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PARK IMPROVEMENT STRONGLY ADVOCATED FOR WESTFIELD

A Citizen of Long Residence Urges
it as Business Economy. This
Town at Present Spending
Practically Nothing

FOR PARK IMPROVEMENT

To the Editor of The Standard:

Dear Sir—For more than a year I have been carefully noting the comments and general trend of sentiment on the question of park improvement in Westfield. In my travels about the country I have studied the conditions in communities the size of our own town. The result as to the latter greatly impressed me for I found that in many instances the order of civic pride elsewhere was: Churches, parks, schools, homes, roads.

In Westfield it seems to be Schools, roads, homes, churches, parks. I am not displeased with Westfield's showing at that, yet it would seem that if we are to be lax in any special thing it should not begin with parks—public breathing spaces. The explanation of apathy on the park question in Westfield is not difficult to find, for most residents of Westfield have lawns, trees and generous grounds surrounding their unusually comfortable homes and therefore do not keenly feel the need of public park spaces. But after all due consideration I found great difficulty in reconciling the absence of public park sentiment in Westfield with the fact that our townspeople insist upon ample park space around each new school building—more space than is required for ordinary playground purposes. "Provide for the children but let the older folks get along as best they may," seems to be the idea.

The splendid church organizations insist upon fine, broad lawns, well treed and shrubbed, although these grounds are used but once or twice each week. However, up to this point the provision for park space about our schools and churches is entirely of a sentimental character and not the result of actual business foresight. But how are we to account for the magnificently kept parks at each of our railroad stations, these parks being prepared and maintained as a cold-blooded business proposition. The Central Railroad of New Jersey has not special love for Westfield, Cranford, Plainfield, Roselle and other places, such as would warrant the setting aside and upkeep of the beautiful parks to be found at these points. If the Central Railroad has found that the beautifying of its station surroundings is a method of economical and profitable advertising, then why should Westfield hesitate longer in regard to beautifying its present eyesore in the very heart of our town. It must, directly or indirectly pay the Central Railroad or it would not do it. We could hardly find the maintenance item in our tax budget.

Most certainly it would prove a great drawing card for those traveling up and down the country looking for a new home town. Auto parties from the Oranges, Montclair, Passaic and beyond, in passing through Westfield southbound, could readily be induced to travel through the town at the new park point. We must not forget that President (then) Taft said upon leaving Westfield after his famous speech here: "This is the most beautiful town I have ever visited and you may well be proud of your splendid trees, fine roads and lovely homes." Nor that Ex-President Roosevelt remarked in his evening speech in Elizabeth after having addressed Westfield citizens in the afternoon: "A few miles up the road (meaning Westfield) I spoke on the grounds of the most beautiful school property I have ever seen and I shall never forget the impression of magnificence I received as we passed through the streets lined with great trees and the delightful truly American homes surrounded with parks."

Westfield is known up and down the state for its progressiveness in the matter of public affairs and should we complete the new park another long step forward will have been taken. A man recently moved here from Plainfield: "Because I like your streets, trees, schools and the average of homes. Everybody here has been praising his town and that the sort of a place I have always wished to live in." I sincerely trust we shall see the new park ready for use next summer and that our children will have adequate playground space provided, including a wading pool and tennis courts. We have had the discussion for a year or more; now let us get to work, finish the park and continue "praising Westfield."

A Taxpayer for Twenty Years

TWO GAMES AT RECREATION PARK TOMORROW.

The Westfield A. A., will meet Cranford A. A. in the morning and the Saurer Motor Company's baseball team in the afternoon, which team claims the championship of Plainfield.

Baseball will play the morning game and the team want to remember the 1-0 game against Cranford two weeks ago. Cowparthwaite or Cranford will face Saurer in the afternoon game.

LETTER CARRIER SERR SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS

Jacob Serr, Jr., died at his home on Broad street on Monday afternoon after an illness which dated from the first part of April of this year. Mr. Serr was in his 35th year and was born in Red Bank, N. J. At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war he joined Company C, Third Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers of Elizabeth. In 1899 he came to this town and worked with his father-in-law at the barber trade. He then took the civil service examination for the position of letter carrier in the post office which at that time was becoming a free delivery office. He was known at the post office as carrier No. 1 and had served in that position for nearly fifteen years. He was a member of the local letter carriers' association.

Fifteen years ago Mr. Serr married Miss Anna Erbeck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Erbeck of Broad street, who survives him. He is survived besides his wife by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Serr, Sr., and a sister, Mrs. Richard Waiters who live at Eatontown and a sister, Mrs. William Hunt, who lives in Newark.

The funeral was held from his late home at 3:30 yesterday afternoon and was attended by a large number of friends and relatives. The service was conducted by Rev. G. Franklin Ream, of the First Methodist Church.

The bearers were all letter carriers and friends of Mr. Serr and were George Clark, Thomas Wells, Philip Winter, Thomas Byrnes, Percy DeLong and Harold Francis, who was a former letter carrier and one of the first ones appointed with Mr. Serr. The interment was made in Fairview cemetery.

Mr. Serr had many friends in the town who, although they knew that he was sick, did not realize that he was so bad and were greatly shocked when they heard of his death.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT HOLDS LAWN PARTY.

The annual picnic and lawn party of the primary department of the Baptist Sunday school was held on the grounds of the church property on Wednesday and was attended by about seventy of the children and mothers.

The picnic and party was under the supervision of Mrs. R. M. French the superintendent who was assisted by Mrs. Thiss, Mrs. Day, Mrs. Bonnell, Mrs. Lady, Mrs. Bogert, Mrs. Church, Mrs. Seward, Miss Louise Hann and Miss Ross. The following larger girls also assisted in the games and other amusements which were provided for the little ones: Elizabeth Powers, Mildred Powers, Nellie Perkins, Hazel Austin, Nellie Becker, Isabel Holmes, Mildred Frazer, Miriam Stocker, Ruth Jackson, Pauline Johnson, Jessie and Alice Winter.

The children enjoyed games until noon when a luncheon was served, after which games were again indulged in. In the afternoon a number of the junior department children were present and enjoyed the games. At four o'clock refreshments were served consisting of ice cream and cake.

Everyone present had a good time, especially the children, among whom were the following: Vivian Frazer, Margery Carpenter, Mary Bonnell, Roberta Rosecrans, Gladys Sorter, Irene Ross, Elsie Becker, Elizabeth Becker, Olive Church, Pearl Rosecrans, Judson Moser, Wayne Johnson, Mildred Dickson, Eugene Powers, Betty Ross, Florence Ross, Hazel Rosecrans, William Austin, Elizabeth Taste, Mildred Taste, Leslie Stocker, Addison Needham, Ruth Titus, Eugene Powers, Mildred Frazer, and Ruth Lady.

SUNDAY SCHOOL HAS CLOSING EXERCISES

At the closing session of the Congregational Sunday School last Sunday before the Summer vacation period, those in attendance were greatly pleased by a visit from members of the Italian Mission accompanied by Miss Starr and Mrs. Wheeler. Several of the children gave recitations and songs in a way that showed very able training, and they received applause from the Congregational scholars, who later joined with them in singing one of the hymns much used by the Mission and which had been printed on a large scroll.

Prizes were awarded to Congregational scholars for the making of Junior Bibles, as follows:

First Grade Helen Todd
Second Grade Genovieve Edmunds
Third Grade Catherine Daniels
Fourth Grade Grace Reaver

The class having the most perfect attendance during the school year was Mr. C. E. Garretson's—97 3-10 per cent.

A new feature of school work was the answering of examination questions covering the year's work.

Thomas and Henry Eastlee of this town, and cousins, became engaged in a fight on the streets Saturday night and as a result were arrested by Officer McNeely and taken to the police station. Before Recorder Springfield on Sunday morning they were fined \$5 each which they paid.

BOARD OF EDUCATION WITHIN ITS RIGHTS

Town Attorney Oliver Opines That
Every Requirement Has Been
Met by The Board

The Board of Education held a special meeting at the Washington school on Tuesday night to hear from Town Attorney Oliver regarding the legal rights of the Board in carrying out the contracts for the erection of the new high school structure. Mr. Oliver advised the trustees that every requirement had been met and that the contracts about to be let corresponded with the terms of the bids. The Board therefore decided to go ahead and execute the contract with the architect and several contractors.

Twenty of the twenty-four sets of bids for the several branches of the work on the building have been decided upon and acting under the advice of Mr. Oliver the Board will proceed to make the contracts subject to the approval of Mr. Oliver. The four parts of the work on which new bids will be asked include plastering, heating, terra cotta work and electrical work.

The Board of Education has \$103,000 to spend for the erection of the new school building. One hundred thousand dollars was appropriated by the people to which is added interest and premium on the bonds. The Board has ascertained that the building can be erected for \$90,000. Work will commence at an early date. There will be no exercises when the ground is broken but an interesting program for the cornerstone laying will be arranged. It is expected that the cornerstone will be laid in September.

WILL BE NO SPECIAL ELECTION

This Year On The Question of
Whether There Shall be a Special
Board of Freeholders in This
County or Not

There will be no special election held this year in this county on the question as to whether there shall be a small board of freeholders or not. Owing to the fact that no petitions were filed on Monday, which was the last day for filing, the election cannot be called. It was expected that there would be some petitions filed with the county clerk as it had been reported that there were some in circulation in the county.

As a result of there not being a special election to vote on this question there will not be any increase in the county budget this year. Had a petition been filed an election would have been set for Tuesday, July 28.

The small board of freeholders has been a bone of contention in the county for a long while and while it has been favored by those living in Elizabeth and a few outside the majority of the voters have been against it as with the small board the representation on the board would not be divided equally and the whole membership of the board would probably have come from Elizabeth, and the other towns would have not been represented.

At the election held on the question some time ago it was carried but the voters at that time did not realize the import of it. But it is thought that if it ever should come to a vote again it would be defeated as the voters are wiser and think that the present board is good enough.

The law calling for a small board of freeholders and a special election in counties where it is wanted is a purely Democratic measure and it is thought the reason no petitions were filed for election this year is due to the fact that the Democratic leaders in the county were afraid it would meet with defeat and did not want to take any chances on getting the party in bad.

MISS HUTCHINSON GIVES INFORMAL DANCE

Miss Ida Hutchinson gave an informal dance last evening at her home, corner of Euclid avenue and Broad street, to a small party of her friends. Among those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rowland, Harry Kniffin, Adolph Ganzel, Lewis Kniffin, Miss Isabelle Walker, Augustus L. Alpers, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Plerson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Darby, Miss Carrie Fowler, Miss Elizabeth Fowler, Miss Amy Brown, of New York, Mr. Charles Wendel and Mr. and Mrs. A. McFar Rowland.

In the account of the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist church which was held on the lawn of Mrs. J. S. Burdman on Prospect street last Thursday and at which Mrs. Samuel Burdman was presented with a bouquet The Standard neglected to say that she was also the recipient of a handsome cut glass vase which held the bouquet and which was also the gift of the members of the society.

CANDIDATES ARE LOOMING UP

For the Primary Election in September. Numerous For The
Office of Congressman And
Sheriff. Local Politics Quiet

Although the primaries are more than two months off candidates for the various offices in the county are springing up in every direction and the contest at the primary promises to be lively among the candidates for places on the tickets of both the Republican and Democratic parties.

Nothing has been heard as yet from the Progressive party and it is not known positively whether they will put a full ticket in the field or not.

There promises to be a lively contest on for candidate for Congress from this district. Already there are three candidates on the Republican ticket whose petitions are being circulated: William Stutched of Rahway; Former Congressman Charles N. Foster, of Elizabeth; and J. H. Cabstick, of Morris county. On the Democratic side two candidates have been mentioned. They are present Congressman William E. Tuttle, Jr., of this town and Louis Pierson, of Elizabeth.

For the office of State Senator, Carlton H. Pierce, of Cranford, is being boomed for the office on the Republican ticket and Assemblyman Frank Dobbins, of Rahway, and William A. Leonard, of Elizabeth, on the Democratic ticket.

For County Clerk James Calvert is a candidate for re-election and Sheriff William H. Wright, of Rahway, is mentioned for place on the Republican ticket. No one has yet been mentioned for the position on the Democratic ticket.

For Sheriff there are four candidates for the nomination at the primary on the Republican ticket—George Otto, George J. Stewart, Joseph Neil, of Elizabeth, and Samuel Wilbur, of Plainfield. On the Democratic ticket, Fred Endress, of Plainfield, is being prominently mentioned.

For the assembly the three candidates who ran last fall on the Republican ticket, are being talked of, namely—Mayor H. W. Evans, of Westfield; George Babcock, of Plainfield; and William Groves of Elizabeth. As yet no one has been mentioned by the Democrats for this office.

For the local offices there has been little talk as yet as to who will be the candidates for the office of Mayor and councilmen of either party. It is thought however, that Mayor Evans will consent to become a candidate for re-election on the Republican ticket as he has made good as Mayor during his present term and is entitled to a second term if he wants it. While the Democrats are on a still hunt for candidates for Mayor and councilmen, candidates have not yet been decided upon.

Altogether the primaries promise to be lively both as to county candidates and town candidates and there may be many surprises when the time rolls around.

SUMMER SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

Excellent Opportunity For Pupils
Who Are Back in Their Work
to Catch up With Their Grade

The summer school will open on Monday, July 6, and continue until July 31. Pupils above the third grade may attend this school. Only the common school branches will be taught in the grades. It is the aim of the school so far as possible to meet the needs of individual children. This should be an opportunity for pupils who were absent from school during the year on account of measles.

The following teachers have been engaged: High School—B. E. Martin, mathematics and science; Alice Hartford, English, Latin, German.

Grammar School—Arley S. Ketcham, Principal, John H. McLaughlin, E. A. Roulter, Ira S. Huber and Charles S. Kilbough.

Primary—E. L. Bartschorn, fourth grade. There will be one session daily from 8:30 to 12:30 o'clock. Each hour of recitation will be followed by a half hour of recreation on the playground under the supervision of the Playground instructors. Pupils may be enrolled on the opening day though an early enrollment is desirable.

A MUSICAL TREAT COMING

Mrs. Ray DeWitt Horrick, who is now employed as soprano soloist, and director of music for all the musical activities of the Park Congregational Church in Elmhurst, New York, is to spend next Sunday, July 5, with friends in Westfield, and has been engaged to sing at the Methodist Episcopal Church both morning and evening.

Some two years ago Mrs. Horrick conferred a similar favor upon the Methodist congregation, and her coming again will be esteemed an unusual pleasure by all who have heard her. Every one will be cordially welcomed at both services.

EXPLODING DYNAMITE TO DRAIN SWAMP

Town and County Officials
Witness Experiment at Miller's
Pond near Woodland Avenue
and Broad Street

Representatives of the Union County Mosquito Extermination Commission and local officials were interested witnesses of a test given Wednesday afternoon to determine the practicability of draining ponds and swamps in this section by dynamite.

Heretofore the Union County Mosquito Extermination Commission has been carrying on drainage work to eliminate mosquito breeding places by the usual methods of drainage and filling in. The Commission was advised by the State Geologist, Dr. H. B. Kimmel, of Trenton, N. J., and Professor Lewis, of Rutgers College, that the character of the soil in this section was such that no feasible plan of under drainage could be devised. About a month ago Mr. Bertram Ball of the Germantown section of Westfield, a sculptor by profession, who has carried on experiments with dynamite for some years, brought to the attention of the officials of the County Mosquito Extermination Commission, the method of under-drainage with dynamite, and agreed to furnish proof of the effect in this method at the test held yesterday.

