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For Philadelphia—1.01, 7.06, 8.07 and 9.24 a. m., 12.07, 1.53, 5.55, and 8.01 p. m. Sundays—1.01, 7.06, 10.50, a. m., 5.58, 7.58 and 9.55 p. m.

For Cape May—12.01 p. m.

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For Trenton—1.01, 7.06, 7.25, 8.07, and 9.24 a. m., 12.07, 1.53, 2.53, 5.53, 8.01 p. m. Sundays, 1.01, 7.06, 10.50 a. m., 4.51, 7.58 and 9.55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—12.27, 1.01, 7.06, 7.25, 9.07, 9.24 and 10.18 a. m., 12.07, 1.13, 2.23, 3.46, 4.48, 5.32, 6.56, 8.01 p. m. Sundays—1.01, 7.06, 10.02 and 10.50 a. m., 1.02, 4.08, 6.08, 7.58, 9.25 and 9.55 p. m.

For Metuchen—12.27, 1.01, 7.25, 8.40, 9.24, and 10.18 a. m., 12.07, 1.53, 2.53, 3.46, 4.48, 5.32, 6.56, 8.01 p. m. Sundays—1.01 and 10.03 a. m., 1.02, 4.08, 5.03, 6.38 and 7.58 p. m.

For Menlo Park—12.27, 7.25, and 10.18 a. m., 12.07, 1.53, 2.53, 3.46, 5.32, 6.56 and 8.01 p. m. Sundays—10.02 a. m., 1.02, 4.08, 5.03, 6.26, 7.58 p. m.

For Metuchen, Edgar's and Spa Springs—7.01 and 11.10 a. m., 3.36, 5.44, 6.23, 7.24 and 10.58 p. m.

For Woodbridge—7.01, 9.53, and 11.10 a. m., 12.45, 3.36, 5.44, 6.23, 7.24 and 10.58 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—7.01, 9.53, 11.10 a. m., 12.45, 3.36, 5.44, 6.23, 7.24 and 10.58 p. m.

F. E. R. Crossing—9.53 a. m., 12.45 and 5.44, p. m.

For South Amboy—9.53 a. m. 12.45, 5.44 p. m.

For Matawan—9.13 a. m., 12.45 and 5.44 p. m.

For Red Bank—9.23 a. m., 12.45, 4.10, 5.44 p. m.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, Ocean Beach, Spring Lake, Sea Girt, Manasquan and Point Pleasant—9.53 a. m., 12.45, 4.10, 5.44 p. m.

For Bay Head, Toms River and intermediate stations, 9.53 a. m., 5.44 p. m., daily, except Sunday. 12.45 Mondays and Saturdays only.

Sunday trains leave Rahway for points on N. J. & Long Branch road—9.55 a. m., 5.44 p. m.

For Elizabeth—2.49, 5.35, 6.05, 6.34, 6.55, 7.08, 7.34, 7.47, 8.01, 8.20, 8.26, 8.38, 9.33, 10.07, 10.20, 10.40, 11.25 a. m., 12.45, 1.15, 1.40, 2.02, 3.16, 4.35, 4.53, 5.28, 5.57, 6.30, 6.54, 7.43, 8.08, 8.32, 9.09, 9.40, 10.25 and 11.31 p. m. Sundays—2.49, 8.08, 8.45, 9.33, 9.58, 10.37 and 10.40 a. m., 12.30, 1.32, 2.30, 3.31, 4.33, 5.22, 6.52, 7.00, 8.32, 9.09, 9.36, 10.03 and 11.18 p. m.

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Going to Rest.

In solemn silence down the west
The glorious sun hath sunk once more,
And to the lonest toiling poor
Come with the gleaming peace and rest.
The butterfly hath ceased to roam,
The busy bee hath left the flower,
And high above the old church tower
The sable rooks go cawing home.
And age so grave, and youth so spry,
Turn from the task which brings the bread,
To where the evening meal is spread,
And all their household treasures lie.
The young wife greets her constant swain,
Fresh from the field, with cheerful eyes;
The lonesome widow softly sighs,
And calls to mind her youth again—
That time when one as fair and hale,
For love of her, with ready hand
Scattered the seed-corn o'er the land
Or swung the scythe or plied the flail.
To where he dwelt supremely blest,
The gentle breezes wait a prayer
That soon her hour of toil and care
May yield to an eternal rest.

Cissy's Lover.

It was an ordinary picture—a pretty, slender young girl seated under an ivy-wreathed porch, darning stockings; but Philip Staunton's eyes brightened as they rested upon it, and a strange thrill stirred his unusually unsusceptible heart.

"Have I traversed the wide world over and gone unscathed all these years," he asked himself, "only to fall in love, at first sight, with a rustic divinity out in the wilds of Yorkshire?"

At the sound of his footsteps the girl looked up, with a startled air, the lovely peach-bloom color deepening and brightening in her velvety cheeks.

What Cissy Moreland saw was a tall, dark young man, of eight-and-twenty, with a somewhat listless expression upon his fine, handsome face. He wore a tourist's dress of gray tweed, and carried a small knapsack slung across his broad shoulders.

"May I trouble you for a drink of water?" he asked, in a low, musical voice, that made the young girl stare, its refined accents were so different from the rough speech to which she was accustomed.

Before Cissy could comply with the request, the kitchen door swung suddenly open, and a hard, strong-featured face, with beetling black brows and fiery eyes, peered out.

Mrs. Moreland, Cissy's stepmother.

"Don't come in here!" she cried, in a shrill, acrid voice, glowering angrily at the astonished young man. "You have nothing I want in that thing. I never deal with tramps."

"Oh, mother!" cried Cissy, in dismay. "I am sure this man is no pedler."

"He's something worse, then, and had better go about his business."

Mrs. Moreland was about to slam the door, when, by an amusing coincidence, a pedler's cart drove into the yard.

She was one of those women who make "distinctions." Though unable to abide one who carried his pack on his own back, she had a weakness for pedlers who had arrived at the distinction of driving a cart.

The angry look instantly vanished from her coarse face, leaving it bland and smiling. She decided that Philip must be the avant courier.

"I'm sure I beg your pardon," she said humbly. "I took you for one of the sort that goes about with smuggled goods made at home, and cheap laces they try to palm upon one as genuine thread. I'm disgusted with the whole tribe. And Cissy there has put me all out of temper with her trifling and idling. Just like her dead mother, they say. It's a dreadful trial to have another woman's child to bring up. I would never have married Robert Moreland had I known he would up and die at the end of five years and leave me to take care of his first wife's brat. I have children enough of my own to look after."

Cissy was accustomed to these tirades, but they always brought tears to her eyes. She might have retorted that her stepmother had seized upon the bit of property that was left, and used it for her own progeny, and kept her slaving from morning till night, but she refrained.

"Wait a minute," Mrs. Moreland resumed gurgulously. "I've got a lot of rags stowed away in the garret that I've been keeping until the right person comes along. If you don't mind being hindered, I'll go and gather them up."

A roguish twinkle showed itself in Philip Staunton's eyes, as the good woman disappeared in the direction of the upper regions.

"My pack only contains the kit of a strolling artist," he said smilingly. "But here comes the real Simon Pure," as a freckle-faced man, with a scraggy, sandy mustache, climbed the steps, bringing an armful of linware and some old-fashioned steelyards. "I shall abdicate to his favor."

Cissy's cheeks were burning hotly, but she caught up her straw hat and bringing a tumbler from the pantry shelf led the way to the well, in the shadow of some lilac bushes at the rear of the house.

Philip drank the cool water she proffered, as though it had been ambrosia. On returning the empty glass his gaze happened to fall upon the pin that fastened Cissy's collar. It was a cameo of considerable value—a portrait finely cut; but it did not look out of place, though her dress was of common calico.

"I beg your pardon," he said eagerly. "But may I ask where you got that brooch?"

"It was my mother's," Cissy replied; "that's why I like to wear it."

"An heirloom! Can you tell me anything of its history?"

"Very little. My mother prized it highly. The likeness is that of some relative—a great aunt, I believe."

"What was your mother's maiden name?" he inquired.

"Cicely Durrant."

Philip gazed at the young girl curiously. He would have said more, but Mrs. Moreland's shrill voice sounded at that instant, calling sharply for Cissy.

"Don't be loitering there, you good-for-nothing child. You might try to make yourself useful occasionally. You've only been a

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celebrated $512.47 warrant was argued before Judges Dixon and Reed, in the Supreme Court, on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Ex-Senator Stone argued for the Mayor and ex-Mayor Collins, of Jersey City, for the applicant, Treasurer Langstaff. The decision will probably not be given for some time. Lawyer Deacon is associated with Mr Stone, for the Mayor.

The Camden *Post* Rep., says:—There is no use in mincing words on this Gubernatorial question in New Jersey. We have been through the mill so often and have been ground so fine between the upper and the nether millstone, that it is high time to cease being self-deceived or to resort to deceiving others. The Republicans of New Jersey must indorse Gen. Fiske to win. If they have wit enough to seize the opportunity presented, they will elect the first Republican Governor since the days of Marcus L. Ward at the coming fall election.

