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A GRAND DISPLAY.

The Fireworks Committee Promise An Excellent Show.

The program of the grand fireworks exhibition to be held on the ball grounds next Monday night is as follows:

1. 3 aerial Mattsons with thunderous reports 500 feet in the air.
2. 1 grand scarlet illumination—Italian sunset. Curtains of illuminated vapor.
3. 24 colored exhibition rockets, Manhattan beach tints.
4. 1 bomb shells of aerial sadaman ders, dragons, snakes and golden rain.
5. 4 colored prismatic fountains, novel and new.
6. 3 colored parachute rockets with twinkling stars, changing colors.
7. 3 weeping willow rockets with branches of golden fire reaching to the ground.
8. 1 exhibition piece, passion flower, size under 15x15 feet.
9. 4 bomb shells of Laborum, Wisteria and yew trees.
10. 24 rockets with 1897 colors.
11. 4 Indian jugglery and aerial contortionists.
12. 3 hanging chain rockets producing constantly changing links of various colors.
13. 3 electric star rockets with coronations of vivid blue.
14. 6 large saucissions of dragons nests.
15. 1 exhibition piece—mosaic diameter—size under fire 15x25 feet.
16. 4 floral fountains: fountains of golden fire.
17. 4 large geysers of golden columns crowned with jewels.
18. 4 devils among the tailors, Jack in a box.
19. 4 assorted bombshells of scarlet, emerald, pink and lilac.
20. 3 floating festoon rockets of repeatedly changing tints.
21. Jeweled streamer rockets, streamers of gold terminating with bursts of colored stars.
22. 1 grand emerald illumination.
23. 1 exhibition piece—cross of Malta, size under fire 15x15 feet.
24. 6 prismatic whirlwinds of prismatic fire. Jewel topped golden columns. Exhibition rockets, amaranth.
25. 2 Jack in box, eruptions of snakes and serpents.
26. 3 waggler rockets of writhing, fiery cobras.
27. 3 World's fair special rockets Novelty.
28. Device, exhibition piece "Good Night."
29. 1 bouquet of fifty rockets.
30. 1 Chinese mandarin of 10,000 crackers, as used in all Chinese celebrations.

This will give Westfield one of the best displays ever held in town, and the committee in charge deserve much credit for obtaining such results from a limited pocket book.

STEERING A STEAMSHIP.

"Running the Time and Distance" In Foggy Weather.

Gustav Koble has an article entitled "Steering Without a Compass" in St. Nicholas. Mr. Koble says:

The degree of A. B. is not confined to college graduates. Aboardship it means "able-bodied" seaman.

Every nautical "A. B." knows how to "box the compass" and how to steer by it, but you will be surprised to learn that no good helmsman will steer by a compass unless all other things fail him. Among these "other things" are the horizon, the wind, the wake of the ship, the stars, the soundings and the line of the surf when running along the coast. And so the able-bodied seaman, when a galehorn takes his track at the wheel, hands over the helm to him with this caution, "Keep your head out of theinnacle."

I am speaking of sailing vessels. Steamers, especially those that travel on regular routes, steer by compass. They "run their courses" from point to point—from lighthouse to lighthouse, light-ship, day mark, buoy, bell or fog whistle. In thick weather they know, taking wind and tide into consideration, how long they should stand on each course and try never to pass the "signal" at the end of it. When they have seen or heard that signal, they start on the next "run" or course. This is called "running the time and distance." I have gone into Halifax on a steamer that met with thick fog from Cape Cod down. One morning the captain said to me:

"We ought to pick up Sambre in half an hour."

Surely enough, about half an hour later we heard, through the fog, a cannon shot, the distinguishing fog signal of the Sambre light station on the Nova Scotian coast.

Real sailors—the Jack tars that man sailing vessels—actually prefer, as I have said, to steer by signs rather than by compass, and three or four times when the steamer pilots have to:

THE OPEN BOAT.

At the Mercy of the Sea Stephen Crane Describes His Sensations.

In the meantime the oiler rowed, and then the correspondent rowed, and then the oiler rowed. Gray faced and lowed forward, they mechanically, turn by turn, plied the leaden oars. The form of the lighthouse had vanished from the southern horizon, but finally a pale star appeared, just lifting from the sea. The streaked sail on the west passed before the all merging darkness, and the sea to the east was black. The land had vanished and was expressed only by the low and drear thump of the surf.

"If I am going to be drowned—if I am going to be drowned, why, in the name of the seven and gods who rule the sea, was I allowed to come thus far and contemplate sand and trees? Was I brought here merely to have my nose dragged away as I was about to nibble the sacred cheese of life?"

The patient captain, drooped over the water jar, was sometimes obliged to speak to the oarsman.

"Keep her head up! Keep her head up!"

"Keep her head up," sir," The voices were weary and low.

This was surely a quiet evening. All save the oarsman lay heavily and listlessly in the boat's bottom. As for him, his eyes were just capable of noting the tall black waves that swept forward in a most sinister silence, save for an occasional subdued growl of a crest.

The cook's head was on a thwart, and he looked without interest at the water under his nose. He was deep in other scenes. Finally he spoke. "Billie," he murmured dreamily, "what kind of pie do you like best?"—"The Open Boat," by Stephen Crane, in Scribner's.

An Expensive Product.

It is said that the most costly product in the world is charcoal thread. It is at present made in Paris, but by an artisan who carefully conceals himself from the public the better to guard the secret of his craft. Charcoal thread is sold at wholesale by the gramme (15.7 grains) and is used for incandescent lamps. That for the 30 candle lamp costs \$12,000 per pound and that for 20 candles \$8,000 per pound.—New York Ledger.

With the Lights Turned Down.

"Do you notice any increase in your gas bills since your daughters are old enough to receive company, professor?"

"You have recalled something, sir, that is inexplicable to me. We regard mathematics as a fixed science, and yet it is a fact that I pay less for gas than when the entire household used to retire together. It's astounding."—Detroit Free Press.

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THE SAME OLD STORY.

The Ethics of Baseball: Easy Prey for the Westfield Boys.

Saturday's game with the Aetnas of Brooklyn was about the easiest thing that the Westfield club has run up against this season. The visitors were not in it from the beginning. Their pitcher was easy, and the team worked poorly together. As is the usual thing with the Aetnas the umpires failed to give satisfaction. Bissell the catcher kicking about every decision, probably from force of habit more than anything else. The home team did not put up a very stiff game, and they would have been hustled very lively had the Aetnas put up fast ball. Runs piled up thick and fast for the Westfields until the sixth inning, when the boys eased up a little, seeing no immediate danger from the opposing team.

Crooks as usual hit well and ran the bases like a deer. His two home runs were a feature of the game. Higgins was not forced to "pitch ball" as he can do when it is necessary. He took things easy. Considerable excitement occurred in the last half of the sixth inning, when Chauncey Smith of the Westfield team and the Aetna first baseman "came together" for a minute or two. It happened this way. It seems that Chauncey had been laying off first base for a considerable distance and the pitcher threw the ball to first. The first baseman, Bryson, was directly in the line of the base and Chauncey made a dive for the bag and naturally pushed him out of the way. Bryson got rattled at this and drew his right and made a pass for Chauncey's face. But here is where he made the mistake of his life. Smith is a foot ball player and a good one at that, and he simply made a clever dodge, tripped up his man and with a bill sent him biting the dust. By this time Crooks, Kelly, Higgins and about one hundred of the general crowd surrounded the two players and prevented further hostilities. Constable Marsh quieted the disturbance and the game was renewed. The last three innings proved uninteresting and the game wound up Westfield 7, Aetnas 9. The teams played as follows.