Mr. Ball has taken borings of the soil through that entire section of Westfield, and has been able to strike water bearing gravel under the hard clay top soil, at depths from 2 feet to 23 feet. Mr. Ball, on Wednesday, bored to a depth of 12 feet at the edge of Miller's Pond in the woods north of Woodland avenue and north of Broad street. Fifteen sticks of dynamite were then let down through those borings and exploded at the bottom, 12 feet underground. The resulting hole and the loosening of the gravel far down underground, are expected to drain off the water in the course of a few days, as the hard clay top soil seems to have thoroughly fallen away, so as to let the water get into the porous gravel underneath.

This new method of drainage, if found to be satisfactory in other sections of the county, will reduce the cost of drainage work being carried on by the County Mosquito Extermination Commission in co-operation with the various property owners throughout the county. It is expected, that swamps which would formerly require an expenditure of several hundred dollars for drainage and filling in, can now be eliminated at the cost of a few days labor and a few sticks of dynamite, provided the general nature of the soil is such as to make effective this method of under-drainage, literally blowing the bottom out of the swamps.

Those in the party who witnessed the preliminary test at the Miller's Pond yesterday, included Mr. F. C. Gordon, President of the Mountainside Borough Board of Health, R. W. Gles, Chief Inspector of the Union County Mosquito Extermination Commission, Health Officer Andrew Carney and Town Engineer Vars. Mayor Henry W. Evans was prevented from attending the test of this new method of drainage by business engagements.

NOISY LOCOMOTIVES DISTURB RESIDENTS

Constant Shriek of Whistle as
Trains Pass Through Town a
Nuisance. Mayor and Board
of Trade to Take Matter up
With Railroad Officials

That the shrieking of the whistles of the locomotives in the Central Railroad of New Jersey as they pass through this town is becoming unbearable is evidenced by the numerous complaints which are daily heard from the residents who live in the vicinity of the railroad and especially those living in the Fourth ward. The engineers in charge of the locomotives do not seem to have any sympathy for the people and keep blowing the whistle from the time they get within hailing distance of the town until they are out of sight. The blowing of the whistles is not so bad in the day but at night and in the early hours of the morning when the freight trains are passing through, the whistles are a nuisance as they wake the residents out of their sleep and work on their nerves.

For a long time the whistle of the locomotive was somewhat muted but it became worse again and the unbearable shriek of these whistles are a great annoyance to those who live close to the tracks where the trains pass.

The attention of Mayor Evans and the Board of Trade has been called to the nuisance and they will take the matter up with the railroad officials and it is hoped that it will soon be abated.

GLORIOUS FOURTH HERE TOMORROW

Will be Celebrated in Quiet Manner. Many Sporting Events.
Carnival at Cranford

The Glorious Fourth will be here tomorrow and although it will not be celebrated to any great extent in this town there will be numerous celebrations nearby which will attract residents from here.

The day promises to be a safe and sane one here as the ordinance which was passed by the council some years ago will be rigidly enforced by the police and the noise of the bursting giant firecracker and cannon will not be heard. Many residents will have private displays of fireworks at their homes in the evening and the small boy as usual will show his patriotism by shooting off the toy pistol and the small firecracker and with these he will have to be content as the ordinance of the town prevents him from making further outburst of his patriotism and enthusiasm.

There will be sports galore. At the Westfield Golf Club there will be golf events, day and night tennis and in the evening there will be an informal dance.

All the tennis courts in town will be occupied and the various clubs will have several matches and tournaments.

At Recreation Park there will be two baseball games. In the morning the Westfield A. A., will cross bats with the Cranford A. A. and in the afternoon with the Saurer nine of Plainfield.

Down at Cranford there is to be a big time where the annual carnival will be held and this will be an attraction for a large number of the residents of this town. The carnival will begin in the afternoon when there will be sporting events and canoe races on the Cranford river. In the evening the main feature of the carnival will take place and will consist of a parade of the canoes along the river. They will be decorated and made to represent various designs and as years past this carnival has been a very enjoyable and successful affair it is said that the one to be held tomorrow will eclipse all previous ones and that provisions will be made to accommodate a large crowd than ever before in attendance.

HIGH HONOR FOR WESTFIELD

Supreme Councilor James of Loyal
Association to Make First
Official Visit to Local Lodge

Union Council, Loyal Association, will be visited on July 16, by the newly elected Supreme Councilor George N. Jones, of Rutherford, accompanied by Grand Councilor William C. McKeever. This will be the first official visit of the Supreme Councilor to any subordinate Council since his election in June.

A visit from the Supreme Councilor is a high honor and Westfield is most fortunate in having the distinction of the initial visit. From present indications there will be quite a number of initiations and the Orator promises a novel form of entertainment well worth the members sharing in. Full particulars will appear in The Standard later.

WESTFIELDER APPOINTED SEALER.

Istae Seely has been appointed Sealer of Weights and Measures for Union County to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Augustus Schwartz, resigned to take position of Asst. to the State Sealer of Weights and Measures at Trenton.

Mr. Seely's appointment takes effect August 1. Mr. Seely was recently appointed on the Board of Assessors of Westfield by Mayor Evans to take the place of Charles H. Appleby who resigned.

Big Eight Sunday School Excursion, July 16.

The thirty-third annual Big Eight Sunday School Excursion to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove will take place on Thursday, July 16. The schools which will comprise this excursion are Presbyterian, Baptist, Willow Grove, Mountside and Branch Mills Sunday schools of this town the Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal Sunday schools of Scotch Plains.

The excursion train will leave at 8:25 A. M., and returning from Asbury Park will leave there in two sections the first one at 6:10 P. M. and the other at 8:50.

Ten hours will be spent at the seashore and as in former years it is expected that there will be a large number of people who will avail themselves of this excursion.

GERMAN CHARGED WITH CUTTING SHRUBBERY.

John Johnson, a German, was before Recorder Springstead last Sunday morning on a complaint made by Dr. C. M. Egel, of Elm street, who charged Johnson with having cut shrubbery vines and flowers on his property amounting to about \$150. Johnson had been employed by Dr. Egel for nearly four years and last month was discharged because he wanted to do something contrary to the doctor's wishes.

On the night of May 27 the shrubbery was cut and the evidence pointed to Johnson, as the way the flowers and other things were cut showed that someone familiar with the flower beds and grounds had done the trick. Doctor Egel notified the police and they went up to the property and took measures of the footprints. Johnson admits that he was in this place on May 27th and put some money in the bank but denies that he cut the shrubbery and flowers. He was put through a severe questioning by the Recorder but would not admit that he did the job.

The Recorder after trying every way to get him to confess had him locked up again. Later he was held to await the action of the Grand Jury as it is the general opinion of the police officers and Recorder that he is the man who did the cutting. The flowers which were cut were very expensive and some of them had been imported by the doctor for his own use.

Well Known Character Sent To Muhlenberg Hospital.

Henry Chevanter, a well known character in this town, was taken to the Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, last Sunday. Chevanter has been employed by the town in cleaning the streets of stray paper and other rubbish for some time and Sunday morning went to the police station and told the officers there that he was all in. The officers got in touch with Mayor Evans, and he with Dr. Harrison and other town officials had a conference and it was decided to send him to the hospital until another place can be found for him.

Chevanter has been a resident here for a good many years and owns a small house on North avenue where he lived. It is said that he has a considerable amount of money in the bank. He has always claimed that he was the inventor of the toy balloon and that the patent and rights were stolen from him.

He is a Frenchman by birth and has been a well educated man in his day, but of late years has been a little strange. He has always been a hard worker. His wife left him several years ago and he has never heard from her since. He has a son living in New York City and he had just recently returned from a visit here.

COUNCIL AWARDS BID FOR BOND ISSUE.

The town council held a special meeting on Monday night at which the bid for the recent issue of bonds of the town was awarded to J. A. Rippl of New York. The bid of this firm for the whole amount of the issue was \$129,654. The total amount of the issue was \$129,654 and the premium which the town will receive from the sale of the bonds will amount to \$2,654.30.

Mayor Evans presided at the meeting and Councilmen Allcock, Wilcox, Davis and Casey were present.

Abram's Insurance Agency Provides Real Service.

In a recent storm the chimney on one of the Pearsall Company houses was struck by lightning. The Pearsall Company always insures through the agency of H. L. Abrams. Mr. Abrams was notified and he immediately phoned to the companies interested and they told him to have the chimney repaired or replaced at once and send in the bill.

Mr. Abrams got on the job at once and the next day the best mason in Westfield got busy on the work. That's real insurance service, no quibbling with the insurance people. Results count. Adv.

TO BECOME A BENEDICT TOMORROW NIGHT.

Gustave Benson, the Broad street theatrical artist, will become a benedict tomorrow night when he will marry Miss Marie Johnson, of New York.

The wedding will take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wainberg on North avenue and will be performed by Rev. Abel Ahlqvist, of Montclair. The couple will be married.

After the ceremony they will go for a short wedding trip and upon their return will go to housekeeping in the new home which Mr. Benson has erected on Pleasant Place.

COUPLE CELEBRATE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Austin, of North avenue, celebrated their eighth wedding anniversary at their home on Sunday. There were a large number of relatives and friends present to help them commemorate the event.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin were married June 28, 1906 in the church of the Immaculate Conception at Somerville by the Rev. M. A. Hognard.

HORSES RUN AWAY.

A spirited team of brown horses attached to one of R. H. Macy's delivery wagons ran away in Broad street Friday afternoon. The horses in their wild run caused the heavy delivery wagon to sway and it narrowly missed hitting an automobile owned by John J. Kelley of North avenue.

The horses started from in front of Hutchinson's store and was stopped near the corner of Grand and Prospect streets by Charles Meyers and William Musker.

Fanwood

The Borough Board of Health will meet in Fanwood Hall on Monday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Kyte, of Martine avenue, has returned from a visit in Canada.

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Miss Virginia Glover, of New York, has been visiting Miss Claire Hall, of South avenue.

Robert Anson, of Park avenue, is recovering from his recent attack of scarlet fever.

Erich Parml, of Mantoloking, visited relatives on Martine avenue, on Friday last.

Miss Ella Fancher, of Martine avenue, has been visiting relatives in Somerville.

Miss Viola Garda, of North avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

Miss Ethel Hilpert, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends on Martine avenue, yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Reeder, of Martine avenue, has been visiting Mrs. Harriet Edmonds, of Mount Hope.

Mr. Kenneth Storr, of Round Brook, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Storr, of Depot Circle.

C. A. Briggs is now representing the H. C. Lockwood Company at the local office on South avenue.

The Fanwood Tuesday Afternoon Literary Club has discontinued its meetings for the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. James Devine, of Tiltonson road are the proud parents of a baby boy, who arrived last Friday.

The Camp Fire Girls were entertained by Miss Beatrice Head, at her home on Mountain avenue, on Wednesday afternoon.

The Saturday Night Club will not hold an entertainment tomorrow evening in Fanwood on account of the holiday observance.

Mrs. E. J. Rhodes, of Midway avenue, entertained a number of her friends at an informal party last Thursday evening.

Miss Beatrice Head, of Mountain avenue, left yesterday for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Joule, in Newark.

Miss Anna L. Little, of Scotch Plains, teacher of the eighth grade in Borough School No. 1, has enrolled in the summer school at Rutgers College.

Mrs. James Carter, of North avenue, entertained the members of the Ladies Aid Society, of All Saints' Episcopal church at a porch party on Wednesday afternoon.

A number of local people plan to attend the carnival on the Cranford River tomorrow evening. The athletic meet in Plainfield will attract a number of Fanwoodites to Parker field.

Miss Elizabeth Babcock, Miss Rose Thorne and Miss Marie Bolse, of the borough are attending the conference being held at Northfield, Massachusetts.

The annual excursion to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, known as the "Big 8", from this place will be held on Thursday, July 16th. All the Sunday schools of the township will participate in the excursion.

Both Fanwood graduates of this year's class of the Plainfield High school plan to pursue further studies. Miss Catherine Russell plans to take a post graduate course in the high school, and Miss Emily Garda will enter the Newark Normal School this fall.

Fun for the Children.

A peculiar event which took place at Florence, Italy, was an annual marble scramble, held through the generosity of a local manufacturer. Many children gathered and "scrambled" for first a pallet of marbles, then \$5 in change, candy (for girls only) and finally ten dozen baskets of hot fudge. The scramble was followed by the annual baby show.

Orange and Lemon Trees.

An orange tree will sometimes produce 2000 oranges, while a lemon tree seldom yields more than 2,000 lemons.

ROUTINE SESSION OF COUNCIL.

The July meeting of the Fanwood borough council was held on Wednesday evening in Fanwood Hall. Mayor Hogg presided and the following routine business came before the meeting:

The audit and finance committee reported a balance of \$2,199.48 in the borough treasury. This committee also reported that all the delinquent taxes but one had been paid. The committee on streets, roads, and sidewalks reported progress in regard to ascertaining the approximate cost of street signs for the borough. Three manufacturers have submitted prices and a fourth has promised quotations. The lights, fire and water committee reported the receipt of a communication from the Eureka Fire Hose Company stating the condition of and needed repairs on the lengths of old hose recently sent them by the local fire company. This matter was referred back to the committee for action.

The committee on poor and police reported progress in regard to a day marshal to be paid by fee, and was given power to go ahead in this matter. The committees on rules, regulations and ordinances, and printing and stationery had nothing to report.

The following bills and claims were received and ordered paid: Standard Oil Company, on car of No. 4 petroleum road oil, \$113.11; Central railroad, freight on car of road oil, \$29.82; A. D. Becken, two tax books, \$10.50; Public Service Electric Company, street lights for June, \$109.03; W. J. Logan, repairs on bicycle \$1.65, salary \$75.

It was reported that the local postmistress, Miss Carrie Holman expects to resign, and that if some one is not appointed to the position, there is a likelihood that a rural free delivery will replace the local post office. The examinations for the office took place on June 20th, but local aspirants failed to enter on time. The Mayor and a committee of one will investigate the matter.

Mayor W. H. Hogg, Clerk S. W. McAneny and Councilmen, Fred W. Creegy, A. L. Nichols, O. T. Brown, Augustus Sheelen, F. G. Viner, and Thomas Norton were present. The meeting adjourned at 9 o'clock to meet again on the evening of August 15th.

AMONG FANWOOD CHURCHES

The Lord-a-hand Society will hold no more meetings this season.

All Saints' Guild of the Episcopal church has discontinued its meetings for the summer season.

The regular Sunday school session will be held in the Willow Grove chapel on Sunday afternoon with assistant superintendent Charles A. Bremer in charge.

On Sunday afternoon, the Rev. G. H. Houghton Butler, distributed flowers among the sick in the Metropolitan hospital on Blackwell's Island, where he was formerly chaplain.

The Rev. J. Madison Hare will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday. Sunday school will meet at 9:30 o'clock; Morning service will be held at 10:45, and the B. Y. P. U. meets at 7:30 P. M.

The regular weekly prayer meeting was held in the Methodist church last evening. Services on Sunday will be as usual: Morning service at 10:45; Sunday school at 9 o'clock; Epworth League meeting at 7:15 and evening service at 8 o'clock. The pastor, Dr. H. K. Carroll will officiate.

There will be two celebrations of Holy Communion by the Rev. G. H. Houghton Butler, at All Saints' Episcopal church on Sunday morning, at 7:30 A. M., and also at the 11 o'clock service. Hereafter, Holy Communion will be celebrated every Sunday morning at 7:30 o'clock and also at the 11 o'clock service on the first Sunday in each month. The Sunday school will meet as usual.

An Ill Wind.

"If nature had made me an ostrich," said young Mr. Lang, one morning, quite exasperated, "perhaps I could eat your cooking." "Yes, wouldn't that be fine?" replied the wife, "when I would be able to get some new places for my winter hat."—National Monthly.