About the only thing now left, for the Republicans of New Jersey in order to get within sight of the winning post is to adopt General Fisk as their nominee for Governor, pat the Prohibitionists on the back, tell them they are sorry they said such unkind things about St. John and his followers, say they did not mean it when they told them the Democrats gave them money to help them, and have a love feast, when and where all will be forgotten and forgiven. Then they may sit up with them on election night and hear the returns from upper Jersey.—*Mt. Holly Herald.*

A REPUBLICAN HOW-DYE-DO.—The Republican politicians of New Jersey are softly humming to themselves just now that pleasing refrain from the "Mikado," beginning, "Here's a how-dye-do, here's a state of things!"

William Walter Phelps, who could have had the Gubernatorial nomination for the asking, declines to run, or says he doesn't think he ought to. His friends in the Fifth Congressional district think he should remain at home and run again for Congress.

The moment Phelps's probable declination was announced, a score of candidates appeared. Among those now named are ex-Postmaster Ward, of this city, ex-Congressman Howey, of Warren, Senator Gardner, of Atlantic, Senator Griggs, of Passaic, ex-Mayor Collins, of Jersey City, Samuel H. Grey, of Camden, Garret A. Hobart, of Passaic, Jehiel G. Shipman, of Belvidere.

Meanwhile the tendency among the Republican masses is unquestionably in favor of indorsing Gen. Fiske, the Prohibition candidate.—*Newark Journal.*

The New Brunswick *Fredonian* of last week contained the valedictory of John F. Babcock, Esq., as its editor, which position he held for thirty-three years. Recently, as referred to by us, a stock company was formed and Mr. Babcock, in order to relieve himself of the business cares of the establishment sold out to the company, retaining some of the stock, and understanding that he would still continue the editor at a stipulated salary. He was therefore greatly surprised, after only a few weeks of the new arrangement, to receive notice from the board of managers that his services would not be needed after the first of June. Thus, after spending a third of a century, and the best portion of his life with the paper, it is but natural that he should deeply feel the severance under these circumstances. We sincerely regret his retirement from the active editorial fraternity, and hope it will only be temporary. Although of opposite politics, we have been intimately associated with him in matters connected with the interest of newspapers of the state nearly ever since we entered the business, and always found him to be honorable and unselfish in all transactions. He has been a hard worker and is deserving of a better fortune at his time of life.

It appears very strange to the observing mind that there are any citizens of Rahway who cannot realize the intentions of those behind the scenes, in the opposition to the managers of the compromise. The adjustment of the city debt has been successfully carried on, as is admitted, except by a very few who are either opposed to any kind of a compromise, or have a personal jealousy of, or spite against some person or persons connected with its arrangement. The compromise, as is well known, was originated and has been carried on by Democrats and Democratic influences, supported and assisted by some of the unprejudiced Republicans. But the partisan Republicans observing that the compromise was so favorable progressing, and that the credit was due to the Democratic administration, have set themselves to work to bother the authorities in every way possible, and have worked upon the personal prejudices of a few Democrats in order to get their assistance. Nothing would suit them better now than to upset the compromise so that they might be able to say "We told you it would never succeed!" One of the surest means to accomplish their desires in this respect would have been to sanction the nominations for the new finance board, all the nominees being averse to the compromise, as shown by their acts and conversation.

The board of finance and finance committee of Council, of this city, had a conference with Hon. Amzi Dodd, representing the bondholders' committee, on Monday, in reference to the compromise. Mr. Dodd expressed satisfaction and pleasure at the favorable progress that has been made, and our authorities laid before him the resolutions recommended by the board of finance some months ago, providing that all holders of bonds who fail to exchange before a specified time shall have the accrued interest included in the amount to be compromised, and not receive the full interest from November 1882, the same as those who have exchanged their bonds. Mr. Dodd unhesitatingly approved and sanctioned such a proceeding, saying that there should be something done looking to a final completion of the compromise, and such a move as suggested would be an eminently proper one. The plan as insist upon by some of the late Common Council to advertise to limit the time for was also alluded to, but too sharp a finally come within a nt, and com- in e.

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ised that those who had been working earnestly for several months to create the Phelps "boom" were not inclined to permit him to refuse at this late hour. This feeling has steadily increased, and with very slight encouragement will make matters exceedingly lively for the Bergen statesmen. From all that can be learned, Mr. Phelps is squirming and twisting like a hooked fish, and shows no desire to be placed in the political frying pan and served up to a Democratic feast next November.

The Sewell men are in a sad, sad way. They are woeful pictures of Melancholy on a monument smiling at Grief. The blows have fallen thick and fast, and they are now in constant dread as to when the next "whack" will come. One of the hardest blows was the Phelps interview, none the less felt because it was entirely unlooked for. Until a series of consultations had been had, they had not expected action of such a serious and demoralizing character to be taken. It was supposed that the illness of Gen. Sewell had postponed the necessary conferences. To put it mildly, they are very indignant, and yet until they are told the wishes of the leaders are not disposed to talk very freely. A more disgruntled, dispirited, anxious looking set of men could hardly be found this side of the State of New Jersey. "Sold out," "treachery," "I had no faith in the——silk stockings, anyway," and other suggestive, if not polite, remarks are at times overheard. Should the word be given to "pitch in," how the "fur" would fly. It does not seem probable that the wished for privilege will be given. The "cue," when it is passed along, is more than likely to be on the other tack. The orders will probably require all crimination and recrimination to be stopped at once; the ranks to be closed up, and every effort made to rally the demoralized forces.

Gen. Sewell cannot afford to antagonize Mr. Phelps, whatever course he may finally decide to pursue. If Mr. Phelps, notwithstanding all that he has done to secure the nomination, cannot be induced to run for Governor then as the next best thing, his aid and support in his district must be had. "A half loaf is better than no bread," is a truism recognized by politicians as well as other folks. Should Phelps absolutely refuse—and indications now all point that way—then he and his friends will guarantee to take care of the legislative ticket in the Fifth district, as well as contribute liberally to the cause in the rest of the State. Whether he will be quietly knifed for his alleged "treachery," "social status" and "silk stockings" affiliations, time alone can develop. It will be well for his friends to look out for and guard against it. No small amount of bad blood has been made and it is sure to be worked off on some one. That is as certain as taxes.

There is no disputing the fact that Mr. Phelps is in a most unfortunate dilemma. If he should conclude that it is best for him to accept the nomination for Governor, he will do so in the face of every indication of an overwhelming defeat. Should he, on the other hand continue to refuse, then you can bet that there will be a pretty mess, which will so complicate matters as to make it even difficult for him to carry his own district again. The people have the heartiest contempt for cowardice, and cowardice in politics is more than a fault—it is a crime. Mr. Phelps's refusal to run for Governor, after having made every effort to secure the nomination will be accepted as direct proof of cowardice. He can take either horn of the dilemma. The "boom" was evidently "too previous," and if there is not a very decided change for the better, the probabilities are that the Hon. William Walter Phelps will be hoisted by his own petard.

The Washington correspondent of the Jersey City *Argus* in some "gossip about New Jersey politics" says:

It is the opinion of a Democratic Representative from New Jersey with whom he conversed, that Congressman Phelps will be forced into the candidacy for the U. S. Senatorship against Senator Sewell next fall, and that the gubernatorial nomination will be thrown overboard, as it were. "The Republicans will make their fight," he said, "in the legislative districts. That is their programme and it will be carried out." He was also of the opinion that neither Congressman Green nor Attorney General Stockton would allow their names to go before the Democratic nominating convention, but thought Hon. Thomas Kayes, of Sussex, or Chancellor Runyon would be asked to accept the gubernatorial nomination. "The Democratic candidate for Governor will not come from Hudson county this year," concluded the representative. "The fact that Governor Abbett is a Hudson county man, and that he is in the Senatorial race, will spoil the chances of several aspirants from that locality."

Ex-Congressman Peddie, of Orange, N. J., is here. Referring to the outlook in the State he said: "I am a Republican myself, but I believe the prohibition movement in the State is going to hurt us more than it will the Democrats. We don't like it at all. Hon. William Walter Phelps is our candidate for Governor, but I don't think he wants the position. He is doing more good in his present place in Congress. I think one of the Democratic candidates of whom the strongest is ex-Governor Bedle, will succeed Mr. Abbett. The fiercest fight will be in the Legislature this Fall, when it goes to elect a United States Senator in the place of Senator Sewell. I believe he wants to come back, but scarcely think he will succeed. Mr. Phelps would have a better show."

THE EDITORIAL REUNION.—The executive committee of the N. J. Editorial Association had a conference, on Monday, and in comparing notes found they had about three hundred applications for the two hundred tickets for the annual reunion at the Thousand Islands and Montreal. The committee was in somewhat of a quandary as to how to solve this difficult problem of putting so many pegs in such a few holes; finally it was agreed to slightly extend the limit of tickets, and then make a pro rata cut on their respective lists of applicants—giving preference, of course, to those directly connected with the fraternity. The lists will be completed on Monday, and tickets will be ready for distribution after that day.