WESTFIELD.	AETNAS.
Roth.....	Herrat
Mason.....	Ceraxkin
Kelly.....	Brisad
Crooks.....	David
Higgins.....	Gowday
Williams.....	W. Gowday
Randolph.....	Bryson
Smith.....	Weir
McDede.....	Bond

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Westfield 11342000x-17
Aetnas 110020410-9
Umpires, Griswold and Stitt.

On Saturday the Westfield club go to Stelton N. J. to play the Steltons.

GRAND STAND FUND.

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W. J. Bogert, Jr.....	25c
Cash.....	25c
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A GOOD SHOWING.

Westfield Citizens Subscribe Generously to the Fund.

The Fourth of July Fund is steadily growing and the committee feel assured that the amount necessary to furnish Westfield with a suitable celebration will be raised.

Previously acknowledged.	\$38.25
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Night and Day.

"Anyway," she retorted warmly, "you don't find women's clubs turning night into day with their orgies."
"No," he mused, "women wouldn't turn night into day. They have too much regard for their complexions."
For it is a fact well known to science that artificial light will shine over tolerably fair women where daylight wouldn't do a thing to them.—Detroit Journal.

LEARNING TO SWIM.

A SIMPLE METHOD DESCRIBED IN DETAIL.

The Physics of the Problem of Swimming Must First Be Understood. The Leg Stroke. The Arm Stroke. How to Acquire These Actions.

Before entering the water the learner ought to thoroughly understand what she must do to insure success. The following explanations and directions from 'The Ladies' Home Journal' afford the necessary information:

The specific gravity of the human body causes it to sink in water when motion is suspended or is inefficient. The object of the motion is to sustain the body at the surface and cause it to travel through the water. The most powerful and effective stroke, made by the legs, will be described first: If the moist seed of an orange be held between the finger and thumb and pressure is made upon it, the seed is projected forward with considerable force. This is because it is the lighter of the two bod-



LEG STROKE—FIRST PART.

ies. The closure of the wedge shaped space formed by the tips of the finger and thumb crowd it onward, provided the surfaces are moist.

This is exactly the result to be aimed at by the leg stroke in swimming. It is conveniently divided into three parts. The first consists in flexing the knees and hips, thus tucking the legs up under the abdomen; the second, in quickly straightening both legs and at the same time separating them as widely as possible. This gives a large wedge shaped space, with a correspondingly shaped body of water filling it. The third and last part of the stroke lies in vigorously drawing the legs together while still keeping them perfectly straight, the tendency of this action being to drive away the wedge of water lying between them. This, however, is heavier than the swimmer, who, therefore, does the moving forward. The legs are then drawn up again for another stroke, and this part of the stroke is done more slowly than the remainder of it. The effect of this stroke is readily illustrated by standing in water up to the neck, extending the arms in a V shaped form and then quickly closing the wedge. The tendency to throw the body backward is readily felt. Vigorous action in performing



LEG STROKE—SECOND PART.

the third part of this stroke is essential, for it not only tends to propel the body forward, but also upward, as the body forms an angle with the surface of the water.

The arm stroke differs in principle. It resembles the action of oars in rowing. It is divided into three parts. First the hands, palms downward, are held near the chest, the elbows down by the sides. The second movement is to throw the arms directly forward, side by side, just below the surface of the water and parallel with it. Lastly, the hands are turned, thumbs downward, and the arms sweep away from each other, reaching as widely as possible backward and slightly downward.

In the act of swimming, the count— one, two, three—serves for both arms and legs, as the similarly numbered portions of each stroke, arm and leg, should be made simultaneously. The whole difficulty of the learner lies in being unable to perform both motions at the same time. The best way is to first get an accurate understanding of the action. A convenient way is to suspend a hammock from a ceiling by two hooks about two feet apart and lie face downward, with the hammock supporting the chest and abdomen, leaving the arms and legs free to beam their lesson. The leg stroke alone can be practiced by lying over the footboard of a wooden bedstead, using a pillow under the body as a cushion and grasping the mattress with the hands. This exercise must be persevered in until it can be done without any mental effort. After it has become automatic, the learner can begin practicing in the water. She should walk out into the water until all but the head is submerged, take a deep breath and,



LEG STROKE—THIRD PART.

throwing the body forward as nearly horizontal as possible, strike for the shore, working pluckily on, whether the head is above or below water, until the supply of air is exhausted. At first the strokes will be unduly rapid, but in time, as confidence grows and the head is found to remain longer above water at each effort, the strokes will become slower. The art of artificial supports in the shape of air cushions and cork collars may be employed, but it is wise to dispense with them if possible.

PRAYERS THE LITTLE CHILDREN SAY

The prayers the little children say
They pray for their mothers
But they pray for their fathers
Thinking they are all alike
And they pray for the angels in heaven
That was a prayer once made by
The angels bright to learn to pray
The prayers the little children say.
The prayers the little children say
No talking and no fuss
They pass each other the shining ray
That sends the angels things
That send the angels things
(They are so little and they slip
Between the guardian wings)
And God says, "Hush and give them way!"
The prayers the little children say.
The prayers the little children say—
Ah, if we knew the angel
For once, so wise and calm and gray,
We'd see the angels things
And by the angels things we'd see God
We'd see the angels things we'd see
We'd see the angels things we'd see
The prayers the little children say.
—Louis Wheeler in New York Press.

TROUBLE FOR HIS HONESTY.

The Negative Reward of Virtue in the Windy City by the Lake.

"A queer thing happened to me," said Bailey, lighting a fresh cigar. "It was only one of the incidents of street travel that might happen to any one, but coming from the mis-construction put upon it."

"Let's hear it," said the other fellows, making themselves comfortable.

"I was riding on the electric," said Bailey, "and in the seat opposite was a pretty girl."

"Oh, you consider yourself a judge?" remarked one of the crowd.

"I certainly do, and I let her see that I appreciated her good looks. But my admiration made no impression. The young woman busied herself in getting her face ready, and I watched her as she deftly extracted a dime from her pocketbook and held it on the palm of a pretty hand, ready for the conductor."

"You were hit hard, Bailey."

"Then I thought me of my own fare, and as I was holding a newspaper in one hand I rose and dived down into my pocket for a nickel. The conductor came along and I handed it to him just as my vis-a-vis said:

"What has become of my 10 cents?"

"There she sat staring at her hand, which was no longer occupied by the piece of silver. We all looked for it, but it had disappeared, and she found a nickel with which she paid her fare. At that moment I slipped my hand into my overcoat pocket and found there the 10 cent piece."

"How could you identify it?" asked one of the boys.

"I never carry money in an outside pocket. Besides it had not been there a moment before. No, I know how it happened. My paper had whisked it from her hand, and it had dropped from it to my pocket, as I explained to her."

"Was she surprised? What did she say?"

"Boys, I can't tell you all she said. Please don't ask me. She remarked that no one could judge by appearances, and she hoped it was my first beginning in a life of crime; that if I had been hardened I would not have returned it to her, but that probably I saw that she suspected me, and a lot more, while the fellows in the other seats were paying me. But you can bet your bottom dollar I never find any woman's money and return it to her again. Not much, Mary Ann."—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Press Built by Franklin.

"I once worked a printing press that was built and operated for a long while by Ben Franklin," said Colend Charles Genter. "The machine was quite a primitive affair, but it answered the purpose. I was then a boy in Lancaster, Pa., and was learning the printer's trade in the office of the Lancaster Union. John W. Forney, who made such a success of the Philadelphia Press, was a 'prentice with me, and we took turns working the old Franklin press. It was made entirely of wood except for a marble slab that answered the purpose of a bed. On this slab the forms of type were placed, and they would have to be inked with a long, clumsy roller before each impression."

