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WESTFIELD CHURCH NEWS.

NOTES ABOUT THE SEVERAL DENOMINATIONS.

The Pulpit Supplies Next Sunday--Who Will Preach--Special Services--Sunday School and Prayer Meeting Topics.

Notes--The usual hours of service in the several churches will be found in the Church Directory in another column.

Week of Prayer.

The Week of Prayer, commencing next Sunday evening by union services of the Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian churches of Westfield. The subjects followed are those recommended by the Evangelical Alliance of the United States. The assignment of services is as follows:

- Sunday evening, in the Congregational Church, Rev. J. R. Wright, "The Call of God to His People."
- Tuesday evening, Methodist Church, Rev. H. H. Guernsey, "The Gospel of God's Son."
- Wednesday evening, Presbyterian Church, Rev. C. J. Greenwood, "The Christian Ministry."
- Thursday evening, Baptist Church, Rev. J. R. Wright, "Missions Home and Foreign."
- Friday evening, Congregational Church, Rev. W. L. Stearns, "Christian Institutions."
- Sunday evening, January 13, Presby. Church, Rev. C. J. Greenwood, "The Attracting Power of Christ Crucified."

The services will be held at 8 o'clock each evening.

Baptist Church. The pastor, C. J. Greenwood, will occupy the pulpit on Sunday morning next. Communion service will be observed. Christian Endeavor at 6.15. Sunday-school at noon.

Congregational Church. Communion will be observed at the Congregational Church Sunday morning. The Rev. Henry Hartley Guernsey, pastor, will preach.

Union service in the evening in this church, beginning the services of the Week of Prayer.

The Woman's Association meets Monday afternoon at home of Mrs. W. J. Alpers.

Methodist Church. Dr. J. R. Wright will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning.

Union service in the Congregational Church in the evening.

The Epworth League will hold their meeting at 6.15 instead of 7 o'clock at night, so the young people can join in the Union service at the Congregational Church.

Presbyterian Church. Dr. W. L. Stearns, the pastor will preach in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning. Sunday school at the usual hour. There will be no evening service.

Not Exactly New. A Little Rock (Ark.) man sent 5,000 copies of the Lord's Prayer to Chicago, and but for an eagle-eyed proofreader it would have been reviewed in one paper under the head of "New Publications."--Birmingham Age-Herald.

May Consider Himself Lame. A Polkville, Pa., man fell 100 feet down the shaft of an abandoned mine and was rescued without a broken bone. If he carries an accident insurance policy he must feel now that he is wasting his money.

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NO BADGES FOR COUNCIL.

COUNCILMAN ESKOLHNE FOR THEIR PURCHASE BUT COUNCIL DECLINES.

Good Price for Town Badges--Mr. Peckham Receives Thanks--Bids for Printing Related to New Council.

The rotating town council held a long session Monday night, when all old members were present except Mayor Perkins. The ever interesting thirty dollar badge question was again brought up for discussion, this time by Mr. Eskolhne, who asked the badges under the impression that he represented the entire body in doing so. Mr. Eskolhne revealed at length the history of the matter, his motive for introducing the original resolution to purchase the badges, and the entire part he had played in the transaction. He intimated that it was the political opponents of some of the councilmen who had raised all the commotion about the subject, and had secured the council into repudiating its own action. This was denied by several members. Mr. Eskolhne also said the attorney had not sufficiently advised him of the illegality of the purchase, and Mr. Oliver replied that the resolution to purchase had been passed a month before he was consulted about it, and that when he was asked about it then the question was merely one as to the price the council might pay, to which he answered that if it could pay anything it could pay thirty dollars. Mr. Eskolhne pleaded earnestly that the council reconsider its action, but the chairman stated that as the council had been advised by its attorney that it could not legally make such a purchase, the matter was beyond its control. There will probably be no further official action on this subject, and whatever is done in the way of payment for the badges will have to be done personally by the councilmen.

Bids for the printing of the town ordinances were submitted by the Westfield Leader, Elizabeth Journal, H. Francis and the Standard. They were referred to the new council.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Peckham for his gift to the fire department of a new horse and whip, and the unexpended balance of Mr. Peckham's donation ordered returned to him.

The annual reports of a number of committees were presented and read, and referred to the clerk for publication.

The council approved the action of the finance committee in disposing of the \$30,000 bond issue to the Elizabethport Banking Company at 101, the highest bid received by the committee. Councilman Russell said his city bankers congratulated him on the present condition of the money market.

The treasurer was authorized to pay off certificates of indebtedness in the sum of over fifteen thousand dollars, and the collector was given credit for about \$100 of uncollectible taxes for this year.

Samuel Goddard was given permission to serve refreshments after hours Wednesday night on the occasion of the Master Builders' Association dinner.

The resignation of Mayor Alpers as councilman from the first ward, to take effect at midnight was accepted.

New Council Organizes.

The incoming council met at the town rooms on New Year's Day at 8 o'clock in the morning and formally organized. The mayor called the meeting to order, and the clerk stated that all the newly elected members had taken and filed the proper oath for office. Councilman Wilson takes Mr. Richardson's seat, Councilman Hohenstein, that formerly occupied by Mr. Traylor, and Councilman Wilcox the one given up by Mr. Lathey. A councilman will be appointed next Monday night to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Alpers, who is now Mayor. An adjournment was taken to Monday night when Mayor Alpers will name his committees.

Council's Appointments.

Among the officers of the town to be filled by appointment of the council next Monday night are those of councilman from first ward to hike Mayor Alpers' place, a town treasurer, town attorney, two assistant surveyors, overseer of the poor, overseer of roads, chief of fire department, commissioner of assessment to succeed W. E. Tuttle, Jr., member of board of health to succeed C. W. Hamlen, three councilmen as members of the Park commission, two members of the sinking fund, a member and an official newspaper. In the spring there will be a meeting of the board of trustees of the free library to appoint to succeed James O. Clark, and members of the Park commission to succeed W. E. Reeve and A. K. Gide. The present surveyor received his appointment last year for three years. Next fall there will be an election of assessor, collector of taxes and town clerk.

The American Magazine has Changed Its Name--For 30 Years It Was Called Popular Monthly.

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Jones Knew It, But Explanations Were Not in Order.

Jones was going away. And, as usual in such cases, it was up to Jones to put on a clean collar and shirt, and, incidentally, catch a train. He had no time to spare. "Maria," he shouted downstairs, "where are my things?"

"In your bureau drawer, of course," floated up from the basement.

Jones then tackled the drawer. Stuck, of course. (They always do stick when you are in a hurry.) He pulled and heaved and said things unmentionable. Suddenly, with a perversity for which bureau drawers are noted, it flew open with a crash, and Jones, with a death-gasp on the handles, shot clear across the room.

The drawer couldn't go through the door, but Jones could, and did, landing at the foot of the stairs with a crash that jarred things mightily, just in time to hear the partner of his bosom ask:

"Did you get it open, Henry?"

"That was adding insult to injury, and Henry stalked upstairs with fire in his eye, and said never a word.

Sea Trees.

Forms of life in the sea are far more wonderful than any that exist on land. However much one may doubt the stories of sea serpents, there are probably far bigger fish in the sea than ever come out of it; and as for plant life, it has been conclusively proved that sea trees 1,500 feet in height are quite common in the ocean. These monster trees are a kind of brown seaweed, the uppermost branches being only about a quarter of an inch in thickness. Countless bladders, like miniature balloons, and about as big as a hen's egg, form among the branches of the tree, and being filled with air, buoy up the trunk and branches so that they grow almost erect. Many sea animals often build their nests in these trees, as they give off several degrees of heat, which makes the surrounding water comparatively warm.--Exchange.

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- Saturday morning... " 9 " 12 "
- Saturday afternoon... " 3 " 6 "
- Saturday evening... " 7 " 9 "

Religious Notices.

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LOYAL ASSOCIATION, Union Council, No. 15, meets the third Thursday each month, in Arcanum Hall, 8 p. m. G. H. L. Morton, Councilor; C. H. Kruger, Recorder. Not the largest but the highest of the order.

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

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, N. J., held on Thursday, Dec. 6, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed the following members present: Director King and Freeholders Adams, Galy, Chandler, Chadek, Darby, Gruner, Johnson, Krouse, McNeil, Murphy, Perry, Robinson, Smith, Swain, Wahl, Westphal, Wilbur and Woodruff; 10; absent Freeholder Kline, —.

The minutes of regular meeting Nov. 1, 1906, and of adjourned meeting Nov. 22, 1906, (reading of bills of both meetings being omitted) were on motion approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From thirty of Elizabeth two bills for taxes for the year 1906, one for South Union street, \$4.02, and the other for Broad street, land, \$56.24.

Freeholder Chandler moved that the two bills be referred to the auditing committee with power, which was so ordered on roll call by a unanimous vote.

From General J. Madison Drake, as follows:

Elizabeth, N. J., Nov. 21, 1906.

Gentlemen: Some time ago your board was pleased to accept from the Veteran Zouaves of this city, many relics of the civil war, which they had gathered and carefully preserved. I now have the honor of tendering to your honorable body, for preservation by the county, three historic flags that have often waved in the forefront of battle, my own personal property, together with the valuable and artistic silk banner, presented to the Veteran Zouaves by the U. S. Thomas Veteran Guard of San Francisco, Cal., in August, 1886, while that command, the only military company that ever crossed the American continent on a pleasure excursion, was in that city as its guests. Of the three bullet-red colors, of which but fragments remain, one was even borne at the side of the gallant General Philip Kearny of our own state, while the other two were carried through the war by the Fourth United States Infantry. If agreeable to your honorable board, I will formally present those colors to the county at which time and place as you may decide.

