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TALK OF NEW SCHOOL HOUSE

The Board of Education Favors the Erection of Same at Once—May Cost $125,000—School Children May Take Part in Preparedness Parade on Old Home Day—Coal Bids Rejected.

Initial steps were taken by the Board of Education at the meeting Wednesday evening toward the erection of the long-talked of new school building. The action taken was that Judge Adrian Lyons be retained as counsel and that he be authorized and directed to prepare the necessary papers and resolutions which must be adopted by the board in referring the matter to the Committee on School Estimate.

The new structure will probably be erected on John street and replace the antique building now being used as School No. 1. It will cost, according to the consensus of opinion, in the neighborhood of a hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars and will provide for future as well as present needs. Plans for the structure will most likely be secured from the State Board of Education so as to secure the benefit of the experience gained by other Boards in building schools and to insure approval by the State body.

But little difficulty or opposition is anticipated in pushing the matter to a speedy conclusion. After passing the Board of Education the matter goes to the Board of School Estimate. This body consists of two members of the Board of Education, two members of the Common Council and the Mayor of the City, with the secretary of the Board as secretary and presiding officer. The members of the body are: Mrs. A. R. Miller, Mr. J. F. Fulton, Councilmen Wm. H. Parisen, and Richard U. Rue, and Mayor Wm. S. Dey. In view of the fact that a majority of the Board have already declared their position in regard to the positive need of a new structure it would seem that the new building will soon be a reality. The opinion expressed at the Board of Education meeting seemed to favor commencing the work just as soon as it could possibly be gotten under way.

The Board of Education also took action toward having the Public School children participate in the Preparedness Parade which is to be a feature of the Old Home Celebration on August 12th. The secretary was requested to communicate with all of the teachers requesting them to meet with the Board members in the assembly room of School No. 2 next Wednesday evening to discuss ways and means of handling matters. The suggestions which are expected from the teachers will then be considered and a plan adopted for getting the little ones in line.

An application from Miss Gladys P. Johnson, of Keyport, for position in the schools should vacancy occur was read and upon motion referred to the committee on teachers and instruction. The applicant was a graduate of the State Normal School as well as a graudate of the schools in this city and has had one year experience teaching. Application was also received from Miss A. S. Freeman, of Ocean Grove, for position in kindergarten department. This was also referred to the above committee.

An advertising communication from the School Board Journal came in for considerable discussion which resulted in the secretary being requested to arrange to have each board member furnished with a year's subscription to the magazine. The object of the paper is to make more efficient school board members.

A number of other advertising communications together with the minutes of the semi-annual meeting of the State Federation of District Boards of Education of New Jersey were ordered received and filed.

The following bills were read and ordered paid after a recess for the auditing of same: Quinn Boden Co., $61.20; State Federation of District Boards of Education, $5.00; M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co., $4.00; John M. Quain, $33.75; C. I. Bergen, $32.80; Oscar M. Mundy, $7.00; New York Telephone Co., $12.28.

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Heavy Rain Badly Damaged City Streets

The storm which came up suddenly from the southwest last Saturday morning did considerable damage in and about the city. At the heighth of the storm the steeple of the Methodist Protestant church was struck by lightning and considerably shattered. A large hole was torn in one side of the steeple, rafters beams, etc., being shattered and on the opposite side the shingles were torn away. On Broadway and Stevens avenue the streets were flooded more than a foot deep at the intersection of those streets with Henry and John streets. While the water did not rach the destructive height on Broadway that it did last summer, but an inch or two more would have flooded out the business places as it did before.

As is usual at the "hole-in-wall" the water reached a depth of several feet within a few minutes after the storm began and the rushing waters through the passageway filled it with sand and did considerable damage to the adjoining property. A deep gully was washed out on Bordentown avenue below the railroad bridge and another gully was torn on John street. Upper David street also suffered from washing as did a number of other places in the city. The need of either a pavement or a storm sewer on Main street and Washington avenue was again demonstrated, as was the absolute necessity of some provision being made for caring for the overflow on Broadway at Henry and John streets.

Carpenters' Union Enjoys Shore Dinner

The Carpenters' and Joiners' Union held their annual shore dinner at Seidler's Beach last Saturday afternoon. There was the usual large attendance in spite of the inclement weather and nearly two hundred dinners were served to the members and their wives and families. Everything about the pavilion was free to the housebuilders and the dinner was pronounced excellent. A good brass band added to the pleasures to be had and the men indulged in sports of various kinds to the huge entertainment of all. Running races and similar contests created considerable excitement among the spectators and proved to be highly interesting. The headquarters of the association are in Sayreville and each year a shore dinner is given at Seidler's. The event is, of course, looked forward to by the members and their families and largely appreciated when the long expected day arrives.

PAST COUNCILORS TO HOLD OUTING ON AUGUST 9

The members of the Past Councilors' Association, of Middlesex county, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold their fifth annual outing at Seidler's Beach on Wednesday, August 9.

The afternoon will be devoted to the customary sports, including a baseball game between the married men and the single men. Isaac Van Der Veer, of New Brunswick, is captain of the single men, and John Dahlgreen, of Sayreville, captain of the married men.

The dinner will be served at 7 p. m., and a large crowd will no doubt be in attendance. The committee on arrangements consists of Otto F. Wolff, of New Brunswick, J. E. Bernard, of Perth Amboy, and W. C. Aken, of Metuchen.

LIGHTNING STRIKES CHURCH.

During the heavy shower last Saturday morning the tower of the Methodist Protestant Church was struck by lightning. The bolt struck at the pointed top, and tore out each corner of the conical shaped tower, and passed on to the square base below and out the southerly side. The wood was splintered into small particles, and that the building did not take fire therefore seems miraculous. The loss will be considerable, and is covered by insurance.

Will advance money to be repaid by easy payment plan to lot buyers wishing to build at Bay View Manor or will build houses for rent. Investor, Citizen Office. 7-22-tf

Advertise in The Citizen.

MANY ENTRIES FOR PARADE

Promises That It Will Be Larger Than on Previous Old Home Celebrations—Many Prizes Donated—A Large Chorus Obtained for Coronation Ceremonies—Other Details.

The Old Home Day picnic, which was to be held in St. Mary's Grove this Friday, Saturday and next Monday nights, was called off by the committee at the meeting last Monday night. This action was taken in view of the duration of the lawn festival making the time interval too short for transferring the dancing platform and other arrangements from the scene of the festival to the grove. The committee decided to call the picnic off indefinitely and to end the queen contest in the City Hall instead of at the picnic. The race for the queenship was to have ended at the picnic grounds at midnight but the calling off of the picnic transfers the finish to the City Hall where there will be plenty of room for the large crowd which will doubtless be interested in learning the successful candidate.

The Monday night meeting was well attended and reports showed the plans of the celebration well advanced. The biggest feature of the celebration promises to be the five mile road race, entries for which are coming in fast. The event is causing considerable comment in the newspapers and the city is therefore receiving a great deal of valuable advertising therefrom. The committee is undoubtedly getting a larger return for their investment in the road race than from any other feature of the celebration plans.

The Preparedness Parade is also drawing big and from the entries received it will be the largest parade of the celebration in the past two years. Letters accepting the invitation to participate have come in profusely and at the meeting Monday night several more were received. Among those who were named this week are: The Gorm Lodge, Danish Brotherhood, G. A. R. Gen. Wm. S. Truex Post, St. Peter's Cadets, of Perth Amboy, St. Peter's Cadets, of Tottenville, Keyport Military Company. The G. A. R. hope to have fifteen or twenty of the veterans able to take part and the cadets will number at least a hundred and fifty in each troop. They are composed of boys and in their chic uniforms will present a grand appearance. The Westminster Cadets, it is understood, will also be in line with a full membership. Those who saw the parades the last two years will recall the excellence of these cadets and the decided addition which their presence lent to the parade.

The Keansburg Carnival Association through Mr. W. O. Gehlhaus, has donated a silver cup, another cup has been received from Colonel M. S. Margerum, of the Trenton State Fair Association, for the parade; Senator Austin Colgate sent an American Flag with silk trimmings and a brass spear head that will make an excellent prize. Coroner Eugene Mullen donated a fine gold ring with garnet setting which will probably be used for the baby parade. A silver plated safety razor sent from the Gillette Safety Razor Company will make a dandy prize for the use of the athletic committee and a silver vase from the American News Co. will go to the use of the baby parade. A twenty piece breakfast set was donated by the Moxie people, a cut glass bon bon dish by John Wanamaker, a scale for weighing babies was the gift of the Imperial Granum Company and a pair of boys' watches was given by Schneider Company. These and many other prizes are on display in the windows of Parisen's Drug store and are causing considerable comment and much admiration.

A letter from Miss Grace Hilliard declining to enter the contest for the queenship was read at the meeting. The writer evidently did not approve of the manner in which the contest was being conducted nor of the hustling activities of the candidates. The letter was ordered filed.

The publicity committee reported

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Found Hanging To Grape Arbor

Saturday morning Macerej Smoineskie was found strangled to death under a grape arbor in the yard of his boarding house at No. 201 Henry street by fellow boarders. The body was supported by a strap about the neck and was in a kneeling position. The Coroner Mullen was notified and pronounced the case one of suicide. The man appeared to be about 50 ears of age.

It was learned that the man had been in the employ of the Terra Cotta Company some time previously but lately had been drinking to excess. Friday night he caused considerable annoyance to the household in running up and down stairs time after time. One boarder thought that the man must have made at least a hundred trips up and down the stairs. When he became quiet it was thought he had retired.

Undertaker J. J. Scully took charge of the body and prepared it for burial. Burial was made on Monday. In the interval there was not a single person with either respect or curiosity enough to go and look at the remains after they had been prepared for interment. There were no funeral services. The man is thought to have been of Polish nationality and to have had a brother in this city. None came forward to claim the body, however.

LAWN FESTIVAL CONTINUED TO-NIGHT AND SATURDAY

The lawn festival of St. Mary's Parish will be continued to-night and Saturday night. The inclement weather has caused its postponement on several nights this week, but fair weather is hoped for on these last two nights. All the various attractions will be in full swing, and much pleasure may be found in attending. All the contests will be decided at 10 o'clock Saturday night, rain or shine. No doubt there will be a great throng of people present to learn if their favorites won.

THEODORE THOMAS IS CALLED BY DEATH

Theodore Thomas, a life-long resident of this city, passed away at his home on David street about 6 o'clock last Thursday evening at the age of 69 years.

Through illness Mr. Thomas retired from active work about 12 years ago, seven of which he has been blind. About two weeks ago he was stricken with paralysis, which led to his death. For many years he was in the employ of the Camden & Amboy Railroad and its successor, the Pennsylvania, as stationary engineer. He was of sterling qualities, a good citizen, and a man who loved his home and family. He is survived by a widow, two sons, George W., and Harry F.; a sister, Mrs. David Riddle, of Red Bank; and a brother, Charles P. Thomas, of Newark.

The funeral will be held from his late home at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon next, and at 2.30 from Christ Episcopal Church, to which friends and relatives are invited. Stillwell & Mason are the funeral directors.

NEARING $800 MARK.

The contributions up to July 28 for Old Home Celebration are as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$724 91
A. T. Kerr	5 00
Edw. Gallagher	1 00
T. W. Barnes	2 00
D. C. Chase	10 00
B. R. R. Trainmen No. 552	10 00
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.	5 00
Total	$757 91

A CORRECTION.

Through inadvertance it appeared in list of Old Home contributions last week that J. L. Delancey only gave $5.00. It should have been $25.00. The total amount $724.91 was correct, and those who added the list probably noticed the $20 discrepancy.

LAND SHARKS AND WATER SHARKS

The militiaman who cracked three ribs of his sweetheart in the parting hug evidently is a firm believer in the force of arms.

Mackerel 10c pound, in size half pound to one pound, at L. F. Meintzer's, the only store on the block on Broadway, in the beautiful rural section of the city.

SHALL OLD HOME BE POSTPONED?

This Question Will be Left to the People to Decide Next Monday Night—Board of Health Fears That if Celebration is Held, Infantile Paralysis May be Brought To This City.

Whether the Old Home Celebration will be held or not rests entirely upon the outcome of a public meeting which is to be held in the City Hall next Monday evening. The matter was brought up at a special meeting of the Board of Health held Thursday evening and the resultant discussion favored ascertaining what the sentiment of the public in regard to the question was. The meeting will be mostly under the auspices of the Board of Health although the committee on Old Home Day is heartily in favor of the meeting in question. To the meeting all physicians, all members of the Old Home Celebration committees and the general public are invited to attend and give their views upon the question of whether or not it would be advisable to hold the celebration in whole or in part in view of the epidemic of infantile paralysis which is becoming widespread throughout the East.

Neither the Board of Health authorities nor the Old Home Day committee cared to take the whole responsibility of calling off the celebration. Both bodies have talked among themselves, sentiment on both sides favoring holding the celebration, some favoring elimination of the baby parade and children's part in the preparedness parade, and still others favoring postponing the celebration altogether. The fact that the State Board of Health authorities prohibited the holding of a parade by the Firemen of Paterson lends weight to the thought that it is more than likely that similar action would be taken by that body in regard to the celebration in this city next month.

The sentiment among the committee on the celebration is varied. This is reasonable in view of the great amount of work that has already been done in making arrangements and the money that has been spent in making preparations. It is the general thought though that it were better by far that the entire celebration be abandoned than that the plague be brought to this city. This view is taken not for the sake of the little ones but also because of the fact that places which suffer from the epidemic will be on the blacklist for a long time so far as settling there is concerned while those which manage to escape will reap a consequent benefit. There is no doubt but that the men who compose the celebration committee will abide by the decision obtained at the Monday night meeting regardless of which way it should go and that they will welcome all who may have anything to say in regard to the matter.

It would behoove all parents therefore to attend the meeting and by their presence at least manifest their interest in the safe guarding of their offspring. A big meeting is looked for and the officials are in hopes that the medical men especially will attend and give their views as to the advisability of calling off the celebration and whether there is danger of bringing the epidemic here in the event of present plans for the big time being carried out.

The health inspector had a lengthy report to read regarding the conditions of health as well as those affecting the health of the city at large. There were no new cases of paralysis reported and those under suspicion had developed no symptoms of the disease. Quarantine which had been established as a safeguard either had already been removed or would be within a day or so because of the required time of quarantine having expired. The single case previously reported was well on the road to complete recovery and the place had been fumigated.

A number of nuisances such as dead dogs, dead cats, etc., had been abated and all nuisances which had been reported were investigated and attended to. In one case a dead horse had been reported between

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Before Court Twice On The Same Day

Last Saturday night a man giving his name as Michael James, hailing from Wilkesbarre, Pa., was arrested for being drunk and acting disorderly. At a hearing the following morning a fine of five dollars was imposed by the Police Justice. The fine was paid and the man released.

Later in the day he was again arrested on the same charge and another hearing given him. It developed then that when taken into custody the preceding night he had a quart of whiskey in his possession. This the police relieved him of before placing him in the "cooler" for the night. When he was released the liquor was not returned. James went to see the Police Justice about getting back his booze but without much success. Then he tackled the mayor. His over-anxiety about the safety of his bottle of fire-water resulted in his becoming abusive and falling afoul of the law again.

Police Justice Birmingham imposed a fine of three dollars the second time and the man refused to pay. The alternative of thirty days at the county hotel failed to shake him and Marshal McCabe took him for a ride. When the authorities at the jail frisked him they found money all right and made him come across with the fine. Release papers were secured from the local authorities and the man set free.

Jelin Given Two Weeks To Complete Road

Last September Abram Jelin was granted a contract by the Board of Freeholders to pave a section of the Morgan road from this city to the tracks of the New York & Long Branch Railroad. He has been making attempts from time to time to complete the contract and it is still far from being completed. Complaints have been continually made of the delay, and the Board of Freeholders are tired of receiving them, and consequently at a meeting on Wednesday the board gave Mr. Jelin two weeks in which to complete the contract, and if not finished then the Board will have the work done and hold the bondsmen responsible.

The delay on this contract has placed the traveling public to great inconveniences. It is not a big job, and any contractor with push could have completed the work by last spring at least. We trust that the Freeholders will carry out their resolution to the letter. Let there be no more delays.

ACTION TAKEN AGAINST KIRBY FOR ABUSE OF CHILD

Papers were filed with Judge Daly Monday by Former Judge Charles T. Cowenhoven, representing the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, in the prosecution of Captain Frank Kirby of Stone street, New Brunswick, for abuse of his six-year-old daughter, Catherine. An affidavit was presented by Paul F. Williams local agent of the society charging Kirby with beating the child on trivial pretexts and failing to give it proper nourishment.

FOR LOCAL OPTION IN MIDDLESEX

The Middlesex County Local Option League was formed at New Brunswick on Wednesday night with E. S. Barclay of Cranbury as president. Judge Adrian Lyon of Perth Amboy was elected first vice president and James A. Edgar of New Brunswick secretary. The league appointed committees to interview the candidates of both parties and find out how they stand on the local option question. Branch societies have been organized throughout the county.

The largest crowd of the season was at Morgan Beach last Sunday. Hundreds enjoyed bathing in the wire net enclosure of about 200 square feet, and felt prefectly safe from attack of sharks. The ground was enclosed at the personal expense of Rev. A. B. Strenski, Dr. E. A. Meacham and J. M. Willett of this city, and Deputy Revenue Collector James Curran, of New Brunswick.

Will advance money to be repaid by easy payment plan to lot buyers wishing to build at Bay View Manor or will build houses for rent. Investor, Citizen Office. 7-22-tf

GETTING RID OF ANTS.

Simple Methods of Freeing the House from These Common Pests.

As long as household conditions are such as to attract ants, measures for getting rid of the instects will be of little value, says a new publication of the U. S. Department of Agriculture,, Farmers' Bulletin 740, by C. L. Marlatt. The first step in freeing a house from these pests is, therefore, to clean up all food that may be scattered about and to keep food supplies which may attract ants in ant-proof metal containers, or in ice boxes. Cake, bread, sugar, meat, and similar substances are especially likely to attract the insects.

The use of baits is not recommended in the bulletin already mentioned because of the danger that these will serve merely to draw more insects into the house and thus actually to increase the nuisance. Where it can be safely used, however, a sirup poisoned with arsenate of soda has been found effective. The formula for this sirup is 1 pound of sugar dissolved in a quart of water, to which should be added 125 grains of arsenate of soda. This mixture is boiled and strained and on cooling is used to moisten sponges which are placed where they can be reached easily by the ants. The insects collect the sirup and convey it to their nests, so that the whole colony is ultimately poisoned. Although this method has been found effective, as has been said, it should be remembered that the arsenate of soda is poisonous to human beings and to animals as well as to ants, ond that its use must be safeguarded by the greatest precautions.

When the ants can be traced back to their nests and these are in accessible places, it is possible to destroy the colonies by injecting with an oil can or small syringe a little bisulphid of carbon, kerosene, or gasoline into the nests. All these substances, however, are inflammable, and precautions must be taken, therefore, against the danger of fire.

Though the common garden or lawn ants which build their little crater nests around houses are distinct species from the true house ants, they may find their way into the house. Their colonies may be destroyed by drenching the nests with boiling water or injecting a small quantity of kerosene or coal oil into them. Where larger areas are affected it is sometimes advisable to spray the lawns with kerosene emulsion or with a very strong soap wash prepared by dissolving any common laundry soap in water at the rate of one-half pound to 1 pound of soap to a gallon of water. Another method is to inject bisulphid of carbon into the nests, the quantity of the chemical depending upon the size of the nest. After the bisulphid of carbon has been injected, the entrance to the nest should be closed by the foot in order to retain the chemical, which will then penetrate slowly through the underground channel and kill the ants. Although its fumes are disagreeable, they are not poisonous to man and the higher animals.

REMARKABLE RECORD OF PASSENGER TRAFFIC

Reports which have just been received from all parts of the Pennsylvania Railroad System show that, in the first six months of the present year, 92,380,184 passengers were carried without loss of life of a single one of them in a train accident.

This completes two and one-half years in which no passenger has been killed in a train accident on any part of the Pennsylvania System, either east or west of Pittsburgh. In that time 453,952,298 passengers have been safely carried, in more than 3,000,000 trains, for a total distance of over ten billions of miles or 400,00 times around the world. Upward of 3,500,000 freight trains were operated in the same period over the 12,000 miles of line and 26,000 miles of track which make up the Pennsylvania Railroad System.

On the Lines East of Pittsburgh, no passenger has been killed in a train accident for more than three and one-half years, and 396,000,000 persons have been carried in safety over these lines, alone, during that period.

And those chaps who think that they ought to get pay for being good probably wouldn't draw much of a salary at that.

NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

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

Armstrong—Goodman.

A quiet wedding was solemnized Saturday evening, July 22, at 8 o'clock at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Sayreville, when Miss Wilhelmina C. Goodman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodman, of that place, became the bride of Harold Reid Armstrong, of South River.

The knot was tied by Rev. B. C. Lippincott, the bride's pastor.

The bride is one of Sayreville's bright and vivacious young ladies. She is most active in social and church circles and very popular among a wide circle of friends. She was charmingly gowned in a creation of white crepe de chine, and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. Her going away gown was made of white French linen. She is a member of the Raritan club of young ladies.

The bridegroom is one of South River's popular young men and holds a position with the du Pont Company at Parlin. He is a member of the Nonpareil Club, also the order of Junior Mechanics. His attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goodman, who were recently married.

The happy couple left immediately after the ceremony amid showers of confetti, in an auto bound for New Brunswick, where they boarded a train for New York. They will spend their honeymoon at Lake Sunapee, New Hampshire.

Upon their return they will reside with the bride's parents temporarily. They have the well wishes of a host of friends for a long wedded life of joy and happiness. The ceremony was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goodman, Mrs. Mary Armstrong, Mrs. James Lauder, of Bayonne, and David and Charles Armstrong.

Grove Manager Sued for $25,000.

Frank B. Smith, superintendent of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association, has been made defendant in a Supreme Court suit for libel, instituted by Frederick E. Reynolds, an Ocean Grove real estate agent, formerly treasurer of the Ocean Grove Association. Mr. Reynolds asks damges in the amount of $25,000.

A short time ago Mr. Reynolds brought an action against the Ocean Grove Association to recover on an alleged contract for service and was awarded a verdict.

Keyport Bank Elects New Cashier.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Keyport Banking Company F. Palmer Armstrong was elected cashier and a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Arthur M. Brown. J. Harold Hendrickson was elected assistant cashier in place of Mr. Armstrong.

Summer Hotel Ordered Closed.

Because of a case of infantile paralysis being found in the Hotel Atlantic, Belmar, Mayor Robert G. Poole ordered the proprietor to close it and keep it closed for six weeks. The guests were also directed to return to their city homes. The parents of the child came from the Bronx and had a certificate of health from their family physician.

Thomas Mott Osborne Talks to State Prison Inmates.