Woman Suffrage

Pro and Con

Suffrage and Dumb-Bells

Equal suffrage increases women's power to bring about better conditions. When the General Federation of Women's Clubs endorsed the principle at its recent Biennial in Chicago, all accounts agree that the overwhelming vote for women's suffrage was due not to zeal for the ballot as an abstract right, but to the conviction that it was a thing of great practical use. The Illinois club women have been uncommonly successful in gaining improvements in the past by indirect influence; but they testified that one year of suffrage had shown them the vastly increased power for good which came to them with "the little mechanism of the ballot," as Jane Addams calls it. Women from all the enfranchised States say the same.

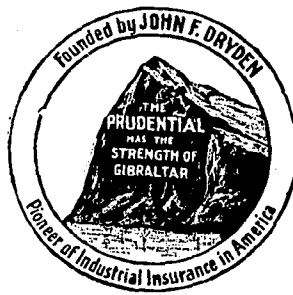
Against this almost unanimous verdict of experience, Eastern opponents of equal rights have nothing to offer except the statement that the laws of some non-suffrage States are better in some respects than the laws of some

suffrage States. This is quite true, but it is nothing to the purpose. It is not claimed that the laws of every suffrage State are better in every respect than the laws of every non-suffrage State; but in every suffrage State the laws are better than they would be in that particular State if women had not the right to vote.

Suppose some one wished to deny the well-known fact that exercise with dumb-bells strengthens the muscles; and suppose she defended her opinion by saying that some people who do not exercise with dumb-bells have more muscle than some people who do. Such an argument would be a childish absurdity; but it is exactly the argument that the anti-suffragists make in these comparisons between the suffrage and non-suffrage States. If a mother wants to find out whether exercise with the dumb-bells is increasing her son's strength, she does not compare his muscles with that of some other boy; she measures his own muscles before he took the training and after. If she finds that he has gained, it would be idle to say to her, "Athletic exercises cannot possibly be

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Father of Dr. F. R. Harvey Who Died About a Week Ago And Who Was For Three Decades The Life of Gouldsboro, Pa.

There passed away in Gouldsboro, Pa., a little over a week ago, William L. Harvey, father of Dr. Theodore R. Harvey, of this town. For three decades or more Elder Harvey had been the life of the town in the famous Pocono Mountain section, and in the wholesale ice trade in this section. In New York and other places he was known as the man who first saw the ice possibilities in the Pocono mountains for shipment to the cities of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York.

He built the first, and several others, of the many ice houses of hundreds of thousands of tons capacity which are now to be found on the top of the mountains from wells this side of Pocono to a point beyond Gouldsboro. He added to the natural resources in the way of ponds by construction work, to which the conformation of the country lent itself readily, and for many years up to June 1 last was the active spirit in the cutting and hauling of ice from three of the largest bodies of impounded mountain spring water in the Pocono section of Pennsylvania.

Harvey's large ponds are known as Gouldsboro, West End and Klondike, and his crop each year, varied by the weather conditions of the winter, ranged from fifty thousand tons of ice to several hundred thousand tons, or a full capacity of his several large houses. Each year found him adding more storage room and improvements in the interior construction of his several plants, which in recent years have been owned and operated as the Lackawanna Mountain Ice Company, in which he held a controlling stock interest. He was the executive officer and general manager until four weeks ago.

Squire Harvey owned and managed the town water supply and owned individually, or in connection with the ice company with which he was identified, many hundreds of acres of the mountain lands surrounding Gouldsboro. He lived a simple, wholesome life, and cared little for anything away from his home town.

His widow survives him, also his son, who is a practicing dentist and a daughter, Mrs. Ellenberger, of Bernton.

of any use, for the boy who sits next to your son at school never took any such training, and yet he is stronger today than your Johnny. "If she were a woman of sense, she would answer that the lad occupying the next seat might be older, or bigger, or might be naturally of a more athletic build than her son; but that systematic training in athletics would add to the strength of any boy, and that all who had tried it had found it so—her son among the rest.

The different States of the Union are like a school of 48 boys, of all ages, sizes and degrees of muscular development. Nine of the younger ones have taken a course of athletic training, in accord with the advice of the best experts. All these have increased their muscle. Since taking the training, all have succeeded in doing some stunts which they were never able to do before. A large proportion of these younger boys have even done some stunts which the great majority of the older boys have not been able to do. Yet the opponents of athletic training insist that it cannot be of any use, because some of the older boys, without such training, have done the same stunts or bigger ones!

Since granting equal suffrage, every one of the enfranchised States has made improvements which it had been unable to make before; and the men and women who took the lead in securing those improvements, from Judge Lindsey down, all testify that equal suffrage strengthened their hands.

—From the Woman's Journal, By Alice Stone Blackwell.

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MORE ON THE RABIES

Hydrophobia Little to be Feared. "Dog Days" False and Misleading
Phrase. Dogs and Their Bites no More to be
Dreaded in Hot Weather Than in Cold

BY EVA L. VAN HOESSEN, SPECIAL OFFICER S. P. C. A.

July 1st, 1914.
To the Editor of The Standard,
Westfield, N. J.

Dear Sir—In the edition of your
paper dated Friday, June 19th, 1914
you printed an article written by H.
H. Butler, D. V. S., of Westfield, N. J.,
entitled "Rabies" in which he described
the various symptoms of Rabies and
enlarges upon the terrible suffer-
ings of dogs supposed to be rabid. An
article such as this seems to me to be
highly dangerous.

To substantiate which assertion I
will endeavor to give you facts relat-
ing to the case.

The name of "Dog Days" is to be
heard mentioned by the profession
and laymen as well. Hardly any
phrase in the English language is
more misleading or has done more
cruel injury to man and beast than
this. By the "dog days" people un-
derstand the period of great heat oc-
curring chiefly in July and August, in
which they suppose that dogs are in
a peculiar danger of rabies, and that
human beings are therefore in a pecu-
liar danger from the disease of hydro-
phobia, which is supposed to be com-
municated by the bite of a rabid dog.

The consequence is that any dog
which may happen to be suffering
from any disease whatever during the
"dog days" is at once set down as
"mad." A frightened dog cruelly pur-
sued by thoughtless children with the
cry "Mad dog" is regarded with ter-
ror and often brutally killed. Any re-
port of a case of rabies, however ill-
founded it may be, is at once com-
municated to the newspapers, and
through them spreads consternation
among hundreds of thousands of ner-
vous people, sometimes, as we shall
presently see, causing them to expe-
rience the very symptoms which are
supposed to accompany hydrophobia.
When it actually happens that a
human being is bitten by a dog, he
is at once assumed to be in danger of
hydrophobia, and he very often re-
sorts to expedients of prevention or
cure which are much more liable to
induce a simulated hydrophobia than
to prevent or cure the reality.

Now, the very first observation we
have to make on this subject is that
there are no such days in the year's
calendar as "dog days." There are no
days on which, and there is no kind
of weather during which, a dog is
peculiarly liable to rabies. Rabies is
a rare disease in all seasons of the
year and there are no more cases of
rabies in July and August than in
December and January. It follows,
therefore, that there is no more reason
to dread our family friend, the dog, in
hot weather than in cold, and no more
reason to dread hydrophobia from his
bite at one time of the year than any
other. The phrase "dog days" is a
false and misleading phrase which all
humane persons ought to avoid in the
interest of the dog.

They ought equally to avoid the
phrase in the interest of human be-
ings; for we shall presently show that,
greatly and cruelly as dogs have been
made to suffer from the general dread
of rabies, it is more than probable
that human beings have been even
more extensively and more cruelly af-
flicted by the terror of hydrophobia.
The object of the present article is
chiefly to remove, as far as possible,
the pernicious and utterly unfounded
terror which has produced such in-
jurious and often cruelly fatal results.

First of all, then, we undertake to
show that genuine hydrophobia is one
of the rarest of all diseases by which
humanity is afflicted, and we might
begin by saying that rabies, the can-
ine disease, from which hydrophobia
is supposed to be contracted is also
one of the rarest diseases of the dog.
Medical men of eminence have not
hesitated to say that there is no such
disease; that no microbe of hydro-
phobia has been found; and that what
we call the microbe of hydrophobia is
found even in the healthy dog, and
therefore can give no assurance in
diagnosis. In a paper read before the
American Neurological Association at
Philadelphia, Dr. Irving C. Rosse, P.
R. G. S., did not hesitate to speak of
hydrophobia as a purely imaginary
disease, with no more reality to rest
upon than the imaginary witchcraft
which was punished with death in
New England not so very long ago.
Dr. Rosse said that during many years
of travel he had made diligent inquiry
of the oldest practitioners of cases of
hydrophobia which had fallen under
their observation. Many of them told
him that they had never seen a case,
and the result of his own experience
and inquiry had been "about as fruit-
less as the search for well authenti-
cated instances of shark bites," which
he had spent years investigating. Dr.
Rosse stated many facts confirmatory
of his own experience. In Asia Minor
and Constantinople, where pariah
dogs abound, one never hears of hy-
drophobia.

It is known in Japan and Korea,
where there are more dogs than in
any other country. In Germany it is
seldom heard of; not a case has been
recorded in Berlin in many years. In
London, with five and a half million
inhabitants, only one case was reported
in 1892, and of the eight thousand
stray dogs which were captured, not
one showed symptoms of rabies. The
statistics of New York for thirty-five
years (says Dr. Rosse) show nine
years in which no death occurred, and
two successive years in which there
was not one. This statement, how-
ever, falls far short of what Dr. Rosse
might have said.

During the thirty odd years of the
existence of the American Society of
the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals
there has been no single well-estab-
lished case either of rabies or hydro-
phobia. This experience of our So-
ciety which makes it a point to look
into all reports of rabies and hydro-
phobia is confirmed by the experience
of the most eminent physicians. Dr.

London Carter Gray publicly stated
before the New York Academy of Med-
icine that "there was not a neurolog-
ist in New York who had seen a case
in his practice." Dr. Birdsall said
that he had never seen a case of rabies,
but that he had seen cases of simulat-
ed hydrophobia from fright excited by
the bite or scratch of a dog. Dr. H.
P. Louis said that of 20,000 necropsies
at Bellevue Hospital, eight cases of
alleged hydrophobia showed no
gross pathological lesion. Dr. Chas.
W. Dulles, of Philadelphia, examined
seventy-eight cases of supposed hydro-
phobia and pronounced the great ma-
jority of them to be utterly incredible
and wholly spurious; and it is a re-
markable fact that no one "has yet
claimed the large money award of-
fered by various kennel clubs and
several physicians to any one pro-
ducing a well-authenticated case of
hydrophobia in man or beast."

It is hardly necessary to say more
on this subject, and yet it may be
advisable to do so, because the popu-
lar belief in hydrophobia amounts so
nearly to a superstition that it can
probably be suppressed by nothing but
superabundant evidence. When we
read of cases of hydrophobia, what we
have already said may be sufficient to
cast some discredit upon them, but
when all the symptoms popularly sup-
posed to be connected with that fell
disease do actually occur, what is to
be said against this? When a man
or woman is writhing in agony and
gives every symptom of hydrophobia,
shall we say that all this horrible
suffering does not exist? Surely not.
And yet, those very symptoms, even
when they are most awful, may be
and often are, the product of a disor-
dered and super-excited imagination.
When man thinks of food, his mouth
waters, because nature supplies saliva
not only to food, but to the very
thought of food. Nothing is more
curious than this response of the phys-
ical system to the operations of the
mind.

Dr. Matthew Woods, in an admir-
able pamphlet on Mimed Diseases,
speaks of the familiar fact that "at
the close of many discourses delivered
from the Chair of the Practice of
Medicine, the professor is privately
consulted by students suffering from
all the symptoms described; and this
imitative peculiarity is not limited to
such ailments as disease of the heart,
but some have been known to become
incapable of motion and sensation on
the right or left half of the body, dur-
ing a realistic lecture on cerebral apoplexy;
others seized with violent pain in
the knee" during an elucidation of
the symptoms and pathology of Pott's
disease, while there are reports of
students acquiring all the subjective
symptoms of dislocation or fracture,
because of the impression made upon
their minds by the lecturer while dis-
cussing these surgical states."

Physicians and philosophers per-
fectly understand the effect of "ex-
pectant attention" which has been the
cause not only of individual diseases,
but of marvelous epidemics in various
parts of the world. Dr. Woods believes
hydrophobia in human beings to be
a mimetic disease caused by expec-
tant dread, and not by inoculation
with the virus of a rabid animal.
There can be no soundness, he says,
in a disturbed mind or in a disturbed
body, and he adds the question, "Can
we not hope for the time when hydro-
phobia" also may be relegated to the
limbo of abandoned vagaries?"

Dr. Woods has shown only that the
subjective symptoms of disease, and
even of the dislocation of joints or
the fracture of bones, are often in-
duced by imagination, and that the
influence of expectant attention does,
in fact, cause not only individual suf-
fering, but fearful epidemics. This
conclusion is legitimate that the in-
fluence of imagination and expectant
attention in a person who has been
bitten by a dog and is in terror of
hydrophobia may induce the sym-
ptoms of that disease. All such cases
must, of course, be clearly distinguish-
ed from genuine hydrophobia, if, in-
deed, there is such a disease—that is
to say, the rabies of the dog trans-
ferred to the human body. But is
there, in fact, any hydrophobia that is
really caused by the bite of a rabid
dog?

Dr. Charles W. Dulles, the eminent
lecturer on the History of Medicine
at the University of Pennsylvania,
"has corresponded on this subject with
most of the distinguished medical men
in Europe." He has been repeatedly
appointed by the Medical societies of
the State of Pennsylvania to investi-
gate rabies. Dr. Woods says that he
has also "performed the almost in-
credible task of investigating, either
personally or by correspondence with
the physician or others in attendance,
every case of hydrophobia reported in
the newspapers of the United States
for the past sixteen years."

The result of all this patient and
conscientious work has not only
brought Dr. Dulles to the conclusion
that "hydrophobia is extremely rare,"
but has also inclined him to believe
that "there is no such specific malady,"
since he has failed, "after sixteen
years of investigation, to find a single
case on record that can be conclusively
proved to have resulted from the
bite of a dog or any other cause." We
need hardly observe that this fact,
for a fact it is, reduces the probability
that any supposed case of hydrophobia
has been really caused by the bite
of a dog almost to zero. And then
this other conclusion of necessity fol-
lows, that the cases of supposed hy-
drophobia which do undoubtedly oc-
cur from time to time are almost, if
not universally, caused by the influ-
ence of imagination excited by dread
of a disease which probably has no
existence. In view of these facts, is
it not a duty to humanity to endeavor
in every possible way to combat the
superstition which dreads hydrophobia
from every over-thought dog in the
dog days? Is it not time for the press
to refuse to publish reports which
tend to spread a disease which is not

rabies transferred to the human sub-
ject, but which is the spontaneous
product of imagination, and is, there-
fore, called by at least one eminent
medical man by the name of "news-
paper hydrophobia."

So, at least, many eminent physi-
cians believe, and among them the
following:
Dr. Parvin, of Jefferson Medical
College, says: "During an experience
of forty-four years as a physician, I
have not seen a case of hydrophobia,
and I am of the opinion that if news-
papers could be prevailed upon to talk
less about it, the number of so-called
attacks of the disease would be greatly
diminished."

Dr. Thomas G. Morton, of the Col-
lege of Physicians, says that during
a period of thirty years as one of the
surgeons of the Pennsylvania Hospi-
tal, he has known of but two cases
of hydrophobia brought there for
treatment, and even these were ques-
tionable.

Dr. Mills, of the University of Penn-
sylvania, says that while he does not
feel justified in saying that hydro-
phobia does not exist, he has taken
special pains to find a clear case in
the human subject, and has not yet
succeeded.

