven.

Fancy Peaches, can 15c
No. 3 cans

Potted Meat, can - 4c

Early June Peas, 2 cans 25c

Octagon or Fels Naptha Soap, 6 for 25c

With other groceries

Vulcanol, large can 8c

Karo Syrup, can - 10c

Ohio Blue Tip Matches 6 for 25c

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Methodist Episcopal Church Epistles

Several strangers at the church service last Sunday morning. One said to the pastor, "We feel at home here." The disposition of all our churches is to make strangers welcome.

The cold weather prevented several of the older members from attending the evening service, but a goodly number of the younger folks were in evidence. Notice how spirited the Song Service was? "Adventures in Life," was the subject the pastor preached upon.

Next Sunday afternoon will be the last Missionary Sunday this Conference year. A special effort will be made to make this offering a substantial one. Indications point to an increased gift to missions this year. The war in Europe has seriously interfered with this worthy cause. Several of our missionaries are with the Red Cross Society.

Just three more Sabbath days before the meeting of the New Jersey Conference at Atlantic City. The pastor is busy with the obligations he is expected to meet. Surely you will do your part. Even the price of a few movies would meet all financial demands.

Take your choice: "A chain is no stronger than its weakest link," or "An articulated flexible band made of numerous small interlocking elements has no greater resistance to rupture than is possessed by its frailest unit."

The church will never die. We need the church. We should uphold the church. A person who says we have too many churches and has not a word of complaint to make about the thirty or more saloons in a small town like South Amboy, is a mighty cheap skate. The church, the old-fashioned church, with the minister, the sermon and the singing. What sort of an excuse will some people make when the Reckoning Day Dawns.

The entertainment given by the members of the Junior League in the K. of P. Hall, last Monday night, was beyond our expectation. To surpass the evening of enjoyment given by the little folks, will have to be a "going some" proposition. There was a large audience in spite of the cold weather. The Sunday School orchestra was there with the music and won its share of applause. To Miss Eleanor Mason is due much praise for the hard work necessary to make the entertainment a success. She is equal to the occasion as was pleasingly seen. Over thirty-five dollars was realized. Good for the Juniors.

How to earn a dollar? That is the question. Members of the Ladies' Auxiliary are endeavoring to solve this scheme. When they hold their next meeting every member will be expected to tell how the money was earned. This will doubtless prove to be a very amusing time. The money thus earned will help considerably with the necessary expenses. Just a few pointers: Here is a funny caper, raise a dollar by selling paper. Another way to raise the cash, refrain from beefsteak, eat hash. Here is another scheme purchase a Ford instead of a L— But the best way we know is to raise a dollar out of dough.

Pardon me, brother Nibor, they would steal the bell. A better way would be to give the culprit's neck a wring.

Yes, we endeavor to keep the church warm on Sunday and so far have succeeded. We purchased our coal before it was sold by the karat.

At the business meeting of the Young People's Club it was decided to invite some of the neighboring societies at a sociable which will be held in the near future. Members of the official board are to be invited. Before closing the important meeting the society voted to give the official board five dollars.

Some improvements are to be made in the basement of the church. The kitchen department needs necessary work done, especially a new floor. A request from the Ladies' Auxiliary that the various departments of the church assist in the needed improvements, is a timely one and doubtless here will be a hearty response.

We presume that every church has workers and its shirkers. If the shirkers would become workers,

no church in this community would have to resort to so many schemes to meet honest demands.

Church services at the usual time next Sunday morning and evening. The pastor is preparing suitable sermons for the younger folks, as it is important that our children attend divine service. Parents will you assist us in endeavoring to impress upon the young minds the sacredness of the Lord's Day. God help you to do your part in training your children in the way they should go.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

The pastor's sermon on Sunday morning was founded on Mark 6:28: "First the blade, then the ear, then the full corn in the ear." The development, according to the laws of nature, is given in this text. This same method is also true of spiritual development. The farmer sows, the seed germinates and brings forth fruit, not suddenly but after the manner of its particular kind, in the due course of time. So it is in the Christian life, at first there is the change of purpose, commonly called conversion. This change of purpose bears fruit in the development of a beautiful character.

Just as we must wait until full time of fruition to gather a harvest, so we must wait many years to see a ripened Christian character. We must not look for a strong Christian character in a young convert. Such a discovery would be contrary to the laws of growth.

The most beautiful Christian characters are formed by battling with the trials and vicissitudes of life, through the various experience of many years. But the harvest of full development perfection will not be gathered on earth, not until "man goeth to his long home, and the mourners go about the streets," shall he attain perfection. Then we know he will be perfect for "When we see Him, we shall be like Him."

The pastor preached on the "Parable of The Good Samaritan on Sunday evening. The theme of his sermon was: "Who is my neighbor." In this parable Christ gives his conception of a neighbor. This conception of a neighbor removes the limitation of race, even though the Jews ordinarily had no dealings with the Samaritans, the Good Samaritan of the parable did not remember this against the sufferer, but did every thing in his power to relieve him.

This conception also removes the limits of space. Although the Samaritan had to leave the sufferer, he provided in every way for his comfort. We sometimes forget that we are responsible for the physical and spiritual well being of those removed from us by distance. There is no space limitations to the true Christ spirit.

This conception also transcends the limit of character. The Good Samaritan took nothing into consideration but the need of his fellow man and his power to supply that need. So we should minister to all, in the name of Christ, regardless of any petty earthly restrictions, our religion must be one of love and ministrations, one of neighborliness, according to Christ's conception of that term.

Jericho road represents life's highway. Along that road passed three types of character the priest or ceremonial type, those whose religion consists mostly in rites and ceremonies; the Levite or theoretical type, those whose religion consists in discussing church dogma and ecclesiastical theories; and the good Samaritan or neighborly type, those who show the true Christ spirit through a life of ministrations and love for others.

The opening exercises, in Sunday School, on Sunday last, were devoted to a history of the Freedman and information, as to what our church is accomplishing through "The Board of Freedman Aid," toward leading these people out of spiritual bondage, into the privilege of citizenship in Heaven.

Sunday School is always interesting, there are classes for everyone. Come out and enjoy it. School calls at ten o'clock.

The ladies of the congregation met at the manse on Tuesday afternoon, in order to organize "A Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society." Mrs. McCurry acted as chairman of the meeting and the following officers were, regularly, elected: President, Mrs. O. O. Barr.

First Vice-President, Miss Martha Buchanan.

Second Vice-President, Mrs. S. T. Kinney.

Secretary, Mrs. L. Sheppard.

Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Jones.

Much interest was manifested and a strong and efficient missionary

society is greatly desired. We pray "Thy Kingdom Come," let us use our time, talent and influence, toward the accomplishing of that prayer.

The prayer service held at 7.45 on Wednesday evening is always inspiring. Increase the interest, by increasing the attendance. Come out.

CHRIST CHURCH CHRONICLES

Holy Baptism was administered in Christ Church on Sexagesima to Henrietta, infant daughter of Theodore and Johanna White Sanders; and in private to Ruth Thirza, infant daughter of William and Thirza Haynes, on Monday, February 12.

We are glad to be able to report that Howard King, who suffered an alarming relapse about ten days ago, has rallied and is now steadily progressing toward recovery. We rejoice that our prayers for Howard's recovery seem to have been answered affirmatively, and we give God the praise that the impending cloud has been lifted from Mr. and Mrs. King.

The Rector of Christ Church had the pleasure to be the guest of Mr. James D. Van Pelt at the Testimonial Dinner given to Congressman Thomas J. Scully in St. Mary's Hall on last Monday night. Altogether it was the greatest affair we have seen or known in South Amboy and our humble burg may take pride unto herself for the admirable manner in which the entire affair was planned and carried out. And, by the way, we hope that we may be pardoned for saying that it was a matter of pride to the writer to note that Mr. Van Pelt (one of our own parishioners) was the chairman and that he presided with grace and dignity and made a very neat and appropriate speech.

The Girls' Friendly Society plans to entertain the G. F. S. of St. Peter's Church, Perth Amboy, in the parish house, on next Monday evening. Elaborate preparations are being made to make it a very pleasant occasion and we doubt not that our G. F. S. will leave nothing undone to make the affair thoroughly delightful for our visitors.

At the time the Chronicles are printed (Wednesday), it is too early to offer a report regarding the Masquerade Party given in honor of St. Valentine, but we shall speak of it in next week's issue.

Mark on your calendar now the services for Ash Wednesday (Wednesday of next week, Holy Communion at 10 a. m. and Evening Prayer at 7.30. There is no reason why the church should not be filled at both services. Start your Lent right! "Turn ye even to me, saith the Lord, with all your heart, and with fasting, and with weeping, and with mourning; and rend your heart, and not your garments, and repenteth him of the evil" (Joel 2, 12)

The Rev. Charles E. C. Oswald, Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, Jersey City, will be in charge of all services in Christ Church next Sunday. The Rector of Christ Church a number of years ago supplied for several months at Holy Cross and has received a number of invitations to come back and meet old friends, but hitherto has not been able to do so, and is glad that he is at last able to avail himself of the invitation to take service there and preach. It is also gratifying to the Rector that his people are to have the Rev. Mr. Oswald with them next Sunday. He is an excellent man and a forceful preacher, and we trust that there may be large congregations to greet him. The Rev. Mr. Oswald is widely known as an earnest and enthusiastic Christian Socialist.

Be sure to get a copy of our Lenten announcement cards at one of the services the coming Lord's Day, and be sure to put it in your Bible or Prayer Book where you may readily find it for consultation.

Parents, have you begun to think of Confirmation for your children? Only a few weeks more until the time appointed for the Bishop's Visitation, and the days are swiftly passing by. Confer with the Rector at once and have your child enrolled in the class.

The following telegram was recently sent to all our Church papers by the Right Rev. Theodore Irvine Reese, D. D., Conductor Bishop of Southern Ohio: "In present national crisis will you urge placing the American flag in all our churches following the cross in the procession"

or set on the Epistle side of the chancel, teaching the relation of the Church to patriotism and its Christian expression? The effect of such united action would be far-reaching. The relation of the Church to the birth of the nation creates opportunity for present leadership."

It would be a good thing if all our parishes would endeavor to carry out this excellent idea. It strikes us that there ought to be at all times a beautiful silk flag, the emblem of our national liberty, in every Chancel of the land. And it ought to be frequently borne in procession behind the Cross. Bishop Van Buren struck the right chord when he said on January 28, at the unfurling of the American flag and of the banner of the Cross in Calvary Church, Pittsburgh: "The banner of the Cross wears the sacredness of Calvary. The stars and stripes were consecrated at Lexington, at Bunker Hill, and amid the prayers and privations of Valley Forge. They gain no additional sacredness from the holy place where they are now standing. Rather, one may reverently say, they confer new consecration upon the holy place itself. They stand for God and Fatherland; for religion and patriotism; and there are no words in human speech, nor any conceptions in the heart of man more sacred than these."

Bishop Lawrence writes concerning the Pension Fund:

"I was coming down the steps of my house in Boston the other day, Cardinal O'Connell was passing. He stopped, shook hands and said:

"Bishop, I want to thank you and your Church for what you are doing for the better support and the pensions of the Clergy. You are bringing all the Clergy before the people as persons, as men who have human needs and troubles and everyday responsibilities. Too many people look upon the priests as officials only. You are helping everybody to feel that they are also men. God speed you in your great work, and he walked on."

As I went across the Common, I met the Rev. Dr. Gordon, Pastor of the Old South Church, a Scotchman and a preacher, who hailed me:

"Bishop, how is the good work going?"

I said that it was going well, but wished that I were attending to my own Diocese and not promoting a life insurance company. His answer was:

"Dr. Chalmers was a great man and a great preacher, and Scotland remembers him to-day for those things. The great work, however, that Dr. Chalmers did was the creation of the Sustentation Fund, for the ministers of Scotland, whereby to-day the Gospel is preached throughout the land with a power that it could not have had except for the work of Chalmers."

These two bits of testimony from men of two extreme points of view were of personal support.

They were far more than this—they suggest how all the churches in the country are looking to-day to the Episcopal Church to learn whether we shall succeed in setting up a pension system sound and assuring whereby the Clergy who are men as well as priests may preach the Gospel with greater power.

They are a challenge to us to set Church forward.

The Woman's Auxiliary have planned a series of meetings to be held at the homes of the members. On the first Monday, February 26, we are hoping to have Mrs. Phelps of Bound Brook, the Diocesan President. This meeting will be with Mrs. C. H. Muirhead. The next—March 5—Mrs. A. J. Miller; March 12—Mrs. W. P. Nichols; March 19—Mrs. R. M. Kerr; March 26—Mrs. C. R. Stutts; April 2—Mrs. F. E. DeGraw; April 16—Mrs. C. S. Lewis.

At a meeting of St. Martha's Guild held last Tuesday, the sum of \$200 was voted to the Rector for use in the "Christ Churchyard Improvement Fund." On behalf of the parish, dear ladies, thank! Also, it was voted to begin the collection of newspapers, magazines and waste paper at once. Let every family in the parish begin now to collect papers and hold same for the Guild. Definite announcement will appear in a week or two regarding the periodical gathering up of the same.

Skeletons.
The bones of an average man's skeleton weigh twenty pounds, those of an average woman's six pounds less.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Broadway and Church Street

Rev. D. Ernest McCurry, M. A., Pastor.
Services for the week beginning February 18th:

Sunday—
10.00 a. m. Sunday School. Meeting of the Men's Bible Class.
1.00 a. m. Morning worship. Subject of sermon: "God's Fellow-Workers."
7.00 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor. Topic: "Using What We Have." Leader: Miss Anna Bennett.
7.45 p. m. Evening worship. Subject of sermon: "The Parable of the Talents."
Wednesday—
1.00 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor
4.45 p. m. Prayer meeting.
A most cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the services of this church. Strangers and visitor welcome.

BAPTIST INKLINGS.

We had a good attendance at church Sunday morning and a helpful sermon.

We had a very good attendance at Sunday School. We were pleased to welcome some visitors from Brooklyn. Don't forget to ask some one else to come with you next Sunday.

The C. E. meeting was very interesting. The attendance was good.

The people turned out in goodly numbers to hear Pastor Rose of the Keansburg Methodist Church, who preached a very interesting sermon.

The Mission Circle held a very pleasant meeting on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Raymond Green on Second street. "Japan" was the subject and some interesting papers were read concerning the needs and opportunities of the missionary workers in that country.

The reception given last Wednesday evening by the Taylor Memorial Class to the Green Memorial Class was particularly a social success. It is hoped that an increase in attendance and interest in the Sunday School will be the result of this social affair.

A meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday School was held at the home of the Superintendent, C. H. Edwards on John street, on Wednesday evening. The "100 per cent. efficiency program" was discussed and plans were made for the betterment and enlarging of our Sunday School.

Prayer meeting was held in the lecture room of the church on Thursday evening. At the close of the service the Teacher Training Class met under the guidance of the pastor.

The Mission Circle will hold a Martha Washington Tea and miscellaneous sale on Wednesday evening, February 21st. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone. A silver offering will be taken.

A full report of the Older Boys' Conference by Edward Fisher will be printed in this paper next week.

It is suggested that laurel root may be used as a substitute for French briarwood in the manufacture of pipes for tobacco smokers. The stock of French briarwood has been exhausted on account of the war. It is shrewdly supposed that a good many makers of pipes have been using wood of the good old apple tree in its stead, and "saying nothing to nobody."

CITY GOVERNMENT.

1917

Mayor.....Alfred T. Kerr
President of Council.....M. J. Stanton
At-Large.....Frank Gordon
First Ward.....Richard U. Rue
Second Ward.....William H. Parisen
Third Ward.....Michael J. Stanton
Fourth Ward.....James W. Hackett

City Clerk.....Richard M. Mack
City Engineer.....A. T. McMichael
City Collector.....Frederick Delbert
Treasurer.....Elwood R. Brown
City Solicitor.....Leo J. Coakley
City Physician.....Dr. E. A. Meacham
Chief of Police.....James McDonnell
Police Justice.....William Birmingham
Water Commissioner.....John J. Braney
Street Commissioner.....John Connors
City Electrician.....Edward Dolan
Overseer of Poor.....William Woodward
Harbor Master.....Capt. Edward Van Buren
Fire Chief.....Frank Gordon
City Marshal.....Patrick McCabe
Registrar/Vital Statistics.....Wm. J. Nagle
Matron of Tompkins Home.....Mrs. A. Farrell

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President.....Irving L. Reese
Dr. Selden T. Kinney
Stanislaus Wiskowski
Health Inspector.....Nicholas Howley
Secretary.....George Kress
Treasurer.....Snowell Hawes
Plumbing Inspector.....Thomas Vail

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City Superintendent.....O. O. Barr
President.....A. L. Grace
Vice-President.....F. P. Coan
Secretary.....J. E. Coogan
Charles T. Mason
C. I. Bergen
Mrs. A. J. Miller

FIRE ALARM SIGNALS.

25 Center and Elm Streets.
27 Stockton and First Streets.
12 Bordentown Avenue and Feltus Street.
16 Broadway and Augusta Street.
11 Broadway and Louisa Street.
13 Henry Street and Pine Avenue.
15 Feltus and Augusta Streets.
14 Broadway and Bordentown Avenue
13 P. R. R. Yard Master's Office.
72 John Street and Stevens Avenue.
41 Fourth and Potter Streets.
1 tap, wire trouble on fire out.
2 taps, Test, 11 a. m. (and 7 p. m.)

Gen. J. A. H. meets
nesday afternoon at
3 o'clock, in Michael
Commander, George H. Sewart,
tant, S. H. Chaten.
St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 63, F. &
A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first
and third Mondays of each month
(excepting July, August and holidays)
at 7.30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. O.
U. A. M., meet every Friday evening
in Knights of Pythias Hall.
Councillor, John Korka, Jr.; Recording
Secretary, J. L. Applegate.

Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 52, K.
of P., meets every Wednesday evening
at 8 o'clock, at K. of P. Hall,
corner of First and Stockton
streets, Chancellor Commander, Jacob
Sprague; Keeper of Records and
Seals, F. H. Chapman.

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

Protection Engine Company, meets
on the fourth Thursday of each
month at Engine House, Feltus
street, at 7.30 p. m. President, William
Birmingham; Vice-president,
John Sutliff, Jr.; Treasurer, Michael
Welsh; Secretary, Frank D. Stanton;
Foreman, John Quinlan.

Sterling Castle, No. 50, K. G. E.,
meets first and third Saturday evening
of each month, at 7.30 o'clock
at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble
Chief, Burden Golden; Master of
Records, C. H. Edwards.

Paul DeGraw Hamilton Lodge, No.
552, B. of L. E., meets every second
and fourth Sunday of each month at
K. of P. Hall. President, Philip
Purcell; Secretary, William Bulman;
Treasurer, Thomas J. Kennedy;
Agent of Official Publication, Edward
McDonough.

Star of Jersey Lodge, No. 484, B.
of L. E. & E., meets in Welsh's
Hall, first Sunday of each month at
2.30 p. m., and on third Tuesday at
7.30 p. m. R. P. Wortley, President;
L. D. Wortley, Financial Secretary
and Treasurer; A. R. Hartsorn, Recording
Secretary.

Friendship Council, No. 16, D. of
L., meets on alternate Fridays
of each month, at 2.30 p. m., Knights of
Pythias Hall. First and Stockton
streets, Councillor, Mrs. Edythe Newman;
Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada Ward.

Washington Camp, No. 36, P. O.
S. of A., meets second and fourth
Monday nights of each month, at K.
of P. Hall, at 8 o'clock, George E.
Coward, president; Wm. H. Coward,
vice-president; Bert Lamberton,
Master of Forms; John H. French,
financial secretary; B. R. Havens,
recording secretary; William M. Anderson,
treasurer.

Lanthe Council, No. 6, D. of P.
Imp'd. Order of Red Men, meets every
second and fourth Thursday of the
month at 2.30 p. m., in K. of P. Hall.
Pocahontas, Sarah E. Dill, K. of R.,
Edith Newman.

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

General Morgan Lodge, No. 94, I.
O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening
at 7.30 o'clock, at Knights of
Pythias Hall. Noble Grand, Frank
Norcross; Secretary, Charles P.
Thomas; Financial Secretary, Sig.
Emillussen.

Court Raritan, No. 44, F. of A.,
meets on the second and fourth Wed-
nesdays of each month, at 8 p. m. in
Protection Hall. Chief Ranger, Nels
Banks; Sub-Chief Ranger, Thomas
Grace; Financial Secretary, Edward
Dewan; Treasurer, James Minnick;
Recording Secretary, Martin Kane;
Senior Woodward, Fritz Deiks; Junior
Woodward, Michael Press; Senior
Beadie, Chris. Nicorvo; Junior Beadie,
Louis Wentzel; Trustees, Mathew
Cronin, Aaron Hyer, Richard Mc-
Cloud.

Gorm Lodge, No. 56, D. B. &
regular meeting fourth Friday of
each month at 3 p. m., in Welsh's
Hall, First street, President, Nels
Martinsen; Secretary, A. L. Johnson;
Financial Secretary, George Morten-
sen; Treasurer, John S. Lund.

Independence Engine & Hose Co.
No. 1, meets third Monday in each
month at 7.30 o'clock p. m. Foreman
Martin Shuler; President, John B.
Woodward; Secretary, N. N. Pearce.

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NEW JERSEY CENTRAL.

TRAINS LEAVE SOUTH AMBOY
For New York, Newark and Mil-
beth at 6.23, 7.07, *7.33, 7.50, *8.17,
10.01, 11.28, 11.52, a. m., 12.39, 2.44,
4.38, 5.00, 5.51, 8.17, 8.48, p. m. Sun-
day, 8.26, a. m., 1.49, 5.01, 6.47, 9.24,
p. m.

For Long Branch, Asbury Park,
etc., 12.56, 5.22, 8.55, a. m., 12.10,
4.36, 5.39, 6.42, 10.07, p. m. Sun-
day, 5.02, 9.42, a. m.; 5.11, 9.36 p. m.

STATE AND COUNTY

News Items Briefly Mentioned
for Quick Reading.

Funeral of George McDowell.

The funeral of George McDowell, seventy-three years old, who died Wednesday was held Saturday from the Union Valley Methodist Church. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Hightstown. Mr. McDowell for half a century had been a justice of the peace. He served as member and president of the Township Board of Education and chairman of the Township Committee. His wife, a daughter, two sisters and two brothers survive.

Standard, Bayonne, Adds 300.

The Standard Oil Company added 300 guards to its plant at Bayonne Sunday night, and its action was followed quickly by similar increases at the Tidewater Oil Company.

Both companies have many large tanks of naphtha, benzine, gasoline and kerosene from which ships are loaded for the Entente Allies. There are three vessels now loading at the Standard Oil plant.

Many guards were placed about the plants of the International Nickel Company, the Babcock & Wilcox Co., makers of boilers, and the Electric Launch Company.

Munition Plants Doubly Guarded.

Extra precautions have been taken by the munition plants in this county. Each of the three plants, the Nixon Nitration Works at Millville, Union Powder Works at Gillespie and the U. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. plant at Parlin, have increased the guard, having fifteen men each in reserve. Double guards have been placed at the gates to the plants. The armory of Company H, Second New Jersey Infantry, at New Brunswick has been placed under guard, four armed men taking turns in doing picket duty.

Ballot Recounters Get \$10 a Day.