Three addresses to the 1,200 men in the state prison at Trenton were made Sunday by Thomas Mott Osborne, warden of Sing Sing. He received an enthusiastic reception from them when introduced by the head of the local institution, Richard P. Hughes. Some of the prisoners had served under him in Sing Sing, and others had been in that prison when Mr. Osborne was taking a term there under the name of "Tom Brown."

A number of people interested in reform work were present, including Richard Stockton, state commissioner of charities and correction; Mr. and Mrs. H. Otto Wittpenn, Judge Erwin E. Marshall and others identified with state and city government.

Commendation from Mr. Osborne for the work being done at the prison by Mr. Hughes brought applause at each of the gatherings. The speaker told the audiences that he knew enough about the ability and work of Mr. Hughes to assure them that he was "on the level."

Auto Breaks Man's Leg.

John Powell, thirty-one years old, is in St. Peter's Hospital, New Brunswick, suffering from a broken left leg. He was crossing the road Saturday when struck by an automobile driven by Frank De Angelides of Highland Park. In making the turn at the forks of the road the auto skidded and the rear wheel struck Powell.

Buys Trucks to Cart Peaches.

John T. Egan of Red Bank has bought two large motor trucks for use in his express and moving business. Mr. Egan has taken the contract to haul peaches from the Lerch fruit farm at Scobeyville to Asbury Park. The farm is the largest of its kind in Monmouth county. Last summer Mr. Egan hauled more than 15,000 baskets of peaches from the farm to the seashore. The first peaches this year were gathered from the farm a few days ago, but the season will not be in full swing until the latter part of August. More than seventy-five men and women will be employed at picking and sorting the peaches. Most of the help will sleep in buildings on the farm.

Name Officials for Keansburg Carnival

Suggestions were received and preparation started for Keansburg's carnival Saturday at a meeting of the Keansburg Carnival Association. The incorporation of the association necessitated the election of new officers. The following were elected: President, William A. Gehlhaus; vice presidents, Mrs. Edward G. Entwistle, John E. Jones and Samuel De Turo; secretary, Gustave Woelfle; treasurer, Nicholas J. Drodge. A board of trustees was elected including the above mentioned officers and Vincent Briggi, Lewis Oberworth, Carl Wilhelm, Percy A. Kingsland and John Lachman.

August W. Lucas, who was king of Keansburg's first carnival, was appointed chairman of a special committee to interest the community to take part in the carnival. The following were appointed chairmen of the various committees with power to appoint assistants: Athletic, Harry Harris; finance, George F. Usbeck; program and advertising, Roscoe G. Campbell; subscription, Henry F. Marquardt; music and decorations, Lawrence Amon; juvenile entertainment, Mrs. Entwistle; voting contest, Lewis M. Rahe; grangers' day, George Foley; prizes and awarding, William F. Mauser; baby parade, Mrs. Henry F. Marquardt; masquerade and mardi gras, J. Gustave Woelfle; floral and decorative, Mr. Drodge; reception, Jesse L. Sculthorp; harvest home, Mrs. L. Tanner; fair, Mrs. H. F. Marquardt; press, David H. Cosby.

Auto Mishap Injures Two.

Former City Engineer William H. Luster, Jr., of 943 North Broad street, Elizabeth, was shaken up and bruised and his wife more seriously injured when his auto ran upon an embankment in Pompton road, Morristown, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Luster was injured about the shoulders. After receiving treatment from a Morristown physician they returned to their home in Elizabeth.

Record Repeats His Charges.

Addressing a local option meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Hall at Trenton Monday night, George L. Record repeated his charges that the brewery interests had already centered their power in behalf of one of the candidates for the Republican Gubernatorial nomination.

Mr. Record also declared that the Public Service Corporation, through its gas and electric companies, and the telegraph and telephone companies, had 1,000,000 annually at stake in this campaign. The franchise tax on these companies should be increased from two to five per cent. annually on the gross receipts, he argued.

Attacks Nine-Year-Old Girl.

Joe Cooper, twenty-two years old, was taken to the Burlington county jail at Mt Holly, Monday night, after he had been arrested at the point of a shotgun by Andrew Durham, of Florence. Cooper is charged with assaulting Teresa Hammond, a nine-year-old girl.

The girl was picked up in a thicket, unconscious, her face and body scratched and bruised. When revived, she told Mrs. Durham that the man had come along as she was playing near her home in Roebling, and had given her a nickel to show him the road to Burlington. She walked with him through Florence, three miles away, and then begged to be allowed to go home, when he attacked her.

Cooper's captors took him by automobile to Burlington, where Recorder Petty committed him to the county jail without bail. He said he was tramping from New York to Philadelphia to find work.

Cases of Typhoid Reported at Keyport.

Nearly a score of typhoid fever cases have been reported at Keyport during the last few days, three of which resulted in death, and an investigation ordered by the State Board of Health has led inspectors to believe that the trouble is due to milk.

State Senator Henry A. Akerson, Jr., who was Democratic floor leader in the Legislature last winter, and his wife and son, Cornelius Ackerson, are among those stricken.

Those dead are Arthur M. Brown, cashier of the Keyport Banking Company; Mrs. Walter B. Cherry and Mrs. Mary Disbrow.

State health officials are working on the theory that a "carrier," not yet identified, may have handled milk before it entered the homes of the victims.

Jersey Federal Road Aid.

State Road Commissioner Edwin A. Stevens has received from Director L. W. Page of the bureau of public roads and rural engineering of the United States Department of Agriculture an official notification respecting the federal aid road act approved July 11 by President Wilson.

The communication shows that $59,212.68 is the sum apportioned to New Jersey, this being slightly in excess of the amount estimated by the State Roads Department. New Jersey's share is 1,22088 per cent. of the total appropriation of $4,855,000 apportioned among the states. The factors entering into the apportionment for this state are an area of 8,224 square miles, a population of 2,537,167 and 7,708 miles of "star" and rural routes shown by certificates of the Postmaster General as of June 30, 1916.

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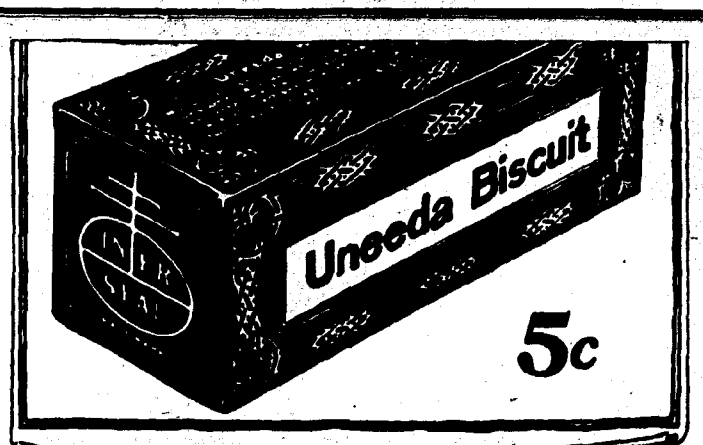

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GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED OAK BUFFET, regular price $62.00, **August Sale** **$52.70**

GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED FUMED OAK BUFFET, regular price $29.00, **August Sale** **$24.65**

GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED FUMED OAK BUFFET, regular price $31.00, **August Sale** **$26.35**

GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED FUMED OAK BUFFET, regular price $49.00, **August Sale** **$41.65**

QUARTERED OR FUMED OAK CHINA CLOSET, regular price $16.00, **August Sale** **$13.60**

QUARTERED OR FUMED OAK CHINA CLOSET, regular price $26.00, **August Sale** **$22.10**

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QUARTERED OR FUMED OAK CHINA CLOSET, regular price $33.50, **August Sale** **$28.47**

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9x12 AXMINSTER RUG, regular $36.70, **August Sale** **$31.25**

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We *also* have the Famous Wool Fiber, and Crex Rugs, China and Japanese Matting.

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A splendid assortment of fancy Rockers and Chairs.

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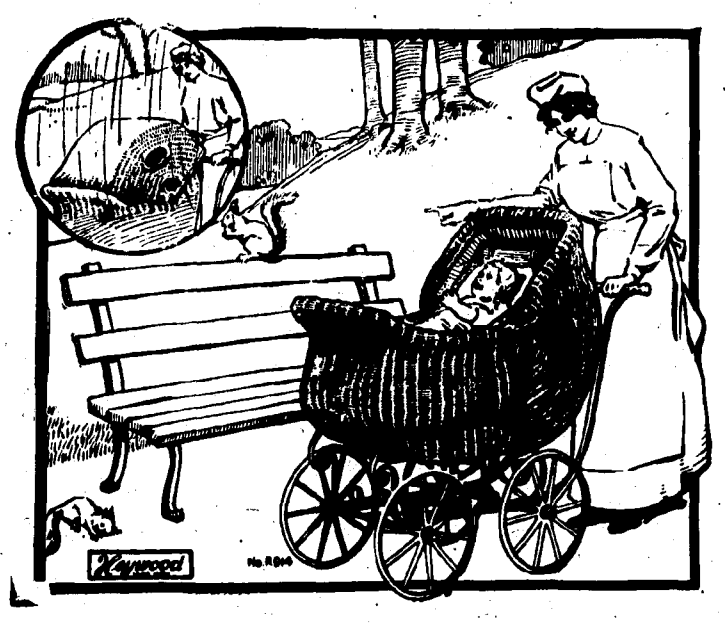
During the second week of August Sale commencing August 9th and continuing until August 26th, we shall offer our entire stock of Wall Paper consisting of 75,000 Rolls at a greatly reduced price. We have numerous patterns to select from all 1916 goods. Also many specials from 1915 stock which we are going to sell at an exceedingly low figure. Do not fail to take advantage of this sale and do not forget the date it starts.



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Nothing to equal our line of Go Carts in style, quality and price.

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A 3 Piece Fumed Oak Suit, black or brown upholstery, regular price $28.00, August Special Sale, **$23.80.**

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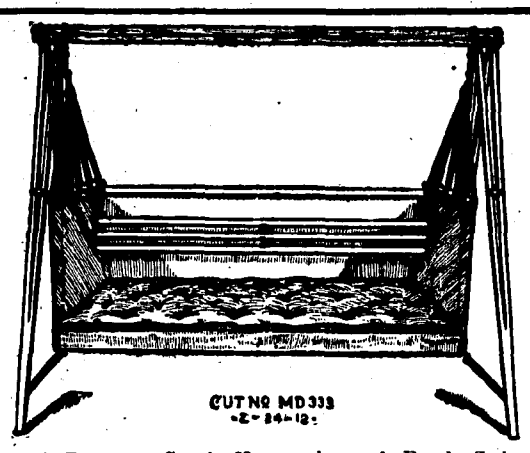

Porch Rockers, Couch Hammocks and Porch Swings, the quantity of those goods is limited, do not wait if you wish to take advantage of the low price.

COUCH HAMMOCK, regular price $7.50, **August Sale** **$4.98**

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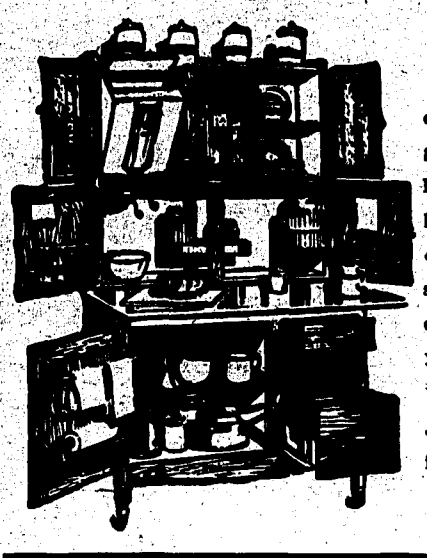

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During August Sale we will give to every purchaser of $125.00 worth of merchandise this beautiful 100 piece China Set, or for $85.00 worth a 50 piece set. We will not substitute any other merchandise as a premium, it must be china.

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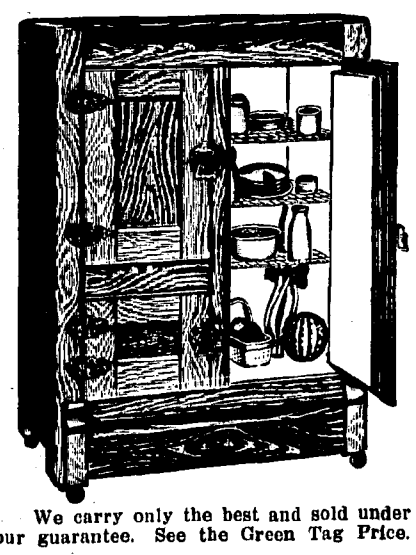

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SATURDAY, JULY 29, 1916.

Councilman-at-Large Collin Stratton has entered the race in the primary as a candidate for Assembly on the Republican ticket.

Have you expressed yourself as a candidate for local office as yet? Better get busy, before the slates are made up.

The Republicans are endeavoring to get two good men to run for councilmen this fall, viz., C. I. Bergen in the Second ward, and George Bogart in the Third. William S. Dey will probably be selected to run for Mayor again.

THREE MEN ON A PLANK.

When H. Otto Wittpenn told the Bergen County Democrats that he believed the Governor should be the head of a state budget commission, that he should have power and means to investigate the workings of every department of the state, and that he could call upon department heads to act as an advisory committee, he wasn't setting forth any novel idea. Colonel Walter E. Edge introduced a bill to bring about such a state of affairs as Mr. Wittpenn wants, Colonel Austen Colgate voted for it, Governor James F. Fielder signed it after it was passed, and the law will go into effect on October 1 next.

So when the new Governor takes his office next January he will be compelled by law to do the very things that Mr. Wittpenn says a Governor ought to do in order to be a competent executive. The budget act of last winter laid down the state policy of making the Governor the state's business manager, and Messrs. Edge, Colgate and Wittpenn are showing by their campaign talks that they are as one on that issue. "Strictly business" is their cry.

Of course Mr. Edge can truthfully say, "I said it first," but the other two can boast that they hopped on the business band wagon at the earliest opportunity, leaving all the novelties in the Gubernatorial campaign to George L. Record. They constitute a three-in-one combination that ought to work without friction, but it doesn't.—Newark News.

AID THE FRESH AIR FUND.

One way in which the people of this city can help to relieve the suffering caused by the infantile paralysis epidemic is to send some of the tenement children of New York City to Sea Breeze as their own guests. Sea Breeze is the summer fresh air home of the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor. It is at Coney Island and remains open during the epidemic because it is under the control of the city authorities and because no children are sent there until they are known to be free from the disease and even from the suspicion of it.

Sea Breeze has regular accommodations for 325 mothers and children and plans are now under way to increase the capacity to 400, and to keep it open later in the fall than usual. The tenement children and their mothers go there as the guests of those who give them their outings, which cost 50 cents a day or $3 a week for each guest.

Thousands of the city's poor children are closely confined to their homes because many of the country fresh air headquarters are closed to them. Either as individuals or in one or more groups the people of this city can play an important part in diminishing the hardships brought by the epidemic.

A group of citizens can turn their amusements of one or more evenings to the advantages of the sufferers by giving an entertainment, lawn party, dance, or card party, to raise a local Sea Breeze fresh air fund.

To give a dance or a party at this season would require but little preliminary planning, calling first for the leadership and enthusiasm of two or three persons. Valuable co-operation would be extended by the management of Sea Breeze in response to a letter addressed to the A. I. C. P. at 105 East 22nd street, New York City, where remittances will also be received from individuals who wish to send some of the tenement children or mothers to Sea Breeze as their personal guests.

A girl never truly loves a man if she admits he has faults.

SHALL OLD HOME BE POSTPONED?

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Main street and the "hole-in-wall." Investigation, however, developed the interesting fact that it was only a roll of old tin roofing. The inspector explained that it was evidently the fault of the complainant having taken some one else's word for the existence of the nuisance.

A complaint had been noted of expectorating upon the floor of a factory located on Feltus and Augusta streets and the owner notified to abolish the practice. The report was ordered received and filed.

The matter of children attending the lawn festival was brought up and discussed at length. The mayor was censured for not having kept his promise to place an officer at the grounds to see that children were kept out. The mayor stated that he had stationed an officer at the grounds and in this he was borne out by the inspector. The trouble was that the officer was not in uniform and stayed outside the grounds. The authorities in charge of the affair had not permitted any children to enter but they had no means of preventing them climbing the fence and getting in that way. The remarks directed at the permitting of the children to remain when certain other city officials were cognizant of the ruling of the health authorities in this respect was rather pointed at times. Finally the matter was disposed of in the agreement of the mayor to station an officer in uniform in the grounds to see that children were kept out. This action was desired so as to make the actions of the health authorities in other respects consistent. In this connection it was mentioned that the amusement places in the city felt that the ruling of sixteen years affected their receipts noticeably and it was suggested that the age limit be reduced to twelve years. No action was taken in this respect because the suggestion met with considerable opposition, it being called to mind that the sixteen year limit was the one most generally in vogue.

Along the same lines a motion was passed to the effect that the secretary notify all pastors and Sunday School superintendents in the city to discontinue holding services for children under the age of sixteen years and eliminate them from all other services. The concensus of opinion in the matter seemed to be that just at this critical period that for children "there was no place like home."

The question of adequate remuneration for the health inspector for his strenuous and valuable services was brought up and discussed at some length. Finally a motion was passed to the effect that the matter be referred to the city council with the recommendation from the board that the inspector be paid for his services as health inspector at the same rate that he received in his regular occupation. Attention was called to the fact that his duties as health inspector kept him from following his regular occupation with a consequent pecuniary loss to himself. The men who had been employed by the inspector in the clean-up campaign were dispensed with and the inspector authorized to notify the parties responsible for nuisances to clean them up or abate them and then, if this was not done within the prescribed time limit, have them arrested and brought before the police authorities for the imposition of a fine. This, it was thought, would relieve conditions and dispense with the necessity of having a man go around looking for nuisances and abating them, thus saving the Board considerable expense. Another motion passed allows the moving of manure piles in the city at night, or the carting of manure through the city at night without restriction.

Despite the strenuous opposition of the health inspector a motion was passed to the effect that the Pennsylvania Railroad be billed for the expense of cleaning up their property in the rear of the houses on the north side of Augusta street. The inspector maintained that the company was not responsible for the nuisance as they had not put it there and were not cognizant of its existence, besides not having been notified to abate the existing nuisances. The expense of cleaning up the Disbrow property was also ordered assessed against the owners.

Some criticism of the inspector in regard to using workmen to assist him in inspecting places in search of nuisances brought out the feeling that there had been a failure on the part of the police to co-operate with the health authorities in the reporting of nuisances, etc. The statement was made that it was part of their duty to look for and report existing nuisances, thus facilitating the work of the inspector and accruing to the beneficial results which the authorities are aiming at. This brought a positive statement from the mayor that it was most decidedly not part of the officers' duties and that he would not issue an order to any such effect. The consensus of opinion was voiced by the mayor when he said that it was strictly up to the health authorities and part of the duty of he inspector.

The garbage question also came up for consideration. One of the members spoke of having been called on by a Mechanicsville resident who claimed that his garbage remained out five days before it was collected and that the gentleman in question stated his intention of complaining directly to the State body unless something was done toward giving quick relief of existing conditions. The inspector stated that he had toured the city that day in the main streets and found the garbage in excellent condition so far as collection was concerned. The outlying districts he could not vouch for. The question was settled for the time being in the secretary being directed to notify the garbage collector that he must collect garbage more promptly from now on. The matter was referred to the council at a previous meeting but no results had come from it, so this time the Board of Health goes directly to the collector.

The approach of the rain storm portended by the heavy rolling of the thunder put an end to the meeting when the reporters beat it for home.

TALK OF NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

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The bids for furnishing supply of coal to the schools were opened. Bids were received from John W. Olsen Co., of Perth Amboy, $6.94 per gross ton; from T. F. Sullivan, at $6.75 per ton before Sept. 1st, after which $7.00 per ton was quoted; from H. D. Littell, $6.75 per ton previous to Sept. 1st and $7.00 per ton after that date. The bids were referred to the committee on buildings and grounds. Later the chairman recommended that all the bids be rejected because of the fact that the element of doubt that existed in the bids as to what was meant. A motion to that effect prevailed and the secretary requested to again advertise for bids.

The committee on teachers reported that the new principal and the domestic science teacher had accepted the positions offered them and recommended that the committee be empowered to employ either of two teachers for the class for defective pupils according to which had the better qualifications. The teachers in question were Miss L. L. Barker, of Turner's Falls, Mass., and Miss M. Olive Weed, of New York City. Both are now taking a special course at Columbia bearing on the work in question. The recommendation of the chairman was approved.

The committee on buildings and grounds reported the fence between the school grounds and neighboring property completed but not painted, painting to be done within a few days. The advisability of having new tubes installed in the boiler of School No. 1 was discussed and the secretary finally instructed to advertise for bids for same.

The committee on finance reported a balance of $4,015.09 on hand at the beginning of the fiscal year.

MANY ENTRIES FOR PARADE.

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receiving a letter from the general passenger agent of the Central Railroad stating that they would get out poster advertisements of the celebration was introduced together with a request from an out of town paper with an extensive circulation for a story on the celebration, particularly the road race. A suggestion contained in a letter from the chairman of the registration committee, Metropolitan Association, A. A. U., relative to the committee bearing a portion of the expenses of teams of runners from New York here as an added attraction was taken up and largely discussed. It was thought that three dollars for each team would be sufficient to prove a drawing card and lend an incentive to participation. Each team consists of six men and ten of the largest association teams would mean the entry of another dozen, at least, runners from each of the associations entering a team. After a great deal of favorable discussion an additional appropriation of fifty dollars for this purpose was ordered turned over to the athletic committee.

Chairman Donlin explained the handicap his committee was working under owing to the stormy weather having caused a postponement of the lawn festival. His idea was to postpone the picnic but some of those present favored holding the picnic for at least one day so as to end the queen contest race there. After some discussion it was decided to substitute the City Hall as a place for the end of the race instead of the picnic, a picnic at this time not being deemed feasible. The queen contests will then close at midnight and the spacious council chamber will afford plenty of room for those who want to hear the results.

There was some mention of petitioning the council of the city for a contribution to the fund for the celebration. During the discussion one of the business men expressed the opinion that the celebration was worth many time what it would cost from an advertising standpoint alone. It was mentioned that few appreciated the benefits which were to be derived from this advertising which was much more extensive than mere newspaper advertising would be and much more vaulable because of the interest which was taken in it. It was finally decided to wait a while and see how the finances progressed at a later date in order to ascertain whether assistance from the city was necessary or not.

Mr. Charles Safran was requested, upon due motion to that effect, to secure or obtain flags for the use of the school children in the parade. It is expected that some fifteen hundred flags will be required.

The reception committee reported slow progress but the report in detail indicated that considerable thought had been indulged in planning the details of the arrangements. Lists of guests to be invited would be appreciated by the chairman and provision for the entertainment of the celebrities is practically assured.

Miss Fulton reported that there were about fifty singers that had reported for the initial practice in the earlier part of the evening. Her report was decidedly encouraging to the committee and it was evident that the speaker was also quite well pleased with the first turnout. The chorus is in need of alto and tenor singers and male voices too. A special invitation is extended to all to take part in the chorus and their efforts will be largely appreciated.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

European Twilight.