Dr. Hearn, of the College of Physi-
cians and Surgeons, says: I am of
the opinion that the bite of a dog is
no more dangerous than the scratch
of a pin or the puncture of an infec-
tious nail, but because of the exag-
gerated accounts, the picture of hy-
drophobia is so stamped upon the pub-
lic mind that the thought of it, after
being bitten by a dog, throws imagi-
native people into such panics of
nervous excitement that they uncon-
sciously reproduce its supposed sym-
ptoms." After twenty years' practice
in private and in many of the hospi-
tals of Philadelphia Dr. Hearn de-
clares that he has never seen a case
of hydrophobia either in man or dog,
or does he know any other physician
or surgeon who has. Other eminent
physicians and surgeons agree; and
their cases seem to us to be fairly
made out that hydrophobia, in at least
a vast majority of cases, is a disease
of the imagination which stimulates
the characteristics ascribed—and very
inaccurately ascribed, by popular su-
perstition—to the disease called rabies,
when transplanted to the human sub-
ject.

It is fair to suppose that Dr. Butler
would not presume to combat the
statements or evidence of very promi-
nent physicians and surgeons, such
as have been quoted.

Thanking you for your space, I am,
Sincerely,
EVA L. VAN HOESSEN,
Special Officer S. P. C. A.

DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY ELECT OFFICERS.

At the meeting of Pride of Our Flag
Council, Daughters of Liberty, held
last Thursday night, the following
officers were elected for the ensuing
year: Counselor, Mrs. Mary Kuhar;
Associate Counselor, Mrs. J. Ferguson;
Vice Counselor, Mrs. Florence Decker;
Recording Secretary, Miss Mae
Perrine; Financial Secretary, Thomas
Wells; Treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Holmes;
Guide, Mrs. Blanche Hutchings; De-
puty, Mrs. Bertha Frazee.

The local council have sent out cir-
culars to every member calling at-
tention to the big boom meeting to
be held in the council room of Eliza-
beth Council on the evening of Oc-
tober 23, when a big class initiation
will be held; five hundred candidates
are wanted by the order at this meet-
ing.

PUPILS GIVE RECITAL.

The piano pupils of Miss Ruth
Stauffer, assisted by Miss Helen Whit-
ney of Plainfield, soprano gave a re-
cital at the home of Miss Stauffer on
Elmer street last Friday night which
was enjoyed by an audience of fifty
parents and friends of the performers.
The parlors of the house were pretti-
ly decorated with palms and roses.

Piano selections were given by Miss
Madeline Sell, Cecil Crickenberger,
Miss Iva Gilby, Edward Looser, Miss
Nellie Perkins, Waldemar Sell, Miss
Charlotte Looser and Miss Elizabeth
Arneson. Trios were given by Cecil
Crickenberger, Waldemar Sell and Ed-
ward Looser; by Miss Elizabeth Arneson,
Miss Nellie Perkins and Miss Iva Gilby.
Duets were given by Miss
Madeline Sell and Waldemar Sell.
Miss Whitney sang "Love's Awakening,"
by Douglas and "I Hear You
Calling Me" by Marshall.

The playing of the pupils reflected
much credit upon their instructor.
Miss Stauffer was presented with a
handsome bouquet by her pupils. Af-
ter the recital refreshments were
served and a social hour enjoyed.

WILL GO TO EUROPE.

Congressman Tuttle of this town,
has been appointed as one of the
American representatives at the ses-
sion of the inter-parliamentary union
to be held in Stockholm on August
19. Congressman Bartholdt who is
president of the American group made
the appointment.

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When, Oh! When?

The communication from one of our subscribers printed on the front page of this issue puts a new phase on the park issue that makes the strongest sort of an appeal to reason and propriety. Mr. Mayor and Council, you who exhibit such becoming pride in Westfield, what more can be done to show your duty towards this proposition? When, Oh! When, will you wake up and get rid of this unsightly, malarial breeding spot?

Would This Help?

In these days when efficiency and economy are practiced in all departments of social and commercial activities, and the burden of school taxes are growing at so rapid a pace that the whole community is groaning under the load, how long will it be before our school buildings are used more than five hours a day for 200 out of the 365 days in a year, or 1000 hours out of 8760 hours?

We believe that the time will come when an economy of this unused service of school buildings will result in a re-adjustment of the school hours so as to utilize the building for a two session day, say of 4 or 4 1-2 hours per session. Westfield at its present rate is spending about \$25,000 annually for new buildings.

Would it not be a stroke of economy to save this money and go to the little inconveniences in the home of the changed school hours?

Attractive Streets.

Nothing discounts the attractiveness of our streets more than grass and weeds growing in the gutters and road sides. Even some of the streets improved from curb to curb are left neglected by the frontage owners and the beauty of the whole improvement is marred by the grass and weeds.

This should be taken up by our Council and some provision made to rid the streets of our town of this unsightly growth.

By a careful inspection of this matter it is found that the grass and weeds grow on the streets where the macadam is built up to the curb, whereas the streets which have a paved gutter are practically free from such growth. This should be the subject of serious study by the Council to determine whether any more curb to curb improvement that does not include a paved gutter should be laid.

We believe that if this matter is carefully considered by the council that only one policy will prevail in the future.

A Debt-Paying Day.

The fashion of having special days has spread to Oklahoma where they now celebrate "Take it back Day." This is after all not a bad plan.

Possibly some of our housewives might look on such a day with pleasure and a correspondingly number with displeasure for where there is a lender there must be a borrower.

Such a day or, better, an anti-borrowing society, would make for the peace of any town as the habitual borrower and the easy lender seldom hold friendship for long. Mrs. J. send a coffee cup to borrow a cup of sugar and returns the sugar in a tea cup. At least that is the way the easy lender sees it, and thus discord is bred.

Half the Nation Under Prohibition.

By a majority of 92,000 votes, surprising even to the prohibitionists, West Virginia is added to the list of totally "dry" States, making nine where the embargo on the liquor business is State-wide. The others are Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, Tennessee, Maine, North Dakota, Kansas and Oklahoma.

Adding to these States the many counties, cities and towns

where local prohibition prevails, we now have in the United States 2,132,726 miles of officially "dry" territory, in which dwell 46,029,750 persons, or very close to one-half of the population of continental United States. —Newark Star.

Good News!

Necessity of Water Drinking.

Civilized man throughout the world has learned the necessity of eating at fixed times of the day and has arranged his daily life accordingly. He does not, however, seem to appreciate that to maintain health it is equally essential to drink freely of pure water.

The medical profession fully realizes, and every physician in active practice has it impressed upon him almost daily, that there is insufficiency of water drunk by the majority of men and women.

Water is needed to aid the working organs of digestion and for the requirements of circulation. It is needed to replace the water that the body constantly loses through the skin and lungs as well as through the kidneys.

It is needed no less to help in the solution and removal of various substances which form in the body and are harmful if allowed to remain long or in a concentrated form.

To satisfy these demands a healthy man or woman should drink a pint of pure water, at a temperature of about 60 degrees, upon awakening in the morning, another pint about an hour before the mid-day meal, a pint before the last meal of the day and still another before retiring for the night providing it is at least three hours after eating.

Flooding the stomach with water at meals is most injurious. Much ice water is highly irritating to the mucous membrane of the stomach.

Taken with meals it often arrests the working of the digestive glands and causes an acute indigestion that frequently proves very serious with the delicate and aged. The habit of drinking water should be as regular as that of eating.

Liquid foods and various beverages will not take the place of pure water or only to a very limited extent. Babies need it and are apt to suffer for the want of water given at regular intervals.

Finally, it is worth remembering that the free drinking water is one of the greatest deterrents to the abuse of alcohol.

Reducing Costs of Distribution.

Social economists, in the effort to find the causes of high cost of living, are giving more and more attention to the expense of distribution. It is being realized that our machinery for delivering the products of the farm and the mill to the consumer is very crude and bungling. On a great many articles the price the consumer pays is multiplied two or three or more times from the value at the farm or at the factory.

This high cost of distribution is not largely in railroad rates. It is in handling over too many times, and still more in piecemeal handling in too small quantities.

It is probable that the system of distribution through a very large number of little retail stores is largely to blame. The small store, doing a little business, with overhead charges high for the total proceeds, has to charge up too large a sum as the cost of clerk hire, rent, insurance, etc.

Any retailer can meet the need of the times by enlarging his business, and reducing overhead charges, and sales expense, dividing up these charges into a bigger volume of sales. When a retailer doubles his business, it does not usually happen that he doubles his expense for salespeople, rent, etc. He can then afford to sell cheaper.

The retail business of the future will probably be more concentrated. Not into department stores in the large cities, but into enterprising, hustling stores serving the local community so well that they get a big business at home.

The way to get this larger business, and thus help the consumer meet the cost of living, is to conduct systematic campaigns of advertising. Any business can in this way grow to a size where it will become an efficient and economical distributing machine. Try it Mr. Merchant! Thereby you will go with the current of the times, instead of against it!

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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

Congregational Church.

Public worship Sunday morning at 10:30. Dr. S. L. Loomis will preach. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Mid-week meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Boys Brigade Drill Friday evening at 7:30.

First Baptist Church.

Regular church service Sunday morning at 10:30. Rev. Chas. T. Snow will preach. Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock. Junior Society will meet at 3:30 P. M. Young Peoples Society meets at 7 P. M. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

First M. E. Church.

10:30 A. M.—Morning Worship, Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and Address—"Peter's Remorse." 12:00 M.—Sunday School. Missionary Service and Offering. 6:20 P. M.—Boys' League meeting. 7:00 P. M.—Epworth League. 7:30 P. M.—Organ recital. 7:45 P. M.—Evening Worship and Sermon—"Making the Start." Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. G. Franklin Ream, pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday service in the morning at 10:30. Rev. W. J. Stearns will be in charge. Bible School meets immediately after the morning service. Evening worship at 8 o'clock. Young Peoples Devotional meeting in the Parish House at 7 o'clock. Regular weekly drill of Boys Brigade Drill Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M. every Sunday. Second Sunday in the month a second celebration at mid-day. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M. Rev. W. Northey Jones, Rector in Charge.

Adeline Burton.

Mrs. Adeline Burton, wife of John Burton, of Jerusalem road, died on Monday at the Muhlenberg Hospital, in Plainfield. Mrs. Burton was 52 years old and besides her husband is survived by one daughter, who lives in Brooklyn. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from St. Luke's A. M. E. Zion church on Downer street and was conducted by Rev. J. H. Adams, the pastor of the church. Interment was made in Fairview cemetery.

Phebe E. Burrows.

Widow of William T. Burrows, and sister of Mrs. T. J. Woodring, died at her home, New York City, June 17th, 1914, after several months illness; three daughters, Maud, Katharine and Mrs. Brackett and a son-in-law, her father, three brothers and three sisters survive her. Interment was made in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, New York, June 20th.

Antiquity of Geology.

Authentic evidence has been found which carries geology back, as a human study, as far as the bronze age. Herr O. Moros claims that he has discovered that fossils were intelligently collected at that remote period of European history. In a cinerary urn of that age, he has found two or three specimens of each of 68 species of fossil shells, with some of the modern Mediterranean shells for comparison. —Independent.

Ant an Enemy of Mankind.

Ants are not only a nuisance, but are capable of transmitting disease, and some varieties are deadly. Current medical literature cites the case of a child that was left alone, sought amusement in a hill of red ants, and was stung to death. It is stated that white ants have done incalculable damage to the walls and flooring of the Smithsonian building in Washington. A few specimens that were imported from South America for experimental purposes escaped and have multiplied to countless billions.

FEMALE STARS

AT CRANFORD.

The Cranford A. A., will play the Champion Female Stars on July 5th, at Cranford, on Burnside avenue field. Miss Lulu Wilson who struck out John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants last week, will pitch for the girls and May Jones, known as female home run Queen will catch. Game called at 3:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fitch are visiting in Massachusetts.

R. C. Davies and family of Westfield avenue, have gone to Pennyan, Pa. for a visit.

Mrs. J. W. Wall, of Central avenue, is spending a few days vacation at Atlantic City.

Mrs. L. Happ, of Broad street, is entertaining Mrs. Drew, George Drew and Miss E. Case, of Port Jervis, N. Y.

Norman Nelson of Rahway avenue, entertained a number of friends at his home last night in honor of his birthday.

F. W. Ford of the General Accident Company, of Boston, has rented of Mrs. F. E. Browne, the property of John Goltra on Park street, and with his family will take possession the last of this month.

In the obituary notice of Mrs. Ann Amelia O'Brien in the Standard last week, the name of Patrick Traynor appeared as one of the bearers. This was an error as the name should have been Frederick J. Turner instead.

During the month of July the services at St. Paul's church will be in charge of the Rev. W. Northey Jones, of the diocese of Pennsylvania. The evening services at this church have been discontinued for this month and next.

Mrs. H. Miller, of 421 Central avenue, will return home today after spending nine weeks with her son, Mr. Louis L. Miller of Madison, Wis., and her daughter, Mrs. Walter H. Pfeiff of Chicago. Mrs. Pfeiff will accompany her mother to Westfield and will spend the summer months here.

Bee's Favorite Color.

The late Sir John Lubbock, one of the most noted authorities on bees, proved by long observation and repeated experiments that blue is the favorite color of the bee, and that next after blue come, in order of preference, white, yellow, red, green and orange. Sir John determined the fact that a bee visits about 25 flowers per minute, and that it always keeps to the same species of flower during each visit to the fields.

Exterminate the Cockroach.

The cockroach acts as an insect porter of typhoid fever, bubonic plague and possibly cancer. Several years ago an epidemic of typhoid fever on a United States warship was proved to be propagated by cockroaches. In a recent issue of the London Lancet, Dr. W. Melville Davison calls attention to the fact that the cause of cancer may be an alga or vegetable micro-organism which is found in the intestines of several species of roaches.

Would Have Been Appropriate.

Seven different names and addresses, each of them false, were said to have been given by a man summoned in an English court the other day for traveling on the Great Eastern railway without paying his fare. The Magistrate—"He did not at any time give the name of Ananias?"

Fact.

You are never so sure of being cured of what ails you as when you laugh at it. A trouble that has become funny is half dead.

Daniel Webster on Liberty

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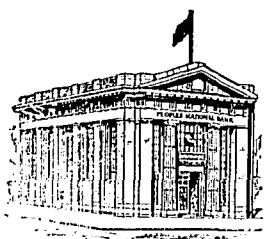
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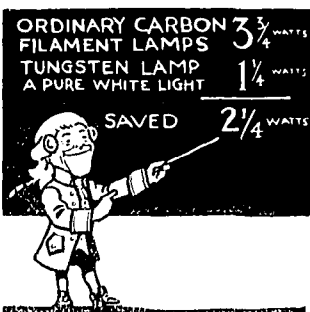
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John Platt has returned from a trip to England.

Miss Helen Collins is visiting friends in Pennsylvania.

Freeholder C. A. Smith has returned from a visit to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Frank Miller of Elm street, is visiting relatives in Rahway.

John McCormack, of Park street is spending a vacation in Maine.

Sergeant of Police John Rosecrans is enjoying a two weeks vacation.

Bert Irving and Guy Dushanek are spending a vacation at Manasquan.

Miss Helen Wilson has gone to Brownsfield, Maine, for a vacation.

Walter Day, of Mountain avenue, is spending a vacation at Hague, N. Y.

Mr. Bailey, of Summit avenue, is spending a vacation at Holyoke, Mass.

Roy Snyder has returned from a three-day auto trip to Massachusetts.

Lewis C. Giles and family are spending the summer at West Hampton.

Mrs. Raymond Miller has returned from a visit with her mother in Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Smith of Kimball avenue are visiting at Chicago.