Justice Samuel Kallsch has fixed the compensation to be received by the election officers of the county boards in Middlesex, Monmouth and Ocean counties who conducted the recent recount of the ballots in the Scully-Carson election contest at \$10 a day each. The Middlesex County Board of Election was in session thirty-two days, so that the recount, with the fees for the stenographer and other expenses, will cost Middlesex County \$1,500.

Bill Appropriating \$100,000 For Guard
Passes Senate.

As a precautionary measure the New Jersey Senate on Tuesday rushed through to final passage, under suspension of rules, a bill appropriating \$100,000 to cover the expense of the National Guard and Naval Reserve forces of the state to safeguard state property. At the same time a resolution was adopted adjourning the Senate from day to day until Monday night, so that at a moment's notice the legislators could be brought together to take whatever action any emergency might demand.

Work on \$1,000,000 Factory of West-
inghouse Is Begun.

Excavation work has been started for the \$1,000,000 factory to be erected at Pennington avenue and the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad, Trenton, by the Westinghouse Lamp Company. The building will be of reinforced concrete, four stories in height, and cover a plot 80x500 feet. The plant will have a floor space of 200,000 square feet. The company owns a five-acre tract at the site adjoining the railroad.

About 500 persons will be employed when the factory is completed next fall. The estimated daily output of the plant will be 50,000 lamps. The company has four other plants, Bloomfield, Milwaukee and two in New York. It is a subsidiary concern of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., which recently announced its plans for the construction of a new group of buildings at Essington, Pa., which will cost \$7,000,000.

Carnegie Gives \$80,000 for Long
Branch Library.

Mayor Marshall Woolley, head of the Free Library at Long Branch, has received word that the Carnegie Corporation at a meeting in New York last Saturday had allotted \$80,000 to be used in the erection of a library building in the Locum lot

adjoining city hall. The gift is \$5,000 more than was expected. The old Locum homestead will be raised at once. The books now in use will be added to the new library.

Judgment Against Motor Vehicle
Inspector.

Judgment for \$500 against State Motor Vehicle Inspector William H. Havens of Trenton was returned by a jury before Judge Nelson Y. Dunham in the Circuit Court at Freehold on Tuesday at the suit of Joseph Waln of Davis Station, who sued for \$1,100 damages to his automobile and injuries to his wife and nine-year-old daughter, Isabelle, when the inspector's car collided with the Waln machine on the Yardville-Allen-town road the night of July 4 last.

Inspector Havens contended that the accident was due to the negligence of Mr. Waln in turning too far to the left after meeting and passing a car driven by Theodore Tams of Trenton. This contention was upheld by Mr. Tams and Miss Ruth Donaldson, who was riding in the Tams car ahead, also by Richard P. Stockton, state commissioner of charities and corrections.

"THE WANDERER" SCORES

A TRIUMPH IN NEW YORK

"The Wanderer," the great big Biblical pageant and drama which was produced last week at the Manhattan Opera House in New York, has proven the biggest sensation in years, and crowds are flocking to the mammoth playhouse in West 34th street. This story of the Biblical parable of the prodigal son is one of the greatest stage productions in recent years. It follows the story in the Bible closely, but full advantage is taken of the great opportunities for scenic and pictorial display in the second act showing the young boy wasting his money and his substance in riotous living in wicked Jerusalem of three thousand years ago. This scene, showing the evil friends and gorgeous surroundings of a resort of pleasure in Jerusalem, has been much talked of since the first performance. In this scene there is a gorgeous ballet of ninety girls, attired in the Oriental costumes of the period. In the first act, showing the home of Jether in Judea, there is a flock of 120 sheep together with many other domestic animals who lend color and atmosphere to the scene.

The big cast seen in "The Wanderer" contains many notable stars chief among them being Nance O'Neil as the mother; James O'Neil as the father; William Elliott as the son; Charles Dalton as the elder brother; Florence Reed as a siren of Jerusalem; Janet Dunbar as the boy's sweetheart; Beverly Stigreeves as the keeper of a house in Jerusalem; Pedro de Cordoba as the Prophet; and many others.

A bargain matinee is given every Wednesday, when the best seats are only \$1, and in spite of the enormous production and the big cast engaged, the scale of prices for this play ranges only to \$1.50 for the best seats.

HIGH SCHOOL
MENTIONINGS

The first number of the Lyceum Course, given under the auspices of the Senior Class, the Apollo Male Quartet of Newark, was a decided success. The Knights of Pythias Hall, which was used for this entertainment was well filled, and the excellent program rendered was highly appreciated by the audience. The class is much gratified with the result of this their first attempt on such a large scale. This success is greatly due to the assistance rendered by the members of the Woman's Club, who so generously aided the class in placing before the public such a splendid series of entertainments as is planned in the course. The second entertainment will be on Tuesday, February 20, when Dr. Dwight N. Hillis, of Brooklyn, N. Y., will deliver a lecture. This lecture should not be missed by any one, as it will prove a rare intellectual treat such as is not always obtained.

Who is the Junior who wears crocheted over-shoes?

Fresh: "Smaller, bloody nose?"
Senior: "No! I'm trying to see if I can do this without spoiling my collar."

Seems as though the boy's basketball team suddenly came to life; that is if one can judge by appearances. Last Thursday afternoon, February first, they choose to exhibit their prowess to the boys from Keyport H. S., and having so chosen they executed their desire by only letting their visitors have 16 points while they casually helped themselves to 25. The game was one of the liveliest this season, and each individual member of the team is to be lauded for his consistent efforts to make it such. Keep it up, boys! "Bob" Kerr '16 acted as referee.

It seems that the Freshmen class

has among its members several of the feathered tribe. No gentle reader, we do not mean chickens but birds. One may hear them singing at almost any time of the day. It's sort of an encouragement, or it should be, to the Freshmen. A well known writer has said: "Give me the man who sings at his work." That ought to be the motto of every freshman, or for that matter, of every high school student. Mental good cheer above all else is necessary for efficient work. The Freshies would do well in following the example of the cheery sparrow, persecuted by cold, rain, hunger and vicious boys, singing withal; and in adopting that good old fashioned motto above any Latin or Greek one that ever was "invented."

The Senior Class appreciates the action taken by the Van Cleave Men's Association of the First Presbyterian Church, in postponing their regular monthly meeting to a later date, in order not to interfere with the entertainment in the K. of P. Hall.

Last Friday afternoon a special meeting was held by the pupils of the Freshman Class for the purpose of sending Mr. Howard King a bouquet of carnations. He has been ill for some time but is now improving rapidly. He is greatly missed by the Freshmen, and they hope that he may soon rejoin them.

The monthly meeting of the Freshman Class was held last Wednesday afternoon. The resignation of Mr. Roy Bennett, our treasurer, was accepted. Mr. Francis McCarthy was then elected by a majority vote.

Miss Helen Kwellinski, Miss Anna Hickey and Mr. Carl Emmions were then appointed by the president, Miss Helen Crew, for the purpose of requesting the chairman for a class motto and flower.

BOY SCOUT
DOINGS.

Troup No. 1.

On Thursday, February 8, the Boy Scout organization is seven years of age. The anniversary week of this organization begins on that day and continues until the following Thursday. On every day of that week there is a program for each scout to carry out. In the United States there are one thousand and thirty-four troops of Boy Scouts of America.

The meeting on Monday evening was attended by a goodly number of scouts. It was opened with the salute of the flag. The minutes were then read and accepted. A report on sickness was then read. The roll of honor or the merits given to each scout for his conduct were read next and no scout was found subject to fine for the month of January.

The program for the anniversary week was read to the scouts by the scoutmaster. He then made a short address to the scouts explaining the program. The roll call was then read.

Some equipment is to be purchased for the run class as soon as possible.

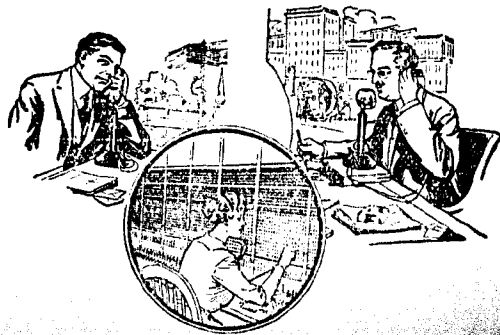
Two examinations were given to the scouts.

"Don't forget to do a good turn."

THE MONOPOLY SCOUNDRELS.

Stories of wanton destruction of foodstuffs by monopolists to maintain the prevailing high prices come from various parts of the country. Such manipulators are in the same moral category as pirates and highway robbers and ought to be treated the same way. According to a South Whitley, Ind., paper a farmer near that place sold seven car loads of pumpkins to a stranger who paid him cash, but left the pumpkins to rot in the field, to reduce the supply, that would have tendency to lower the price to consumers. Similar stories of wanton waste of apples, potatoes, and other produce have been sent out from the same region. Near Peoria, Ill., 20 car loads of potatoes were dumped into a river to prevent a slump in the market, and as already widely published about 40,000 dozen eggs were held in cold storage at Chicago to boost prices. At Boston and San Francisco fish speculators dump whole cargoes into the ocean when the supply increases sufficiently to reduce the high market prices, and at Cleveland, O., peaches by the train load were dumped into the river for the same outrageous purpose. A commentator on this method of robbery remarks that in China they used to cut off a man's head for attempting the same tactics. It is about time that this country follow China's example.—Staten Island Transcript.

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BIDS WILL BE ASKED FOR

Council Has Decided to Contract For Removal of Garbage—New Water Ordinance Introduced—Appropriation Made for Free Public Library—Other Business Before the Council.

At the regular meeting of the Common Council last Tuesday evening there were present Mayor Dey, President Stanton, Councilman-at-Large Stratton, Councilmen Parlsen and Due, City Clerk Mack, Solicitor Coan, Engineer Thomas, Collector Delbert, Treasurer Brown, Water Commissioner Donlin and Overseer of the Poor Mullane.

Minutes of previous meeting were approved as read.

Joseph Leonard made application for plumber's license, which on motion of Mr. Parlsen was referred to committee on licenses. Later in the evening it was granted.

The Clerk read communication from Mr. McClellan, assistant engineer P. R. R. Co., taking exception to rate charged for water at car shops, and requesting the former rate of eight cents per 1,000 gallons. On motion of Mr. Parlsen it was received and referred to committee on water.

The Clerk read communication from Superintendent Berry of the N. Y. & L. B. R. R., stating that the George street bridge was raised in order to give better clearance to trains passing under it, and stating that if the eastern approach was lengthened out he thought the grade would be considerably reduced, which the company would be willing to do. On motion of Mr. Parlsen, the communication was received and referred to the council as a whole.

A. N. Barber, secretary of the Public Utilities Commissioners, sent a letter stating that the protest as to bells ringing at crossings had been forwarded to the New York & Long Branch Railroad Company. It was received and ordered filed.

A letter was read from Prof. O. O. Barr, secretary of Public Library, enclosing a resolution passed by the Board of Trustees requesting the council to appropriate \$55.00 per month, until such time as the amount would be provided for in the budget. On motion of Mr. Parlsen, it was received and referred to the council as a whole.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

Labor, garbage.....	\$66 58
Labor, streets.....	8 42
D. E. Mahoney & Co.....	15 00
H. Wolf & Co.....	28 35
H. F. Thomas.....	10 31
Collins & Gundrum.....	206 14
Labor, sewers.....	4 00
David Quinlan.....	3 00
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.....	10 00
Fabric Hose Co.....	110 00
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.....	505 46
N. Y. Telephone Co.....	50
John D. Mullane.....	21 21
S. A. Printing Co.....	5 75
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.....	19 09
T. J. Sullivan.....	37 20
John J. Coakley.....	74 40
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.....	1 30
M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co.....	1 00
Halloway, Benz, Co.....	46 70
T. J. Sullivan.....	6 30
John J. Coakley.....	12 40
John J. Coakley.....	18 60
Gottlob Straub.....	19 39
Chris Kelley.....	8 00
T. F. Sullivan.....	11 18
John J. Coakley.....	18 60
John J. Coakley.....	16 00
J. D. Mullane.....	5 46
Patrick McCabe.....	15 00
Edward Roberts.....	19 32
J. Quinn.....	19 32
Labor, water department.....	45 00

Bond of P. McCabe as constable was read and accepted.

Resolutions authorizing the renewal of three Broadway Improvement notes of \$10,000, \$3,000 and \$5,000 were adopted.

The report of the overseer of the poor showed the total cost of maintaining the home as being \$127.55 less \$12.00 due from Madison Township. Of this amount \$64.01 was expended in giving aid to those outside the home. Upon motion the report was received and filed.

The collector's report showed the following collections: Water rents, (Continued on Page Four.)

Mrs. Thomas Bowe Is Called To Rest

At ten o'clock last Monday evening Mrs. Julia Bowe, wife of the late Thomas Bowe, of Augusta street, this city, passed away at the home of her son William in Long Branch. She was in the eighty-sixth year of her age and succumbed to a lingering illness.

The body was brought to this city on Thursday by Undertaker Scully and funeral services held in St. Mary's Roman Catholic church at half past ten o'clock. The Rev. George Welsh, of Camden, was celebrant at the solemn high mass of requiem. The Rev. T. A. Cahill, of Jamesburg was deacon and the Rev. Father Baldwin, of St. Mary's, Plainfield, was the sub-deacon. The Rev. Lewis Hayes, of this city was master of ceremonies. Monsignor Mulligan, of Camden, delivered an eulogy of the deceased. Monsignor Brady and the Rev. Frederick Halloran were on the altar during the celebration of mass.

Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Scully. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Frank Miller and George Kress, of this city, John Daly, John Braney and John McQueen, and one other gentleman whose name we were unable to ascertain, of Long Branch.

The deceased is survived by two sons and two daughters. The daughters are Miss Julia Bowe, of this city, and Sister Teresa, Mother Superior of a convent in Camden. The sons, William and Thomas, are railroad engineers and make their homes in Long Branch.

Last Entertainment Of Lyceum Course

The entertainment furnished by the Orphean Musical Club in the Empire Theatre last Monday evening was very pleasing to the audience. The entertainment was the last of the Lyceum Course provided for by the Woman's Club and the final number marked the course as being a success in every respect.

The Orpheans, four young men, rendered an excellent program of classic, humorous and comic numbers, including vocal and horn quartets, solos, instrumental solos, and songs illustrated with cartoonist drawings. They were generously applauded and were quite evidently masters of their art. The blending of their voices was superb and their instrumental work excellent.

The Woman's Club is desirous of extending their appreciation to Stillwell & Mason for the use of the stage furniture at the several entertainments and to Mr. H. Parlsen for the use of his fine pianos.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR JANUARY.

William Nagle, Registrar of Vital Statistics, reports the following record for month of January:

Marriages.....	7
Deaths.....	21
Births.....	11

CHICKEN SUPPER.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a chicken supper in the basement of the church on Thursday evening next, February 24, from 5 to 9 o'clock. Everybody invited. Tickets are 50c each. The following menu will be served:

Chicken Soup	Radishes
Celery	Chicken Salad
Roast Chicken	Cranberry Sauce
Mashed Potatoes	Sweet Potatoes
Creamed Cabbage	
Ice Cream	Home-made Cake
Biscuit	Tea or Coffee

LET THEM ALL COME.

Would you like to know a boarding-house where the food is nice, where the service is quick and six dollars the price? Well, the hotel is called, "The Marion," on Augusta street. The station is quite handy, when to work you want to beat: The rooms they are steam heated and are nice and hot. And when you go to bed to sleep a cozy room you've got. No better place I know of here in South Amboy. For this is the only boarding-house—a boarding-house of joy. The place is run by Mrs. Marshall, that is why you see the food is good, take it boy me.—Adv.

HIGH SCHOOL WINS DEBATE

Defeat South River Team in Spirited Argument on "The United States Should Own and Operate Telephone and Telegraph Lines"—Judges Unanimously in Favor of South Amboy Team.

The local High School debating team won the first leg of the race for the championship of the North Jersey Debating League when they defeated the South River team in the City Hall here Friday evening, February 11. The South River debaters were Miss Gill, Miss DeHart and Miss Holfelder; those of the South Amboy team, Miss Newton, Miss Gordon and Mr. Kerr. The judges of the contest were Judge Adrian Lyon, Mr. J. P. Hall and Mr. H. A. Reynolds. The question argued was: "Resolved, That the United States should own and operate the telephone and telegraph lines within its borders." The local team had the negative side of this question and the South Riverites the affirmative. Each of the teams had strong arguments and the delivery was excellent. The local debaters clearly showed the wonderful effects of the course in extemporaneous speaking which has been used in the schools for about a year.

Judge Lyon made the announcement of the decision of the judges. In doing so he said: "I was given to understand that this debate would close about ten o'clock, so that I have half an hour to make a speech before announcing the decision.

"Those who believe that equal suffrage should not be put into effect in this country say that one of the reasons why women should not have the vote is because they don't know enough. I think if they were here to-night and heard the able presentation of this important subject by these young women they would once and for all time change their minds.

"I want to congratulate you, my friends, on both sides on the able way in which you have presented the subject. It speaks well for your industry, for your ability and for the training which you must have had in the preparation for this debate. Let me tell you that the judges, while unanimous in their opinion, felt that the contest was a very close one. However, we have not deliberated long in the jury room and we came to the conclusion that we must announce the decision in favor of South Amboy."

The debate was very largely attended, the hall being crowded to standing room by the interested spectators. The applause given the speakers was generous and prolonged and that greeting the decision of the judges more so.

BILL TO PURCHASE PROPERTY

AT MORGAN FOR SHIP CANAL

Senate bill 256, introduced by Senator W. E. Florence of Middlesex County, authorizes the Board of Commerce and Navigation to purchase or acquire lands at Morgan beach for the construction of the New Jersey Ship Canal.

HAD A SLIGHT STROKE.

While on his way to his work in the Pennsylvania Car Shops last Monday morning Fred Thumhart, of Bordentown avenue, was suddenly stricken with a light paralytic stroke and fell in the snow. It effected his left side and arm. He was taken to his home and has now practically recovered.

LEAP YEAR RECEPTION.

A number of young ladies of this city have arranged for a leap year reception to be held in Knights of Pythia Hall on Friday evening, Mar. 3. The committee comprises the Misses Bertha S. Fulton, chairman, Mae Costello, Henrietta Gundrum, Bertha and Cecelia Kaufman, Antoinette Kerr, Katherine Lyons, Madge Mahoney and Anna H. Scully. The patronesses are Mrs. Thomas J. Scully, Mrs. William S. Dey, Mrs. John A. Coan, Mrs. A. J. Miller, Mrs. George Gundrum and Mrs. Samuel Newton.

Jersey Pork Roast 14c lb. at Monaghan's.

Garage Proprietor Badly Beaten Up

Morris Burnell, proprietor of the South Amboy Garage on Gordon street, was assaulted in Korka's saloon about eleven o'clock Saturday night and badly beaten up. Edward Josiak and Thomas O'Leary were accused of committing the assault and were arrested by Officer Gleason. It was charged that they struck Burnell over the head with a beer bottle, breaking it, and then stabbing him in the face with the broken fragments of glass. After leaving the saloon they attacked him again on Stevens avenue. At the hearing before Mayor Dey in the Police Court both culprits were held in five hundred dollars bail to await the action of the Grand Jury. The fathers of both Josiak and O'Leary went their respective son's bail.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Capt. and Mrs. A. G. Bolton celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Tuesday evening, February 15, at their home on Main street.

Their children, grandchildren and a few near relatives were present to offer congratulations. A very pleasant evening was spent, after which refreshments were served.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dayton of Bordentown avenue announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Emilio Dayton, to Mr. Anthony Cristiani, the marriage having taken place in Newark on Thursday, February 17, 1916.

The Michelines Are Coming To Town

This Friday evening the Riversides' attraction in the K. of P. Hall will be a game with the Michelines, the only team which has come any way near defeating the Rivies on their own court this season. It is predicted that the Rivies will have to put up the stiffest game of their career to come out of this contest victorious.

The last time these two teams played against each other the game ended with the score tied and an extra five minute period was necessary. In this the Rivies came out victors by the narrow margin of one point. Another game was then immediately arranged for.

STEREOPTICON LECTURES

FOR CHRIST CHURCH

The Rev. Chapman S. Lewis, Rector of Christ Church, has secured 50 rare slides showing many of the ancient manuscripts for his stereopticon lecture on "How, When and Where We Got Our Bible," to be given in the Parish House to-morrow night.

He has also succeeded in securing from the Rev. W. Herbert Burke, Chaplain of the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge, a fine set of slides illustrating the main points of interest in Valley Forge Park and vicinity. The Rev. Mr. Lewis made a visit to Valley Forge last November. The pictures will be shown on the evening of the "Washington Birthday Party" in the Parish House, next Tuesday.

MRS. ROSINER BARBER.

Mrs. Rosiner Barber passed away at her home in Mechanicsville on Wednesday afternoon at the age of 75 years. She had resided in this city many years, and was well known an esteemed in the section where she lived. She is survived by two children, Mrs. John Van Hise and Charles Barber, and an adopted daughter, Miss Emma Barber.

The funeral service will be held from her late residence at 2.30 o'clock this Saturday afternoon, to which friends and relatives are respectfully invited. Rev. C. S. Lewis, rector of Christ Church, will officiate at the service. Stillwell & Mason are the funeral directors.

Prime Rib Roast, 16c and 18c lb. at Monaghan's.

In the race for wealth a man always finds himself out of breath at the finish.

When a wife wants pin money her husband is compelled to come to the scratch.

WILL APPEAL EVERITT CASE

The Board of Education at Special Meeting Instructs Counsel to Appeal From Decision of Commissioner Enright on the Dismissal of Miss Everitt as Teacher—Mr. Fulton Voted Against Appeal.

The Board of Education took an appeal to the State Board of Education from the decision of Assistant Commissioner John Enright, who reversed the action of the Board and re-instated Miss Ala Media Everitt to her former position as teacher of sewing and drawing, at a special meeting held on Tuesday evening.

All of the members of the Board were present excepting Mr. C. T. Mason. Judge Adrian Lyon and Professor Barr were also at the meeting. President Grace stated that the object of the meeting was to hear and take action on the decision of the commissioner.

After the reading of the decision by the secretary Mr. Coan moved that it be received and filed. This motion prevailed. Mr. Fulton then wanted to know whether the secretary should be instructed to draw salary drafts for the money due as allowed by the decision. Mr. Grace said that depended upon what action the board took in the matter.

Mrs. Miller expressed herself as not being at all satisfied to let the matter rest with receiving and filing the decision, that to her it seemed that if the board members had the courage of their convictions when the first trial was held they ought to have them now; that she could not see the justice of the decision and that if the testimony of two parents could stand against the opinions of the superintendent of schools it was something that was not at all right.

Upon being requested for an opinion Judge Lyon, who acted as counsel for the board in handling the case, stated that he was not at all satisfied with the opinion; that it impressed him as being a very weak one because it, for one thing, brushed aside the entire expert opinion of Professor Barr as superintendent of the schools and puts against it the statement of these parents, who had shown no expert knowledge at all upon the subject and who were not even brought into the case as expert witnesses. Also that upon the question of the absence of Miss Everitt the commissioner ruled that she was not justified in staying away and that her so doing constituted a ground for suspension. Although this was one of the grounds upon which the board based its action in making the suspension permanent the decision did not refer to it as a ground for dismissal and that the decision minimized other things. If these things had stood alone the decision would have been right but that it seemed to him that they all indicated insubordinate attitude on the part of the dismissed teacher which the Commissioner seemed to lose sight of as he did not mention it at all. With the very little trouble it would be to make an appeal the counsel said that if it were his case he would certainly take it to the State Board of Education.