Judge Depue has appointed commissioners for Newark, under the Martin tax law, which provides for readjustment of assessments and sale of property absolutely. The commissioners recently appointed for Elizabeth are moving slowly and considering well all points before proceeding. As that city was the first to adopt the law it will be watched with interest by other cities, which will also adopt it, no doubt, if it works well. Ex-Gov. Ludlow being at the head of the Elizabeth commission is an assurance that all points will be well considered from a legal standpoint.

Secretary J. H. Laird, of the State Committee predicts that the Democrats will carry the state at the coming election by the largest majority ever known—and we guess he is about right if the Democrats exercise wisdom in their selection of candidates.

THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO BRIDGE.

The bill to bridge the Arthur Kill was passed by the House of Representatives on Monday by a practically unanimous vote viz: 189 to 8. As it had already passed the Senate, the signature of the President will now give the Baltimore and Ohio road the right of way across to Staten Island. Riparian rights have already been granted by the Legislature of New York, and the final fight will come before the Legislature of New Jersey. By the 1st of next January the officers of the Baltimore and Ohio say they will have trains running through to Staten Island. The road from Baltimore to Philadelphia will be completed by Aug. 1st. The present bill was introduced by Mr. Belmont in the first session of the Forty-eighth Congress, and Mr. Townshend, of Illinois, passed it through Monday under a personal call. The reports say that the negative votes were cast by mistake by a trio of Southern members who were conversing at the lobby door. They afterwards said it was their intention to vote for the passage of the bill. Had it not been for their mistake the affirmative vote would have been unanimous. The New Jersey members present were Messrs. McAdoo, Phelps, Hires, Buchanan and Lehlbach. They all refrained from voting. At the request of Congressman Morrison, the report of Major Burr, the engineer officer in charge of the harbor defenses in the vicinity of the Arthur Kill, was read by the Clerk. It showed the injury that would result to the channel at the precise point contemplated for the erection of the bridge, and recommending that it be located a short distance south of the present site. The motion being to suspend the rules, no amendment was in order, and Congressman Buchanan, asked unanimous consent to offer an amendment which would obviate the objections of the engineer officer.

Representative Findlay, of the Baltimore district, and several other members objected, and a scene of confusion followed, fully one hundrd members being on their feet at the same time, and a majority of them shouting "Vote!" "Vote!" A *viva voce* vote was then taken as to whether the bill should be put on its final passage. A thundering chorus of "ayes" followed. The negative was a solitary doleful "no," uttered by Representative Morrison, who opposed the consideration of the bill on general principles.

The friends of the bill took advantage of individual suspension day in order to prevent amendments being offered and to cut off debate. Individual suspension day comes once a month, and the Speaker allows the member whom he recognizes, by previous arrangement, to call up any bill he has in charge. When a measure comes up under this suspension it cannot be amended.

Special Correspondence of the DEMOCRAT.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

THE JUNE BRIDES AND THE SCARLET LETTER OF COMMERCE.

The Summer with showers of sun and flower has touched with golden lustres grassy leagues and shimmering deep of sea. Flitters of fashion find brick and mortar uncongenial; hence to the wage winner and the stranger within the gates of this great gay Gotham accrues the loaves and fishes of diminished values in a certain tower of traffic where builders are busy with a structure which will astonish and amaze sojourners—with the habitues of that wide wonderful East side world of enterprise and swiftly aggregated humanity.

It is a well known fact that the Ridleys' sell more goods and sell them cheaper than any other house in America. They buy in quantities for cash; and of course, can well afford to share their profits with patrons. The red letters of reduction attest 50 per cent. below the original mark in each and every department of their vast storehouse of supply. The superb new building in process necessitates the sacrifice and it is made regardless of cost, when space is a specific augment in favor of commercial progress that stock must suffer.

MILLINERY.

Ribbons generally have a fancy edge. Beige colored rough straw hats are in vogue. Velvet facings leave an edge of straw showing above it. Crepe trimmings are thickly rolled around the bonnet. Ribbon velvet dotted all over with small beads are used for loops. Rolling brims are faced with bias folds of velvet over lapping each other. Jet bonnets are fancied with white, black, or colored lace rosettes. Corset fronts of flowers are relieved with silk tulle, and give a very soft effect. Sailor hats are trimmed with a band and buckle, or scarfs and knots. Ostrich tips are used in profusion with gauze ribbons, and fancy pins. Rough-and-ready bonnets are trimmed with bows of plain and striped ribbons and strings of plain. Cream colored lace and mull will be used extensively for trimming rough straw this summer. Ribbon loops on bonnets are fastened on the top, extending toward the back, are of several shades, the flowers being placed in the centre of the loops. Glass beads of every color, are served in groups over crowns, or to the edge of the brims. Hanging peddants are also fancied for hats. Leghorn hats are bent in fanciful forms, faced with crepe or velvet, trimmed with feathers and fancy ribbons, or crepe and flowers. Rough-and-ready straws are trimmed with a scarf of dress fabric. These are very easily changed so that they will match the costume.

The prettiest Swiss cap for a little girl is the Normandy. It has a high back crown, corded brim and fluted ruching, edged with lace and very narrow ribbon bows, scattered through the ruching. Little girls' Summer hats will be broad brims. Mull shirred around the side and brim, and embroidered mull will cover the brim. A ribbon bow with long ends, fastened on the centre of the crown, is very stylish. Little girls can be seen wearing sun-bonnets, the same as those that our great grandmothers wore. They are made of Victoria lawn or linen which have corded brims and tucked curtains. The inside ruche is of lace and narrow ribbon loops, lined with pink or blue silk.

That joy and terror of the modern domicile yclept the small boy, sticks to the conviction that his mission is to make life a burden to all dwellers in his vicinity; hence in my opinion, Hackett, Carhart & Co., have done an injudicious thing in offering the premium of a brass drum to every purchaser of clothing in the Boys' Department of their old stronghold corner Broadway and Canal street, New York. True no other house can approximate the graces of all garments shown at this time honored stronghold, but oh! *think of the clatter to come!* Yet, even a Merchant Prince may not always command the mails (males), and a drum may not go with the breeches per post, yet the boy disappointed, makes the drum irresistable, and the buyer meekly owns himself *beaten* after all.

SALLIE J. BATTEY.

A Washington correspondent referring to the Congressional delegation from New Jersey and the prospects of renomination, has the following to say of our representative:

Judge Robert S. Green, of Elizabeth, who represents the Third Congressional District, is one of the most distinguished lawyers in Congress. As a member of the House Committees on Elections and Private Land Claims he has rendered valuable service to the country. He is rather short and stout, and his round and pleasant face, with an iron gray moustache, bears a striking resemblance to that of the late Gen. Winfield S. Hancock. Since Judge Green declines to be considered in the light of a gubernatorial candidate, his friends who are here claim that the weak opposition to him will fail far short of defeating. He defeated Kean, who represented the Third District last session, by a majority of 1,848.

President Cleveland and his bride returned to the White House Tuesday evening, after enjoying the weeks' honeymoon at Deer Park.

COUNTY COURTS.

Edward Kelly, who was bartender at the City Hotel, Plainfield, last summer, was tried for perjury on Thursday last. It was charged that Kelly sold liquor in the hotel on a Sunday, over a year ago, and when brought up before the City Judge to testify on the trial of his employer for the offense, swore he did not sell any. The defense was that Kelly was not at the hotel on the Sunday referred to, but in New York, witnesses testifying to that effect. The jury after a short absence returned a verdict of acquittal.

Frederick DeGraw was found guilty of seducing Mamie Long, of Roselle, under the promise of marriage. Wm. Daly, of Hoboken, was his lawyer and ably defended him. He made application for a new trial, and Thursday of this week was fixed as the time for argument.

Major Stanley, who pleaded guilty and was sentenced to State Prison for two years for embezzling $4,500 from the Elizabethport Cordage Works was taken to that institution Saturday by Sheriff Stiles.

The second trial of Herman Stoedner, for keeping a disorderly house in Linden took place on Tuesday. He was tried at the January term, and the jury failed to agree. The same was the result of the second trial. The jury went out shortly after three o'clock in the afternoon and remained out all night. They came in when court commenced on Wednesday morning and announced no prospect of an agreement, and were discharged.

The Samuel Tice case was tried a second time, commencing on Wednesday morning, and concluding near noon on Thursday. The jury after a short deliberation returned a verdict of guilty. The Prosecutor in his summing up took occasion to say that he would have Annie Keetch, the complainant, committed to the industrial school for girls.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.

The following communication was presented at the last meeting of the Common Council, and was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Police. As numerous persons have asked what the petition was, and who signed it, we comply with the requests of several citizens and publish it in full:

To the Common Council of City of Rahway:

We the undersigned respectfully petition your honorable body, to have a contract made with the Tesla Electric Light Co. for the purpose of lighting the streets of Rahway with electric lights. This we believe would be of a considerable benefit and advantage to the city in general, and would give entire satisfaction to the taxpayers and citizens, even if it cost a little more than it now costs to light the streets with gas.