Mrs. George Morgan, of Stanley Oval has gone to Windsor, Conn., for a visit.

Mrs. Conrad Darsh, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. John Darsh, of Prospect street.

Mrs. E. B. Prouditt and son and daughter are in the Berkshires for the summer.

Judge W. B. Toucey will leave this month for a visit with his son in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hunt of Ross Place, are at Goodspeed, Conn., for the summer.

Tax Collector Clark and family have returned from a vacation spent at Atlantic City.

Mrs. William Erbeck of Broad street, has returned from a visit in New Haven, Conn.

Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Loomis, of Mountain avenue, are at West Barnstable, Mass., for the summer.

W. L. Bunnell and family, of Stanley Oval, are at New Canaan, Conn., for the summer season.

J. S. Foster and family, of Stoneleigh Park are spending the summer at Point-a-Woods, L. I.

E. J. Blake and family of Ross Place have gone to Fork Lake, N. Y., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Abrams, of Prospect street, have returned from a visit at Point Lookout, L. I.

F. W. Cooper and family of Dudley avenue are at Avon, N. J., for the remainder of the summer.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Stinson, of South Euclid avenue, have returned from a trip to Niagara Falls.

Mrs. George Snyder, of Broad street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Washington, N. J.

Mrs. G. W. Baker of Broad street, has been entertaining Miss Rachel Polson, of Bernardsville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. John Darsh will spend the holiday and Sunday at Manasquan.

Mrs. Van Dyke of Tremont avenue, went to Templeton, Mass., on Wednesday for the remainder of the summer.

Herbert L. Abrams has sold for the First Methodist church the mission property on North street to Michael Lance.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Fairbairn and daughter, of Kimball avenue, are at Fulton Chas., N. Y., for the summer months.

Robert Chester King, Jr., arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chester King on Lenox avenue, Friday, June 26.

Herbert L. Abrams, Jr., has sold the J. M. C. Marsh property on Walnut street to George Cammerer, of Rahway avenue.

Mrs. A. P. Chase and son of Charles street are spending the week at Hackensack, N. J.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Parsell, on Rahway avenue, Tuesday morning. Mother and son are doing nicely.

Miss Bertha Hansen, Miss Ella Peterson and Mrs. Hannah Scherer left Saturday for a two weeks vacation at Loch Sheldrake, N. Y.

John E. Brittingham, of Cumberland street, who fell from a cherry tree on Monday of last week and sustained severe bruises is recovering slowly.

Twenty school boys left town on Friday to enjoy camping for eight weeks with Principal D. Ralph Slarry of the Grant school at Cooperstown, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hutchings, Miss Emma Hutchings, Mrs. E. C. Decker and John Utzinger, of this town, and William Stagg, of Cranford are spending the week at Swartzwood Lake, near Newton.

Silas Morgan was given the preference of paying a \$10 fine or spending ten days in the county jail by Recorder Springstead on Friday because he was drunk and disorderly. Morgan took the jail sentence as he did not have the \$10.

Roger Brown, son of Edward N. Brown of Elm street, who has just graduated from Lehigh University, has been visiting his father during the past week. On Wednesday Roger left for Detroit where he has taken a position with a big steel construction company.

Miss Nina MacLean is home from Toronto for the summer months.

Stanley Class, of Ross Place, is spending the summer at Jefferson, N. H.

Mrs. R. M. Smith, Jr., has returned from a visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nicholas, of Harrison avenue, have gone to Porto Rico.

An informal dance will be held at the Westfield Golf Club tomorrow night.

Miss Mary Keppler, of New York avenue, is enjoying a three weeks vacation.

George C. McClintock of Dudley avenue, is spending a vacation at Nova Scotia.

Mrs. W. M. Stewart, of Euclid avenue, is spending the summer at Asbury Park.

C. E. Halsted and family of Dudley avenue, are at Wolfsboro, N. H., for the summer.

Miss Ruth Stevens, of South avenue, is spending the week in New Haven, Connecticut.

Miss Ruth G. Clark, of Austin street, is spending a few weeks at Berkshire Valley, N. J.

James MacLean of Clark street, has returned from a two weeks business trip to Boston.

Miss Emery, of Prospect street, has gone to Belgrade Lakes, Me., for an extended stay.

Dr. J. J. Savitz has gone to Ocean City where he is an instructor in a summer school.

T. H. Ludwig and family, of Clark street, have gone to Maine for the summer months.

William Bachmann and son of Park street, will spend the holiday and week end at Sea Girt.

George and William Howarth, of Mountain avenue, are visiting relatives in Michigan.

Miss Florence Dowling, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. MacLean of 261 Clark street.

Mrs. Abram Allegor, of North avenue, has returned from a visit at Great Meadows, N. J.

E. C. Stoddard and family, of Euclid avenue, have returned from an extended trip to Chicago.

Tax Collector A. H. Clark and family have returned from a vacation spent at Atlantic City.

Miss Jane Morrow of Elmer street, has gone to Pocomo Summit, Pa., where she will spend a vacation.

Miss Ellen Demarest, of Williamsport, Pa., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clark, of Austin street.

The family of Lloyd Thompson will leave next week for Maine, where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. W. J. Anderson and Miss Anderson of the Boulevard, are spending a few weeks at Laxelette, N. J.

Miss Marguerite Smith, of Clark street, has recovered from the diphtheria and is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moore of Edgewood avenue will spend the holiday and week end at Lake Hopatcong.

Mrs. Harry Maceh and daughter, of New York, are the guests of Mrs. Harry Ungerer, of Kimball avenue.

Mrs. W. G. Patterson of Edgewood avenue, returned yesterday from a visit with relatives at Long Branch.

Edwin Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, of Cumberland street, is ill at his home with scarlet fever.

Mrs. C. M. Smith and Miss Bessie Smith, of East Broad street, have returned from a visit in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Maxwell Wagner, of East Hampton, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Michaels of Central avenue.

Mrs. Samuel Johnston and daughters of East Broad street will leave for their summer home in Maine this week.

Miss Lillian Michaels of Central avenue and Miss Mulhall, of New York, are spending their vacation at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones of Prospect street, who have been spending a few days at Ocean Grove have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Schosberger, of the Boulevard, are entertaining Mrs. E. J. Schosberger and daughter, of New York.

Abram Allegor and Miss Minnie Allegor, of North avenue, will spend the holiday and week-end at Washington and Easton.

A young daughter recently arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Erbeck in New Haven, Conn. Mr. Erbeck formerly lived in this town.

W. E. Ahnsworth and family, of 425 Lenox avenue, went to Canada on Wednesday where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. W. G. James who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. S. Mapes, of Prospect street, has returned to her home at Eagle Bridge, N. Y.

Andrew Tompkins, of First street, who has been in the Elizabeth General hospital for several weeks is recovering rapidly and expects to return home.

Mrs. Frank Irach, of Lenox avenue, returned home on Tuesday from New York, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis in a hospital in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Abercrombie, of Lenox avenue, left for Boston this week where, on account of a transfer in business, Mr. Abercrombie will locate permanently.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Ford Pierson is spending a vacation at Netcong, N. J.

Miss Helen Griffiths, of Harrison avenue, is visiting in Buffalo.

J. P. Cowperthwaite and family, are at Old Forge, N. Y., for the summer.

All the stores will be closed tomorrow on account of it being the Fourth of July.

John Platt has gone to Plymouth, Mass., where his family is spending the summer.

Miss Annie Swan, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Millett, of Westfield avenue.

Walter Saunders, of Euclid avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Mystic, Conn.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Moffett, of Princeton, will visit friends in Westfield next week.

The Board of Health will hold its monthly meeting in its rooms in the town hall tonight.

Miss Adele Coddling is spending three weeks in Cincinnati as the guest of a college friend.

A. J. Beckley and family, of Elm street, are at Water Witch, N. J., for the summer season.

Miss Ruth Holmes of West Broad street, spent the week end with friends at Wyoming, N. J.

Mrs. James G. Casey and children, of South avenue, spent Wednesday with relatives at Bayonne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ball and son, of South avenue, took in the sights at Co. r. Island last Saturday.

Mrs. John H. Roy, of East Broad street, went to Athol, N. Y., yesterday where she will remain for several weeks.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Winter former residents of this town, but now of Plainfield on Sunday.

Donald Pearsall and Kenneth Fox will spend the first two weeks of August at the Ithaca House, Lake Hopatcong.

The town council will hold a meeting on Monday night and the Board of Education will hold a regular meeting on Tuesday night.

Lester W. Neefus and family of Ross Place, will spend the coming week on a farm along the Raritan River, near New Brunswick.

Harman Morton, Harold and Budd Townley will go to Camp Klamesha at Fortswood, N. J., on July 10, where they will remain three or four weeks.

Mrs. M. Vanatta and Miss Marie Bechtel, of Bordentown, will spend the Fourth and week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bennett on Elm street.

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SPORTS Baseball. Golf. Tennis.

MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS TOURNAMENT TO BE LARGE.

The first and second rounds in the mixed doubles tennis tournament was played at the courts of the Westfield Golf Club last Saturday and were witnessed by a large gallery. There were some excellent sets played and many close and exciting matches. The summary of the rounds follows:

First Round—Miss H. Gardner and F. G. Smith defeated Miss Katherine Barr and C. T. Clark, 6-0, 6-1; Miss Ray Harrison and H. P. Randall defeated Mrs. W. B. Maie and H. R. Morris, 8-6, 6-2; Miss H. McAuslin and G. J. Morgan defeated Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Burrow, 6-1, 6-0; Miss E. Gladwin and J. E. Nichol defeated Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McAneny 6-4, 6-2; Miss Bastine and Ernest L. Alder defeated Miss Emma Harrison and H. Kyte, 6-2, 6-4.

Second Round—Miss Gardner and F. G. Smith defeated Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Klein, 6-1, 6-0; Miss McAuslin and Mr. Morgan defeated Miss Ray Harrison and Mr. Randall 6-2, 4-6, 6-4; Miss Bastine and Mr. Alpers defeated Miss E. M. Gladwin and Mr. Nichol 3-6, 7-5, 6-3; Miss Helen Gladwin and E. Randall defeated Miss Nichol and C. J. H. Kyte 6-1, 6-4.

The semi-finals and finals will be played tomorrow afternoon beginning at 2:30.

The night tournament in men's doubles will begin on the electric-light courts on the evening of July 4. Entries will be received from early all the tennis clubs within fifty miles of this town.

FOURTH AT THE WESTFIELD GOLF CLUB.

At the Westfield Golf Club tomorrow there will be a medal play handicap for gross and net cups in the morning. Play will start at 8:30. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock one of the prettiest events in golfing will take place. A woman's putting contest with awards for first and second best scores. At four o'clock there will be a Men's Drawing Contest. In the evening there will be a dance and fireworks.

W. R. DAVIS WINNER CONSOLATION CUP.

In the finals for the consolation cup of the second sixteen who failed to qualify for the club championship, W. R. Davis was played off last Saturday by W. R. Davis and G. D. Ralme, the former was the winner.

The match was exceptionally close and Davis had a 2 up advantage for the first eighteen holes and at the 27th both men were on even terms. Davis then went out to play and to win the cup. He made some wonderful shots, coming home a winner by 7 to 5 and 5 to play.

In the June medal play handicap for women at the Westfield Golf Club there were eleven entries. Miss Elizabeth Endel won first prize with a 71 net score. Her score was 47-50-57. Handicap 20; net 71. Miss Hazel Gardner was second 51-60-111 handicap 26; net 85; Miss Katherine Barr third, 66-66-132; handicap 40; net 152.

There were only fifteen entered the sweepstakes event which was won by M. B. Shevily with 67. A. I. Nichols and O. Knight tied for second with 71. W. B. Mable was third with 71.

TENNIS NOTES.

The Stanley Oval Club will hold a mixed doubles tournament on the tennis courts of the club tomorrow. Play will start at 10 A. M. A match is being arranged between the Terrace Park and Beechwood Clubs to be played tomorrow afternoon on the Euclid avenue courts.

Differing Blood Colors.
The crystals of the blood of a white man are extremely small, appearing less than one two-thousandths of an inch in length and are shaped rather like thin bricks. The blood crystals of a negro appear like thin red plates, or long, thin, flat bars, easily distinguishable from those of a white man.

Differentiate Blood Spots.
Medical jurists had until recently no certain means of distinguishing the blood of a man from that of, say, a dog. Research, however, has evolved a new and most subtle process whereby, in the case of fresh blood, at any rate, absolute differentiation can now be achieved.

Distribution.
The longer I live the more I am persuaded that the gifts of Providence are more equally distributed than we are apt to think. Among the poor so little is enjoyed so much, and among the rich so much is enjoyed so little. —Margaret Bottoms.

\$100 Reward, \$100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Catarrh is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up a constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for full particulars. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists. "Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation."

DUNELLEN WINS FROM WESTFIELD

The Eighth Inning Proved to be a Fatal One For Cowperthwaite as The Dunellenits Made Five Runs

By bunching their hits in the eighth inning, the Dunellen ball tossers defeated the Westfield A. A., at Recreation Park Saturday 7 to 2. The score stood 2 to 2 until that frame, and it looked as though the game would go extra innings. Cowperthwaite, however, had apparently used all his "stuff" in the earlier stages of the game, for the Dunellen boys found him for four singles and a triple in this inning. Manager McDonald sent Pearsall to warm up, but it was too late then to save the game. Westfield scored first in the third inning. With two out Recorden doubled to left and Worth singled to centre, the former scoring. On the poor throw-in Worth tallied. Dunellen tied matters in the fifth, singles by Alberts and Giddes and Vallean's error netting two runs. From that inning until the fatal eighth it was a pitchers' battle between Cowperthwaite and Harney. It was a hard game for "Coppie" to lose, considering the fact that he fanned fifteen men. Harney had nothing but an underhand ball, which caused the home stickers to "pop up" continually. The showers before the game put a crimp in the attendance figures. For Saturday Manager McDonald has booked two good attractions at Recreation Park—Cranford A. A., at 10:30, and Saver Motor Company, of Plainfield, at 3:30.

Saturday's scores:
DUNELLEN.
R. H. PO A. E.
Lambertson, 3b 1 2 4 1
DeNizio, 2b 1 2 6 0 0
Wall, cf 1 2 0 0 0
Alberts, lf 2 1 2 0 0
Giddes, ss 1 2 0 3 2
Hannon, lb 0 7 1 0 0
Montross, rf 0 1 1 0 0
Reeling, c 0 0 7 1 0
Harney, p 1 0 2 1 4
7 9 27 11 4

WESTFIELD A. A.
R. H. PO A. E.
Green, 1b 0 2 5 0 0
Taylor, 3b 0 0 1 2 0
Recorden, 2b 1 4 2 1
Worth, cf 1 1 0 0 0
Hamburger, rf 0 0 0 0 0
Douglas, lf 0 1 1 0 0
Vallean, ss 0 0 1 1 1
Hunt, c 0 15 3 0
Cowperthwaite, p 0 0 0 0 0
2 6 27 8 2

Score by innings:
Westfield..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 6-2
Dunellen..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 5-7
Struck out—by Harney 5; Cowperthwaite 15. Base on balls—by Harney 3; Cowperthwaite 3. Three base hit—Montross. Two base hit—Recorden. Stolen bases—Giddes, Alberts, Green. Hinnemberger, Douglas. Passed ball Hunt—Cuppre—Tobin.

Home Influence.
Our home influence is not a passing or an abiding one, and all-powerful for good or evil, for peace or strife, for happiness or misery. Each separate home has been likened to a central sun around which revolves a happy and united band of warm loving hearts, acting, thinking, rejoicing and sorrowing together. Which member of the family group can say, "I have no influence?" What sorrow or what happiness lies in the power of each!—Selected.