He went on to explain that the hearing before that body would be upon the records taken by the Commissioner's stenographer and arguments by the opposing counsels and that the Board members would not be required to attend at all. Mr. Grace asked if the letters written by Miss Everitt to Board members, teachers, etc., were admitted to the records and the answer was in the affirmative. Judge Lyon also said that the extracts from the minutes which were referred to at the hearing were also copied and forwarded to the commissioner at his request.

Mrs. Miller then moved that an appeal be taken to the State Board of Education and Mr. Coan remarked that while he was not a member of the board at the time of the original hearing he knew that Miss Everitt had not been giving to the school authorities the service which a good teacher should and that this statement held good not only as applied to the present board but others of the past as well. He also expressed

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Charged With Stealing \$912.00 From P. Fallon

Chief of Police McDonnell arrested James Moran last Sunday and a hearing was held immediately. Moran was accused of stealing \$912.00 from Patrick Fallon early Saturday morning. He admitted the theft and was held without bail to await the action of the Grand Jury. When caught he had \$776.00 on his person, most of which was tied around his leg. Moran hails from Red Bank and broke into Mr. Fallon's home and got the money out of a money box there. He went out of town Saturday, but returned Sunday when his new and gorgeous raiment attracted suspicion in his direction.

FOOT INJURED.

On Tuesday afternoon Phillip Rander, of Catherine street, injured his foot in getting off a car while performing his duties in the train service on the Raritan River Railroad. His foot caught in the ladder and he fell, injuring it badly. Medical attendance was given and the man taken to his home.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY PARTY

Much interest in Christ Church Parish is being centered upon "the George and Martha Washington Party," which St. Martha's Guild is to give in the parish house on next Tuesday night. George and Martha Washington (Mr. and Mrs. C. Leon Cozzens) in colonial costume will receive the guests, and it is hoped that many who come will also be attired in old costumes. Mrs. Edith Parker and her assistants will serve refreshments, and Misses Sallie Heston and Charlotte Muirhead will have decorated the parish house interior with flags, hatchets, etc. The program committee, Mrs. R. M. Kerr and Mrs. Donald W. Reed have prepared a short but excellent program along patriotic lines. Among those who will participate in this feature are the following: Mr. Charles Cornell, whistling soloist; Mrs. C. S. Parker and Mrs. C. Leon Cozzens, in vocal numbers; Mr. Robert Kerr, Jr., violinist; Mr. W. F. Hayes and Mrs. C. L. Cozzens, in a duet number. There will also be a number of band and orchestral selections upon the fine new Victrola, just purchased by the Sunday School and Men's Club, and which will be used upon this occasion for the first time. The Rector, the Rev. Chapman Lewis, has procured 40 beautiful slides on "Washington at Valley Forge." There will, however, be no lecture in connection with the projection of the pictures, owing to the lack of time. Besides all this, there will be plenty of games, and at a late hour the Virginia reel, the minuet, and other old dances will be indulged in.

In view of the somewhat unique character of the entertainment, it is believed that it will be as huge a success as the "Barn Party" last October, when 350 or 400 people were in attendance. An admission fee of 15 cents will be charged, which will cover everything in the entire evening.

Following is the schedule of the entertainment:

7.45-8.30—Social Period.
8.30-9.00—Stereopticon Pictures.
9.00-9.30—Musical Program.
9.30-10.00—Games and Dancing.
10.00-10.30—Refreshments.

SALE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS—

Owing to leaving city the following goods to be offered at Public Vendue on Monday, February 21, 1916, at 87 First street, South Amboy: Beds, Bedding, Bureaus, Tables, Chairs, Silver, Cooking Utensils, etc. Sale at 1.30 p. m.—Mrs. Alex. Wallace. * *

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the Post Office for week ending Feb. 18th, 1916:

Mrs. Thomas Bailey, care of John Selter, Miss, L. Andros, William Delaney, Geo. Eulin, Joe Bazeta, Mrs. Rosanna Mower, Louise Nymann, Wm. Loveland, care of Tom Quenling, T. Quinlin, Ignatz Schwarts, Richard Tagg, B. F. Woodgate.

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6 MONDAY ON THE EGAN HIGHWAYS BILL

Real is being made to all per- interested in good roads to at- the hearing on the Egan High- ways Bill at Trenton on Monday next. Automobile owners and members of the trade from every part of the state will be present to support this measure, which provides for a seven million dollar bond issue for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of routes throughout New Jersey. Effort is being made to have the rural population represented as well as the urban.

One notable feature following the introduction of this measure by Senator Charles M. Egan, of Hudson County, is that nearly every newspaper in the state has taken cognizance of it in the news columns and editorially as well. Thus far there has been no criticism, as might be expected from some localities that are to receive a lesser amount of benefit in the mileage of roadway to be affected. Every paper has seen fit to endorse the plan embodied in the bill to have the automobile and motor vehicle license fees, registration fees, fines, penalties, etc., used to meet the interest and principal of the big bond issue rather than to burden the taxpayers with the costs of the improvements.

Governor Fielder, in referring to the bill recently, said that the great objection to the bond issue rested in the fact that before it became a law it had to be referred to the people, while a state law could be secured by the simple passage of a bill through the legislature. He declared that the general trend of public sentiment is against bond issues. Senator Egan, however, claims to the contrary, and has purposely incorporated the referendum provision in order to put the matter up to the people at the next general election providing that the bill passes in the Legislature, believing that the voting population will readily see the advantages of improved highways procurable without added expenses on the part of the general public. In his opinion it is admitted throughout the state that the automobiles wear out the roads, and his bill provides that the automobilists shall pay for the improved highways, but without added costs to the owners of the cars.

"I hope for a large attendance at next Monday's hearing, both from the city and farming districts," said Senator Egan. "All persons should be interested in this measure, which is to provide a very much needed improvement in New Jersey and without cost to the taxpayers. Everybody will admit the urgent need of good roads, but they are costly. I believe that this is the first time such a bill has ever been introduced in a New Jersey Legislature, calling for good roads without the possibility of an increased tax rate, and to serve ultimately towards bringing about a reduction in the assessments in various counties. This latter will follow because of the fact that the routes included in my bill will be taken over by the state, and the counties relieved of the maintenance costs in the future.

"The farming sections have as much to gain as the larger centers of population, inasmuch as the tillers of the soil will be enabled to get their products to markets in less time than with the present poor road facilities, and with less wear and tear upon live and rolling stock. In the cities and towns advantage will lie in being able to procure produce more readily and at consequently cheaper rates. This is all aside from the pleasure possibilities resultant from improved highways, as well as the plan being in line with the present nation-wide movement for preparedness insofar as good roads are very essential to the speedy mobilization of defensive forces."

The Cart Before the Horse.

Mr. Harbord had a jewel of a servant called Johann. One day he found his bedroom a foot deep in old and muddy tea leaves. Johann explained, "The missus said I made such a dust when I swept the floor and that I must put tea leaves all over the carpet, so I emptied the old barrel standing by the kitchen door, and I put them on the floor like missus said, master, after I had swept the carpet."—London Telegraph.

Buried Alive,

In the early history of Japan it was decidedly a dubious honor to be closely related to any person of note, for one of the laws at that time decreed that when a person of rank or importance died all immediate relatives must be buried alive in a perpendicular position around the personage's grave. Their heads were left above the earth, and thus they remained until welcome death came to free them.

When you lose money and gain wisdom by it your loss is your gain.

NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

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

Middlesex Criminal Court.

Arraigned by Prosecutor Stricker in the county court at New Brunswick on Friday of last week to plead to an indictment charging him with manslaughter, John O'Brien, special officer of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, at Perth Amboy, pleaded not guilty and bail was fixed at \$4,000 by Judge Daly. Michael Welsh and John Sutliff, both of South Amboy, furnished bail and O'Brien was released from custody.

O'Brien is charged with slaying Stephen Hawryko, at Perth Amboy, on the night of January 31. He is represented by Attorney Francis P. Coan. No date for the trial has been fixed.

Tony Merillo, through his counsel, John A. Delaney, of Perth Amboy, retracted his plea of not guilty to carnal abuse on Jane Batise, an 11-year-old girl, and entered one of guilty instead. The court imposed a sentence of not more than thirty years nor less than eighteen years in State prison.

The maximum imprisonment under the law for wronging a girl under twelve years of age is 30 years, while the minimum cannot be more than two-thirds of the maximum. The fact that Merillo saved the county the expense of a trial lopped a couple of years off his sentence.

Pleading guilty to two allegations, one charging larceny and the other charging breaking and entering and larceny, John Lauritsen, a youth of Perth Amboy, was sentenced to the Rahway Reformatory for a full term on each charge, the sentences to run concurrently. The defendant, according to a statement made by Probation Officer MacWilliam, is regarded by the police of Perth Amboy as an inveterate thief. He has been in scrapes of various kinds ever since he was a little boy, and had been an inmate of the Jamesburg Reform School, beside doing time in the county jail. The victims of his latest crimes were Peter Hanson and Peter Tybuszynski. From the former he stolen six chickens, and from the latter a suitcase and contents, valued at \$30. He had taken the chickens to South River, where he endeavored to sell them from house to house.

A plea of guilty was entered by Molke Koschak, indicted on a charge of carrying a loaded revolver in East Brunswick township on January 23. Through Stephen Somogyi, the court interpreter, Koschak, said: "Yes, I carried it. It was in my pocket." The court directed that a plea of guilty be entered with the right reserved to the defendant, who was not represented by counsel, to change this if an investigation to be conducted by Probation Officer MacWilliam shall show that he is not guilty. Bail was fixed at \$500.

Fire Destroys Garage at Bound Brook.

Fire believed to have been of incendiary origin was discovered in the garage of Martin Cook, of East Main street, East Bound Brook, Sunday morning at 2.15 o'clock. It completely wrecked the building and devastated the contents. The damage is roughly estimated at \$30,000. Thirty valuable automobiles went up in the smoke.

Calling, Falls Into Well, Dies.

Fatal injuries were suffered Saturday by Frank Mundy, of New Brunswick, in a fall into the well of a staircase he was ascending to call on a sick friend, George Erb. The accident occurred as Mundy was climbing the third floor of a house at Codwise avenue and New street, that city. He tripped and fell over the banister, landing on the second floor. Mundy was taken to a hospital, where he died three hours later. He is survived by his wife and five children.

Matthias Plum.

Matthias Plum, founder of Matthias Plum, Inc., printers, stationers and paper merchants at Clinton and Beaver streets, Newark, and a member of one of the oldest families of Newark, died suddenly Sunday at the Pine Hurst Inn, Summerville, S. C., of heart disease. Mr. Plum, who had resided in Madison since 1882, left the home of his daughter, Mrs. George W. Downs, in that town, February 3 last to go South with a party of friends to play golf. He was seventy-seven years old.

More Land for Du Pont Plant.

The E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. has increased its realty holdings in Sayreville, this county, by

the purchase of seventy-two acres of land from the estate of George Hochberger, through Mrs. Florence Hochberger, late of Sayreville Township. The transfer became known when the deed was recorded Monday afternoon at the county clerk's office of New Brunswick. The transfer is to the company, a corporation of Delaware. The tract conveyed comprises 72.46 acres. No consideration is mentioned in the deed, although revenue stamps worth \$6 are annexed. Property in Sayreville Township, near the powder works now located there, is quoted as worth at least \$200 an acre. If that figure can be taken as a criterion, the land acquired Monday by the du Pont company is worth more than \$15,000.

Leaves Her Estate to Rector.

All Mrs. Caroline Sloane's property is left to Rev. Thomas A. Hyde, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Jersey City. The will, dated July 6, 1915, was admitted to probate Monday afternoon by Surrogate John P. Egan and letters testamentary were granted to Mr. Hyde, who is named sole executor. He is referred to in the will as "my friend." Mrs. Sloane, who was the widow of Samuel Sloane, died at her residence, 327 Forrest street, Jersey City, February 1.

New Brunswick Rector Quits.

Because of ill health, Rev. E. B. Joyce has resigned the rectorship of Christ Episcopal Church, New Brunswick. He has been unable to fill his pulpit for some time and has spent several months out of the city. His resignation has been accepted by the vestry of the church, but nothing has been done regarding his successor. It is said a call may be extended to Rev. Herbert Parrish, who recently served the church as a supply and has been conducting missions at various places. Mr. Joyce, on November 7, 1913, celebrated his thirtieth anniversary of service at Christ Church.

Miss Enright Weds Franz Neilson.

Miss Emma Mulford Enright, daughter of Deputy State Commissioner of Education and Mrs. John Enright, of Freehold, was married Tuesday afternoon to Franz Neilson of Perth Amboy, a lawyer with offices in the Equitable building, New York City. The ceremony was performed at the Enright home, 39 Court street, by Rev. John F. Milbank, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Freehold.

Dies During Call on Friend.

Captain William Hand of Plainfield died suddenly Monday afternoon at the residence of Edward Townley, at Westfield. Mr. Hand and Mr. Townley had called for a short visit and chat. He had been sitting in the house but a few moments when his head dropped forward. Being unable to arouse him a physician was called who pronounced him dead. Captain Hand was in his seventy-seventh year and is survived by one son.

Held For Automobile Theft.

Conscience pangs Tuesday prompted Harry S. Conover of 155 Carroll place, New Brunswick, to seek the owner of an automobile he had stolen in Newark, and while he was thinking of doing so he was arrested. This is the story he told Wednesday morning to Judge Grice in the First Precinct Court at Newark. After admitting his guilt on a grand larceny charge, Conover, who was taken to Newark from New Brunswick by Lieutenants Kuhn and Heller of police headquarters, was placed under \$2,000 bail for grand jury action.

The machine taken is a new seven-passenger car, owned by the Union Powder Company of Parlin, Middlesex County. It was stolen from in front of a lunch room at 214 Market street, Newark, about 12.30 o'clock Sunday morning, while George Balcom of Parlin, the chauffeur, was eating.

Conover said he was walking down Market street to the Pennsylvania Railroad when he observed the machine. He started the engine and drove off, making his way in it to New Brunswick, where he placed it in a stable in Livingston avenue.

Tuesday, Conover said, he grew remorseful and made up his mind to return the machine, which had not been touched since Sunday morning. He informed his wife of what he had done and as a next step ascertained that the powder company was the owner. During the day he made inquiries as to the location of Parlin,

but he had not obtained the desired information when Detective Sergeant Dunn of the New Brunswick police placed him under arrest at a garage in which he was employed.

Word that an automobile had been placed in the Livingston avenue stable, was received by Dunn Monday, and after communicating with Hugo Schlatter of 163 Water street, Perth Amboy, superintendent of the powder company's plant, who identified the machine, he took Conover into custody.

Prof. Nelson, Biologist, Is Dead.

Professor Julius Nelson, teacher of biology at Rutgers College since 1888, and chief biologist of the New Jersey Agricultural Experimental Station the same length of time, died Tuesday night at his home in Highland Park from pneumonia, after a week's illness. He was considered an international authority.

Professor Nelson was one of the oldest professors in the institution in point of service. He was a member of the Nature Study Society of America, the National Association of Shell Fish Commissioners, the New Jersey State Science Teachers' Association, the New Jersey State Microscopical Society and of Phi Beta Kappa.

Mr. Nelson was born in Copenhagen in 1858. He took his degree of bachelor of science at Wisconsin University in 1881, his master's degree three years later, and became a fellow of Johns Hopkins University in 1888. In that year, when he became biologist at Rutgers, a special act of the Legislature made him biologist of the experiment station, for the purpose of studying oyster culture. His specialties were bovine tuberculosis, dairy bacteriology and oyster culture. He is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters.

Potato-Eating Nations.

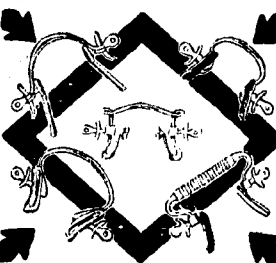
The Belgians are the greatest potato eaters in the world and the Irish come second.

Powder on a Slipper Sole.

The best method of applying face powder is to spank it on with a lamb's-wool-lined sole such as is used in worsted bedroom slippers.

Philosophy of Life.

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WEEKLY LETTER TO FARMERS.

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

We are making most commendable progress in the matter of seed selection. I have noted within the past year a large increase in the number of seed plats of corn, oats, wheat, beans, etc., and these plats show results that are very encouraging to those who are doing the work. Perhaps the most encouraging example of this is the work that has been done during the past year in the selection of seed beans of the strains which resist fungus diseases. These plats have been developed by our farmers from perhaps a few beans from a single plant which showed ability to withstand attacks of this disease. This development has proceeded until now we have several large growers whose entire acreage of beans is seeded with a variety developed in this way. It has paid them well. During the fall just passed their entire output has been purchased by neighbors at a dollar per bushel above market quotations. And now these same growers have selected again from among these blight-proof beans those showing the best color, and the best type of plant, and are propagating them until they improve not only the blight resisting qualities, but the production as well.

There is still room for effort which will increase our profits along this line. Practically every farmer at this time of the year has before him seed catalogs from all over the world; from dealers that are reliable and dealers that are unreliable. They can easily be separated by a perusal of their catalogs because the unreliable dealer promises the impossible. The reliable dealer is a very valuable asset to farming. In addition to this, our United States Government is doing very valuable work in the distribution of seeds from every part of the world that promises to be a great value to us in the United States. These are distributed, upon request, to people in whom the United States Government has sufficient confidence to believe that they will be used to advantage.

This question of seed development is one of the most interesting and most profitable features of farm work. I hope in the coming year no farmer on our line will be without a field set apart for seed development with the initial seed taken from selected plants on that farm, from selected plants from fields on the neighbor's farm, from those developed from seed catalogs or from the United States Government, and make this the basis for a better supply of seed rather than the hit and miss variety, too much of which we have used indiscriminately in the past.

FUNNY MONEY IN CHINA.

Getting or Making Change is a Sore Trial to a Foreigner.

A dollar of our money in Chinese cash weighs eighteen pounds.

In Chentefu, which is a small village where white people seldom go, I was going along with my guide when I saw a small peddler beside the street with some fine Peking pears. I bought six of them for 2½ cents and in payment gave the street peddler a twenty cent piece. He turned it over and over and tested it with his thumb nail, which was surely made for the purpose. The peddler gave back the coin and said that he would not take it. The guide asked him why, and he explained that he had never seen any such money and that it might be bad. So I had to dig up some coppers.

In all his life the peddler had never seen a piece of silver money. There are thousands and thousands of people in China whose financial dealings never amount to enough to have it put into silver, who are born, grow old and pass to their reward without ever having seen a piece of silver.

All China is suspicious about money. Every time you put down a dime or a piece of silver the other person tests it before he will take it, ringing it on the counter or on the pavement. You can't give a merchant the right amount of change and walk off. He won't let you leave until he has tested every piece, and he always gives back one or two pieces. He wouldn't think very much of himself as a merchant if he didn't refuse some of your money.

If you buy something in one part of a store, get your change and walk to another counter and buy something else and give the change that has just been given you the second clerk on general principles will refuse part of it.

Before you buy anything your money has to have the once over. Sometimes it is maddening to have to wait while your money is tested. One day I rushed up to catch a train with just a minute to spare. One of my dollars was bad, and before change could be made the train had rumbled off into the silent night without me. But in a few minutes the silence was broken—broken beyond repair—by an impulsive young man 6,000 miles from home who put his whole soul into one highly dissatisfied effort—Homer Croly in Louisiana.

Olivia's Prize Package

And the Secret It Revealed

By CLARISSA MACKIE

The red auction flag fluttered from a tree over the front gate and told to the village of Wayboro that the household effects of the late Zebedee Paine would be sold to the highest bidder.

Ada Paine, a niece of the dead man and his only known representative and heir, was here, there and everywhere, whispering a word of advice to one concerning some especially choice article, finding a comfortable seat for some good gossip of the neighborhood or detailing her own future plans to an interested group of listeners.

Miss Paine had been Zebedee's housekeeper for fifteen years preceding his death. It was Ada who had soothed the old man's last hours, and some people said that Ada Paine was now reaping the reward for which she had so ardently labored. Others said that young Zebedee Paine would never have left home and lost his life in the sea if it had not been for his black-eyed cousin Ada's sharp tongue.

Olivia Deering walked slowly up the path and bent her head to enter the low, old-fashioned doorway. She was a tall, stately woman with abundant brown hair lightly flecked with gray at the temples; her skin was clear and rosy and her hazel eyes shined and lustrous. She wore a simple white lawn dress and a plain hat.

People turned and stared and nodded at Olivia, and many of them wondered how many years had passed since Olivia had been under that roof. It was known that once she had called to see old Mr. Paine concerning the reported death of his son, and it was rumored that Olivia had not been permitted



"THANK GOD, I HAVE RETURNED IN TIME!" to see old Zebedee and that Ada Paine had sent her away with burning cheeks and anguished eyes.

Since then Olivia Deering and Ada Paine had not been on speaking terms. Now Ada's black brows drew together in a frown when she saw Olivia's dignified form moving through the crowd.

"Some folks ain't got any sense of decency," sneered Ada in a stage whisper.

"I expect likely she wants to buy some of little Zebedee's belongings for a keepsake," tittered Louise Ramsell, the sharp-tongued village dressmaker. "There ain't going to be any personal belongings put under the hammer," said Ada hastily, not knowing that a that very moment the auctioneer's zealous assistant had just dug out from a hiding place in the garret an old mahogany workbox which had belonged to Mrs. Zebedee Paine and which Ada had hidden there herself long years ago.

And in the next room to the one in which Ada was now whispering to Louise Ramsell Olivia Deering was watching the auctioneer with a pallid face as he held the mahogany workbox high in the air above the curious crowd.

"And now this here mahogany box locked fast, to be sold sight unseen. What am I offered?"

As in a dream Olivia lived the next few moments. She heard her own voice bidding steadily against that of some unknown person. For some unexplainable reason she wanted that workbox more than anything in the world. Then, because Wayboro folk preferred to know just what they were buying and very many of them possessed ancient workboxes similar to the one offered for sale, the other bidder dropped out, and Olivia found herself the possessor of it for the sum of \$3.40.

Somehow after this purchase Olivia's interest in the sale ended, and, wrapping the box in her light summer shawl, she left the house. Her full graceful form hurried up the street, turned at a corner and went up a grassy road, where her little white-painted cottage stood in a lovely garden at the end. From the white cottage Olivia could glimpse the sea, and winter and summer for twelve years its distant murmur had seemed

whisper some message to her from the lost lover of her youth.

Now she tossed aside her hat and sat in the window overlooking the sea. The mahogany box was in her lap, and her shapely fingers rested lightly upon it.

The box was heavy. Something moved about within it. Very likely it had not been opened since Zebedee went away to sea. Olivia recollected that Zebedee had told her that his dying mother had given him her workbox for his very own, and he had whispered that he kept Olivia's letters in it and a curl of her hair and the first roses she had ever given him.

Then all at once Zebedee had gone away to sea.

Without a word to Olivia he had left her, and Ada Paine, who was in love with her handsome young cousin, had whispered here and there that Zeb was tired of Olivia and was taking that way of getting out of his engagement.

Olivia was thinking of all these things as she sat there alone, looking at the sea, with the mahogany box in her lap.

Presently she looked down at the box without a key.

"I wonder," she said dreamily; "I wonder if he took my letters when he went away or if he left them behind?"

She went to a small table, and from the drawer she took a bunch of keys of assorted sizes. Finally one tiny twisted key fitted into the little lock. The bolt moved, and in response to Olivia's touch the cover of the box was raised.