Dated May 28, 1886.

F. L. Sheldon, W. A. Turner, E. Laing, G. F. Morris, H. Dayt. Crowell, Chr. Ehrlich, Geo. W. Gilby, J. E. Tier, Wm. A. Corson, L. S. Hyer, George F. Brown, Jos. T. Mead, Thos. H. Shafer, D. B. Dunham, R. A. Toms, M. H. Acken, W. Terrill, S. B. Morss, F. W. Martin, Phil. E. Tufts, Josephus Shann, James H Durand, Henry C. Wilson, George Miller, Joseph Wooster, J. B. Freeman, Jas. T. Melick, F. L. Schuppmann, H. Page Hough, Chas. H. Lambert, Wm. Howard, F. L. Graves, Ira LaForge, Linus High, M. W. Baumgartner, Henry McManus, Frank P. Freeman, D. K. Ryno, Chas. H. Jackson, N. V. Compton, John M Tufts, Samuel Leonard, John J. Leonard, John E. Moore, H. Rosenbaum, Rosenbaum & Stein, David B. Hetfield, A. V. Shotwell, Ira Osborn, Elihu B. Silvers, Birkett & Paterson, James Birkett, J. T. Oakley.

The new law about notes passed by the last Legislature, makes New Year's, Washington's Birthday, Decoration Day, Independence Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, general election days, and any day set apart by the Governor or by the President, legal holidays. If either falls on Sunday, the Monday next will be observed, and all notes or bills of exchange being due and payable on such Sunday or Monday shall be due and payable the Tuesday following. It makes notes falling due Sunday payable on the first business day following. Section 5 provides that in case of dishonor of any note, etc., being due and payable on any of the days referred to, twenty-four hours shall be allowed in addition to the time at which such note or bill of exchange draft is due or payable under the act, in which to give notice of such dishonor, and every such notice so given shall be valid to all intents and purposes, and that all checks payable on any of above named holidays, or on Sunday as above named, shall fall due the same day as other drafts and notes.

The bill was not filed by the Governor until June 1st, and it is a question whether the Governor has a legal right to hold it so long without action. The act makes a different system of protests from that prevailing in any other part of the country.

The complimentary concert given to Prof. J. G. Beck, organist of the 2d Presbyterian church, at that church, last Thursday evening, was a success in every way. The church was filled by an audience composed of the best people of the city, and the programme was an excellent one, nearly every number being encored. Each performer did so well that we will not undertake to mention individual ones, but give the excellent programme, as follows: Quartet, "Stars of the Summer Night," Mrs. Ross, Miss Thompson, Messrs. Dunham and Barnes—the choir of that church; Solo, "With Verdure Clad," Miss Nettie Smith; solo, "Thursday," Prof. Bragdon, of New Brunswick; duet, "Schubert's Serenade," Mrs. Woodruff and Mr. Dunn; solo, "Those Evening Bells," Mrs. Commoss; solo, "Anchored," Mr. Geo. W. Liggett; cornet duet by Messrs. Gilbert and Hildebrant; quartet, "Vogel's Waltz," Miss Smith, Mrs. Commoss, Messrs. Stoddard and Moore—St. Paul's quartet; solo, "Springtime," Mrs. Ross; piano solo by Mrs. Sperry; solo, "The Angel at the Window," Mr. Dunn; reading by Col. J. Blanchard Edgar; quartet by the church choir; selections by Prof. Bragdon. Mr. Beck was the accompanist. The platform was profusely decorated with potted plants and everything bore a pleasing air. Before the conclusion of the programme Mr. Beck came forward and in a neat speech thanked the audience for the flattering attendance, and especially the committee in charge, the pastor, and all who so kindly assisted, which was received with enthusiastic applause.

The June *Magazine of American History* is a strong and intensely interesting number. Six articles of antiquarian and historic prominence precede three current War literature—nine in all, and each a treasure in itself. "Sketch of San Antonio," with which the number opens touches upon some of the most exciting events in the history of Texas, and is as readable as a romance; its illustrations of the old mission buildings carry us back to the beginnings of America with wonder and admiration. From early Texas to modern Canada seems but a step, and Dr. Bender's argumentative paper is a striking feature of the issue. The several departments are crowded with matters of the first interest and importance. This magazine is a veritable necessity in every good Library collection. Typographically it is not excelled by any periodical extant. Publication office, 30 Lafayette Place, New York City.

MR. EDITOR:—I learn from the latest by new horse railroad, that "all is quiet on Church street." The shot-gun cate-gocry war, is about over. And if cats would stop striking for chicken diet throughout the country, peace and quiet might reign once more categorically. Uptown folks seem quite happy to think they have past the horrible catastrophe, the result of which is nothing but a catecomb of cats that will never caterwaul by moon light again, cats who have been in the habit catching on to chickens will have to cater so that their catalogue will not call for spring chickens. Buck-shot catsplasms, produce cheap catskins.

S-O-A-T.

MR. EDITOR:—It appears to be a custom for young girls to gather on some of our streets to watch the young men as they pass and comment on their feet; now suppose the boys should congregate and return the compliment. Oh my, wouldn't we be just too rude for anything. We think it would be good idea for the mothers of some of our young girls who frequent the streets to take them in and administer a little of the old time chastisement with a slipper and instruct them in a way they should go.

ONE OF THE BOYS.

The Plainfield *News* has the following: Thursday afternoon an old man came skipping up stairs, two steps at a time, to our office to see the editor. He was nimble, smiling and jolly, with keen, bright black eyes and white hair. So sprightly was he that he excited our curiosity, and we learned that it was James Mulford Cory Smith who was born at Elizabeth in 1840, and marrying Miss Percy Payne, daughter of a Revolutionary soldier, who had served under General Washington. Miss Fanny Cory Smith, their daughter, is an only child. Mr. Smith engaged in the hardware business in 1840, starting a few doors north of the First National Bank, and a few years latter on the site of that institution. In 1872 his place of business was destroyed by fire, and he then bought a farm of forty-three acres on Greenbrook road, between Washington Rock and Dunellen, and has since resided there. His wife, who is over seventy years of age, is even more sprightly. She was born when her father was quite old, and with one exception is the only living Revolutionary child here, the other case known being that of William Stansbury of Scotch Plains, the son-in-law of Abram Runyon of this city, father of Honorable Theodore Runyon, the keenest of New Jersey lawyers, the commander of the New Jersey troops at the outbreak of the rebellion, and at present the Chancellor of this state.

During the first year of Cleveland's administration millions of dollars were saved in the reduction of expenses, while the amount of revenue was increased millions more. A showing of $27,000,000 in favor of a Democratic administration is what will commend it to the good judgment of the people.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the Rahway Post Office June 10th, 1886: R. Freeman, Frank Schleier, Mrs. M. Woods.

Persons calling for the above will please say "advertised."

S. M. OLIVER, P. M.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

of THE NATIONAL BANK OF RAHWAY, at Rahway, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business, June 3rd, 1886.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$115,136 24
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	47,500 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	50,000 00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	17,840 00
Due from approved Reserve Agents	17,98 94
" " other National Banks	2,713 86
Real Estate, furniture and fixtures	23,000 00
Current expenses and tax paid	1,093 55
Premiums paid	6,462 75
Checks, and other cash items	1,314 01
Bills of other Banks	5,836 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	14 29
Specie	10,221 00
Legal Tender Notes	21,070 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. of circulation	2,125 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. Redemption Fund	75 00
	$319 714 76

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Undivided profits	7,266 91
National Bank Notes outstanding	42,500 00
Individual Deposits subject to check	160,446 94
Certified Checks	163 83
Cashier's Checks outstanding	1,321 66
Due to other National Banks	7,109 55
" " State Banks and Bankers	817 47
	$319,744 76

State of New Jersey, County of Union—ss.

I, M. W. BRETT, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. M. W. BRETT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of June, 1886. N. V. COMPTON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest,

D. M. PRICE, LINUS HIGH, ITA LAFORGE, } Directors.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Board of Assessors for the City of Rahway have completed the assessment list of Real and Personal Property liable to taxation in said city, and that the said assessments will be open for public inspection, examination and correction, at the office of said Board, City Hall, on

Thursday, the 3rd day of June,

1886, between the hours of 3 and 5 P. M., and every day thereafter between said hours (Sundays excepted),

UNTIL FRIDAY, JUNE 25th, 1886.

N. V. COMPTON,
THOS. W. REYNOLDS,
WM. JEWELL,
JOHN A. VAN ORTWICK,
BENJ. H. MILLER,
Board of City Assessors.

Dated Rahway, N. J., May 28th, 1886 5w

UNION COUNTY SURROGATE'S OFFICE—May 22d, 1886.—James H. Durand, the Administrator of John H. Durand, deceased. Surrogate's Order to Limit Creditors.

