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LARGEST DRY AND FANCY GOODS HOUSE IN NEW JERSEY.



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A portion of the magnificent stock of Schwartzbach, Huber & Co., purchased by auction. They are all of the latest importations and positively can not be found in the regular way for much more than the amount we paid for them. Some of the goods fell into the hands of New York merchants, but, as usual, WE INVARIABLY GET THE BEST. THE SALE:

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Satin Gros Grain Brocades All-Silk, the latest of this season's styles, each yard value at 70c a yard, sale price 68c	Black Armure Royal A superb fabric, made of genuine silk, especially for evening wear, 1.25 a yard, this side 98c
Black Mire Antique Fanciful, colour and figured effects, very rich, extra fine quality, never retailed less than 1.25, this side 62c	Black Satin Luxor Rich and fine, made of genuine silk, double face, regular 1.75 quality, this side 1.25
Black Swiss Taffeta 22 inches wide, extra fine, exceptional quality, at the regular price 1.00 a yard, this side 69c	Black Satin Luxor Superior dye and finish, 22 inches wide, sold regularly for 2.00 a yard, this side 1.59

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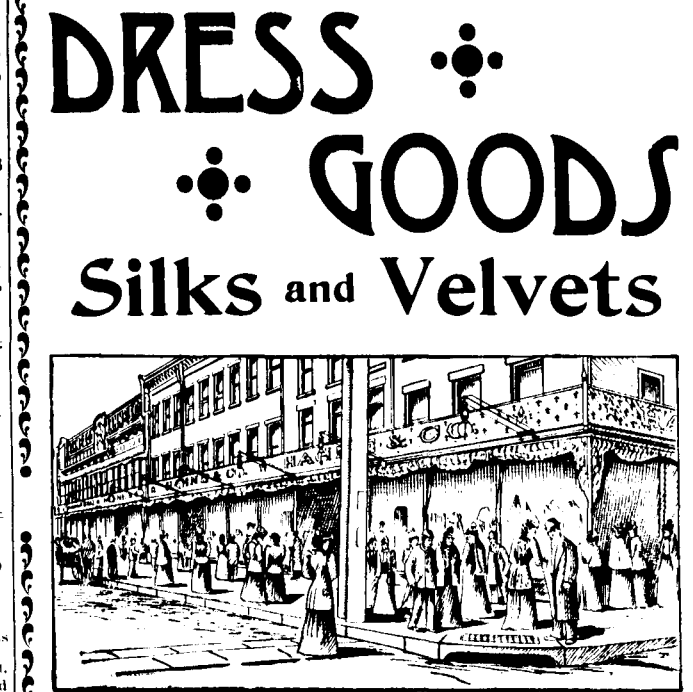
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IS GALLANTRY LANGUISHING?

Observations on the Decline of Street Car Manners in the North. It cannot be concealed that there is a growing tendency, even in the south, where masculine gallantry has held out longest, on the part of men to let women in the street cars shift for themselves. It has not come to that point yet, but the movement is growing in that direction.

It is a fact that men are rapidly failing in the courtesy which was once uniformly shown to women, and the reason, to a large extent, is that men are meeting women as competitors in all fields of labor, and this fact vastly changes the social relations between the sexes. Women are claiming all sorts of equality with men, moral, political and physical, and are declaring more and more their independence. The effect on the next generation will be very marked and peculiar. The men and women of the present are affected to an overpowering extent by the influence of old ideas and training, and that is the reason they talk about street car manners and social ethics in their relations to the sexes, but in the year 1930, or the period of one generation from the present time, people will no longer concern themselves about such matters.

The greater number of women at work in proportion to the men the more stringent the competition, and it can easily be seen that, according to the figures shown, the day might come when there would be no street car manners, but every individual would look out for himself or herself, as the case may be. But even should civility be extinguished from human manners there will always remain the Christian grace of charity, so in the time to come bodied young men and women who have seats in the cars will rise to give their places to old men and women and to others who may be sick or disabled.

SLEIGHBELLS.

As Commonly Used as Ever—Some Changes in Customs.

The sleighbells used in this country are made here, most of them in Connecticut, and many sleighbells of American manufacture are exported to Germany and to Russia. Sleighbells are as commonly used as ever whenever there is snow enough to make good sleighing. They may not be heard so much as formerly here in the city, where the snow is cleared away from many streets and wheels cut up what is left, but up the state and elsewhere the sleighbells jingle in winter just as merrily as ever.

There have been some changes in sleighbell customs. Shaft bells and bells fixed on the saddle of the harness have to some extent taken the place of the old time string of bells on straps, but the strings of bells are still the more commonly used. Probably a third of the bell outfits sold nowadays are of the kind that fasten to shafts or the saddle of the harness and two-thirds are strings of bells. The bells exported are in about the same proportions. The bells attached to shafts and harness are open mouthed and provided with tongues. Some shaft bells are made with all three in a set after; often they are made in three sizes, forming a chime. The three bells carried over the saddle of the harness are set in an ornamental frame, which is supported by the saddle.

The sleighbells of the old, familiar kind, round, with bells inside, are attached to straps, as they have always been, to body straps encircling the horse's body, and to neck straps. Sleighbells were never made with such care with a view to their sound producing qualities, nor were they ever so musical, as now. The commoner kinds of sleighbells are produced at a very small cost, and whole strings of bells are sold at prices that seem marvellously low. Shaft bells of the commoner kinds are cheaper yet, and that accounts in some measure for the increased sales of shaft bells.

The question has often been asked, and as often answered, How does the ball get inside of the sleighbell? The question is here again answered. Of course the ball itself is first cast. It is then placed inside the ball of sand that is to form the core of the mold in which the sleighbell is to be cast. The mold is of the form and size of the outside of the sleighbell. The core almost fills the interior of the mold, but not quite. There is left all around, between it and the mold, a little space. Into this space the molten metal is poured, and when it hardens it is a hollow globe of metal, with the mold outside and the core inside. When the sleighbell is taken from the mold, the sand of which the core is composed, having been dried out by the heat of the molten metal, can easily be shaken out of the bell through its narrow mouth, but the ball which has been placed in the sand before the bell was cast is bigger than the mouth of the bell that now surrounds it, and so it has to stay in.—New York Sun.

Pa's Prayers. Once upon a time sickness came to the family of the poorly paid pastor of a country church, says the Omaha World-Herald. It was winter, and the pastor was in financial straits. A number of his flock decided to meet at his house and offer prayers for the speedy recovery of the sick ones and for material blessings upon the pastor's family. While one of the deacons was offering a fervent prayer for blessings upon the pastor's household there was a loud knock at the door. When the door was opened, a stout farmer boy was seen, wrapped up comfortably.

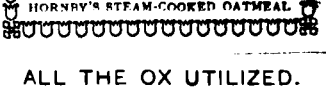
"What do you want, boy?" asked one of the elders. "I've brought pa's prayers," replied the boy. "Brought pa's prayers? What do you mean?" "Yep, brought his prayers, an they're out in the wagon. Just help me, an we'll get 'em in." Investigation disclosed the fact that "pa's prayers" consisted of potatoes, flour, bacon, cornmeal, turnips, apples, warm clothing and a lot of pelles for the sick ones. The prayer meeting adjourned in short order.

Her Sphere. "Professor," said Miss Skylight, "I want you to suggest a course in life for me. I have thought of journalism." "What are your natural inclinations?" "Oh, my soul yearns and throbs and pulsates with an ambition to give the world a life work that shall be marvellous in its scope and weirdly entrancing in the vastness of its structural beauty." "Woman, you're born to be a milliner."—London Fun.

Too Weak to Hold It. Charles—Uncle, I want you to try this lumberer. It was imported all the way from Germany, each pound carefully wrapped in tin foil. Uncle Josh—Gosh! Air you sure they didn't have to do it up in brier root?—Indiana's Journal.

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ALL THE OX UTILIZED.