Editor of Citizen:

In conversing with foreigners in regard to the things they have in their country, they will invariably tell you that we have nothing in this country that will compare with what they have—no mountains so high, no valley so deep, no flowers so beautiful nor smell so sweet.

The late James G. Blaine in an address delivered before a New York audience in describing incidents of note which he encountered in touring Europe, said that European twilight could not be described. It was the most beautiful sight he ever saw, and another notable thing about it was its long continuation. Twilights in America are of very short duration, but in Europe so bright are the twilights there that you can thread a needle between 11 and 12 o'clock.

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A GREAT MOVEMENT TOWARD GOOD ROADS

That the road conditions in New Jersey are not what they should be and that the road system in this state is considered very important not only locally but to the national government as well as to the people of the entire country is evidenced by the fact that the Federal Government has decided to contribute $912,000 for use in the upbuilding of the system. This sum added to the $7,000,000 provided in the Egan Good Roads Bill which will in all probability be passed by referendum in November, will give to the State for highway purposes, a total of almost $8,000,000.

Co-operation between the Federal Government and the various states in the matter of highway improvement has begun. It was fostered by the realization of the necessity of good roads not alone for pleasure and business purposes but more particularly for military purposes. In the next five years $150,000,000 will be expended upon arterial roads selected by the highway authorities and subject to the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture. This plan became a concrete proposition when the two important national road bills were merged, passed and signed by President Wilson.

The effect of this gigantic appropriation by the national government will be a very important factor in restoring the State of New Jersey to its former position and title, "Queen of Roads States," according to the opinion of George E. Blakeslee, author of the "Egan Good Roads Bill." and one of the best informed men upon this subject in New Jersey. He said:

"Nothing that the National Government has ever done in its co-operating with the States has been more constructive and progressive than this latest move. Here is a proposition, based upon the same plan now before the people of New Jersey, where the entire country will be enabled to build up a system of perfect highways without a cent of added expense to the taxpayers.

"The one-hundred and fifty millions of dollars to be distributed by the Federal Government will, like New Jersey's seven millions, be obtained from sources of revenue already in vogue and without placing added burden upon anyone. The money that is now being paid by automobilists in taxes and other incidentals are devoted to the repair of little patches of roads everywhere. The constructive plan to be placed in effect under the provisions of the new measures is to devote this money to a solid fund which will permit the reconstruction of entire systems of roads. The same moneys now spent for senseless little jobs which are extravagant and practically useless, the money will give us systems over which it will be genuine delight to travel.

"The military advantages of the rebuilding and extensions of our road systems are inestimable. Great armies regardless of equipment may be moved rapidly and speedily in every direction while now the movement of military forces is a very grave and great problem because of the lack of expediency in the matter of maintaining the highway systems."

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His Status.

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ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

What has become of that Henry street sidewalk petition?

Tennis is again coming into its own at the Y. M. C. A. courts.

Mr. Frank Henry, of Feltus street, as procured a Buick automobile.

The railroad crossing at John street was thoroughly repaired last week.

The steamer John B. Collins started her trips up Cheesequake creek this week.

Frank Batterson is doing a rushing business in his garage on Stevens avenue.

The heavy shower on Saturday morning last caused great damage to our streets.

James Abbetiello has purchased a new Chevrolet Baby Grand touring car automobile.

Mr. Samuel Newton, of Bordentown avenue, has a new Haines' touring car automobile.

Another sale of lots at Bay View Manor will take place to-day, and Sunday, July 30.

Sunday, August 6, the new electric lighting system of the M. E. Church will be put in operation.

The public library has been ordered closed by the Board of Trustees and will remain closed for some time.

A warrant was issued for Irving Slover on Wednesday on complaint of his wife that he had assaulted and beat her up.

Rev. J. E. Shaw will deliver the address at the Harvest Home of the M. E. Church at Pedrickstown on Thursday next.

C. L. Cozzens has been at Mooseheart, Ind., the past week attending the National convention of the Loyal Order of Moose.

Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Bloodgood of John street are happy over the arrival of a charming daughter at their home last Tuesday night.

If the proposed roadway under the coal trestle had not been changed, it would have been a case of "low bridge or bump your head."

If the sidewalks on John street below the railroad were laid at grade, don't you believe the appearance of the street would be greatly improved?

Mr. F. A. Deacon, secretary of the local branch of the Y. M. C. A., has been busy canvassing the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. lately in the interest of athletics.

Seen at Seidler's pavilion last Saturday a well dressed woman with narrow strings of ribbon tied around her ankle. Wonder what kind of a dress fad it is?

All members of South Amboy Lodge No. 1554, L. O. O. M., are requested to attend a special meeting on August 7, in order to transact very important business.

Robert Holton was removed to St. Michael's Hospital, Newark, on Thursday in F. A. Maliszewski's ambulance. He will undergo an operation on the kidneys.

Don't let the city have any Broadway experience with Main street. Every water service, sewer connection, and gas service should be placed before the pavement is started.

John J. Quaid of Sayreville was in town on Monday and called on old friends. John is as aggressive as ever, and says he still has love for the laboring man in his heart.

The stork called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carroll, of John street, last Saturday afternoon and left a bouncing baby boy. Both mother and babe are reported to be doing fine.

The South Amboy Council No. 426, K. of C., will hold their annual shore dinner at Seidler's Beach on August 6th. Tickets have already been issued to each member and the usual large turnout is expected.

William Birmingham, president of Protection Engine Company, attended a meeting on Thursday night for the first time this year. His prolonged illness has prevented his attendance hitherto.

William Rea of Morgan Beach has added to his numerous pets a monkey-faced owl. It is kept in a cage and seems to enjoy its captivity. It is certainly an odd bird, and rightly named.

Granville Magee, of Old Bridge, has been transferred to the local Terminal and Shipping office of the P. R. R. He was formerly yardmaster at Old Bridge nights.

The catch basins and sewer at Bordentown and Pine avenues did not seeem to receive the surface water as they should Saturday morning and as a consequence the trolley tracks were covered with sand.

While at pasture in Hubbard's field last Saturday morning two cows owned by John Miller were killed by lightning. They were standing with other cows under a tree when the bolt struck the tree and then the cows.

Those who had occasion to go to and from the Pennsylvania railroad station Sunday morning found the footpath under the bridge in a very muddy and wet condition. However, it proved profitable to shoeshine artists.

It is a shame to let the city dock go into decay. Some day this neglect may be regretted. Notwithstanding its wretched condition hundreds of people can be seen daily carefully wending their way on it to get a real cool breeze and enjoy the scenes on the beautiful bay.

William S. Parsons is soon to join the Benedicts. He will take as his bride Miss Dora Morgan of Jersey City, and the ceremony will take place in the Lutheran Church of that city on Saturday evening, August 12, at 8 o'clock. After the wedding they will reside at 31 George street this city.

The new office of the Susquehanna Coal Company is being rushed to completion, and will be more in keeping with the standing of the company than the former miserable building. Temporary quarters for the clerks have been established on the property of Mr. John Scully, the company's representative in this city.

George R. Delaney has been active in automobile selling the past week. Among his sales were a Light Six Buick to Assistant Prosecutor John A. Coan; a Ford turning to Frank Crossman; and a Ford touring to Hans C. Miller. Mr. Delaney can sell cars as low as any dealer, and it would be well to get an offer from him before rushing out-of-town to buy.

One morning this week an unknown man had a narrow escape when he missed his hold in endeavoring to board a moving train at the local station and fell under the train. The trucks of the car pushed him out of the way without injuring him at all. The man was employed, he said, at the Powder Works but did not give his name. Evidently the lesson went home for he said that he'd never try to get on a moving train again.

DAYS FOR GARBAGE COLLECTION

The following schedule for collecting garbage has been arranged by Contractor Welsh. People are requested to have their garbage set out on time.

Mondays and Thursdays.

Fourth, Main, Second, First and Church streets; Stevens avenue and above from Augusta street to Bordentown avenue.

Tuesdays and Fridays.

All below Stevens avenue from Augusta street to Gordon street.

Wednesdays.

Start Stevens avenue and Bordentown avenue to Christ Church cemetery including streets in Maxville, Bergen Hill and Mechanicsville.

Remember these days. Get your garbage out early. Don't wait until the wagon goes by, for if this is done the cans will remain until next collection day.

A tight man and a loose dog are equally dangerous.

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Argo Starch, package	4c	Smoked Sardines, can	4c	Crisco, per can	25c
Mueller's or Anger's Macaroni and Spaghetti, package	8c	Coffee, Paramount Blend, lb. Excellent Cup Quality.	21c	Hiros' Extract, bottle For making root beer.	14c
White Rose Mayonnaise, bot.	19c	Imperial Flour, 24½ lb. bag	85c	Old Dutch Cleanser, can	8c

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Chopped Meat FRESH CHOPPED 14½c lb

Roast of Veal Milk Fed 13c lb

Small Shoulders of Veal Milk Fed 14½c lb

All Kinds Bologna 16c lb.

BEEF STEAKS Nice and tender 3 lbs 50c

FRESH JERSEY PORK LOINS 16¾c lb

PORK ROAST 13¾c lb

VEAL OR LAMB CHOPS 18½c lb.

PORK CHOPS 18c lb

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4 lbs FRESH PIGS FEET..... 25c
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6 lbs SOUR KROUT..... 25c

LIVER 10c lb.

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WEEKLY LETTER TO FARMERS.

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

The past two weeks have given us some cause for encouragement. The hot weather has caused excellent growth. The hay was never better—thick clover at the bottom and not over-ripe.

Corn, beans, cabbage and potatoes have gained a tremendous impetus; so that in spite of the late and wet spring, good crops now seem assured, provided, of course, we give them proper attention. In the case of corn and beans there was a great deal of wet weather after planting and grass and weeds have crept in. The corn just now needs an old-fashioned hand hoeing as much as it ever has. Hoeing has practically gone out of practice and with it went the large yields of corn that our fathers boasted of and really had. With the clearing of the weeds and stirring the soil close to the plant there went an intelligent thinning that has never been equalled by any machine.

The labor involved in this hoeing would pay our farmers well this year, and if it is possible to obtain the help, I would advise it. The labor situation is, of course, serious in all lines at present; but it is especially so on the farm. But in the absence of labor, even our own slow cultivation should be resorted to; it at least affords opportunity to thin and work close to the plants, and should produce good results.

Wheat, oats and barley are progressing well; the only question with them is their maturity. Lack of sunlight and dampness is apt to produce a soft berry; particular attention should be given to its thorough maturing. Care should also be exercised in storing the grain after threshing. In many cases it may be necessary to shovel the grain several times to prevent heating and to detect the presence of insects.

Our new seedlings and pastures are unusually satisfactory and on the whole prospects are bright for good crops, and the prices are good—a combination we seldom get.

WATER WILL BEAR YOU UP.

You can teach yourself to swim, and you can do it in an hour or less. I know plenty of people who have done it by following carefully these directions:

First and foremost, fix this thought clearly in your mind—the water will bear you up. It is fear and struggle that invariably sends a person to the bottom. The best way to acquire confidence that makes for courage and fun is, go squarely and reasonable at it. Begin in still water; the old swimming pool on the farm is just the place. Wade out until your shoulders are covered, squat a little and get yourself wet all over.

Don't be the the least atom afraid, even if a little water does get into your nose and ears; wade out a little farther until you are up to your chin, and now your toes will begin to leave the bottom of the pool. Do not be alarmed. This shows you that you are a little lighter than the water. Now lift your chest and with the muscles of your stomach breathe deep, stretch your arms out to form the letter T of yourself, stiffen your backbone and hollow your back as though suddenly you were a very important and dignified person. Your toes have come up to the surface now. Lean your head back freely as far as you can, keeping your mouth shut.

Lie back with absolute confidence, and there you are floating. Keep your backbone stiff, gently paddle with your hands, and you are swimming. Make toward the shore, of course. Then try it all over again. This time kick with your feet gently; strong strokes might turn you over and frighten you. Keep your balance and practice two or three times in straight succession.

The next thing that you will be learning is the "V" stroke. Kick out until both legs are like the letter V, shut them together like the blades of a pair of scissors (which give a strong drive ahead), then draw them up sidewise like a frog and kick persistently out again. Then try making your legs go as if you were climbing up stairs. Always remember the water will bear you up, and the great and only difficulty about swimming will be out of your way.—Christian Herald.

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BOY SCOUT DOINGS.

TROOP NO. 1.

Boy Scouts of New York City Serve in Big Preparedness Parade Held There.

Nearly three thousand boy scouts were on duty from 9.30 a. m. until 10 o'clock at night, serving in connection with the Preparedness Parade held in New York City on May 13.

The most important work of the scouts was done in co-operation with the membership campaign of the American Red Cross Society. At least 300,000 application blanks for membership in this society were distributed by the scouts, as a result of which a total of 10,000 new members were received by the society. The Red Cross officials have expressed themselves as delighted with the energetic and efficient work of the boys.

The scouts were also in attendance during the whole day at the reviewing stand, where they acted as aides, ushers and guides. Four picked scouts were detailed as a bodyguard for Colonel Charles H. Sherrill, the Grand Marshal of the parade.

The South Amboy Scouts will act in a similar capacity during the Preparedness Parade in this city on Old Home Day, and as Gov. Fielder, and possibly President Wilson, are expected to be present similar honors will fall to the local scouts having the highest standing in Scoutcraft. The President will be at Long Branch during August and efforts are being made to have him come to South Amboy and review the Preparedness Parade. A special detail of honor scouts will be appointed to attend the president and governor during his stay.

How to Care for Your Uniform.

In an assembly of scouts the appearance of the entire troop is seriously affected when two or three scouts, or even one, wears a uniform that is dirty or faded out from washings.

One scout has found a way to keep his uniform bright and clean and still retain the original color. Here it is:

"Be sure to use lukewarm water. This is what saves the Khaki from shrinking. Mother makes good strong suds, using any pure white soap. Once I asked her if she wouldn't get more dirt off by rubbing the soap right on the clothes and she told me that was just what made other scout suits white after washing.

"She does not scrub my coat and breeches on the washboard, the scout continued, but lays them on the back of the board and scrubs each garment with a stiff brush. This is what gets the dirt off and afterwards a good soaking in clean, cold water rinses away all the soap.

"Does she iron them?" asked a tenderfoot.

"No, was the reply, for that would make them look shiny. She wrings some of the water out with her hands, and the weight of the water left in the garments helps them to dry evenly, and any wrinkles can be smoothed out. And here's another good stunt to keep the color in or bring it back if your suit is beginning to fade. Save the coffee grounds for a couple of mornings and make a second rinsing water for the uniform by the addition of these grounds. The coffee acts as a dye and takes away any whiteness that might appear if the soap was not all rinsed out."

Be proud of your uniform and keep it "spic and span."

Scouts on Overnight Hike.

The scouts of Troop No. 1 went on their first overnight "hike" last Friday. The scouts, with Scoutmaster Dill and Mr. Roddy, of the Troop Committee, left South Amboy via trolley and auto late Friday afternoon. The trolley delegation left the car at Tanner's Corner, hiking the last three miles to the camp, which was situated slightly outside of Old Bridge. Through the kindness of Mr. Charles Grace, several of the scouts who could not leave earlier on account of working, together with Scoutmaster Dill, came out later by automobile. Tents and camp equipment were also brought in the same way.

The hiking party arrived at the camping ground before the shower, and the tents shoved up just as the rain began to fall heavily. The scoutcraft of the boys was put to the test at the very start as it soon got dark at the approach of the storm and the tents were raised in the rain and darkness. The true scout, however, is never daunted, and inside of a few minutes several big campfires were drying everything, and camp "grub" in the way of sizzling bacon and eggs and other favorite backwoods "eats" were being put away in wholesale style. The tent floors being of waterproof canvas, covered with several blankets, were dry and one by one the tired scouts turned in. But the "call of the wild" proved too strong for most of them and they turned out at intervals to replenish the camp fires and to relieve the self appointed sentries who were watching the commissary tent. About every five or ten minutes either the Scoutmaster or Mr. Roddy would be asked "whether it was near morning or not."

Seeing a faint streak of dawn at 3.45 a. m. the sentinel of the hour called everybody out of the tents with the cry of "Git up, it's so light it must be after seven o'clock." And "git up" it was for the whole crowd. Inside of a half hour the big coffee pot was throwing out a tempting aroma. Some of the scouts made cocoa instead. Breakfast was all out of the way before 5 o'clock. (of course, the scouts would not want their parents to refer to this early rising stunt any time in the future when they call up stairs at 8.45 a. m. that it is "time to get up for school).

The woods still being too wet for blackberrying and huckleberrying the boys put in an hour or so straightening up the camp, and discussing what they would cook for dinner. Culinary topics seemed to be given the most time and as each scout, knowing that he would be away from home for three meals, brought but three to four day's rations, considerable debate was given to the subject "suppose we run short?" Scoutmaster Dill had brought along six loaves of bread, a pound of butter, canned soups, salmon, etc., and a bag of potatoes as a "preparedness" measure should any of the scouts' supplies give out. These were a "mere drop in the bucket" and by noon time the sixteen boys were out in the woods picking huckleberries to keep starvation down. Mr. Dill and Mr. Roddy figured that, at the rate the scouts ate, it would cost the boys just $18.73 apiece for a week's camp for "eats."

At three o'clock in the afternoon the boys started for home, the tents and equipment being brought back by Mr. Roddy in an automobile.

Troop No. 2.

One of the features of the meeting Monday evening was the interest shown in the "First Aid" work. The Scouts are taking a great deal of interest in this part of Scouting and it is bound to be a success. Each Scout is given individual instruction and one of the Jrs. to use as a subject for his work.

The Scouts are now working on the following question which must be passed in order to become a second-class scout:

1. At least one month's service as a tenderfoot.
2. Elementary first aid and bandaging, know the general directions for first aid for injuries, know treatment for fainting, shock, fractures, bruises, sprains, injuries in which the skin is broken, burns and scalds, demonstrate how to carry injured, the use of the triangular and roller bandages and tourniquet.
3. Elementary signaling, know the Semaphore, or the International Moorse alphabet.
4. Track half a mile in twenty-five minutes, or if in town, describe satisfactorily the contents of one store window out of four observed for one minute each.
5. Go a mile in twelve minutes at Scout pace.
6. Use properly knife or hatchet.
7. Prove ability to build a fire in the open, using not more than two matches.
8. Cook a quarter of a pound of meat and two potatoes in the open without the ordinary kitchen cooking utensils.
9. Earn and deposit at least one dollar in a public bank.
10. Know the sixteen principal points of the compass.

Troop 2 has one Scout who can take care of hmself and that is One Round Kurtz. Ask Knockout Adams.

The Scouts are gradually getting the fine points down in drilling. Each meeting shows a marked improvement in this work.

Scout Raymond Martin of Troop No. 1, Sayreville, was a welcomed visitor at the meeting on Monday evening.

Scout Stockton is still the wrestling champion of the Troop again, throwing Scout Hammell in two straight falls, in the main event of the evening. In the semi-final a most interesting bout took place between Scout Quaid and Scout Skimmons. After a long and hard tussle Scout Quaid pinned his opponent's shoulders to the mat. Another bout of interest was the one between Scout Johnson and Scout Witherspoon which was won by the former.

There will no doubt be formed a wrestling team to represent this Troop in the near future.

Scout Arthur Ingraham was absent Monday evening on account of duties in connection with Old Home Day.

SPORTING COMMENT.

LYCEUM A. C. WINS IN TWELVE INNING GAME

The Morgan A. C. crossed bats with the strong Lyceum A. C. of Perth Amboy on Sunday last on the latter's diamond. The game was a lively one and was not decided until twelve innings were played. The Lyceum won by the close score of 3 to 2.

The old iron man "Diddy" for the Morgans showed that he is still in the game, as he gave the Lyceums only three hits to their pitcher's five. The game was greatly enjoyed by the hundreds of fans present. The line-up of the Morgans was as follows: Wm. Maxfield, p.; Robert Manaker, cf.; C. Witchek, c.; Roy Pierson, ss.; A. Clark, 3b.; E. Buckalew, 2b.; L. Hartman, 1b.; A. Curley, lf.; A. Molly, rf.; Budd Vandergriff. p. and sub.

The Morgan A. C. are in the field again this year and to stay there too. Manager Berlew would be pleased to book his team with any strong team. He can be reached by addressing him at 132 Gordon street, or Phone 553-M, Perth Amboy, N. J.

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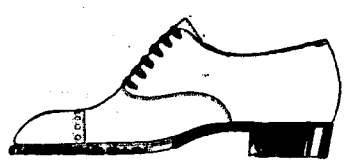

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AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION of a contract with the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, for the supply of light by electricity for the use of the City of South Amboy, New Jersey.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of South Amboy, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of same.

Section 1. That a proposed contract for the supply of light by electricity to the City of South Amboy between the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company and the City of South Amboy, as submitted to a meeting of the Common Council of said City, be and the same is hereby approved the said contract being in the words following:

AGREEMENT, made and concluded this 18th day of July, A. D. 1916, by and between the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, party of the First Part, and the City of South Amboy in the County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, party of the Second Part, witnesseth:

FIRST: That the party of the First Part for the consideration hereinafter mentioned, agrees to erect and install for the use of the party of the Second Part, not less than 12 40-candle power, 74 100-candle power and 49 600-candle power street lights, which constitute the minimum number of street lights the party of the Second Part agrees to take and pay for during the term of this contract, for the purpose of lighting the streets and public places in the said City of South Amboy, of the type known as Six and Six Tenth ampere, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamps, said lamps and fixtures complete to be located at the places indicated by the party of the Second Part, but to be maintained and operated by the party of the First Part, who shall supply the necessary current and make all the necessary renewals and repairs. The said lamp when installed shall be kept continuously lighted from dusk until dawn each day in the year according to the standard middle district schedule, copy of which shall be furnished the party of the Second Part.

SECOND: The party of the First Part agrees that the type lamps specified hereinabove shall include only lamps of the following candle power, namely:

40 Candle Power. Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp.
100 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp.
600 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp.

THIRD: In consideration of the undertakings of the party of the First Part as herein set forth, and the faithful performance thereof, the party of the Second Part agrees to pay to the party of the First Part, for each lamp installed under this contract, at the following schedule of rates:

40 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp $18.00 per year.
100 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp, $25.00 per year.
600 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp, $80.00 per year.

All payments shall be made monthly, each month to be counted the one-twelfth part of the annual price and shall be paid on or before the 15th day of each month for the month preceding.

FOURTH: The party of the First Part agrees to furnish such additional number of lamps of the same type and candle power required and demanded by the party of the Second Part during the term hereinafter expressed and to maintain, operate and keep the same in the same manner as set forth in the first paragraph above, and to be paid for by the party of the Second Part at the same rate as specified herein, such lamps, however, when installed to continue in use until the termination of the term hereinafter set forth.