"One day Forney would wield the roller, and the next day it fell my turn to smear on the ink. We could print about 50 or 75 sheets an hour. The work was laborious, but we performed it cheerfully because of the knowledge that Ben Franklin had done the very same work on the press many a day before we were born. James Buchanan used to come in occasionally and encourage us at our task and predict a brilliant career for both of us if we stuck to the trade we were then learning."

"This was way back in 1814, and I'm a young man yet. Events that are crowded into the years since then contain the history of the building of one of the most powerful nations the world has every known, and the professions of men that have passed in review since they call for the pen of another Plutarch to portray, and that crampa'd, rickety little Franklin press that John W. Forney and I used to work played a big part in the making of the nation and the making of the professions of men. Still I am not old."—St. Louis Republic.

Might Be Worse.

"These stripes," sighed the convict, "make a man feel small."

"The kind woman who had come into the dark-some place together him staled radiantly."

"Only think," she urged, "how much worse they would be if they ran the other way."—Detroit Journal.

In one country district of Germany "pay weddings" were in vogue until recently, each guest paying for his entertainment as much as he would at an inn and the receipts being placed aside to set up the happy pair in their new home.

Quotation, sir, is a good thing. There is a community of mind in it. Classical quotation is the parole of literary men all over the world.—Johnson.

Renewing Life.

Dr. Campbell's Capanitolin Supply the Blood with Natural Iron, Renewing the Vitality and Restoring Health.

A celebrated German doctor some time ago suggested that all flour of which bread is made should, by law, contain a certain percentage of iron. If this was done, he claimed, death would only come with old age.

Physicians concede that both health and life depend upon the iron or Hæmoglobin in the blood. When this exists in abundance the blood is rich, red and strong and free from the germs of disease; the pulsation of the heart is regular, the circulation continuous, there is no palpitation, respiration is easy, and the brain is clear.

Modern methods of preparing food are fast diminishing the quantity of iron that nature intended man should get from that food. Science long strove to supply the deficiency. All failed until Dr. Campbell, one of the leading physicians of England, discovered that hæmoglobin, the extracted iron and enclosed it in a gelatine covering in which form it was first administered to chronic sufferers from anaemia and chlorosis.

The effect was so marvelous that experiments were made with various forms of analysis, bromo-ferrous, nervous prostration, cerebral and rheumatic. The results have proved Dr. Campbell's name among the most honored savants of the age.

When a Capanitolin is swallowed it goes down the throat like a piece of jelly without injuring the teeth, the gelatine covering melts in a moment and the dissolved Hæmoglobin or natural iron passes directly into the blood, making it rich, red and plentiful.

Dr. Campbell's Red Blood Forming Capanitolin are sold by all leading druggists at 40 cents per large box, six boxes for \$2.50, or sent direct at the same price from the office of The Capanitolin Company, Downing Building, 208 Fulton Street, New York City.

For sale by W. H. Trechard, Drugist, Westfield, N. J.

Punctures in the Well Known Morgan & Wright tire are repaired about as easily as a man would find a hole in his finger with a bit of cast plaster.

Inside of the larger tube of the tire lies a long strip of patching rubber, like this:



By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,



the repair strip itself is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:



Very simple, but—now every rider should have one of these two "buts," or he will fail.

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be latched. M. & W.



and the cement will not get inside of it, where the repair strip lies.

After the tire has been repaired, and inflated ready for riding, if it still leaks don't stick the injector into the puncture again, because that will puncture the repair strip itself, like this,



and you will have to pull out the inner tube and make an old-fashioned repair by patching a piece of rubber on the outside of the tire tube.

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Friendship in Kentucky.

When Judge Pendleton grows reminiscent, he is always into raving, and when Mr. Henry Tompkins walked in he said: "Mr. Tompkins, your cousin, Louis Garth, was the only bully I ever saw who was a brave man. He was the most overbearing man I ever saw. He was in a poker game in camp with Lieutenant Forrest, a brother of General N. B. Forrest, and he called Forrest a liar. Forrest pulled his pistol, a double barreled weapon, and placing it to Garth's breast, he pulled the trigger. The cartridge failed to fire, and Garth spat out a chew of tobacco and without moving a muscle said, "Lieutenant, you had better try the other barrel." Forrest put his weapon up and said, "Garth, you are a brave man, and I will not shoot a brave man." They were inseparable friends forever afterward.—Owensboro Inquirer.

JIMPLECUTE AND WINKELBAUM.



"H O, HO!" said Johnnie Jimplecute...

"The plot is a Fourth of July...

"Ha, ha!" said Johnnie Jimplecute...

"The very biggest creature he had ever seen...

"And what would it do if it should strike...

"As home he tried to get out of the sun...

"He, he!" said Willie Winkelbaum...

"And in the white powdered face that flut...

"Then who else could snatch it from without...

"And the wind soughed low...

"While on and on marched sturdy John...

"Ha, ha!" said Johnnie Jimplecute...

"As the wind soughed low...

"And the sun shone brightly...

"And now upon the happy world there falls...

"For now that spark has disappeared...

"And little Johnnie Jimplecute converted into...

"And the wind soughed low...

"And the sun shone brightly...

"For Johnnie and his firecracker are but a...

"A FOURTH ON A FARM

"I tell you, mother, the boys shall cele...

"I advise you to wait till you are sure...

"They can't refuse, mother. It's a clean...

"It would be worse than folly, for you...

"My father is not your father's enemy...

"Mrs. Stone vehemently continued with her...

"What if I fear I'll never do it? You know...

"That's father! How can I go to look...

"Becky!" he called, and she came to him...

"I feel as if I ought to celebrate a little...

"With that he arose and moved out of the...

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"He suddenly drew her close and kissed...

"When the boys had departed and disap...

"So my girl means that young rascal...

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LIZZIE STEPPED OUT BY THE BACK DOOR.

He has forbidden me ever speaking to you again, and if he were to know I met you here there would be certain trouble.

"Still, my only way is to go to him like a man and ask for you. Then, if he refuses, I must see some way to overcome his opposition.

"It would be worse than folly, for you are Dick Bunker's son of the man father considers his worst enemy."

"My father is not your father's enemy. In truth, father is very sorry Mr. Stone was so angry with Jack, and he has his good will with me and mine, and thus to bring the matter to justice."

"Ah, but you could not convince father this is true if you tried a year. He believes your father and Jackson were legged together to swindle him—it is on that ground he is trying to bring the case into court again. He feels even of obtaining a new trial and winning. Why, he feels so good over it that he is going to celebrate the Fourth with fireworks, tomorrow night. He sent to town for them, and they come in a big box this forenoon."

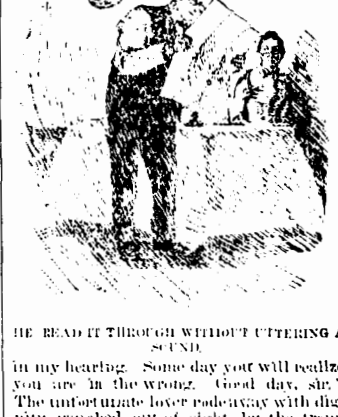
"Dick Bunker shook his head. 'He is celebrating too soon, if he is spending his enthusiasm because he feels sure of victory and not from a patriotic motive. Father's title is clear, and a new trial will simply mean further expense for Mr. Stone with certain defeat in the end.'"

"What is that old smell in the air?" he asked with updated head. "I have not heard it every time there was the slightest breeze."