On application of the above named Administrator, it is ordered that said Administrator give public notice to the creditors of the estate of said decedent to bring in their debts, demands or claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from this date, by setting up a copy of this Order, within twenty days hereafter, in five of the most public places in the county of Union, for two months, and also within the said twenty days, by advertising the same in the NATIONAL DEMOCRAT for the same space of time; and if any creditor shall neglect to exhibit his or her debt, demand or claim, within the said period of nine months, public notice being given as aforesaid, such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the said Administrator.

By JAS. J. GERBER, Surrogate.

Jun 4-9w.

UNION COUNTY SURROGATE'S OFFICE, May 20th, 1886.—James Bolton, the Administrator of Andrew Corson, deceased. Surrogate's Order to Limit Creditors.

On application of the above named Administrator it is ordered that said Administrator give public notice to the Creditors of the estate of said decedent to bring in their debts, demands or claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from this date, by setting up a copy of this Order, within twenty days hereafter in five of the most public places in the county of Union, for two months, and also within the said twenty days, by advertising the same in the NATIONAL DEMOCRAT for the same space of time; and if any Creditor shall neglect to exhibit his or her debt, demand or claim, within the said period of nine months, public notice being given as aforesaid, such Creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the said Administrator. By

JAS. J. GERBER, Surrogate.

Address Rev. JAMES BOLTON, 1293 Woodruff avenue, New York City. may 28-9w.

MASTER'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey.—Between Jannette A. Allen and husband, complainants, and Thomas J. Kinsey and others, defendants. On decree for sale in partition. Lands situate in the City of Rahway, County of Union and State of New Jersey.

The sale of the said lands and premises stands adjourned for four weeks until

THURSDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JUNE NEXT, 1886,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at Chamberlin's Hotel, in the City of Rahway, Union county, New Jersey.

Dated May 20th, 1886.

EDWARD S. ATWATER, Special Master in Chancery of New Jersey.

VAIL & WARD, Solicitors.

Fees—$3.00 may 21-4w

AN ORDINANCE to change the name of that portion of Adams street lying between Broad street and Madison avenue to Maple avenue.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Rahway:

Sec. 1. That the portion of Adams street, from Broad street to Madison avenue, shall from and after the passage of this ordinance, be known as Maple avenue.

Passed June 1st, 1886.

B. FRANK CROWELL, President of the Common Council.

Attest: FRANKLIN MARSH, City Clerk.

Approved June 2d 1886.

J. J. DALY, Mayor.

June 4-1w

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the account of the subscriber, Administrator of Cornelia Keeler, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the county of Union on Wednesday, the eleventh day of August next. VINCENT KEELER.

Dated May 21st, 1886. June 4-5w.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NATURE'S CURE FOR CONSTIPATION, PERFECT HEALTH Is impossible if the Digestion is impaired, the Liver inactive, or the Bowels constipated.

TARRANT'S SELTZER APERIENT

Tarrant's Effervescent SELTZER APERIENT, will cure Constipation, Sick Headache and Dyspepsia. It regulates the bowels and enables those of feeble digestion to enjoy their food. It reduces Fevers, Cools the Blood, is invaluable in Piles and Inflammatory Diseases, and is a justly esteemed Aperient for Children. Economical, Reliable, Elegant. It should be found in every household. Sold by druggists everywhere. Manufactured only by TARRANT & CO., New York. Jun 11-4w

Sick-Headache, AND DYSPEPSIA.

TIME IS MONEY! If you want to save both use SILVERETTE. It produces the most brilliant lustre and most durable polish on Silver, Plated Ware, Brass, Copper, and all other metals, also on Glass. The Ladies bless it, they never had anything to compare to it. It has no equal for polishing Show Cases, Soda Fountains, Measures, Scales, etc. It is as fine as four, never scratches. Ask your Grocer or Druggist for it, if he has not got it send 15 cents for Sample Box to O. SCHMIDT, Hoboken, N. J., Sole Agent. Agents Wanted for every Town and County.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE NATIONAL DEMOCRAT.

TRY the "Queen of the Perfumes," at KELLER'S (formerly Colds) drug store, 15 Main street. may 28-1m

QUICK -:- SALES —AT— SMALL PROFITS.

Enormous Assortment of MEN'S SUITS at $10.00, In Cassimeres and Corkscrews, all new, Fresh Goods and worth fully $15.

Great Variety of MEN'S SUITS at $12.00, In Cheviots, Diagonals, All desirable Goods and the latest designs.

Thousands of MEN'S SUITS at $15.00, Of the finest Material. Nobby Suits for Young Men and fully equal to Custom make

UNBOUNDED ASSORTMENT OF SPRING TOP COATS, Plain and Silk Faced, From $8.00 to $22.00.

EXTRAORDINARY INDUCEMENTS IN OUR Boys' and Children's Department

PERFECT GEMS IN BOYS' SUITS, $4, $5, $6, $7, $8.

BOYS' CONFIRMATION SUITS, $8, $10 and upwards.

CHILDREN'S SUITS, Plaited and Plain, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00.

SHIRT WAISTS, Latest Styles, 23c., 48c. and 65c.

SPECIAL NOTICE. We have opened a first class HAT DEPARTMENT, containing all the Leading Styles of Men's and Boys' Hats. Men's Derby Hat, $1.25; worth $2. Boys' Polo Caps from 10 cents up.

YOU CAN SAVE MONEY by making your purchases at the old-established house of

Max Stadler & Co.,

461, 463, 465 and 467 Broadway, Corner Grand Street, 619 and 621 Eight Avenue, Corner 40th Street, New York. apl 16-3m

CARPETS AND FURNITURE.

The Oldest, the Largest and the Most Reliable Establishment in the State.

AMOS H. VAN HORN,

73 MARKET ST., NEWARK, N. J.,

Offers this Spring the largest variety of different kinds of goods in his line that has ever been offered in that city.

NOTICE PRICES ON DIFFERENT GOODS.

CARPETS.

Velvets, $1.40, 1.25 and 1.00 per yard.
Body Brussels, $1.10, 1.00 and 90c. per yard.
Tapestry Brussels, 90c., 80c., 70c., 60c. and 50c. per yard.
Ingrain, 75c., 65c., 55c., 45c., 35c. and 25c. per yard.

PARLOR SUITS,

In all styles of frames and coverings, $350, 300, 250, 200, 150, 100, 75, 50 and up.

WALNUT BEDROOM SUITS.

Marble top, 8 pieces, $350, 300, 250, 200, 150, 100, 75, 50 and 40.

ASH BEDROOM SUITS,

8 pieces, $75, 65, 50, 40, 30 and 25.

CHERRY BEDROOM SUITS,

8 pieces, $150, 100, 75, 50, 40 and 35.

ENAMELLED BEDROOM SUITS,

$35, 30, 20 and 15.

MATTING OF ALL KINDS,

50c., 40c., 30c., 20c. and 15c. per yard.

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES,

$30, 30, 25, 20, 15, 10, 8, 6 and 5.

REFRIGERATORS

Of all kinds, Chest and Upright $30, 25, 20, 15, 10, 5 and 4.

See Price List Below:

Good Hair Mattress	$10 00
Good Mixed Mattress	3 00
Good Bed Lounge	4 95
Extension Table, 6 feet	4 95
Marble Top Table	3 50
Black Walnut Bedstead	4 50

I will sell these goods at these prices on credit if desired. Goods delivered free of charge to any part of the State.

Estimates cheerfully given to Country Boarding Houses and Hotels.

AMOS H. VAN HORN,

73 MARKET STREET, NEWARK, N. J.,

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, made on the twenty-eighth day of April, instant, the subscriber, Administrator *de bonis non* of Thomas Marsh, deceased, will expose for sale, by public vendue at Chamberlin's Hotel, in the City of Rahway, N. J.,

ON TUESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF JULY, A. D., 1886,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day,

All those certain lots of land and premises, situates, lying and being in the City of Rahway, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, described as follows:

The First Lot,—Beginning in the easterly line of Campbell (formerly Third) street at the southwesterly corner of lands of Susan VanWagener, formerly of Daniel S. Randolph, and thence running south twenty-seven and a half minutes east twenty-five feet along said street to a stake; thence north eighty-nine degrees thirteen and a half minutes east one hundred and two feet and nineteen hundredths of a foot along other lands of the estate of Thomas Marsh, deceased, to a stake; thence north fifty-seven and a half minutes west twenty-five feet also along other lands of said estate to the southeast corner of said lands of Susan VanWagener; thence south eighty-nine degrees, thirteen and a half minutes west one hundred and one feet and twenty-seven hundredths of a foot along her line to the beginning.

The Second Lot,—Beginning in the easterly line of Cornelia Keeler, at a point distant twenty-five feet in a southerly direction measured along the line of said street from the southwesterly corner of lands of Susan VanWagener, formerly of Daniel S. Randolph, said beginning point being the southwesterly corner of other lands of the estate of Thomas Marsh, deceased, and thence running south twenty-seven and a half minutes east twenty-three feet and five tenths of a foot along said street to a stake; thence north eighty-nine degrees, thirteen and a half minutes east one hundred and two feet and thirty-nine hundredths of a foot along other lands of said estate to a stake; thence north fifty-seven and a half minutes west twenty-three feet and five tenths of a foot along other lands of said estate to a stake at the southeasterly corner of the first above described lot; thence south eighty-nine degrees, thirteen and a half minutes west one hundred and two feet and nineteen h

National Democrat.