Your obedient servant, very respy,

J. MADISON DRAKE,

Brig. Gen. Comdg. Veteran Zouaves.

Referred to public buildings committee and Freeholder Adams to arrange date.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following report was presented and read:

Plainfield, Dec. 5, 1906.

Gentlemen: Your committee to whom the application of the N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Company for permission to place conduits over Elm street bridge, Plainfield, N. J., was referred, would respectfully report that they met with a similar committee of the Somerset county board, and the company's representatives, and have agreed on the conduits being placed there, upon terms embraced in the agreement herewith submitted.

S. P. T. Wilbur, W. A. Westphal, committee.

The agreement was as follows:

Whereas, the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company are desirous of placing their conduits and cables upon and over the bridge across Green Brook, which is the dividing line between Union and Somerset counties, at the foot of Elm street in the city of Plainfield, N. J.; and

Whereas the Boards of Chosen Freeholders of the counties of Union and Somerset are willing that said Telephone Company shall place said conduits and wires on and over said bridge, upon the conditions and restrictions herein set forth:

Now, Therefore, This agreement witnesses, that the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, a corporation, do hereby agree to and with the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union and the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Somerset, and their successors in office, the privilege of extending and placing its conduits and cables upon and over the bridge at the foot of Elm street over Green Brook in the city of Plainfield, N. J., to place said cables and conduits in manner as herein provided, and to keep and perform the covenants herein expressed, namely:

1. The cables so placed in and upon said bridge shall consist of four cables extending from the top of the abutment on the northern side of said bridge to and upon the abutment on the southern side thereof, and shall each be enclosed in an iron pipe of not more than three inches in diameter; said pipe shall rest on the top of the abutment wall on either side, and on the top of the iron girders, and beneath the plank roadway of said bridge.

2. The said New York and New Jersey Telephone Company shall use a good quality and all damage occasioned to said bridge or the abutments thereof, or approaches thereto, by reason of placing said cables and conduits thereon, and agree to be responsible for all damage which may occur by reason thereof at any time hereafter.

3. The said New York and New Jersey Telephone Company further agrees to pay one third of the cost of painting said bridge whenever hereafter the same may be painted.

The said New York and New Jersey Telephone Company further agrees to pay for said privilege to the county of Union, the sum of thirty dollars, and also to the County of Somerset, the sum of thirty dollars; said payments to be made before placing said conduits and cables upon said bridge.

5. The said New York and New Jersey Telephone Company further agrees to, at any and all times, upon thirty days written notice to do so, by either of said Boards of Chosen Freeholders, their successors in office, representing said counties, or either of them, to make any reasonable changes in said cables, conduits and pipes, or if deemed necessary or advisable by either of said Boards of Chosen Freeholders, wholly remove the same, for the purpose of enabling repairs or rebuilding of said bridge, or any part thereof; and in case the said New York and New Jersey Telephone Company should fail to make such changes or removal in said conduits, cables and pipes belonging to said company within the time aforesaid, then the said Boards of Chosen Freeholders, their representatives, or either of them,

are authorized to make such changes or removal to the bridge approaches and abutments at the expense of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.

In witness whereof, the said New York and New Jersey Telephone Company has caused these presents to be signed by its second vice-president, and attested by its secretary, and its corporate seal herewith affixed, this sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and six.

THE NEW YORK & NEW JERSEY TELEPHONE COMPANY.

By J. R. R. R., 2nd Vice President,

J. A. R.

Attest: W. H. Horness, Secretary.

(Seal)

Freeholder Chandler moved that the report and agreement be received, accepted and filed, which was so ordered, after Freeholder Wilbur had briefly explained that he had obtained the fifty dollars mentioned in the agreement to cover expenses occasioned to the county in arranging for said agreement, and that a check for the said sum was attached to the agreement.

By the special committee heretofore appointed to confer with the Morris County Traction Company for extension of time, etc., as follows:

Dec. 5, 1906.

Gentlemen: The undersigned committee heretofore appointed to consider the application of the Morris County Traction Company for an extension of time within which to complete the building of the road in accordance with the terms of an agreement made between said company and this board, bearing date the third day of November, 1904, would respectfully report that after several conferences with the representative of said Traction Company, that they would recommend the granting of the extension of the time within which said company should complete said road, for one year from Jan. 1, 1907, upon an agreement being entered into by and between this board and the said Morris County Traction Company embracing the following conditions:

1. That the granting of said extension shall in no wise interfere with the rights and privileges of any of the municipalities through which said Traction Company's road may pass.

2. That the Traction Company shall obtain from the several municipalities through which the said lines may pass, all consents necessary to the building or extension of the time within which the same may be built.

3. That the said line be fully built and equipped in accordance with the terms of the agreement heretofore referred to, on or before the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

4. That in consideration of said extension being granted by this board the said Traction Company shall, from and after January 1, 1907, furnish and light at its own expense all that portion of the county road over and along which their said lines are built, said lights to be placed along said road at least within three hundred feet of each other; to be not less than 16 candle power, and to be kept burning from one hour after sundown to one hour before sunrise every night.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY KROUSE, PETER H. MEISLER, GRAY, B. GLADIER, CHAS. J. JESSEX, E. K. ADAMS, Committee.

Freeholder Gruner moved the report be received, and recommendation contained therein adopted, which was so ordered without dissent.

By committee on West End avenue bridge, Plainfield:

Gentlemen: Your committee would respectfully report that as the West End avenue bridge, Plainfield, is substantially completed, and the extent of the wing walls is in their judgment insufficient for the proper protection of the bridge, they therefore recommend that this committee be authorized to have same extended fifty feet each side at a total cost not to exceed \$2,000, one half of said amount to be borne by Somerset county and one half by Union county.

Signed W. A. Westphal, John Robinson, Adolph H. Gruner, C. S. Chandler, Charles A. Smith, committee.

Freeholder Woodruff moved the report be received and recommendation adopted, which was so ordered on roll call by a unanimous vote.

NEW BUSINESS.

By Freeholder Smith: Resolved, That the bill of the W. T. Kirk Co. for furnishing iron work for bridge on Alston Road, town of Westfield, for \$250, be paid when properly audited by committee and engineer.

Freeholder Krouse moved the adoption to the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder Smith, Resolved, That the bill of A. P. Hales for concrete and masonry work on the bridge on Alston Road, town of Westfield, amounting to \$300, be paid when properly audited by the committee and engineer.

Freeholder Galy moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

On motion of Freeholder Chandler it was ordered that when this board adjourn it adjourn to meet at the call of the director.

At this time County Attorney Coddington presented to the board a photograph containing the pictures of chairman J. Frank Hubbard, John Parrell and Jacob Brackbecher, who constituted the building commissioners of the new court house, architect William S. Ackerman, county collector Edward M. Wood and director Benjamin King. The picture was presented as a memorial tribute to the members of the commission and others associated with it who have died (chairman Hubbard and county collector Wood) since the commission was appointed.

The county attorney referred to the old court house and its great lack of facilities for public business and then to the magnificent building which was now completed and occupied, possessing every modern convenience, as the result of the labors of the commission and others whose pictures were contained in the photograph. He referred feelingly to the great services rendered by the late chairman and director Hubbard and county collector Wood, and said that the photograph would doubtless recall for many years to come the services so rendered. He said that the photograph was presented by those contained in the same who were still living. Freeholder Galy in a few remarks accepted the photograph on behalf of the board and presented the following resolution:

Resolved, That the photograph of the Union county court house commissioners and associates be hereby gratefully accepted by this board and placed upon

the wall of this room; and be it further resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting.

On motion of Freeholder Kline the resolution was adopted without dissent.

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

Salary account—James W. Pink \$90, N. R. Leavitt \$208.33, F. W. Westcott, county physician, \$187.50, W. H. Coddington \$75.

Committee expense account—(George W. Galy \$18, W. H. Barton \$2, S. P. Wilbur \$2.90, John Robinson \$7, Benj. King \$12.84, Noah Woodruff \$10.00, Mr. S. Murphy \$4, John N. Galy \$17.10, Henry Krouse \$12.20, P. H. Meisel \$8, W. W. Schupner \$5, W. A. Westphal \$7.75, Charles A. Smith \$14.85, George H. Kline \$3.05, John F. Wahl \$4.75, E. K. Adams, \$15.70.

Members pay account—Noah Woodruff \$48, John N. Galy \$10, Benj. King \$3, C. H. Chandler \$38, A. H. Gruner \$42, S. P. T. Wilbur \$30, John Robinson \$24, Dennis S. Murphy \$30, Henry Krouse \$44, Charles J. Jensen \$40, P. H. Meisel \$28, George H. Kline \$20, W. H. Barton \$10, Chas. A. Smith \$38, Geo. R. Chadok \$38, W. A. Westphal \$40, John F. Wahl \$30, E. K. Adams \$48.