Learn to Forget.
Caesar was so ready to forgive that even Cicero, who was by no means a constant friend to him, relates, as a singular proof of his noble heart, that he never used to forget anything except the wrong done to him. Indeed, to pardon is a most beautiful revenge; but to forget is still more beautiful.—Petrarch.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WELL?
Many Westfield People Know the Importance of Healthy Kidneys.
The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. Weak kidneys allow impurities to multiply. No kidney ill should be neglected. There is possible danger in delay. If you have backache or urinary troubles. If you are nervous, dizzy or worn out. Begin treating your kidneys at once. Use a proven kidney remedy. None endorsed like Doan's Kidney Pills. Recommended by thousands. Proved by Plainfield testimony. Thomas Haskard, 927 S. Second Street, Plainfield, N. J., says: "I never hesitate to endorse Doan's Kidney Pills, for my personal experience with them has shown me their merits. Doan's Kidney Pills have relieved me time and time again when I have been suffering from kidney trouble and I owe a great deal to them. You may continue to publish my former endorsement."

Price 50 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the name that Mr. Haskard had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Do Quiz—How did Swift come to be struck by an automobile?
Do Quiz—The suit he had on prevented his hearing it coming.

WHY HE WAS CHEERFUL



Pessimistic Pete (sighing)—Dis is a cold, unfeelin' world. I don't see wot youse so cheerful about, Bill.
Optimistic Bill—Youse don't? Why, ain't dis leap year, an' ain't sum young an' handsome heiness bound ter propose to me widin a month or two?

A MAKE-BELIEVE HEIRESS



Jigson—That beautiful young heiness we met at the seashore last summer is in town now.
Wigson—How do you know?
Jigson—I saw her beating a typewriter in Blackstone's office this morning.

AMONG THE CANNIBALS



"I'm getting pretty hungry."
"So am I; if they don't send missionaries more frequently I'll have to have something to eat between meals."

POOR MAN



He—So your father objects to me because I'm poor. He evidently thinks money is everything.
She Oh! no; you misjudge father; he also says you have no brains.

PRETTY LOUD



Do Quiz—How did Swift come to be struck by an automobile?
Do Quiz—The suit he had on prevented his hearing it coming.

OF COURSE



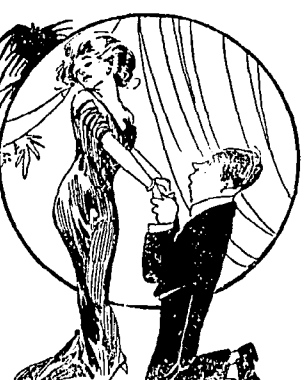
First Man (waiting in barber shop)—That barber is rather fresh, don't you think so?
Second Man—No. I never see him talking to any customer he doesn't know.
First Man—Well, he scrapes a good many acquaintances.

GUESSING AT IT



Max—Let's see, what's the rest of that old sayin, don't you know, that begins, "Man proposes and—" Dax—Why, it's "Man proposes and the breach of promise suit exposes," isn't it?

SARCASTIC GIRL



Hobart—If you refuse me I shall put a bullet in my brain.
Edith—A whole bullet?
Hobart—Of course.
Edith—I see you don't intend to have it go way in.

WHEN TOO LATE

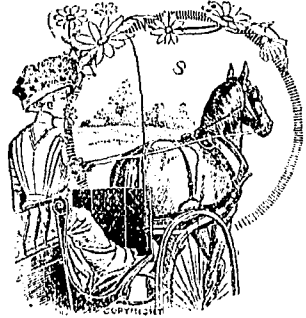


Henderson—When does a man first think seriously of marriage?
Honpeck—About three months after he's married.

SURE THING



The Sentimentalist—All mankind loves a lover.
The Joker—Yes—and guys him.



They Are All Enjoying It now who need fresh air and sunshine by driving through blossom-laden fields and pure ozone in the country surrounding Westfield in a handsome and comfortable rig, secured at BARTON'S. No need of keeping horses when you can hire one at such reasonable figures as you can at BARTON'S.

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One burner or four—low flame or high—a slow fire or a hot one. The

New Perfection Oil Cook-stove

means better cooking at less cost. No coal, no soot, no ashes.

In 1, 2, 3 and 4 burner sizes. Also a new 1914 model—4 burner cabinet oil range with fireless cooking oven. A marvel of convenience and efficiency.

At dealers everywhere, or write direct for catalogue.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (New Jersey) NEWARK

New Jersey Central One Day EXCURSIONS
FOURTH OF JULY Lake Hopatcong \$1 ALSO EVERY SUNDAY until Sept. 6, incl.
Leave Cranford 8:58 a.m.; Westfield 9:08 a.m. All dates.
Mauch Chunk Fourth of July, also Sunday, July 12th \$1.50 Leave Cranford 8:30 a.m.; Westfield 8:38 a.m. All dates.
Atlantic City Sundays, July 5 and 19 Wednesdays, July 8 and 22
Leave Westfield, Sundays, 8:09 a.m.; Wednesdays, 7:59 a.m.
Leave Cranford, Sundays, 8:14 a.m.; Wednesdays, 8:04 a.m.

UP THE HUDSON POPULAR EXCURSION TO West Point and Newburgh EVERY WEDNESDAY until September 9, inclusive VIA New Jersey Central And Hudson River Day Line Steamers
ROUND TRIP TICKETS \$1.30 Direct connection between Train and Steamer at Pier 1, adjoining Passenger Station, Jersey City. Train leaves Westfield 8:08 a.m. (See circulars for other stations.)

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—First Church of Christ Scientist, Grantford, New Jersey, Springfield Avenue and Mill Street. Services Sunday 11 a. m., Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. Reading Room open daily, 2 to 4 p. m. where all Christian Science literature can be obtained. All are welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF CHRIST—Samuel Lane Loomis, D. D., Pastor. Residence 303 Mountain Avenue. Sunday Pleading Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 12 o'clock. General prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. A hearty welcome to all.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Westfield, N. J. Sunday Services, Preaching 10:30 a. m. Sunday School 12 o'clock. Young People's Society 7:00 p. m. Preaching Wednesday 8 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

FREEBETTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. W. I. Stearns, D. D., Pastor. Services: Sunday 10:30 a. m., 4:30 p. m. Social meetings—Wednesday Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m. Sunday Young People's Meeting 7 p. m. Sunday School 12 m. M. B. Dutcher, Superintendent. Strangers made to feel at home.

ST PAUL'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Services: Sundays—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Morning prayer, with sermon, 11 a. m. Rev. James A. Smith, Rector. Choral Vespers at 4:00 p. m.

LODGES AND FRATERNAL ORDERS.

COURT PROVIDENT—No. 3130 Independent Order of Foresters. A sound organization. Offering \$500 to \$5,000 insurance. Meets second and fourth Monday of each month. Bank Building, Elm and Broad Streets. Daniel Snyder, Chartered, Chief Ranger. W. H. Fowler, 127 Marion Avenue, Rec. Secretary.

FREEMASONRY—715 ROYAL ARCADE. Meets Second and Fourth Thursdays of each month at 8 p. m. in Arcanum Hall; Ernest H. Carr, Regent, 421 Mountain Avenue; Eugene G. Hanford, Collector, 170 Dudley Avenue; West George W. Peck, Secretary, 325 First Street.

WESTFIELD CONCLAVE—515. Improved Order Heptastrophes, meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at Masonic Hall. Provides Fraternal Life Insurance on a sound financial basis. Edwin Shield, Secretary.

WESTFIELD POST OFFICE.

A. K. GALE, Postmaster.
WM. M. TOWNLEY, Ass't Postmaster.

Office Hours

Open from 7 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.
Holidays from 7 to 10 o'clock, a. m.

Collections from Boxes

Begin at 7 A. M., and also when passing boxes on their first and second deliveries.

Mails Received

From New York, East, South and Southwest, open for delivery at 7:00, 8:30 A. M., 2:30, and 5:15 P. M.
Way mail from Easton, 9:00 and 11:00 A. M. and 7:00 P. M.

Mails Close

For New York, Philadelphia, the Northeast, South and Southwest at 7:30, 9:15, 10:00 A. M., 12:30, 3:05, 5:30 and 6:20 P. M.
For Plainfield, Easton and way stations 7:30 A. M., 1:30 and 4:30 P. M.
For Elizabeth only 11:10.

Free Delivery

Carriers first delivery commences at 7:25 A. M.
Carriers' second delivery commences at 2:15 P. M.
R. F. D. No. 1, leaves 8:30

Fire Alarm Box Locations.

Notice—Everyone should know the location of their nearest box.

- 21—Elm St. and Kimball Ave.
- 23—Edinburgh Place and Clark St.
- 258—Clark St. and Dudley Ave.
- 297—Clark and Charles Sts.
- 31—Broad and Elm Sts.
- 35—Lincoln and Girard Aves.
- 37—Broad St. and Euclid Ave.
- 322—Highland & Mountain Aves.
- 344—Mountain Ave. nr Chestnut St.
- 43—North and Central Aves.
- 465—North and Fourth Aves.
- 499—Stanley and St. Mark's Aves.
- 537—Central Ave. and Park St.
- 579—Washington St. & Boulevard.
- 639—Westfield Ave. and Park St.
- 75—So. Ave. and Cumberland St.
- 738—First St. and Osborn Ave.
- 89—Fire Headquarters Building.

SPECIALS:

- 1 Tap of Bell will mean Time, Test or Break.
- 2 Taps of Bell "Recall, Fire is Under Control."
- 3-3 Taps of Bell will be special call for Truck No. 1.
- 4-4 Taps of Bell call for Chemical Engine No. 1.

NEW JERSEY CENTRAL

Trains Leave WESTFIELD

For New York and Elizabeth at 5:51, 5:18, 6:02, 6:30, 7:05, 7:15, 7:32, 7:57, (7:55 New York only), 7:56, 8:05, 8:21, 8:45, 8:53, 9:40, 10:55, 11:38 a. m., 12:45, 1:06, 1:55, 2:35, 3:03, 3:23, 4:09, 4:25, 4:48, 5:51, 6:59, 7:51, 9:41, 10:26, 10:43, 11:51 P. M. Sundays 5:51, 7:55, 8:09, 9:03, 9:52, 10:45 A. M., 12:50, 1:06, 1:38, 2:26, 3:03, 3:28, 5:46, 7:00, 7:26, 8:22, 8:47, 10:31, 10:43 P. M.
For Newark, 5:18, 6:39, (7:15 through train), 7:56, 8:45, 9:40, 10:35, 11:38 a. m., 12:45, 1:06, 1:55, 2:35, 3:03, 4:25, 4:48, 5:51, 6:59, 7:51, 9:41, 10:43 p. m. Sundays 7:56, 9:03, 10:45 a. m., 12:50, 1:06, 1:38, 2:26, 3:03, 3:28, 5:46, 7:26, 8:22, 8:47, 10:43 p. m.
For Philadelphia, 6:30, 6:57, 8:08, 9:05, 11:45 a. m., 1:40, 2:18, 4:52, 6:29, 7:19, 8:59, 9:38, 10:20, 12:48, Sundays 6:05, 8:13, 9:40, 10:55, 11:54 a. m., 12:54, 1:48, 3:20, 4:47, 6:25, 6:22, 8:39, 9:38, 10:45, 11:44 a. m., 1:11 a. m.
For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, 6:02, 8:08, 9:05, 10:35 a. m., 1:51, 4:52, 6:20, (6:49 Easton only) p. m. Sundays 6:05, 8:13, 9:40 a. m., 1:48, 5:25, 6:53 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, 5:02, 6:05 a. m., 6:20 p. m., Sundays 5:02, 6:40 a. m., 6:25 p. m.
For Atlantic City, 5:51, 9:40 a. m., 12:45, 3:23 p. m. Sundays 5:52 a. m., 1:38 p. m.
Saturdays only. 12:20-13.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, will meet in the Town Rooms, 121 Prospect Street, Westfield, N. J., on

MONDAY, July 6th, 1914, at eight o'clock in the evening, to receive and consider objections in writing, if any, to the work done and materials furnished and used in the following improvements, to wit:
1. Improving Sinclair Place from Elm Street to Highland Avenue, under the provisions of Special Ordinance No. 355, passed and adopted August 10th, 1913.
CHARLES CLARK, Town Clerk.
Westfield, N. J., June 3, 1914. Fees \$5.20
June 19, 25, July 3.

PETITION AND NOTICE.

To The Council of The Town of Westfield, N. J.:
Gentlemen:—The undersigned, being the owners of at least one-sixth of the lands fronting on the proposed improvement, hereby petition your Honorable Body to cause Kimball Avenue from Euclid Avenue to Harrison Avenue to be improved by constructing concrete curbs and gutters 2 ft. wide over all along both curb lines; by macadamizing the carriage way thereof for a width of 16 ft. and a depth of 6 in. along the center thereof with well-graded material to a depth of 4 in. over the remainder of the carriage way; and by constructing a concrete culvert with iron top in the southwest gutter of Harrison Avenue across the carriage way of Kimball Avenue.

The cost of the above described improvement to be assessed upon the lands benefited according to law. A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.
Moreland T. Townley.....65 ft.
Mary Kate Buckton.....50 ft.
Edwin Apple.....70 ft.
A. D. Ten Eyck.....75 ft.
N. E. Sears.....75 ft.

Notice is hereby given that the above is a copy of a petition received by the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, and that the Council will meet on Monday, the 6th day of July, 1914, at eight o'clock in the evening at the Council Chamber, 121 Prospect Street, Westfield, New Jersey, to consider the proposed improvement above mentioned. Objections to the proposed improvement must be filed in writing with the Town Clerk at or before the time mentioned for said meeting.
CHARLES CLARK, Town Clerk.
Westfield, N. J., June 3, 1914.
June 19, 25, July 3. Fees \$12.48

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR TERRACE, COTTAGE, PLASTERING, PAINTING AND HEATING AND VENTILATING THE CONSTRUCTION OF HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING AT THE CORNER OF ELM AND WASHINGTON STREETS, IN THE TOWN OF WESTFIELD, UNION COUNTY, N. J.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Town of Westfield at the meeting to be held at the Washington High School, in said town, on the 16th day of JULY, 1914, at eight o'clock in the evening, for furnishing all necessary materials and doing all necessary work called for in Specifications E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z, and for the plastering, painting and heating and ventilating of the plans and specifications for the construction of the high school building about to be erected at the corner of Elm and Washington Streets, Westfield, Union County, New Jersey.

Detailed plans and specifications may be inspected and the conditions under which bids will be received and opened at the office of the District Clerk of said Board of Education, in said town, at the Washington High School Building, which will be open daily, except Saturdays and Sundays, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

M. A. WEBSTER, District Clerk.
July 3-14

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, will meet in the Town Rooms, 121 Prospect Street, Westfield, N. J., on

MONDAY EVENING, JULY 20th, 1914, at eight o'clock, to receive and consider objections in writing, if any, to the work done and materials furnished and used in the following improvements, to wit:
1. Improving Durbin Road, Hazel Avenue, Scotch Avenue and St. George's Place, under the provisions of Special Ordinance No. 354, passed and adopted August 10th, 1913.
2. Establishing the grade and curb line and improving Summit Avenue, from Grove Street to Clinton Street, under the provisions of Special Ordinance No. 353, passed and adopted January 19th, 1914.
CHARLES CLARK, Town Clerk.
July 3-14-17. Fees \$6.50

TRUSTEE'S SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, Trustee under the will of LUTHER M. WHITEHEAD, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on FRIDAY, the TWENTY-FOURTH day of JULY next.