For a long time she sat staring down at the contents of the mahogany box. They were so unexpected.

Instead of a bundle of old creased and yellowed love letters there was a little heap of unopened letters. Some were the letters she had written to Zebedee during the winter she spent with her aunt in Lansing, and others were his letters which she had never received because they had never passed through the postoffice, and it was on her return to Wayboro that she learned that Zebedee had gone away and that she was jilted. At that time Ada Paine had been assisting in the postoffice during spare time from her duties as her Uncle Zebedee's housekeeper.

Olivia wondered if there was any connection between the two circumstances.

There was the evidence that Zebedee had written to her. He had been faithful, and at last convinced of her fickleness he had gone away to sea to lose his life in a shipwreck. From her seat in the window Olivia could look down the grassy road, and presently she saw Ada Paine's short, dumpy form hurrying toward the cottage.

Olivia gathered up the letters and concealed them in a locked trunk in the spare room. Then she made her way downstairs in time to open the door to Ada Paine's insistent rapping. "Will you come in?" asked Olivia stiffly.

"Yes," panted Ada Paine as she hurried into the sitting room. Her black eyes darted here and there and finally rested on the mahogany box.

She crossed the room and held the box close to her breast.

"How dare you come to my house and buy this?" she demanded fiercely. Olivia surveyed her coolly.

"It was a public auction. I had a perfect right to attend and to buy anything that was put up for sale."

"This is a mistake. It was not intended to be sold. It is mine—my personal property." There was anxious inquiry in Ada's sharp eyes as she looked at the pale, composed face of the woman she had wronged.

"If it is your box, Ada," said Olivia, "why does it contain letters that belong to me—letters that I never received from your Cousin Zeb, letters that he never received from me—why?"

Ada Paine gazed in horror at Olivia.

She dropped the box with a bitter cry and flung her hands over her face.

For a long time they stood thus. They did not hear footsteps approaching by the grassy road and enter the house by an open side door.

"Ada, why did you suppress my letters to Zeb? Why did you withhold my letters to him? I never could understand his desertion. I believed him fickle, and he was true to me, and, Ada Paine, you have much to answer for. I loved Zebedee Paine, and he went to his death believing me to be false to him!" Olivia's self-control wavered. A voice came from the doorway—a man's deep-throated tones, thrilling with emotion.

"No, Olivia, I didn't go to my death. I am very much alive, dear. Thank God, I have returned in time to save my old home and, what is more precious, my sweetheart, my only love!"

Olivia turned to find herself in the arms of a handsome middle-aged Zebedee, sun-browned under tropic skies, where he had been held prisoner by a savage tribe of south sea Islanders for the past three years, so that his self-enforced exile had become actual imprisonment.

While he whispered in Olivia's willing ear the wretched woman who had so foully shadowed their lives suddenly dropped the mahogany box and fled from the house.

And it was a sign that the years of separation had not embittered their hearts that Olivia and Zebedee made haste to find Ada and to assure her of their forgiveness.

And Wayboro people, agog over these sudden happenings, whispered that when Olivia Deering bought the mahogany workbox she certainly had found a prize package, but this they could only guess because of the resultant happiness for all concerned.

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GRIP DO'S AND DON'TS.

One Health Commissioner Gives These Rules to Grip Victims.

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Keep away from crowded places of assembly when grip is prevalent.

Have plenty of fresh air at home and where you work.

Wear clothes according to the outside temperature, but avoid too heavy clothes indoors to prevent unhealthy skin condition, which will make you more liable to attack by the grip germ.

Keep in the open air as much as possible.

Keep the body functions regulated, so that waste matter may be eliminated.

Be temperate in eating and drinking. Keep your teeth well brushed. Many evil minded germs lurk in the mouth.

Think of the other fellow if you yourself already have grip.

DON'T.
Don't sit around with wet feet.

Don't be promiscuous in your kissing. The grip germ may be readily passed from lip to lip.

Don't sneeze or cough in your friends' or neighbors' faces.

Don't ride in a crowded street car where all the windows are closed.

Don't be afraid of fresh air. Even drafts will not hurt you unless you are fatigued and overheated.

Don't fail to remember that grip is very contagious. Keep away from it if you can. The next best thing is to keep physically fit, so you can resist attack.

War Bracelets a Paris Fad.

Frenchwomen prize highly these days heavy bracelets made from the rings of shells fired by the French "75's." Mile. Sorel, a favorite of the Paris stage, wears constantly one of these bracelets, which is large enough to slip up the arm above the elbow. Rings made up of metal which once formed part of menacing shells are also in favor and are worn outside of the glove.

Copper and aluminum jewelry is fancied more than ornaments of gold and precious stones just now, for all Paris is going in for economy and economical effects, and any ostentatious display is discontinued.

But the war jewelry—the massive bracelets and the ungainly rings—are regarded as treasures indeed, for they may not be bought, but come as gifts from the very trenches themselves, where the soldiers occupy their leisure hours in fashioning these rude but valued gifts for sweethearts at home.

Cooking Pork Chops.

This is a very nice way of cooking pork chops: Use six or more chops. Bone them, fry until brown and nearly cooked enough to serve. Remove the pan from the fire and add boiling water to cover the meat, three tablespoons of vinegar, teaspoonful of dry ginger, salt and black pepper to taste and a good sized onion thinly sliced. Put back on the range and simmer slowly for half or three-quarters of an hour. Four cloves can be used if they are liked. Thicken the gravy after removing chops and pour over them and serve with baked potatoes.

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The Commissioner of Banking and Insurance has reported among the unclaimed deposits in the New Brunswick Savings Institution \$73.20 to the credit of the "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the Borough of South Amboy." Think of all this money lying in this bank so long and all track of it lost. The city fathers should get busy and endeavor to obtain this cash, as it will come handy to pay off interest on notes.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

February 17, 1916.

Editor of "The South Amboy Citizen."
Sir:—May a feeble voice from George street have just a little space in your valuable paper to utter a few words of protest against an atrocity which daily I am compelled to endure?

Having personally owned and paid taxes for this especial piece of property, viz. seventy-five feet by one hundred, for forty-eight years and my father for as many years before, I think I am entitled to just a little consideration from these City Fathers, some of whom to my personal knowledge have never paid but one dollar poll tax, or their parents before them. Verily "talk is cheap."

The Perth Amboy Evening News of Wednesday states that Superintendent L. W. Berry of the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. offers an explanation concerning the steepness of the bridge crossing George street, particularly on the easterly side and asking permission from the Council to lengthen the approach. When that is done both council and railroad must remember that they are then encroaching upon private property and are responsible for a greater nuisance than already exists, as the roadway of the street is now three feet higher than my yard, said yard being absolutely ruined by the flow of water through it in a rain storm or a big thaw—the council having so far forgotten George street that there is not even a plowed gutter. Why? Well! "They can't very well on account of the bridge."

I have laid one curb, but that is buried long ago, four feet deep. Another I cannot place. Why? Because of the bridge. Should a curb be placed, the bridge being too narrow to cover the width of the street my curb would be in the middle of their sidewalk, said walk being the middle of the road. Good enough for George street, for who ever sees it? No one, but the tax assessor, who considers it fine enough for a higher valuation notwithstanding its obnoxious sights and sounds, and I certainly decline to pay damages for injuries received through my curbing.

On the other hand should I fill in my property to the level of the bridge or roadway? Thank you, I absolutely decline to pay damages to my neighbors for having taken the liberty of injuring their property even unto John street which street I think is known to the council.

Just why a body of men should be so forgetful of the interests and yes, positively insulting at their sessions to the property owners, whose confidence in their ability placed them in office, is incomprehensible to one taxpayer at least.

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56 George Street, South Amboy, N. J.

JOSEPH WOJCIEHOWSKI.

The funeral of Joseph Wojciehowski took place from the Sacred Heart Church at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, February 11, and was attended by a large number of people. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated with Rev. Father Urban, of Perth Amboy, celebrant, Rev. A. B. Strenski deacon, and Father Wujek, of Perth Amboy, sub-deacon. Interment was made in the parish cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Maliszewski. The pall bearers were Laurence Iskra, Albert Kriskoski, John Kutz, Martin Wismewski, John and Michael Kriskowski.

Mr. Wojciehowski departed this life on February 9, after a lingering illness. He was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad, and was considered a faithful servant of the company. He is survived by a widow and nine children. The family greatly appreciate the courtesy of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in sending their team and stage for conveyance to church and cemetery.

Many a bluffer has a wife that he is unable to bluff.

BIDS WILL BE ASKED FOR.

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\$624.68; taxes, 1914, \$60.50; interest, \$7.72; taxes, 1915, \$1,001.90; bank tax, \$605.00; sewers, \$48.00; Stevens avenue improvement, \$31.21; interest, \$8.57; Augusta street, \$8.84; interest, \$1.76; Rent, \$5.00; total, \$2,403.18. This report was also received and filed.

The treasurer's bi-weekly report showed the following: General account balance, \$2,636.96; Water Department balance, \$4,263.58; Sewer account balance, \$2,508.92; Broadway Improvement account over-drawn, \$989.90. This report, was also received and filed.

Mr. Julius Theobolt, superintendent of the Middlesex Electric Light Heat and Power Co., was given the floor and spoke with reference to the discontinuance of the service at the pumping station. Additional information as to whether the discontinuance was permanent or temporary was what the speaker seemed to want and this was given. He also offered the council any assistance they might find themselves in need of in getting the motors to run properly.

Solicitor Coan stated that he had an order from the State Board of Health certifying that Mr. R. P. Mason had submitted statistics of vital nature during the last few months and that for so doing he was entitled to the sum of \$13.20. The Solicitor then went on to state that this bill had been referred to him by the Board of Health, to whom it had been presented and that in examining the law he found that such bills should be paid by the regular disbursing officer of the city. This being the case the council should pay the bill. Upon motion of Councilman Parlsen being carried the clerk was authorized to draw warrant for the amount.

A resolution introduced by Councilman Staton provided that the sum of \$55.00 be appropriated and turned over each month to the Board of Trustees of the Public Library. This resolution was adopted upon motion of Mr. Stratton.

An ordinance affecting the water department was introduced on first reading and laid over under the rules. The new ordinance seems to be pretty much the same as the old one except that it carries several mandatory regulations to govern the water commissioner. One of these is a provision to the effect that the commissioner render a monthly report to the council showing the number of jobs, the cost of material used, cost of labor, etc. It is said upon fairly reliable authority that the preparation of this ordinance is a useless procedure because it will never become effective.

Councilman Rue moved that the clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for the collection of garbage. Councilman Hackett asked for additional information as to what the intention was. This evoked some discussion, the result being that the members expressed themselves as believing that the city could get as good service and get it cheaper by putting it out to contract than to do it themselves. The motion was adopted upon a roll call vote showing all but Councilman Stratton voting in favor of the motion.

Councilman Parlsen moved that the matter of maps of the streets improved recently be referred to the street committee for action by the committee on assessments. The motion prevailed and adjournment was then taken.

WILL APPEAL EVERITT CASE.

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the opinion that no person could teach discipline who will not themselves bear discipline. Also that Miss Everitt had shown a total disregard for every rule that had been established by the board for the guidance of the teachers and that he believed that the matter should not be allowed to rest without an appeal.

Mr. Fulton stated that in the matter of the original charges about her being late and the action taken was just and right but that he did not believe in the supplementary charges which were afterward introduced. He also claimed that these charges were not made at the direction or request of the Board as maintained by Professor Barr and that it seemed to him that it would be inconsistent for them to do this. A discussion then ensued on this point during which it was clearly shown that the charges made by the superintendent were made at the request of at least a majority of the members of the board and that members had brought up grievances that they were familiar with. The Board's counsel also explained that the supplementary charges were not additional charges but were simply an amplification of the first charges.

Some further discussion was indulged in with reference to the letters written by the teacher in question to board members in the past.

Judge Lyon summed up the matter when he said that the trouble with Miss Everitt was in the character of the woman in that she had an utter contempt for the authority of the board. He expressed the thought that the boards of the past had hesitated to put her out of her position until recently when the accumulation of transgressions seemed to more than merit her dismissal.

The vote taken by roll call showed Mr. Fulton the only member who voted against the appeal being taken to the State Board.

Mr. Coan then offered a motion to the effect that Judge Lyon be retained as counsel and that he be directed to prepare the necessary papers and make the appeal to the state board. This motion was also carried.

Mr. Fulton asked if Miss Everitt was on duty. To this the superintendent replied that she had reported on Monday morning and had started to resume her duties. This was done at the advice of her counsel and upon advice of counsel the superintendent told her that inasmuch as she had not been re-instated by the local authorities it would be advisable for her to leave the building. This she did.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

MR. EDITOR:

It again becomes necessary to correct the public statements of the Councilman-at-Large. I therefore request space in your valuable paper in order that the correction receive the same publicity as the misstatement.

In the statement I made two weeks ago regarding the financial condition of the Board of Health I tried to show just what the true situation was and to explain the request for an appropriation. Mr. Stratton did not like that statement and criticized it but made absolutely no effort to disprove it. The figures given in that statement were taken from the books of the preceding boards and the present board stands on them without any attempt to retract the amounts published.

For the information of Mr. Stratton and those that have never taken the trouble to investigate the matter a few words regarding the law governing the situation will not be amiss. According to the acts governing cities of this size the Board of Health must present to the Council an estimate of the amount of money they need for the ensuing year; which amount shall not exceed five cents per capita and when the request is made it is the duty of the Council to grant the appropriation as they have no choice in the matter, so that it would be lawful for the Board in this city to ask for and receive an appropriation of \$375.00 instead of \$350.00, the amount requested.

The statement published showed that the Board had on hand a balance of \$112.52 as a working fund for the year; since their organization it was necessary to purchase fumigating supplies amounting to \$97.44 leaving a balance of \$15.08. The total receipts to date amount to \$12.00, leaving a balance of \$27.08. Mr. Stratton stated that we did not ask for the money because we needed it, but I think the above figures justify the request. Mr. Stratton stated "If he sought to explain the reasons actuating the request of the Board of Health for appropriations, why did he not come out in a straight-

forward manner and publish the increase in salary granted the Secretary and Treasurer?" His question is as accurate as the rest of his article. For his information and for the information of the public I wish to inform him that the salary of the Treasurer was increased \$25.00 per year making his salary \$50.00 per year; but his statement regarding the increase of the Secretary's salary was absolutely untrue as the records of the Board and the newspaper accounts of the meeting show. If Mr. Stratton would only stick to the truth he would be far better off.

He asks "That the people keep the figures published in mind and compare them with the figures of expense at the end of the year." He can rest assured that he and the public will have a chance to compare them as the Board will file their statement with the Council at the end of the year, something that the preceding Boards neglected to do.

Mr. Stratton also stated, "His efforts along lines have always been first and last in the interests of the citizens of South Amboy." In order to refresh his memory and the memory of the people he claims he protects, I wonder if he thought of them when he voted to pay the Merritt, Chapman Wrecking Co. \$750 for sewer work, or when he voted to pay \$105.00 for a grade map of Main street before it was accepted by the Council, or when he voted against the resolution to turn over to the County certain streets in this city when he knew they would be taken care of by the County thus saving the city thousands of dollars, or when he tried to saddle the city with the boulevard known as "The Bump the Bumps," or when he was so anxious to spend \$150,000 of the city money in a water plant that was not practicable. The foregoing are but a few instances of his protection and a small part of the record of which he is so proud and which he offers to the citizens of this city; he may feel proud of it but he is the only one that does (no doubt the P. R. R. Co. is proud of it, and they remember his stand in the Hole in the Wall discussion). (I feel sure the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. Co. are pleased with the stand he has taken regarding the George street bridge). That is part of the record Mr. Stratton desires the citizens to remember and I think they will.

His remark that "Poverty and honesty are closely linked" is no doubt true in most cases and I know of no millionaires on the Board of Health.

He reminds us that he has served the city for several years without any remuneration. I admit that he received no salary as alderman and do not even question his honesty, but I believe that South Amboy would have progressed further if he had never been in the Council. I believe in giving a man credit for his actions and I think Mr. Stratton is the best Councilman the P. R. R. has had since South Amboy has been in existence, and I defy him to prove one instance where he voted for the taxpayers when it was an issue between them and the P. R. R.

It seems to me that the people of this city are satisfied to let him stand on his record and I know they are so proud of it that they will erect a statue of him in City Hall Park when he retires from public life on the first of January next.

In his illusions to "The self appointed champion of the Board of

Health" he said "Such people are never heard from unless they are paid to talk," that also applies to the party that composed Mr. Stratton's article, and it should teach the august Councilman that "Silence is golden." If Mr. Stratton would do less talking and a little more work we would all be better off. Let him always remember that "Empty wagons make the most noise."

Thanking you for the space given this article I am,

Yours very truly,
LEO COAKLEY.

MUST OBTAIN LICENSE.

Sophie Kozlewski, of Bergen Hill, made complaint recently that Victoria Decenole, of Melrose, was practicing midwifery without a State license. Accordingly a State officer visited this city and brought the defendant before Judge Mason, where the officer required Victoria Decenole to make an affidavit that she would not practice midwifery without first obtaining a license.

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GOWNS, made up of soft white nainsook, yoke of Vandyke Needlework and Ribbon run through with sleeves to match, at..... 98c
GOWN, made up of Longcloth with round neck of 4 inch needlework edging and ribbon run through, short sleeves edged with needlework, at..... 75c
LONGCLOTH GOWN, with round neck and short sleeves edged with 2 inch needlework edging, at..... 89c
GOOD QUALITY MUSLIN GOWNS, in high neck and long sleeves, needlework trimmed, at..... 49c and 75c

SKIRTS

LINGERE CLOTH PETTICOAT, with 12 inch ruffle of eye-let needlework and dust ruffle with scalloped edge, at..... \$2.25
NAINSOOK SKIRT, with 9 inch ruffle, made up of 5 rows of Val. insertion and Val. edging, with dust ruffle, at..... \$1.25
LINGERE CLOTH PETTICOAT, made up of 9 inch needlework ruffle and dust ruffle, at..... 98c

DRAWERS

ENVELOPE DRAWERS, made up of fine Nainsook with needlework edge, at..... 49c
FINE NAINSOOK DRAWERS, with ruffle made up Val. lace and fine insertion open and closed, at..... 59c
NAINSOOK DRAWERS, made up of 4 inch ruffle of needlework in open and closed, at..... 49c
GOOD QUALITY MUSLIN DRAWERS, with pin tucks and narrow needlework edging, at..... 25c

CORSET COVERS

NAINSOOK CORSET COVER, yoke of Swiss embroidery with ribbon drawn through armholes edged with embroidery, at..... 49c
FINE QUALITY CORSET COVER, with front of cover trimmed with pointed medallions and Val. insertion, back also trimmed, neck and armholes trimmed, at..... 49c
CAMBRIC CORSET COVER, with wide yoke made up Val. and needlework insertion, at..... 25c
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FOR RENT—Rooms in Parson Building. Steam heat, electric light and water. Inquire on premises. 2-17-17

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED TO RENT—A house, with improvements, six rooms or more preferred. Address Jos. H. Thompson, P. O. Box 351, city. 2-12-17

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Horse, water and gas, No. 5 John street. One and one-half lots, barn on premises. Bargain to quick buyer. Apply to Brown Bros. 2-17-17

REAL ESTATE—Salable property always on hand. Dwellings, factory sites, large or small, farms, building lots, etc., at inviting prices. Now is the time to buy. Don't delay. Rents collected. Fire insurance placed in reliable companies. Wm. H. Parson, Real Estate and Rent Collecting Agency, 109 Broadway, South Amboy, N. J. 1-25-17

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FOR SALE—Two houses, almost new, all improvements, on Louisa street, between Pine avenue and Feltus street. A bargain. Apply to A. H. Slover, Pine avenue. 2-20-17

FOR SALE—House with eight rooms and basement, and two lots, on Augusta street, between Stevens avenue and Broadway. South Amboy, N. J. Apply John A. Lovely, or William H. Hubbard. 1-25-17

FOR SALE—Cheap, two lots on Ward avenue. Inquire at 178 Broadway. 2-11-17

FOR SALE—A nice six room house in desirable location. It will prove a great bargain and a valuable investment to the buyer who secures it. A grand 8 room residence with improvements on the most central and popular street in this city; convenient to all business places and depots. A five acre farm with a brick residence, as cheap as a home on a single lot. Just what you have been looking for and talking about. Get it and reduce the high cost of living. Apply to Charles S. Buckelew. 2-27-17

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—On account of moving from the city, the following articles are offered very low at private sale: One refrigerator, one bedstead, one washstand with closet and drawers, and two chairs. Call any time at Henry Street, Mrs. Abram Everett. 1-29-17

MONEY TO LOAN—In sums of \$100, \$200, \$300, \$400, \$500 and up to \$1000. Inquire at Law Office of John A. Lovely, 165 Broadway. 2-17-17

MONEY TO LOAN on Bond and Mortgage. Apply to J. A. Coan, P. O. Building. 2-17-17

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FOR HIRE—New 6 Studebaker touring car for hire, O. W. Welsh. 1-17-17

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WANTED—Boarders and roomers at 181 John street, bet. Stevens and Pine ayes. 2-12-17

BOARD WANTED.

WANTED—Room and board for husband and wife, in private family. Address P. O. Box 102. 2-19-17

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. M. Kaufmann, Broadway. 2-19-17

WANTED—A boy for store work. Address P. O. Box 405. 2-18-17

Real Estate For Sale

1 house, 11 rooms, all improvements, David street.

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NOTICE.

To Shareholders of The Star Building and Loan Association.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, TO the shareholders of The Star Building and Loan Association that a resolution making the standard rate of premium three per cent. will be voted on at regular meeting to be held in the City Hall at 7.30 p. m. on Monday, February 23, 1916. 2-5-3 JOHN J. DELANEY, Sec.

Daily Thought.

The word "tomorrow" was invented for irresolute people and for children. —Turgeneff.

Low Aim in Life.

The man whose eyes are nailed, not on the nature of his act, but on the wages, whether it be money or office or fame, is almost equally low. —Emerson

ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

Coasting on bob-sleds was enjoyed the fore part of the week.

The Michelins are coming to-night (Friday) to capture basketball honors. Look out Rivies!

Oscar Mundy is remodeling his carpenter shop on Catherine street into a two-family dwelling.

The Board of Education will hold a regular meeting in School No. 2 next Wednesday evening.

The Board of Health will hold a regular monthly meeting in the City Hall next Thursday evening.

Last Sunday evening the Rev. Mr. Ferguson, of Paterson, preached to the congregation in the Methodist Episcopal church.

Next Tuesday will be Washington's Birthday. The First National Bank will be closed, and the Post Office after 10 a. m.

Governor Fielder has reappointed Capt. John J. Scully of this city as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Pilotage.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, of the P. R. R. Y. C. M. A., will hold a parcel post social and ice cream sale in the social room on Friday next, commencing at 5 p. m.

The Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold an entertainment in the basement of the church next Saturday evening to which parents and friends will be invited.

G. Stephen Clauser of this city has been granted a patent on a car brake. It operates by compressed air, and acts directly on the rail. No more flat wheels hereafter, when this brake is used.

A reward of ten dollars is offered for information that will result in the conviction of any person or persons stealing boards from the fence surrounding property of John Scully on the northerly side of Augusta street.