Incidental account—Jas. E. Longhlin \$4, Loney & Sage \$5, Jas. W. Pink \$12.50, J. H. Chadok, P. M. \$21.20, J. Willard Urmon \$25, Frank H. Smith \$37.74, J. S. Hiner \$90, \$35, Walter H. Thomas \$35, Chas. H. Baker \$30, W. R. Coddington \$48.60.

Stationery account—Elizabeth Daily Journal \$15.50, D. S. Walton & Co. \$3.75, Remington Typewriter Co. \$4.87, F. E. Norris & Co. \$1.90, \$25.75, Elliott Fisher Co. \$2.30, L. C. Smith & Bros. \$178.50.

Jail account—W. H. Lawrence, sheriff, \$471.10, Joseph Bauer, \$11.45, Henry J. Schmidt, \$18.75, Berry & Co. \$3.30, F. Lippman \$12.05, Albert O. Stein \$11.32, Lunacy account—W. R. Coddington \$46.

Publication account—Courier News Publishing Co. \$31.25, \$31.25, Elizabeth Evening Times \$31.25, S. H. Iyer \$31.25, Elizabeth Daily Journal \$31.25, salary secretary Union county board of taxation, W. R. Townsend, \$100.

Contingent fund—W. R. Townsend \$15, E. Robinson & Co. \$125, Jeannette C. Summers \$5, M. L. Noe \$45, City of Elizabeth \$100.28.

Election account—Anton F. Grant \$5, Henry E. Ferris \$5, Peter V. Weaver \$14, James Crann \$10.50, James J. Carey \$7.50, Henry J. Schoppa \$10, Gustave Deimlein \$3.50, Frederick Teipel \$5, Henry F. Wolf \$12.50, S. R. Kinsley \$100, P. L. Graves \$15, Wm. Tunison \$30, J. S. Falkenberg \$32.15, J. Harvey Doane \$28, John H. Doane \$7, W. R. Townsend \$30, George W. Cox \$5, H. P. Manning \$5, Theodore J. Lawer \$30, Charles H. Hand, rent \$30, Daniel Schwarz \$30, Joseph W. Goodfellow \$30, D. S. Dunavan \$12.20, Walter S. Shaffer \$6.75, C. G. Henry, city clerk and rent \$168, W. S. Crook rent \$30, Maze Edwards \$50, F. L. Graves, jr. \$31, L. H. Clark \$30, C. W. Schoonover, borough clerk, \$27.05, Andrew J. Ryan \$30, John J. Kane \$31, Thomas F. Beirne, \$30, J. H. R. Orbet \$31, John Leyner \$30, Olin B. Sickle, town clerk \$5, George E. Heaman, rent \$30, John Campbell \$25, \$5, H. H. Butler \$25.

Public building account—Morey-Larue Co. \$10, the N. Y. & N. J. Tel. Co. \$7.80, \$1.40, 0.50, \$2.70, \$7.35, \$3.40, Ari Metal Construction Co. \$72, H. V. Butler & Co. \$0.50, United Electric Co. of N. J. \$15.52, \$15.75, \$57.28, \$121.52, Clark Hardware Co. \$15.80, \$33.20, N. R. Leavitt, \$35, A. C. Stein \$21.48, Joseph Bauer \$37.87, Kate Runyon \$27, J. J. Carey \$50, H. P. Vanderveer \$14, W. H. Hulskamper \$370.30, Columbus Refining Co. \$24.04, Laitner Bush Co. \$16.08, Gibson Soap Co. \$12, John F. Conrad \$21.60, J. W. Hope \$32.91, Thomas W. White \$14.75, \$7.50, J. and S. S. Thompson \$1.77, Bucklebacher Bros. \$3.45, W. S. Ackerman \$75, the Hildebrand Co. \$16, W. T. Kirk Co. \$64.80.

Court account—James Crann \$9.80, \$8.4, Vincent Daniel \$1.34, James J. Carey \$5, Charles F. W. Eckhardt, \$12.50, Gustave Deimlein \$80.50, Peter V. Weaver \$91, Robert Walpole \$50, W. R. Frazee, J. P. \$17.75, M. W. Boyle \$7.50, \$77.50, Sebastian Petrus \$105, E. H. Lawrence \$60, Frederick Teipel \$112.50, George W. Peck, jr. \$74.75, D. H. Ramsey \$81, Frederick H. Ritter, \$5.08, E. R. Sier, J. P. \$3.25, Henry J. Schoppa \$75, H. A. Pierson \$750, W. B. Touney, J. P. \$5, John A. Galatin \$101.30, George P. Kelley \$125, James C. Galtier \$108.97, John K. English \$211.53, Edward S. Atwater \$116.60, N. C. J. English \$503.04, W. H. Lawrence, sheriff, \$145.95, W. H. Donaldson, J. P. \$6.55, Howard H. Kline \$0.58, Noah Woodruff, J. P. \$20.40, J. L. Bauer \$25, Elizabeth Daily Journal \$42, E. E. Williamson, P. O. \$150, S. Birmingham \$50, \$5.35, \$6.20.

Bridge account—Fred K. Ayers \$251.25, J. L. Bauer \$42.50, the W. T. Kirk Co. \$29, Wm. Hofferly \$1.50, Edward Gran \$10.90, Dietrich Kreie \$84.18, Robert Rindell \$488.87, James G. Moore \$86, \$80, John W. Van Pelt \$100, Wm. Gulnee \$28.50, \$10, \$9.50, \$16.50, \$45, J. A. Seymour \$20, Chapman & Lawrence \$89.50, F. Hohensee \$8.35, Frank Dreyer, sr. \$41.70, \$148.50, \$24.73, Thomas L. Carey \$74.75, \$76.50, Charles Eilbecher \$136, \$4.31, Dennis Whalen \$22.85, Robert Kolhr \$63, Adam Sutter \$15, Hatfield & Walden \$0.72, \$22.50, Hans Lambertsen \$12.50, the W. T. Kirk Co. \$100, John Conrad \$32, T. F. & H. O. Sayre \$0.60, J. W. Hope \$30.15, \$64.40, \$17.65, \$197.18, James G. Moore \$135, C. H. Winans \$124.25, \$215, Fred Bauer \$95.50, Wm. Schoonover \$131, C. Nelson \$2.90, G. B. Lovey \$35, Hatfield & Walden \$23.77, Stephens Bros \$16.25, F. J. Hubbard \$16.05, the W. T. Kirk Co. \$32.50, Jacob G. Miller \$10.50, F. J. Hubbard \$74.05, Est. Wm. Farrier \$936.18, E. J. Hubbard \$48, the Daily Press \$1.50, Courier-News Publishing Co. \$1.50, J. D. Loizeaux & Co. \$29.45, Jas. O. Hanson \$27.50, Joseph M. Kelly \$8.50, Nelson Bros. \$46, T. C. Faltoute \$15.50, W. H. Fillion \$15.75, W. H. Barton \$5, Christian Lunnby \$33.28, Hatfield & Walden \$16.62, the W. T. Kirk Co. \$550, J. L. Bauer \$72.50, F. J. Hubbard \$550, the W. T. Kirk Co. \$450.

Freeholder Krouse moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The director declared the board adjourned, subject to the call of the director.

S. RUSTANO RYNO, Clerk.

The many friends of G. H. Hanson, Engineer L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He writes: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure, which I recommended to all especially afflicted. For sale by G. W. Frutchey, Druggist."

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LLOYD THOMPSON, Editor.

Friday, January 4, 1907.



If it be true that New Jersey is losing its good school teachers because of the higher salaries awaiting them in other states, a policy of reform in the direction of better compensation here should be begun at once. There is no higher vocation in life than that of the teacher, in school or elsewhere, and none more deserving of high remuneration. The teachers are the ones who, as a lecturer suggested here the other night, help us to do without them. They are the ones we delight in worrying while we are at school and learn to love when our school days are over. Of course, there are teachers and teachers. As a profession, however, none is nobler. It would be better to cut the salaries of the clergymen, pay less fees to lawyers and physicians, all of which is easy if we are but good, honest and careful, than to attract only poorer grades of men and women to mould the minds of the young in our schools.

Speculation is rife as to what the Council intends to do about appointments this year. Various guesses have been made concerning probable appointees. As the Council itself has not settled the matter yet, it may safely be asserted that it is not settled at all. Those who anticipate and proclaim that certain ones will go and certain ones will stay may be put to the necessity of explaining how they came to misunderstand the situation. This is not inspired by any other knowledge of the situation than that as those who constitute the appointing power have not named their choice, their preference is not known. It is well to remember that appointments are made by the Town Council.

A committee to investigate the weather conditions would seem to be in order. The new year has made a very bad start.

Coming Again with Everything New and Better than Ever.

On Wednesday, Jan 9th at the Club House, Westfield, D. W. Robertson will give another one of his majestic Moving Picture entertainments, with everything entirely new. Among the feature pictures will be "The Miller's Daughter," the latest drama in fourteen thrilling scenes. The greatest moving picture ever secured, "Dogs Used as Smugglers," the most extraordinary moving picture ever secured, showing sixteen thrilling scenes along the French and Spanish frontier. "The Tronador," this is another one of our famous hand colored pictures. We have introduced many fine ones in the past, but this eclipses them all. Don't fail to see this. This is but a few of a few of the many pictures that will be shown at the Club House, Westfield, on Wednesday January 9th.

January Bargain Sale.