WESTFIELD TRUST COMPANY.
Dated June 18th, 1914.
COWDING & OLIVER, Proctors.
Dawson Fees \$1.20

ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO FIREWORKS.

It is hereby reprinted the ordinance of the town pertaining to the sale and use of fireworks which will be rigidly enforced and any one violating its provisions will be open to conviction and a fine of \$10 for each offense.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 111.
AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE USE OF FIRE CRACKERS, FIREWORKS, FIRE ARMS AND OTHER EXPLOSIVES.

Be it ordained by the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union:

Section 1. No person shall sell, offer for sale, set off or discharge, within the limits of the Town of Westfield, any toy cannon, pistol, except those using paper caps, or other fire-arm, instrument, contrivance or device producing an explosion, either by ignition or concussion through the use of gunpowder or other explosive substance, or any torpedo or any fire cracker exceeding one-half inch in diameter, nor shall any person place any torpedo producing an explosion on any car track within the limits of said town.

Section 2. Any person who shall violate any provisions of this ordinance shall forfeit and pay, upon conviction thereof, the sum of ten dollars for each offense.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Passed and adopted June 20, 1910.

Did Their Courtship in Jail.

After carrying on a love correspondence while serving sentences of one month at Knutsford, Cheshire, England, two ex-prisoners were married recently on their release at the parish church, which stands opposite the prison. While in jail the man proposed and was accepted. The prison chaplain made the necessary arrangements for the wedding, and himself officiated at the ceremony.

FRANK DAYTON



Frank Dayton has been with a prominent motion picture producing company for four years. Previous to his joining the company, he was in "In Old Kentucky," for eight years, not consecutively, but at different times. His theatrical engagements have been long ones. Before joining the "In Old Kentucky" company Mr. Dayton played in the following companies under the management of Charles Frohman: "Shenandoah," as Col. Kercheval West; "Lost Paradise," as Ralph Standish; "The Girl I Left Behind Me," as Private Jones, and Empire, New York theater productions. Mr. Dayton plays heavy dramatic leads and is especially adapted for modern character types.

DEPICTING LIFE OF VILLA

Moving Picture Reels Make Hero of the War Leader of Mexican Constitutionalists.

Here is the general synopsis of the war film entitled "The Life of General Villa." "Years ago Pancho Villa was a young rancher living alone with his pretty young sister and doing well. One day a young lieutenant of the Mexican federal army came to that locality with another young officer. The lieutenant became smitten with Villa's sister, and with the aid of his companion abducted her and raped her. The sister, after telling her brother, died and Villa journeyed to the garrison town and killed the lieutenant, but the companion escaped. Villa then sold his ranch and with a small body of men escaped to the mountains, vowing warfare on all mankind in revenge for the death and ruin of his sister. He became a bandit, and by meeting and defeating other bandits became the chief of a great band, the terror of the northern part of Mexico. He was particularly sore at the federal government, and when the revolution broke out he sided with the revolutionists and their leader. Sallying forth from the mountains, he blew up train loads of federals and met and defeated every federal army that was sent against him, captured town after town and city after city. At the last great and decisive battle he met face to face the federal officer who had assisted in the abduction of his sister and helped to start him on his road to banditry and outlawry. He kills the federal officer with his own hands on the battlefield. The federals are defeated and Villa is finally proclaimed president of the republic of Mexico—ho who was once an outlaw with a price upon his head."

War Theme of Many Reels.

War is furnishing the theme for many motion picture reels now being prepared. A company is at work on a series of scenes that show Uncle Sam's soldier boys in every arm of the service—infantry, cavalry, artillery and the signal corps; in setting up exercises, in making and breaking camp, in drills and skirmishes, and in cavalry tactics in which the troopers quite outdo the feats of ordinary circus riders. A reel will be devoted to the enlistment of all forces, including artillery, and their movements in the field. In this latter detail will be shown large bodies of men, full battalions of cavalry, and batteries of artillery up to the war standard, scouting, reconnoitering, making their way over rough country, fording rivers; in fact, all of the experiences that an army in the field encounters. The pictures were taken under the auspices of the United States war department.

Mario Dressler in Photo-Plays.

Mario Dressler is to be seen in a series of special movie comedies, three and four reels in length. Work of production has been going on for some time under the direction of Mack Sennett, and the comedies featuring Mario Dressler will start to appear before the public by the first of July.

New Comedy "Movie."

Blanche Ring and the entire cast of "When Claudia Smiles," now playing in New York, were filmed recently in the "Why is the Ocean So Near the Shore?" number. Later, Norma Talmadge, "Our Mutual Girl," and a host of other stars will be seen in the "Boys' Love" series of comedies.

FLOCK TO "MOVIES"

Natives of the Far East Attracted by Shows.

In Singapore the Natives Have Been Quick to Seize on the New Western Pastime—High Admission Prices.

The wide popularity of moving pictures in Singapore is only another instance of the rapid absorption of Western ideas by Eastern people, popularly considered as indifferent to the march of civilization, according to United States Vice-Consul General Casper L. Dreier, writing from the Straits Settlements.

Going to see the "movies" has already become a favorite form of relaxation with the Singaporeans, Mr. Dreier says, and he predicts a great future for the cinematograph in all parts of the East.

"Singapore," he says, "was by no means behind the rest of the world in its adoption of the bioscope. Many years have elapsed since the cinematograph was first introduced to local residents in a small show on High Street, and the surprise of the native population when they witnessed moving and performing acts which seemed more in place in actual life than described. There are now five picture houses in this city, and in a short time more will be added to the number. Some of the buildings used for motion picture purposes are ordinary frame structures with thatched roofs.

"An interesting feature of local cinematograph theaters is the way they cater to the poorer native classes by arranging benches made of planks at the rear of the stage or screen. Admission to this part of the house is ten cents local currency, or about 5.1 cents United States gold, and it is not unusual to have nearly a thousand people witnessing the pictures from the other side. They are compelled, of course, to view the picture backward, but it seems to make little difference, as they do not read the English description and receive their sole amusement from the attractiveness of the picture itself. This feature is depended on by the theaters for a goodly portion of their revenue. Admission to the front part of the building seems exorbitant compared with similar shows in the United States, the general price being \$2 local currency, or \$1.14 American."

HELEN DUNBAR



Miss Helen Dunbar is very popular with her host of admirers for her splendid portrayals of a wide range of characters in the Indian Head films. Miss Dunbar is a woman of charming personality, a fine photographic subject and her long stage experience before joining the photoplay forces has perfected her for any role she is called upon to assume.

"Movies" for Baseball Men.

John J. McGraw, manager of the Giants, has made arrangements to install a projection machine in the Giants' clubhouse, where the ball players will be given daily instruction and tips regarding possible improvements in their work. Harry E. Alton conceived the idea of applying the lessons of the movies to big league baseball. He believes that just as the employees of the Pittsburgh steel plants are taught industrial processes and labor saving movements in their work, so can a baseball player be coached by scenes of the motion picture camera in improving his work.

Favorite Actor Convalescent.

Little Bobby Connolly, who has been sick with pneumonia for three weeks, is reported to be convalescent. He will soon be seen in some new life portrayals as Sonny Jim, which character he has already made famous under the direction of Tefft Johnson.

Aviation Drama Coming.

In a new film, "The Navy Aviator," Sidney Ayres, an aviator, drops a bomb by which Jack Richardson, playing the role of a traitor and brigand, is killed.

SCRAPS OF HUMOR



Caution.

Redd—This paper says that an Illinois inventor's metal ladder fire escape, which can be unreeled from a window as a person descends, is provided with guides to prevent it swaying dangerously from side to side.

Greene—To make it safer it might be provided with suitable handles, so it could be promptly conveyed from a lodger's room when he is considerably behind in his weekly payments.

The Standard Bearer.

"I'm afraid our daughter is not going to make a very happy marriage," said Mr. Cumrox.

"Why not?" asked his wife. "She's worthy of the best of men."

"Yes. But she scares the really industrious fellows away. Her idea of a really able man is one who will sit on the front step and wave a little flag and holler, 'Votes for women!'"

Not Opportunity.

"Tis opportunity knocking," remarked the lazy man, as he thumps resound on the door of his \$2-a-week room, and, being wise, he opened it—the door, of course.

"No, I ain't opportunity," remarked a raucous voice. "I'm to get an installment on them books you bought last month."—Philadelphia Ledger.

He Must Have Been Her Brother.

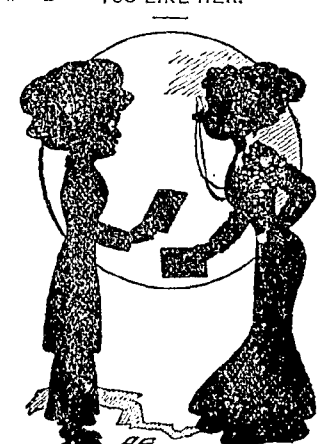
"I think I will study to go on the stage."

"You don't need to study."

"Oh, you flatter me. I am sure I must study some."

"No, what you need to do is eat. You are too skinny to go on the stage."

TOO LIKE HER.



Miss Younggirl—Why do you dislike these photographs? Don't they do you justice?

Miss Oldgirl—Yes; entirely too much justice.

Real Mean.

I came to town at half-past six. 'Twas this so early brought me— I wished those tamed tugs to miss. But a sharp tug girl caught me.

Other Side of the Proposition.

"A man ought to kiss his wife every day."

"Yes," replied Mr. Meekton; "but suppose she's busy writing speeches and doesn't want to be disturbed?"

Mean Hint.

"My theory is that men are what they eat, so we should be careful to select appropriate diet."

"I'm so glad to hear that, Mr. Softy. We have calf's brains for dinner."

No Cutting There.

"Did they cut out anything when you went to the hospital?"

"Yes, I think they cut out about everything they could get hold of except the bill."

Inartistic.

"The color of that cough's flies does not form an artistic contrast."

"Why not?"

"She has a rosy future and he has a purple past."

A Query.

"Pop, tell me something."

"What is it, my boy?"

"Do the cowboys use the wand of the western deacons when they scour the plains?"

Time Files.

Wife—John, what has become of the alarm clock? It's gone.
Husband—I put it on the mantel last night and I heard it go off this morning.

It's Kind.

"If my dog could get a job, I wonder what kind he would select?"
"He is like yourself; he would want something to do."

WARNING TO TALESMEN.

A juror the other day appeared in court and claimed exemption on the ground of deafness. The judge, in a subdued tone of voice, interrogated the deaf man.

"How long have you been deaf?"

"Two years."

The judge, in a much less audible tone: "How was your deafness caused?"

Juror—I caught a severe cold.

Judge (in a voice reduced almost to a whisper)—Don't you think your deafness is cured?

Juror—No, my lord.

"Oh, you will do very well, sir," replied his lordship, and everyone in court laughed except the juror.—London Evening Standard.

She Knew.

Father—You say you want to marry this young man?

Daughter—Yes, father.

"But you've only met him twice, you say."

"Yes, father."

"But you can't know anything about a young man by only meeting him twice."

"Oh, yes, father. I know he tangoes beautifully!"

WOULD, INDEED.



He—Dear, I'll love you forever.
She—That would make it awkward if I shouldn't love you that long.

A Short Cut.

When that small slipper made of glass was worn by Cinderella, the dear girl did not cut her foot; she merely cut a swell.

A Young Gallant.

Teacher—Now, Jimmy, let me hear you compare sweet.

Jimmy—Positive, sweet molasses; comparative, molasses; superlative, lasses.

Teacher—Stop, stop, Jimmy. Jimmy—Yes, mam; I don't go any further, the girls might mob me.

Not Previously "Touched."

Borrowby—Let's see, do I owe you anything?

Bangs—Not a cent, my boy. Are you going around paying your little debts?

Borrowby—Not going around paying if I overlooked anybody. Lend me five till Saturday, will you?

A Conservative Protest.

"I want to call your attention to the Fashion Hints," said the man who was soliciting subscriptions.

"No use," replied the plain, emphatic woman. "Fashions have gotten to where hints won't do any good. You might as well start by calling for the police."

It Certainly Is.

Bill—I see the chairman of the canary bird group of an ornithological society in Germany rejoices in the title which ornaments his visiting card: Kanarienvogelzuechervereinsstand.

Jill—Well, it's certainly a bird of a name, all right.

ONE GIRL TO ANOTHER.



Grace—George says I was made to kiss.

Helen—A diplomatic way of referring to your turned-up nose, wasn't it?

Paradoxical.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Master's Sale.

In Chancery of New Jersey, between Gilbert D. B. Hasbrouck, Complainant and James C. Runyon, et als. defendant. On Bill for partition.

By virtue of a decree for sale in the above entitled cause, dated June 16th, 1914, J. Joseph T. Hague, one of the Special Masters of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, shall expose for sale by public vendue at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the City of Elizabeth, New Jersey, on WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1914, at two o'clock, in the afternoon of that day, the following described premises:

ALL that certain tract or parcel of land and premises, hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, BEGINNING at a stake in the northerly side of North avenue in the most easterly corner of lands of now or formerly H. P. Osborn; thence northerly along the line of said lands of Osborn, one hundred thirty-five and thirty-eight hundredths (135.38) feet to a point in said line; thence northerly along the line of lands of John M. Clark, formerly lands of Estate of Matthias Clark, deceased, a distance of ten hundred and fourteen and forty-two hundredths (1014.42) feet to a point in said line; thence southeasterly along the line of lands of Alexander S. Clark, formerly lands of Estate of Matthias Clark, deceased, a distance of two hundred sixteen and forty-eight hundredths (216.48) feet to a corner in said line; thence southwesterly, partly along the line of lands of Estate of Alexander S. Clark and partly along the line of lands of Estate of Frances S. Clark, ten hundred sixteen and four tenths (1016.4) feet to a stake in the northerly line of North avenue; thence westerly along the said northerly line of North avenue one hundred nineteen (119) feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

The sale of the said premises will include the estate of the defendant, James C. Runyon, as tenant by the courtesy therein, and the estate of Sarah E. Crane, "Mrs." Francis Williams, "Mrs." John A. Williams, as tenants in dower therein, and the inchoate right of dower of the defendant, Kathleen L. Runyon, wife of

John G. Runyon, Melissa S. Crane, wife of Willard G. Crane, Emma Miller Crane, wife of James Wallace Crane, Julia Hasbrouck, wife of the complainant, "Mrs." Frederick B. Miller, wife of Frederick B. Miller, and the courtesy initiate of Elias M. Crane, husband of Louisa A. Crane, together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.

The premises will be sold subject to taxes amounting to approximately Forty-two dollars and thirteen cents (\$42.13) and interest, and subject to a sewer assessment of Ninety-nine dollars and twenty-one cents (\$99.21) and interest, and subject to a grading and macadamizing assessment in the sum of Two hundred and seventy-eight dollars and seventy-two cents (\$278.72) and interest to the date of sale.

Dated July 3rd, 1914.
JOSEPH T. HAGUE,
Special Master.
120 Broad St., Elizabeth, N. J.
LLOYD THOMPSON,
Solicitor of Complainant,
Westfield, New Jersey.

Ambidextrous Metaphor.

An eloquent Irish candidate, speaking of a certain eminent statesman, said: "His smooth tongue is that of a serpent which lures but to destroy, and which holds out sugar plums in one hand, while in the other it holds an unsheathed dagger behind its back."—Current Opinion.

Much in Simple Kiss.

A kiss is a simple little thing and yet it is priceless. You may have noticed that the man who never forgets to kiss his wife before he leaves the house doesn't purchase many automobiles for divorce lawyers.

Inconsistent Man.

A man doesn't care what his wife thinks of him when he refuses her money. But he will hand a strange waiter a dollar tip rather than have the strange waiter think he is cheap.