FIFTH: It is agreed that a reduction from the prices and payment hereinabove agreed to made shall be made for all outages on the Incandescent Lamps, to be provided under the terms of this contract, proportioned to the length of such outages, as compared with the total prices for the lamps per annum, and the Second Party agrees as far as possible to report to the party of the First Part, promptly, all such outages.

SIXTH: The party of the First Part further covenants in consideration of the making of this contract by the party of the Second Part, to provide and install all necessary equipment, feed lines, apparatus and fixtures to provide an efficient and complete system of lighting, known as the Six and Six-Tenth Ampere Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Light System.

All lamps provided under this contract shall be new and of the best type required for the purpose, and the maintenance thereof, shall be fully provided by the party of the First Part.

SEVENTH: This contract and the duties and obligations of the parties hereunder shall continue for the term of Five (5) years from the first day of July, 1916, and upon going into operation shall supercede and replace any existing contract for the supply of lights by the party of the First Part to the party of the Second Part.

EIGHTH: This contract is made and executed in pursuance with an ordinance of the City of South Amboy, entitled:

"An Ordinance authorizing the execution of a contract with the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company for the supply of light by electricity, for the use of the City of South Amboy, New Jersey, duly passed, published and approved by the Mayor and entered upon the ordinance book of said City."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the party of the First Part has caused its common and corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this agreement to be signed by its General Superintendent and attested by its Secretary and the party of the Second Part has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this agreement to be signed by the Mayor of said City of South Amboy, and attested by the Clerk thereof, the day and year first above written.

Section 2. That the proper officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver on behalf of the City of South Amboy, the contract hereinabove approved.

Ordained by the Common Council of the City of South Amboy, this 18th day of July, 1916.

CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY.
Passed, 18th day of July, 1916.
Approved 18th day of July, 1916.
WM. S. DEY, Mayor.
Attest: RICHARD M. MACK, Clerk.

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Gen. Wm. S. Truex Post, No. 57, G. A. R., meets first and third Wednesday afternoon of each month at 3 o'clock, in Michael Welsh's Hall. Commander, George H. Seward; Adjutant, S. H. Chatten.

St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 63, F. & A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first and third Mondays of each month (excepting July, August and holidays) at 7.30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. O. U. A. M., meet every Friday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Councilor Charles Carlisle, 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, Frank L. Hawse; Keeper of Records and Seals, William A. Chapman.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 96, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Grand, Hans N. Neilson; Secretary, Charles P. Thomas; Financial Secretary, Sig. Emilliussen.

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

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

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 R. T., meets every second and fourth Sunday of each month at K. of P. Hall. President, Leonard Tice; Secretary, William Bulman; Treasurer, Thomas J. Kennedy; Agent of Official Publication, Edward McDonough.

Singing Society Liederkranz, 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 Kutcher, Vice-president; George Nolius, Secretary; Chas. Steuerwald, Treasurer; B. Grohe, Librarian.

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, Councilor, Mrs. James Bloodgood; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada Ward.

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.

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

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

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

Gorm Lodge, No. 86, D. B. S., Regular meetings second and fourth Fridays of each month at 8 p. m., in Welsh's Hall, First street, President, Nels Martinsen; Secretary, A. L. Johnson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; 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.

Court Raritan, No. 44, F. of A., meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, at 8 p. m. in Protection Hall. Chief Ranger, Nels Banks; Sub-Chief Ranger, Thomas Grace; Financial Secretary, Edward Dewan; Treasurer, James Miniick; Recording Secretary, Martin Kane; Senior Woodward, Fritz Deike; Junior Woodward, Michael Prese; Senior Beadle, Chris. Nicorvo; Junior Beadle, Louis Wentzel; Trustees, Mathews Cornin, Aaron Hyer, Richard McCloud.

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SATURDAY, JULY 29, 1916.

MIDDLESEX FARMERS TO TOUR COUNTY

On Tuesday, August first, the office of Farm Demonstration of Middlesex County will conduct an automobile tour visiting various places of interest in the townships of East Brunswick, Monroe, and Cranbury.

The Agricultural organizations of the county are co-operating with the office of Farm Demonstration, making the day both profitable and enjoyable.

The start will be made at the Farm Demonstration office, 341 George street, New Brunswick at nine o'clock. The first stop will be made at the orchard of George Smith at South River, where a short time will be spent in inspecting the orchard, and listening to a short talk by Professor M. A. Blake of the Experiment Station. The tour will then continue with several stops in the vicinity of Rhode Hall and Prospect Plains, arriving at the State Home for Boys at Jamesburg, where a basket lunch will be enjoyed.

After lunch, short addresses will be made by Senator Frelinghuysen, President of the State Board of Agriculture, Professor Alva Agee, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, and Senator Gaunt, Master of State Grange.

A short time will then be devoted to inspection of the various departments of the State Home, after which the tour will continue to the Walker Gordon Farm ot Plainsboro, where ample time will be given to inspect all points of interest.

We hope that a large number of the farmers will take the opportunity to enjoy the tour, and get better acquainted with things that are going on in the county, see what the other fellow is doing and how he does it.

One of the big features of the tour is its social nature, as the invitation is extended, not to the men alone, but to their families, and last but not least, the lunch basket.

As far as possible, transportation will be provided for those who wish to go on the tour and have not previously made arrangements for a seat with some friend.

BIG BUSINESS BY PUBLIC SERVICE

A financial report just issued by Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, shows a gain in total business for June of $426,816.69, or nearly fourteen per cent. over the corresponding month of last year. For the six months ending June 30 the gross increase, was nearly $2,400,000 or 13.8 per cent. The increase in surplus available for dividends, over the first six months of 1915, is $610,-[illegible].31. The statement follows:

[illegible] increase in total business, [illegible]16.69; percentage of increase, [illegible]; balance available after payment [illegible] operating expenses, fixed charges, [illegible] fund requirements, etc., for [illegible]ation, dividends and surplus, [illegible]1.36; increase in surplus available for dividends over corresponding [illegible] 1915, $173,993.15.

Six months ending June 30, 1916—Gross increase in total business, $2,387,302.34; percentage of increase, [illegible]; balance available after payment [illegible] operating expenses, fixed charges, [illegible] fund requirement, etc., for [illegible]ation, dividends and surplus, [illegible]7.79; increase in surplus [illegible] for dividends over corresponding period 1915, $610,164.31.

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The Churches

Services as Arranged for the Coming Week.

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CHRIST CHURCH.

The Church School..... 9.30 a. m.
Morning Service....8 and 10.30 a. m.

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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 ..... 3.30 p. m.
(The Rector preaches at this service on the last Sunday of each month)

N. B.—Announcement 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.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services for the week beginning July 30, 1916:

10.00 a. m. Sunday School.
11.00 a. m. Preaching by Rev. D. Ernest McCurry.
7.45 p. m. Preaching by Rev. D. Ernest McCurry.

HOW TO KEEP THE BABY WELL IN SUMMER

The Department of Health of the State of New Jersey has issued the information regarding the care of babies in summer. This is the time of the year when the death rate among babies is the highest. Diarrhoea will claim many more victims during the next two months than will *infantile paralysis*. For instruction of mothers the Department of Health gives out the following:

Proper Feeding—Mother's Milk is the best food for babies at all times. As far as diet is concerned, the breast-fed baby of a poor and illiterate mother has a better chance for life than the bottle-fed baby of rich parents. No mother or physician, however, wise or well-informed, can prepare a substitute half so good as mother's milk.

Regularity of Feeding—Nurse the baby regularly by the clock, not oftener than every three hours. Too frequent feeding makes it sick.

Weaning—Do not wean the baby during the hot weather if it can be avoided. Even if you need to supplement the breast feedings by one or more bottle feedings a day, give the baby the benefit of as many breast feedings as possible.

Artificial Food—If you must wean the baby, give it modified milk rather than any of the baby foods on the market. Pure, clean cow's milk is the best substitute for mother's milk. Buy certified milk, if you can get it. If certified milk cannot be secured, buy pasteurized, bottled milk for the baby. The milk should be kept on ice in the delivery wagon, and placed on ice the moment it reaches the house.

As soon as possible after the milk is delivered, modify it according to the formula given you by the doctor. Prepare the amount needed for the entire 24 hours and put one feeding in each of the nursing bottles, which have been washed, boiled and cooled. Stopper the bottles with clean absorbent cotton and immediately place them on ice and keep them there until time to warm for feeding.

Any milk left in the bottle should be thrown out—never reheated for another feeding.

Do not give the baby any food other than milk, unless the doctor orders it. Give the baby a drink of cool, boiled water several times a day. Never give it tea, coffee or beer.

Weight—Weigh the baby every week. A regular gain in weight is the surest sign that the baby is getting enough suitable food.

Dangers of Improper Feeding.

Carelessness and ignorance in feeding are responsible for most of the cases of "summer complaint" in babies. Every summer diarrhoea kills thousands of babies and makes thousands of others ill. The baby victims of this one disease are more numerous than all the victims of malaria, typhoid fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough and infantile paralysis. The great importance of breast feeding is shown by the fact that fatal cases of diarrhoea among breast-fed babies are rare.

Keep the Baby Cool.

Clothing—In hot weather the baby should wear very little clothing—never enough to make it sweat. Consider its comforts and not is looks when you dress it. A thin shirt and stockings and a diaper are all it needs. On extremely hot days, remove all clothing but a thin slip and diaper. Change all the baby's clothes when you put it to bed.

Fresh Air—Always keep the windows open in the room where the baby sleeps. In the daytime let it sleep out of doors in its carriage, in a shady place. Fasten a net over the carriage, and shade the baby's eyes from the light.

Keep the Baby Clean.

Bathing—Bathe the baby's every day in warm water. In very hot weather give it also a sponge bath before it is put to bed. Every time the baby's bowels move wash the parts with soap and water.

Diapers—Never use a diaper a second time without washing. Keep soiled diapers in a covered pail away from flies.

Play—Let the baby play in its crib or in a pen where it cannot get into the dirt. Don't let the other children play with it unless they are clean. Don't let it handle dogs and cats. Dirt doubles the baby's danger of having diarrhoea.

Flies—Flies breed in filth, and carry filth and germs on their feet. If they walk over the baby's face, or take a bath in its milk, the germs they leave may make the baby sick. The danger of its having diarrhoea is doubled if it is exposed to flies.

Don't Dope the Baby.

Never give the baby soothing syrups or patent medicines. If it is sick enough to need medicine, it needs the doctor first. Paregoric and many other baby remedies contain morphine or other opiates which are particularly harmful to babies. If the baby is fretful, seek the cause of its discomfort; don't dope it. If it is sick, send for the doctor at once. Stop all food, put the baby to bed and keep it quiet and cool. Give it only water until the doctor comes, then follow his advice.

Ten Commandments for Mothers.

1. Give the baby its mother's milk, Nature's own food, that its days may be long.
2. Feed the baby regularly, not oftener than every three hours, that its digestion may be good.
3. Keep the windows open in the room where the baby sleeps, that it may have fresh air.
4. See that the baby takes its nap out of doors, that it may have more fresh air.
5. Have every window and door screened and keep a net over the baby's crib and coach, that flies may neither annoy it or pollute its food.
6. Bathe the baby every day, and if the weather is hot, several times a day, that it may be clean and cool.
7. Do not put any tight bands or other tight clothes on the baby. Let all its clothing be light, loose and soft, that it may exercise its limbs and be comfortable.
8. Do not tickle the baby, or toss it in the air, or trot it on your knee, lest it become nervous.
9. Put the baby to bed early that it may get plenty of sleep.
10. Do not give the baby patent medicines, soothing syrup or other drugs without the doctor's advice, lest it be poisoned and die.

OLD HOME DAY CELEBRATIONS

For The Years Nineteen Fourteen, Fifteen and Sixteen.

The readers of the Citizen I'm sure
will take a pride,
Of the old home day celebration that
is known both far and wide,
Which was formerly called Salt Water
Day the people used to celebrate
In South Amboy and surroundings it
ran almost out of date.
But the fine good people of South
Amboy suggested to the Mayor
To revive again the old home day and
to make it an annual affair
He took an interest in the movement
and sent out an invitation
For the people to meet at the City
Hall for the purpose of the celebration.

A chairman was selected at the assembled meeting there,
Various committees he appointed to
work for the grand affair.
The General Committee of the whole
are deserving of great praise
For to meet with the expenses a
large financial sum did raise.
A list of generous contributors in the
Citizen did appear,
Their names and amounts being taken on each succeeding year.
They thought of the old Salt Water
Days and of their commendation
In South Amboy where they did enjoy each old time celebration.

I visited South Amboy on the old
home day in the year nineteen fourteen
And must relate that August date
was the best there ever seen.
At the following affair I wasn't there
but heard my friends to say
The year nineteen fifteen was the
best they ever seen; it beat the
former old home day.
I believed every word they said in
what they told to me
They removed all doubts from my
mind, with them I did agree.
One friend is Street Commissioner
Connors who sent me an invitation
To come to Amboy there to enjoy the
old home day celebration.

I receive the paper every week on its
clean sheets I have seen
Three Photos of South Amboy girls
in a contest to reign as Queen
There is a good write up for each
of them over their talented education
I can plainly see each of the three
are deserving of commendation.
Their numerous friends would like to
see their own choice elected.
There is only one that's going to win,
they will all try to expect it.
It will be a grand delight to witness
the sight at the coronation
Of the honored Queen this year '16
on the old home day celebration

I remember one Salt Water Day, its
many years ago,
A step dancer came to a picnic there,
his name I did not know.
He danced on the platform vigorously with a pair of big strong shoes
And drew the attention of the crowd,
the onlookers he did amuse.
To the tune he danced, I now forget
whether 'twas a hornpipe or not.
When he got done there was lots of
fun he said take it out of that.
Those Salt Water Days we loved to
praise and were of gratification
To the people of South Amboy and
surroundings on each annual celebration.

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45 Feltus and Augusta Streets.
54 Broadway and Bordentown Avenue
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

Rev. D. Ernest McCurry of New York City preached at both the morning and evening services on Sunday last. Every one who had the pleasure of listening to Mr. McCurry greatly enjoyed the sermons, for they were especially helpful and inspiring. Mr. McCurry will be with us again on the coming Sunday. Come out and enjoy a spiritual treat.

Arrangements have been made to hold union prayer meetings, during the month of August. These services will be held in the Baptist, Methodist Episcopal, Presbyterian and Methodist Protestant churches, consecutively. The laymen will have entire charge of these services, so the success of these meetings depends upon you. Come out and do your part loyally.

The first of these meetings will be held next Thursday, August 3rd, in the Baptist Church. The members of the congregation of the Protestant Methodist Church will be in charge. A good meeting is guaranteed.

Remember Sunday School is now held at ten o'clock on Sunday morning. We are sorry the attendance is not as good as usual. We are working for quality, surely, in God's service; but we appreciate quantity, also. We need your presence to encourage us. Come out and you will receive a blessing, through the study of God's word.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice that the Subscriber, Administratrix, etc., of Matthew Eler deceased, intends to exhibit her final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the fourth day of August, 1916, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April 1916, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate.

Dated June 29, 1916.

EMMA ELER,
7-1-5 Administratrix.

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MIDDLESEX COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.

John Fee, Jr., Plaintiff, vs. Michael J. O'Shea, Defendant.—In Attachment.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment was issued out of the Middlesex County Circuit Court against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Michael J. O'Shea, an absent or absconding debtor, at the suit of John Fee, Jr., for the sum of $300, returnable on the twentieth day of June 1916, has been served and duly executed and was returned by the Sheriff of the County of Middlesex.

Dated July 6, 1916.

BERNARD M. GANNON,
Clerk.
JOHN A. COAN, Attorney. 7-8-4

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Perth Amboy Press states, "Councilman-at-large Stafford of South Amboy" was present at recent political meeting and aired his intention of running for Assembly this fall. If he does not have better luck than the newspapers have in spelling his name, it will be "a sad case," now won't it?

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Are caramels good for the teeth? Yes, my dear Franklin, if they are not pivot teeth.

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Why do not the city authorities place some braces on that traffic sign at Stevens avenue and Main street? At one time last Sunday it took the combined efforts of a "policeman" and a trolley conductor to hold it in a straightforward upright position.

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Extract from the Evening News' Wins——, no Matawan correspondence: "It was impossible to see the color of the fish, but the back of the shark was a smooth dark slate color." As Luke McLuke says—"Yes, but whadye mean?"

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Our friend "Billy the Bout" remarks that a five mile race out of South Amboy would be best. Is that so? Well we have heard it said that one of the finest things about P. A. was the number of railroads and trolleys to take you away from it.

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One of the freeholders walked through the "little Hole" at Penn avenue last Sunday. Wonder how he liked the nice black muck and slime he found on the sidewalk?

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in this office for the week ending July 28, 1916:

Blanche Shara, Joseph A. Tales, Jr., Edward Pearse, J. W. Pringle, Wm. Duncan, Master Fred Wurster, John Lynn, Stanley Leonard, Michael Kananagh, Fred Kirks, M. J. Creamer, R. Gregorie, Mrs. Catherine Coyne, Miss Jane V. Noble.

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Had Him Stumped.

An Irishman entered a New York post office for the purpose of mailing a letter to his fiancee. He paused in perplexity before a board containing three letter slots, bearing the words—"City," "Domestic," "Foreign!" "Faith," he muttered, "this is a pretty problem. Maggie's a domestic; she lives in the city, and she's a foreigner. What beats me is how I'm to get the letter into the three holes at wanst."

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PERSONAL

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

Mrs. Charles Peterson and son are visiting friends at Easton, Pa.

Jonathan Compton is quite ill at his home on Bordentown avenue.

Miss Anna Kwilinski is sojourning with friends at Beechurst, Long Island.

Miss Helen Applegate is enjoying the sea breezes at the Richard House, Asbury Park.

Mrs. Carleton J. Voorhees of Newark visited friends in this city on Tuesday last.

Rev. George W. Welsh of Camden spent Wednesday evening and Thursday in this city.

Mr. William H. Martin will leave town to-day for a fortnight's sojourn at Prattsville, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Sullivan have returned from a sojourn at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hardy spent Sunday last with their daughter, Mrs. George Chesman, at Easton, Pa.

Mrs. J. Leon Young of Newark was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Green of Stevens avenue on Saturday last.

T. W. Barnes of Gatona, Canal Zone, Panama, is North on his vacation. He will spend most of his time in this city, his former home. It has been three years since his last visit and he is happy in renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eisenman, of Norfolk, Va., spent the fore part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. Kaufman of Broadway. Mr. and Mrs. Eisenman are on their honeymoon and stopped here while enroute from Niagara Falls to Atlantic City.

FISHERMAN TOLD TALE THAT HIS ASSOCIATES PROVED FALSE

When John Nau went to haul his seine at Margaret's creek on Saturday one of his crew was missing. It was James Lynch, who makes his home in a small shanty on the fishing grounds. What became of him was a mystery and surmises of all kinds prevailed among the crew. The next day he turned up, however, and told a startling tale. He had visions of being a great hero and stated that he had been at Keyport and rescued a small girl and her mother from drowning. The rest of the crew wanted proof before giving credence to any such yarn. A visit to Seidler's told the story. Lynch had been there during the day and forgot to return in time for hauling the net. In order to get back to the shack, however, he had to cross over a small creek on a narrow plank, and in attempting to do so he fell into the creek, and got a good ducking. In order to explain the drenched condition of his clothes, he manufactured a story to tell the boys, but they were wise and his self-imposed heroism fell on deaf ears.

Properly Indignant.

Son (enthusiastically)—"Yes, father, I have fully made up my mind to adopt music as a career. I feel it is the only one in which my soul can find its full expansion." Father (indignantly)—"Very well, sir; if you will persist in your evil courses, instead of following your father in an honest hardware business, let me tell you that, when you have reached the height of your ambition, you needn't come playing before my door expecting to get any coppers."—London Mail.

Health and Wealth.

There is this difference between the two temporal blessings—health and money: money is the most envied, but the least enjoyed; health is the most enjoyed, but the least envied; and this superiority of the latter is still more obvious when we reflect that the poorest man would not part with health for money, but that the richest would gladly part with all his money for health.—Colton.

Avoid Calumniation.

"In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hysteria or exaggeration. To assail a decent man for something of which he is innocent is to give aid and comfort to every scoundrel, while indulgence in hysterical exaggeration serves to weaken, not strengthen, the statement of truth.—Theodore Roosevelt.

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Jello or Tryphosa 3 pkgs. **25c** All Flavors

Marvel Milk, 3 cans **25c**

Ginger Snaps, Very Special lb. **6c**

Ivory Soap, cake - 4c

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TALK OF NEW SCHOOL HOUSE

The Board of Education Favors the Erection of Same at Once—May Cost $125,000—School Children May Take Part in Preparedness Parade on Old Home Day—Coal Bids Rejected.

Initial steps were taken by the Board of Education at the meeting Wednesday evening toward the erection of the long-talked of new school building. The action taken was that Judge Adrian Lyons be retained as counsel and that he be *authorized* and directed to prepare the necessary papers and resolutions which must be adopted by the board in referring the matter to the Committee on School Estimate.

The new structure will probably be erected on John street and replace the antique building now being used as School No. 1. It will cost, according to the consensus of opinion, in the neighborhood of a hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars and will provide for future as well as present needs. Plans for the structure will most likely be secured from the State Board of Education so as to secure the benefit of the experience gained by other Boards in building schools and to insure approval by the State body.

But little difficulty or opposition is *anticipated in pushing the matter* to a speedy conclusion. After passing the Board of Education the matter goes to the Board of School Estimate. This body consists of two members of the Board of Education, two members of the Common Council and the Mayor of the City, with the secretary of the Board as secretary and presiding officer. The members of the body are: Mrs. A. R. Miller, Mr. J. F. Fulton, Councilmen Wm. H. Parisen, and Richard U. Rue, and Mayor Wm. S. Dey. In view of the fact that a majority of the Board have already declared their position in regard to the positive need of a new structure it would seem that the new building will soon be a reality. The opinion expressed at the Board of Education meeting seemed to favor commencing the work just as soon as it could *possibly be gotten under way.*

The Board of Education also took action toward having the Public School children participate in the Preparedness Parade which is to be a feature of the Old Home Celebration on August 12th. The secretary was requested to communicate with all of the teachers requesting them to meet with the Board members in the assembly room of School No. 2 next Wednesday evening to discuss ways and means of handling matters. The suggestions which are expected from the teachers will then be considered and a plan adopted for getting the little ones in line.

An application from Miss Gladys P. Johnson, of Keyport, for position in the schools should vacancy occur was read and upon motion referred to the committee on teachers and instruction. The applicant was a graduate of the State Normal School as well as a graudate of the schools in this city and has had one year experience teaching. Application was also received from Miss A. S. Freeman, of Ocean Grove, for position in kindergarten department. This was also *referred to the above committee.*

An advertising communication from the School Board Journal came in for considerable discussion which resulted in the secretary being requested to arrange to have each board member furnished with a year's subscription to the magazine. The object of the paper is to make more efficient school board members.

A number of other advertising communications together with the minutes of the semi-annual meeting of the State Federation of District Boards of Education of New Jersey were ordered received and filed.