"It must be the old well father spent so much money on. It gives out a singular smell."

"It seemed more like rank pipe, but it may have come from the well."

"I must go now," declared Lizzie in sudden alarm. "I have staid too long al-



HE READ IT THROUGH WITHOUT uttering A SOUND.

in my hearing. Some day you will realize you are in the wrong. Good day, sir."

"The unfortunate lover rode away with dignity, watched out of sight by the trembling object of his affections, who was hidden behind the curtain of an upper window."

Elisha Stone sought to relieve his feelings by entering heartily into the celebration he had planned to be carried out by his two boys. From his little blacksmith shop he brought two barrels, and with plenty of powder and fuse he made them boom forth like a cannon, and all day long he thus thundered defiance from the slope to his neighbor and enemy who lived in the blue house down the road. The stars and stripes fluttered from a flag-staff he had erected in the yard, and passing people laughed at the hearts of the farmer and his family were filled with overflowing with patriotism.

"When a night came, a considerable number of young people, with not a few older ones, assembled at the Stone farm to vit-



"WELL, THIS HAS CERTAIN BEEN THE GREATEST FOURTH OF JULY."

ness the display of fireworks, for it had been reported that Elisha's boys were going to make a regular spread. Every one about, excepting the Bunkers, had been invited in a general way, and while awaiting a darkness, coffee, fruit, ice cream and lemonade were served in generous quantities. Elisha was everywhere, and he had never before seemed so jolly and sociable. He

"I must go now, as the law turns Bunker out."

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The man who has no pull must push.

And don't you forget that Rhode Island clam bake!

By the way, what has become of David Bennett Hill?

Of course you will be right in it—speaking of the bicycle parade on the Fourth.

Imagine one of Westfield's fat citizens sitting down on a grape pie at that Rhode Island clam bake!

We understand that there will be fireworks galore on the night of the Fourth at the base ball grounds. What a pity the grand stand is not bigger!

Come now! Get your Americanism on straight. If you haven't subscribed to the Fourth of July fund be quick about it. Many mickles and not a few muckles are wanted.

The weather sharp of the Fourth of July committee informs us that he has arranged for a clear day on the Fourth. This is thoughtful and kind. Not everyone would have gone to so much trouble.

Some recent events seem to indicate that the Westfield dog is a bigger nuisance by night than by day; which is entirely unnecessary. His bark works on a hair trigger.

By throwing off an occasional opinion the handsome editor of the Elizabeth Journal can hardly expect to satisfy people that prosperity has struck them very hard when nobody but the trusts get the benefit.

The "ghost" of William Jennings Bryan seems to be giving the politicians no end of trouble. The trusts don't believe Hanna when he says that Bryan was irretrievably buried at the last election.

It just goes to show that you can't most always sometimes tell. And if Yale and Harvard had not boasted so much their defeat by Cornell could be referred to by them with less of humiliation. Everybody is glad to see a swelled head reduced.

Bro. Runyon, we thank you for your good words and good wishes. We will expect you and the rest of the fraternity to write us up in good shape when the time comes. But who is she? We haven't seen the dear girl, and naturally feel a little anxious.

That club from Brooklyn discovered that while the Westfield players do not play base ball with their fists, they are ready to protect each other against brutal attacks from parties who have no better view of the national pastime than to lose their temper when they lose the game. The Aetnas wore the uniform of men; but they pouted and whimpered like spoiled children.

We congratulate the Cranford Chronicle on its enterprise and prosperity indicated by the erection of a brick home for itself. It covers an entire block and holds the most

conspicuous position in all Cranford. Success to you, Brother Potter! You are a scrappy little cuss and you don't like the STANDARD's editor over and above well; but that's neither here nor there. You'll learn to love us when you learn to know us. All the same we are glad to witness the evidence of your thriving, and heartily bespeak for you increasing prosperity.

A fireworks dealer in Montclair probably thought that he was doing a patriotic act in advertising fireworks for the Fourth of July on the American flag. He was ordered to remove the flag on the ground that it was defaced, contrary to law. The American flag stands as an emblem of personal liberty—see the Declaration of Independence—and we believe its folds should be kept free from the effects of personal competition for business. We therefore approve of the law that prohibits it being defaced, and wish that laws to prevent corporations and trusts from trampling on our principles, for which the flag stands, could be as jealously guarded.

Westfield should put on its best bib and tucker in honor of our country's natal day. We are proud of our non-arrogant and sociable community. We are proud of our park-like residence surroundings, and Charlie Dot man says when it comes to generous financial support for any public demonstration or benefit the town knows not the marble heart.

Many of our people will entertain visitors from New York and Brooklyn next Sunday and Monday. We should so enthrall these good people with what we have and what we can do when we try that they will seriously consider the idea of abiding with us permanently. The Bucket and Engine Company have labored hard and well to make the celebration fitting with their table d'hotel program. Now, let everybody decorate. Display Old Glory, festoon the lawns and trees with lanterns, make the red, white and blue conspicuous. Everybody join in the bicycle parade, it will be a novelty and should be numerically and artistically a success. Don't worry the house-girl with a big Thanksgiving dinner. Prepare sandwiches or a light noon lunch and all gather at the No. 1 Temperance clam bake and feast sociably. The north Broad street ball grounds having been selected for the fireworks display assures plenty of room for camp stools aside from the grand stand seating capacity. It is away from danger to horses and carriages, affords ample space for handling the explosives, and gives an unobstructed view.

Everybody please decorate and lose no sight of the program as it progresses.

When the meeting first opened few of the property owners wanted were present, and some other business was transacted while waiting for them. Theo. McGarrath said he understood the center of Ross place was being stoned on the understanding that the abutting property owners would pay for stoning the sides. If that was the case he would like the Boulevard treated the same way, upon the same terms. Incidentally he complimented the committee on the way the roads were being fixed up.

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AT THE THEATRE.

Proctor's 23d street.—Song and laughter interspersed with all sorts of diverting vaudeville novelties will hold sway at Proctor's 23d street throughout the week. The bill offers two promising novelties in the line of comedy. The first of these is a comedietta called "Cut Off with a Shilling," by S. Thayer Smith, which will be interpreted by Virginia Stuart, Geo. C. Staley and Edward Mordant, who incidentally are to make their vaudeville debut. The other comedietta is "My Angel Wife," by Kenneth Lee, and introduces a comic domestic quartet resulting from the introduction of a genuine phonograph. The olio of fees an unusual assortment of clever turns and up-to-date specialties.

The summer policy of the Pleasure Palace is to offer bright, crisp, laughing shows, with a cool and restful environment, and to clear clear of acts that have become hackneyed by repeated swings around the vaudeville circle. Jennie Yeaman's witty, whimsical and wholly original, has a new budget of songs and colloquialisms touching upon the Queen's Jubilee and other up to date topics. Bettina Girard, makes her reappearance after a European sojourn. Delzers and Lee are aerial acrobats of dash and daring. Sig. Ricci, a violin soloist of distinction and Wm. Bechtel, the droll Roy Kisenstein of Lillian Russett's "American Beauty" cast, appear in a new musical comedy, "Saved by a Violin." Lillian Lancaster and Gertrude Collins, grotesque dancers, and Nulia Raymond, of "A Milk White Flag," are in the Palace Garden, and the comedy side of the bill is looked after by the funny Ott Brothers, late of "The Star Gazer," Girard and Gaylor, knockabouts, and Cooper and Stewart who deal in airy persiflage.

THE BROAD STREET CURB.