J. S. Plant & Co. Newark, will clinch their title of the "progressive store" by the enterprise injected into their sale this year which starts Monday January 7th. The features will be along the lines that are appreciated the most—that appeal to careful economical people everywhere. The attractions will be in greater than usual, collections of merchandise—all desirable, reliable—in greater than usual price incentives.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Anson B. Smith.

Mrs. Rebecca Jane Downing Smith, wife of Anson B. Smith, died at her home on North Avenue on Friday afternoon last of pneumonia after a week's illness. Mrs. Smith was sixty-nine years of age and was born in New York City. She had resided in Westfield for the past forty years. The funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon last at 3 o'clock at her late home and was in charge of her pastor, Dr. W. L. Stevens, of the Presbyterian Church. The deceased is survived by a husband and one son, Clarence B. Smith. Interment took place on Monday morning and was private.

Mrs. Abel S. Terry.

Mrs. Melissa, wife of Abel S. Terry, died on Tuesday evening at her home on Broad street of Bright's disease.

Mrs. Terry was in her sixty-fifth year, and had been confined to the house for the past four months. She has been a resident of Westfield for thirty-five years, and was a member of and active worker in the Methodist Church.

The funeral services were held this afternoon at her late home at 2 o'clock, and at the Methodist Church at 2:30. Dr. J. R. Wright, her pastor, and Dr. Wesley Martin, a former pastor and intimate friend of the family, officiated. Mrs. C. B. Pearsall and Mrs. Herbert Welch sang, "Sometime We'll Understand," and "I Shall See Him Face to Face."

There were many floral offerings of sympathy, including a pillow inscribed, "Our Mother," from the children and a piece from the Ladies' Aid Society.

The deceased is survived by a husband and three children, Miss Anna Terry and Mrs. Warren V. Woodruff, of Westfield, and Edward Terry, of Plainfield, also her mother, Mrs. Beck, who is 91 years of age, and who journeyed from New Brunswick, her home, to attend the funeral.

The bearers were William S. Woodruff, James Moffatt and Samuel S. Burmans.

Interment was made in Fairview Cemetery.

MRS. CELIA A. INSLY DEAD.

Express in Home of Her Son in Woodruff Place.

Mrs. Celia A. Inslay, the widow of Dr. William Quinn Inslay, of Terre Haute, died this morning at the home of her son, William H. Inslay, 68 Woodruff place, of heart disease, after an illness of about a month. Mrs. Inslay was born in 1840 at Rocky Hill, near Hartford, Conn., the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitmore. She was the granddaughter of Capt. John Webb, of Hartford, and the great-granddaughter of Capt. John Webb, of Richmond, Va., prominent in revolutionary history. She was married in 1863 to Dr. Inslay, of Terre Haute, who died many years ago. Mrs. Inslay is survived by three sons and two daughters, Edward Whitmore Inslay of Los Angeles; William H. Inslay, of Indianapolis; Robert Buckell Inslay, of Westfield, N. J.; Avis Blanchard, Kansas City, and Miss Rebecca A. Inslay, of Indianapolis. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.—Indianapolis News, December 29.

Mayor Cory's Home Robbed.

Somebody broke into the home of Mayor J. W. Cory, of Mount inside, early Monday morning, and got away with a lot of clothing, a watch and chain, twenty dollars, important papers and various other valuables. No clue could be found by which to run down the recipient. Things were generally riled and torn to pieces.

The apartments occupied by William M. Bashish and Harold Thompson in New York, were entered last Saturday by thieves, who made away with three hundred dollars worth of clothing, jewelry and other portable valuables.

The Women's Union prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the Presbyterian lecture room. Mrs. Hamot, evangelistic worker for the W. O. T. U. in New Jersey, will be in charge of the meeting. All are cordially invited to be present.

Lions Dislike Water.

In the forests lions will travel for miles rather than moisten their pads. A thimbleful of water thrown at a lion in captivity will terrify him. If, when in the jungle, a lion is forced to cross a stream, he swims like a dog, and lands on the other side as quickly as possible.

Story-Telling Competition.

One of the attractions at the forthcoming New Zealand International Exhibition at Christchurch will be a story-telling competition, for which eight prizes are offered. The stories, which must be "based on colonial life," are not to exceed 3,000 words.—Exchange.

Your money refunded if after using three-fourths (3/4) of a tube of Muzan, you are dissatisfied. Return the balance of the tube to your druggist, and your money will be cheerfully returned. Take advantage of this offer. Sold by James G. Consey's Drug Store, Broad and Prospect Sts.

Mr. Kelchman's Later Impressions.

Rugby, N. Dak., Dec. 29, 1906.

Dear Standard: It is not my purpose to bombard you with a series of letters, but you will permit this one which will qualify some of my first impressions and add others. This assumes that it is a presumption that some of your readers may be interested in the writer of the subject.

The real trouble is a fact not a fancy tale. It has not touched me personally because I am sunk in a steam-heated hotel. It was a New Jersey lady who, in a previous coal famine, demanded: "Why don't they heat altogether by steam and do entirely away with coal?" This is to all outward appearances the tedious condition of this hostility, but it does not apply to the neighbors, especially the farmers. The local dealers have been unable to supply the demand. At one time they gave their customers small amounts, about a quarter of a ton each, just as they did in Westfield in similar conditions. When a farmer came in for coal he was met with the excuse: "No sir! You go back and burn up the stuff around the farm. Burn your straw, if you have nothing else." This they had to do, and this is doubtless the foundation of the belief that straw is the fuel in this state. It is more of a foundation than most states can claim.

I shall probably make this my home, but I am told the towns along the line of the railway are much alike, and so certain facts about one may apply to a hundred other towns. The one commodity of which there seems to be an abundance is land. The prairie extends as far as the eye can reach on every side—it may be thousands or millions of square miles, for all one can see. One would expect the town lots to be of generous size, but no, twenty-five feet front is the rule.

The houses average the smallest I have ever seen. They are mostly one story high with no attic. My guess is that this is partly to escape the penetrating winds, but there is another and more certain reason for it namely, the cost of fuel. The prices are about as follows:—ignite, \$4 ton. Hocking Valley soft coal on the famous by the Great of James G. Hamer \$8.50 ton. Anthracite, \$11.50 ton. Poor hard wood, \$8 a cord. Maple, yellow birch, oak, etc., \$10 a cord. Then there is straw. The winters are very long and very cold. It is therefore necessary to limit the space for heating, and this does so completely that there can be no doubt about the economy of it. So the houses look almost like toy houses, or Ocean Grove cottages.

And in summer? Ask Kent. Wells about mosquitoes in northern latitudes.

The root vegetables potatoes, beets, etc., are extra fine. Apples cost about the same as in Westfield. They are brought in from Wenatchee, Wash., and are decidedly the handsomest apples I have ever seen. As for quality, they are better than the average that you get in New Jersey.

Pikes are not excessive. The worst I have struck was thirty-five cents for a hair cut, just trimming the edges of the modest lambrequin that decorates my dame. Charley gives a better job for twenty cents, and throws in gratuitously a song and dance, besides an indefinite number of Keith's chestnuts.

The prospects of my church work are hardly a suitable topic for a newspaper. I only say that I am holding fast to what the Yankee called the comfortin' text of scripser, "Root hog, or die!"

Yours truly,

HENRY KIECHAM.

Literary Circle Meets.

The December meeting of the Social and Literary Circle of the Methodist Church was held Friday afternoon, December 28th, at the home of Mrs. Briggs, Prospect and Union streets. A selection, "Christmas in the Philippines," was read by Miss Helen Wright. Another reading, "Christmas Customs in Hawaii," was given by Miss E. A. Halstead. The readings were interspersed with piano solos and duets by Miss Ella Fenis, Miss Lawrence and Miss Helen Kane, of Philadelphia. An enjoyable social hour followed. The next meeting, January 30th, will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles F. Harper, Prospect street.

WOES OF YOUTHFUL PRINCE.

Condign Punishment That Followed Loss of Temper.

What inestimable treasures of history, political, administrative, and social, are contained in those narrow pages of parchment called the French Archives! M. Jules Lemaitre has lately immortalized the diary of that proscribing heir of Louis XIV. who died of smallpox in the flower of his youth. Here is an extract: "September, 1693.—A few days ago Monsieur l'Abbe (this tutor, Fenelon) laughed at me because I blundered in spelling my Virgil. I said to him, 'Monsieur, correct me, if you please; but do not make merry at my expense. There are certain persons who are not to be laughed at.' He continued to tease me, whereupon I lost my temper and threw my copy of Virgil in his face. My governor, M. de Beauvilliers, was told of this, and I got for 'a whipping at his hands.' Further on the boy adds, 'But M. l'Abbe is so fond of me that henceforth I am determined to please him to the utmost.' The ill-fated lad was just 11 years old.

Newspaper Bulwark of Sanity.

Sir James, Crickman-Browne, the British authority on mental and nervous diseases, maintains that the newspaper is a bulwark of sanity. He says:

"It is the antidote to corroding egotism, and gives a world-wide horizon to the purblind and shortsighted. It is read and earnest in its tragedy and comedy, while a novel is only a make-believe. It supplies snacks of biography in the form of gossip. It manufactures heroes by the dozen, and it furnishes an easily digestible intellectual pabulum. Many a man has been saved from melancholy and fatality by the daily paper. Suppress your newspapers and you will have to balance your lunatic asylums."