Stillwell & Mason are having a large two-story addition built to their present store. The great increase in business demands a larger stock and in order to display it the addition became necessary. Lamberton & Reese have the contract.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will hold their St. Patrick's Day supper on Friday, March 17, in the Lecture room of the church. They will also have a Parcel Post and Cake sale at the same time.

James Murphy and his son were haled before the Police Court last Tuesday upon complaint of Attendance Officer Manduka. The case was dismissed upon promise being given by Murphy to see that his son attended school regularly beginning at once.

The Courts have handed down a decision in the case wherein Orlando Perrine, former custodian of school moneys, sued the Board of Education for back salary. The decision awards Mr. Perrine back salary at the rate of one dollar per year for two years.

William Nagle, Registrar of Vital Statistics, will sit at the City Hall on Tuesday and Friday evenings, from 8 to 9 o'clock for the purpose of issuing marriage certificates or transacting such other business as may be brought before him. Appointments may also be made at his residence.

The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Atkinson on Monday of this week and brought a bouncing boy to gladden their hearts. Mr. Atkinson is well known in this city, having been a former resident and prominent ball player. He has now entered professional ball and next season will play in the Atlantic Coast League.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Compton and daughter attended the funeral of Sarah T. Rellstab on Monday at Lawrenceville. She was the Great Keeper of Records of the Great Council of New Jersey, Degree of Pocahontas, Improved Order of Red Men, holding the office for the past fifteen years. She will be greatly missed, being a faithful chief.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Linke of this city attended the funeral of Mrs. August Ehrlich at College Point, L.

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Imperial Baking Powder, ½ lb. 25c

\$10.00 in stamps with following

Best Tea, lb. 60c
Imperial Baking Powder, lb. 45c

L. on Wednesday last. Mrs. Ehrlich died on Sunday last of heart trouble at the age of 79 years. She was a former resident of this city. Her husband up to the time of his death kept a harness shop on Broadway. Interment was made at Flushing, L. I.

The annual session of Pythian Sisters convened at Asbury Park on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The following Sisters were represented from Good Samaritan Temple, No. 5: Mrs. W. C. Dill, Mrs. Lewis Dill, Mrs. Louisa James, Mrs. George Selover, Mrs. Charles Buckelew, Mrs. Grace Bruster, Mrs. Gertrude Prall, Mrs. Joseph Compton and Mrs. Edward Wilson.

Urge Macadamizing Of The Parlin Road

At the meeting of the Board of Freeholders held in the County Record building, New Brunswick, Monday afternoon, a large delegation of residents and taxpayers of Sayreville township appeared before the board and made an appeal for the county to macadamize the road from the South River River bridge to Miller's corner, and on to the "Deep Cut" near this city, a distance of about four miles.

This road is used in transporting employees of the DuPont and Union Powder plants at Parlin and hauling freight and is in bad condition. The Freeholders expressed themselves in favor of making the improvement if it could be done with state aid. It was found that this road had never been improved under the state road law and it is probable that favorable action will be taken.

The board was addressed by several of those in the party. Superintendent F. I. Fullam and assistant manager George W. Albrow of the DuPont Powder Works said they employed 4,000 people. The Raritan River Railroad and trolley lines could not accommodate their demands in handling their employees and jitney busses and other vehicles were used in transporting the men. The road was in bad condition they declared and greatly needed improving. General Superintendent H. Schlatter, of the Union Powder company also made an appeal for a better road. They employed one thousand men.

Edward Clark, of the Sayreville Township Committee, urged action. Mayor John Fee, of South River, sent a letter asking the county aid. All the members of the township committee attended the meeting.

County Farm Demonstrator I. L. Owen submitted his annual report, showing he had visited 613 farms, addressed 916 people travelled 6,470 miles, conducted several orchard demonstrations, had 35 corn growing contests and written 818 letters.

Acting Superintendent C. S. Krick asked that the conference on the proposed improvements at the "hole-in-the-wall," in this city, be delayed until after the return of the Superintendent of the Trenton Division, Pennsylvania railroad, Victor Weirman, from his vacation February 23. This was agreed to by the board.

A resolution of Freeholder Kerr providing for bids for a storm sewer on the east approach of the South River bridge was adopted. Also one of Freeholder Kerr providing for a switch on the private property of the

Public Service Railway Company on the causeway.

The County Collector was authorized to borrow \$100,000 in anticipation of taxes. A letter from the Public Service Electric Company asking that the board advertise before May 15 for furnishing gas and electric light was referred to the county solicitor. The board contracts for lights for the Weston's Mill road and the Albany street bridge.

It's hard to be grateful to men who fight your battles for you and get licked.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED BIDS AND PROPOSALS will be received by the Common Council of the City of South Amboy, N. J., in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, on Tuesday evening, February 29th, 1916, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the collection of garbage in the said City of South Amboy, N. J., for months of April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November and December of the year 1916.

A certified check for \$100.00 drawn to the order of the City Treasurer must accompany each bid. The successful bidder will be obligated to furnish a satisfactory surety bond of \$500.00.

Specifications may be obtained from the City Clerk.

By order of the Common Council, RICHARD M. MACK, City Clerk.

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\$15.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$12.00
\$18.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$14.00
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Cali. Hams 12½c lb | PORK LOINS 14½c lb. | LIVER 3 lbs 25c

GOOD LARD 2 lbs 24c | Boneless Hams 14c lb
SPECIAL One to a customer

Veal or Lamb for Stewing 18c lb | Pork Roast 18½c lb | Hamburger, fresh chopped 14½c lb

PRIME RIB ROAST 13c-15c lb. | BONELESS BACON 16½c lb | FRESH SHOULDERS 12½c lb | Lamb or Veal Chops 18c lb

POT ROAST 12½c lb | 25c SPECIALS! | Roast of Veal 12c lb
6 lbs CORNED PIGS FEET. 25c
5 lbs FRESH PIGS FEET. 25c
3 lbs PICKLED PIGS' FEET. 25c
8 lbs SOUR KRAUT. 25c

Corned Beef, Plate or Brisket 6 lbs 50c | HOME MADE SAUSAGE 15½c lb | GENUINE SPRING LAMB 18c lb
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Right, but Wrong.
Late Professor Thomas R. Louns-
dale of Yale, speaking at Cambridge,
and, on the proper use of Eng-
lish, according to the Philadelphia
Herald, said:

"But precision can be carried too far.
The ultra precise, even when logically
right, are really wrong."

"An ultra precise professor went into
a hardware shop and said, 'Show me a
shears, please.'"

"You mean a pair of shears, don't
you?" said the dealer.

"No," said the professor; "I mean
what I say. I mean a shears."

"The dealer took down a box of
shears."

"Look here, professor," he said,
'aren't there two blades here? And
don't two make a pair?'"

"Well, you've got two legs. Does
that make you a pair of men? And
the professor smiled at the dealer tri-
umphantly through his spectacles."

"He was logically right," said Pro-
fessor Lounsberry, "but really he was
wrong."

Girls in Korea.

Girls in Korea have no names or
what would be considered names in
the western world. There are no
Marys or Mabels or Ruths. The little
ones are given pet names at their
birth, and these they bear until they
are ten years old, after which they are
no longer used. After her tenth birth-
day the young woman is known as
"Mr. Kim's daughter" or "Mr. Kim's
girl baby." The latter title is consid-
ered the more honorable.

If there are several daughters in the
family they are distinguished by such
words as "big" (for the eldest), "sec-
ond," "third," "fourth," etc. After
marriage they are known by their hus-
band's name and title, with the word
"house" affixed. They may also be
distinguished by the name of the place
from which they came when marry-
ing, as "Mrs. of the House of Kim,
the young lady who came from Kong
Jo."

Odor of Iodoform.

It is said that the odor of iodoform
can be removed from the hands and
utensils by mustard. While the hands
are wet (moisten them with cold wa-
ter) place a small quantity of dry mus-
tard powder in the palm and rub it
well over the hands and then wash off
with soap and water. For utensils the
mustard must be made like a paste
and allowed to remain spread on them
for several hours.

The Needless Needle.

"Now, ma," said the young man who
was showing his visiting mother the
wonderful sights of the city, "would
you like to go into the park and see
Cleopatra's Needle?"

"I didn't know that hussy ever used
a needle. She didn't spend much time
sewing, from the scanty wardrobe she
had in all the pictures of her that I
ever saw."—Judge.

System All Right.

"I used to think I would know just
how to manage my wife when I got
her."

"Has your system proved to be a
failure?"

"No; the system is all right, so far as
I know. She has never let me try it."
—Stray Stories.

Four Counties Inn.

In the Four Counties Inn, in Eng-
land, it is possible to eat in Leicester-
shire, sleep in Staffordshire, drink in
Warwickshire and smoke in Derby-
shire without leaving the building.

Horses and Music.

The musical acuteness of horses is
shown by the rapidity with which cav-
alry horses learn the significance of
trumpet calls.

Friendship may and often does grow
into love, but love never subsides into
friendship.

Preparedness on the Farm.

To my way of thinking, that's the
best thing about farm work—you've
got to be prepared for all manner of
emergencies that you can't possibly
prepare for. Maybe that sounds like a
bit absurd, but it isn't.—William H.
Linton in "Happy Hollow Farm."

Old Fashioned.

"No; she has never gone out much."
"How do you know?"

"Why, when she joined our sewing
club she actually expected to do some
sewing!"—Houston Post.

Good Reason.

"Why do you write articles on how
cheaply people can live if they try?"

"In the hope of getting enough mon-
ey to avoid having to live that way."
—Brooklyn Eagle.

Unflattering.

He (earnestly)—The fact is as plain
as the nose on your face. She (pout-
ing)—Everybody but you says I've got
a pretty nose.—Baltimore American.

It is fear I stand most in fear of.
For in sharpness it surmounteth to all
other accidents.—Montague.

He Couldn't Understand.

Bob had had a strenuous day at
school. In discussing it he said:
"Mother, why don't women have any
use for men when they're little? Don't
they know they'll grow up some day?"

The man who thinks funny thoughts
without expressing them is the worst
kind of a pessimist.

Rivies Down Asbury Park Champions

Taking the bit in their teeth in the
game with the Monmouth County
champions last Friday night, the
Riversides ran away with the game
in the second half and easily defeated
the Asbury Parkites by the score of
37 to 22. In the first half the visitors
gave the local rooters quite a scare
by getting the jump on the Rivies
right at the start and keeping the
lead until close to the end of the
half when the local favorites forged
slightly ahead.

Although defeated the Asbury Park
team promises to give the Rivies a
warm reception the next time they
meet on the court in the three-game
series. This will be next Wednesday
evening when the Rivies will under-
take the journey to the popular
shore resort.

The management announced last
Friday night that the attraction this
Friday would be another appearance
of the Michelines, of Milltown. This
is the team that forced the Rivies in-
to an extra period game recently,
the only extra period that the Rivies
have been forced into for several
seasons. Another attraction will be
a roller skating exhibition by Trygve
Skyberg, the champion Perth Amboy
skater.

Last Friday night Gene Bird again
entertained with a few songs and
won much favor from the patrons by
his excellent rendition. Assurance
was also given at that time that the
Perth Amboy Y. M. C. A. would en-
ter into a series with the Rivies with
undisputed claim to the championship
as laurels for the winner. The first
game of the series will be staged
next Friday, February 25th, on the
local court.

This is how the champs won Friday
night:

Asbury Park	Forwards	Riversides
Appleby		Canton
Jones		McCreery
	Center	
Matthews		Thomas
	Guards	
Benocco		Allen
Anderson		Burns

Field Goals—Appleby, 1; Jones, 2;
Benocco, 7; Anderson, 1; Canton, 1;
Thomas, 6; McCreery, 5.
Fouls Goals—Thomas, 13; Ander-
son, 10.

Score at end of first half—River-
sides, 15; Asbury Park A. C., 11.
Referee, Thomas Canton. Umpire,
F. Flake.

Home Is—

Where you wish you were about
twenty times a day when you are
away from it.

Where you got three square meals a
day and didn't appreciate them.

Where you can use the shower bath
any time you want it.

Where you can step across the hall
wearing a Turkish towel and a cake
of soap without fear of seven or eight
people seeing you.

Where you don't have to dress for
dinner.

Where you don't have to tip some
one every two hours.

Where the view isn't much, but the
food and beds and company and gen-
eral environments have got it all over
any other spot on the map.

Where you go when all the other
places are closed.—Boston Herald.

Pepys at a Feast.

Pepys' account of the lord mayor's
banquet which he attended in 1693 il-
lustrates the earliness of the proceed-
ings at that time. He made his way
to the Guildhall at noon, "went up
and down to see the tables" and then
had a drink, refusing wine in conse-
quence of a vow, but persuading his
conscience that he might indulge in
hippocras, a compound of wine and
spices. Soon after 1 o'clock came the
lord mayor, "and so all to dinner." Afterward Pepys strolled about the la-
dies' room, but could not discern one
handsome face there and, "being
wearied with looking upon a company
of ugly women," went off to Cheapside
to see the pagodas, "which were very
silly." Thus the lord mayor's show in
those days came after dinner.—London
Standard.

No, He Wasn't Sick.

The ocean liner was rolling like a
chip; but, as usual in such instances,
one passenger was aggressively dis-
tastefully healthy. "Sick, eh?" he re-
marked to a pale green person who
was leaning on the rail. The pale
green person regarded the healthy one
with all the scorn he could muster.
"Sick nothing!" he snorted weakly.
"I'm just hanging over the front of
the boat to see how the captain crank-
it!"—Argonaut.

The Sculptor's Art.

Bowls—Yes, I know I'm ugly, but
there is one great consolation. Biggs.
What is that? Bowls—If ever I should
become great and the people should re-
solve to erect a statue to my memory
they won't be able to make me out,
any uglier than I am.—London Tel-
graph.

Possibly the wisdom of man may
surpass that of woman, but when it
comes to tact—well, he isn't in it.

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inee Girl This Late Winter.



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nects the hat, coat and frock is the
clever introduction of elaborate metal
brocade. Joffe blue panne velvet is
used to fashion the coat and make the
hat's foundation and the busque of
the gown. The fur is black fox.

A UTILITY BAG.

Directions For Making One That's a
Regular Carryall.

A utility bag which answers the pur-
pose of a laundry and shoe bag, with
two other pockets for various articles,
will be found very convenient when
travelling. This bag can be taken from
the trunk or suit case and hung up
without disturbing its contents.

Cretonne is perhaps the best mate-
rial for such a bag. It would require
two pieces for the foundation of the
bag. One piece should be a yard long
and twenty-one inches wide, the other
a yard and one-fourth long and twenty-
two inches wide. Before joining the
two strips attach pockets to the
longer piece. Turn up one-fourth yard
at the bottom for the flap of the laun-
dry bag. Slightly round it and bind
the raw edges with tape. When the
bag is completed this flap will snap or
button over the back of the bag.

Across the bottom after the flap has
been measured off attach shoe pockets.
Bind a long piece of material with tape
across one side, then lay it into four
box platts, dividing them by means of
a stitched piece of tape; also stitch a
piece of tape across the bottom after
the pockets are basted in place.

Above these pockets attach another
bag the width of the strip underneath
and any desired depth. Bind top edge
with tape divided into two sections
and stitch tape across the bottom.

Now lace the long strips to a depth
of five inches with satine and stitch
casing for double drawstrings. Stitch
the two pieces together on the right
side and bind with tape. Snap the
flap at the bottom over the back of the
bag.

Candy Apples on the Stick.

Select nice apples that are not too
large. Mount them on thin sticks—
meat skewers will do. Have them
ready so that by the time the sirup is
ready for dipping no time may be lost.

Sirup.—One pound of sugar, one-half
cupful of molasses, one-half cupful of
water, one-quarter of a teaspoonful of
cream of tartar, one tablespoonful of
butter. Cook until when dropped in
cold water the sirup is hard, or to 300
degrees F. on the candy thermometer.
Keep hot while dipping the apples.
Coat thoroughly. Lay in a greased
dish, and then they will harden imme-
diately.

A reliable candy thermometer can be
bought for \$1. As an investment it
will pay for itself time and time again.
Learn to make jelly by using the ther-
mometer.

Stewed Okra.

Three cupfuls of okra, one cupful of
canned tomatoes, one tablespoonful of
butter and one teaspoonful of salt and
pepper to taste. Wash the okra and
cut it into thin slices. Put it into the
saucepan with tomatoes; bring them
to a boil; then lower the heat and let
them simmer half an hour. Add the
salt ten minutes before they are done
and the pepper and butter just before
serving.

Braised Veal.

One and one-half pounds of the neck
of veal cut into cutlets. In the stew-
ing pan place two tablespoonfuls of
fat, then dust the meat lightly with
flour and brown in the fat. Add one
pint of boiling water, cook gently until
tender, add one medium sized carrot
and onion. Dish on hot dish, garnish
with finely chopped parsley.

HIGH SCHOOL MENTIONINGS

Our "Weakly" Character sketch:
There was a young lady—"Some
Dame!"

Who decided to make her a name,
She got up on the platform
And handed out cracked corn,
And certainly made her a name.

P. S. She came from South River.
Curtain.

Judge: "Did you strike this man
in an excess of frascibility?"

Prisoner: "No sah, ah done hit im
in de stomach."

South Amboy Wins Debate.

On Friday evening, February 11,
the teams representing the South
River and South Amboy High Schools
met in the South Amboy City Hall, to
debate upon the subject of "Govern-
ment Ownership and Control of Tele-
phone and Telegraph Lines." This is
the first of the annual Interscholas-
tic debates for this year.

Professor O. O. Barr, City Superin-
tendent of Schools, presided over the
debate. The Judges were: Judge
Adrian Lyon, of New Brunswick; Mr.
J. P. Wall, of New Brunswick; Mr.
H. A. Reynolds, of New Brunswick.

The South River team, representing
the affirmative side of the question
were: Miss Gill, captain; Miss De
Hart, Miss Holfelder, and an alterna-
te whose name we were unable to
get. Our school was represented by:
Miss Gordon, captain; Miss Newton,
Mr. Kerr, and Mr. Slover as alterna-
tate.

Promptly at 8.15, Prof. Barr read
the rules and regulations, after which
he introduced Miss Gill as the first
speaker for the affirmative. She did
especially well, finished within the
time limit, seven minutes, and was
roundly applauded by the audience.

Mr. Barr next introduced Miss New-
ton as the first speaker for the nega-
tive. She did very well, finished with-
in the time limit and was applauded.

The second speaker for the affirma-
tive was Miss De Hart, who also did
very well, and finished in time—ap-
plause!

The next speaker for the negative
was Miss Gordon, who was on our
team last year. She did splendidly
and was loudly applauded.

Miss Holfelder spoke next for the
affirmative. She also was on the team
from South River last year. Mr.
Kerr, who was with Miss Gordon on
our team last year, delivered his
points as usual, only more slowly this
time.

Mr. Barr announced that the teams
would have seven minutes in which
to prepare their rebuttals. The nega-
tive side represented by its captain
had first honors in the rebuttal. Miss
Gordon certainly did justice to our
school. Her rebuttal was filled with
wit and well directed satire. Time
was called before she had finished.
She was applauded loudly. Miss Gill,
the affirmative captain, delivered the
rebuttal for her side. Her rebuttal
was also filled with wit and satire.

Mr. G. P. Dey, one of the ushers,
escorted the Judges from the room in
order that they might come to a deci-
sion. While the Judges were out the
students entertained the audience
with cheering. After an absence of
six minutes the Judges returned.
Judge Lyon acted as spokesman, and
congratulated both teams on their ex-
cellent preparation. He then stated
that the Judges had declared unani-
mously in favor of South Amboy.

There was a large crowd in attend-
ance and the debate proved a finan-
cial success for all concerned. The
audience showed its appreciation of
the proceedings by repeated applause.
The debate showed that both teams
had spent no small amount of time in
preparation, and speaks well for the
English departments of both schools.

Heard at the debate: "Who's the
dame with the 'Chawmed to meet
you' expression on her face?"

The next debate of the series in
which our school takes part will be
held on February 25, at Matawan.
Our school will still have the nega-
tive side, and the Matawan team will
uphold the affirmative.

Story of Charles Lamb.

At the dinner table, among a large
number of guests, Charles Lamb's
white cravat caused a mistake to be
made, being taken for a clergyman,
and he was called on "to say grace."
Looking up and down the table, he
asked, in his inimitable hisping man-
ner: "Is there no el-el-clergyman pre-
sent?" "No, sir," answered a guest.
"The-then," said Lamb, bowing his
head, "let us thank God."

The man who steals a kiss with-
out first warning the girl misses the
best part of it.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE
received by the Board of Chosen
Freeholders of the County of Middle-
sex, at their rooms in the County
Record Building, at New Brunswick,
N. J., on

MONDAY, MARCH 6th, 1916,

at 2.30 o'clock p. m. for the construc-
tion of a twenty-four inch pipe storm
sewer on the east approach to the
South River Bridge in the Township
of Sayreville, according to plans and
specifications on file at the office of
Alvin B. Fox, County Engineer, Perth
Amboy, N. J., and the office of Edward
Burt, County Collector, New Brun-
swick, N. J.

A deposit of five (5) dollars will be
required for copies of specifications
and plans, which will be refunded
upon the return of same in good con-
dition to either of the above addresses.

Each bid must be accompanied by
a certified check in the amount of
one hundred dollars (\$100.00) with-
out any conditional endorsement,
which check shall be forfeited should
the successful bidder fail to enter
into contract and give bond within
ten days from the award of the bid.

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

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Clerk. 2-19-3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

CHARLES L. PATTERSON AND
William Hammell, Executors of
Josephine E. Fenton, deceased, by
direction of the Surrogate of the
County of Middlesex, hereby gives
notice to the creditors of the said
Josephine E. Fenton, to bring in their
debts, demands and claims against
the estate of the said deceased, under
oath or affirmation, within nine
months from this date, or they will
be forever barred of any action
therefor against the said executors.

Dated December 16, 1915.
CHARLES L. PATTERSON,
and WILLIAM HAMMELL,
12-18-9 Executors

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

RICHARD C. STEPHENSON AD-
ministrator with will annexed and
codicil thereto of Sarah Sexton,
deceased, by direction of the Surro-
gate of the County of Middlesex,
hereby gives notice to the creditors
of the said Sarah Sexton, to bring in
their debts, demands and claims
against the estate of the said de-
ceased, under oath or affirmation, within
nine months from this date, or they
will be forever barred of any action
therefor against the said Administrator.

Dated December 16, 1915.
RICHARD C. STEPHENSON,
Administrator with will annexed
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G. A. R., meets first and third Wed-
nesday afternoon of each month at
3 o'clock, in Michael Welsh's Hall.
Commander, George H. Seward; Adjut-
ant, S. H. Chatten.

St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 62, F. &
A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first
and third Mondays of each month
(excepting July, August and holidays)
at 7.30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. O.
U. A. M., meet every Friday even-
ing in Knights of Pythias Hall.
Councillor A. J. Peterson; Recording
Secretary, C. H. Edwards.

Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 52, K.
of P., meets every Wednesday even-
ing at 8 o'clock, at K. of P. Hall,
corner of First and Stockton streets.
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Hawse; Keeper of Records and Seals,
William A. Chapman.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 96, I.
O. O. F., meets every Tuesday even-
ing at 7.30 o'clock, at Knights of
Pythias Hall. Noble Grand, Hans
N. Nelson; Secretary, Charles P.
Thomas; Financial Secretary, Sig.
Emmussen.

Seneca Tribe, No. 23, Imp'd. O. R.
M., meets every Thursday evening at
8 o'clock, in Knights of Pythias Hall.
Sachem, William H. Coward, Jr.;
Chief of Records, George G. Cliver;
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—Theodore Roosevelt.