Every Particle Put to Use—Only Its Dying Breath Lost.

In an article on the "Wonders of the World's Waste," William George Jordan, in The Ladies' Home Journal, details how science at the present day utilizes the ox. "Not many years ago," he says, "when an ox was slaughtered 40 per cent of the animal was wasted. At the present time nothing is lost but its dying breath." As but one-third of the weight of the animal consists of products that can be eaten, the question of utilizing the waste is a serious one. The blood is used in refining sugar and in sizing paper or manufactured into doorknobs and buttons. The hide goes to the tanner; horns and hoofs are transformed into combs and buttons; thigh bones, worth \$30 per ton, are cut into handles for clothesbrushes; fore leg bones sell for \$30 per ton for collar buttons, parasol handles and jewelry; the water in which bones are boiled is reduced to glue; the dust from sawing the bones is food for cattle and poultry; the smallest bones are made into bone-black. Each foot yields a quarter of a pint of neat-foot oil; the tail goes to the "soup," while the brush of hair at the end of the tail is sold to the mattress maker. The choicer parts of the fat make the basis of butterine; the intestines are used for sausage casings or bought by gold beaters. The undigested food in the stomach, which formerly cost the packers of Chicago \$30,000 a year to remove and destroy, is now made into paper. These are but a few of the products of abattoirs. All scraps unfit for any other use find welcome in the glue pot, or they do missionary work for farmers by acting as fertilizers.

YAWN AND LAUGH OFTEN.

Scientists Declare That Both Are Highly Beneficial.

It is not so very long ago since a foreign scientist discoursed on the benefits of yawning. This act, which is generally regarded as partaking of the nature of a tired condition, or symptom of such a condition, of the respiration and of the need for fresh air, is said to be of great service in clearing the eustachian tubes of the ears. These tubes lead from the back of the mouth to the inner side of the ear drum, and a yawning is looked upon in this light as a hygienic exercise which benefits the structures in question. Another scientist has no difficulty in showing that when we laugh we increase the play of tension in our lungs. One result of this increased tension is to arrest the blood flow in the lungs and to induce the taking of deep inspirations. These latter are healthful things, for many parts of our lungs are not called into active use in ordinary breathing. The apex, or top of the lung, is notably a part which does not actively participate in the movements of breathing, and as this is the special seat of consumption attack we may reasonably hold that the law of disuse explains the greater liability of this portion of the organ to the onset of disease. The free and active use of a part, strengthening and toning it, as it were, is an essential condition for health; hence laughter, by bringing into play the whole of the lungs, or at least by favoring an increase of lung work, is to be reckoned an admirable exercise. Besides this physical effect of laughter we have also to take into account its mental side. There is a certain brain stimulus to be noted, a psychic result, in addition to the physical effect, and it is pretty certain the mental phase of a good, hearty laugh is, in its way, as healthful as is its physical aspect. Singing is also praised as an excellent lung exercise, and public speaking is as effective a lung tonic as one may wish for. The only drawback to the work of the speaker is the foul condition of the atmosphere in which he has often to do his work.—Exchange.

There is a species of pine tree which grows in California and is known as the giant pine which is the largest of the pine genus, often rising to a height of 200 ft, with a trunk 20 to 30 feet in girth.

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Religious Notices

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF CHRIST, Rev. Henry Ketchum, Pastor. Sunday Morning, Service 10:30 o'clock. Sunday-school 12 m. Young People's Prayer Meeting 6:45 p. m. Evening Service 7:45 o'clock. Gospel Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m. A hearty welcome to all.

WESTFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH, Westfield, N. J. Rev. George A. Francis, Pastor. Sunday services: Prayer Meeting 10 a. m. Pleading 10:30 a. m. Sunday School 12 o'clock. Young People's Prayer Meeting 7 p. m. Evening Service 7:45 o'clock. Class meeting, Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. General Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evenings, at 8 o'clock. All seats are free.
We extend you a hearty welcome to these services. If not identified with any other congregation we should be pleased to see you among our regular attending members. cordially invite you to make this church your home.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Rev. Wm. H. Ruth, Pastor. Residence Union Place, Sunday morning Service 10:30 o'clock. Sunday-school 12:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting 6:45 p. m. Evening Service 7:45 o'clock. Class meeting, Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. General Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evenings, at 8 o'clock. All seats are free.
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. N. W. Cutwell, Pastor. Services, Sunday 10:30 a. m. 8:00 p. m. Social Meetings, Wednesday Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m. Sunday School 10:30 a. m. Meeting 7 p. m. Sunday School 12 m. Samuel Johnston, Superintendent. Strangers made to feel at home.

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A CASE OF INSOMNIA.

THE RETIRED BURGLAR RELATES AN INTERESTING EXPERIENCE.

How He Came to Eat Roasted Oysters With a Gentleman Who Couldn't Sleep. He Didn't Make a Cent, but Enjoyed the Best and Had a Pleasant Visit.

"I found the dining-room of a house that I was looking over one night," said the retired burglar, "filled with a glow of light from a bright hard coal fire burning in a grate at one end of the room. There was just a little bit of gas coming from one burner, but it only made a little yellow tip in the redder glow from the fire. About half the table was covered with a folded white tablecloth, clean and thick and with the covers still in it. On this cloth there were a plate and a plate of bread and some butter and vinegar and catchup and things like that, and on the other end of the table that wasn't covered, the end nearest the fire, there was an old fashioned square tea tray with the japanning pretty much all worn off. Looking down by the fire, I saw on one side of the hearth a half bushel basket pretty near full of big selected oysters, pretty uniform in size and had in carefully with the round shell down.

"It was a winter night, colder'n Greenland outside, and this room was just as comfortable as it could be, and that layout did look inviting, and I couldn't ever guess who it was for, because the house was shut up tighter'n a drum—evidently nobody expected and nobody sitting up. But while I was standing there wondering over it I heard a door open—the one next to the one I'd come in at—and in comes a man that looks at me for a minute and says:

"This is an unexpected pleasure. And I says it is to me, too, looking at him at the same time, and seeing a man make a little tucker in myself and perfectly polite and capable and able to take care of himself.

"Get at 'em, he says, and eat something with me. You'll find another oyster grate in the left hand side of the right hand drawer of that side-board right to the left of you. And there it was, and when I turned around again the man was putting oysters on the fire in the grate. Five minutes later he was picking em up with a pair of tongs and laying em carefully round shell down on the old tea tray. Now will you just help yourself," he says.

"You do this very often," I says, and I about do it at all I could help it, but I suffer from insomnia, and I find that when I can't sleep a little snack of something to eat makes me sleep. I can tell generally before I go to bed the nights when I am't going to sleep, and such nights I have em fix up something to eat in case I should need it, and then I come down and find it, like this, and eating something sort of tranquilizes my mind, and I go back to bed and go to sleep all right.

"He pushed the top shell off an oyster in front of him over on the tray and put a little bit of a scrap of butter on the oyster and looked at it dissolve a minute, and then he put on just one drop of pepper sauce, turned the oyster over in the deep shell so as to get the dry top side into the oyster juice and melted butter, and then he ate it. Then he dipped a little hunk of bread into the juice in the deep shell and ate that, and then he pushed the empty shell out of the way on the tray and took another oyster off the fire with the tongs and began on that.

"Darnd if I could see how a man that enjoyed eating as much as he did could ever bother about anything, but he did, all the same, that was plain, or he wouldn't have been there.

"I don't suppose," he says, "that you ever suffer from insomnia, and if you did it wouldn't make any difference, because you want to be wide awake nights in your business, eh? And he seemed to think this was a pretty slick little sort of a joke. Then I told him how I came to go into the business, that when I was a young man I had been a great sufferer from insomnia myself, that in those days there were nearly so many night occupations to choose from as now, and that my choice was limited, that I had not followed burglary from inclination, but that I was compelled to do something for a living, and burglary was the only night work I could get at the time, and that's how I came to take it up as a business.