Her Idea of Lawyers.

"I am not guilty. If I had been, I should have engaged a lawyer!" was the observation of a woman summoned before the Darlington (England) bench.

Mountainside

Miss Florence Hohenhauser, of Newark, is visiting her brother and family of Woodland avenue.

Mr. F. Palmer, of Mountain avenue, who has been a patient at Muhlenberg Hospital is able to walk about the grounds.

William Breese, formerly a resident of the Borough has purchased a large farm in Hopewell, N. J. Mr. Breese has very fine crops and the finest corn in that section.

J. M. Schoonover is visiting relatives in Pennsylvania. Mr. Schoonover who has a large grocery store is taking a well earned vacation. Mr. J. C. Lear has charge of the store during Mr. Schoonover's absence.

Reports were read showing the Association paid for modern improvements leaving a balance in the treasury over \$500.00 was raised last year. The Ladies Aid Society rendered valuable assistance.

Mr. Foster Updyke, of Plainfield, gave a very interesting talk last Sunday afternoon in the Union Chapel on Missionary work in China. Next Sunday evening, Rev. Percy Pemberton will preach as usual. Mr. Pemberton was unanimously re-elected for pastoral work in the Chapel for the ensuing year. Mr. Pemberton has endeared himself in the hearts of the people of Mountainside and is ever ready to sacrifice any personal aims to render aid and advice to any one seeking same.

The firemen held a postponed meeting in the Borough Hall last Monday evening and the following officers were elected: Chief, J. Lyons; Foreman, Charles Heikel; Asst. Foreman, Stanley Roll; Secretary, R. Laing; Treasurer, G. Hollis. A number of new members were admitted. Regular meetings first Monday in each month. A postponed meeting of the Union Chapel was held last Wednesday evening the following officers were elected: President, A. T. Hegeman; Vice-President, R. P. Eastman; Secretary, R. P. Greaves; Treasurer, W. R. Coles; Trustee for three years, James Coles.

GARWOOD

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE SCHOOLS

The graduation exercises of the Garwood schools were held in the Franklin Auditorium last Friday evening. The hall was prettily decorated with light blue and white, the class colors. The class consisted of the following members: Anna Margaret Ewald, Lillian Mildred Henkeldy, Margaret Kovacs, Hattie Henrietta Marohn, Florence Dorothea Stemmler, Elsa Elizabeth Schubert, Helen Sarah Williamson, Frank Begasse, Dudley J. Croft, Alfred Douglas Deremer, Frank John V. Froat, Harold Sinclair Washburn.

Rev. Robert W. Elliott opened the program with the invocation and Harold Washburn as class president, delivered the welcoming address. Alfred Deremer followed with "The Value of a High School Education". Helen Williamson recited, "Cynthia's Cow". Frank Froat read the class will and Elsa Schubert recited "The Spirits of the Deserted Home". Dudley Croft very ably delivered an oration on "Manual Training".

The class prophecy was given by Anna Ewald and "Ordering Her First Company Dinner", was recited by Margaret Kovacs.

The presentation of class gifts was made by Margaret Kovacs and Frank Begasse. The class song, written by Lillian Henkeldy was sung by the class. Mr. John T. Stiff as president of the Board of Education presented the class diplomas. Rev. Arthur Wellhoefer completed the program with the benediction. President Stiff also read the name of those who received medals for attendance. Those pupils who have a three year perfect record and received gold medals are: Edward Sargent, Leonard Kammerer, Ragnar Walden, Salvatore Scanzadonne, Eino Walden, Christine Deremer, Martha Newman, John Cowell, Frederick Duhanek, Gladys Cowell, Ada Cowell, Frank Begasse, Alfred Deremer, Anna Ewald.

Those who received silver medals for two year attendance are William Walden, Mabel Deremer, Gladys Kaylor, Frederick Cowell, Willard Prall, Harry Wyckoff, Lois Cowell, William Mueller, Frank Rogoski, Elmer Cowell, Jeanetta Froat, Percival Eriksen. Bronze medals were awarded for 1 years attendance to Harold Kuhn, Wilnot Snyder, Benjamin Froat, William Barroch, William Harper, Sydney DeCamp, Eric Kjelmark, Edward Begasse, Earl Eriksen, Anna Thais, Rosa Kovacs and Bernard Timmer.

Mr. Dow and family are visiting in Perth Amboy.

Mr. J. M. Cowell and son, Leslie, are visiting in Washington, N. J.

Mr. John Davidson of North avenue, left Saturday morning for Delaware Water Gap.

Miss Lillian Kelley, of Spruce Avenue, will spend her vacation at Atlantic City.

Miss Helen Johnston left Tuesday evening for an auto trip through New York State.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cowell and Frank Cowell are passing their vacation in Washington, N. J.

Miss Helen Kiernan, of Hartford, Conn., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Burns of Spruce street.

Harold Washburn and William Hessler left Tuesday morning on a bicycle trip to Asbury Park.

Wilnot Snyder was operated on last Saturday in the Elizabeth General Hospital and will be brought home this week for a short stay, then will return for a second operation.

Miss Mildred Kaylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kaylor, Jr., celebrated her eighth birthday anniversary with the help of twenty little friends, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Eadie, of Wetherly, Pa., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Henderson, left for her home Saturday morning in the machine of H. E. De Pue of Newark, who is en route from Newark, N. J., to Roswell, New Mexico.

Strange Fate of a Gravedigger.

A gravedigger named James Hambleton was buried alive in a grave at St. Stephen's churchyard, Andershaw, Ashton-under-Lyne, the other day. He had been digging a grave and was getting out when he fell backward and a large portion of the sides collapsed upon him. A conductor on a passing train saw the man's legs in the air, ran to the spot and found the gravedigger buried head foremost. The man had ceased to struggle and was dead when extricated.—London Times.

Danger in Hasty Reforms.

Society's wrongs are deeply embedded in law and tradition, and therefore they are not easily righted. So it is wisdom to go slowly, even when going in the right direction, lest, stumbling, progress be retarded. Reformers should try to avoid the waste of haste.

Soap From Whale Oil.

Whale oil, for years almost a drug on the market, has recently become far more valuable through the discovery of a way to use it in making soap, which had hitherto been impossible owing to its evil smell.

FOR SALE OR RENT

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BUILT TO SUIT

At Hillside Ave. & New Providence Rd.
W. R. RICH, Westfield, N. J.

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697 to 705 Broad St., Newark, 1 to 17 Cedar St.

A Different Kind of a July Sale

Different in the sense that it embodies the best of merchandise—fashion merchandise that one would buy any month of its season—staple goods that are eagerly sought for every month in the year as well as during July. Test this sale out in any way you choose and we are satisfied that this new kind of a July Sale will appeal to your best judgment of mind for the economical advantages its rich money-savings assure.

FOR EACH DAY OF THE COMING WEEK A HOST OF SPECIALS WILL PREVAIL

Mail-Orders will be filled if goods are in stock upon receipt of any order mailed before Tuesday, but Free Delivery on special goods outside of our wagon service is suspended owing to the low prices quoted.

and Sunday Call, WE WILL UPON REQUEST SEND YOU A COPY OF OUR ADVERTISEMENTS as they appear in these papers telling of further daily doings of this wholly different kind of July Sale.

50c Hemstitched Damask Tray Cloths, special, 39c
15c Anderson Gingham, mill lengths, special, 10½c
19c White Indian Head Linen Finish Suiting, special, 14c
39c White Ramie Linens, 36 inch special, 29c
\$1.00 Blk. Liberty Satin Blk. Figured Taffeta, shadow Stripe Messaline, special, 50c
\$1.00 All wool Black and white Checks, 54 in., special, 87c
50c Mohair Sicilian, 50 in. for bathing suits, special, 37c
19c Satine, 36 inch, black and white only, special, 12½
89c White Cuffine, for Summer Coats, etc. 27 in. special, 75c
75c and \$1.00 Women's Sample Emb. and Lace Trimmed Hdkfs., special, 25c
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Swiss Flouncings, etc. 27 inch, special, 79c
50c and 75c Shadow Allover Laces, 37 in. white and Paris; also Black Silk Embroidered Nets, special yd., 19c
60c Stamped Night Gowns, fine material, all sizes, special, 37c
\$1.00 White Lawn and Swiss Sacques, sizes 34 to 46, special, 79c
1.00 Gingham and Percale Frocks for Young Girls, special, 69c
5.00 and 6.00 Crepe de Chine, Voile and Organza Blouses, special, 3.79
4.95 to 6.50 Afternoon and Beach Frocks, for women, special, 3.50

The following a part of Monday's specials so that no matter when you come many surprises will give you welcome greeting. Monday's list in part is given in brief form. If you do not keep in touch with the Newark Evening News, Evening Star and Sunday Call, WE WILL UPON REQUEST SEND YOU A COPY OF OUR ADVERTISEMENTS as they appear in these papers telling of further daily doings of this wholly different kind of July Sale.

50c Nainsook Gowns and Combinations, emb. and lace trimmed, special, 39c
59c Children's Dresses, Crepe or Gingham, 2 to 6 years, special, 45c
1.50 to 3.00 Crown Corsets of Batiste, Coutil, Brocade, special, 1.19
1.00 Umbrellas for men and women, American Taffeta, special, 69c
1.75 16-button Long White Kid Gloves, all sizes, white only, special, 1.39
1.98 Pin Persian Hand Bags, nickel, gilt and gun metal frames, special, 1.29
1.00 Crochet Bed Spreads, full size, good patterns, special, 79c
69c, 79c and 81 Men's Negligee Shirts, sizes 13½ to 17, special, 45c
3.00 Women's White English Shoes, Nubuck, welt soles, special, 2.16 (2nd Floor Shoe Section)
19c Women's Mentor Ribbed Vests, low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless, special, 9½c
1.50 to 3.00 Children's Rah-Rah, Tyrolean, Jack Tar Straw Hats, special, 95c
1.15 Women's Silk Hose, Full Regular Made, special, 89c
50c Cream White Graduated Opera Length Pearl Necklaces, special, 39c
5c Card Atlas and Corona Hooks & Eyes, all sizes, now, 2 cards, 5c
25c Absorbent Cotton, good quality, 1-lb., special, 19c
79c Cross-stripe Curtains, full length, light and dark effects, special price, 50c

This noteworthy event embodies besides a Sale of New Blankets, Sale of Framed Pictures, A Sale of Vacation Books, including fiction and Story-Books for boys and girls and a host of other features really too numerous to mention.

THE LARGE AND BUSY SUB-STORE WILL OFFER A host of attractive items in House-Furnishing Goods, Crochery, Out Gings and Bric-a-Brac, intensifying our determination to sell as quickly as possible in final discontinuance of this dept. as part of the store's stock in trade.

ON THE FOURTH FLOOR WILL BE SHOWN Remnants, Broken Lines of regular goods, as depleted and odd lots of merchandise as may be found from day to day after each day's active selling. Whether these items are announced or not, it will pay you to visit this floor as often as possible, just to satisfy yourself you are not missing some very useful and unusually low priced values.

STORE HOURS—SATURDAYS DURING JULY AND AUGUST, 9 to 12. OTHER DAYS 9 to 6.30.

Oscar Michael & Co., Broad Street, at Cedar Street, NEWARK.

A Showing of Hosiery at Schaefer's You'll Like---Prices You'll Be Glad to Pay

Hosiery styles change, too. New seasons bring new styles in the matter of knitting, weight, color, etc. We should like you to see our new Summer hosiery.

Large stocks and low prices make choosing easy. Here is hosiery that's perfect fitting, comfortable, has a fine feel, and is most serviceable. We have the Gordon brand white clocked hosiery at per pair 50c. Also Phoenix silk hose for women in all colors, 75c and \$1. Black, white, taupe, Palm Beach, mahogany, bronze, Nile green, purple, light gold, navy, tan, Reseda, Copenhagen and green.

White washable kid gloves at \$1. Fine stylish gloves you won't have to see twice to appreciate.

Hydegrade Halycon messaline skirts \$1, a soft lustrous mercerized skirt, in all colors, has deep accordin plaiting.

F. H. SCHAEFER & CO.

"NO POOR GOODS AT ANY PRICE"

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CENT-A-WORD NOTICES

Minimum Charge 15 Cents

BENJAMIN SPENCER will open a cleaning and pressing establishment at 227 Broad street, on Monday, July 6, where he will be prepared to do any kind of work in his line in a first class manner and at a reasonable price. He solicits your patronage and guarantees satisfaction. All work will be called for and delivered. It

WANTED—Lady with small daughter desires to arrange for board and two rooms in private family, beginning September 1st. Location and table must be first class. Address—"Permanent," Standard. It

TO LET—Large, desirable boarding house; best location. W. G. Peckham.

FOR RENT—Ocean front bungalow; on Manasquan beach, six rooms, fully furnished, good water, very desirable for the summer. Particulars address, H. Birdsall, Manasquan, N. J.

WANTED—Would like to purchase second hand portable garage. Apply R. R. Standard.

WANTED—Boards; pleasant rooms, good table. Address 217 Prospect St. 217 Prospect street.

TO LET—Furnished room, all improvements, convenient to trolley and trains, private family, 225 Central avenue. It

WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; private family preferred. Address Moderate, Standard.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, pleasantly located, near station. Address B. Standard.

WANTED—First Mortgage loan on two houses in course of erection on highly restricted section of Westfield. Wilbur G. Quincy & Co., 537 Mountain avenue, phone 529.

FOR RENT—A large room suitable for one or two gentlemen. Smith, Standard Office.

TO LET—The rooms over Gale's Pharmacy. Suitable for office or dwelling.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House; 8 rooms and bath; all improvements, oak trim throughout, windows and porch screened, lot 60x125. Terms reasonable. 123 Union avenue, phone 174-W.

TO LET—Desk room. Apply H. B. Miller's Sons, 151 E. Broad Street, Westfield. Telephone 553-J.

FOR SALE—Bargain; wagon suitable for carpenter or painter, used only few months, newly painted. Can be seen at 123 Union avenue, phone 174-W.

BOARDS WANTED—Atop First Mountain, two miles from Westfield station, bounteous table, own milk, eggs, poultry; modern improvements, telephone, A. R. Maxwell, Mountainside.

LAUNCH FOR SALE—Eighteen foot Auto Craft launch, built for exhibition purposes, brass rail and lights, canvas cover, tools; completely equipped from flags to oil cans. Now on Lake Hopatcong. Price \$135.00. Photograph may be seen at The Standard office. Apply The Standard.

PACKER—Expert on furniture, china, etc., A. R. Maxwell. Tel. 439 J-3; references.

FOR SALE—Children's pony, trap, cart and harness; also family horse, light station wagon and harness. Inquire W. H. Barton, Livery, Westfield, N. J.

GENUINE RU-BER-OID roofing and Roof paints tested by 18 years constant use, for sale by C. A. Smith, Westfield, N. J. It

FREE! Send for an illustrated book, "Solving the Paint Problem", the cheapest and best Decorators.—Weller Bros., Scotch Plains, N. J., Tel. 1465-R.

WASHING—Our family wash plan 20 lbs for 75c. is cheaper than a washwoman. All table and bed linen nicely ironed, also many of the body clothes. Send us a trial wash and be convinced. We do not mark your linen. Each allotment is washed separately. Phone 135-W. Westfield Laundry.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

Are you going to move? If so, let O'Donnell Bros. do the work for you. Satisfaction guaranteed.—214 Central Avenue. Tel: 543. W.

Another Bagain

Seven Room House, steam heat, hardwood floors, all improvements, large plot, good neighborhood, five minutes from station. Terms to suit the purchaser.

QUICK \$4000 SALE

Herbert L. Abrams, Pearson Building 1 Prospect Street

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