The following bills were read and ordered paid after a recess for the auditing of same: Quinn Boden Co., $61.20; State Federation of District Boards of Education, $5.00; M. & M. E. L. H. & P. Co., $4.00; John M. Quain, $33.75; C. I. Bergen, $32.80; Oscar M. Mundy, $7.00; New York Telephone Co., $12.28.

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Heavy Rain Badly Damaged City Streets

The storm which came up suddenly from the southwest last Saturday morning did considerable damage in and about the city. At the heighth of the storm the steeple of the Methodist Protestant church was struck by lightning and considerably shattered. A large hole was torn in one side of the steeple, rafters beams, etc., being shattered and on the opposite side the shingles were torn away. On Broadway and Stevens avenue the streets were flooded more than a foot deep at the intersection of those streets with Henry and John streets. While the water did not rach the destructive height on Broadway that it did last summer, but an inch or two more would have flooded out the business places as it did before.

As is usual at the "hole-in-wall" the water reached a depth of several feet within a few minutes after the storm began and the rushing waters through the passageway filled it with sand and did considerable damage to the adjoining property. A deep gully was washed out on Bordentown avenue below the railroad bridge and another gully was torn on John street. Upper David street also suffered from washing as did a number of other places in the city. The need of either a pavement or a storm sewer on Main street and Washington avenue was again demonstrated, as was the absolute necessity of some provision being made for caring for the overflow on Broadway at Henry and John streets.

Carpenters' Union Enjoys Shore Dinner

The Carpenters' and Joiners' Union held their annual shore dinner at Seidler's Beach last Saturday afternoon. There was the usual large attendance in spite of the inclement weather and nearly two hundred dinners were served to the members and their wives and families. Everything about the pavilion was free to the housebuilders and the dinner was pronounced excellent. A good brass band added to the pleasures to be had and the men indulged in sports of various kinds to the huge entertainment of all. Running races and similar contests created considerable excitement among the spectators and proved to be highly interesting. The headquarters of the association are in Sayreville and each year a shore dinner is given at Seidler's. The event is, of course, looked forward to by the members and their families and largely appreciated when the long expected day arrives.

PAST COUNCILORS TO HOLD OUTING ON AUGUST 9

The members of the Past Councilars' Association, of Middlesex county, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold their fifth annual outing at Seidler's Beach on Wednesday, August 9.

The afternoon will be devoted to the customary sports, including a baseball game between the married men and the single men. Isaac Van Der Veer, of New Brunswick, is *captain of the single men, and John* Dahlgreen, of Sayreville, captain of the married men.

The dinner will be served at 7 p. m., and a large crowd will no doubt be in attendance. The committee on arrangements consists of Otto F. Wolff, of New Brunswick, J. E. Bernard, of Perth Amboy, and W. C. Aken, of Metuchen.

LIGHTNING STRIKES CHURCH.

During the heavy shower last Saturday morning the tower of the Methodist Protestant Church was struck by lightning. The bolt struck at the pointed top, and tore out each corner of the conical shaped tower, and passed on to the square base below and out the southerly side. The wood was splintered into small particles, and that the building did not take *fire therefrom seems miraculous.* The loss will be considerable, and is covered by insurance.

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MANY ENTRIES FOR PARADE

Promises That It Will Be Larger Than on Previous Old Home Celebrations—Many Prizes Donated—A Large Chorus Obtained for Coronation Ceremonies—Other Details.

The Old Home Day picnic, which was to be held in St. Mary's Grove this Friday, Saturday and next Monday nights, was called off by the committee at the meeting last Monday night. This action was taken in view of the duration of the lawn festival making the time interval too short for transferring the dancing platform and other arrangements from the scene of the festival to the grove. The committee decided to call the picnic off indefinitely and to end the queen contest in the City Hall instead of at the picnic. The race for the queenship was to have ended at the picnic grounds at midnight but the calling off of the picnic transfers the finish to the City Hall where there will be plenty of room for the large crowd which will doubtless be interested in learning the successful candidate.

The Monday night meeting was well attended and reports showed the plans of the celebration well advanced. The biggest feature of the celebration promises to be the five mile *road race, entries for which are coming* in fast. The event is causing considerable comment in the newspapers and the city is therefore receiving a great deal of valuable advertising therefrom. The committee is undoubtedly getting a larger return for their investment in the road race than from any other feature of the celebration plans.

The Preparedness Parade is also drawing big and from the entries received it will be the largest parade of the celebration in the past two years. Letters accepting the invitation to participate have come in profusely and at the meeting Monday night several more were received. Among those who were named this week are: The Gorm Lodge, Danish Brotherhood, G. A. R. Gen. Wm. S. Truex Post, St. Peter's Cadets, of Perth Amboy, St. Peter's Cadets, of Tottenville, Keyport Military Company. The G. A. R. hope to have fifteen or twenty of the veterans able to take part and the cadets will number at least a hundred and fifty in each troop. They are composed of boys and in their chic uniforms will present a grand appearance. The Westminster Cadets, it is understood, will also be in line with a full membership. Those who saw the parades the last two years will recall the excellence of these cadets and the decided addition which their presence lent to the parade.

The Keansburg Carnival Association through Mr. W. O. Gehlhaus, has donated a silver cup, another cup has been received from Colonel M. S. Margerum, of the Trenton State Fair Association, for the parade; Senator Austin Colgate sent an American Flag with silk trimmings and a brass spear head that will make an excellent prize. Coroner Eugene Mullen donated a fine gold ring with garnet setting which will probably be used for the baby parade. A silver plated safety razor sent from the Gillette Safety Razor Company will make a dandy prize for the use of the athletic committee and a silver vase from the American News Co. will go to the use of the baby parade. A twenty piece breakfast set was donated by the Moxie people, a cut glass bon bon dish by John Wanamaker, a scale for weighing babies was the gift of the Imperial Granum Company and a pair of boys' watches was given by Schneider Company. These and many other prizes are on display in the windows of Parisen's Drug store and are causing considerable comment and much admiration.

A letter from Miss Grace Hilliard declining to enter the contest for the queenship was read at the meeting. The writer evidently did not approve of the manner in which the contest was being conducted nor of the hustling activities of the candidates. The letter was ordered filed.

The publicity committee reported

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Found Hanging To Grape Arbor

Saturday morning Macerej Smoineskie was found strangled to death under a grape arbor in the yard of his boarding house at No. 201 Henry street by fellow boarders. The body was supported by a strap about the neck and was in a kneeling position. The Coroner Mullen was notified and pronounced the case one of suicide. The man appeared to be about 50 ears of age.

It was learned that the man had been in the employ of the Terra Cotta Company some time previously, but lately had been drinking to excess. Friday night he caused considerable annoyance to the household in running up and down stairs time after time. One boarder thought that the man must have made at least a hundred trips up and down the stairs. When he became quiet it was thought he had retired.

Undertaker J. J. Scully took charge of the body and prepared it for burial. Burial was made on Monday. In the interval there was not a single person with either respect or curiosity enough to go and look at the remains after they had been prepared for interment. There were no funeral services. The man is thought to have been of Polish nationality and to have had a brother in this city. None came forward to claim the body, however.

LAWN FESTIVAL CONTINUED TO-NIGHT AND SATURDAY

The lawn festival of St. Mary's Parish will be continued to-night and Saturday night. The inclement weather has caused its postponement on several nights this week, but fair weather is hoped for on these last two nights. All the various attractions will be in full swing, and much pleasure may be found in attending. All the contests will be decided at 10 o'clock Saturday night, rain or shine. No doubt there will be a great throng of people present to learn if their favorites won.

THEODORE THOMAS IS CALLED BY DEATH

Theodore Thomas, a life-long resident of this city, passed away at his home on David street about 6 o'clock last Thursday evening at the age of 69 years.

Through illness Mr. Thomas retired from active work about 12 years ago, seven of which he has been blind. About two weeks ago he was stricken with paralysis, which led to his death. For many years he was in the employ of the Camden & Amboy Railroad and its successor, the Pennsylvania, as stationary engineer. He was of sterling qualities, a good citizen, and a man who loved his home and family. He is survived by a widow, two sons, George W., and Harry F.; a sister, Mrs. David Riddle, of Red Bank; and a brother, Charles P. Thomas, of Newark.

The funeral will be held from his late home at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon next, and at 2.30 from Christ Episcopal Church, to which friends and relatives are invited. Stillwell & Mason are the funeral directors.

NEARING $800 MARK.

The contributions up to July 28 for Old Home Celebration are as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$724 91
A. T. Kerr	5 00
Edw. Gallagher	1 00
T. W. Barnes	2 00
D. C. Chase	10 00
B. R. R. Trainmen No. 552	10 00
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.	5 00
Total	$757 91

A CORRECTION.

Through inadvertance it appeared in list of Old Home contributions last week that J. L. Delancey only gave $5.00. It should have been $25.00. The total amount $724.91 was correct, and those who added the list probably noticed the $20 discrepancy.

LAND SHARKS AND WATER SHARKS

The militiaman who cracked three ribs of his sweetheart in the parting hug evidently is a firm believer in the force of arms.

Mackerel 10c pound, in size half pound to one pound, at L. F. Meinzer's, the only store on the block on Broadway, in the beautiful rural section of the city.

SHALL OLD HOME BE POSTPONED?

This Question Will be Left to the People to Decide Next Monday Night—Board of Health Fears That if Celebration is Held, Infantile Paralysis May be Brought To This City.

Whether the Old Home Celebration will be held or not rests entirely upon the outcome of a public meeting which is to be held in the City Hall next Monday evening. The matter was brought up at a special meeting of the Board of Health held Thursday evening and the resultant discussion favored ascertaining what the sentiment of the public in regard to the question was. The meeting will be mostly under the auspices of the Board of Health although the committee on Old Home Day is heartily in favor of the meeting in question. To the meeting all physicians, all members of the Old Home Celebration committees and the general public are invited to attend and give their views upon the question of whether or not it would be advisable to hold the celebration in whole or in part in view of the epidemic of infantile paralysis which is becoming widespread throughout the East.

Neither the Board of Health authorities nor the Old Home Day committee cared to take the whole responsibility of calling off the celebration. Both bodies have talked among themselves, sentiment on both sides favoring holding the celebration, some favoring elimination of the baby parade and children's part in the preparedness parade, and still others favoring postponing the celebration altogether. The fact that the State Board of Health authorities prohibited the holding of a parade by the Firemen of Paterson lends weight to the thought that it is more than likely that similar action would be taken by that body in regard to the celebration in this city next month.

The sentiment among the committee on the celebration is varied. This is reasonable in view of the great amount of work that has already been done in making arrangements and the money that has been spent in making preparations. It is the general thought though that it were better by far that the entire celebration be abandoned than that the plague be brought to this city. This view is taken not for the sake of the little ones but also because of the fact that places which suffer from the epidemic will be on the blacklist for a long time so far as settling there is concerned while those which manage to escape will reap a consequent benefit. There is no doubt but that the men who compose the celebration committee will abide by the decision obtained at the Monday night meeting regardless of which way it should go and that they will welcome all who may have anything to say in regard to the matter.

It would behoove all parents therefore to attend the meeting and by their presence at least manifest their interest in the safe guarding of their offspring. A big meeting is looked for and the officials are in hopes that the medical men especially will attend and give their views as to the advisability of calling off the celebration and whether there is danger of bringing the epidemic here in the event of present plans for the big time being carried out.

The health inspector had a lengthy report to read regarding the conditions of health as well as those affecting the health of the city at large. There were no new cases of paralysis reported and those under suspicion had developed no symptoms of the disease. Quarantine which had been established as a safeguard either had already been removed or would be within a day or so because of the required time of quarantine having expired. The single case previously reported was well on the road to complete recovery and the place had been fumigated.

A number of nuisances such as dead dogs, dead cats, etc., had been abated and all nuisances which had been reported were investigated and attended to. In one case a dead horse had been reported between

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Before Court Twice On The Same Day

Last Saturday night a man giving his name as Michael James, hailing from Wilkesbarre, Pa., was arrested for being drunk and acting disorderly. At a hearing the following morning a fine of five dollars was imposed by the Police Justice. The fine was paid and the man released.

Later in the day he was again arrested on the same charge and another hearing given him. It developed then that when taken into custody the preceding night he had a quart of whiskey in his possession. This the police relieved him of before placing him in the "cooler" for the night. When he was released the liquor was not returned. James went to see the Police Justice about getting back his booze but without much success. Then he tackled the mayor. His over-anxiety about the safety of his bottle of fire-water resulted in his becoming abusive and falling afoul of the law again.

Police Justice Birmingham imposed a fine of three dollars the second time and the man refused to pay. The alternative of thirty days at the county hotel failed to shake him and Marshal McCabe took him for a ride. When the authorities at the jail frisked him they found money all right and made him come across with the fine. Release papers were secured from the local authorities and the man set free.

Jelin Given Two Weeks To Complete Road

Last September Abram Jelin was granted a contract by the Board of Freeholders to pave a section of the Morgan road from this city to the tracks of the New York & Long Branch Railroad. He has been making attempts from time to time to complete the contract and it is still far from being completed. Complaints have been continually made of the delay, and the Board of Freeholders are tired of receiving them, and consequently at a meeting on Wednesday the board gave Mr. Jelin two weeks in which to complete the contract, and if not finished then the Board will have the work done and hold the bondsmen responsible.

The delay on this contract has placed the traveling public to great inconveniences. It is not a big job, and any contractor with push could have completed the work by last spring at least. We trust that the Freeholders will carry out their resolution to the letter. Let there be no more delays.

ACTION TAKEN AGAINST KIRBY FOR ABUSE OF CHILD

Papers were filed with Judge Daly Monday by Former Judge Charles T. Cowenhoven, representing the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, in the prosecution of Captain Frank Kirby of Stone street, New Brunswick, for abuse of his six-year-old daughter, Catherine. An affidavit was presented by Paul F. Williams local agent of the society charging Kirby with beating the child on trivial pretexts and failing to give it proper nourishment.

FOR LOCAL OPTION IN MIDDLESEX

The Middlesex County Local Option League was formed at New Brunswick on Wednesday night with E. S. Barclay of Cranbury as president. Judge Adrian Lyon of Perth Amboy was elected first vice president and James A. Edgar of New Brunswick secretary. The league appointed committees to interview the candidates of both parties and find out how they stand on the local option question. Branch societies have been organized *throughout the county.*

The largest crowd of the season was at Morgan Beach last Sunday. Hundreds enjoyed bathing in the wire net enclosure of about 200 square feet, and felt prefectly safe from attack of sharks. The ground was enclosed at the personal expense of Rev. A. B. Strenski, Dr. E. A. Meacham and J. M. Willett of this city, and Deputy Revenue Collector James Curran, of New Brunswick.

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THE SOUTH AMBOY CITIZEN.

SATURDAY, JULY 29, 1916.

GETTING RID OF ANTS.

Simple Methods of Freeing the House from These Common Pests.

As long as household conditions are such as to attract ants, measures for getting rid of the instects will be of little value, says a new publication of the U. S. Department of Agriculture,, Farmers' Bulletin 740, by C. L. Marlatt. The first step in freeing a house from these pests is, therefore, to clean up all food that may be scattered about and to keep food supplies which may attract ants in ant-proof metal containers, or in ice boxes. Cake, bread, sugar, meat, and similar substances are especially likely to attract the insects.

The use of baits is not recommended in the bulletin already mentioned because of the danger that these will serve merely to draw more insects into the house and thus actually to increase the nuisance. Where it can be safely used, however, a sirup poisoned with arsenate of soda has been found effective. The formula for this sirup is 1 pound of sugar dissolved in a quart of water, to which should be added 125 grains of arsenate of soda. This mixture is boiled and strained and on cooling is used to moisten sponges which are placed where they can be reached easily by the ants. The insects collect the sirup and convey it to their nests, so that the whole colony is ultimately poisoned. Although this method has been found effective, as has been said, it should be remembered that the arsenate of soda is poisonous to human beings and to animals as well as to ants, ond that its use must be safeguarded by the greatest precautions.

When the ants can be traced back to their nests and these are in accessible places, it is possible to destroy the colonies by injecting with an oil can or small syringe a little bisulphid of carbon, kerosene, or gasoline into the nests. All these substances, however, are inflammable, and precautions must be taken, therefore, against the danger of fire.

Though the common garden or lawn ants which build their little crater nests around houses are distinct species from the true house ants, they may find their way into the house. Their colonies may be destroyed by drenching the nests with boiling water or injecting a small quantity of kerosene or coal oil into them. Where larger areas are affected it is sometimes advisable to spray the lawns with kerosene emulsion or with a very strong soap wash prepared by dissolving any common laundry soap in water at the rate of one-half pound to 1 pound of soap to a gallon of water. Another method is to inject bisulphid of carbon into the nests, the quantity of the chemical depending upon the size of the nest. After the bisulphid of carbon has been injected, the entrance to the nest should be closed by the foot in order to retain the chemical, which will then penetrate slowly through the underground channel and kill the ants. Although its fumes are disagreeable, they are not poisonous to man and the higher animals.

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REMARKABLE RECORD OF PASSENGER TRAFFIC

Reports which have just been received from all parts of the Pennsylvania Railroad System show that, in the first six months of the present year, 92,380,184 passengers were carried without loss of life of a single one of them in a train accident.

This completes two and one-half years in which no passenger has been killed in a train accident on any part of the Pennsylvania System, either east or west of Pittsburgh. In that time 453,952,298 passengers have been safely carried, in more than 3,000,000 trains, for a total distance of over ten billions of miles or 400,00 times around the world. Upward of 3,500,000 freight trains were operated in the same period over the 12,000 miles of line and 26,000 miles of track which make up the Pennsylvania Railroad System.

On the Lines East of Pittsburgh, no passenger has been killed in a train accident for more than three and one-half years, and 396,000,000 persons have been carried in safety over these lines, alone, during that period.

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And those chaps who think that they ought to get pay for being good probably wouldn't draw much of a salary at that.

NEW JERSEY NEWS CONDENSED.

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

Armstrong—Goodman.

A quiet wedding was solemnized Saturday evening, July 22, at 8 o'clock at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Sayreville, when Miss Wilhelmina C. Goodman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodman, of that place, became the bride of Harold Reid Armstrong, of South River.

The knot was tied by Rev. B. C. Lippincott, the bride's pastor.

The bride is one of Sayreville's bright and vivacious young ladies. She is most active in social and church circles and very popular among a wide circle of friends. She was charmingly gowned in a creation of white crepe de chine, and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. Her going away gown was made of white French linen. She is a member of the Raritan club of young ladies.

The bridegroom is one of South River's popular young men and holds a position with the du Pont Company at Parlin. He is a member of the Nonpareil Club, also the order of Junior Mechanics. His attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goodman, who were recently married.

The happy couple left immediately after the ceremony amid showers of confetti, in an auto bound for New Brunswick, where they boarded a train for New York. They will spend their honeymoon at Lake Sunapee, New Hampshire.

Upon their return they will reside with the bride's parents temporarily. They have the well wishes of a host of friends for a long wedded life of joy and happiness. The ceremony was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goodman, Mrs. Mary Armstrong, Mrs. James Lauder, of Bayonne, and David and Charles Armstrong.

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Grove Manager Sued for $25,000.

Frank B. Smith, superintendent of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association, has been made defendant in a Supreme Court suit for libel, instituted by Frederick E. Reynolds, an Ocean Grove real estate agent, formerly treasurer of the Ocean Grove Association. Mr. Reynolds asks damges in the amount of $25,000.

A short time ago Mr. Reynolds brought an action against the Ocean Grove Association to recover on an alleged contract for service and was awarded a verdict.

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Keyport Bank Elects New Cashier.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Keyport Banking Company F. Palmer Armstrong was elected cashier and a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Arthur M. Brown. J. Harold Hendrickson was elected assistant cashier in place of Mr. Armstrong.

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Summer Hotel Ordered Closed.

Because of a case of infantile paralysis being found in the Hotel Atlantic, Belmar, Mayor Robert G. Poole ordered the proprietor to close it and keep it closed for six weeks. The guests were also directed to return to their city homes. The parents of the child came from the Bronx and had a certificate of health from their family physician.

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Thomas Mott Osborne Talks to State Prison Inmates.

Three addresses to the 1,200 men in the state prison at Trenton were made Sunday by Thomas Mott Osborne, warden of Sing Sing. He received an enthusiastic reception from them when introduced by the head of the local institution, Richard P. Hughes. Some of the prisoners had served under him in Sing Sing, and others had been in that prison when Mr. Osborne was taking a term there under the name of "Tom Brown."

A number of people interested in reform work were present, including Richard Stockton, state commissioner of charities and correction; Mr. and Mrs. H. Otto Wittpenn, Judge Erwin E. Marshall and others identified with state and city government.

Commendation from Mr. Osborne for the work being done at the prison by Mr. Hughes brought applause at each of the gatherings. The speaker told the audiences that he knew enough about the ability and work of Mr. Hughes to assure them that he was "on the level."

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Auto Breaks Man's Leg.

John Powell, thirty-one years old, is in St. Peter's Hospital, New Brunswick, suffering from a broken left leg. He was crossing the road Saturday when struck by an automobile driven by Frank De Angelides of Highland Park. In making the turn at the forks of the road the auto skidded and the rear wheel struck Powell.

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Buys Trucks to Cart Peaches.

John T. Egan of Red Bank has bought two large motor trucks for use in his express and moving business. Mr. Egan has taken the contract to haul peaches from the Lerch fruit farm at Scobeyville to Asbury Park. The farm is the largest of its kind in Monmouth county. Last summer Mr. Egan hauled more than 15,000 baskets of peaches from the farm to the seashore. The first peaches this year were gathered from the farm a few days ago, but the season will not be in full swing until the latter part of August. More than seventy-five men and women will be employed at picking and sorting the peaches. Most of the help will sleep in buildings on the farm.

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Name Officials for Keansburg Carnival

Suggestions were received and preparation started for Keansburg's carnival Saturday at a meeting of the Keansburg Carnival Association. The incorporation of the association necessitated the election of new officers. The following were elected: President, William A. Gehlhaus; vice presidents, Mrs. Edward G. Entwistle, John E. Jones and Samuel De Turo; secretary, Gustave Woelfle; treasurer, Nicholas J. Drodge. A board of trustees was elected including the above mentioned officers and Vincent Briggi, Lewis Oberworth, Carl Wilhelm, Percy A. Kingsland and John Lachman.

August W. Lucas, who was king of Keansburg's first carnival, was appointed chairman of a special committee to interest the community to take part in the carnival. The following were appointed chairmen of the various committees with power to appoint assistants: Athletic, Harry Harris; finance, George F. Usbeck; program and advertising, Roscoe G. Campbell; subscription, Henry F. Marquardt; music and decorations, Lawrence Amon; juvenile entertainment, Mrs. Entwistle; voting contest, Lewis M. Rahe; grangers' day, George Foley; prizes and awarding, William F. Mauser; baby parade, Mrs. Henry F. Marquardt; masquerade and mardi gras, J. Gustave Woelfle; floral and decorative, Mr. Drodge; reception, Jesse L. Sculthorp; harvest home, Mrs. L. Tanner; fair, Mrs. H. F. Marquardt; press, David H. Cosby.