"You don't mean it," he says. "Put on the plow and start up the fire a little. If I'd ha' known you were coming I'd had another basket."

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HOMEMADE ELECTRICITY.

Some Simple Methods by Which It May Be Generated.

It has been discovered that if a steel knife and a silver fork be inserted in a large orange an electric current will be generated. If the end of the fork and the end of the knife sticking from the orange be connected with an electric measuring instrument, quite a perceptible current will be found to pass. The same kind of a battery may be made by substituting a cucumber for the orange. In fact, any acid fruit may be used.

In order to make a voltaic pile it is only necessary to project, inch or more pieces of zinc about an inch square, the same number of pieces of copper and a like number of pieces of paper. The paper should be thoroughly soaked in vinegar.

First take a piece of zinc. On it place a piece of vinegar soaked paper, then put on a piece of copper, then a piece of paper, then another zinc and then paper, and so on until all the pieces of zinc, copper and paper have been used. It is important that a piece of zinc should be on one end and a piece of copper on the other. After the pile is completed again soak the whole slightly in vinegar, then clean it off on the outside.

If the forefinger of one hand be held against one end and the forefinger of the other hand be held on the other end of the pile, quite a perceptible current will be felt. If several persons clasp hands and the persons on each end of the line touch the voltaic pile, the current will flow through the bodies of all those in position.

The thermopile is another electrical current producer that may be made in any household at a trifling expense. The electric current is generated in this case by heat, and anything from a candle to a live coal may be used to produce the heat. Take a lot of German silver and copper wire and cut it into six inch lengths. Then take a German silver length and a copper length and twist the ends together. You will have a V shaped arrangement of wires. Take another length of German silver wire and twist one end of it tightly around the copper end of the V. Continue the process until you have a long succession of what might be called V's or double V's arranged with alternate pieces of copper and German silver wire.

Now take two large curtain rings. Bend your string of wire lengths until it has assumed the position of a star and clamp it between the two curtain rings. One end of the string of wires should be copper and the other German silver. You will find when these are clamped between the curtain rings that the inner points of the star form a small circle in the middle of the rings. The rings should be placed on uprights and a candle should be lighted, so that the flame will play between the inner points of the star.—New York Herald.

MODERN NEWSPAPERS.

There Are No Prejudices in the Way of the New Journalist.

The new journalist has no prejudices that interfere with his business ends. The founder of his school was the first man to make an absolutely nonpartisan paper, and the successful men I talked with declared that the best way commercially to make an editorial page was to turn it over to some man with mind and character who would direct its policy independently and in good faith in the interests of the community as a whole, regardless of parties, cliques, advertisers or any other interests, however powerful. But while this is being done the business man who proposes to conduct the enterprise would have an equally independent news department, and having the most intelligent readers to begin with, he would broaden the news policy from their point of view, spending as much as sensationalism costs for more important, better written news. In short, the commercial ideal contains distinct appreciation of the power of opinion, but it prizes just as highly the value of the authoritative statement of all the news.

There's not room for many such newspapers, but that's the kind that would live and pay forever," said my new commercial journalist.—J. Lincoln Stephens in Scribner's.

How to the Occasion.

The story of a young woman who would up her letter to a friend with "P. S.—I forgot to tell you I was married," is matched, says the London Telegraph, Miss Kate—of Belfast recently consented to adopt the name of a gentleman friend, and so they were married. She is in Dublin now and is stopping at the Gresham hotel. The other day she made some purchases, and in going home she said, "You may send them home for me—Miss Kate—Gresham hotel," and she swept out of the store as if she had been married 15 years.

Swordswomen Abroad.

Some day it will be the women of foreign countries who will defend their nation's honor after the French-Italian style recently witnessed. Women of the upper classes in France and Spain are generally expert swordswomen. They are taught to fence as carefully and accurately as their brothers, and there are numerous schools in the two countries where young women are taught not only to fence, but to handle the broad sword.

In some of the Nevada canyons in severe weather the jack rabbits freeze to death, huddled together in clusters, vainly trying to get a little warmth out of one another. Then the Washoe and Piute Indian hunters break them off in bunches and flood the market with them.

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THE CLOCK WINDER.

A NEW YORK MAN WHO MAKES HIS LIVING AT THIS CALLING.

Whims of Some of His Patrons Whose Timepieces He Looks After. Mystery of the Clock That Would Not Go on Friday. Twenty Clocks in One House. Clock winding seems a simple enough task to be performed by owners for their respective timepieces, but there are many people who find it sufficiently tedious to make them delegate it to someone else. Hence has arisen the profession of clock winder, which as yet claims probably fewer members than any other calling in the city. For some years jewelers have attended to the repairing of clocks which they sold and have even looked after the winding where they was especially desired, but they never tried to obtain this kind of business, and it was done merely as an accommodation to their customers. Now there is at least one man in New York—there may be more, though not many—whose only occupation is the winding, regulating and occasional cleaning of clocks for numerous families. He makes daily rounds so as to cover his entire route, but he never visits the same house oftener than once a week. On his day his coming is expected, and he has free access to all the rooms, whether they are occupied at the time or not. Through the various halls and apartments he goes, from the top of the house to the bottom, winding the clocks and giving a touch here and there to a regulator where he finds it necessary. Of course he does not pay any attention to the little metal alarm clocks, which run for only one day. His care, being given weekly, is spent upon the eight day clocks of more expensive design and workmanship.

The clock winder whom The Tribune reporter saw had several stories to tell about the pursuit of his occupation. "Some people are very particular about the striking of their clocks," he said. "They will ask me if I can't arrange to have all the timepieces in the house strike together. Now, as a general thing, that is an impossibility, and I'll tell you why. Some clocks are arranged to strike just half a minute before the hour, some for a quarter of a minute before, some for a few seconds after the hour and so on. You see if I fixed them so that they would strike together they would not be exactly together in point of actual time, which is more important. In one house of my list the family owns 20 clocks. Of these I suppose 5 or 6—perhaps more—strike in unison, and the others all within a minute. My orders in this house are to have all the clocks except one at precisely the correct time. This odd one is the timepiece in the bedroom of the mistress of the house, and she wishes it kept three minutes fast. I think that is the only instance among my customers of anybody who wants a clock perpetually fast, and I am very certain there is no one who asks me to keep one slow.

"When I undertake the care of the clocks in a house, nobody else is allowed to touch them, and the servants in particular have orders never to move or interfere with them in any way. Sometimes this is done accidentally, and it is hard to find out how the clock has been injured. A few months ago I lost one of my best houses because there was one clock which I could not seem to put in proper order. I would take it away, clean it thoroughly and look to every smallest part of the mechanism. Apparently it made no difference. The clock positively refused to run right. Finally I gave it up, and that family had a mighty poor opinion of my abilities as a clock repairer.

"Some weeks after that I came across a clock in another house which acted in exactly the same way. I was puzzled for awhile. Finally I noticed that it always stopped on Fridays. That was queerer than ever, until by chance I hit upon the solution of the mystery. The servant, while dusting the room on that day, was in the habit of passing her cloth along the mantle under the clock. This would have made no difference with many timepieces, but this one had an open bottom, through which the tip of the pendulum projected. The dusting cloth just touched this enough to stop it. The girl did not know what she had done, and thus the family were mystified anew each week by finding that the clock would not go on Friday.

"I clean all my clocks regularly once in two years, and in that way keep them in proper running order. Most people think that it is just as well to let a clock run until it stops, fairly clogged up with dirt, but that isn't so. By that time it may be so bad that it will be impossible ever to make it run as accurately as it did before.

"I am usually paid for the month to take charge of all the clocks in a house, it being understood that I make weekly visits. Sometimes, though, I am employed by the year. In the case of the house I was telling you of, where they have 20 clocks, they pay me \$100 annually for the work. It takes a good deal of my time in the course of 12 months, and I don't fill my pockets as fast as some fellows seem to think I ought," concluded the clock winder with a smile.—New York Tribune.