EVELYN'S NEW SHOES

It was in the crowd one that Evelyn told her troubles. She had on her \$7 pair of shoes and naturally was full of the subject.

"I never had a twinge or an ache of a pain before," said she, threatening and a small shoo in which she gazed with bitterness. It was a soft kid shoe with attractive heels and broad soles, laces.

"They're very pretty," said her girl friend, "They don't look as if they hurt."

"They nearly kill me there," said Evelyn, indicating the heel. "And they're so stupidly torturing there," pointing to the toe. "And the worst of it is that I shall have to wear them for months and months to come."

It was not a cheerful prospect. Her girl friend murmured something to that effect.

"They cost seven dollars," continued Evelyn. "I saw them in a show window just as I had made up my mind not to pay over four dollars for a pair of shoes. Of course I adored them—one always adores the things that are, or ought to be, out of one's reach."

"So you purchased them immediately?"

"Gladly, no. I withstood the temptation for days. First I went in and tried on several cheaper pairs that naturally wouldn't do at all. The next time I went downtown I hurried past the shop with my head righteously turned in the other direction. But at last, though I really hadn't any idea of buying these shoes, I went in and tried them on, just to see how they looked on my feet."

"And they were a perfect fit?"

Evelyn gazed at her girl friend with intensity. "Why," she asked, "are those one size and shape in the shop and something entirely different when you get them home? You try them on. You stamp and tread and walk up and down the aisle. The clerk points out that they are precisely right in the instep and just the thing because the toe and may be exactly in length and breadth. You agree that here are shoes which were made for no one else and it would be too bad to let so fortunate a coincidence go by." Evelyn sighed.

"And when you got them home," she went on, "it is like Cinderella's wicked sisters and the glass slipper. You feel quite hopeless about even setting on those shoes unless you cut down your feet tremendously. I had a dreadful experience. I used to put on the shoes every afternoon encouragingly and by dinner time I would have to wriggle out of them secretly and sit in my stocking feet. I made excuses to remain after all the rest of the family had finished dinner; then under the table I would grovel to recover my shoes.

"At last I couldn't stand it any longer. Having paid out seven dollars already, I had no money left, even for an ordinary nice pair. I paid two dollars for a horrid pair that were much too big for me. I slid around in them quite happily that night, and the next, and the next, but they soon began to look so like a discarded pair of father's, besides chafing my heels where I slid out of them at every step, that I determined to take them back and demand my money. I told the man sternly that he had no right to sell me such hoars. I feel like picking a quarrel with every one in the shoe business.

"Of course, he didn't take them back. He listened with patience to my tirade, and when I came to the fact that I wore 3A and not 4s, he brightened perceptibly. In another moment I was examining a pair of patent leathers of the desired size. They were really quite nice looking. He said they were of an exceptional quality and worth five dollars, but he would let me have them for a dollar and seventy-five cents.

"Well, one can't keep on indefinitely taking one's shoes off under the dinner table, and one can't wear the kind of shoes that come off in the street and such public places. So I took the patent leathers."

"But if you got the patent leathers," asked Evelyn's friend, "why are you now wearing the seven-dollar pair that hurt you so?"

"My dear," said Evelyn, "after two days those patent leathers were perfect rights."

"So," murmured her girl friend, "you are back where you were before."

"Every time I put on these shoes," said Evelyn, with deep pathos, "I think that surely they won't hurt as much as they did before. And they don't, for a little while. They will till I get where I can't possibly get rid of them and then—" Evelyn sighed at her feet vindictively.

"I am getting so that my one subject in life is to keep seated," she went on. "I am in positive terror of being invited somewhere or having some one suggest something that will cause me to do a little walking. My activities are hampered, my energy is blunted, my ambition is deadened and my temper is ruined."

Evelyn looked at her girl friend mournfully for a moment and then turned to the conductor that the next corner was where she got off.—Chicago Daily News.



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Bank Election.

The Westfield Trust Company, of Westfield, N. J.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company for the election of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company at the Building House on Tuesday, January 8th, 1907, from 10 to 11 o'clock a. m.

J. R. CONNOLLY, Secretary
Dated Westfield, N. J., Dec. 21, 1906.

Everything New But The Name.

D. W. Robertson's Famous Moving Picture Company will again appear at the Club House, Westfield, on January 9th, with an entirely new program consisting of one of the finest series of Moving Pictures ever given. Those who attended the last entertainment say what we had in the way of beautiful colored moving photography. We are still continuing with our latest success, and on this visit will show some very beautiful hand colored pictures. One which we may mention, "The Tronador," this is one of the most bewildering of all our moving pictures. We have introduced many fine ones in the past but this one eclipses them all. Don't fail to come and see it. Secure your seats early. Entertainment also by Mr. William J. Davis, New York's most popular entertainer in songs and stories also illustrated songs. Mr. Harry Willard, America's Premier Piccolo Banjoist, Mr. George Hoffman, expert organist, and Mr. Paul Cohn, pianist. Admission 25 cents, reserved seats 35 cents, children with school tickets 15 cents. Seats now on sale at Frutheys's Drug Store.

Wohlert's prices are lower than New York or anywhere else.

NOW READY!

Anna Katherine Green's

Powerful Romance,

THE CHIEF LEGATEE.

50c instead of \$1.50.

Cloth Binding

Four Illustrations in

Color.

Also "A Rock in the Bully," "The Man Between," "The Lady Evelyn," "Doe Gordon," "The House of Defense," "Rezhov" and "Daniel Sweetman."

For Sale Only By

Albert E. Snyder,

56 Elm Street, Westfield, N. J.

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For Sale, 22 Elmer St.

Attractive 10 room house newly decorated and with all improvements, opposite Congregational Church. Also Building Lots with all improvements, sewer, sidewalks, water, gas, electric light in streets.

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THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD

Wants and Offers.

NOTE: No advertisement for this column can be taken for less than ten cents. Display notices at special rates.

W. M. Harrison is selling lots 60 feet front on the Harrison property from Broadway. Call for details.

R. M. Smith has for sale a lot of building and roof materials for sale by C. A. Smith, Agent.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

INTERESTING TO MANY.

Notes About People You Know—Stop-overs in the Town Through the Week.

—The playing of the first ball Wednesday night was a false alarm.

—Mrs. B. D. Floyd and son have returned from their stay in Boston.

—The schedule of the Week of Prayer services next week is printed to-day.

—Herbert L. Abrams, Jr., has sold his Dancy rule to William Quinlan, Inc.

—Joseph A. Fitch is the Westfield member of the January Grand Jury.

—B. K. Hough and family have returned from a ten days stay in Boston, Mass.

—Assemblyman Perkins has come out for Malden Pitney for Senator Dryden's place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Van Alstyne, of Old Chatham, New York, are visiting at the home of A. G. Fitch.

—Mrs. Samuel Johnston and Miss M. E. Cunningham visited friends in Brooklyn New Year's Day.

—J. A. and Elbert Ewing have opened a Sea Food market in one of the Pettis stores on Broad Street.

—The local Republican Executive Committee will hold a meeting to-night at the office of Paul Q. Oliver.

—James O. Clark, who has been confined to his home since Christmas by illness, is now able to be out again.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Binney spent New Year's Day at Landshovne, Pa., with Mr. and David A. MacGregor.

—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Richardson, formerly of Westfield, at their home in Brooklyn on Sunday.

—Frederick Rathbone spent New Year's Day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. St. George Rathbone, on Summit Avenue.

—Charles N. Coddling is now the First Alternate Representative to Grand Council, R. A., in place of Theodore S. Glass resigned.

—Cager and Dills have sold one of the houses belonging to the Francis R. Baker Estate on South Broad Street to an out of town party.

—The town officers who are appointed by the Council are serving as hold overs until Monday night when the new appointments are expected.

—The contract case of Morris and Epstein against P. J. Flanagan was tried by a jury last Friday night and a verdict of \$15 awarded the plaintiff.

—The Rev. William Stetzel, of Rahway, who has preached here a number of times, has received a call to a church in Middletown, N. Y.

—Charles Smith, a tramp, committed suicide by cutting his throat at the Road House in Mountinside last night. Dr. Sinclair was called, but the man died in a few minutes.

—Rev. Thomas Elgar, the widely known "Prison Evangelist" will conduct meetings in the Baptist Church from January 14th to 20th. Mr. Elgar has spoken in the Westfield Baptist Church on several occasions.

—The annual meeting for the election of ruling elders of the Presbyterian Church was held on Sunday last at the close of the morning service. Dr. J. J. Savitz, John Tenney and L. A. Clark were elected to succeed Ira B. Ball, Samuel Johnston and Thiram L. Fink whose terms of office had expired.

—Next Thursday night Fireside Council will be entertained by the well known and successful humorist and wit, Thomas Nelson, of New York. There will be one initiation which will be particularly interesting as the applicant has stated that he wants everything that is coming to him. This meeting will be the last one at which the present Order and committee will serve, and as a farewell a handsome souvenir will be presented to each member present.

—The Town Council meets Monday night.

—The public schools opened again yesterday.

—The Robertson Moving Picture show will be here again next Wednesday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dugli entertained about thirty friends Tuesday night.

—P. J. Flanagan has hired Lawyer Peckham's hotel in Rahway and has moved in.