RAHWAY, N. J., JUNE 11th, 1886.

ONE CENT A WORD CORNER.

For the convenience of Housekeepers and others who desire to purchase, sell or exchange articles of daily use, we will insert any such notices under this heading for one cent a word—CASH, for each insertion.

If you want to sell anything—If you want to buy anything—If you want to exchange anything—TRY IT.

SHAILS, Shades, all made, with fringe, for sash rollers, ready to put up, 45c. 60 cents. June 4

SHAILS, Mowing Machine Oil, 50 cents a gallon.

SHAILS selling off Locks, Knobs, Butts and Hardware cheap. Call and see.

SHAILS Bone Dust for gardens and farms, $1.50 per hundred.

SHAILS Scythe and Scythe Snaths, Stones and Rifles. Scythes all ready for use.

SHAILS Chicken Wire and Mosquito Netting Wire cheap. Call and get prices.

SHAILS closing out Crockery and Glass-ware cheap.

FINE NEW ORGAN, first-class make, only $65, at the Music and Stationery Store, 191 Main street. may 14

MEETING of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the residence of Mrs. R. W. Robson, Cherry street, EVERY TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock. MRS. J. C. UNDERHILL, Secretary. may 14

FIRST-CLASS, four round corners, seven octaves, rosewood case, three stringers, patent action, for only $200, at the Music and Stationery Store, 191 Main Street. may 14

BANNER'S the Best Flour, $4.75, at SCHUPPMANN'S. apl 9

BLOCK has some nicely furnished summer houses at the seaside, for rent. ap23-tf

BURMAN'S SEEDS, ESTABLISHED 1815.—Warranted Garden Seeds: First quality Timothy; Tested Kentucky Blue Grass; Extra quality Clover, at Reduction Prices. Selected Vegetable Seeds; true to name; unsurpassed in quality; Choice Flower Seeds in their season. Wholesale and Retail. THOS. BRDMAN, Grower for the Leading Seed Firms of America, Washington Street, Bridgeton, N. J. mar 26-3m

CREAMERY BUTTER 25 cents per pound, at apl 9 P. L. SCHUPPMANN'S.

CASTORS for $2, at VESCELIUS'.

COIN SILVER THIMBLES for 25 cents, at VESCELIUS'.

BLUEBERRIES 25c. per quart; Beans 5c. per quart, at SCHUPPMANN'S. apl 9

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—A 6-room Cottage, corner Grant avenue and Price street. Inquire of FRANK T. CLADEK. apl 30-tf

FOR SALE.—A phaeton, very cheap. Apply at the Democrat office. MRS. ATWOOD CAMPBELL. June 11-1w*

FOR SALE.—A team of well trained, large and young Coats, weighing 265 lbs., kind and gentle, and good travelers; inquire at this office.

GOOD PAYING Established Business for sale cheap. Address "BUSINESS," DEMOCRAT office. may 28-tf

GOOD SURREY AND BUSINESS WAGON for sale cheap at this office. jun 11-1w

HOUSE TO LET. Apply to R. B. FORDHAM.

HAVE CROWELL, authorized Agent for the Howard Fire Insurance Co., of New York, and Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., of Newark. Also, Real Estate and General Agency. Office, Exchange Building. may 14

JUNE TEMPERANCE UNION MEETING every Friday at 3.30 P. M., Reform Club Rooms.

LUMBER—All kinds cheap for cash at A. L. Ludlow's yard, foot of Lewis street.

LIVE AND DRESSED POULTRY constantly on hand at GILBY'S Fulton Fish Market.

PLANTS—Thousands of Plants at The Garden Farm, Berry, transplanted, wholesale and retail. Tomatoes, Eggs, Peppers, Celery, Cabbages, Fresh Vegetables and Strawberries. Jaques avenue, corner of Rahway. may 14-6w*

RARE CHANCE FOR WORKINGMEN—9 Lots, 50 feet front, in one plot; title perfect; no back taxes paid. Apply to R. B. FORDHAM. may 7-tf

STRAYED OUT—On Elm avenue, near Main street, a set of SAVINGS BANK.

STRAWBERRIES FROM CLARK'S NURSERY, Rahway, every day, at 4 P. M., on sale at GILBY'S Fish store, and JEWELL'S, on Irving street. June 14-2w

SOLICITOR FOR RAHWAY, Iron Pens, DAVIDS' ALLOY PENS, AT THE MUSIC AND STATIONERY STORE, 191 Main Street. Made from Metallic Basis of extraordinary hardened, which prevents wear. One box will last as long as 12 gross. Stop in and try them. L. S. HYER, Proprietor.

TROY LAUNDRY—Leave your orders at Robinson's Clothing Store, Cherry street.

THE TIME at Merchon & Co's did not permit their getting his usual supply of WATCHES. Call and see him at No. 12 Cherry street. June 12-1w

TO RENT—By the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, New Jersey, the property formerly occupied by Joseph T. Crowell. Apply at the office of HARRIET BERRY, 160 Main street.

VALUABLE LOTS FOR SALE—Corner of Westfield avenue and New Brunswick avenue, Rahway; 2 fine situations in Rahway. Assessment small and title perfect—150x100 feet each. Will sell to first purchasers. WM. H. LUDLOW, Plainfield, N. J. dec 4-tf

WANTED—Girl for light housework. Apply to MRS. J. T. MEAD, Thorn street, or at Scott's. may 28-tf

WANTED to borrow $2,500 on property worth $5,000. Address Box 48, Rahway P. O.

WANTED—Orders for the Best Creamery Butter at SCHUPPMANN'S, at 25c. per lb. apl 2

BOLTON'S PAINT LARD 20c.; 5 lb. Pail Lard 49c.; 10 lb. Pail Lard 95c., at P. SCHUPPMANN'S.

100 OPERATORS WANTED AT ROSENBAUM & STRIN'S. ap13-

6 cans Rice 25c.; 4 lbs. Tapioca 25c.; 9 lbs. Rice 25c.; 1 lb. Best Creamery Butter 25c.; 1 lb. Schuppmann's Horax Soap 25c.; 3 cans Strawberries Tomatoes 25c.; 3 cans String Beans 25c.; 2 cans Bartlett Pears 25c.; 2 cans Lemon or Vanilla 25c.; 2 bottles Lemon or Vanilla 25c.; 3 cans Corn 25c., at P. L. SCHUPPMANN'S.

There was frost in this vicinity last Saturday morning it is said.

Senator Reclesine, of New York, spent Sunday in this city with Wm. H. McMahon, Esq.

"Rats in the Woods" at the German Presbyterian church, next Wednesday night.

Mr. N. V. Compton is building a two-story extension to his residence on Milton avenue.

The residence of Mr. C. H. Jewell on Falon street has been neatly painted by Roll & Cook.

An entertainment and festival will be held at the Baptist church, next Thursday evening, 17th.

The M. M. degree will be conferred in La Fayette Lodge No. 27, F. & A. M., next Monday night.

A Basket Entertainment will be had at Bethel church on the 16th inst. Proceeds for new church.

Protection Hose Co. No. 3, is preparing for its annual picnic to take place on Monday, July 5th.

Birkett & Paterson offer a long list of bargains in dry goods in their new advertisement this week.

A Sunday horse trade in the neighborhood of Milton has created quite a sensation in that section.

We are indebted to Mrs. Dr. Lukens for a handsome boquet of rare roses sent to our office this week.

Mr. Wm. H. Cloke, the plumber, became the happy father of a bouncing ten pound son last Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Metcalf has taken the store 138 Main street, adjoining his confectionery, for his ice cream department.

Strawberries were sold at wholesale in West Washington Market, N. Y., last Saturday, at two to six cents per quart.

Mrs. Adella Compton has overhauled and painted, besides making other improvements to her house, on Main street.

Shann & Son announce special attractions in summer dress goods, as will be seen by their new advertisement elsewhere.

A mad dog was killed by George Hoff and a young man named Taylor, on Hazelwood avenue near the Columbian School, Monday morning. It had not bitten any dogs, but seemed to be in the first stages of rabies. It was a small yellow dog.

The barbers of Elizabeth, following the example of those of Rahway, have formed a union for the government of rates, hours, etc.

Chamberlin's Hotel is being "treated" to a new roof, and is in anticipation of being finally "set up" with a new coat of paint.

The beer brewers of Newark have struck to keep up the price of that beverage, and to boycott all dealers who sell three cent glasses.

The census of the school children in this city has just been completed and shows a total of 1,706, which is a falling off from last year.

The Milton Sunday School will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival on the tenth anniversary of the school, Friday evening, June 18th.

There will be a "Conundrum Festival" at the A. M. E. Zion church, this Thursday evening. Refreshments will be served in the conundrum style.