Scarcity of Material. "The Rev. Mr. Jingle is running his mission in regular vandyke style. Had a peacocking match there on Monday, and last night he offered a prize to the member who would wash the greatest number of boys' faces in the shortest time. It was a dead failure."

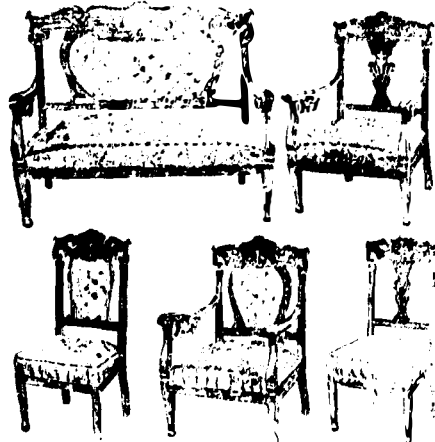
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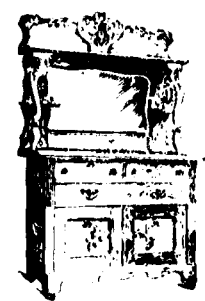
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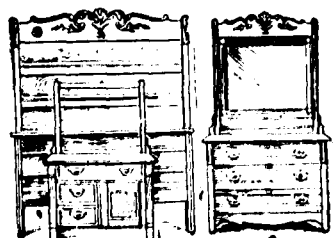


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WESTMINSTER ABBEY.

Something About This World Famous Old English Church.

The architecture of Westminster abbey dates back to a remote period, but long before any part of the present "glorious pile" was in existence a Saxon church stood upon the same spot. Many years before the conquest the Saxon church was connected with a monastic body of the Benedictine order, which gave the name Western monastery, or Westminster, to its place of abode, to distinguish it from St. Paul's, in London, which was known as Eastminster.

Considered architecturally, the first church here of which we have any authentic history was erected by Edward the Confessor and consecrated on Holy Innocent's day, 1065. The greater part of the abbey was built by Henry III in the style known as early English. The west front, with its grandly beautiful windows, belongs to the fifteenth century, as does also the completion of the nave and the aisle. The extreme length of Westminster abbey is 511 feet, the width across the transepts is 203 feet and the width across the aisles 70 feet; the height of the roof is 102 feet.

The fortunes of the abbey have followed and are closely interwoven with those of the nation, and many, therefore, are its historical associations. There the sovereigns of England have been crowned ever since the conquest. The coronation stone, brought from Scotland by Edward I, may still be seen under the coronation chair used by Richard II. This chair has ever since been occupied by English rulers during the coronation ceremonies.

Within the walls of the abbey the funerals of many crowned heads have taken place, and sovereigns and members of royal families have graves and tombs beneath its roof. Oliver Cromwell never wore a crown, but his remains were deposited for a time in a vault beneath Henry VII's chapel with pomp never surpassed by that of royalty. The south transept is known to the world as the "poets' corner," because there, sleeping their last sleep, are Chaucer, Spenser, Ben Jonson, Cowley, Dryden, Beaumont, Addison and Tennyson and near by are monuments to Shakespeare, Milton, Isaac Watts, Goldsmith and Johnson.

In the north transept are buried many renowned statesmen. There lie Pitt, Wilberforce, Fox, Peel, Canning and Palmerston. Many eminent divines, men of letters, generals, admirals and other persons known to fame are buried beneath the marble pavement or have monuments by its pillars or on its historic walls. —Philadelphia Times.

HOW TO ESCAPE COLDS.

Not by Coddling, but by Becoming Able to Endure Necessary Exposure.

It is not always sufficient to point out a danger. It is often of even greater importance to show how the danger may be averted. Most people properly recognize a cold as avoidable and think they are greatly to be commended for the prudence they exercise in protecting themselves, but if they did but know it they are really doing all they can to make themselves susceptible to colds by weakening their resisting powers.

A German professor once wrote a long treatise, with a learned title, on how to avoid catching cold. After tracing the history of colds from the earliest ages, studying their causes and symptoms and cataloguing the remedies which have been used by the most eminent physicians of all times he concluded with a short chapter on prevention.

His plan was to nurse the back of the neck to drafts by having some one direct a current of air upon it from a bellows three times a day.

The writer had the correct idea, although its practical application was clumsy and he was a long time in reaching it. The best and only way to escape colds is to meet the causes that produce them and not to run from them.

Let the body be hardened by a cold sponge bath or even a cold plunge, followed by brisk rubbing with a "scratching" towel, every morning. Let the clothing be adapted to the season, though always as light as possible, but keep the neck uncovered—no turned up coat collar, no muffler, no boa. Never let the temperature in the house rise above 70 degrees in the winter. Air every room systematically every day, no matter what the outdoor temperature may be. Always have fresh air in the bedroom. There is nothing poisonous in "night air," popular belief to the contrary notwithstanding.

In a word, don't be always afraid of catching cold, don't coddle, but meet cold and wet and changes of temperature like a man, or rather like a horse, and you will then run a better chance of being as strong as a horse.

Of course you must strengthen your armor where it is weak, but if you recognize in yourself a weak place, a "cold spot," don't cover it up with more clothes, but toughen it and toughen your entire body until it is one homogeneous resistant whole. —Youth's Companion.

The Cooking of Game Birds.

Most game birds and animals, because of a life of ceaseless activity, do not take on fat, and such should be larded or cooked with slices of bacon or salt pork placed on them. Do not serve birds with heads on and undrawn, as is quite generally practiced, the latter point being a relic of savagery, the former an offense to sensitive nerves. It is pleasanter to enjoy a bit of choice flesh without being so forcibly reminded that we are eating dead birds. This is not the only instance where realism is inartistic. —Woman's Home Companion.

Seated.

"Have you caught that murderer yet?"
"No," replied the detective. "We haven't caught him, but we've got him so scared he doesn't dare show himself when we're around." Washington Bar.

COAL AND IRON.

The Important Relationship of These Two Valuable Minerals.

Statistics show that whereas Great Britain in 1870 produced 75 per cent of the world's supply of coal, at the present time it produces only 24 per cent. Atlantic liners no longer carry coal from Great Britain for the return journey. They now take in American coal, and no less than 1,500,000 tons of American coal were thus consumed in 1895. The condition of the iron manufacturing industries has always exercised a most important influence on the production of coal, so that a large demand for mineral fuel. During the last 25 years the world's production of pig iron has increased from 12,000,000 to 26,000,000 tons, but the share taken by Great Britain has fallen from 18.8 per cent to 2.9 per cent, while that of the United States has increased from 14.1 per cent to 26.2 per cent, that of Germany from 11.1 per cent to 21.1 per cent, and that of Russia from 3 per cent to 4.7 per cent. Indeed, iron is now being imported from the United States into this country, and, incredible as it may seem, the railway station at Middleborough, the center of the iron trade, is built of iron brought from Belgium. Surely, then, the author of "Our Coal Resources at the Close of the Nineteenth Century" is hardly right in thinking that British coal and iron still hold their own. He argues that other countries of Europe are exhausting their coal supplies just as Great Britain is, yet the figures he gives show that Germany has in reserve, within a depth of 3,000 feet, 100,000,000,000 tons of coal as compared with our (England's) 81,650,000,000 tons within a depth of 4,000 feet. And this estimate does not include brown coal, of which Germany raises 25,000,000 tons annually. —Nations.

CHEMICAL FIRE ENGINES.

They Have Done Much to Reduce the Loss From Water at Fires.

Mr. Charles T. Hill writes of "The Fire Patrol" in St. Nicholas, the final paper in his series on the New York fire department. Mr. Hill says:

The "chemical engine," used considerably in the fire departments of several cities, has aided materially in lowering the loss by water at small fires. The preparation carried in the tanks of these engines has a double advantage—not only does it extinguish a large body of fire with the use of a small amount of water, but the liquid itself evaporates quickly, leaving very little "drip" in the apartments or floors underneath the fire.