—A son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Orleansberger on Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. John D. Clark, Jr., spent New Year's Day at the home of J. D. Clark on South Avenue.

—Mrs. Walter Jones and Miss Charlotte Brown of Hamer, N. Y., are visiting at the Baptist parsonage.

—The case of Charles against the Modern Shop resulted in a verdict for the defendant.

—Elliot G. Moody entertained his father, Mr. Moody of Bridgeport, Conn., over New Years.

—Charles A. Conroy, a former resident of Westfield spent Tuesday visiting old friends here.

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William S. Affleck, of North Broad Street last week.

—Ludlow V. Clark and family, of Philadelphia, will start shortly on a trip to the Orient.

—A new hotel license will be applied for this year for the former Colucci place on Central Avenue.

—Robert V. Hoffman left Wednesday afternoon for Winchester, Va. where he will remain several weeks.

—Mrs. Stafford Burgess, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Corbin, left this morning to return to her home in the west.

—The next lecture in the Presbyterian Men's Club Course is one on "Fools," by P. S. Nelson, D. D., L.L.D., of Boston, on January 24th.

—A prominent official of the Royal Arcanum, who formerly lived at Yarmouth, Canada, says that little Canadian town has three steam fire engines.

—The Happy New Year Concert given under the auspices of the Congregational Men's Club Tuesday night was heartily enjoyed by the audience. The musical numbers were especially fine.

—A fire broke out in the apartment of Louis Wells over the Union Water Company offices on Broad Street, last night. The department got there quickly and confined the damage to the burning out of one room. It is not known how the fire originated.

—The Trustees of Fairview Cemetery will hold a meeting Tuesday night. The annual meeting of lot owners will be held the following Monday night when trustees will be elected to succeed Gideon E. Ludlow, Robert C. Plume, James Moffett and Lloyd Thompson.

—Mr. C. Flintermann, was operated upon for appendicitis on New Year's Day, at his home on Prospect Street. The operation was performed by Dr. R. R. Sinclair and Dr. Maus of New York City, Dr. Maus being an intimate friend of Mr. Flintermann's father, who is a physician in Detroit.

—Collector A. H. Clark has collected \$78,589.47 of the \$84,029.14 taxes due to December 31, 1906, leaving a balance of only \$5,439.67, from which should be deducted the \$754.76 credited to the collector for reductions by board of taxation and uncollectable taxes. The balance is five dollars less than last year, though \$2,000 more of taxes were assessed this year.

—Rev. Henry Ketchum, lately of Westfield, N. J., arrived in Rahway Saturday morning, and on Sunday occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church of this city. Mr. Ketchum is a very pleasant gentleman to meet and though he arrived here during disagreeable weather, he has had experience in the western country before and thinks he will be able to stand North Dakota alright.—Pierce County (N. D.) Tribune.

—District Clerk John J. Cager has resumed his official duties and is attending to his real estate business.

—Next month Will Charleston, the poet, will appear here in the Methodist Church. Mr. Charleston was here twelve years ago.

—Rev. L. J. Lansing will lecture before the Women's Club next week from Monday on "Adapted Life Interpreted by the Little Child."

—Novel Dwight Mills lectured to a good audience in the Methodist Church last on "John Ruskin's Message to the Twentieth Century."

BRANCH MILLS NEWS.

J. R. and J. W. Miller, of Orange, spent Sunday at E. D. Miller's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schenoyen spent New Years at Jersey City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jobs Mrs. Rita Jones, Mrs. A. M. Parkhurst Miss Rita and William Parkhurst spent New Years at E. D. Miller's.

The Sunday-school Christmas entertainment was held Saturday evening, and largely attended. Singing by school, music by Miller Bros., exercises by primary and intermediate department, reading and prayer by Rev. R. N. Saiter, address by Rev. Dr. W. L. Stearns, and then the appearing of Old Santa Claus, and the distribution of presents, candy and oranges.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

J. A. Ewing & Son opened a first-class set food market at 125 Broad Street yesterday. They are handling all kinds of sea food at prices that are reasonable. They are here to stay and solicit your patronage.

The proprietors of the New York Candy Kitchen have been made very happy by their large holiday trade. They wish their patrons a very happy New Year. They are making fresh lozenges, after the holidays, as before, their delicious ice-cream and candies. New York standard, below New York prices.

If you want to move in first class shape call Willoughby. Telephone connection.

The best is always the cheapest at McMahon's. That's the place.

TRIUMPH'S new crop New Orleans Molasses is the thing for buckwheat cakes, made from the flour that he handles, and his country sausage is all right. Ohase & Sanborn's coffees and teas here, too.

Now is the time for a nice stage ride. Call up Willoughby.

Now for the wintery weather: Sheepskin-lined, corduroy and leather reversibles, and covert cloth storm coats; also sheepskin vests at Clark's.

MASSAGE for flower beds and lawns for sale by H. Willoughby. Telephone connection.

GROOMING COUNTS

But it cannot make a Fair Skin or a Glossy Coat.

Women with good complexions cannot be lonely. Creams, lotions, washes and powders cannot make a fair skin. Every horseman knows that the skin coat of his thoroughbred comes from the animal's "all-right" condition.

Let the horse get "off his feet" and his coat turns dull. Caring, brushing and rubbing will give him a clean coat, but cannot produce the coveted smoothness and gloss of the horse's skin, which is his complexion. The ladies will see the point.

Lane's Family Medicine

Is the best preparation for ladies who desire a gentle laxative medicine that will give the body perfect cleanliness internally and the wholesomeness that produces such skins as painters love to copy.

SCHAEFER'S.

After Christmas Clearance Sale.

All goods bought especially for the gift season that did not sell will be sold at just half price.

We cannot mention prices nor go into detailed descriptions, in fact our stock is small and these are mostly odd articles. We have

passed a very successful season and desire to clear our shelves preparatory to a readjustment of stocks.

All articles will go at 50% of marked prices.

F. H. SCHAEFER & CO.,

Broad Street, Westfield, N. J.

Berry's

Dry Goods, Notions, Hosiery, Etc.

Full line of seasonable goods in all departments Special orders filled within a few hours notice

Notions, Laces, Embroideries, Edges, White Lawns, White Waistings, Ready-Made Muslin Underwear, School Hose, 10c, 15c, 25c, Ladies' and Men's Hose, fast black, Dressing Sacques, Kimons, Etc.

Broad and Prospect Streets.

IN UNION THERE'S SUCCESS

The Union of Thorough Training and Practical Modern Methods has made the Union Business College a very successful school for educating young men and women for the requirements of the business office. * * * Register now, and take our course in Stenography or Bookkeeping.

BOTH DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOLS

Send for Our Catalogue

UNION BUSINESS COLLEGE

203-210 Broad Street, Dix Building, Elizabeth, N. J. F. H. BURRMAN, Principal

Telephone, 683-W.

Heard "Call of the Wild."

At the "call of the wild" recently a St. Bernard dog in a Lake Superior lumber camp joined a wolf pack and married one of their number.

He used to come into camp for food; but as his mate would never venture within gun shot, he carried a part of his meat out to her. A bull terrier

attacked him near the camp, and he was getting the worst of it when the she wolf ran to his assistance, and between them they nearly killed the terrier.

Death in Oak Chest.

Traditions tell of deaths caused by the heavy lids of oak chests. In early German romances we read of a little boy whose cruel stepmother called him to the side of her huge chest and bade him stoop and help himself to the apples that were within it. Eager and unsuspecting, the little lad leaned toward the golden fruit, when the woman let the lid fall upon his neck, and the fair boyish head rolled among the apples.

More Beer Drinkers.

Beer drinking in the United States is on the increase. The total consumption in the past year amounted to 51,651,636 barrels, or 21 gallons for each inhabitant. In the previous year 49,454,539 barrels were consumed.

The Way to Millions.

One of the first acts of a millionaire on returning to his old home in Ohio was to search for a dime that he lost when he was five years old. Do you wonder that he became a millionaire. —Montreal Star.

Easy Money.

Peasant (standing near a ruined arch, to his wife)—Work? Not so long as there are tourists and ruins, we shan't find it necessary.—Knickerbocker.

The Beginning of Wisdom.

A man begins to acquire wisdom when he discovers that he is capable of making just as many mistakes as his neighbor.

WESTFIELD N. J., December 27, 1906.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Having transferred my business interests to another locality, I am desirous of disposing of my Westfield holdings—comprising:

That handsome new 11-room house (with every up-to-date improvement) Euclid and Lenox Avenues (6 minutes walk to station) on plot 100x150 feet.

New 9-room house, all improvements, Lenox Ave., near Euclid Ave., on plot 50x150 feet.

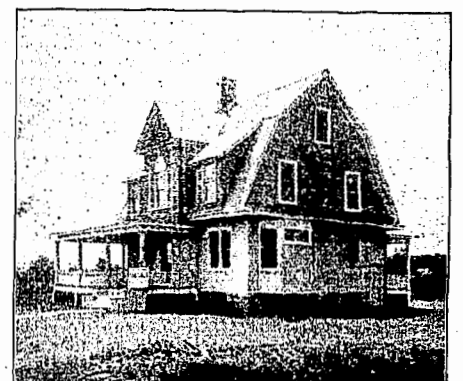
Summit Avenue, south of Park Street, six choice restricted lots, sewer and sidewalk (no assessments) and the choicest location in all Westfield for a home, Westfield Avenue, near Park Street, overlooking Stoneleigh Park.