Lawyer's Good Thing.
"Seems to me that the lawyers have it easy in life." "Why so?" "The rest of us have to surmount our own obstacles. But if a lawyer strikes one, he applies to some judge and has it set aside."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Kweeer Kwerries
? BY NIBOR. ?

If it is a poor horse that can't climb up 14 inches, what kind of an engine is it that can get up a grade of 5 ft. to every 10? Some of our engineer friends should be able to answer.

—?—?—?

Ever hear the old saw about "man's inhumanity to man" etc? Recent happenings in S. A. indicate a revision in favor of the feminine sex.

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Who is the gentleman in South Amboy who is accredited with having the mouth of a hippopotamus and the brain of an infant oyster?

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What if the ground hog had seen his shadow? Suppose we would all be frozen up under six feet of snow now.

—?—?—?

Hello, this the Board of Health? What's the bounty on reporter's hides to-day? What? Time clocks! Board of Education? Oh ring off, the wires are crossed.

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If one those mysterious aeroplanes which are exciting the Evening News happens to collide with the flag-pole at the City Hall, will the city Fathers hear from a N. Y. firm of aeronautical attorneys?

—?—?—?

Do you believe in signs? Saw one on a house the other day and crossed to the opposite side of the street thinking they had diphtheria there. This is what was on the sign: "Prayer meeting here to-morrow night. All are welcome."

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Onions at Their Best.
Onions are at their best when boiled whole in milk, or when steamed. When prepared in either of these ways and eaten with bread and butter and cheese they make a satisfying and nutritious meal on which you can do brain work or manual labor

—?—?—?

Gulls Good Scavengers.
Gulls are economically important. Along the coasts of the United States they act as sea scavengers. Inland, they render important services; especially to agriculture. In at least one big inland city a monument has been erected to gulls for their achievements.

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Get Rid of Evil Habits.
Every evil and wasteful habit draws upon our strength and resources without making any proper return. On the other hand, every task faithfully done, every responsibility manfully borne in the path of duty steadies us, like well bestowed ballast. There are loads that help us as well as loads that hinder. Those we should cheerfully take up and these resolutely cast off.—Exchange.

PERSONAL

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

A. R. Mitchell has been ill the past week with tonsillitis.

Mr. Samuel Schleimer, of Elizabeth, was a local visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. E. P. Wilson, of Second street, visited Asbury Park on Wednesday.

Andrew Weddle is confined to his home with a bad attack of tonsillitis.

Robert P. Mason is out again after several days' illness from a heavy cold.

Mrs. V. N. James, of Second street, was an Asbury Park visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Dill, of Broadway, was an Asbury Park visitor last Wednesday.

Mrs. Louis S. Dill of Second street, visited Asbury Park on Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Joseph Compton, of Main street, was an Asbury Park visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. I. V. P. Selover, of Second street, was a visitor at Asbury Park on Wednesday.

Mr. Carl Emmons and daughter, Beatrice, of Brooklyn, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Emmons, of First street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Best and son, Edward, of New York, spent Lincoln's Birthday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Havens of Second street.

ANNIVERSARY JUBILEE AT THE DITMAS THEATRE

Next week is to be the double anniversary jubilee at the Ditmas Theatre in Perth Amboy to celebrate the second anniversary of the opening of the Ditmas Theatre and the first anniversary of Paramount Pictures. In commemoration of this event the management have assembled what is without question the greatest program ever offered in one theatre in a single week. A Paramount Picture will be shown each day and a special orchestra will render popular concerts at all evening performances.

On Monday the idol of the screen, Mary Pickford, will be seen in the famous old play "Esmeralda;" on Tuesday popular Blanche Sweet will appear in the former Belasco stage success "The Case of Becky;" Wednesday brings the world-renowned grand opera prima donna Geraldine Farrar in her second screen triumph "Temptation;" on Thursday the eminent dramatic star Pauline Frederick will enact the role of "Zaza," the former success of Mrs. Leslie Carter; on Friday the youthful musical comedy favorite, Hazel Dawn, will bring sunshine in the romantic comedy "The Heart of Jennifer;" and the Double Anniversary Jubilee will come to a close on Saturday with the international idol, Elsie Janis, in a captivating screen story, "Twas Ever Thus." On Tuesday, which is Washington's Birthday, performances will be continuous from two fifteen until eleven. The admission at night will be ten cents for all seats while the afternoon price is five cents for children and ten cents for adults.

March 6th and 7th are the dates for "The Battle Cry of Peace," and the prices are displayed in the advertisement of the Ditmas this week. Patrons are urged to send in mail orders accompanied by check or money order together with a self-addressed envelope. All mail orders will have advanced reservation over the regular box office sale which opens Friday, March 3rd. As "The Battle Cry of Peace" will play to capacity at all performances the management urge all out of town patrons to send in mail orders at once so as to be able to obtain the choice locations.

Time to Lie Still.
"Can you play dead in a battle scene?" "Dat's easy." "Not so easy as you think. You mustn't jump when the cannon are fired over your prostrate body."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Little Bedtime Story.
Peter Rabbit watched in considerable amazement the antics of Titus Tumblebug, who was rolling his ball along a rut, clinging on and going over with it, and then letting it roll over him. "Are you doing that for fun?" questioned Peter, "or have you the hallucination that you are a joy-riding motorist, compelled to turn turtle every time you get a chance?"—Kansas City Star.

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Tryphosa, all flavors 7½c
Special, per package 7½

Favorite Pancake Flour, package	9c
Catsup, per bottle	5c
Sapolio, cake	7c
Sour KROUT, can	10c
Early Garden Spinach, can	12c
California Asparagus, large can	24c
Nabob Salmon, flat can	24c
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MATINEES 2.15 to 5.15 NIGHTS 7 to 10.45
NIGHTS ALL SEATS 10c MATINEES 5c and 10c
ORCHESTRA CONCERTS AT EVENING PERFORMANCES

PARAMOUNT PICTURE FOR MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21
MARY PICKFORD
In One of Her Most Charming Picturizations
"ESMERALDA"

PARAMOUNT PICTURE FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22
BLANCHE SWEET
In a Picturization of the Great Belasco Success
"THE CASE OF BECKY"

PARAMOUNT PICTURE FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23
GERALDINE FARRAR
In Even a Greater Triumph Than Carmen Entitled
"TEMPTATION"

PARAMOUNT PICTURE FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24
PAULINE FREDERIC
In An Elaborate Film Version of the Famous Pl
"ZAZA"

PARAMOUNT PICTURE FOR FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25
HAZEL DAWN
In a Captivating Comedy of Youth and F
"THE HEART OF JENNIFER"

PARAMOUNT PICTURE FOR SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26
Elsie Janis in "Twas Ever Thus"

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THE GREAT PATRIOTIC SPEC
'The Battle Cry of Peace'

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First 5 Rows..... 25c
Next 5 Rows..... 35c
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SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1916.

In the financial statement of the city we find among the assets \$7,672.00 due for interest from the Susquehanna Coal Company. Now if this money is due the city it is time the authorities got after it. Why delay when we need the money so badly to run the city government? Then again we find that only \$5,433.48 is due on roadway pavement, and notes outstanding against it of \$18,000; and on sewers improvement there is only \$8,714.28 due, with notes outstanding of \$12,000 against it. If the money on these improvements was collected up so closely, why was not the money used to reduced the notes to the amount due on these improvements?

It is rumored that Mayor William S. Dey will seek the nomination as surrogate on the Republican ticket. Owing to his great run last fall no doubt the party will take recognition of his desires.

FEBRUARY HONOR ROLL.

The following pupils of the public schools have received high averages in their studies during February:

- School No. 1.
First Grade—George Primka, Jolly Reeder, Irma Dayton, Margaret Johnson, Dorothy Stratton.
First Grade—Peter Belsito, Henrietta Boucher, Samuel Cohen, Dorothy Frischknecht, Alice Henry, Ruberta Jones, Harry Rushworth.
Second Grade—Rose Davis, Allen Blahoff, Fred Allen, Bertha Lerner, Johannes Thomsen, Thomas Bloodgood, Elizabeth Shaw, George Willard, Nellie Wagner, Bertha Poetsche.
Third Grade—Terence Geant, Julius Geant, Howard Lambertson, Arthur Raynor, John Reeder, Russell Van Hise, Louise Barr, Ruth Bloodgood, Clara Dill, Daisy Diabrow, Mabel Gladstone, Florence Hartmann, Mary Korke, Laura Kvist, Anna Schewolowitz, Beatrice Sprague, Marie Uhler, Vera Wagner, Mildred Williams.
Fourth Year—Ruth Weltzen, Margaret Maciver, Lillian Jensen, Rhea Pensler, Mary Belsito, Margaret Campbell, Charlotte Dey, Reuben Buckalew, Violet Rushworth, Hannah Cohen, Sophia Rosenthal, Helen Primka, Lola Buckelew, Mabel Seiver.
Seventh Grade—John Parker, Frank Gönninger, Roxanna Tice, Cathryn Gortayca, Dorothy Fisher, Gladys Emilussen, Florence Martin, Minnie Newmark.

School No. 2.

- Sixth Year—Elsie Till, Margaret Rue, Joseph Taft, Violet Davis, Anna Watson, Floyd Nieltopp, Aloy Wleczkowski, Scott Stanton.
Sixth Year—Florence Weber, Grace Deiker, Raymond Davis, Ruth Harper.
Fifth Year—Ruth Mortenson, Lola Turner, Alexius Brown, George Nellus, Barbara Henry, Myrtle Thorpe, William Sprague, Marguerite Korke.
Fifth Year—Petra Jensen, Flora Mildred Martin, Iona Harris, Clayton, Georgiana Harris, Angel, Vernon Albright, Albin, Mildred Stader, Florine, Ethel Alpine, Bernice Miller, Jerome Newartzbach, Francis Wilson, Burk Lam, Jerrie Uhler, Wortley, Paris Br.

MICHAEL WELSH GETS CONTRACT

(Continued From Page One)
sion did not have the right or authority to revoke or reverse the order which was responsible for the installation of the bells, also that the bells were not operated in a manner which made them a nuisance or detriment.

Upon motion of Councilman Stratton the communication was received and filed.

A communication from Mr. John Scully stated that freshets coming through the sewer on Henry street were running against his bulkhead and undermining same. The suggestion was made in the letter that attention be given the matter at once so as to avoid the liability of another lawsuit. Upon motion of Councilman Parisen it was referred to the street committee.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

Labor	
Garbage	\$75 01
Water Department.....	33 00
Miscellaneous	
Geo. Coocher.....	35 00
Salaries and Fees	
Patrick McCabe.....	15 00
Edward Roberts.....	22 08
John Quain.....	19 02
John McCormack.....	8 28
Poor	
William Birmingham.....	58 63
W. W. Goldberg.....	8 50
Fire Department	
Walter Smith.....	10 00
Chris French.....	10 00
Public Service Gas Co.....	4 50
Water Department	
P. A. City Water Works....	\$1,060 87

The report of the auditors, Messrs. Wm. Emmons and Frank Scully, was submitted by the clerk and upon motion of Councilman Parisen ordered published in the local paper. The report was not read at the meeting.

A resolution authorizing the issue of drafts for Mr. Scully and Mr. Emmons for one hundred dollars in payment for their work in auditing the books was introduced and adopted.

The collector's report showed the following collections: Water rents, \$1,079.61; taxes, 1914, \$71.18; interest, \$8.04; taxes, 1915, \$251.68; interest, \$2.33; sewers, \$24.00; David street, \$25.00; interest, \$2.10; Public Service Railway Corp., \$96.54; John street, flagging, \$16.33; interest, \$0.96; curbing, \$8.15; interest, \$0.48; Stevens avenue, \$1.72; dock rental, \$5.00; Total, \$1,740.38.

The treasurer's report showed the following: General account balance, \$1,561.48; Water Department balance, \$5,283.19; Sanitary Sewer account balance, \$2,405.92; Broadway Improvement account overdrawn, \$1,172.64.

Upon motion both the above reports were received and filed.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Mr. Editor:

Kindly allow me space in your paper so that I can extend to the "Watchdog of the Taxpayers' Money" a special invitation to attend all the meetings of the Board of Health so he can personally do the extensive watching he seems to think is so very necessary.

The rest of his article does not warrant a reply as there is nothing to answer, he having neglected to answer the questions put to him in my previous article. His reply simply shows him in his true light.

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CONGRESSMAN SCULLY STANDS FIRM ON PREPAREDNESS

With the "dogs of war" ravaging the very youth of Europe and barking at the heels of Uncle Sam, and with the atmosphere of official Washington charged with apprehension, Congressman Scully was asked for his opinion as to the needs of the United States in the way of adequate defense, and Mr. Scully said:

"The national problem confronting the United States to-day should be controlled by patriotism alone, as this great question of preparedness rises above party politics and partisanship. National policies are evolved and expanded as the Nation grows. They reflect the national sense of responsibility and also the national ambitions. They constitute the doctrine underlying acts of statesmanship and diplomacy.

"A nation's military policy is the national doctrine of self-preservation. I believe that the sole reason that there is any difference of opinion upon this question in this country to-day is because there is a difference of opinion as to whether or not there is any danger of our country being invaded by a foreign foe. If the danger of invasion is admitted, then all real Americans are in favor of immediate adequate preparedness. That the danger of invasion exists, cannot be mathematically demonstrated any more than it can be so demonstrated that it does not exist. The probability of invasion can only be ascertained by weighing the judgment of the thinking minds of the world.

"In the United States the development of the nation has proceeded under an environment so favorable that there is no well-defined public opinion in regard to what constitutes an adequate military policy. Heretofore isolation combined with the necessity of preserving the balance of power, has been a sufficient guaranty against strong hostile expeditions from Europe and Asia. The safeguard of isolation no longer exists. The oceans, once barriers, are now easy avenues of approach by reason of the number, speed, and carrying capacity of ocean vessels. The increasing radii of action of the submarine, the aeroplane, and wireless telegraphy all supplement ocean transports in placing both our Atlantic and Pacific coasts within the sphere of hostile activities of overseas nations.

"The great mass of the public does not yet realize the effect of these changed conditions upon our scheme of defense. Many declare, as if it were an admitted fact, that no nation now engaged in the war in Europe, after the present conflict ends, will be in a condition to wage war because of exhaustion. But history does not support their contention. The history of our own nation, as does the history of the world contradicts this statement. Never was this country so prepared for war, or so ready to fight any other nation as we were when we emerged from the awful conflict of the Civil War.

"The majority of our people have always believed in asserting their own rights and in respecting those of others. To live up to these high ideals imposes upon us new duties as a world power, duties that require something more positive than a policy of mere passive defense. A general consideration of our responsibilities as a nation and our geographical position indicate that the maintenance of our abiding policies

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You'll be pleased with the way this shirt fits and feels—the excellent workmanship and durable fast blue percale it is made of.
Two collars with each shirt—two handy pockets.
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SALE OF LANDS FOR UNPAID TAXES For the year 1914.

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC ICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY FREDERICK DEIBERT, 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 place on

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 1916, 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 wit:

To whom Assessed	Houses	Lots	Lot No.	St. or Ave	Bl'k No.	Am't
George Van Deventer.....	2		13-14	Raritan	211	\$2 42
Frederic M. P. Pearse.....	1	2	29-30	Raritan	210	6 05
Michael Cleary.....	1	1	37-38-39-40	Conover	207	15 52
James Huff.....	2		45-46	Railroad	201	1 21
Mrs. E. Lamb.....	3	2	44-45	Henry	13	75 02
Caroline Disbrow.....	2		34-35	David	15	7 26
Richard F. Parisen.....	1	1	40	Broadway	15	38 72
Est. Charles Parisen.....	1	4	21-24	Augusta	16	19 36
Wm. Rehfuss.....	1	1 1/2	15-16	Henry	26	22 78
Geo. W. Parisen.....	2	2	69-61	Augusta	27	48 40
Frederic M. P. Pearse.....	1	2	29-30	David	39	19 36
John McCarty.....	1 1/2		57-58	Augusta	39	7 26
Thomas Kennedy.....	2		35-36	Augusta	50	9 68
Applegate.....	1		57	Ferris	31	86
Mrs. Peter O'Neill.....	2		48-49	Gordon	32	1 21
Humphrey O'Brine.....	1	1	128	Parker	65	3 04
Est. John A. Johnson.....	1	3	21 to 23	Ward	52	6 05
Humphrey O'Brine.....	4		129 to 132	Parker	65	2 42
Richard F. Parisen.....	4		1 to 4	Feltus	58	9 68
Richard F. Parisen.....	2		15-16	Catherine	58	2 42
Richard F. Parisen.....	2		19-20	Catherine	58	2 42
Richard F. Parisen.....	2		23-24	Catherine	58	2 42
Richard F. Parisen.....	2		36-37	Lefferts	58	2 42
Richard F. Parisen.....	2		44-45	Lefferts	58	2 42
Richard F. Parisen.....	2		40-41	Lefferts	58	2 42
Est. Margaret Lewis.....	1	1 1/2	acres	Bordentown	55	24 20
rs. George Maxfield.....	1		72	Prospect	72	62
ld Woods.....	1			Bordentown	69	2 42
as Duggan.....	3		59-60	George	35	9 68

In addition to the above amounts there will be collected on each interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum from December 1914, the time of payment, together with a fee of twenty-five cents for each certificate of sale, and the fee of five cents for each acknowledgment, together with the fee of five cents for each parcel.

displayed in battle caused a profound sensation in the creme de la creme of Parisian society to which he belonged. Those women who were looking themselves to the wounded in the hospitals when they needed rest drove in the Bois de Boulogne, and there they would see the handsome Jules, his arm suspended in a white silk handkerchief, and his crutches protruding through the cab window.

One of the first acts of Jules after his return to Paris was to call at Mile. Desire's residence with the bit of shrapnel that would have killed him had it not been stopped by his belt clasp. She had just come in from the hospital and was resting after great fatigue, but her hero lover being announced she lost no time in going down to receive him.

"Dearest Nathalie," he said, "I have brought you a memento of the battle-field, as requested by you. In a bayonet charge a shell fragment struck me and would have killed me had it not been stopped by the metal clasp of my belt. I have brought it to you as the most worthy of all the girls I know to possess such a memento of the war."

Mile. Desire took the bit of iron given her, looked upon it reverently, then turned her liquid eyes up to the hero, with mute thankfulness at the honor done her.

"Oh, Jules," she exclaimed, "supposing it had struck you an inch higher!"

"In that case I should not be here to assure you of my constancy."

There was a bit of ecstatic cooling, and Jules left to carry to Mile. de la Tour the bullet that had been extracted from his body. She was not at home, but he was told that he would find her in the rooms of a society for the making and distribution of comforts of the soldiers. He went there and found her packing socks.

"Delphine," he said, "heaven has spared me to bring you the bullet that nearly cost me my life."

"Oh, Jules," she replied, holding it up reverently, "thank heaven that it did not kill you!"

There were too many persons about to admit of any demonstrations, and after a brief talk Jules went to find Mile. Cherbutier. He had carried his cross in his pocket, fearing that either Mile. Desire or De la Tour might ask to be permitted to wear it. But now he put it on his breast and walked proudly to the residence of Mile. Cherbutier. He found her at home and said to her:

"Louise, when you asked to be permitted to be the first woman to wear a decoration that I might achieve I never dreamed that I should win one. I can only attribute my having done so to your lovely image being in my mind's eye when I started for the enemy's trenches."

"Oh, Jules," exclaimed the happy girl, "you are as modest as you are brave and truthful!"

Jules should have winced at this. Doubtless he would have done so had his heart been capable of containing only one girl. But since it was sufficiently capacious to contain three he felt no compunction whatever. And he was fortunate when he was with one of the three to forget entirely the others. He fastened his decoration to Louise's breast, and, since they were alone, her head fell on his shoulder.

"How long may I wear it?" she asked.

"Forever," replied the gallant Jules.

A few days later there was a war service in one of the hospitals, at which Jules was invited to be present as one who had distinguished himself and won a decoration. It occurred to him that it would be expected that he would wear his cross, and he sent to Louise Cherbutier for it. But she could not be found in time for the ceremony, and Jules went to the hospital without it. Mile. Desire was a regular attendant at the hospital, and Mile. de la Tour made it a point to be present, as, indeed, did all those women in Paris who were interested in war work.

Jules received a great ovation. Being asked why he did not wear his cross, he said that he had inadvertently left it at home. The surgeon in charge of the hospital offered Jules' excuse for him, whereupon Mile. Desire arose and said:

"I have a shell fragment that would have killed our hero had it not been stopped by his belt clasp."

"And I," said another voice, "have a bullet that was extracted from his side."

These announcements were received differently by different persons. Some laughed that two such confessions should be made by different girls. Some of the wounded soldiers began to protest that Jules must have wrongfully claimed that he had been decorated. At that moment Mile. Cherbutier entered and asked what was the matter. When told that the hero of the occasion was a man claiming to be decorated and yet without a decoration she held up Jules' cross, and said:

"Here it is! He permitted me to wear it for him!"

There were shouts expressing merri ment, condemnation, approval and all of innuendos at Jules having fastened many girls' Mles. Desire de la Tour went away hot with shame. Mile. Cherbutier elbowed her and fixed the cross on Jules' breast without knowing what she was doing.

War may have been natural to Jules Gignoux, for his title was obtained by an ancestor in the time of Charlemagne. At any rate, he stepped forth with alacrity. But Jules did not step forth till he had bidden adieu to the several young ladies who were in possession of his heart at that particular time. There were Mile. Nathalie Desire, Mile. Louise Cherbutier and Mile. Delphine de la Tour. These were the principal ones, though there were others.

"Send me some memento of battle," said Mile. Desire. "If you are decorated," said Mile. Cherbutier, "I claim the honor of being the first woman to wear your decoration." "Should you be wounded," said Mile. de la Tour, "I will wear it suspended over my heart."