The tanks of these engines are charged with a solution of bicarbonate of soda (baking soda) and water, with a small cylinder of sulphuric acid suspended at the top. When the tank is inverted, this acid is emptied into the soda and water, and the mixture at once generates carbonic acid gas at a great pressure. Charging the liquid with this gas gives it the necessary pressure to drive it a considerable distance. The hose is coiled around a reel on top of the engine, and always connected with the tanks, so when the firemen arrive at a fire all they have to do is to run off as much hose as they need, dash up stairs with the line, give the order to "dump" one of the tanks (there are two, carrying 60 gallons each, and they are all ready to go to work. The chemical engine has extinguished more than 25 fires of considerable size since it has been in service in the New York department, a little over a year. It is stationed on the upper west side of the city, where there are a great number of dwellings and flats, and it has aided materially in keeping down the fire losses in that part of New York.

Leipsic.

Mrs. Isabel C. Barrows, in an article in the New York Independent on "Plain Life and High Thought" as exemplified at Leipsic university, says:

Leipsic is one of the great flower marts of Europe. It is a joyous sight to go through the early morning market and see the flowers of all kinds in masses beyond conception. There is no student so poor that he cannot add to the beauty of his room the charm of a flower when for 2 cents he can have a big bunch of magnolias. This very morning the expenditure of 24 cents gave me literally an armful of magnolias, large and fragrant; forget-me-nots, bluer than the sky of rather gray Leipsic; great golden buttercups like those that grow on the upland meadows of the Rigi; cornflowers, the old emperor's favorite flower, and lilies of the valley in profusion. Plain living, and flowers, with music, nature and friendship at command, may easily lead to high thinking, and the student who is here to strive for attainment of truth may well scorn the trappings of wealth, since wealth is not needed to command the highest and best.

On the High Sea.

Ellen Beach Yaw, the phenomenal soprano, went on a yachting cruise recently in southern California. The waves grew high, and she soon took to her berth. One of her friends, going to inquire how she was progressing, heard her humming a lullaby in a most peculiar tone of voice. Her maid came to the door and explained that Miss Yaw was sick. "But she is singing," the visitor exclaimed. "Yes, I know," answered the maid, "but Miss Yaw means in tune that way so it won't disturb any one else." —Kansas City Journal.

The omnibuses of one London company cover just about 20,000,000 miles in the course of a year—half as much as is covered by the trains of the London and Northwestern railway—a distance sufficient to take them nearly three times around the world every day.

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TOWN NOTES.

Carl Whitehead of New York was in town Sunday. -W. H. Gomez has been spending a few days at Harrison, N. Y. -Mrs. J. L. Clayton returned from north Jersey Thursday night.

-A Walker of New Milford, Conn., is visiting his brother M. B. Walker. -Miss Ruth Pearsall will spend next week in Scarsdale, N. Y., visiting friends. -C. F. Oxley left for Europe Saturday on a trip for the benefit of his health.

-Miss Mary Luckey of Plainfield has returned from a visit to North Branch, N. J. -Mrs. W. H. Davies and daughter Rose will return from Bayonne, N. J., this week. -L. M. Seahy has returned from a visit to London where he went on business bent.

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-Henry Warnke has resigned his position in New York with the North American Mercantile Agency and accepted a position with the Acme Art Glass Co. in Elizabeth. -Chas. Crickenberger and his bicycle were caught between a curb stone and a butcher's wagon Saturday, and the wheel got run over, demolishing it considerably. Mr. Crickenberger managed to dodge the wagon.

-Invitations are out for a reception from 8 till 11 at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Loebe, South avenue and Cumberland street, on the evening of Wednesday, October 20, that being the ninth anniversary of their marriage. -A domino club has been organized at Willow Grove, to meet fortnightly. The meeting this week will take place Friday evening at the residence of John Darby. The membership includes about twenty five young ladies and gentlemen.

Another Outlet for American Products.

British tourist on the Hudson Eye often fancied that if some of your enterprising countrymen would devise a method for canning American scenery it would have an immense sale in England.

-John Platt has returned from a business trip abroad. -Miss Anna D. Cooper's classes in expression begin next Friday. -Mrs. A. H. Barnett has been visiting relatives in Elizabethport. -W. E. Tuttle has been home at Horseheads, N. Y., visiting for a few days.

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-The Rev. N. W. Cadwell has begun a series of sermons on the social and practical side of life. His first address, delivered last Sunday evening, was on "A Young Man's Education and His Choice of a Bride." It was listened to by an unusually large audience. The subject will be continued next Sunday evening.

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The interest of the occasion will be enhanced by the undoubted identification of the Wallace house as disclosed in the following paragraph taken from the Royal Gazette, a loyalist paper published in New York by James Rivington in 1778.

"New York, Dec. 19, 1778—By late accounts from New Jersey we are informed that General Washington's headquarters were at Mrs. Wallace's about 12 miles from Brunswick; the Earl of Sterling at Convivial hill, a seat of the journal Philip Van Horn, Esq., about 7 miles from Brunswick; Major General Green at Van Vleet on the Harlan river; Brigadier General Knox with the artillery at Col. McDonald's at Pluckemin about 18 miles from Brunswick. With these four general officers there are about seven and twenty hundred rebels; Brigadier General Maxwell commands at Elizabeth with his brigade consisting of 800 militia cantoned between Elizabethtown and Newark. Col. Stephen Moylan is marched it is said to Lancaster in Pennsylvania. A southern brigade, commanded by Col. Woodruff, lately consisting of nine hundred rank and file, we are informed, are now reduced by desertion to 500."

A Swift Runaway And a Brave Woman. Mrs. Hincheman called on Dr. Harrison last Saturday afternoon, driving a horse and surry belonging to Liveryman Decker. When she untied the horse and got into the surry to leave, the horse turned short round before she fairly got hold of the lines, and in doing so broke both shafts off short about two feet from the bar. Of course the carriage ran onto the horse's heels, and of course the horse ran. Down Broad to Elm, and down Elm to the depot it went like the wind, Mrs. Hincheman keeping her seat and guiding the runaway past teams and street corners to the depot, where the horse shayed up among the teams there and was caught by bystanders. The fair driver was apparently very little rattled, her heightened color alone showing her excitement. Decker was on the ground almost immediately, and took the horse home and furnished the lady with another turnout. Everybody remarked about her coolness and presence of mind.

A Bad Tumble. M. Hildebrandt, an employee of L. Sternberg & Co., of Newark, while riding his wheel on the county road near Woodruff's corner Saturday afternoon, got into a rut and was thrown. He struck with full force and weight on the side of his head and face on the hard roadway, and came into town a most gruesome picture. There was apparently no skin left on the side of his face, and the flesh seemed lacerated a good deal also. He visited the offices of two physicians only to find them absent, and the working force in two drug stores had to ask him to wait on account of a rush of business at the moment. Tronchard finally took him in hand, notwithstanding the rush of business, and when he got through with him there was very little left of the side of his face not covered with plaster. The front wheel of his bicycle is at Scriven's for repair. He remarked as he left the drug store that he had a fine looking face to show in a store.

BRANCH MILLS. J. Lear has moved on the Woodruff place. The dam is completed and Echo lake is again filled with water. Miss Sadie Fowler led the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening. Miss Fannie Carter of Newark spent Sunday at her sister's, Mrs. G. French.

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Mt. Alderney Dairy. Superior Milk and Cream delivered to your door. H. WILLOUGHBY, Proprietor. Furniture moving, grading and team work by day or contract. James Moffett, Carpenter & Builder, Prospect St., WESTFIELD, N. J.

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HER ACCOUNT DOCTORED.

There is a North Side girl who has a laudable ambition to know just where her money goes.

There was only one drawback. She was forever leaving the book around.