Plot 200x250 feet, high ground, all improvements, 50 shade trees, fine lawns; ample room for barn, garage, garden, tennis courts, etc., etc.

My houses are high class to the smallest detail, superior workmanship and all days' work under my own and architect's supervision.

WALTER J. LEE, Owner,
64 Orchard Street.

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MARKET, HALSEY & BANK STS.

Sale of Muslin Underwear.

Mountains of snowy white--- great heaps of generously cut and exquisitely finished under muslins in the most talked of "White Sale" in the history of the Bamberger store. Every piece clean and fresh and every piece made for regular selling---muslinwear of character at sale prices---bona fide savings on white things you will be glad to possess.

L. BAMBERGER & CO.,
NEWARK, N. J.

"BREAKFAST FACE" A FRIGHT.

First Meal of the Day in England Can not Be a Pleasant One.

An observant writer in Health says: "The woman who spends her every afternoon on visits to friends is bound to develop the 'tea face.' The 'tea face' is frozen vivacity. The eyes have an uninterrupted sparkle, the head has a permanent sudden tilt of interest and expectancy, while the smile looks as if it had been done up in curl-papers over night."

One knows that face. It is preferable, however, to the breakfast face. The breakfast face is washed vacantly. The eyes have the sparkle of cold lead, the head has a weary droop and an unwillingness to turn either direction while the scowl looks as if it had been left out in the rain all night.

By the way, I speak merely from memory. Since the day of my enamel-pallor, some eight years ago, I have carefully avoided that pleasant, cheerful, chatty, unctuous-and-onst, bill-and-bacon function known euphemistically as the English breakfast.

It is only fair to add that, to the best of my knowledge, I have never been missed. Nobody ever is missed from the English breakfast table.—London Sketch.

CLEAN MONEY HER HOBBY.

Young Woman Had Distinct Prejudice Against Soiled Bills.

She stopped in front of the paying teller's window and produced a wad of soiled bills.

"Would you kindly exchange these notes for clean ones?" she asked, in response to his polite inquiry as to what he could do for her.

"Why, yes, madam, certainly. You are afraid of the disease germs, I suppose," he remarked as he counted out the amount in new greenbacks and pushed them over the little brass door.

"No, not exactly," she smiled. "It is simply a case of habit. Before I married I had experience in the banking business as a working woman, and, like all in the work, I acquired a love of fresh bills. I positively refused to handle anything soiled or worn. It is one of the few things I have had to regret in married life. The tradesmen will give one that kind of tainted money in making change, usually they have nothing else in the cash drawer. As soon as I can possibly do so, I hurry to the nearest bank and get clean ones. These are lovely; they smell quite like old times. Thank you so much. Good morning."

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box 25c.

Beautiful Passage.

A sweet young thing has written a novel. It is a wonderful performance. Take this passage: "All of a sudden the beautiful Alida continued to sit on the sands, gazing out upon the briny deep, on whose heaving bosom the tall ships went merrily by, freighted, ah, who can tell, with how much joy and sorrow and pine and hope and enigmata and hopes and sadness."—Boston Transcript.

Lions Almost Too Plentiful.

That there is an abundance of lions in central Africa is proved by these telegrams, said to have been sent recently by a railway station master to his division headquarters: "Please send further police protection. Met very brave, but less so when roaring begins." And "Please let 10 a. m. run up to the platform disregarding signals. Signalman up post, lion at bottom."

Why He Missed Them.

This Kaffir story is true. A Christian Zulu-Kaffir was heard recounting to another Kaffir a vision of heaven which he had had in a dream. "And saw you any Kaffirs there?" inquired his listener. "The teller of the story pondered awhile, and then 'No,' said he, 'For I did not look into the kitchen.'"

Poor Squires.

A very large proportion of the landowners of this country are poor men who manage to keep going only by the very strictest economy, or by gradually creating charges upon their estates. The average squire is now the least extravagant man in the country.—Estates Gazette (Eng.).

German Higher Education.

A recent convention of learned men at Berlin advised the government to establish two kinds of lycées, for girls—one of eight years, corresponding to a high school in this country, and another, with a supplementary course of four years, preparatory to the university.

High Reverence of the Lowly.

Reverence the highest, have patience the lowest. Let this day's performance of the monastic duty be thy religion. Are the stars too distant, pick up the pebble that lies at thy feet, and from it learn the all.—Margaret Fuller Oswell.

The relief of Coughs and Cold through Laxative Influence, originated with Eno's Laxative Cough Syrup containing Honey and Tar, a cough syrup containing no opiates or poisons, which is extensively sold. Secure a bottle at once, obtain a guarantee coupon, and if not fully satisfied with results, your money will be refunded. Sold by James C. Casey's Drug Store, Broad and Prospect Sts.

COSTLY SLIPS OF SALESMEN

Traveling Man Takes Southern Customer to See "Uncle Tom's Cabin"—Customer Breaks Up Show—Customers Once Overstocked with a Second Time—Salesman Too Lazy to Outfit Competitor Loses Trade—Don't Clip the Goose Who Feathers the Nest.

By CHARLES N. CREWSON, Author of "Tales of the Road," Etc.

"It isn't every concern that knows how to handle its trade after it gets it. One of my friends once told me," said Watkins, the Chicago salesman, "of trouble he once had in getting six extra shirts for one of his solid customers. 'When the salesman for my furnishing goods home came around,' said he, 'I merely told him to make half a dozen size 18 shirts with sleeves 36 inches long. I told him that I wasn't very particular about the pattern, but what I wanted was something to fit. He sent the order into the house. The stock man in charge of that department wrote back to me that they did not have the exact pattern I had picked out and that, as they made it a rule never to make special orders unless they fitted them exactly, they had left that item out of the shipment. I immediately wrote back for them to select some other patterns and make them up in stead. Back came another letter asking me what sort of material I wanted. At this time I was mad as fire, and merely wrote on the bottom of his letter, 'Let your office boy select cloth. And—so help me!—they wrote back again saying they hardly felt like making up this size from cloth which their office boy would select, because if the material didn't suit the half dozen shirts would be dead property on their hands. What blockheads some people are, anyway! This thing was getting to be a sort of a joke with me so I wired for them please to send over to my clothing house and have the man from whom I bought my cloth select the patterns for the shirts. Mean time my customer was coming in every day—I stood him off from time to time—wanting to know if his shirts had come."

"Well, sir, I received a long letter stating that the clothing salesman I had asked them to have select the material, was out of town,—what should they do? Then I wrote in and told them that they should either make some sort of shirts or else send out a troop of militia to guard me from my angry customer; that he had been waiting for those shirts for six weeks; to please make me six shirts that were 18 inches around the neck and that had sleeves 36 inches long; that they could make them out of chinilla, machine-knosh material, silk, linen, cotton, or lawn; that I didn't give a—what sort of stuff they used so long as they made them to fit. I never did get that special order from that house. I had to place it elsewhere before I could get it filled."

Standing Behind Goods Sold.

"A man must stand behind the goods he makes, too," spoke up the hat manufacturer, "and once in a while make good for his over-zealous salesman, or keep quiet an unreasonable customer. One of my salesmen had the habit of guaranteeing goods sold in this way—he would say to the customer—and I couldn't stop him—if any hats I sell you do not give your customers satisfaction, or if one of your customers make a kick on any hat you buy from me, whether that complaint is justifiable or not, give him a new one and charge it up to my firm. One day, when a man made a remittance he made a deduction of six dollars from the bill, saying that three of his customers had worn the hats they had got from us for 11 months, and that they had come in and made a complaint; that, according to instructions of our salesman, he had charged up that amount. Now, this customer was a straightforward, honest man—I could tell that from the letters he wrote—and what else could I do but credit him with the six dollars?"

"That was good sense," remarked Watkins. "A customer that isn't worth six dollars to a wholesale house isn't worth anything. The trouble with a great many houses is that they see the orders rolling into them through Uncle Sam's mails just as easily as the one-cent advertisements that they chuck into the waste basket unopened. They forget how their salesmen on the road must hustle to sell these goods, however good they may be. I once sold a customer of mine a lot of furnishing goods. I asked him when he wanted them shipped. He said September 1. He was away up in central Idaho, and it would have taken three weeks to get his goods to him by freight. A letter came into my house the first of September saying that he had not received any invoice for his goods, and asked whether they had been shipped. 'The old gentleman in the office—this boy's father, here'—continued Watkins, pointing to Joannus Carolanus, "called me into the office and asked me where this place was, and wanted to know if there was any express office there. I said 'Yes, but surely you aren't going to express goods away out there, are you?' 'Why not?' said he. 'I gather that this man wants his goods in his house and not in ours by September 1. It is true he didn't make this clear when he gave you the order, but at the same time I think I'll just send these goods out by express prepaid, and let him pay us back the amount the freight charges would have been.' 'Why,' said I, 'if you do that you'll lose money on this bill.' 'That may be true,' said he, 'with a tone of assurance, 'but I will make it up on his future business.'"

"That old gentleman is the king of

them all when it comes to taking care of a customer. I tell you, one of the best ways to build business is to take care of the business you have built."

Take Care of the Business.