The Committee Don't Delay. The is Full of Eight A Cycle Ordinance Next. At the town committee meeting Friday night, held specially to hear property owners on Broad between Prospect and Elm streets, the business of the evening was finished quickly.

According to the lay out, the stores on the north or west side of Broad street are built two feet and six tenths back of the true side line of the street. This ten feet is the established width for the sidewalk, and it follows that these property owners are entitled to 2 6/10 feet of the present street, if they want it. But as that would necessitate the flagging of that much additional sidewalk, and greatly increase the cost to them of the proposed improvement, they were nearly all willing to let the curb line remain where it is, especially as the street is none too wide for a business street now.

Messrs. John Darsh, Wm. S. Welch, Harry Taylor and others expressed themselves as satisfied to let the curb line remain where it is.

John Ingham, apparently under the impression that the sole reason for not changing the curb line was to save the expense of it, announced himself as in favor of moving the curb line out and requiring every owner to flag and curb. He wanted it done right, he said, if it did cost a little something. After several of his neighbors had labored with him, the advantage to business of the additional 2 6/10 feet width in the street, had been pointed out to him, and Engineer Van Emburgh had made all the ins and outs of the case plain to him, he consented reluctantly to do as the others did, if it was agreed all round to let the curb line alone.

Dr. Wm. Gale inquired, in case arolley line was laid through the street, whether it would be laid in the center, measuring from curb to curb, or measuring from the street side lines, giving store owners on that side the benefit of the 2 6/10 feet additional space between the tracks and their curb. He was informed that they would have the benefit of the 2 6/10 feet they had contributed, and thereupon expressed himself as in favor of the present curb line.

It was thereupon agreed that a form of agreement be drawn up by the town committee, which all property owners on that block will be asked to sign. If they all sign, a straight line curb will be put in, the sidewalks flagged out to it all along, and the committee will put the roadway in first class shape as soon as possible. This will require some grading. At present the roadway there is in about as bad condition as any bit of unmanicured road in the township—probably worse.

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A third letter was received from the attorney of one of Stratford & Hawkes' creditors. The clerk was instructed to send him a registered letter of explanation that the committee could do nothing in the matter. John O'Brien, treasurer of the fire department, wrote the committee, enclosing a resolution of the department asking for \$200 for current expenses. The department will



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get the \$200 straightway. The New York Mail and Express wrote, explaining that that paper was the proper one to rely on for bids on the sewer bonds. The clerk and the treasurer are attending to that matter.

A batch of seven or eight propositions to pay sewer assessments in instalments were received and approved.

Children's Home Notes.

At a meeting of the managers of the Children's Country Home held June 26, receipt of the gift of a piano, stool and cover from Mrs. Samuel R. Bucknell of Scotch Plains was reported, and the secretary was instructed to convey to Mrs. Bucknell the heartfelt thanks of the managers for this timely and most generous gift. Mrs. Bucknell and her sister Miss M. L. Aegerman of Scotch Plains have, in many ways, shown their interest in the home. They were both generous subscribers to the building fund at the time of the purchase of the new home, and later in the support of the home and by a special gift several children who needed to be kept in the country, were enabled to stay longer than the usual two weeks.

The corresponding secretary read a letter from a former resident of Westfield, Chas. F. Conroy, expressing his interest in the work of the home. "The more I live in this great city the more I appreciate the needs of the poor as regards pure air and pure food—the beginning of pure lives." The letter contained a check for twenty five dollars.

All the children heretofore cared for in the home have come from New York, though notification of the home and its work has been sent to hospitals and homes in Newark and Jersey City. The object of the home is to care especially for sick or convalescent children, but in special cases of need the managers are glad to be of any service. The pitiable condition of a family of children recently left motherless enlisted their sympathies and three of the children are now temporarily in the home, until such time as the father can make other arrangements for them.

A Letter from Mrs. Holmes.

BRANCH MILLS, June 26, 1897. In the letter written by E. D. Miller published in the Standard June 18, he leaves the impression on the minds of the public that scarlet fever originated in my family. He does not say that, through the carelessness of a doctor, who said she had tonsillitis and eczema, the school teacher was allowed to come to school Jan. 11, 12 and 13, when she was not able to sit up and teach. After changing doctors, the first visit of the new doctor being on January 16, he pronounced her sickness scarlet fever.

My child was taken sick Jan. 14, and as his symptoms were very similar to biliousness we had no doctor till the 17th, and on Saturday another child was taken sick with scarlet fever. For three weeks prior to their sickness they had not been out of the neighborhood of Branch Mills. There are others as well as myself who are indignant over the impression that letter leaves with people. Scarlet fever was brought to Branch Mills by the school teacher, and a number of persons suffered severely through carelessness. There are some people who can go about with whooping cough, mumps, measles and other contagious diseases, and nothing seems to be thought of it, while others are shunned like vipers for months after thorough disinfection. The school has been disinfected, a sulphur candle was burned this week, and was re-opened two months ago with an average attendance of three scholars.

One feels very little indebtedness to people who went the other road to Westfield and "cross lots" to neighbors to avoid passing the house, with few thoughts of inquiring after the sick. I am sincerely thankful to those who were kind to me, and shall not hesitate to be of service to them if it ever lies in my power.

MRS. H. J. HOLMES, JR.

Protoplasm.

The wagons of the Westfield Steam Laundry are always prompt in taking orders and just as prompt in delivering them. You know when to expect your work and you do not get disappointed. If they are not now doing your laundry work, just drop them a postal card and have them call for a trial order.

Save 40 per cent. by paying Cash For Your Goods.

To prove our assertion compare these prices with those you are paying.

Table listing various grocery items and their prices, such as Fancy Elgin Creamery Butter, Best Print Butter, Pure Leaf Lard, etc.

TURRILL'S Cash Grocery, BROAD STREET.

It's the old, old story BUT TRUE AS EVER Gilchester Bicycles are "wheels of quality."

We believe in them. We push them because they are honest goods, honestly guaranteed. They are light, strong, handsome and will "run with the pack." They are made within a few miles from here. You can get anything you want in a few hours. Finally the prices are right. Will you give us an opportunity to demonstrate it?

W. B. ELLIOTT & CO., Broad street and North Avenue, WESTFIELD, N. J.

Advertisement for PIKER'S SHOES, featuring the text 'A Shoe Must Fit To Wear' and 'PIKER'S SHOES are made right and they fit.' H. C. PIKER, BROAD ST. "WESTFIELD'S BUSIEST SHOE STORE."

Advertisement for THE NEW ROCHESTER LAMP, THE STANDARD OF THE WORLD. Other lamps may be "like" or "as good" as THE ROCHESTER in appearance, but like all imitations, lack the peculiar merit of the genuine. Look for the NEW ROCHESTER stamp. No Smoke, No Smell, No Broken Chimneys. Made in every conceivable design and finish, for all lighting or heating purposes, and at prices to compare with any.

Advertisement for HATS for 1 cent! Suitable for children's play hats. CHARLES CLARK, Elm St.

THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 1897.

For Sale and Offers.

For sale, rent or swap... A. W. Lightbourn has had a telephone put in his house... The Rev. and Mrs. Wm. A. Rice were in town yesterday...

TOWN NOTES.

Mrs. Geo. H. Stay and daughters are at Moscow, Penn... A. W. Lightbourn has had a telephone put in his house... The Rev. and Mrs. Wm. A. Rice were in town yesterday...

Legal Notices.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given that the account of the administrator of the estate of J. M. C. Marsh will be settled and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the 30th day of July next...

Mrs. Katharine Bowers of Deal Beach is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Tewksbury on Broad street... A church social will be held at the Baptist church this evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society...