There is a lot at the side of her father's house and a rustic seat.

A great many toys are now made in this country, including many mechanical devices.

As a rule, whatever can be made by machinery is made here.

The petitioners further represented, that at every heavy rain storm, said river overflows to the great damage of your petitioners.

Mrs. Goodfellow's Generosity.

Mrs. Goodfellow (with a sigh)—No, nothing will prevent him, even if it takes all my housekeeping money.

Testing His Condition.

French professor is the owner of a collection of 920 human heads.

Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, held on Thursday, October 7, 1897 at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed all members present.

COMMEMORATIONS, PETITIONS, ETC.

DEAR SIR. At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Elizabeth, held on September 23, 1897, the following resolution was adopted:

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Resolved, That the city clerk be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the said Board of Chosen Freeholders.

Respectfully yours, JAMES J. MANNING, City Clerk.

Freelholder Brucklacher moved that the communication be received and placed on file.

WESTFIELD, N. J., Oct 6, 1897.

To the Honorable the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, N. J. GENTLEMEN:

The undersigned would respectfully report to your Honorable Body, the following report of repairs on county roads.

Since report of September 1st, there have been 1866 lineal feet of road repaired with 1 1/2 inch stone, 10,388 lineal feet with 2 inch stone, 44,912 feet of road dressed with fine stone, 17,900 feet of gutters cleaned, making a total amount of work on roads to this date:

31 miles of 1 1/2 inch work, nearly 2 miles of 2 inch work, 23 miles 1/2 inch work, 13 1/2 miles top dressed with fine stone, 15 1/2 miles of gutters cleaned, 14 1/2 miles of washouts filled, 15 miles top dressed with clay.

The work of repairing the county roads is still in progress.

Very respectfully submitted, JAMES W. FINK, Inspector.

On motion of Freelholder Clark, received and placed on file.

From James P. Connolly, S. W. Whitehead, and ten (10) other residents and business men in the vicinity of Broad and West Grand streets, and the Elizabeth River, in the City of Elizabeth, a petition, representing that prior to the depression of the streets under the tracks of the Central and Pennsylvania Railroad Companies, in the neighborhood referred to, the surface water in said vicinity flowed in different directions, to different outlets but since the depression of said streets, the surface water from Broad, East Broad, West Grand, Union and other streets, flows into the said Elizabeth River, at a point near the bridge of the Central Railroad Co.

The petitioners further represented, that at every heavy rain storm, said river overflows to the great damage of your petitioners, and to the injury of the city at large.

The petitioners believed that one of the causes of said overflows was the fact that the bridges over said river, where the same is crossed by the public streets of said city, are too low, with arches too small to allow the water to run off rapidly.

The Board of Chosen Freeholders was therefore petitioned to take some action with the City of Elizabeth, to cause the streets to be raised where the same cross the river, and to build such bridges across the said river as will allow the water to run off in an unobstructed manner.

Freelholder Brucklacher moved that the petition be received, and referred to the special committee heretofore appointed to confer with the Elizabeth City Council on bridge matters, which was so ordered.

From Louis Quisen, C. E., as follows: ELIZABETH, Oct. 6, 1897.

To the Honorable, the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, N. J. GENTLEMEN: The undersigned respectfully reports that Mr. John Kehill, contractor, has completed the contract of repaving and paving with macadam stone pavement, St. George's avenue, from Lake avenue, Rahway, N. J., to the Middlesex County line, and is entitled to the following moneys:

To 5467 sq. yds. pavement to 40c yd. \$2,186.83.

Less 10 per cent

Amount now due

\$1,285.95

Am't payable by city of Rahway 892.94

Total \$2,678.82

Respectfully submitted, LOUIS QUISEN, C. E.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Freelholder Swain reported progress on matters relative to trolley lines on county roads.

Resolved, That \$100 be paid to A. Giech on account for building the bridge at Riverside Road, Rahway, N. J.

Freelholder Krouse moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was adopted unanimously.

Resolved, That there is some question as to the duties of the clerk of this board regarding the vaulting of the ballot boxes used at the various polling places throughout the county at the last special election, therefore be it

Resolved, That the matter be referred to the county attorney with power to proceed to obtain an order of Court if deemed necessary, so that said ballot boxes may be had for use at the coming November election.

On motion of Freelholder Edison, the resolution was adopted, without dissent.

Resolved, That an ordinance or ordinance be prepared by such committee as the director of this board may designate, relating to the protection of the roads of this county, now maintained by the county, as is provided for in Chapter 165 of Laws of 1897, and that said ordinance or ordinances be submitted to this board for consideration.

Freelholder King moved the adoption of the resolution, which was seconded.

Freelholder King said his attention had been called to the chapter of laws as stated in the resolution, and in view of the protection which would be afforded to county roads from many minor nuisances, he urged the adoption of the resolution.

County Attorney W. R. Cadington read the chapter of laws referred to, which showed that the board had power to pass such ordinances as referred to, after which the resolution was adopted without dissent.

The director appointed Freelholders Farrell, King and Brucklacher as a committee to prepare the ordinance provided for in the resolution.

Resolved, That the bill of John Kehill for paving St. George's avenue, when said bill is properly audited, be paid to the extent of \$663.91.

Freelholder King moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll call it was adopted unanimously.

Resolved, That when this board adjourns, it adjourns to meet on Thursday October 14, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

On motion of Freelholder Brucklacher, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

Freelholder Littell stated that his attention had been called to a matter of common report, relative to the crossing of the county road at Aldene by steam or electricity or both.

The following bills, audited and approved, were read, and on roll call ordered paid, viz:

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Jail account—Wm. H. Neffs \$71.08, James O. Brokaw \$14.25, Henry J. Schmidt \$15.40, Thos. B. Smith \$9.85, J. W. Hildebrandt & Co. \$102.08, J. P. Hanlin \$10.40.

Public buildings account—The N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co. \$1.25, \$50, \$25.50, \$29.50, Wm. Meyer \$14.67, Dudd Manufacturing Co. \$25, Hall & Carlton \$1,460.50, John C. Biore \$26.80, Wm. B. Tacker, attorney \$23.38, Mulford Coal & Lumber Co. \$1.52, \$9.00, \$15.40, J. P. Prophy \$35, Elizabeth Gas Light Co. \$72.15, Frederick W. Brucklacher \$12.43, Elizabeth Telephone Co. \$28.70, Protection Engine Co. \$50.

Billing Co.

\$75.50, Wm. S. Smith \$35, Wm. Hovey \$90.80, Engineering News Publishing Co. \$110, D. K. Ryno \$15, \$110.

County road repairs account—Louis Quisen \$18, Commonwealth Quarry Co. \$19.72, \$53.06, Jas. W. Fink \$90, H. L. Fink \$15, A. F. Huffman \$106.5, Wm. H. Weldon \$1,006.00, \$1,238.16, \$177.19, Stewart Partshorn \$314.01, Ira Woodruff \$62.10, \$119.15, Wald & Hatfield \$52.00.

Court account—Wm. T. Kirk Sheriff \$280.80, Geo. R. Rockafellow \$2.80, \$3.65, E. D. Moffet \$8.99, Henry J. Scheppe \$15, James Ritchie \$75, Fredk. U. Marsh \$250, T. J. McCarroll \$91.67, John Kerou \$115, John Kerou & Son \$139, Wm. Howard \$133.72, W. W. Mendell \$14.55.