"I learned that a long time ago when I was a salesman," remarked a large manufacturer of first-class clothing, who had joined the party of business men as they walked through the office. "One of the very best accounts I have to-day came to me because one of my strongest competitors a few years ago did not treat one of their customers exactly as he felt he should be treated. You know this selling a line of goods to a second man in a town when you already have one customer there is waving a red flag in a bull's face. He perhaps has pumped his lungs out talking up a certain line and if some one else gets hold of it then he froths at the mouth."

"Well, sir, this customer that I speak of ran a first-class clothing store down in Missouri. Each season's business for this other firm amounted to about \$7,000—and that isn't a bad account, gentlemen. The house, which was prospering so much that it began to get pretty chummy any way, thought, 'Well, we are so good, we ought to have another customer in that town.' They shipped a small bill of goods which another one of their salesmen sold in that point. And let me say right here, that is one thing I shall never do. If I have a man on a territory he shall command that territory absolutely. If he is a good man that is the only way he can get anything out of it—if he's a poor man, I'll fire him."

Duty of the Wholesale House.

"The bill was only for 100 suits, but Customer No. 1 got onto it and quill them cold. I want to tell you this, gentlemen, that we manufacturers and wholesalers don't appreciate enough, I fear, our customers out in the country. I know from my early experience on the road that a traveling man blessed with all the good qualities with which the Lord can endow him, and backed up with the very best line of goods that we manufacturers can make, still must work hard and long to build for us a business; and when he puts a customer on our books it is then up to us to do our part as well as he has done his. We should not believe that it is our privilege to bump the storekeeper's head, but instead of that we should make our customer an ally, not an enemy. In that way we can do a great deal toward successfully distributing our merchandise and building a business."

"Yes, you are right about that," remarked the St. Louis merchant. "But, say, it's growing late, gentlemen, and I must make my way to my hotel. I believe I can now get through the office; the wolves of commerce have gone to their holes."

With this the party (dismanded, Joannus Carolanus walking thoughtfully down the street.

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WAYS OF THE SMALL BOY.

City Youngster Had No Use for Milk "Drawn from the Cow."

A little city boy had just been taken for his first sight of the country, and been startled by the sights which met his eye. When he arrived at his destination milking was in progress. Here was a novelty for the boy. They hurried him off to the milking-sheds to watch the operation. "There, now you shall have some of this beautiful new milk for your tea," he was promised. The boy did not seem enthusiastic over the project. At the tentable he preferred not to have milk; he would take his tea without it. The same thing was repeated at subsequent meals, though the tea without milk was swallowed with a palpable effort. And then they demanded an explanation. Did he never like milk? Yes, he did, but not that which they used at this farm; he did not drink milk so derived. He would like that they got from the shop.

Another boy on a visit arrived at the end of a long and tired journey, and went straight to bed. Some one visiting his room presently found him sobbing as if his young heart would break. What ailed him, they wished to know? Was he hurt or hungry? "No, I am all right, thank you, only I am very ill," he answered. "This place does not agree with my health." The poor little chap was experiencing the first pangs of homesickness, but was ashamed to admit that he was crying for his mother. So the place in which he had arrived but half an hour previously did not agree with his health.

Age and Personal Charm.

An amusing discussion recently took place between an artist and an author as to at what period of life a woman was at the most fascinating. According to the artist a woman should not be painted between the ages of 25 and 40, as she was in the greatest transition period of her life; the author, on the other hand, declares that she is at the height of her fascination and beauty between the ages of 30 and 40. The question is still unsettled.

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PLAINFIELD THEATRE.

One of the most important announcements of the season is to the effect that "David Harum" with its New York production and an extremely strong cast, headed by Mr. Harry Brown, will be presented at the New Plainfield Theatre Tuesday, January 8th.

B. C. WHITNEY'S "PIFF PAFF POOF." "Bright, cheery, entrancing," is the description given by one of the eminent critics in an eastern paper, which spoke of B. C. Whitney's "Piff Paff Poof," to play at the Plainfield Theatre Wednesday, matinee and night, January 9th. The comedy has made the most pronounced hit everywhere presented, and local theatregoers who relish tuneful music, bright dialogue and entrancing songs, may look forward to a brilliant and most satisfying entertainment.

Lillian Mortimer, supported by a company of unusual strength in "No Mother to Guide Her," last season's great success, will be the attraction of the New Plainfield Theatre on Thursday, January 10th. Miss Mortimer has written this play in order to demonstrate that she possesses a versatility of unusual character. Instead of playing an emotional role this season she has elected to appear in a character comedy part.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Beginning, Monday night, (New Year's Eve), David Belasco is presenting at the Academy of Music, New York, for four weeks only, Blanche Bates in "The Girl of the Golden West." Mr. Belasco's stirring drama of Californian which so recently concluded a run of two seasons at the Belasco Theatre. The engagements of all Belasco stars and of Miss Bates especially, at the Academy of Music, have always been memorable events and there is a reason to believe that that the visit of this actress will be so in more ways than one. Miss Bates has never before had a role which fitted her so well as does the part of "the girl" while the atmosphere of no other play in which she has been seen has been so congenial to her style of acting. Her personal success in the character has been nothing short of phenomenal.

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Bird Markings.

The primary use of the flashes of white or bright colors exhibited by birds in flight was probably for purposes of courtship. In "displaying" before their mates birds almost always droop their wings and expand their elevated tails, thus showing off to full advantage the conspicuous colors or markings.

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WHEN THEY MET

They were to have lunch together down town and they met by appointment at the billiard room on the corner. They did not intend to buy hats, but chose the place because of its convenience. However, when the girl in gray found that she had arrived first, she thought she would just "poke around" a little until her friend arrived.

"Where shall we go for lunch?" asked the girl in gray when they reached the street.

"Oh, I don't care. Anywhere you say."

"I don't care, either."

"Well, do you like Blakey's?"

"Yes."

"The waiters there are awfully inattentive, come to think of it. I like Carter's better."

"Oh, they have the horriddest butter at Carter's," objected the girl in gray.

"Do they? I never noticed it, and I'm fussy about butter, too."

"Well, let's go there, then. I don't care."

"Oh, no; I'd imagine it was bad now."

"They stopped on a corner."

"I've got to meet mother at two o'clock, so let's decide," said the girl in gray.

"I don't care a bit where we go," said the girl in brown.

"Neither do I."

"I like one place about as well as another."

"So do I."

"It's too windy standing here, and I've got an awful cold. Do decide on something."

"All right, you decide."

"Well, we might as well go to Blakey's."

"They did."

As they entered the head waiter hurried forward to meet them and showed them ceremoniously to a small table. Another waiter rushed forward, and each attendant held a chair for the new arrivals.

"I don't call the waiters here tentative," said the girl in gray, pulling off her gloves.

"Perhaps I was thinking of some other place," answered the girl in brown.

The waiter placed a menu before each girl, and then stood respectfully waiting, hat and pencil in hand.

"What shall we have?" said the girl in gray.

"Whatever you like. I want you to say, because this is my treat."

"Indeed, it isn't," objected the girl in gray. "I suggested our lunching together in town."

"But, my dear, don't you remember I said: 'Can you come Wednesday?' and that made my invitation."

"Not at all," replied the girl in gray, "and I insist upon paying the bill."

"Well—then next time it shall be mine."

The waiter, after shifting his position from one foot to the other several times, retired to the next table and took an order for two men who had just come in. He now returned and stood inquiringly beside the girl in brown.

"Well, what shall we have?" said the girl in brown. Thereupon the waiter realized that no progress had been made and hurried away to fill the order for the two men.

"Whatever you like,"

"What about that gratin?"

"I don't care for things cooked in cheese."

"Well, you pick out the potatoes," said the girl in gray. "Where on earth has that waiter gone?"

"This was the place I meant, after all, where the waiters are inattentive," said the girl in brown at length.

"They waited in some annoyance until the waiter appeared with the order for the next table. He hurried through his duty there, and presently stood once more, hat in hand, expectant besides the girl in gray."

"Bring us that gratin," she began. "Have you decided on the potatoes yet?"

"They discussed it."

"Let's have tomato salad, instead," said the girl in brown.

"All right. Now that waiter has gone again! How annoying!"

The waiter had, in fact, just withdrawn, as the men at the next table had finish and were ready to pay their check.

"I shall never come here again. The waiter has not taken our order yet."

"I told you how they were here," said the girl in brown, complacently.

Both girls bent frowning looks on the waiter until he approached their table again.

"Please take our order at once," said the girl in gray, severely. "Flour mignon, tomato salad and coffee. Would you rather have coffee with your lunch or after, with some crackles and cheese?"

"I don't care. Which would you?"

"As I have to meet mother at two o'clock, I'm afraid I'd better have it with my lunch. Can you tell me the time, waiter?"

"Yes, miss; it is 20 minutes of two."

"Oh, dear me! Hurry the order as fast as you can."

As the waiter departed, the girl in gray said: "It is shameful the way we have had to wait. I shall be awfully late. The inattention of the waiters here is disgraceful."

And the girl in brown agreed with her.—Chicago Daily News.

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Railroad disasters have occurred with alarming frequency in the German empire. It is estimated that the German railways lose \$1,200,000 annually through damages. After the causes and effects of each variety of wreck have been noted it will be the task of the government officials to devise safeguards.

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