Mrs. David Williams and family of Dudley avenue started for Isle of Springs, Me. for the summer, yesterday morning... Mr. Williams has rented the house to Mr. Hubbard of New York...

More of the ladies would have chosen that method of locomotion had it not been a rather breezy day... The Branch Mills Sunday school reopened under favorable auspices...

Claude Violon, Westfield's stained glass window maker, owns a youngish horse which is driven by his wife and daughter from their home a mile and a half in the country to town two or three times a day...

GILDERSLEEVE'S



You must see to appreciate the handsome Crash Skirt which we put on sale Saturday morning at \$1.19 full price and sweep.

M. J. GILDERSLEEVE DRY GOODS, AND FANCY GOODS. BROAD ST. WESTFIELD.

is a strong feature of our success as Piano sellers. The practice by many is to ask \$150. more for a Piano than they are willing to sell at, and then come down to a point where they can get the purchaser to close the bargain.

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BICYCLES!

65 Days Ahead of Them All!



KEATING. SEE THAT CURVE.

The teachings of science as regards strains and shocks has been applied by the builders of the Keating bicycle. Road Bicycles in the world in the formation of the Keating frame...

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Russet Foot-wear. I have genuine bargains in them. Call at once or your size may be gone. JOHN O'BLENIS Broad Street, Westfield.

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Have opened an office with Mr. Burtis, opposite the depot. Prompt service and lower rates than any other line.

HIRAX A NON-POISONOUS LOTION. BITES AND STINGS OF MOSQUITOES.

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James Moffett, Carpenter & Builder. Prospect St., WESTFIELD, N. J.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be sure to get the wonder-worker, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes you strong. All drug stores.

Argentine Wreck Toll Placed at 24. Head-on Collision of Trains in Fog Leaves 51 Injured, 16 Seriously. Independence Day Married. Buenos Aires. A man who now formerly done society by Dr. J. A very fine sermon in the Presby. of that society's collection was...

Wanaque Suit Is Off Pending. Legal & (continued from page 1) ft. who now formerly done society by Dr. J. A very fine sermon in the Presby. of that society's collection was...

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When used in connection with Lead and colors. When used as above mentioned it will lengthen the durability of the Paint as long again and at the same time make it more durable than any other paint.

Mr. W. H. Baker. It is with a great deal of pleasure that I recommend your Preservative Paint to any one desiring a handsome looking home.

Mr. Robinson also says that he would rather give \$100 to Mr. Baker to paint his house than \$600 to any other painter.

W. H. Baker, Westfield.

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ELIZABETH, LORRAINE, ROSELLE, WESTFIELD, PLAINFIELD, BOUND BROOK and vicinity.

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Allen's Foot-Powder. It cures itching, smarting feet and instantly relieves the most annoying cases of corns and bunions. It is the greatest common discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Powder makes itching, smarting feet, corns and bunions, chafing, chills and hot, tired, aching feet. It is the best. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. Buy in bulk for the home. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Wood, Dr. Roy, N. Y.

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HINDERCOX'S. Hindercox's is the only pure, safe, and effective remedy for all cases of cholera, dysentery, and other ailments. It is a great food value, and you get a pound of power for every dollar you pay.

What do the Children Drink. Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called Grain-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their system. Grain-O is made of pure grains.

RED LAKE. It becomes that Color About Two or Three Times Every Ten Years. Lake Morat, in Switzerland, has a queer habit of turning red about two or three times every ten years. It is a pretty lake, like most of the sheets of water in that picturesque country, and its peculiar treak is attributed to a disposition to celebrate the slaughter of Burgundians under Charles the Bold, on June 21, 1476. But the French say that it blazes for the conduct of the Swiss, who in that battle gave the Burgundians no quarter. The old fishermen of the lake, who catch enormous fish called silures, that weigh between twenty-five and forty kilograms says when they see the waters of the lake reddening, that it is the blood of the Burgundians. As a matter of fact, some of the bodies of the Burgundians killed in the battle were thrown into the lake, while others were tossed into a grave filled with quick lime. This historical recollection angered the Burgundian soldiers of the victorious armies of the republic in 1798 so much that they destroyed the monument raised in honor of their countrymen who fell heroically in that battle, and Henri Martin very justly reproached them for that piece of vandalism. It would hardly do to attribute the reddening of the waters of the lake to the blood of the soldiers of Charles the Bold. The color is due simply to the presence in large quantities of little aquatic plants called by naturalists Oscillatoria tuberosa. The curious thing about it is that Lake Morat is the only lake in which this curious growth is developed, and the peculiarity is being attributed to an ancient event.

NEW DEFINITION OF VERACITY. A Jersey City Witness Says It's a Bad Thing to Carry Around. Richard Welling was a witness at the trial of Rachel Schreiber in Jersey City the other day for larceny and receiving stolen goods. Maggie Weaver, the 14-year-old niece of the defendant's husband, was the principal witness against her, and the defence tried to prove by the testimony of Mr. Welling and others that Maggie's statements could not be relied upon. Mr. Welling took the witness stand with a confident air and testified that Maggie's reputation for truth and veracity was bad.

WOMAN IN FINLAND. That Country More Progressive for Women than Generally Supposed. People don't think of Finland as progressive, but in that country the women are making rapid progress. For more than twenty-five years the gymnasia have admitted both sexes, and in the University of Helsinki there are now 200 women students. There are two flourishing clubs of women. About one thousand are now employed in postoffices, railroad and telegraph bureaus, and other departments of the public service; more than nine hundred are engaged as teachers in schools of various grades, and it is not uncommon to see among their pupils young men of 18 who are preparing for an academic or commercial course. At least three thousand women are in business. Fifty-two of the eighty poor-houses have women superintendents, and all the dairies are managed by women.

HER DESIRE MODEST. And She Received All That Her Advertisement Called For. Here is a good story. A woman once sent the following advertisement to a London paper: "A lady, in delicate health, wishes to meet with a useful companion. She must be domesticated, musical, early riser, amiable, of good appearance, and have some experience of nursing. Total abstainer preferred. Comfortable home. No salary." A few days after the advertiser received a letter labelled, "This side up, with care - perishable." On opening it she found a fine tabby cat, with a letter tied to her tail. It ran thus: "Madam: In answer to your advertisement, I am happy to furnish you with a very useful companion, which you will find exactly suited to your requirements. She is domesticated, a good vocalist, an early riser, possesses an amiable disposition and is considered handsome. She has had a great experience as a nurse, having brought up a large family. I need scarcely add that she is a total abstainer. As salary to her is no object, she will serve you faithfully in return for a comfortable home." Philadelphia Ledger.

Stratagem of War. A certain American in the war of 1812 played a mean trick upon the Admiral of the attacking British squadron. The Britons were entirely too strong for the Americans, so strategy became necessary. Accordingly, one clever young man spread the report that he had invented a fearful machine of war which he would send among the British boats and explode at the proper moment. When he filled a barrel with sand and a little gunpowder, and loaded it up for the British ships, a blue shot was sent off. There was an explosion, and the admiral's command of all the British ships was put to sea, fully convinced that a new infernal machine was being used.

How a Great General Slept. A good story is told of the Duke of Wellington. The French, who had a force double that of the army, were closing in upon his camp except on the stormy side in Spain. Wellington completed his preparations, and then turning to a servant, and saying, "I will let the French see they can't get in." "Half an hour," was the reply. "Then I can go to sleep," he said, and wrapping his cloak about him, he dropped where he stood in the camp trench, and in an instant was asleep. He awoke when the bugles of the enemy sounded in his ears. -Weekly Telegraph.