Bridge account—Lawrence Dumbach \$22.50, Wm. Chamberlain & Son \$23.65, Louis Quisen \$8, J. Bryant \$12, F. B. Ham \$5, Everett & Pierson \$113.20, C. W. Winkle \$8, Chas. J. Fox \$27.44, \$19.47, Louis Quisen \$18, \$20, David Busch \$51.11, James Halley \$148, Wm. R. Ogden \$10, J. P. Gladly \$126.75, John Sheridan \$390, Chas. Thorn \$38, Wm. H. Terry \$17, Chas. Trentz \$36.75, \$19, David Bowden \$51, Smith J. Roll \$75.50, Geo. H. M. Krouse \$12.50, John Curran \$25, Wm. T. Kirk \$70, Edward A. Bauer \$12, C. B. Trimmer \$55, \$25, A. E. Clark \$34.81, Frank Ellis \$2.50, James Kelly \$8.55, Chas. Ellis \$1, Robert Clark \$20, D. W. Day & Son \$81.90, John Maxwell \$11.31, P. W. Young \$1.88, Wm. Farmer \$99, Wm. T. Kirk \$2,000, Brokaw, Runtzo & Co. \$11.55, Wm. H. Brokaw \$10.15, Wm. H. Smith \$135.43, Jacob Steh, street commissioner \$29, C. E. Hatfield \$21.96, C. W. Schupp \$11, John S. Passell \$7.75, Frank Murphy \$30.25, Wm. H. Brown \$23.14, Peter Dupre \$23.15, Work & O'Donnell \$21.91, Louis Quisen \$18, Henry C. Dow \$66.35, J. G. Moore \$11.25, \$8.15, Noah Woodruff \$30, T. C. Fairmont \$8.50, J. B. Melzer \$2.12, John T. Lightfoot \$7, M. Porrim \$15, M. V. B. Clark \$21, C. H. French \$5, John Nestor \$9, \$12.50, J. M. Seidley \$31.15, Louis Quisen \$18.

Freelholder Krouse moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, October 14, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

S. ROSANA RYNO, Clerk.

Worked the Officers.

A sailmaker's mate in the navy who wanted to get out of the service to go into business with some money he had fallen heir to, made a success of the monomania dodge.

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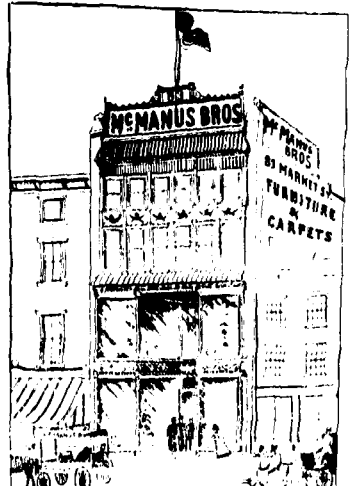
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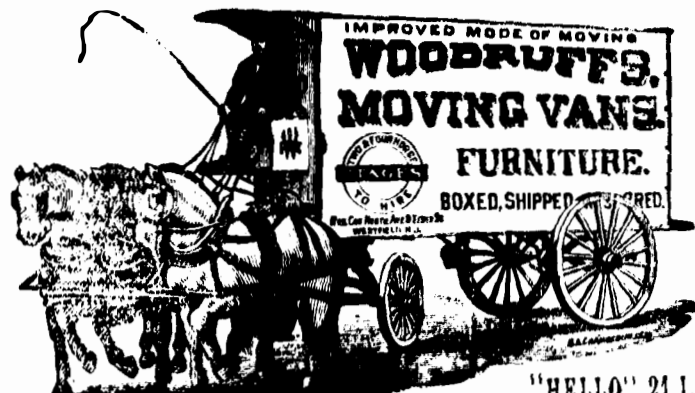
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On reaching a point in the front of the center of the parade command the escort forms line facing the regiment, the two color sergeants marching to the front and the band in front of the colonel and his staff.

Too Much Salt. The New York Journal of Hygiene says that many people eat altogether too much salt. The result is that the skin and kidneys are excessively taxed to get rid of the salt, and both are injured by it.

THE PILGRIMS.

"Wither, pilgrims, whether bound, / Flung about by the winds of fate, / Gliming, gliding, silently / Mobsly, shock, um and gray, / Hold they on their dusky way."

HEROES OF BUENA VISTA.

Their Sadly Neglected Burial Ground Near Saltillo, Mexico. The hardy young Americans who left their comfortable homes in the United States more than half a century ago and came to Mexico with General Taylor to fight against the people of this country, probably did not think that should they fall in battle their bones would be left to crumble to dust in an unmarked spot in this distant land.

Some time ago the report was published in the press of the United States that the bones of the buried soldiers were protruding from the ground, and that the place presented a sickening spectacle. This report was not strictly true, but it is undoubtedly a fact that parts of many of the skeletons have come to the surface.

Wilmer McLean's Two Historic Homes. General Horace Porter describes the surrender of Lee in his "Campaigning With Grant" in The Century. The surrender took place in the house of Wilmer McLean, it will be remembered.

The Spanish Main. The Spanish main is the circular bank of islands forming the northern and eastern boundaries of the Caribbean sea, beginning at Mosquito and including Jamaica, Santo Domingo, the Leeward islands and the Windward islands, with the coast of Venezuela, in South America.

YOUNG MEN'S CHANCES.

Best Avenue to Success Are Found Outside Our Largest Cities. "Business conditions of the present are not so favorable to young men as they were some years ago," writes Everett W. Bok in The Ladies Home Journal, advising young men about to begin their careers against going to the big cities.

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IN THE ANIMAL KINGDOM.

The Duration of Life Varies According to Circumstances. Among the long lived in the animal kingdom we may mention birds, fish and reptiles, although even in the lower animals the duration of life varies immensely, according to the species.

In the mammalia, the elephant attains the greatest age. It grows for 25 to 30 years and is said to live from 100 to 150 years and even longer. We have no accurate means of ascertaining the whale's age. A lion is said to have lived 70 years in the Tower, but there is no evidence that he attains anything like that age in the natural state.

Patience. Patience is a most necessary qualification for business. Many a man would rather you heard his story than granted his request. You must seem to hear the unreasonable demands of the petulant unmoved and the tedious details of the dull nitwit.

Disappointed. "Gertie—Marie is awfully angry at that young futter. / Murtie—What for? Did she find out he was flirting with her? / Gertie—No. She thought that he was flirting, but learned that he was not." Brooklyn Life.

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POST OFFICE DIRECTORY.

OUTGOING MAILS.	
Eastward.	Westward.
Close. Leave. Close. Leave.	
6:17 a. m. 8:15 a. m. 6:25 a. m. 8:15 a. m.	
3:35 p. m. 6:30 p. m. 4:47 p. m. 6:40 p. m.	
INCOMING MAILS.	
From East.	From West.
6:25 a. m. 8:15 a. m.	8:15 a. m. 10:15 a. m.
6:50 a. m. 8:50 a. m.	2:45 p. m. 4:45 p. m.
1:54 p. m. 3:54 p. m.	6:12 p. m.

JOHN L. DEBRY, Post Master.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

A Committee Appointed to Obtain Plans and Specifications for Both New School Houses.

The board of education held a regular meeting last Saturday night, and transacted mostly routine business—the auditing of bills, reception of principal's report, etc.

The only business attended to which was not of a routine nature was the reading of Judge Winckler's resignation and instructing the clerk to notify the county superintendent of the vacancy, and the appointment of Messrs. J. W. Ferguson, P. D. Van Sann and R. C. Plume as a committee to procure plans and specifications for the new school houses. They are to carry out their instructions as expeditiously as possible, and report as soon as they can get ready.

BY LOCAL TALENT?

Thieves Steal a lot of new Clothing and Materials for More.

Mrs. William Robinson and her family reside on South avenue. She is a widow with three daughters. Last Friday members of the family visited New York on a shopping tour, and returned laden with sundry new cloaks and outer garments, and materials for several dresses and other articles of feminine wearing apparel. That evening the mother and one daughter attended the Presbyterian prayer meeting and the other two daughters called on Mrs. John Marica, across the street, leaving the house alone. Between 7:30 and 9:30, while all were away, thieves entered the house through the bay window, knocking a lot of flower pots to the floor in getting in, went up stairs and stole all the new clothing and materials, and much more that was not entirely new. Some jewelry was taken also. Officer Biedenberger was informed of the robbery about 10:30, and notified the police authorities of Westfield, Rahway and Elizabeth.