The building of Hon. J. H. Stone, corner Main and Cherry streets (the Watson Drug Store, etc.,) has been improved with a new coat of paint by Slater.

"Saturday night scenes around the electric lights in Rahway" is to be the subject of the Rev. Mr. Robinson's discourse for next Suuday evening.

The Church workers of St. Paul's hold a festival Thursday and Friday evenings of this week in the rooms 172 Main street, recently occupied by Marsh & Ryno.

The 1st M. E. church will be closed next Sunday evening, and the congregation, by vote of the official board, will join with the 2d church in the Children's Day exercises.

The Mutual Pleasure Club will hold the first picnic of the season, at Eckert's Grove, on Monday, and all who attend will no doubt have a good time.

La Fayette Chapter No. 26, R. A. M., of this city, was "called off" until the first Thursday evening, in September at the regular convocation last Thursday evening.

Mr. H. M. Bedford had sent him from Bocadeltore, S. A., two very fine cocoanut trees, there feet high, which can be seen at Mr. Gilby's residence 78 Fulton street, this city.

The visiting season having arrived we will be pleased to publish "personal" items sent in as to such matters, the items to be accompanied by a responsible name, of course.

We learn from the Summit *Record* that "Gus" Thebaud, for several years a Freeholder from that township, but for some time a resident of California, is visiting friends in this state.

Among the number of applicants to enter the College of New York we notice the name of Frank Boylston, formerly of Linden, as being one who passed a very satisfactory examination.

The rats made a raid upon the young chickens belonging to Mr. Andrew D. Woodruff, in Westfield township, last Friday, and speedily killed about thirty of them, and sucking their blood.

BABES IN THE WOODS.—Don't forget that this popular story will be illustrated at an entertainment in the basement of the German Presbyterian church, on Wednesday evening next—admission 25 cents.

The parents and friends of the pupils of the American-German School are cordially invited to attend the commencement exercises, at Third Ward School, on Friday afternoon, at three o'clock sharp.

Mr. M. H. Acken has placed a neat sign in black and gold in front of his flour and feed store, on Cherry street. He is also building a large extension in the rear of the store in which to put hay, oats, etc.

Chas. A. Buddensick was committed to Sing Sing last week, the appeal to the Supreme Court being decided against him. An appeal to the higher court has been taken and argument will be made June 23d.

Ex Chief of Police John Keron, of Elizabeth, was elected President of the New Jersey Detective Association, at the annual meeting on Monday. It was decided to open a branch office near the Union depot, in Elizabeth.

On Friday evening last the commencement exercises of the Women's Institute of Technical Design was held at Chickering Hall, New York. Mis. Ira C. Crowell, of this city, was one of the graduates and received a diploma.

Mr. W. B. DeRie has one of his two buildings pretty well inclosed. By all appearances these cottages, when finished, will be something very nice in the way, and will make quite an improvement in that neighborhood.

Mr. J. R. Hall, who is in the shipping business in New York, has rented the house belonging to Mr. A. S. Bonney, corner of Milton avenue and Bryant street. He is a friend of Col. Dunn, who recently rented the Judge Savage house.

Mr. J. M. Clark presented us this week with a sample of the pollific and fine flavored strawberries which are advertised for sale at Gilby's and Jewell's. They were so large as to require cutting up, like peaches, and of excellent flavor.

The forty-second anniversary exercises of the Pennington Seminary will take place June 20—24 inclusive. Excursion tickets will be sold from all stations on the Pennsylvania railroad to Trenton, and thence on the Bound Brook road.

The New York *Graphic* of Saturday contained pictures of the principal officers of the Third Regiment, all of which are very good likenesses. Paymaster Compton, Surgeon Hodgson and Captain Sheldon, all of this city, are very "life like."

Amos H. Van Horn, proprietor of the mammoth furniture and carpet warehouse, 78 Market street, Newark, announces great reductions in prices, and we request our readers to carefully persue his new advertisement in the DEMOCRAT, next week.

We learn that Rev. Dr. Liggett has rented his Madison avenue cottage at Spring Lake, to Capt. Voorhees, and the Ludlow avenue cottage to Rev. Dr. Noble, of Norristown, Pa. He will occupy his Adrian avenue cottage himself, with his family.

Harry Hall is making preparations to go to California with the Veteran Zouaves next month, and if he should strike a gold mine out there he thinks he will settle down. With that in view he is selling out his stock of hardware, etc., at remarkably low prices.

Lawyer G. R. Lindsay of this city had quite an important decision in his favor before Vice Chancellor VanFleet on Tuesday, it being a question of descent of quite a large estate, Mr. Lindsay appearing for a great-aunt, who was decided to be nearer of kin than second cousins.

Bishop Searborough will make his regular visitation to this section on Sunday next and administer the rite of confirmation. He will be at Grace church, Linden, in the morning at 10:30; Church of the Holy Comforter, this city, at 4 p. m.; and St. Paul's at 7:30 in the evening.

The numerous friends of Capt. Wm. H. Gill, formerly of Elizabeth, will be pleased to learn that he has recently been promoted to a more lucrative and responsible position in the Navy Department at Washington. He has been for several years in charge of the Schuylkill Arsenal, Phila.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to the Commencement exercises at Princeton College, which will occupy five days beginning Saturday, June 19th. A very neat and unique programme accompanies the invitation. Excursion tickets will be sold from principal points on the Penn. R. R.

Hon. F. A. Potts was in this city on Monday and purchased a carriage at D. B. Dunham's factory. Mr. Potts is one of the committee to select a location for the new Soldiers' Home, and was taken by Mr. Chas. R. Oliver to view the Crowell property, and expressed a very favorable opinion of its adaptability for the purpose.

At the meeting of the Union County Board of Agriculture, held last Thursday, they decided to hold a picnic, probably about the 23d of this month. Most of those present favored holding it on the Waverly fair grounds on account of the buildings, nearness of the depot for those who may want to come on the cars, and its accessibility for a large part of the members who come in carriages. It was thought best to hold another meeting Thursday afternoon of this week. The Secretary has some State Board Reports to distribute.

OLD CITIZENS.—On Saturday last there happened in the Tax Receiver's office at one time five of our old citizens whose ages aggregated 398, or an average of very near eighty. They were as follows: Wm. Forbes 86, Thos. W. Reynolds 78, Wm. Jewell 81, John A. VanOrtwick 77, and Edmund M. Brown 76.

At the annual meeting of Friendship Association, of this city, held June 6th, the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing six months:

President, John H. Fetter, Jr.; Vice Pres., Louis Hamm; Secretary, Henry Pappenburg; Fin. Sec., Chas. Hoffman; Treasurer, James D. Fyffe.

Capt. Y. R. Gurney, of this city, one of the two known survivors in this country, of the "Gallant Six Hundred" that made the "Charge of the Light Brigade" at the battle of Balaklava, will relate the incidents of the historical event at the Festival of St. Paul's Church Workers, this (Friday) evening, at 173 Main street.

At the last business meeting of the Social Orchestra, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Ambrose M. Hall; Vice President and Business Manager, J. C. Melick; Secretary, G. D. Berry; Treasurer, Mrs. G. R. Lindsay; Librarian, Walter Wells; Board of Trustees, J. C. Melick, Robert Lindsay, Will. Turner; Musical Director, C. R. Melick.

Drake's Veteran Zouaves attended St. John's church, Elizabeth, in a body, on Sunday evening, and the new pastor Rev. Otis Glazebrook, who has been elected Assistant Chaplain of the Zouaves, preached an excellent sermon from the text "Put on the whole armor of God," etc. The preacher is a southerner and his election by the Zouaves is another of the many pleasing evidences of the obliteration of the old sectional feeling.

The 9th of June, which had been appointed Flower Mission Day by the National W. C. T. U., was observed by the Rahway Flower Mission with a visit to the Almshouse. They carried with them flowers and a lunch for the inmates and were very cordially received by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Slack. After lunch a devotional service was held. The 17th chapter of 1st Kings was read, followed by prayer and singing from the Gospel Hymns.

DROWNED.—Charles L. Turner, a lad about seventeen years old, was drowned while bathing in the river between the two bridges, near the Joseph Thompson place, in this city, on Tuesday afternoon. There were some other lads in company with him, but when young Turner commenced struggling they thought he was fooling, and made no effort to rescue him until it was too late. The Turner family has recently removed on the Willard Ide place, from Brooklyn.

PARTITION SALE.—Attention is called to the partition sale of the real estate of the late Elizabeth K. Kinsey, to take place at Chamberlin's hotel, in this city, on Thursday, June 17th, at 2 P. M., under the direction of E. S. Atwater, Master in Chancery. The property consists of two valuable dwelling houses and lots on Whittier and Seminary streets. There are also several blocks of unimproved property on St. George's and other avenues. Messrs. Vail & Ward are the attorneys, who will furnish all particulars concerning the sale.