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Auto Mishap Injures Two.

Former City Engineer William H. Luster, Jr., of 943 North Broad street, Elizabeth, was shaken up and bruised and his wife more seriously injured when his auto ran upon an embankment in Pompton road, Morristown, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Luster was injured about the shoulders. After receiving treatment from a Morristown physician they returned to their home in Elizabeth.

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Record Repeats His Charges.

Addressing a local option meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Hall at Trenton Monday night, George L. Record repeated his charges that the brewery interests had already centered their power in behalf of one of the candidates for the Republican Gubernatorial nomination.

Mr. Record also declared that the Public Service Corporation, through its gas and electric companies, and the telegraph and telephone companies, had 1,000,000 annually at stake in this campaign. The franchise tax on these companies should be increased from two to five per cent. annually on the gross receipts, he argued.

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Attacks Nine-Year-Old Girl.

Joe Cooper, twenty-two years old, was taken to the Burlington county jail at Mt Holly, Monday night, after he had been arrested at the point of a shotgun by Andrew Durham, of Florence. Cooper is charged with assaulting Teresa Hammond, a nine-year-old girl.

The girl was picked up in a thicket, unconscious, her face and body scratched and bruised. When revived, she told Mrs. Durham that the man had come along as she was playing near her home in Roebling, and had given her a nickel to show him the road to Burlington. She walked with him through Florence, three miles away, and then begged to be allowed to go home, when he attacked her.

Cooper's captors took him by automobile to Burlington, where Recorder Petty committed him to the county jail without bail. He said he was tramping from New York to Philadelphia to find work.

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Cases of Typhoid Reported at Keyport.

Nearly a score of typhoid fever cases have been reported at Keyport during the last few days, three of which resulted in death, and an investigation ordered by the State Board of Health has led inspectors to believe that the trouble is due to milk.

State Senator Henry A. Akerson, Jr., who was Democratic floor leader in the Legislature last winter, and his wife and son, Cornelius Ackerson, are among those stricken.

Those dead are Arthur M. Brown, cashier of the Keyport Banking Company; Mrs. Walter B. Cherry and Mrs. Mary Disbrow.

State health officials are working on the theory that a "carrier," not yet identified, may have handled milk before it entered the homes of the victims.

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Jersey Federal Road Aid.

State Road Commissioner Edwin A. Stevens has received from Director L. W. Page of the bureau of public roads and rural engineering of the United States Department of Agriculture an official notification respecting the federal aid road act approved July 11 by President Wilson.

The communication shows that $59,212.68 is the sum apportioned to New Jersey, this being slightly in excess of the amount estimated by the State Roads Department. New Jersey's share is 1,22088 per cent. of the total appropriation of $4,855,000 apportioned among the states. The factors entering into the apportionment for this state are an area of 8,224 square miles, a population of 2,537,167 and 7,708 miles of "star" and rural routes shown by certificates of the Postmaster General as of June 30, 1916.

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For Long Branch, Asbury Park, etc., 12.56, 5.22, 8.55, a. m., 12.16, 2.34, 4.36, 5.39, 6.42, 10.07, p. m. Sunday, 12.56, 4.25, 9.27 a. m.; 5.11, 9.36 p. m.

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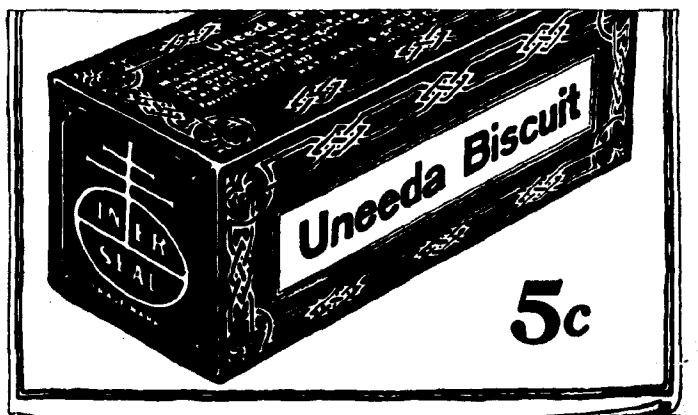

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GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED OAK BUFFET, regular price $58.00, **August Sale** **$49.30**

GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED OAK BUFFET, regular price $62.00, **August Sale** **$52.70**

GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED FUMED OAK BUFFET, regular price $29.00, **August Sale** **$24.65**

GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED FUMED OAK BUFFET, regular price $31.00, **August Sale** **$26.35**

GENUINE QUARTERED SAWED FUMED OAK BUFFET, regular price $49.00, **August Sale** **$41.65**

QUARTERED OR FUMED OAK CHINA CLOSET, regular price $16.00, **August Sale** **$13.60**

QUARTERED OR FUMED OAK CHINA CLOSET, regular price $26.00, **August Sale** **$22.10**

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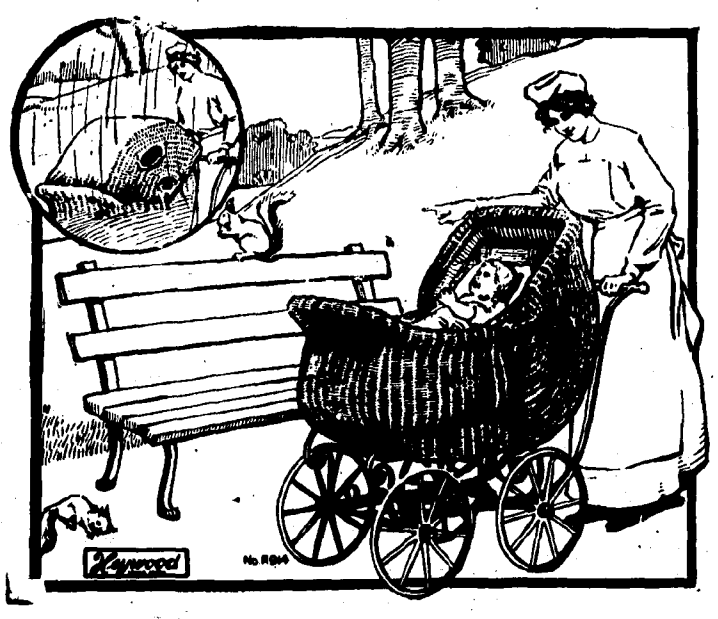
During the second week of August Sale commencing August 9th and continuing until August 26th, we shall offer our entire stock of Wall Paper consisting of 75,000 Rolls at a greatly reduced price. We have numerous patterns to select from all 1916 goods. Also many specials from 1915 stock which we are going to sell at an exceedingly low figure. Do not fail to take advantage of this sale and do not forget the date it starts.



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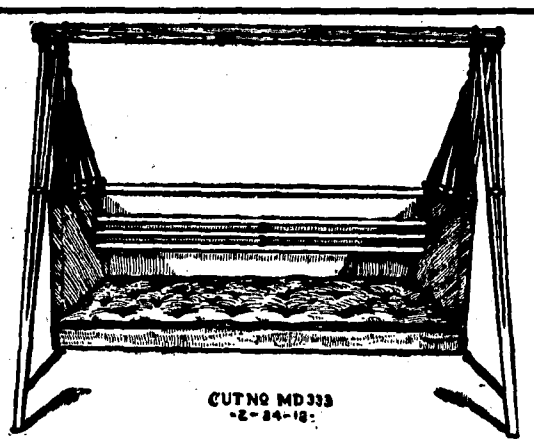

Porch Rockers, Couch Hammocks and Porch Swings, the quantity of those goods is limited, do not wait if you wish to take advantage of the low price.

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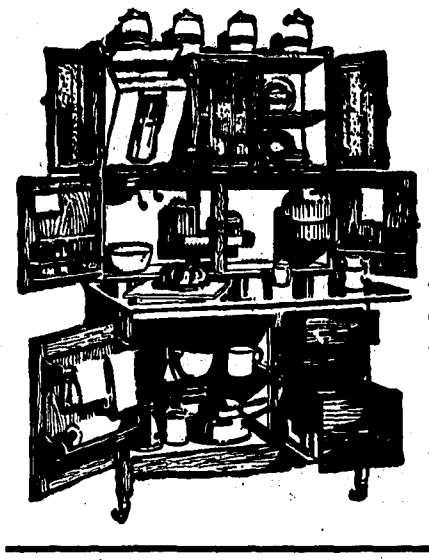

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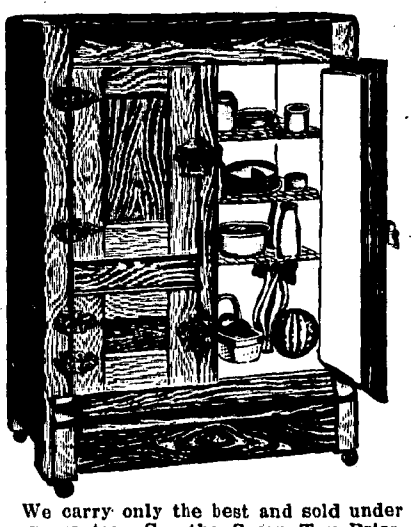

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SATURDAY, JULY 29, 1916.

Councilman-at-Large Collin Stratton has entered the race in the primary as a candidate for Assembly on the Republican ticket.

Have you expressed yourself as a candidate for local office as yet? Better get busy, before the slates are made up.

The Republicans are endeavoring to get two good men to run for councilmen this fall, viz., C. I. Bergen in the Second ward, and George Bogart in the Third. William S. Dey will probably be selected to run for Mayor again.

THREE MEN ON A PLANK.

When H. Otto Wittpenn told the Bergen County Democrats that he believed the Governor should be the head of a state budget commission, that he should have power and means to investigate the workings of every department of the state, and that he could call upon department heads to act as an advisory committee, he wasn't setting forth any novel idea. Colonel Walter E. Edge introduced a bill to bring about such a state of affairs as Mr. Wittpenn wants, Colonel Austen Colgate voted for it, Governor James F. Fielder signed it after it was passed, and the law will go into effect on October 1 next.

So when the new Governor takes his office next January he will be compelled by law to do the very things that Mr. Wittpenn says a Governor ought to do in order to be a competent executive. The budget act of last winter laid down the state policy of making the Governor the state's business manager, and Messrs. Edge, Colgate and Wittpenn are showing by their campaign talks that they are as one on that issue. "Strictly business" is their cry.

Of course Mr. Edge can truthfully say, "I said it first," but the other two can boast that they hopped on the business band wagon at the earliest opportunity, leaving all the novelties in the Gubernatorial campaign to George L. Record. They constitute a three-in-one combination that ought to work without friction, but it doesn't.—Newark News.

AID THE FRESH AIR FUND.

One way in which the people of this city can help to relieve the suffering caused by the infantile paralysis epidemic is to send some of the tenement children of New York City to Sea Breeze as their own guests. Sea Breeze is the summer fresh air home of the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor. It is at Coney Island and remains open during the epidemic because it is under the control of the city authorities and because no children are sent there until they are known to be free from the disease and even from the suspicion of it.

Sea Breeze has regular accommodations for 325 mothers and children and plans are now under way to increase the capacity to 400, and to keep it open later in the fall than usual. The tenement children and their mothers go there as the guests of those who give them their outings, which cost 50 cents a day or $3 a week for each guest.

Thousands of the city's poor children are closely confined to their homes because many of the country fresh air headquarters are closed to them. Either as individuals or in one or more groups the people of this city can play an important part in diminishing the hardships brought by the epidemic.

A group of citizens can turn their amusements of one or more evenings to the advantages of the sufferers by giving an entertainment, lawn party, dance, or card party, to raise a local Sea Breeze fresh air fund.

To give a dance or a party at this season would require but little preliminary planning, calling first for the leadership and enthusiasm of two or three persons. Valuable co-operation would be extended by the management of Sea Breeze in response to a letter addressed to the A. I. C. P. at 105 East 22nd street, New York City, where remittances will also be received from individuals who wish to send some of the tenement children or mothers to Sea Breeze as their personal guests.

A girl never truly loves a man if she admits he has faults.

SHALL OLD HOME BE POSTPONED?

(Continued from Page One.)

Main street and the "hole-in-wall." Investigation, however, developed the interesting fact that it was only a roll of old tin roofing. The inspector explained that it was evidently the fault of the complainant having taken some one else's word for the existence of the nuisance.

A complaint had been noted of expectorating upon the floor of a factory located on Feltus and Augusta streets and the owner notified to abolish the practice. The report was ordered received and filed.

The matter of children attending the lawn festival was brought up and discussed at length. The mayor was censured for not having kept his promise to place an officer at the grounds to see that children were kept out. The mayor stated that he had stationed an officer at the grounds and in this he was borne out by the inspector. The trouble was that the officer was not in uniform and stayed outside the grounds. The authorities in charge of the affair had not permitted any children to enter but they had no means of preventing them climbing the fence and getting in that way. The remarks directed at the permitting of the children to remain when certain other city officials were cognizant of the ruling of the health authorities in this respect was rather pointed at times. Finally the matter was disposed of in the agreement of the mayor to station an officer in uniform in the grounds to see that children were kept out. This action was desired so as to make the actions of the health authorities in other respects consistent. In this connection it was mentioned that the amusement places in the city felt that the ruling of sixteen years affected their receipts noticeably and it was suggested that the age limit be reduced to twelve years. No action was taken in this respect because the suggestion met with considerable opposition, it being called to mind that the sixteen year limit was the one most generally in vogue.

Along the same lines a motion was passed to the effect that the secretary notify all pastors and Sunday School superintendents in the city to discontinue holding services for children under the age of sixteen years and eliminate them from all other services. The concensus of opinion in the matter seemed to be that just at this critical period that for children "there was no place like home."

The question of adequate remuneration for the health inspector for his strenuous and valuable services was brought up and discussed at some length. Finally a motion was passed to the effect that the matter be referred to the city council with the recommendation from the board that the inspector be paid for his services as health inspector at the same rate that he received in his regular occupation. Attention was called to the fact that his duties as health inspector kept him from following his regular occupation with a consequent pecuniary loss to himself. The men who had been employed by the inspector in the clean-up campaign were dispensed with and the inspector authorized to notify the parties responsible for nuisances to clean them up or abate them and then, if this was not done within the prescribed time limit, have them arrested and brought before the police authorities for the imposition of a fine. This, it was thought, would relieve conditions and dispense with the necessity of having a man go around looking for nuisances and abating them, thus saving the Board considerable expense. Another motion passed allows the moving of manure piles in the city at night, or the carting of manure through the city at night without restriction.

Despite the strenuous opposition of the health inspector a motion was passed to the effect that the Pennsylvania Railroad be billed for the expense of cleaning up their property in the rear of the houses on the north side of Augusta street. The inspector maintained that the company was not responsible for the nuisance as they had not put it there and were not cognizant of its existence, besides not having been notified to abate the existing nuisances. The expense of cleaning up the Disbrow property was also ordered assessed against the owners.

Some criticism of the inspector in regard to using workmen to assist him in inspecting places in search of nuisances brought out the feeling that there had been a failure on the part of the police to co-operate with the health authorities in the reporting of nuisances, etc. The statement was made that it was part of their duty to look for and report existing nuisances, thus facilitating the work of the inspector and accruing to the beneficial results which the authorities are aiming at. This brought a positive statement from the mayor that it was most decidedly not part of the officers' duties and that he would not issue an order to any such effect. The consensus of opinion was voiced by the mayor when he said that it was strictly up to the health authorities and part of the duty of he inspector.

The garbage question also came up for consideration. One of the members spoke of having been called on by a Mechanicsville resident who claimed that his garbage remained out five days before it was collected and that the gentleman in question stated his intention of complaining directly to the State body unless something was done toward giving quick relief of existing conditions. The inspector stated that he had toured the city that day in the main streets and found the garbage in excellent condition so far as collection was concerned. The outlying districts he could not vouch for. The question was settled for the time being in the secretary being directed to notify the garbage collector that he must collect garbage more promptly from now on. The matter was referred to the council at a previous meeting but no results had come from it, so this time the Board of Health goes directly to the collector.

The approach of the rain storm portended by the heavy rolling of the thunder put an end to the meeting when the reporters beat it for home.

TALK OF NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

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The bids for furnishing supply of coal to the schools were opened. Bids were received from John W. Olsen Co., of Perth Amboy, $6.94 per gross ton; from T. F. Sullivan, at $6.75 per ton before Sept. 1st, after which $7.00 per ton was quoted; from H. D. Littell, $6.75 per ton previous to Sept. 1st and $7.00 per ton after that date. The bids were referred to the committee on buildings and grounds. Later the chairman recommended that all the bids be rejected because of the fact that the element of doubt that existed in the bids as to what was meant. A motion to that effect prevailed and the secretary requested to again advertise for bids.

The committee on teachers reported that the new principal and the domestic science teacher had accepted the positions offered them and recommended that the committee be empowered to employ either of two teachers for the class for defective pupils according to which had the better qualifications. The teachers in question were Miss L. L. Barker, of Turner's Falls, Mass., and Miss M. Olive Weed, of New York City. Both are now taking a special course at Columbia bearing on the work in question. The recommendation of the chairman was approved.

The committee on buildings and grounds reported the fence between the school grounds and neighboring property completed but not painted, painting to be done within a few days. The advisability of having new tubes installed in the boiler of School No. 1 was discussed and the secretary finally instructed to advertise for bids for same.

The committee on finance reported a balance of $4,015.09 on hand at the beginning of the fiscal year.

MANY ENTRIES FOR PARADE.

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receiving a letter from the general passenger agent of the Central Railroad stating that they would get out poster advertisements of the celebration was introduced together with a request from an out of town paper with an extensive circulation for a story on the celebration, particularly the road race. A suggestion contained in a letter from the chairman of the registration committee, Metropolitan Association, A. A. U., relative to the committee bearing a portion of the expenses of teams of runners from New York here as an added attraction was taken up and largely discussed. It was thought that three dollars for each team would be sufficient to prove a drawing card and lend an incentive to participation. Each team consists of six men and ten of the largest association teams would mean the entry of another dozen, at least, runners from each of the associations entering a team. After a great deal of favorable discussion an additional appropriation of fifty dollars for this purpose was ordered turned over to the athletic committee.

Chairman Donlin explained the handicap his committee was working under owing to the stormy weather having caused a postponement of the lawn festival. His idea was to postpone the picnic but some of those present favored holding the picnic for at least one day so as to end the queen contest race there. After some discussion it was decided to substitute the City Hall as a place for the end of the race instead of the picnic, a picnic at this time not being deemed feasible. The queen contests will then close at midnight and the spacious council chamber will afford plenty of room for those who want to hear the results.

There was some mention of petitioning the council of the city for a contribution to the fund for the celebration. During the discussion one of the business men expressed the opinion that the celebration was worth many time what it would cost from an advertising standpoint alone. It was mentioned that few appreciated the benefits which were to be derived from this advertising which was much more extensive than mere newspaper advertising would be and much more vaulable because of the interest which was taken in it. It was finally decided to wait a while and see how the finances progressed at a later date in order to ascertain whether assistance from the city was necessary or not.

Mr. Charles Safran was requested, upon due motion to that effect, to secure or obtain flags for the use of the school children in the parade. It is expected that some fifteen hundred flags will be required.

The reception committee reported slow progress but the report in detail indicated that considerable thought had been indulged in planning the details of the arrangements. Lists of guests to be invited would be appreciated by the chairman and provision for the entertainment of the celebrities is practically assured.

Miss Fulton reported that there were about fifty singers that had reported for the initial practice in the earlier part of the evening. Her report was decidedly encouraging to the committee and it was evident that the speaker was also quite well pleased with the first turnout. The chorus is in need of alto and tenor singers and male voices too. A special invitation is extended to all to take part in the chorus and their efforts will be largely appreciated.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

European Twilight.

Editor of Citizen:

In conversing with foreigners in regard to the things they have in their country, they will invariably tell you that we have nothing in this country that will compare with what they have—no mountains so high, no valley so deep, no flowers so beautiful nor smell so sweet.

The late James G. Blaine in an address delivered before a New York audience in describing incidents of note which he encountered in touring Europe, said that European twilight could not be described. It was the most beautiful sight he ever saw, and another notable thing about it was its long continuation. Twilights in America are of very short duration, but in Europe so bright are the twilights there that you can thread a needle between 11 and 12 o'clock.

EX-CLERK.

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A GREAT MOVEMENT TOWARD GOOD ROADS

That the road conditions in New Jersey are not what they should be and that the road system in this state is considered very important not only locally but to the national government as well as to the people of the entire country is evidenced by the fact that the Federal Government has decided to contribute $912,000 for use in the upbuilding of the system. This sum added to the $7,000,000 provided in the Egan Good Roads Bill which will in all probability be passed by referendum in November, will give to the State for highway purposes, a total of almost $8,000,000.

Co-operation between the Federal Government and the various states in the matter of highway improvement has begun. It was fostered by the realization of the necessity of good roads not alone for pleasure and business purposes but more particularly for military purposes. In the next five years $150,000,000 will be expended upon arterial roads selected by the highway authorities and subject to the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture. This plan became a concrete proposition when the two important national road bills were merged, passed and signed by President Wilson.

The effect of this gigantic appropriation by the national government will be a very important factor in restoring the State of New Jersey to its former position and title, "Queen of Roads States," according to the opinion of George E. Blakeslee, author of the "Egan Good Roads Bill," and one of the best informed men upon this subject in New Jersey. He said:

"Nothing that the National Government has ever done in its co-operating with the States has been more constructive and progressive than this latest move. Here is a proposition, based upon the same plan now before the people of New Jersey, where the entire country will be enabled to build up a system of perfect highways without a cent of added expense to the taxpayers.

"The one-hundred and fifty millions of dollars to be distributed by the Federal Government will, like New Jersey's seven millions, be obtained from sources of revenue already in vogue and without placing added burden upon anyone. The money that is now being paid by automobilists in taxes and other incidentals are devoted to the repair of little patches of roads everywhere. The constructive plan to be placed in effect under the provisions of the new measures is to devote this money to a solid fund which will permit the reconstruction of entire systems of roads. The same moneys now spent for senseless little jobs which are extravagant and practically useless, the money will give us systems over which it will be genuine delight to travel.

"The military advantages of the rebuilding and extensions of our road systems are inestimable. Great armies regardless of equipment may be moved rapidly and speedily in every direction while now the movement of military forces is a very grave and great problem because of the lack of expediency in the matter of maintaining the highway systems."

He is a mean man who withholds from his wife the praise that is due her.

Every losing ticket on a horse race represents just that much rainbow gold.

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SPRING and SUMMER SUITS

(Excepting Palm Beach, Blue and Black Suits)

We are nearing the final day of our remarkable sale. One week more and it will end for we can see a complete clearance close at hand.

Many lines have been completely sold out, but the assortment is still pretty evenly balanced.