PENSION OFFICE PLAYS DETECTIVE. Remitting Families a Side Issue in Its Business. The Pension Office, besides examining into pension claims and passing on them, does an enormous amount of other business in the way of remitting families, we and husbands for wives, wives for husbands, parents for children and children for parents. Only recently a case came under my observation which illustrates my meaning, and 'tis a sample of a number of others. An application was received from a lady who applied for a widow's pension. She gave the name of her husband, his service, company and regiment. In looking into the claim it was found that the husband was alive and drawing a pension through the pension agency at Chicago. The woman, who resides in Massachusetts, was so informed, says the Washington Star.

Another case I call to mind is that of a soldier who originally lived at Niagara Falls. He went in the army and served under Sherman. At the close of the war he settled in New Orleans. He had positive information that his wife had died, but he was never able to get any information as to what had become of his three children, except that they had been sent to an orphan asylum. He did not know in what State the orphan asylum was located. Neither did the children know whether their father was dead or alive, though from what they had been able to pick up in the way of information from time to time they concluded that he had passed to the other side.

It happened that the daughter of the soldier not only grew up to be a beautiful woman, but had married a wealthy man. She wrote to the War Department to learn of the whereabouts of her father's grave, but there was no record of it. She then wrote to the Pension Office for the address of a man she had heard served with her father, and who at one time lived at Niagara Falls. The ending of it all was that the children found the father and the father found his children. There are hundreds of such cases, though, of course, the number of them is becoming smaller as time passes.

Two Kinds of Hope. THE FALSE AND THE TRUE. How sick people delude themselves with False Hope, When Real Hope is Close at Hand. People almost never know when they have consumption until it fairly gets the best of them. They may be losing flesh and strength and energy with every passing day, drifting helplessly on the great ocean of disease, yet all the while buoyed up by a false hope that they will soon be all right again. Now hope is a good thing when it is founded on cause and reason; but too often a consumptive's hope is like the optical illusion of a mirage, or the vision of a distant land, which appears to a man admit of the ocean, vanished and crazed. His imagination conjures up a vain picture of rescue, while at the same time he fails to perceive the genuine present which is close at hand.

For there is a real, genuine hope for consumptives; a hope founded on fact and reason; a hope as staunch and substantial and dependable as the solid deck of a great, seaworthy steamship is to the wretched castaway on the open ocean. Consumption is a curable disease. Not only curable in theory, but actually cured in every day practice. There is no longer any question of this. It has been proven beyond the shadow of a doubt. Genuine tubercular pulmonary consumption is completely and permanently cured.

There is nothing strange or incredible or miraculous about this except that it is one of the miracles of enlightened medical science. It is the natural and reasonable result of a marvelous medical combination discovered by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. The peculiar power of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is in its extraordinary effect on the blood-making glands. It gives these organs power to produce rich, red, healthy blood. The whole root and foundation-cause of consumption is impoverished and polluted blood. No hereditary taint would ever develop except for a peculiar morbid condition of the nutritive functions which fills the circulation with poisonous elements that attack the lungs sharply because that happens to be the weakest point. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery strikes directly at this foundation-cause by creating a fresh supply of the life-giving red corpuscles, which vitalize the circulation, drive out impurities, and form new and healthy lung tissue. It stops the wasting process in every part of the body, and builds up sound, healthy flesh and muscular strength. According to actual statistics this remarkable "Discovery" cures 98 per cent. of all lung, throat and bronchial troubles, wherever it is fairly tried.

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Children Are Quick to catch diseases. An ailment which would hardly put a grown person to bed would make them seriously ill. Look in pipes can't be attended to too quickly. No one knows better than a plumber the evil consequences of procrastination. It will save in health, money and labor if you have him when you need him. M. H. FERRIS, Sanitary Plumbing, WESTFIELD, N. J.

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CRANFORD.

The Standard is on sale Tuesday and Friday at the Union News Co's stand. All communications for Cranford Department should be sent to E. R. Clyma, Cranford, N. J.

POST OFFICE DIRECTORY. EASTWARD. Leave. Close. 8:17 a. m. 8:35 a. m. 2:45 p. m. 3:05 p. m. 6:12 p. m. WESTWARD. Leave. Close. 8:20 a. m. 8:35 a. m. 2:50 p. m. 3:10 p. m. 6:15 p. m.

J. Seibold has rented a house in Cranford. Mrs. David Irving of North avenue is to start for Los Angeles, Cal., on Monday. Mrs. J. C. Hunt is to give a small party at her house next Thursday evening.

There will be an ice cream festival at the first Baptist church Thursday evening, proceeds for the building fund. The pastor, the Rev. W. A. Harris, is away on a vacation. The carnival executive committee met last night at the Eclectic club.

The Epworth League will meet at Judge Mendell's on Walnut avenue to-morrow evening. There will be a debate on temperance, of which the leaders will be Dr. Robinson and Will Cawthorne. Howard Klase, son of T. J. Klase of North avenue, is to be married to-morrow evening, to a Brooklyn lady, at her parents home in that city.

An interesting incident was lost sight of in last week's report of the opening of bids for Cranford bonds. It had been about decided, and the chairman had so announced, that the long term bonds, all of them, should be awarded to Farson, Leach & Co., and the short term bonds to Bearwell & Everett.

OUTING COSTUMES.

Dresses For Tennis, Golf, Yachting and Other Outdoor Recreations.

The coat and skirt style of summer dress, so much worn for tennis, yachting, golf and all outdoor recreations, is shown in greater variety than ever. There are cotton and bolero jackets and fitted coats with basques of varying lengths. So whichever is most becoming to the figure is the one to choose.

White kid is the finish on another coat of mixed cloth, with black satin revers and collar. The plaited bolero.



WHITE SERGE COSTUME.

trimmed with embroidery, is a pretty fancy for a pique gown, and still another pique coat has inscriptions of embroidery set in the front and around the revers. In addition to the foregoing the New York Sun gives illustrated descriptions of yachting and other suits made of serge, mohair and linen, the wool materials being recommended as most serviceable for this purpose.

A pretty seaside model made in white mohair or serge has a bolero trimmed with red braid, which also trims the skirt. Blue braid is pretty on this style of gown, and gold buttons are a pretty addition. Red serge trimmed with white or black braid makes a very stylish yachting dress, with box plaited panels over the hands of braid on the skirt. Black taffeta ribbon forms the belt in this case, but leather belts are very much worn with this style of dress.

A Fad Party.

If you are invited to a fad party, says a writer in The Housewife, you are expected to take with you some object that represents your pet fad, and after you have exhibited it you are to talk about it, tell how you acquired it and why, and anything of interest that pertains to it. Until you have attended one of these affairs you can have no idea of the interesting pep it gives you into a hitherto unsuspected side of your friend's life. The man whom you had known only as a thoughtful student reluctantly confesses to a passion for scorpions, and marvelous may be the stories attached to the getting of some of these. With another it may be weapons, modern and ancient, and doubtless he will prove to be the most peaceful one among you. With one it is photographs, with another snuffboxes or stamps or old engravings. Almost every one will have some interesting hobby. Among women one will bring a priceless plate and tell you of her Washington plates and other rare and interesting china. Another collects pewter mugs and candle holders, or fans, or lace.

Not to Be Bunked.

The president of one of the leading eastern colleges was recently journeying toward New York and found himself in the same seat with an old man whose general appearance betokened the farmer. They soon fell into conversation, and after saying that he was on his first visit to the metropolis the farmer mentioned the name of the little village up among the hills of New Hampshire from which he came and remarked that he supposed his friend had never heard of it. "Oh, yes," said the man. "I was born there." Imagine his astonishment when the country man, after staring at him several seconds, exclaimed, "So here, I've heard all about you bunko fellows, and you can't get a chance to bunko me." So saying, he grabbed his carpetbag and, marching down the aisle, took a seat on the other side of the car.—New York Times.