It happened that Jules Gignoux was enabled to keep every one of the promises he had made. A fragment of a shell struck the metal clasp of his belt and fell at his feet. Picking up the fragment, he put it in his pocket to send to Mile. Desire. He received a bullet in his side. It was cut out by a surgeon. Jules asked for it and kept it for Mile. de la Tour. Finally, when an attack was made on the enemy's trenches, Jules was the first man to gain them. When half a dozen men stood in line to receive the decoration, Jules was the first to be decorated.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT	
OF	
The City of South Amboy, N. J.,	
For Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1915.	
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY, NEW JERSEY, YEAR 1915, AS SHOWN BY BOOKS OF COLLECTOR.	
Received from—	
Taxes for 1913 (including interest and fines)	\$441 57
Taxes for 1914 (including interest and fines)	11,436 25
Taxes for 1915 (including interest and fines)	44,331 69
State Railroad Tax	15,253 53
Liquor Licenses	12,950 00
Broadway Improvement	2,956 51
Stevens Avenue Improvement	3,428 11
Bordentown Avenue Improvement	190 49
David Street Curbing	129 58
David Street Flagging and Concrete Walk	211 46
Augusta Street Curbing	332 02
John Street Curbing	362 60
John Street Flagging	381 37
Recorder, petty licenses	372 29
Recorder, fines	509 00
Recorder, dog licenses	304 00
Rent City Dock	79 00
Rent House on David Street	60 00
Rent City Hall	45 00
Madison Township (Board for charges)	24 00
Portia Street Improvement	326 65
Sanitary Sewer, taps, etc.	20 00
Sale of old material	950 92
Public Service Railway, maintenance of Broadway	13 00
Jersey Central Traction Co., snow removal	193 08
Refund Fire Insurance Policy	30 00
Water Rents, etc.	6 50
Total	21,311 80
Total	\$116,650 42
Above includes amount collected by Ex-Collector John Sutliff between Dec. 30th, 1914, and Jan. 11th, 1915.	
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS, CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY, N. J., YEAR 1915, AS SHOWN BY BOOKS OF CITY TREASURER.	
RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand January 1st, 1915, General Account	\$13,735 76
Balance on hand January 1st, 1915, Water Account	1,867 71
Balance on hand January 1st, 1915, Broadway Account	896 69
Balance on hand January 1st, 1915, Sewer Account	9,412 53
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Notes General Account	6,912 50
Interest on Bank Deposits	110 63
Sanitary Sewer, taps, etc.	950 92
Sale of old material	13 00
Public Service Railway, maintenance of Broadway	193 08
Jersey Central Traction Co., snow removal	30 00
Refund Fire Insurance Policy	6 50
Water Rents, etc.	21,311 80
Total receipts	\$149,616 29
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid account of—	
Salaries	\$13,450 07
Streets	6,366 46
Poor	1,930 42
Fire Department	5,840 89
Public Buildings and Grounds	960 00
Miscellaneous	1,334 61
Garbage	1,592 45
Printing	401 60
Sanitary Sewer	7,903 42
State School Tax	17,648 32
Custodian School Monies, school tax	16,897 00
School Improvement Bonds	3,000 00
Note General Account	7,000 00
Street Lights	5,810 45
Sewer Bonds and Interest	6,600 00
Notes and Interest Broadway Improvement	4,993 10
Bonds and Interest Public Dock	1,450 00
Interest John Street Note	127 00
Interest Stevens Avenue Notes	636 40
Bordentown Avenue Improvement	813 95
Catherine Street Improvement	23 18
Main Street Improvement (printing)	2 88
Louisa Street Improvement (printing)	4 88
Water Department	20,739 24
S. Emilussen (return of license)	179 52
Total balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1915	24,338 37
Total	\$149,616 29
WATER DEPARTMENT	
RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand January 1st, 1915	\$1,867 71
Received from John Sutliff, ex-collector	427 92
Received from Frederick Delbert, collector	24,833 88
Total	\$23,179 51
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid account of—	
Labor	\$2,238 39
Material	5,203 25
Salary, superintendent	840 00
Clerk hire	367 80
P. A. City Water Works	11,633 63
R. U. Rue	132 43
S. J. Mason	30 00
F. P. Coan	15 00
Incidentals	9 08
Printing	112 11
Carting	157 56
Balance on hand December 31st, 1915	2,890 26
Total	\$23,179 51
Water rents outstanding January 1st, 1916	\$7,773 65
SANITARY SEWER ACCOUNT.	
RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand January 1st, 1915	\$9,412 53
Received from Frederick Delbert, tapping fees, etc.	950 92
Total	\$10,363 45
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid account of—	
P. J. Monahan	\$1,623 77
Liddle & Pfeiffer	1,225
Thomas Downs	3,017
Collins & Gundrum	1,000
Wm. J. Parlsen	1,000
Labor	1,000
F. F. Thomas	1,000
J. F. Mason	1,000
M. B. J. & P. Co.	1,000

ASSETS.	
Public Building and Grounds	\$73,700 00
Water Works Plant	39,500 00
Public Dock	15,000 00
Fire Apparatus and Equipment	12,000 00
Surface Sewers	15,000 00
Sanitary Sewers	100,000 00
Road Scraper and Tools	250 00
City Team and Wagons	500 00
Due from Susquehanna Coal Co., (interest)	7,672 00
Due from Taxes 1914	1,202 62
Due from Taxes 1915	6,325 38
Due from Water Rents	5,472 38
Due from David Street Belgian Block	73 04
Due from David Street Flagging	464 88
Due from David Street Curbing	436 74
Due from David Street Concrete Walk	421 78
Due from Bordentown Avenue Flagging	154 38
Due from Bordentown Avenue Curbing	100 35
Due from Raritan Street Improvement	117 50
Due from Ridgeway Avenue Improvement	40 86
Due from Henry Street Curbing	14 08
Due from John Street Flagging	670 37
Due from John Street Curbing	245 32
Due from Augusta Street Curbing	1,006 45
Due from John Street Flagging	1,133 35
Due from Broadway Paving Improvement	5,433 48
Due from Stevens Avenue Paving Improvement	8,714 28
Balance on hand all accounts	24,338 37
Total	\$323,987 00
LIABILITIES.	
Public Dock Bonds	\$8,000 00
Sanitary Sewer Bonds	90,000 00
Broadway Improvement Notes	18,000 00
Stevens Avenue Improvement Notes	12,000 00
John Street Improvement Notes	2,500 00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	193,487 61
Total	\$323,987 61
M. J. STANTON, WM. H. PARISEN, R. U. RUE, Finance Committee.	

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Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

Notice of sale of lands for taxes is published in another column.

Next Wednesday will be Ash-Wednesday, the beginning of Lent.

Fred Batzel has purchased four lots on Pine avenue from Miss Mary C. Sullivan.

There must be 79 dogs in this city, judging from the fact that \$79 was collected in licenses last year.

The common council has awarded Michael Welsh the contract for removing garbage from April 1 to Dec. 31.

To-night (Friday) a leap year dance will be held in K. of P. Hall under the auspices of a number of young ladies.

The financial statement of the city published on another page of this issue will prove interesting to taxpayers.

The toilets in the local station of the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. have been altered in accordance with the suggestions of the Board of Health and renovated with a coat of paint.

Theodore Adolf fell from a ladder on Tuesday, and received injuries sufficient to be taken to the Elizabeth General Hospital. His trouble principally seems to be internally.

James Skimmons who has been stationed with 79th Corps, Artillery Cavalry, U. S. Army, at Fort Michie, N. Y., for some time, has returned to his home in this city, having given up army duty.

Next Tuesday evening the Merchants' Social Club will invade New York City, strong in numbers and appetites. They will dine at Lorber's Restaurant, 1420 Broadway, and attend theatre.

All members of Sterling Temple No. 13, L. G. E., are requested to be present at their next regular meeting, March 7th, as business of importance is to be transacted which will interest every member.—M. Thomas, G. of R.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will hold their St. Patrick's Day supper on Friday, March 17, in the Lecture room of the church. They will also have a Parcel Post and Cake sale at the same time.

"The Old New Hampshire Home" is the title of a comedy drama to be given by The Robert Emmett Dramatic Association in St. Mary's Hall on St. Patrick's Day, March 17. All the old favorites will be in the cast as well as some who are new to the footlights. Supper and dancing will follow the play.

Owing to a break in a water service pipe on Broadway near John street this week it became necessary to rip up the pavement in order to stop the leak. It seems a pity that all these services were not renewed before the pavement was laid. It is a case of penny wise and pound foolish.

There were three prize winners in the "better babies contest" held at Hahn's, Newark, recently, among which was Joseph Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Ford, of 489 Seventh avenue, Newark, who took the prize under Class I, being the heaviest baby under six months. Mr. and Mrs. Ford formerly resided in this city.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the Post Office for week ending Mar. 2nd, 1918:

H. Baldwin, Mary Bauman, Anna Anderson, Thomas Dato, Thomas Connors, James Flynn, Mrs. Lena Hochbeiger, Chester B. Moore, John H. Smith, Joe Monteiro, Sch. Lavolta, Capt. Lewis Butman, Sch. Daniel McLond, Mrs. H. Van Pelt, Elmer Williams, Thomas Yourk, William McGuirt, Patrick McDowd, Mrs. Myra Stratton, Joseph Magill, Wm. Lang, Rowland B. Humphrey, Mrs. Christina Gintex, J. Zeleniak, Peter Ezenryk, Boleslaw Konlecko, Mrs. Andrew Witkafski.

When calling for the above please say "advertised." J. W. REA, P. M.

Evidently the poet was broke when he said to his best girl: "Drink to me only with thine eyes."

An old bachelor says the friendship of two women is always a plot against a third.

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Best Tea, lb.	60c
Imperial Baking P'der, lb.	45c

KWEER KWERIES

? BY NIBOR. ?

What is the world coming to? See our friend, the erstwhile reporter, has gone to work! And he works on shift with the rest of the boys, too.

Wonder if the prize crew on board the Appam enjoyed the smokes for which the superintendent of a clay works in Sayreville donated \$25? Bet they bought Milwaukee joy juice. Anyway, Hoch der Supt.

Oh, you sons whose fathers and their fathers were born in this land of the "free," do you ever stop to ponder why you have to wait 21 years before you can cast your ballot? And why is it that a native of some land across the seas comes to us, sojourns a few years and is handed that same privilege for which you waited so long? Takes out his papers, you say, but it is reported they vote in S. A. without "papers."

Who are the two officials who are accredited with having advised such an one to vote?

Newspaper report states that in the coming Tabernacle services to be held the city will be stirred from center to circumference. Why not start at the outskirts and work in? There should be advantage in close quarters.

Two different persons, at different times, on different cars but both at Wolf's switch, made strikingly similar remarks in regard to service rendered by the P. S. C. Some coincidence, or was it just copped?

Some battle of the typewriters, that word scrap between Kid Leo and Battling Collin. Are you ready, men, for the third round?

It should be encouraging to tavern keepers in Jersey to read the account of the Progressive party meeting at a New York hotel. Were they trying to "make" a Record?

Newspaper heading: "Riversides Champions of Two Counties." But, my gracious goodness, what happened Friday night?

Movie theatre in nearby city advertised a certain film as having been made on the Harlem River "dummy" Railroad. Waddaya mean "dummy?" Guess they never heard the screech one of those richrack engines emits when the whistle cord is pulled.

A few years ago when wrecks and smashups were in fashion on the N. H. road, we always read about Coroner Eli Mix being called to look over the scene of slaughter. Newspaper reports of the latest "Battle to Make up Time" disclose that Eli is still on the job. Is he a permanent public fixture or does the road employ its own coroner?

Was there a mistake in that last wreck? To keep up the road's reputation, a third passenger train should have "bumped in" instead of a freight.

Was that a shooting star that was seen on First street the other night? Oh, my no, only the reflection from the special officer's badge.

\$3,500 PURSE FOR MGR. COAN.

Parishioners of Cathedral Chapel of the Queen of All Saints, Lafayette and Vanderbilt avenues, Brooklyn, last Sunday evening presented a gold purse containing \$3,500 to Mr. James J. Coan, chancellor of the Diocese of Brooklyn, with which to furnish his new rectory. Mgr. Coan was promoted recently to this pastorate by Bishop Charles E. McDonnell as successor to the Most Rev. George W. Munderlein, now Archbishop of Chicago. Mgr. Coan was until then pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Brooklyn.

MRS. HIGGINS DIES FROM HER INJURIES

Mrs. Anna S. Higgins died in the Spring Lake hospital, Spring Lake, at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning from injuries she received in the accident at Allenwood on the evening of Jan. 27, when her husband, Dr. Archibald S. Higgins, a prominent resident of Manasquan, and Thomas Berrien of Long Branch, engineer of a Pennsy train which hit the Higgins automobile, were killed.

Dr. Higgins lived only a short time after the accident. Mrs. Higgins was thought to be mortally injured when she was taken to the hospital, but she rallied and for a time hopes were entertained for her recovery.

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Soup or Stew Meat 9c lb Pork Roast 13½c lb Spring Lamb 21c lb

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PAST PRESIDENTS OF

P. O. S. OF A MEET

A meeting of the past presidents was held in the room of Camp 518, Middlesex P. O. S. of A., in the People's Bank building, New Brunswick, Tuesday night and was largely attended. There were splendid speeches made by visiting members and showed the great interest being taken in this order. Members of the order were present from all over the county either by auto or trolley and made a goodly showing.

The next meeting will be held at Old Bridge, Camp 129, March 21. Each camp is striving to have the biggest delegation out at the various meetings, and the next meeting will be of especial interest because of a number of candidates to be initiated by the crack initiation team, of this section of the State. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

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WEEKLY LETTER TO FARMERS

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

Now, when their breeding season is approaching, is a good time to rid our houses and farmbuildings of the rats and mice which infest these places. Where we have a pair of these mischievous creatures to contend with now, there will be double that number in a few weeks. Now, too, is the season when we have more time and inclination for "indoor jobs." The rats, likewise, are seeking shelter from the inclemency of outdoors and are making their houses in our buildings and living on our seed and feed in corn crib, granary and bin. They are also destroying bags and sacks, blankets and stuffed wagon seats, seeking material with which to make their nests. It has been estimated that rats on the farms of Pennsylvania alone destroy over \$500,000 worth of produce and materials yearly. This, without considering the damage and loss they bring in the diseases they carry from farm to farm or the filth and discomfort that follows them. Many animals, such as cows and horses, will not eat the feed that rats have run over and soiled, unless driven to do so by hunger. In this way vast quantities of feed such as bran and mixed feed, are destroyed or their value greatly lessened.

There are various methods we may employ to rid ourselves of these pests. Traps may be set in their runways or in and about the feed boxes. These are very often effective, but to continue so must be scalded in boiling water or held over the fire until thoroughly sweetened and free from odor, for rats are very wary creatures and will not venture near a trap that has been used or handled often. They seem to know their danger through their sense of smell. The barn cats should be a little milk daily, but at the and should have no other food than, nor be fed at the house.

In this way they stay at the are on the alert to catch mice for food. Barrels and kegs may be moved out from the used off the floor or rough to allow a cat to under them easily, a safe harbor for the A general cleaning rubbish round the s, harness room, pens will be use-places are used i breeding places holes should be ure of cement i then neatly i tin or zinc oisoned food care should of reach of s. For this and even s may be used, or Lye put on runways will often drive away, as it burns their feet and skin as they pass over it. Paint and tar scattered about holes and about the runs is also helpful as these creatures dislike getting anything on their fur they cannot rub off and will often leave a barn when such precautions have been taken.

Many a rainy day sport may be had in shooting at rats and mice in and about the barns with small rifles, using what is known as "22 shot" cartridge; or even air rifles can be used. I have known rats to be completely driven off farms by this last method. Do not forget that when this work is being carried on at the barn like care must be given at the house or the rats will leave one building and seek protection in the other.

Serbia's Homesteads.
In Serbia the land belongs to the people, and every grown man has a claim to five acres, which he can neither sell nor have taken from him. The land and its produce are exempt from all claims for debt. Thus the poorest man in Serbia has always five acres to his credit.

Chickens that come home to roost have more sense than some men.

NIGHT FELLOWS.

(By R. T. R.)

glimmering twilight lingers 'round about the moon and stars come tripping out, when across the sky they make their way now and then some prank to play upon the lovers in the night. They get away by bowing and guide the traveler when breaks into

Sporting Comment.

Riversides Go Down Before St. Peter's

With "Jimmy" Cantion out of the lineup on account of tonsillitis and the players playing away below their usual form the Riversides lost the first game of the series for the county championship in the K. of P. Hall last Friday night, to the Y. M. C. of Perth Amboy.

The Rivie lineup was the same as usual with the exception of Grace, who substituted for Cantion. Grace pushed three field goals on the score board and held up his end in the team work but the startling floor work of "Little Jimmy" was sadly missed.

The Y. M. C. team was both big and strong and the game started off at a speed that seemed it could not last. Although the game did slow up somewhat it did not slow up very much and continued to be rather faster than has been seen so far on the local court. The visitors out played the Rivies in every way. They were close guards and seemed to have all the best of it when one of their men got the ball. It was easily evident all through the game that the Y. M. C. team was the offensive aggregation while the Rivies were kept busy all the time on the defensive. They did not take the offensive at all during the game as they usually do when they run away with things.

After the game the captain of the defeated team and the manager admitted that the best team had won. The rooters remained loyal to the Rivies but gave encouragement to the visitors for their brilliant work. The Rivies are not offering any alibi for the defeat but expect to come back strong in the next game which will be placed on the Parish House court in Perth Amboy next Tuesday night.

Oliver, the big center for the Y. M. C., guarded "Hank" Thomas so well that the Rivie center succeeded in pushing but one lone field goal onto the score tally and made one himself. "Big Luke" also figured prominently in nearly all the passing work and in fact it seemed as though a great many of the plays were built around the big fellow. Hank's one shot was a sensational one from the middle of the court and raised a tremendous lot of applause.

The visitors were given twenty-seven chances to shoot from the foul line. Hornsby shooting eight times made but two of the free shots while Regan shot the balance and made nine count. Hank Thomas had twenty free shots and rung up an even dozen on the score board. There were a number of double fouls called for the game was quite rough on account of the dazzling speed.

"Rufe" Allen started a last minute rally, as he often does, but this time it was too late. Both Allen and Burns put up a great game at guard but could not stem the tide of inevitable defeat. McCreery, at forward with "Dietrich" was held scoreless by the Macan twins although he played hard on the floor. McCreery seemed to be in the shadow of a streak of bad luck for almost all of his attempted shots struck the basket, rolled around or bounced away.

Bob Macan, the snappy little forward for the visitors went down three or four times with his bad knee but recovered sufficiently to go on with the game. The spectators seemed to think that calls for time were stalls for wind but this was wrong for the speed did not let up.

Pete Campbell did not meet with much favor as the umpire and called a number of fouls that were met with sounds of disapproval. Tom Cantion refereed the contest and his rulings were responsible for the greater part of the foul shots. Credit should be allowed him for keeping the players in hand for the bad blood between the teams was apparent and even then cropped out once or twice.

The next meeting of the teams will be on the Y. M. C. home court. Here the Rivies will be slightly at a disadvantage because the court being larger and netted instead of open. It is hoped that Cantion will be in this game and that the result may be reversed.

This is how the "Champs" had their measure taken:
Riversides (20) Y. M. C. (34)
McCreery Forward Regan
Grace Center Hornsby
Thomas Guards Oliver
Allen Guards H. Macan
Burns R. Macan
Field Goals—Regan, 2; Hornsby, 3; Oliver, 1; R. Macan, 1; Grace, 3; Thomas, 1; Foul Goals—Regan, 9 out of 19; Hornsby, 2 out of 8; Thomas, 12 out of 20.

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BOWLING.

The Y. M. C. A. team defeated the Live Wires of Perth Amboy on the local alleys Friday night, February 25. The score:

S. A. Y. M. C. A.		
Petty	134	153
W. Lambertson	146	163
L. Berlew	207	174
M. Fox	195	153
H. Dixon	171	184
M. Nelson		123
Totals	853	827

Live Wires.		
J. Gomer	166	117
Marshall	109	147
Kurosky	146	227
Harr	174	166
F. Stephenson	165	201
Totals	760	858

W. Kurosky was high bowler of the evening with a score of 227, Berlew was second with 207, Stephenson third with 201, Kurosky also captured the booby prize of the evening.

RUTGERS' BASEBALL SCHEDULE.

The baseball schedule for Rutgers Preparatory School which has been arranged by Manager Rowland, includes a training trip, which is to be taken during the spring vacation. The trip is to be taken through the States of Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia.

The schedule:
March 28—Tome School at Port Deposit.
March 30—Staunton M. A. at Virginia.
March 29—Catholic University at Washington.
April 8—Barringer H. S. at Newark.
April 14—Newark Academy at Newark.
April 26—Pinery School at home.
April 29—Bordentown M. I. at Bordentown.
May 3—Battin H. S. at home.
May 6—Westfield H. S. at Westfield.
May 10—Pennington School at home.
May 12—St. Benedicts at Newark.
May 18—Bloomfield H. S. at Bloomfield.
May 20—Hamilton Institute at New York.
May 27—Adelphi Academy at home.
May 30—Blair Hall at Blairstown.

WRESTLING TOURNAMENT.

An all star wrestling tournament will be held in Palace Hall, Perth Amboy, on Wednesday evening, March 8. The principal attraction will be Dr. Roller vs. Ivan Linow, two men of considerable reputation in the wrestling line. Another feature will be John Larson, the pride of Amboy police, vs. Reckless Hanson, the pride of the D. A. A. C. Reserved seats will be \$1.00 each. A large crowd of sports are expected to attend.

Sugar Cookies.

One cupful butter, two eggs, two cupfuls sugar, two-thirds cupful milk, one teaspoonful cream of tartar, one-half teaspoonful soda and five cupfuls flour. Salt and flavor to suit taste, brush top of cookies with milk and sprinkle with sugar.

Too Much of One.

He—You do not seem to be so anxious for a fat now. She—How can I be? Didn't I marry you?—Baltimore American.

If fun is good, truth is still better and love best of all.—Thackeray.

Her Mistake.

"You used to have a house full of company." "Um." "How is it that the young men no longer come to see your daughter?" "It's her own fault. I told her not to hang that cooking school diploma in the parlor."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

IN EXTENSION WORK

Allen G. Waller has accepted a position in the extension division of the New Jersey State Agricultural College at New Brunswick. He will carry on demonstration work in agronomy. Mr. Waller's former home was on a farm in Monmouth County. He received his preliminary education in the Freehold High School, and was graduated from the agricultural course of Rutgers College in 1915. During the past winter he has been acting as instructor in agronomy in the short courses in agriculture, and assistant in agronomy at the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station.

William H. McCallum, of New Brunswick, has been appointed State Leader in Boys' Club Work in the division of extension of the State College. Mr. McCallum was graduated from Rutgers College in June, 1914, having taken the four-year agricultural course. Since then he has served as secretary of the North Society for the Promotion of Agriculture.

HIGH SCHOOL MENTIONINGS

The latest out in our "Live and Learn" column is that Gen. Chas. Lee, of Revolutionary fame, was born in the fall of 1773 and came to the Colonies in 1774. Some baby?

Things to worry about: Counting at the rate of 100 in five minutes, and working 24 hours per day it would take 347 days, 13 hours to count 1,000,000. Do you know of anyone out of a job?

Amboy Wins Debate from Matawan.

On Friday evening of last week a large delegation of students accompanied the debating team to Matawan where they succeeded in defeating the Matawan H. S. team, in the second debate of the series.

The debate was held in the Matawan H. S. auditorium and was presided over by Rev. Leon Chamberlain. Our students left town on the 7.33, which by the way did not go until 8.10, and owing to the train service did not get to the High School until half past eight. The subject was the same as that debated upon with South River.

The judges were: Professor Twiss, of Rutgers College; Mr. DuBois, of Rutgers College; Supt. Frank Sleh, of Middletown.

The auditorium was well filled by an appreciative audience. Mr. Chamberlain introduced as the first speaker for the affirmative, Mr. Win. Shepherd. He spoke clearly, but did not finish within his seven minutes.

Miss Newton was then introduced as the first speaker for the negative, and time was also called on her.

The second speaker for the affirmative was Miss Hazel Weber who finished just as time was called.

Mr. Chamberlain then introduced Miss Gordon, as the second speaker for the negative. Miss Gordon did especially well.

Mr. August Munning, the captain of the affirmative, spoke next and his presentation was very fine.

After Mr. Kerr, the last speaker for the negative had finished, the chairman announced that the teams were allowed seven minutes in which to prepare their rebuttals. While the teams were out the following program was successfully carried out: Vocal Solo.....Miss Lillian Bolte Piano Solo.....Miss Lillian Close Piano Duet, Misses Helena Gordon and Marie Zeigler.