These suits are extra values at these low prices and are going fast. Our advice is to get here now.

Fine Quality Suits Like These Are Scarce

$12.50 BRIEGS-BUILT SUITS 10.50

$15.00 BRIEGS-BUILT SUITS 12.75

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BARGAINS IN BOYS' SUITS. (Excepting Blues.)

$4 Suits $3.00 $5 Suits $4.00 $6 Suits $4.75 $7.50 Suits $6.00

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FOR RENT—Rooms in Parisen Building. Steam heat, electric light and water. Inquire on premises. 5-7-tf

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COUPLE without children want to rent a small *furnished* or *unfurnished apartment* for housekeeping. Address P. O. box 102.

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FOR SALE—Ten room house, lot 32x100, on George street, must be sold to settle estate. A real bargain. Inquire L. F. Caribon, 194 Madison avenue, Perth Amboy, N. J. 7-29-6

FOR SALE—New 7 room house with all improvements, desirable location. Inquire of A. H. Bergen. 7-8-1

FOR SALE—House and two lots on Catharine street, at junction of Bordentown avenue. All improvements. Inquire on the premises. F. J. Delbert. 7-1-tf

FOR SALE—Two choice lots on George street. Very cheap. Address Box 553. 6-10-tf

FOR SALE—Four houses in good location; also one lot 30x100, No. 32 John street. Apply to Chas. A. Roddy, 32 John street. 6-10-tf

FOR SALE—House and 3 lots on George street. Good location. House could easily be converted into a two family dwelling. Sold with two lots if desired. Apply to Mrs. M. N. Roll, Church street, for particulars. 3-4

FOR SALE—Two lots on Fourth street. Inquire John Sutliff, Pine avenue. 5-20-tf

FOR SALE—Two houses, improvements, and two lots, corner Augusta and Main streets. Apply to William Haley, on the premises. 4-29-13

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. Parisen, Real Estate and Rent Collecting Agency, 169 Broadway, South Amboy, N. J. 1-29-tf

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FOR SALE CHEAP—A 100-light Acetylene Gas Machine, as good as new. Reason for selling, installation of gas in city where machine is. Inquire of Rev. A. B. Strenskie, South Amboy, N. J. 7-29-3

MONEY TO LOAN in sums of $100, $200, $300, $400, $500 and up to $2000. Inquire at Law Offices of John A. Lovely, 155 Broadway.

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FOR HIRE—New 6 Studebaker touring car for hire. O. W. Welsh. 1-9-tf

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A first class team driver to take place of present driver. Must be sober and steady. Good wages. Apply to A. J. Miller.

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LOST—On Saturday night, pair of spectacles in black case. Finder will kindly return to Miss Emma Dayton, Bordentown avenue.

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Old Idea in New Form.

"Pa," said a schoolboy who delighted to give information to his seniors, "a process has been patented for treating the edges of paper money so that when the bills are placed in a phonograph they make sounds that prove their genuineness." "A novel idea," said the father, "but, after all, that is only another way of making money talk."

His Status.

"Dat trifilin' scamp muh Daughtah mar'd," snorted old Aunt Miasma Waters, "am so scan'lous, low down, no 'count dat I don't b'lieve she could raffle him off at a church festival!"—Kansas City Star.

ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented In Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

What has become of that Henry street sidewalk petition?

Tennis is again coming into its own at the Y. M. C. A. courts.

Mr. Frank Henry, of Feltus street, as procured a Buick automobile.

The railroad crossing at John street was thoroughly repaired last week.

The steamer John B. Collins started her trips up Cheesequake creek this week.

Frank Batterson is doing a rushing business in his garage on Stevens avenue.

The heavy shower on Saturday morning last caused great damage to our streets.

James Abbetiello has purchased a new Chevrolet Baby Grand touring car automobile.

Mr. Samuel Newton, of Bordentown avenue, has a new Haines' touring car automobile.

Another sale of lots at Bay View Manor will take place to-day, and Sunday, July 30.

Sunday, August 6, the new electric lighting system of the M. E. Church will be put in operation.

The public library has been ordered closed by the Board of Trustees and will remain closed for some time.

A warrant was issued for Irving Slover on Wednesday on complaint of his wife that he had assaulted and beat her up.

Rev. J. E. Shaw will deliver the address at the Harvest Home of the M. E. Church at Pedrickstown on Thursday next.

C. L. Cozzens has been at Mooseheart, Ind., the past week attending the National convention of the Loyal Order of Moose.

Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Bloodgood of John street are happy over the arrival of a charming daughter at their home last Tuesday night.

If the proposed roadway under the coal trestle had not been changed, it would have been a case of "low bridge or bump your head."

If the sidewalks on John street below the railroad were laid at grade, don't you believe the appearance of the street would be greatly improved?

Mr. F. A. Deacon, secretary of the local branch of the Y. M. C. A., has been busy canvassing the N. Y. & L. B. R. R. lately in the interest of athletics.

Seen at Seidler's pavilion last Saturday a well dressed woman with narrow strings of ribbon tied around her ankle. Wonder what kind of a dress fad it is?

All members of South Amboy Lodge No. 1554, L. O. O. M., are requested to attend a special meeting on August 7, in order to transact very important business.

Robert Holton was removed to St. Michael's Hospital, Newark, on Thursday in F. A. Mallszewski's ambulance. He will undergo an operation on the kidneys.

Don't let the city have any Broadway experience with Main street. Every water service, sewer connection, and gas service should be placed before the pavement is started.

John J. Quaid of Sayreville was in town on Monday and called on old friends. John is as aggressive as ever, and says he still has love for the laboring man in his heart.

The stork called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carroll, of John street, last Saturday afternoon and left a bouncing baby boy. Both mother and babe are reported to be doing fine.

The South Amboy Council No. 426, K. of C., will hold their annual shore dinner at Seidler's Beach on August 6th. Tickets have already been issued to each member and the usual large turnout is expected.

William Birmingham, president of Protection Engine Company, attended a meeting on Thursday night for the first time this year. His prolonged illness has prevented his attendance hitherto.

William Rea of Morgan Beach has added to his numerous pets a monkey-faced owl. It is kept in a cage and seems to enjoy its captivity. It is certainly an odd bird, and rightly named.

Granville Magee, of Old Bridge, has been transferred to the local Terminal and Shipping office of the P. R. R. He was formerly yardmaster at Old Bridge nights.

The catch basins and sewer at Bordentown and Pine avenues did not seeem to receive the surface water as they should Saturday morning and as a consequence the trolley tracks were covered with sand.

While at pasture in Hubbard's field last Saturday morning two cows owned by John Miller were killed by lightning. They were standing with other cows under a tree when the bolt struck the tree and then the cows.

Those who had occasion to go to and from the Pennsylvania railroad station Sunday morning found the footpath under the bridge in a very muddy and wet condition. However, it proved profitable to shoeshine artists.

It is a shame to let the city dock go into decay. Some day this neglect may be regretted. Notwithstanding its wretched condition hundreds of people can be seen daily carefully wending their way on it to get a real cool breeze and enjoy the scenes on the beautiful bay.

William S. Parsons is soon to join the Benedicts. He will take as his bride Miss Dora Morgan of Jersey City, and the ceremony will take place in the Lutheran Church of that city on Saturday evening, August 12, at 8 o'clock. After the wedding they will reside at 31 George street this city.

The new office of the Susquehanna Coal Company is being rushed to completion, and will be more in keeping with the standing of the company than the former miserable building. Temporary quarters for the clerks have been established on the property of Mr. John Scully, the company's representative in this city.

George R. Delaney has been active in automobile selling the past week. Among his sales were a Light Six Buick to Assistant Prosecutor John A. Coan; a Ford turning to Frank Crossman; and a Ford touring to Hans C. Miller. Mr. Delaney can sell cars as low as any dealer, and it would be well to get an offer from him before rushing out-of-town to buy.

One morning this week an unknown man had a narrow escape when he missed his hold in endeavoring to board a moving train at the local station and fell under the train. The trucks of the car pushed him out of the way without injuring him at all. The man was employed, he said, at the Powder Works but did not give his name. Evidently the lesson went home for he said that he'd never try to get on a moving train again.

DAYS FOR GARBAGE COLLECTION

The following schedule for collecting garbage has been arranged by Contractor Welsh. People are requested to have their garbage set out on time.

Mondays and Thursdays.

Fourth, Main, Second, First and Church streets; Stevens avenue and above from Augusta street to Bordentown avenue.

Tuesdays and Fridays.

All below Stevens avenue from Augusta street to Gordon street.

Wednesdays.

Start Stevens avenue and Bordentown avenue to Christ Church cemetery including streets in Maxville, Bergen Hill and Mechanicsville.

Remember these days. Get your garbage out early. Don't wait until the wagon goes by, for if this is done the cans will remain until next collection day.

A tight man and a loose dog are equally dangerous.

It's useless to advertise for lost opportunities.

Troubles are like babies; they grow larger by nursing.

BROWN BROS. SPECIALS!

Silver Brand Condensed Milk, per can - - 11c

BROWN BROS. SPECIALS!

It pays to deal at Brown's

Early June Peas, can	8c	Batavia Shrimp, can	10c	Jar Rubbers, per dozen	7½c
Fancy Sweet Corn, can	8c	Tryphosa, per package	8c	New Laid Eggs, dozen	30c
Argo Starch, package	4c	Smoked Sardines, can	4c	Crisco, per can	25c
Mueller's or Anger's Macaroni and Spaghetti, package	8c	Coffee, Paramount Blend, lb. Excellent Cup Quality.	21c	Hires' Extract, bottle For making root beer.	14c
White Rose Mayonnaise, bot.	19c	Imperial Flour, 24½ lb. bag	85c	Old Dutch Cleanser, can	8c

A Large Assortment of Fruits and Vegetables Always on Hand.

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$1.00 in stamps with following

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Princine Baking P'der box 15c
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Vanilla or Lemon Extract 10c
Lusk's German Mustard bot. 10c
Pure Pepper, box..... 10c
Marmalade jar..... 10c

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Best Tea, ½lb., any flavor 30c
Imperial Baking P'der, ½lb. 25c

$10.00 in stamps with following

Best Tea, lb., any flavor... 60c
Imperial Baking P'der, lb. 45c

THREE SPECIALS FOR

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1.

Little Girls' White Paque Dresses, all ready made and stamped to be embroidered, from 2 to 4 years, at - - - - - 29c

2.

Full Size Turkish Towels, 18x36 inches, special at - - - - - - 15c

3.

Men's Poris Knit Underwear, not all sizes, formerly sold at 50c and 25c, on sale at - 19c

M. KAUFMAN

150 Broadway, South Amboy

BORAK'S MEAT MARKET

SPECIAL SALE FOR THE WHOLE WEEK.

Legs of Genuine Spring Lamb 18½c lb | Legs of Yearling Lamb 15¾c lb

CALI. HAMS — Only 2 to a customer — 14¾c lb

Corned Spareribs — SPECIAL — 8c lb.

Veal or Lamb — For Stewing — 2 lbs. 25c

Rump Corned Beef — SPECIAL — 15½c lb

Chopped Meat — FRESH CHOPPED — 14½c lb

Roast of Veal — Milk Fed — 13c lb

Small Shoulders of Veal — Milk Fed — 14½c lb

All Kinds Bologna — 16c lb.

BEEF STEAKS — Nice and tender — 3 lbs 50c

FRESH JERSEY PORK LOINS — 16¾c lb

PORK ROAST — 13¾c lb

VEAL OR LAMB CHOPS — 18½c lb.

PORK CHOPS — 18c lb

25c SPECIALS!
4 lbs FRESH PIGS FEET..... 25c
4 lbs PICKLED PIGS' FEET..... 25c
6 lbs SOUR KROUT..... 25c

LIVER — 10c lb.

Corned Beef, plate or soft rib — 11 lbs. $1.00

POT ROAST — 7 lbs. $1.00

Sirloin or Porterhouse Steaks — Nice and Tender — 22½c lb

Fancy Table Butter - 31c lb | Salt Pork, nice and lean, Sat. 2 lbs 27c

Remember the place, call or telephone. We sell just as we advertise.

184 Broadway Telephone 261 South Amboy

WEEKLY LETTER TO FARMERS.

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

The past two weeks have given us some cause for encouragement. The hot weather has caused excellent growth. The hay was never better—thick clover at the bottom and not over-ripe.

Corn, beans, cabbage and potatoes have gained a tremendous impetus; so that in spite of the late and wet spring, good crops now seem assured, provided, of course, we give them proper attention. In the case of corn and beans there was a great deal of wet weather after planting and grass and weeds have crept in. The corn just now needs an old-fashioned hand hoeing as much as it ever has. Hoeing has practically gone out of practice and with it went the large yields of corn that our fathers boasted of and really had. With the clearing of the weeds and stirring the soil close to the plant there went an intelligent thinning that has never been equalled by any machine.

The labor involved in this hoeing would pay our farmers well this year, and if it is possible to obtain the help, I would advise it. The labor situation is, of course, serious in all lines at present; but it is especially so on the farm. But in the absence of labor, even our own slow cultivation should be resorted to; it at least affords opportunity to thin and work close to the plants, and should produce good results.

Wheat, oats and barley are progressing well; the only question with them is their maturity. Lack of sunlight and dampness is apt to produce a soft berry; particular attention should be given to its thorough maturing. Care should also be exercised in storing the grain after threshing. In many cases it may be necessary to shovel the grain several times to prevent heating and to detect the presence of insects.

Our new seedlings and pastures are unusually satisfactory and on the whole prospects are bright for good crops, and the prices are good—a combination we seldom get.

WATER WILL BEAR YOU UP.

You can teach yourself to swim, and you can do it in an hour or less. I know plenty of people who have done it by following carefully these directions:

First and foremost, fix this thought clearly in your mind—the water will bear you up. It is fear and struggle that invariably sends a person to the bottom. The best way to acquire confidence that makes for courage and fun is, go squarely and reasonable at it. Begin in still water; the old swimming pool on the farm is just the place. Wade out until your shoulders are covered, squat a little and get yourself wet all over.

Don't be the the least atom afraid, even if a little water does get into your nose and ears; wade out a little farther until you are up to your chin, and now your toes will begin to leave the bottom of the pool. Do not be alarmed. This shows you that you are a little lighter than the water. Now lift your chest and with the muscles of your stomach breathe deep, stretch your arms out to form the letter T of yourself, stiffen your backbone and hollow your back as though suddenly you were a very important and dignified person. Your toes have come up to the surface now. Lean your head back freely as far as you can, keeping your mouth shut.

Lie back with absolute confidence, and there you are floating. Keep your backbone stiff, gently paddle with your hands, and you are swimming. Make toward the shore, of course. Then try it all over again. This time kick with your feet gently; strong strokes might turn you over and frighten you. Keep your balance and practice two or three times in straight succession.

The next thing that you will be learning is the "V" stroke. Kick out until both legs are like the letter V, shut them together like the blades of a pair of scissors (which give a strong drive ahead), then draw them up sidewise like a frog and kick persistently out again. Then try making your legs go as if you were climbing up stairs. Always remember the water will bear you up, and the great and only difficulty about swimming will be out of your way.—Christian Herald.

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BOY SCOUT DOINGS.

TROOP NO. 1.

Boy Scouts of New York City Serve in Big Preparedness Parade Held There.

Nearly three thousand boy scouts were on duty from 9.30 a. m. until 10 o'clock at night, serving in connection with the Preparedness Parade held in New York City on May 13.

The most important work of the scouts was done in co-operation with the membership campaign of the American Red Cross Society. At least 300,000 application blanks for membership in this society were distributed by the scouts, as a result of which a total of 10,000 new members were received by the society. The Red Cross officials have expressed themselves as delighted with the energetic and efficient work of the boys.

The scouts were also in attendance during the whole day at the reviewing stand, where they acted as aides, ushers and guides. Four picked scouts were detailed as a bodyguard for Colonel Charles H. Sherrill, the Grand Marshal of the parade.

The South Amboy Scouts will act in a similar capacity during the Preparedness Parade in this city on Old Home Day, and as Gov. Fielder, and possibly President Wilson, are expected to be present similar honors will fall to the local scouts having the highest standing in Scoutcraft. The President will be at Long Branch during August and efforts are being made to have him come to South Amboy and review the Preparedness Parade. A special detail of honor scouts will be appointed to attend the president and governor during his stay.

How to Care for Your Uniform.

In an assembly of scouts the appearance of the entire troop is seriously affected when two or three scouts, or even one, wears a uniform that is dirty or faded out from washings.

One scout has found a way to keep his uniform bright and clean and still retain the original color. Here it is:

"Be sure to use lukewarm water. This is what saves the Khaki from shrinking. Mother makes good strong suds, using any pure white soap. Once I asked her if she wouldn't get more dirt off by rubbing the soap right on the clothes and she told me that was just what made other scout suits white after washing.

"She does not scrub my coat and breeches on the washboard, the scout continued, but lays them on the back of the board and scrubs each garment with a stiff brush. This is what gets the dirt off and afterwards a good soaking in clean, cold water rinses away all the soap.

"Does she iron them?" asked a tenderfoot.

"No, was the reply, for that would make them look shiny. She wrings some of the water out with her hands, and the weight of the water left in the garments helps them to dry evenly, and any wrinkles can be smoothed out. And here's another good stunt to keep the color in or bring it back if your suit is beginning to fade. Save the coffee grounds for a couple of mornings and make a second rinsing water for the uniform by the addition of these grounds. The coffee acts as a dye and takes away any whiteness that might appear if the soap was not all rinsed out."

Be proud of your uniform and keep it "spic and span."

Scouts on Overnight Hike.

The scouts of Troop No. 1 went on their first overnight "hike" last Friday. The scouts, with Scoutmaster Dill and Mr. Roddy, of the Troop Committee, left South Amboy via trolley and auto late Friday afternoon. The trolley delegation left the car at Tanner's Corner, hiking the last three miles to the camp, which was situated slightly outside of Old Bridge. Through the kindness of Mr. Charles Grace, several of the scouts who could not leave earlier on account of working, together with Scoutmaster Dill, came out later by automobile. Tents and camp equipment were also brought in the same way.

The hiking party arrived at the camping ground before the shower, and the tents shoved up just as the rain began to fall heavily. The scoutcraft of the boys was put to the test at the very start as it soon got dark at the approach of the storm and the tents were raised in the rain and darkness. The true scout, however, is never daunted, and inside of a few minutes several big campfires were drying everything, and camp "grub" in the way of sizzling bacon and eggs and other favorite backwoods "eats" were being put away in wholesale style. The tent floors being of waterproof canvas, covered with several blankets, were dry and one by one the tired scouts turned in. But the "call of the wild" proved too strong for most of them and they turned out at intervals to replenish the camp fires and to relieve the self appointed sentries who were watching the commissary tent. About every five or ten minutes either the Scoutmaster or Mr. Roddy would be asked "whether it was near morning, or not."

Seeing a faint streak of dawn at 3.45 a. m. the sentinel of the hour called everybody out of the tents with the cry of "Git up, it's so light it must be after seven o'clock." And "git up" it was for the whole crowd. Inside of a half hour the big coffee pot was throwing out a tempting aroma. Some of the scouts made cocoa instead. Breakfast was all out of the way before 5 o'clock, (of course, the scouts would not want their parents to refer to this early rising stunt any time in the future when they call up stairs at 8.45 a. m. that it is "time to get up for school).

The woods still being too wet for blackberrying and huckleberrying the boys put in an hour or so straightening up the camp, and discussing what they would cook for dinner. Culinary topics seemed to be given the most time and as each scout, knowing that he would be away from home for three meals, brought but three to four day's rations, considerable debate was given to the subject "suppose we run short?" Scoutmaster Dill had brought along six loaves of bread, a pound of butter, canned soups, salmon, etc., and a bag of potatoes as a "preparedness" measure should any of the scouts' supplies give out. These were a "mere drop in the bucket" and by noon time the sixteen boys were out in the woods picking huckleberries to keep starvation down. Mr. Dill and Mr. Roddy figured that, at the rate the scouts ate, it would cost the boys just $18.73 apiece for a week's camp for "eats."

At three o'clock in the afternoon the boys started for home, the tents and equipment being brought back by Mr. Roddy in an automobile.

Troop No. 2.

One of the features of the meeting Monday evening was the interest shown in the "First Aid" work. The Scouts are taking a great deal of interest in this part of Scouting and it is bound to be a success. Each Scout is given individual instruction and one of the Jrs. to use as a subject for his work.

The Scouts are now working on the following question which must be passed in order to become a second-class scout:

1. At least one month's service as a tenderfoot.
2. Elementary first aid and bandaging, know the general directions for first aid for injuries, know treatment for fainting, shock, fractures, bruises, sprains, injuries in which the skin is broken, burns and scalds, demonstrate how to carry injured, the use of the triangular and roller bandages and tourniquet.
3. Elementary signaling, know the Semaphore, or the International Moorse alphabet.
4. Track half a mile in twenty-five minutes, or if in town, describe satisfactorily the contents of one store window out of four observed for one minute each.
5. Go a mile in twelve minutes at Scout pace.
6. Use properly knife or hatchet.
7. Prove ability to build a fire in the open, using not more than two matches.
8. Cook a quarter of a pound of meat and two potatoes in the open without the ordinary kitchen cooking utensils.
9. Earn and deposit at least one dollar in a public bank.
10. Know the sixteen principal points of the compass.

Troop 2 has one Scout who can take care of himself and that is One Round Kurtz. Ask Knockout Adams.

The Scouts are gradually getting the fine points down in drilling. Each meeting shows a marked improvement in this work.

Scout Raymond Martin of Troop No. 1, Sayreville, was a welcomed visitor at the meeting on Monday evening.

Scout Stockton is still the wrestling champion of the Troop again, throwing Scout Hammell in two straight falls, in the main event of the evening. In the semi-final a most interesting bout took place between Scout Quaid and Scout Skimmons. After a long and hard tussle Scout Quaid pinned his opponent's shoulders to the mat. Another bout of interest was the one between Scout Johnson and Scout Witherspoon which was won by the former.

There will no doubt be formed a wrestling team to represent this Troop in the near future.

Scout Arthur Ingraham was absent Monday evening on account of duties in connection with Old Home Day.

SPORTING COMMENT.

LYCEUM A. C. WINS IN TWELVE INNING GAME

The Morgan A. C. crossed bats with the strong Lyceum A. C. of Perth Amboy on Sunday last on the latter's diamond. The game was a lively one and was not decided until twelve innings were played. The Lyceum won by the close score of 3 to 2.

The old iron man "Diddy" for the Morgans showed that he is still in the game, as he gave the Lyceums only three hits to their pitcher's five. The game was greatly enjoyed by the hundreds of fans present. The line-up of the Morgans was as follows: Wm. Maxfield, p.; Robert Manaker, cf.; C. Witchek, c.; Roy Pierson, ss.; A. Clark, 3b.; E. Buckalew, 2b.; L. Hartman, 1b.; A. Curley, lf.; A. Molly, rf.; Budd Vandergriff. p. and sub.