WATERPROOF SERGE.

It Not Only Defies Rain, but Also Rejects Dirt.

Women can now defy rain without the aid of a mackintosh that has undergone the vulcanizing process. It is quite possible to be dressed in a waterproof garment that cannot be distinguished from any dress goods and cut and fitted in the most approved fashion. Serge is the fabric generally chosen for this purpose and treated chemically in the dyeing and finishing process. This process, while adding 10 or 12 cents a yard to the cost, does not, as far as the eye or hand can tell, alter the cloth in any way, except that sometimes it makes a slight improvement, according to what is in the New York Times, who gives the following information:

This process originated in England a few years ago, and the cloth was marketed under the name of "seravante," which name is patented. The process was a secret one, but a finisher from one of the mills came to America, brought the secret with him and entered the employ of one of our mills. Today there are many brands made in America under the various names of "pluette," "rainproof," "showproof," etc. These are practically treated in the same way and are all serges. The test that one mill gives its cloth to see if a new lot is all right is to have a bag made of it, fill it with water and let it remain over night. When the cloth is perfect, the outside of the bag is dry in the morning, and when the bag is turned inside out and shaken it throws off the moisture and is practically dry on that side also. The chemicals with which it is treated repel water like oil or wax.

The process has always been considered a secret, but it is almost an open one in the mills. Women are adopting it more and more for general street wear, for it is so easily cleaned of dirt and no one knows they are in any way prepared for rain. It is an ideal fabric for bicycling and all outing costumes, comes in many beautiful shades besides blue and black and costs anywhere from \$1 to \$1.50 per yard.

Almond Wafers.

Here is a recipe for making almond wafers recommended in the Boston Cooking School Magazine: Cream half



a cupful of butter, add slowly a cupful of powdered sugar and half a cupful of milk, drop by drop. Then add 2 pastry cupfuls of flour and half a teaspoonful of vanilla extract. Spread your thumb on the bottom of a dripping pan, inverted and buttered. Mark in squares, sprinkle with almonds blanched and chopped fine and bake in a moderate oven about 5 minutes. As soon as baked, set the pan on the back of the range and roll the wafers into tubular or cornucopia shape while warm.

Furnishing a House.

In furnishing a house make up your mind exactly as to the wished for effect of each room before you begin to buy furniture, carpets or curtains, for it is essential that there should be harmony of colors even if suits of furniture are discarded in favor of odd bits. But be careful that in your anxiety to get the unstuffed you do not run to the extreme of an inharmonious whole. That is to say, do not arrange a portion of a room in Moorish fashion, for instance, or with bamboo, while near by are strictly modern English chairs and tables. If you begin to decorate a room in one distinct style, carry it out within those four walls, though other rooms may represent totally different periods. It is very important that the tints of the carpet, of the paper or paint of the walls and of the window curtains blend together in each room—that is, either possess a general resemblance of color or various colors in pleasing contrast or harmony with each other. Carpets being the most expensive articles, it is best to buy these first, and then let the color lead the tone and style of curtains, paper hangings, chair covers, hearth rugs and other articles.

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THE BOER AT HOME.

Bryant Lindley met a Boer and asked the way. He received a surly answer which amounted to "Go to the devil!" Upon this he protested angrily, and the Boer rejoined in equal bad humor. At length the Boer shouted, "What's your name anyway?" and when he heard it his manner altered at once, and he exclaimed, "What, and are you the son of the great American missionary Daniel Lindley?" My friend gladly pleaded guilty to this charge, and the surly Boer became at once the most hospitable friend and begged forgiveness for his rudeness. As they rode together toward the road which my friend was seeking the Boer recounted with grateful satisfaction the many good deeds performed by the elder Lindley, but of them all the best to him was that represented by a sound thrashing he had once received at the hands of this venerable missionary. For it appeared that this particular Boer in his youth had been sent to a school taught by Lindley; that the Dutchman was noted for his size and strength and had bargained of his capacity to down the teacher, and had actually sought the opportunity by refusing obedience. But he soon learned that he had made a gross mistake, for this particular missionary was also a noted athlete and gave him such a lashing with a bullock-whip that the young giant roared for mercy before the whole school. And for this and similar deeds the Boers loved the elder Lindley, and this particular Boer venerated his memory.

On the evening in question, when the two men were about to part, the Boer, who had been so unkind at first, begged Lindley, with tears in his eyes, to grant him a great favor for the sake of his conscience. "Your father," said he, "did me a service so great that I can never repay it—he gave me the worst thrashing I ever had—he saved my character, and I am a better man today, thanks to him."

My friend cheerfully promised to grant the request, puzzling his head as to what was going to be required of him. The Boer was mounted upon an excellent horse, which he prized beyond anything he owned. He dismounted, put the reins in Lindley's hand and then ran away into the black forest as though the devil were after him. Here was no Indian giving. This Boer had put it out of the power of the American to discover the name or whereabouts of the strange giver.

It is a story typical of the Boer and serves to illustrate many apparent contradictions in his nature. He does not hate Englishmen in general. He hates only those who seem to threaten his peculiar quality of independence.—"The Dutch Feeling Toward England," by Foulney Bigelow, in Harper's Magazine.

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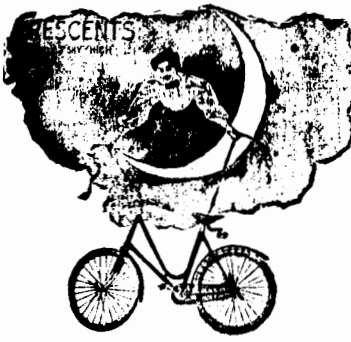
"I don't want people to look at my pictures and say how beautiful the drapery is. The faces what I care about," said Stuart, the great American painter. He was once asked what he considered the most characteristic feature of the face. He replied by pressing the end of his pencil against the tip of his nose, distorting it oddly. His faculty at reading physiognomy sometimes made curious hits. There was a person in Newport celebrated for his powers of calculation, but in other respects almost an idiot. One day Stuart, being in the British museum, came upon a bust whose likeness was apparently unrecognizable. Calling the curator, he said, "I see you have a head of 'Calculating Jimmy'?" "Calculating Jimmy?" repeated the curator in amazement. "That is the head of Sir Isaac Newton."

On another occasion, while dining with the Duke of Northumberland, his host privately called his attention to a gentleman and asked the painter if he knew him. Stuart had never seen him before. "Tell me what sort of a man he is." "I may speak frankly?" "By all means." "Well, if the Almighty ever wrote a legible hand he is the greatest rascal that ever disgraced society."

It appeared that the man was an attorney who had been detected in sundry dishonest acts. Stuart's daughter tells a pretty story of her father's garret, where many of his unfinished pictures were stored. "The garret was my playground, and a beautiful sketch of Mme. Bonaparte was the idol that I worshipped. At last I got possession of colors and an old panel and felt to work copying the picture. Suddenly I heard a frightful roaring sound. The kitchen chimney was on fire. Presently my father appeared, to see if the fire was likely to do any damage. He saw that I looked very foolish at being caught at such presumptuous employment and pretended not to see me. But presently he could not resist looking over my shoulder.

"Why, boy," said he—so he used to address me—you must not mix your colors with turpentine. You must have some oil."

It is pleasant to add that the little girl who thus found her inspiration eventually became a portrait painter of merit.—Youth's Companion.



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