Upon the return of the teams Miss Gordon spoke first. Her rebuttal was a "verbal cannonading" of her opponents' points. Mr. Munning's replies to Miss Gordon's most effective "shots" were headed in the right direction but he failed to get the range and so they fell far short. The judges then retired in order to come to a decision and while they were out the students from both schools engaged in a vocal contest consisting of cheers and yells. After a period of sixteen minutes the judges returned. Professor Twiss, acting as spokesman, after the usual "patience destroying" speech announced that the judges had declared unanimously in favor of the negative. That's US.

Working upon the principle of the chart used by Mr. Munning in his rebuttal it was suggested that our team take a Stereopticon with them to the next debate, which is to be with Red Bank upon the subject of Freedom for the Philippines.

In his rebuttal Mr. Munning made reference to Tottenville. Does any one know where that place is?

It has been suggested that the "Ballet Russe a La Comique" be placed under the direction of a new manager. Why not let our friend "Ivan" serve in this capacity.

What's happened to the school paper which was to be? Or, to get down closer, what's happened to the committee in charge? Cold Feet?

Representatives from the various Science Classes are at work preparing for a demonstration of the most important work in each class, which is to be given before the other members of the Science Club, and the student body.

Manual training has been taken up with renewed vigor since the new supply of lumber came.

The Physics class having completed the study of acoustics have taken up the study of heat. Might as well get used to the heat now. Eh?

Deeds speak louder than words in a real estate transaction.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY—Between John Scully, complainant, and Michael J. Scully, et. ux., et. al., defendants. F. Fa. for sale of mortgaged premises dated February 19, 1916.

By virtue of the above-stated writ to me directed and delivered, I will expose to sale at public vendue on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH TWENTYNINTH, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SIXTEEN,

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

All tract or parcel of lands and premises, situate, lying and being in the City of South Amboy in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a stake on the westerly corner of Stevens Avenue and Second Street; thence (1) along Second Street thirty-seven (37) feet; thence (2) at right angles and parallel with Stevens Avenue one hundred and eleven (111) feet to the line of a ten (10) foot alley; thence (3) at right angles and along the line of said alley thirty-seven (37) feet to Stevens Avenue; thence (4) at right angles and along the line of Stevens Avenue one hundred and eleven (111) feet to the place of beginning. Being all of lot number one (1) and part of lot number two (2) in Block "L," BEING the same premises conveyed to Michael J. Scully and Amelia Burns, his wife, by deed from Timothy Burns, dated September 12th, 1911, and recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's office in book 483 of deeds, page 139.

Together with all and singular, the rights, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

EDWARD F. HOUGHTON, Sheriff.

JOHN A COAN, Solicitor.

3-4-4 \$14.50

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF the Orphans Court of the County of Middlesex made on the fifth day of November, 1915, the subscriber, the administrator of the estate of Kate Johnson, deceased, will on

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTYNINTH DAY OF MARCH, 1916,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, sell at public vendue, upon the premises, all that tract of land and premises situate in the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the Easterly line of Broadway, to the Southerly line of Bordentown Avenue, thence Easterly along the Southerly line of Bordentown Avenue, seventy-five feet more or less to lands of the New York and Long Branch Railroad; thence along said lands fifty feet, thence Westerly parallel with Bordentown Avenue seventy-five feet more or less to the Easterly line of Broadway; thence along the line of Broadway, Northerly fifty feet to the place of beginning.

Being the same premises devised to the said Kate Johnson, by the last will and testament of Eliza Jane Johnson, probated before the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex on the tenth day of April, 1893.

Dated South Amboy, N. J., Feb. 24, 1916.

DISBROW JOHNSON, Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Middlesex, at their rooms in the County Record Building, at New Brunswick, N. J., on

MONDAY, MARCH 8th, 1916,

at 2.30 o'clock p. m. for the construction of a twenty-four inch pipe storm sewer on the east approach to the South River Bridge in the Township of Sayreville, according to plans and specifications on file at the office of Alvin B. Fox, County Engineer, Perth Amboy, N. J., and the office of Edward Burt, County Collector, New Brunswick, N. J.

A deposit of five (5) dollars will be required for copies of specifications and plans, which will be refunded upon the return of same in good condition to either of the above addresses. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) without any conditional endorsement, which check shall be forfeited should the successful bidder fail to enter into contract and give bond within ten days from the award of the bid. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids if in their opinion it is to the best interest of the County so to do.

A. J. GEBHARDT, Director.

ASHER W. BISSETT, Clerk.

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Lanthe Council, No. 6. Imp'd. Order of Red Men, m second and fourth Thurs month at 2.30 p. m., in K Pocahontas, Mrs. Sarah of R. Edith Newma

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Star of Jersey : of L. F. and E. Hall, first Sunday 2.30 p. m., and or 7.30 p. m. R. P. L. D. Wortley, F and Treasurer; A. cording Secretary.

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Washington Camp. S. of A. meets sec Monday nights of each of P. Hall, at 8 o'clock. Allen, president; Joseph Pip, vice-president; Bert Lamberton, Master of Forms; John H. French, financial secretary; B. R. Havens, recording secretary; William M. Anderson, treasurer.

Gorm Lodge, No. 64, D. E. S. Regular meetings second and fourth Fridays of each month at 8 p. m., in Wolsh's Hall, First street, President, Nels Martinson; Secretary, A. L. Johnson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; Treasurer, John S. Land.

Singing Society Liederkreis, South Amboy. Practice of singing takes place every Saturday at 8 p. m. Business meeting held every first Saturday of each month at 9 p. m. Fred Thumhart, President; John Kitcher, Vice-president; George Nollus, Secretary; Chas. Feuerwald, Treasurer; B. Grohe, Librarian.

Protection Engine Company on the fourth Thursday month at Engine House street, at 7.30 p. m. Presic lam Birmingham; Vice John Sullis, Jr.; Treasurer, Welsh; Secretary, Frank D. Foreman, John Quilman.

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CHRIST CHURCH CHRONICLES

There have been two deaths in the parish during the month of February: Mrs. Rosina Barbour, and Mrs. Elinor Bogart. God grant them eternal rest!

Some of the youthful members of Christ Church Parish are "forging to the front!" In the recent victorious debate held with Malawan, South Amboy was represented by Mr. Robert M. Kerr, Jr., Miss Frances Gordon and Miss Ruth Newton, all of them numbered among our flock. No wonder that South Amboy carried the day! The alternate, Mr. Willis Slover, is also one of our boys.

Remember that St. Martha's Guild will hold a very important meeting Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hattie Wilson, the President, requests a full attendance, as preparations are to be completed at that time for the men's Club supper.

Courage, ye leap-year maidens of parish! "Hope long deferred keth the heart sick," but it ought to be a comfort to remember that some, the daughter of Enoch, was 84 years old when she was married. Courage, dear ladies!

Bishop Matthews seems to think our parish is a veritable "live wire" and expresses amazement at the parties, socials and continuous parochial activities in which we are engaging. He is of the opinion that our field offers a great opportunity for ministering to the social, as well as the spiritual, life of the community. Such in fact, is our ideal. "Something doing in the parish house" every week is our aim. We want our church to enter into the life of the people, their pleasures, joys and amusements, as well as in the deeper things of the soul.

The March meeting of the Men's Club on next Tuesday night will be something out of the ordinary. There will be no speaker, but there will be full opportunity for social converse and altogether we predict that the affair will go down as the most enjoyable meeting of the year, and that is speaking in glowing terms, but not too enthusiastically, as "time will tell."

The entire evening is planned particularly as a complimentary to the men who labored so indefatigably to make the recent minstrel show such a huge success, and, since practically all the members who did not help in the program assisted by selling tickets, we believe that the entire club membership may claim participation in the honors of the occasion.

The members of the special committee (Messrs. Fred Petty, Richard Nietopp, Sr.; Fred Chapman, Charles Chapman and J. Edward Coogan) have authorized St. Martha's Guild to "go the limit" in preparing what they term "a good feed" for a crowd of fellows with appetites sufficient to eat a map of the Sandwich Islands, and we know, from past experiences, that the hungry members of the club in question normally have appetites that would have created a famine in the garden of Eden!

The Talking Machine Committee will do some talking and will offer a full and interesting report regarding the number, character and price of a large number of phonograph records recently purchased for the parish house. The members will be interested, too, in hearing a concert upon the new instrument, consisting of band numbers, orchestral selections, ballads, etc.

This will be the last meeting of the Club until May. Therefore, all the members will take pains to be in attendance.

Don't forget the moving picture benefit ("Old York State Folks") to be given under the auspices of the Girls' Friendly Society on next Monday afternoon, at 3.45, and night at 7.45. Buy your tickets (10 cents) in advance. Five reels of pure and sparkling rural comedy and thrilling romance and tender sentiment. Nothing of the conventional "stagey" heroes and heroines, with their notes of ruined innocence and maudlin sentiment, but the entire play is as sweet as a draught from the old oaken bucket that hung in your father's well in the days of yore. The proceeds will be used to increase the musical equipment of the parish house.

Last Sunday morning the Rector took occasion in the course of his sermon to pay his respects to those unsophisticated members of the parish who think that "social-gadding" (erroneously termed "pastoral visitation") is the sacred duty and sum total of the Rector's responsibilities to the people of the parish. Unfortunately, most of the people who

really needed to hear those somewhat "peppery" remarks, were usually the case, conspicuously by their absence, and that is our excuse for giving publicity in "The Chronicles" to this gentle little "love-tap," and as such we commend the, aforesaid caress to the soul's good of those who will have no difficulty in recognizing their own portrait. We quote from memory, and in substance only:

"As indicative of the appalling indifference to the higher things of the soul, consider the home. Alas! how little of religious conversation. We no longer expect or wish the pastor of to-day to offer a prayer with us when he calls at our homes, and unless we are sick or in danger of death, we never request it. Yet the old wall that 'we want more pastoral visitation' is heard with increasing frequency. Frankly, if the average pastor would eschew all social flitting from door to door (however pleasing and interesting such a custom may be) and devote the enormous amount of time and strength so expended to real, genuine pastoral calling, keeping his eye single to spiritual results, we fear that in a very short time he would render himself unwelcome, if not actually odious, in homes not a few.

The old Scotchman who complained that his "meenster" was "incomprehensible on the Sawbeth and enveeable on week-days" represents a large class, and his descendants are legion as to number, for the "kickers" we have always with us. In every community there is what we may term this "pastor-perforator"—a sort of "lay glimlet," and it is astonishing how proficient certain persons become in its use. The delicacy in insinuating, the deftness and grace in twisting the aforesaid pastor-perforator, can only be acquired by assiduous practice. They know where the said glimlet will go in most easily; just how many turns to give before it gets down to the quick. There are various scientific twists of the glimlet known both to adepts and to victims.

For example: There is the sarcastic twist. Irate hostess enters the parlor and thus pleasantly greets her rector! "Good afternoon, Dr. —; really, the sight of you is refreshing; Have you found out at last where we live?"

Then there is the business twist. "Do you know," says the peevish hostess, "that you haven't been inside our house for six months?" Ordinary folk, as well as mathematicians, are painfully aware that figures can't lie; the poor parson, sore-beset, remembers that with only a few hundred calls and a half-hundred sermons and several score of guild and club meetings and calls innumerable upon the sick and afflicted and a few thousands' wheels of parochial machinery to lubricate each week, he has had to deny himself a few social pleasures; so he meekly bows his head in shame and pleads guilty to the charge that he has done the lady in question the honor of calling upon her only once in six months; now we recommend this twist to those who would "nag the parson;" it is a peculiarly effective twist, usually transfixing the victim, and reducing him at once to a condition of silent helplessness.

Then there is the reproachful twist, also a very effective one, tremendously so, if the twister can manage to start "a silent tear" or two. "Really," exclaims the heart-broken parishioner, "we began to doubt whether we had any pastor!"

And once in a while there comes the deadly, spiteful twist, in administering which, the operator, or more commonly the operatrix, is at no pains to conceal her savage intent, but drives home the remorseless glimlet with a steady, determined hand, or, in other words, gives the dominie "a sharp setting down" on his manifest and numerous shortcomings.

Those who wince under the glimlet are the conscientious pastors, who are always more or less haunted by the perforators! On behalf of my brethren in the ministry, permit me to lift up my voice and answer; "What do you want a pastoral visit for? Do you want to talk with your pastor—do you want to talk with him about your sins, your temptations and trials? Do you want instruction on the Church and the Christian life? Do you want to discuss some scheme of Christian enterprise, or to enquire how you may do something for the welfare of the parish and community? No, indeed, not you! No lawyer is more adroit in turning the conversation, the moment it takes any such direction. Well, they who take the sword must expect to perish by the sword. And suppose your pastor should try his hand on the glimlet and probe your heart, and lay bare your poor, starved, stunted, religious life! Let him tax you rigorously for your chronic absence from church, your coldness and indifference, and you will not "kick," any more about the scarcity of his pastoral visits. The truth is, you desire not counsel

or comfort, but attention and distinction. Your pastor's absence wounds your pride. You care little about his doing the work he was called and ordained to do for you—but you are vexed because he does not concede more to your importance. You are not thirsting for Living Water, but for the tacit flattery of attention, thus seeking to convert the messenger whom Christ sends with Living Bread to your heart and home, into a servant who shall minister unto your vanity! The people whose hands are idle, whose faces are seldom seen in God's House, whose purses have time-combination locks, whose voices are lifted ever against any enterprise which involves sacrifice and labor, are people who are masters and mistresses of the glimlet. And don't forget that the ministry is a man's job; he is not a spiritual wet-nurse for those who persist in lingering in the babyhood of the Christian life (nurses are a luxury at \$2,000 per); his business is not to coddle saints, but to convict sinners, preach the Gospel, administer the Sacraments, comfort the bereaved, minister to the sick and bury the dead. After he has done all this, he is lucky to have a few hours remaining in which he is glad to meet his people now and then in a social way in their homes, and in a parish numbering over 1,200 souls it takes about a year to get around once unless you send for him. Don't expect, much less demand, impossible things of your Rector. He is just an ordinary mortal, with average physical strength and endurance, and for him, as for others, the days are only 24 hours in length. He has no intention to neglect you, and as for hurting your feelings, why, he'd sprint a mile at a 2.40 pace, to avoid lacerating your tender sensibilities!

The Lenten Mite Boxes will be distributed in the church schools of the parish next Sunday. We want at least \$100, in this way, from the three schools of Christ Church parish this year.

It was an inspiring sight to see 42 young candidates for confirmation marching into the church last Sunday evening, with the Cross and Christian flag going on before. Every pew was occupied, and all of the chairs in the aisles were called into requisition. As a coincidence, last Sunday was the second anniversary of the Rector's coming to this parish, and he would be delighted if he could celebrate each recurring anniversary in some such manner. And, by the way, there was "some contrast" in the Sunday evening congregations. On the evening of February 28, 1914, (his first Sunday), there was a terrible blizzard raging and a congregation of 6 people present; on the evening of February 27, 1916, there was a congregation of over 600. If only we could get one-fourth that many out on other Sunday evenings! Guess we'll have to lay it on the blizzards!

Last year the Amboys won the banner for having the largest confirmation classes in the Diocese of New Jersey, St. Peter's, Perth Amboy, having 66 and Christ Church, South Amboy, having 92. This year Perth Amboy has 41 and we have 42, and these, we understand, are the largest classes the Bishop has confirmed this year up to the present time.

Next Sunday is the first in a new month. Do not fail to be present at the Lord's Table, you who are communicants. We have requested the newly-confirmed also to make their first communion on that day. In the evening, at 7.30, the Rev. Dr. John R. Harding, of New York City, and Missionary Secretary of the Second Province, will preach for us.

Come to church next Sunday and get a copy of the Lenten program. Services for Ash-Wednesday are at 10 a. m., and 7.45 p. m. The Rev. W. Northey Jones, of Perth Amboy, will preach at the latter service.

Pachmann's Frank. M. de Pachmann's keyboard eccentricities are notorious, and he is the hero of scores of amusing sayings and stories. One of the latter tells how in New York he once went and had a piano lesson from a lady who advertised first class tuition at 25 cents a lesson.—Argonaut.

"Ice Sea," She Laughed. Wife—Tom, you don't treat me to ice half as often as you used to. Hub—Murrage, my dear, makes necessary the practice of frigid economy.—Boston Transcript.

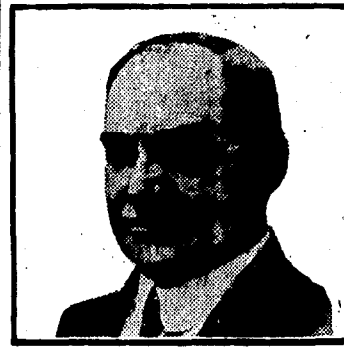
Make the most of time; it glides away so fast. But method teaches you to gain time.—Goethe.

Danger in Poisoned Meat. Don't leave poisoned meat for the rats in the day time; Rover may get it.

The older we grow the greater the lack of knowledge we have of others.

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The Churches

Services as Arranged for the Coming Week.

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CHRIST CHURCH.

Morning Service....8 and 10.30 a. m.
Evening Service.....7.30 p. m.
The Church School.....9.30 a. m.

DOANE MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

Morning Prayer.....10.30 a. m.
Holy Communion, 9.30 a. m., on the last Sunday of each month.
The Church School.....2.30 p. m.

CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

The Church School, with Shortened Evensong.....5.30 p. m.
(The Rector preaches at this service on the last Sunday of each month.)
N. B.—Announcements of the various Guilds, Clubs and Societies of the Parish, and of all special services, should be looked for in the "Chronicles," elsewhere in this paper.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. E. R. Tilton, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, March 5, 1916:

10.30 a. m. Preaching
2.30 p. m. Bible School Session.
6.45 p. m. Senior C. E. Society meeting.
7.30 p. m. Delightful Song Service and Sermon.
Week Day Services:
Wednesday
3.30 p. m. Junior C. E. Meeting
Thursday
7.45 p. m. Church Prayer Meeting

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. H. C. White, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, March 5, 1916:

10.30 a. m. Preaching.
2.30 p. m. Sunday School.
7.30 p. m. Preaching.
Thursday—
7.45 p. m. Regular Prayer Meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. J. E. Shaw, Pastor.

Services for the week beginning Sunday, March 5, 1916:

9.30 a. m. Class
10.30 a. m. Preaching by Pastor
2.30 p. m. Sunday School
6.45 p. m. Epworth League Service
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Henri Coupin, a French scientist, says that the oyster is a drink, not a food—that one gets nourishment from the oyster's juice, but not from the oyster's solid part. He is in possession of those who have considered themselves defrauded on finding not more than the one traditional oyster in the church sociable oyster stew.

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Rivies Easily Defeat The Collegians

With Caution back on the floor again after an illness of two weeks or so the Rivies easily defeated the Collegian team, of New Brunswick, on the K. of P. Hall court Thursday evening. Thomas was out of the game on account of injuries and his place at center was filled by Nolan who played a classy game. Nolan's long shots were the feature of the game.

The Collegian lineup was not what it was expected to be. Big Bob Nash was not on the floor because of injuries received to an ankle and Browning, the other Rutgers star, was not on hand because of the recent ruling of Coach Hill that players should not play in outside games until the end of the College schedule.

The visitors took the lead on the start-off of the game but the Rivies soon took a spurt into the lead and stayed there altogether. The Collegians started a rally toward the end of the game when the Rivies became over-confident that pushed the score up ten points in short order. The Rivies woke up, however, and the game ended with the score 29 to 25 in their favor.

Nolan scored three shots for the Rivies, all of them long ones. His first from beyond the middle of the court started the Rivies on their run away with the score. The other two were nearly as sensational and came at opportune times. Twine, the big Collegian pivot man, scored three times on Nolan but neither of the Collegian guards scored field goals.

Caution's floor work brought the Rivie teamwork up to something like it usually shows up. Jimmy seemed to be weak from his illness although his playing lacked nothing of the old time aggressiveness. Jimmy pushed two counters onto the board and made two out of five of the gravity shots that came his way. McCreery also scored twice and Burns and Allen each counted three times.

A total of seventeen fouls were called on the Rivies by Referee Caution. Steedle, the county champion foul shooter, started off poorly in shooting the gravity counters but afterward justified his reputation by making eleven out of the seventeen. Kelman and Kelly, the Collegian forwards, scored twice each from the field.

Captain Allen quieted the throng for a few moments before the last half to announce that next Friday night the attraction would be the Christ Church Cadets, of New Brighton, S. I.

It keeps some men so busy telling what they are going to do to-morrow that they haven't time to do things to-day.

PERSONAL

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

Miss Tekla Kwilinski spent Wednesday and Thursday in New York.

Miss A. Booram, of South River, was a local visitor last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Theodore Manduka, of Main street, was a New York visitor on Friday.

Mrs. H. J. Berrien, of Bordentown avenue, was a visitor at the Metropolis on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carroll, of John street, were visitors in New York on Wednesday.

Congressman and Mrs. T. J. Scully are now domiciled at The New Willard, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Thomas Dover and daughter, Ellen, of Perth Amboy, visited friends in this city on Tuesday last.

Mr. J. Alfred Johnson, the Broadway clothing merchant, was a visitor at the Metropolis on Wednesday.

Mrs. Abram Everitt and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Beutell have removed to East Side Park, Fair Haven, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoffman and children have returned to their home in Newark after spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson of Washington road.

To-day at 4 p. m. Miss Mary Kocheck, of Perth Amboy, will become the bride of Mr. William O'Brien, of this city, the ceremony to take place at St. Anthony's Church, Perth Amboy.

"THE BATTLE CRY OF PEACE"

The attraction at the Ditmas Theatre, Perth Amboy, next Monday and Tuesday is the massive, patriotic spectacle "The Battle Cry of Peace," which recently closed a six months engagement at the Vitagraph Theatre in New York where it played to capacity at two dollar prices. However, for the Ditmas engagement a very attractive scale of prices will be charged. "The Battle Cry of Peace" is modelled principally after Hudson Maxim's book "Defenseless America," but there is a splendid vein of romance and a strong human interest story running through it and is a spectacular offering bringing home to the general public some astounding facts concerning this country's unpreparedness for war. It shows how New York city and the entire United States within the period of a few short weeks could be made subject to an alien invading host. There is a thrilling series of pictures of the siege of New York, showing bombardments from land, sea and sky, the Wall Street district in flames, a conquering army marching through the streets and the dynamiting of public happenings, to say nothing of a score of other sensational happenings. Some size of the production can be gained when it is stated that in support of the large acting company there are 25,000 National Guardsmen, 800 horses, 800 members of the G. A. R., 8,000 others together with seventeen aeroplanes with zeppelins, seaplanes, submarines, dreadnoughts, battleships, torpedo boats and armed motor cars. A symphony orchestra will render the special score that was composed for this spectacle at all performances. Patrons are advised to get their seats well in advance as all indications point to capacity business at all performances.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Keys, of Stockton street, gave a birthday party on the evening of February 25 in honor of their daughter, Mary Bridget Niland Keys, who celebrated her thirteenth birthday. Mrs. Keys graciously received her guests in pale blue satin, while Mrs. Kendall assisted in pink crepe de chine. The young folk spent the evening in singing and dancing while the older ones enjoyed many games.

Mr. John Connelly gave some selections on the piano, his most favored selection being the "Connaught Man's Ramble" and "Mother." Among those present were: Helen, Agnes and Hilda Geant, K. and M. Ryan, C. and T. Ryan, C. Gilchrist, M. and J. Kendall, L. and E. Conway, R. Kennedy, J. McDonnelly and Mary Moore. After a most enjoyable evening the party broke up about 1 o'clock after which a toast was given to Miss M. B. N. Keys.

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