The Morgan A. C. are in the field again this year and to stay there too. Manager Berlew would be pleased to book his team with any strong team. He can be reached by addressing him at 132 Gordon street, or Phone 553-M, Perth Amboy, N. J.

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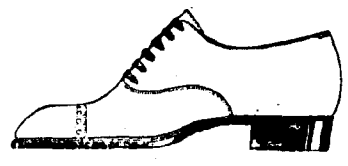

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AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION of a contract with the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, for the supply of light by electricity for the use of the City of South Amboy, New Jersey.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of South Amboy, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of same.

Section 1. That a proposed contract for the supply of light by electricity to the City of South Amboy between the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company and the City of South Amboy, as submitted to a meeting of the Common Council of said City, be and the same is hereby approved the said contract being in the words following:

AGREEMENT, made and concluded this 18th day of July, A. D. 1916, by and between the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, party of the First Part, and the City of South Amboy in the County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, party of the Second Part, witnesseth:

FIRST: That the party of the First Part for the consideration hereinafter mentioned, agrees to erect and install for the use of the party of the Second Part, not less than 12 40-candle power, 74 100-candle power and 49 600-candle power street lights, which constitute the minimum number of street lights the party of the Second Part agrees to take and pay for during the term of this contract, for the purpose of lighting the streets and public places in the said City of South Amboy, of the type known as Six and Six Tenth ampere, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamps, said lamps and fixtures complete to be located at the places indicated by the party of the Second Part, but to be maintained and operated by the party of the First Part, who shall supply the necessary current and make all the necessary renewals and repairs. The said lamp when installed shall be kept continuously lighted from dusk until dawn each day in the year according to the standard middle district schedule, copy of which shall be furnished the party of the Second Part.

SECOND: The party of the First Part agrees that the type lamps specified hereinabove shall include only lamps of the following candle power, namely:

40 Candle Power. Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp.

100 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp.

600 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp.

THIRD: In consideration of the undertakings of the party of the First Part as herein set forth, and the faithful performance thereof, the party of the Second Part agrees to pay to the party of the First Part, for each lamp installed under this contract, at the following schedule of rates:

40 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp $18.00 per year.

100 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp, $25.00 per year.

600 Candle Power, Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Lamp, $80.00 per year.

All payments shall be made monthly, each month to be counted the one-twelfth part of the annual price and shall be paid on or before the 15th day of each month for the month preceding.

FOURTH: The party of the First Part agrees to furnish such additional number of lamps of the same type and candle power required and demanded by the party of the Second Part during the term hereinafter expressed and to maintain, operate and keep the same in the same manner as set forth in the first paragraph above, and to be paid for by the party of the Second Part at the same rate as specified herein, such lamps, however, when installed to continue in use until the termination of the term hereinafter set forth.

FIFTH: It is agreed that a reduction from the prices and payment hereinabove agreed to made shall be made for all outages on the Incandescent Lamps, to be provided under the terms of this contract, proportioned to the length of such outages, as compared with the total prices for the lamps per annum, and the Second Party agrees as far as possible to report to the party of the First Part, promptly, all such outages.

SIXTH: The party of the First Part further covenants in consideration of the making of this contract by the party of the Second Part, to provide and install all necessary equipment, feed lines, apparatus and fixtures to provide an efficient and complete system of lighting, known as the Six and Six-Tenth Ampere Street Series, Tungsten Incandescent Light System.

All lamps provided under this contract shall be new and of the best type required for the purpose, and the maintenance thereof, shall be fully provided by the party of the First Part.

SEVENTH: This contract and the duties and obligations of the parties hereunder shall continue for the term of Five (5) years from the first day of July, 1916, and upon going into operation shall supercede and replace any existing contract for the supply of lights by the party of the First Part to the party of the Second Part.

EIGHTH: This contract is made and executed in pursuance with an ordinance of the City of South Amboy, entitled:

"An Ordinance authorizing the execution of a contract with the Middlesex & Monmouth Electric Light, Heat and Power Company for the supply of light by electricity, for the use of the City of South Amboy, New Jersey, duly passed, published and approved by the Mayor and entered upon the ordinance book of said City."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the party of the First Part has caused its common and corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this agreement to be signed by its General Superintendent and attested by its Secretary and the party of the Second Part has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this agreement to be signed by the Mayor of said City of South Amboy, and attested by the Clerk thereof, the day and year first above written.

Section 2. That the proper officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver on behalf of the City of South Amboy, the contract hereinabove approved.

Ordained by the Common Council of the City of South Amboy, this 18th day of July, 1916.

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St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 63, F. & A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first and third Mondays of each month (excepting July, August and holidays) at 7.30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. O. U. A. M., meet every Friday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Councilor Charles Carlisle, 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, Frank L. Hawse; Keeper of Records and Seals, William A. Chapman.

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

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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 R. T., meets every second and fourth Sunday of each month at K. of P. Hall. President, Leonard Tice; Secretary, William Bulman; Treasurer, Thomas J. Kennedy; Agent of Official Publication, Edward McDonough.

Singing Society Liederkranz, 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 Kutcher, Vice-president; George Nelius, Secretary; Chas. Steuerwald, Treasurer; B. Grohe, Librarian.

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, Councilor, Mrs. James Bloodgood; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada Ward.

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

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

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Washington Camp, No. 86, 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 Lambertson, Master of Forms; John H. French, financial secretary; B. R. Havens, recording secretary; William M. Anderson, treasurer.

Gorm Lodge, No. 86, D. R. S., Regular meetings second and fourth Fridays of each month at 8 p. m., in Welsh's Hall, First street, President, Nels Martinsen; Secretary, A. L. Johnson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; 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.

Court Raritan, No. 44, F. of A., meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, at 8 p. m. in Protection Hall. Chief Ranger, 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 Beadle, Chris. Nicorvo; Junior Beadle, Louis Wentzel; Trustees, Mathews Cornin, Aaron Hyer, Richard McCloud.

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The Agricultural organizations of the county are co-operating with the office of Farm Demonstration, making the day both profitable and enjoyable.

The start will be made at the Farm Demonstration office, 341 George street, New Brunswick at nine o'clock. The first stop will be made at the orchard of George Smith at South River, where a short time will be spent in inspecting the orchard, and listening to a short talk by Professor M. A. Blake of the Experiment Station. The tour will then continue with several stops in the vicinity of Rhode Hall and Prospect Plains, arriving at the State Home for Boys at Jamesburg, where a basket lunch will be enjoyed.

After lunch, short addresses will be made by Senator Frelinghuysen, President of the State Board of Agriculture, Professor Alva Agee, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, and Senator Gaunt, Master of State Grange.

A short time will then be devoted to inspection of the various departments of the State Home, after which the tour will continue to the Walker Gordon Farm ot Plainsboro, where ample time will be given to inspect all points of interest.

We hope that a large number of the farmers will take the opportunity to enjoy the tour, and get better acquainted with things that are going on in the county, see what the other fellow is doing and how he does it.

One of the big features of the tour is its social nature, as the invitation is extended, not to the men alone, but to their families, and last but not least, the lunch basket.

As far as possible, transportation will be provided for those who wish to go on the tour and have not previously made arrangements for a seat with some friend.

BIG BUSINESS BY PUBLIC SERVICE

A financial report just issued by Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, shows a gain in total business for June of $426,816.69, or nearly fourteen per cent. over the corresponding month of last year. For the six months ending June 30 the gross increase, was nearly $2,400,000 or 13.3 per cent. The increase in surplus available for dividends, over the first six months of 1915, is $610,-164.31. The statement follows:

Gross increase in total business, $426,816.69; percentage of increase, 13.8; balance available after payment of operating expenses, fixed charges, sinking fund requirements, etc., for amortization, dividends and surplus, $570,001.36; increase in surplus available for dividends over corresponding month 1915, $173,993.15.

Six months ending June 30, 1916—Gross increase in total business, $2,387,302.34; percentage of increase, 13.3; balance available after payment of operating expenses, fixed charges, sinking fund requirement, etc., for amortization, dividends and surplus, $2,533,767.79; increase in surplus available for dividends over corresponding period 1915, $610,164.31.

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The Churches

Services as Arranged for the Coming Week.

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The Church School..... 2.30 p. m.

CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The Church School, with Shortened Evensong ..... 3.30 p. m.
(The Rector preaches at this service on the last Sunday of each month)

N. B.—Announcement 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.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services for the week beginning July 30, 1916:

10.00 a. m. Sunday School.
11.00 a. m. Preaching by Rev. D. Ernest McCurry.
7.45 p. m. Preaching by Rev. D. Ernest McCurry.

HOW TO KEEP THE BABY WELL IN SUMMER

The Department of Health of the State of New Jersey has issued the information regarding the care of babies in summer. This is the time of the year when the death rate among babies is the highest. Diarrhoea will claim many more victims during the next two months than will infantile paralysis. For instruction of mothers the Department of Health gives out the following:

Proper Feeding—Mother's Milk is the best food for babies at all times. As far as diet is concerned, the breast-fed baby of a poor and illiterate mother has a better chance for life than the bottle-fed baby of rich parents. No mother or physician, however, wise or well-informed, can prepare a substitute half so good as mother's milk.

Regularity of Feeding—Nurse the baby regularly by the clock, not oftener than every three hours. Too frequent feeding makes it sick.

Weaning—Do not wean the baby during the hot weather if it can be avoided. Even if you need to supplement the breast feedings by one or more bottle feedings a day, give the baby the benefit of as many breast feedings as possible.

Artificial Food—If you must wean the baby, give it modified milk rather than any of the baby foods on the market. Pure, clean cow's milk is the best substitute for mother's milk. Buy certified milk, if you can get it. If certified milk cannot be secured, buy pasteurized, bottled milk for the baby. The milk should be kept on ice in the delivery wagon, and placed on ice the moment it reaches the house.

As soon as possible after the milk is delivered, modify it according to the formula given you by the doctor. Prepare the amount needed for the entire 24 hours and put one feeding in each of the nursing bottles, which have been washed, boiled and cooled. Stopper the bottles with clean absorbent cotton and immediately place them on ice and keep them there until time to warm for feeding.

Any milk left in the bottle should be thrown out—never reheated for another feeding.

Do not give the baby any food other than milk, unless the doctor orders it. Give the baby a drink of cool, boiled water several times a day. Never give it tea, coffee or beer.

Weight—Weigh the baby every week. A regular gain in weight is the surest sign that the baby is getting enough suitable food.

Dangers of Improper Feeding.

Carelessness and ignorance in feeding are responsible for most of the cases of "summer complaint" in babies. Every summer diarrhoea kills thousands of babies and makes thousands of others ill. The baby victims of this one disease are more numerous than all the victims of malaria, typhoid fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough and infantile paralysis. The great importance of breast feeding is shown by the fact that fatal cases of diarrhoea among breast-fed babies are rare.

Keep the Baby Cool.

Clothing—In hot weather the baby should wear very little clothing—never enough to make it sweat. Consider its comforts and not is looks when you dress it. A thin shirt and stockings and a diaper are all it needs. On extremely hot days, remove all clothing but a thin slip and diaper. Change all the baby's clothes when you put it to bed.

Fresh Air—Always keep the windows open in the room where the baby sleeps. In the daytime let it sleep out of doors in its carriage, in a shady place. Fasten a net over the carriage, and shade the baby's eyes from the light.

Keep the Baby Clean.

Bathing—Bathe the baby's every day in warm water. In very hot weather give it also a sponge bath before it is put to bed. Every time the baby's bowels move wash the parts with soap and water.

Diapers—Never use a diaper a second time without washing. Keep soiled diapers in a covered pail away from flies.

Play—Let the baby play in its crib or in a pen where it cannot get into the dirt. Don't let the other children play with it unless they are clean. Don't let it handle dogs and cats. Dirt doubles the baby's danger of having diarrhoea.

Flies—Flies breed in filth, and carry filth and germs on their feet. If they walk over the baby's face, or take a bath in its milk, the germs they leave may make the baby sick. The danger of its having diarrhoea is doubled if it is exposed to flies.

Don't Dope the Baby.

Never give the baby soothing syrups or patent medicines. If it is sick enough to need medicine, it needs the doctor first. Paregoric and many other baby remedies contain morphine or other opiates which are particularly harmful to babies. If the baby is fretful, seek the cause of its discomfort; don't dope it. If it is sick, send for the doctor at once. Stop all food, put the baby to bed and keep it quiet and cool. Give it only water until the doctor comes, then follow his advice.

Ten Commandments for Mothers.

1. Give the baby its mother's milk, Nature's own food, that its days may be long.
2. Feed the baby regularly, not oftener than every three hours, that its digestion may be good.
3. Keep the windows open in the room where the baby sleeps, that it may have fresh air.
4. See that the baby takes its nap out of doors, that it may have more fresh air.
5. Have every window and door screened and keep a net over the baby's crib and coach, that flies may neither annoy it or pollute its food.
6. Bathe the baby every day, and if the weather is hot, several times a day, that it may be clean and cool.
7. Do not put any tight bands or other tight clothes on the baby. Let all its clothing be light, loose and soft, that it may exercise its limbs and be comfortable.
8. Do not tickle the baby, or toss it in the air, or trot it on your knee, lest it become nervous.
9. Put the baby to bed early that it may get plenty of sleep.
10. Do not give the baby patent medicines, soothing syrup or other drugs without the doctor's advice, lest it be poisoned and die.

OLD HOME DAY CELEBRATIONS

For The Years Nineteen Fourteen, Fifteen and Sixteen.

The readers of the Citizen I'm sure will take a pride,
Of the old home day celebration that is known both far and wide,
Which was formerly called Salt Water Day the people used to celebrate
In South Amboy and surroundings it ran almost out of date,
But the fine good people of South Amboy suggested to the Mayor
To revive again the old home day and to make it an annual affair
He took an interest in the movement and sent out an invitation
For the people to meet at the City Hall for the purpose of the celebration.

A chairman was selected at the assembled meeting there,
Various committees he appointed to work for the grand affair.
The General Committee of the whole are deserving of great praise
For to meet with the expenses a large financial sum did raise.
A list of generous contributors in the Citizen did appear,
Their names and amounts being taken on each succeeding year.
They thought of the old Salt Water Days and of their commendation
In South Amboy where they did enjoy each old time celebration.

I visited South Amboy on the old home day in the year nineteen fourteen
And must relate that August date was the best there ever seen.
At the following affair I wasn't there but heard my friends to say
The year nineteen fifteen was the best they ever seen; it beat the former old home day.
I believed every word they said in what they told to me
They removed all doubts from my mind, with them I did agree.
One friend is Street Commissioner Connors who sent me an invitation
To come to Amboy there to enjoy the old home day celebration.

I receive the paper every week on its clean sheets I have seen
Three Photos of South Amboy girls in a contest to reign as Queen
There is a good write up for each of them over their talented education
I can plainly see each of the three are deserving of commendation.
Their numerous friends would like to see their own choice elected.
There is only one that's going to win, they will all try to expect it.
It will be a grand delight to witness the sight at the coronation
Of the honored Queen this year '16 on the old home day celebration

I remember one Salt Water Day, its many years ago,
A step dancer came to a picnic there, his name I did not know.
He danced on the platform vigorously with a pair of big strong shoes
And drew the attention of the crowd, the onlookers he did amuse.
To the tune he danced, I now forget whether 'twas a hornpipe or not.
When he got done there was lots of fun he said take it out of that.
Those Salt Water Days we loved to praise and were of gratification
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

Rev. D. Ernest McCurry of New York City preached at both the morning and evening services on Sunday last. Every one who had the pleasure of listening to Mr. McCurry greatly enjoyed the sermons, for they were especially helpful and inspiring. Mr. McCurry will be with us again on the coming Sunday. Come out and enjoy a spiritual treat.

Arrangements have been made to hold union prayer meetings, during the month of August. These services will be held in the Baptist, Methodist Episcopal, Presbyterian and Methodist Protestant churches, consecutively. The laymen will have entire charge of these services, so the success of these meetings depends upon you. Come out and do your part loyally.

The first of these meetings will be held next Thursday, August 3rd, in the Baptist Church. The members of the congregation of the Protestant Methodist Church will be in charge. A good meeting is guaranteed.

Remember Sunday School is now held at ten o'clock on Sunday morning. We are sorry the attendance is not as good as usual. We are working for quality, surely, in God's service; but we appreciate quantity, also. We need your presence to encourage us. Come out and you will receive a blessing, through the study of God's word.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice that the Subscriber, Administratrix, etc., of Matthew Eler deceased, intends to exhibit her final account to the Orphans' Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the fourth day of August, 1916, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April 1916, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate.

Dated June 29, 1916.

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MIDDLESEX COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.

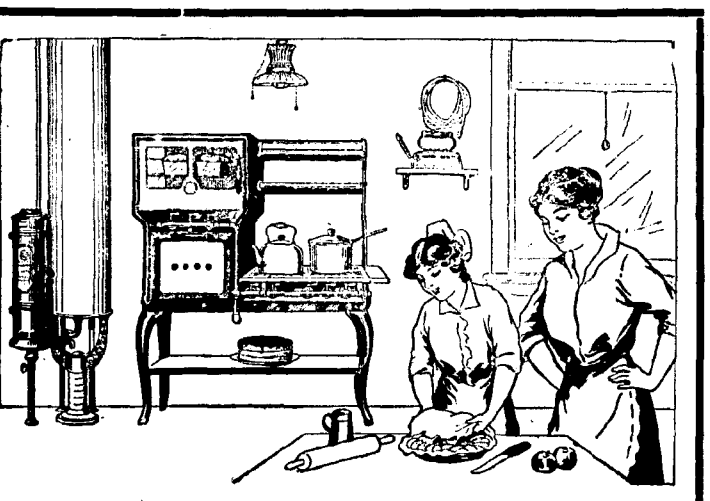
John Fee, Jr., Plaintiff, vs. Michael J. O'Shea, Defendant.—In Attachment.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment was issued out of the Middlesex County Circuit Court against the rights and credits, moneys and effects, goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Michael J. O'Shea, an absent or absconding debtor, at the suit of John Fee, Jr., for the sum of $300, returnable on the twentieth day of June 1916, has been served and duly executed and was returned by the Sheriff of the County of Middlesex.

Dated July 6, 1916.

BERNARD M. GANNON,
Clerk.
JOHN A. COAN, Attorney. 7-8-4



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Perth Amboy Press states, "Councilman-at-large Stafford of South Amboy" was present at recent political meeting and aired his intention of running for Assembly this fall. If he does not have better luck than the newspapers have in spelling his name, it will be "a sad case," now won't it?

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Are caramels good for the teeth? Yes, my dear Franklin, if they are not pivot teeth.

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Why do not the city authorities place some braces on that traffic sign at Stevens avenue and Main street? At one time last Sunday it took the combined efforts of a "policeman" and a trolley conductor to hold it in a straightforward upright position.

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Extract from the Evening News' Wins——, no Matawan correspondence: "It was impossible to see the color of the fish, but the back of the shark was a smooth dark slate color." As Luke McLuke says—"Yes, but whadye mean?"

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Our friend "Billy the Bout" remarks that a five mile race out of South Amboy would be best. Is that so? Well we have heard it said that one of the finest things about P. A. was the number of railroads and trolleys to take you away from it.

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One of the freeholders walked through the "little Hole" at Penn avenue last Sunday. Wonder how he liked the nice black muck and slime he found on the sidewalk?

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in this office for the week ending July 28, 1916:

Blanche Shara, Joseph A. Tales, Jr., Edward Pearse, J. W. Pringle, Wm. Duncan, Master Fred Wurster, John Lynn, Stanley Leonard, Michael Kananagh, Fred Kirks, M. J. Creamer, R. Gregorie, Mrs. Catherine Coyne, Miss Jane V. Noble.

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Had Him Stumped.

An Irishman entered a New York post office for the purpose of mailing a letter to his fiancee. He paused in perplexity before a board containing three letter slots, bearing the words—"City," "Domestic," "Foreign!" "Faith," he muttered, "this is a pretty problem. Maggie's a domestic; she lives in the city, and she's a foreigner. What beats me is how I'm to get the letter into the three holes at wanst."

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PERSONAL

Brief Items Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

Mrs. Charles Peterson and son are visiting friends at Easton, Pa.

Jonathan Compton is quite ill at his home on Bordentown avenue.

Miss Anna Kwilinski is sojourning with friends at Beechurst, Long Island.

Miss Helen Applegate is enjoying the sea breezes at the Richard House, Asbury Park.

Mrs. Carleton J. Voorhees of Newark visited friends in this city on Tuesday last.

Rev. George W. Welsh of Camden spent Wednesday evening and Thursday in this city.

Mr. William H. Martin will leave town to-day for a fortnight's sojourn at Prattsville, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Sullivan have returned from a sojourn at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hardy spent Sunday last with their daughter, Mrs. George Chesman, at Easton, Pa.

Mrs. J. Leon Young of Newark was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Green of Stevens avenue on Saturday last.

T. W. Barnes of Gatona, Canal Zone, Panama, is North on his vacation. He will spend most of his time in this city, his former home. It has been three years since his last visit and he is happy in renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eisenman, of Norfolk, Va., spent the fore part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. Kaufman of Broadway. Mr. and Mrs. Eisenman are on their honeymoon and stopped here while enroute from Niagara Falls to Atlantic City.

FISHERMAN TOLD TALE THAT HIS ASSOCIATES PROVED FALSE

When John Nau went to haul his seine at Margaret's creek on Saturday one of his crew was missing. It was James Lynch, who makes his home in a small shanty on the fishing grounds. What became of him was a mystery and surmises of all kinds prevailed among the crew. The next day he turned up, however, and told a startling tale. He had visions of being a great hero and stated that he had been at Keyport and rescued a small girl and her mother from drowning. The rest of the crew wanted proof before giving credence to any such yarn. A visit to Seidler's told the story. Lynch had been there during the day and forgot to return in time for haulding the net. In order to get back to the shack, however, he had to cross over a small creek on a narrow plank, and in attempting to do so he fell into the creek, and got a good ducking. In order to explain the drenched condition of his clothes, he manufactured a story to tell the boys, but they were wise and his self-imposed heroism fell on deaf ears.

Properly Indignant.

Son (enthusiastically) — "Yes, father, I have fully made up my mind to adopt music as a career. I feel it is the only one in which my soul can find its full expansion." Father (indignantly)—"Very well, sir; if you will persist in your evil courses, instead of following your father in an honest hardware business, let me tell you that, when you have reached the height of your ambition, you needn't come playing before my door expecting to get any coppers."—London Mail.

Health and Wealth.

There is this difference between the two temporal blessings—health and money: money is the most envied, but the least enjoyed; health is the most enjoyed, but the least envied; and this superiority of the latter is still more obvious when we reflect that the poorest man would not part with health for money, but that the richest would gladly part with all his money for health.—Colton.

Avoid Calumniation.

"In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hysteria or exaggeration. To or to assail a decent man for something of which he is innocent is to give aid and comfort to every scoundrel, while indulgence in hysterical exaggeration serves to weaken, not strengthen, the statement of truth.—Theodore Roosevelt.

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