There has been formed a valuable auxiliary to the A. M. E. Zion church, a literary society entitled the "Wendell Phillips Lyceum," and the following named persons elected officers: Rev. J. Francis Robinson, President; Mrs. H. A. Edgar, Vice President; Rev. Dr. John A. Ligg, Parvin, honorary Vice Presidents; Master D. W. Edgar, Secretary; Madame A. E. Brown, Assistant Secretary; Mr. B. W. Jackson, Treasurer; Mrs. K. Holmes, Marshal. The lyceum meets every Friday evening.

The entertainment and festival at the 2d M. E. church Tuesday evening was quite successful; the exercises consisted of the following, programme all the parts being well rendered: organ voluntary, Miss Emma Volkmann; readings, Mr. P. K. Edgar, of Woodbridge, and Miss Bessie Hayward of——; vocal solo, Mrs. J. C. Moore; cornet solo Mr. Chas. Simpson, also a duet with Mr. A. D. Bogart; organ duet by Masters Harry Martin and Freddie Hyer. After these exercises there was a general indulgence in the delicious ice cream strawberries, etc.

The New Jersey Medical Society held its annual meeting at Sea Girt this week. The only representative from Rahway that we can find by the proceedings, was Dr. W. Updyke Sclover, who was appointed a delegate to the Connecticut Society. A resolution was adopted recommending only those medical colleges that compel a preliminary examination, and at least three years' course. Also one approving of experiments upon the lower animals in the interest of medical science, and disapproving of the action of those who oppose it on the ground of cruelty to animals.

A STRIKE.—Rahway has to be in the fashion, and on Tuesday morning the employes at W. L. Merchon & Co's printing establishment to the number of about 75 struck—not for higher wages, but for regular weekly Saturday payments. It has been the custom to pay about every two weeks. The demand was laid before the bosses, but they refused to agree to pay except on the 2d and 17th of each month, stating that they make their collections from customers semi-monthly, and would pay their employes the same way. This was given as their ultimatum, and if not accepted they would close up their establishment for an unspecified time. There had been no agreement at last accounts.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.—The June meeting of the Board of Education was held Monday night. Absent, Commissioner Silvers. The minutes of May meeting were read and approved.

Reports of attendance of pupils during month of May were read and filed. The salaries of teachers, superintendent, clerk and janitors for May, were ordered paid.

The following bills being properly audited and approved, were ordered paid: Chas. H. Tice, leaders, etc., at 3d Ward school, $84; Chas. Schlundt, mason work Franklin school, $4.50; H. N. Oliver, repairing organ Franklin school, $3.50; A. S. Barnes & Co., books, etc., $3.95.

On motion it was decided to close the schools for the term on Tuesday June 29.

REFORM CLUB.—Mr. E. R. Fuller addressed the Reform Club meeting on Sunday afternoon. His remarks were more strongly tinged with prohibition ideas, we understand, than gospel temperance sentiment.

A number of the club went to Linden Sunday evening, and several made addresses, including Messrs. W. W. Branson, A. E. Laing, W. H. Douglass Rev. Mr. Thompson, of the Linden M. E. church, also made an address, and U. M. Osborn led the meeting; there was singing by the Rahway Glee Club.

Rev. J. F. Robinson will address the meeting next Sunday afternoon, on the subject of "Courage and Enthusiasm."

Preparations are being made by the club for a grand 4th of July festival at the rooms.

CHILDREN'S DAY.—Next Sunday, June 13th, will be observed as Children's Day at the 2d M. E. church. The church will be decorated with flowers, etc., and appropriate services held throughout the day, including a sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Ruth, in the morning. In the afternoon there will be the following programme: Marching in of the school to the music of cornet and organ; prayer by the pastor; responsive reading; address, "Our Jubilee," Willie Ruth; singing by school; speech by Master Halsey Miller; song by little Bessie Bogart; a representation by twelve boys and girls; anthem by choir; recitation, "The Message of the Birds," Ida Branson; singing by school; remarks by Rev. C. Clark; doxology and benediction. In the evening the programme will be as follows: organ voluntary by Miss Volkmann; anthem by choir; prayer by Rev. Mr. Tuttle; singing by school; responsive reading; solo (Gussie Leonard) and chorus "The Land of Flowers;" recitation by Mr. C. B. White; singing "Ring the Joy Bells," by male quartet; recitation "Children's Day," Miss Bessie Hayward; anthem by choir; remarks by Rev. Mr. Cowins of 1st M. E. church; singing by school; benediction.

MR. EDITOR:—Can you, or any of your many readers inform us how many inhabitants there were in this city before the war, say about 1855 to 1860. If you cannot? likely some of the old ante-bellum boys can. ENQUIRER.

[We have not the statistics at hand to give the information at this time—no doubt, as our correspondent suggests, some of our readers can answer.—ED.]

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN S. S. ANNIVERSARY.

The Sunday Schools connected with the 2d Presbyterian church, held their anniversary in the church on Sunday afternoon last, commencing at 4 o'clock. The church was filled with the members of the schools and their friends, and the pulpit and vicinity was handsomely adorned with plants and flowers. Prof. Beck played marches as the schools filed in the church, and every thing conspired to make it a joyous occasion. Mr. F. W. Dunham led the singing by the schools, which was inspiriting, and the quartet choir sang a fine piece during collection. Rev. Dr. Liggett, the pastor, read the opening hymn, and led in prayer, and Rev. Wm. Alfred Gay, of the 1st church, read a selection from the scriptures. The reports of the different schools were then read. John M. Clark, superintendent of Six Roads School who has occupied the position fourteen years out of fifteen, since the organization, read a favorable report of that school, showing a record of 48 scholars, officers and teachers. W. E. Wells, superintendent, and Chas. Stell, secretary of East Rahway School, gave interesting reports showing 102 scholars, officers and teachers. Superintendent J. H. Durand, made favorable reference to the condition of the main school, and secretary S. D. Mershon read the detailed report which showed 407 scholars, officers and teachers—making a total in the three schools of 557. The finances of the schools were reported in good condition.

Rev. Mr. Gay made an interesting address, and the pastor of the church presented, on behalf of the main school, to superintendent Durand, a handsome chair and ten volumes of the "Speaker' Commentary of the Bible," and stated that Mr. Durand would be excused from making any reply at that time. Prof. Beck was presented by the school, a token, of $25 for his attention in the musical line. Rewards were distributed to a large number of scholars of the different schools for learning the catechism. The exercises were interspersed with singing by the schools and Prof. Beck played "President Cleveland's Wedding March," a new and brilliant piece, while the audience was retiring.

SOLDIERS' HOME.

According to arrangement, the commissioners to select a site for the new Soldiers' Home, visited this city Thursday, and in connection with committees from Barry Post and the Board of Trade, and a number of citizens, were conveyed to the Joseph T. Crowell property, the pleasant situation of which is well known to most of our readers, and which, as we have before stated, now belongs to the State Sinking Fund; it contains about 28 acres of excellent land, and plenty of fruit and shade trees. We have not time for an extended reference this week as it was time for us to go to press when the conference ended. The commissioners seemed very much pleased with the place. They also visited the J. B. Edgar property, after which a lunch was partaken of at Chamberlin's Hotel, prepared in the usual good style of the host. There were present Mayor Daly, Assemblyman Chamberlain, Hon. J. Shann, Ira LaForge, Chas. R. Oliver, N. Mooney, J. B. Brown and D. B. Hetfield, together with Hon. D. W. C. Hough and Hon. J. T. Crowell representing the Board of Trade and Rev. L. W. Norton, N. V. Compton and J. T. Meade, of Barry Post. The commissioners present were Col. R. A. Donnelly, Col. Henry M. Nevius, Col. H. W. Sawyer, Marcus L. Ward, and Major P. F. Rogers, superintendent of the Soldiers' Home. The carriages were provided by the liverymen B. F. Crowell, Brown & Hetfield and E. Laing, and by Messrs Ira LaForge and C. R. Oliver. The commissioners went to Perth Amboy to view Eagleswood in the afternoon.

The members of the Bethel church are struggling hard to build their new church; the spiritual and financial zeal at present among the members are worthy of commendation. The Sunday School is continually increasing and nearly all the members find something to do in the great cause of the Redeemer. It is the advice of the pastor that the members do all they can to keep themselves, as the city has been so thoroughly begged that it is becoming disgusting. Yet if there be any whose heart is moved by the spirit of generosity, who thinks the object is worthy of contributing to, should such an one see fit to send us a donation, be it great or small, the same shall be thankfully received. We do not purpose wearing the public with what we are doing, but with Nehemiah's determination, with one hand holding the weapon of defence and with heart and soul working with the other, we hope very soon to accomplish a structure for the service of our God. Pray for us. H. P. THOMAS.

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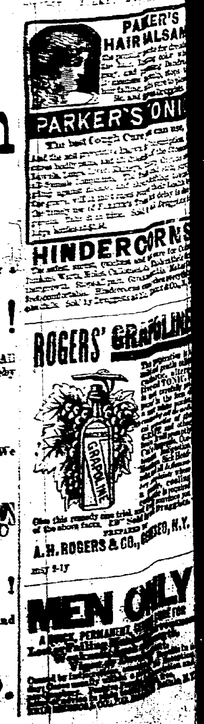
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