Everyone spoken to on the subject seems to be of the opinion that the robbers are residents of Cranford or vicinity, and much criticism is being indulged in of local officials and others who have had opportunities in the past to send some of the gang to jail and refused to take advantage of it. The opinion is expressed that a few search warrants would disclose the stolen goods now.

THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARY.

The Delegation Goes Uninstructed and Exploited After a Sharp Contest.

The Republican primary was called to order last night by E. B. Horton, and Geo. G. Tyler was elected chairman, Edward Everett clerk and Alfred H. Miller and David Everett tellers. It was agreed by motion that a plurality of votes should elect. The list of names presented by the own ex officio committee for delegates and alternate, was presented and placed in nomination as a ticket. E. B. Horton and Geo. W. Littell were named on the printed ticket for members of the county committee.

The following named gentlemen were

then nominated as delegates in addition to the above: J. H. Severance, E. K. Adams, W. W. Mendell, Walter Cawthorne, A. B. Hart, J. E. Warner and F. N. Brundage. Leonard Ott and W. T. Craft were nominated as alternate. C. N. Drake was nominated for member of the county committee.

Then E. W. Hale offered a resolution that the Cranford delegation be instructed to present the name of James W. Ferguson of Cranford as that town's choice for one of the three assemblymen of Union county, and to use all honorable means available to secure his nomination. His resolution was voted down by a three-fourths majority.

The polls were then declared open for one hour, and a number of those present scurried out of the room as though they had special business on hand. The printed ticket containing the committee's nominees was put in circulation, and the voting began.

Within a few minutes, however, an opposition ticket appeared, not very accurately printed, to be sure, but printed, and the contest straightway became interesting.

When the votes were counted about 10:30, the result showed up like this.

DELEGATES.	
Committee.	Opposition.
Chas. N. Drake 41	E. K. Adams 32
F. R. Swackhamer 59	W. W. Mendell 30
C. H. Bookhout 52	W. B. Cawthorne 28
C. C. Hoffmeier 38	J. H. Severance 28
E. B. Horton 37	J. E. Warner 24
J. Waterson 38	
G. W. Littell 31	A. B. Hart 3
James Rodgers 31	F. N. Brundage 1

ALTERNATES.	
Benjamin Bailey 57	Leonard Ott 25
H. C. Vansau 57	W. T. Craft 25
Erving Crane 58	
Geo. B. Klein 58	
Geo. Watson 55	
G. E. Ludlow 45	
J. W. Bunker 44	
A. H. Miller 37	

COUNTY COMMITTEES.	
E. B. Horton 43	Chas. N. Drake 37
Geo. W. Littell 25	

The first three delegates in the left hand list were on both tickets. All the alternates except Bunker and Miller were on both tickets, and C. N. Drake was the opposition candidate for committee man instead of Littell.

It will be seen that a change of a very few votes would have upset the whole slate. As it was, the opposition claim that four of the eight delegates elected are opposed to Ferguson, and two of the others may change their minds.

The object of the opposition movement was solely to squelch Ferguson's aspirations for the nomination for the assembly. They make no special charge against him, either as a man or as a publican, but, as was the case with the

democrats who opposed J. A. Potter's appointment to the postmastership, they don't admire his style.

The election of Drake as county committeeman instead of Littell would seem to be significant.

E. W. Hale was in the parade of the Sons of the Revolution in New York last Saturday.

John Isenmann is understood to be a candidate for the democratic nomination for the assembly.

Delegates reported the Paterson Christian Endeavor convention at the Presbyterian meeting Sunday evening.

An important meeting of the Royal Arcanum will be held this evening. New set of by-laws are to be acted on.

An alarm of fire was rung in from box 18 Sunday about 4:30 p. m. It was a chimney fire, easily extinguished in Harris' house, near the B & O junction. Both companies turned out.

MOONSHINER IN REAL LIFE.

Quite Different From His Counterpart as Seen on the Stage.

The Kentucky moonshiner in real life does not resemble his counterpart, described in novels and impersonated on the stage, in the least. He does not wear top boots and a slouch hat. As a rule he is too poor to possess the former, and he is more apt to go barefoot or to unble along in a pair of worn-out brogans than to wear top boots. His hat is usually a torn straw "Jimmy" and his clothes are yellow and faded with age. Regularly, on days when the grand jury meets in Louisville, a dozen or more of the moonshiners are presented for indictment. They present a woe-begone appearance as they pass along the streets in charge of the marshal. In their own poor homes in the mountains they are hospitable, but of the stranger over suspicious. The latter may make his bed in the one room where the entire family sleeps, but his request for a taste of liquor brings forth a statement that none is to be had this side of "this store." At the same time a still may be in operation within ten feet of his whereabouts.

"The store" represents to the mountaineer all civilization. On winter mornings he will tramp to it through cold and snow to sell a few stiff rabbits and swap yarns not overbrilliant. Out of the mountaineer's chief sources of income is his honey, and this fluid ready sale at "the store." The moonshiner seldom receives money in pay for his wares, but is paid in a bit of bright calico for his wife or a shoulder of bacon. If he can add to this a few pipefuls of tobacco, he is well satisfied with the results of his labors.—New York Commercial.

TROTTERS AND PACERS.

Halda, 2:08 1/2, has been bred to Cupid, 2:18.

Silkwood, 2:07, is to be raced again in the fall.

Onoqua, 2:08 1/2, is working quarters in 31 seconds.

Major Ewing, 2:10 1/2, is hard to beat on a half mile track.

Trainer Payne expects to campaign a very large stable this year.

Parker 8, 2:20 1/2, by Temple Bar, has been bought by W. N. Kivett's, Terre Haute, Ind.

Mr. Abe Johnson of Brockton, Mass., has purchased the 2-year-old bay filly The Nun, by Young Jim.

Mr. N. W. Hahinger's fast pacer Forest Herr, 2:14 1/2, is entered in \$31,000 worth of slow pacing stakes.

The Village farm mare Valence, by Manbrino King, won a good race in the 2:17 class at Detroit recently.

Colonel Kuser, 2:11 1/2, was shipped to Europe recently in charge of Gil Curry and in company with McVera, 2:10 1/2.

The fast Oregon pacer Chehalis, 2:07 1/2, recently injured one hock slightly in a runaway caused by the bursting of his sulky tire.

The pacer Baby Strathmore, 2:17 1/2, who is winning good races in New England, does not believe her name, as she weighs but 740 pounds.

The handsome little chestnut pacing stallion Sir Edwin Arnold shaved a quarter of a second from his record recently. It is now 2:10 1/2.

J. Malcolm Forbes has apparently a fast one by Arion, 2:07 1/2, Nico by name, who has stepped a half in 1:09 and a quarter at a 2:13 gait.

George Garth, the Tennessee reinsman, now campaigning in New England, has given three green paces records of 2:20 or better this year.

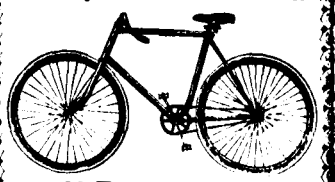
The Little 1 Am case was one of ringing extraordinary. The horse was dyed with blue dye and since he won his race at St. Louis has completely changed color.

Things to Try.

- Try cranberries for malaria.
- Try a sun bath for rheumatism.
- Try clam broth for a weak stomach.
- Try cranberry poultice for cystitis.
- Try a wet towel to the back of the neck when sleepless.
- Try swallowing saliva when troubled with sour stomach.
- Try buttermilk for removal of freckles, tan and butternut stains.
- Try breathing the fumes of turpentine to relieve the whooping cough.
- Try taking your cod liver oil in tomato sauce if you want to make it palatable.
- Try walking with your hands behind you if you find yourself becoming bent forward.—Health Monthly.

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