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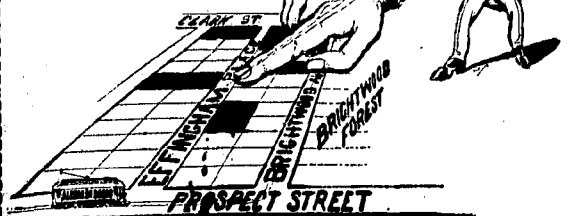
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He Had His Eye on It



And Now He Owns It.

This refers to a certain Westfield young man who looked about town for a HOME SITE. He investigated the Pearsall Home Sites on Edgingham Place—he looked at other Home Sites about Westfield, but all the while he couldn't keep his eye away from the Edgingham Place property—it appealed to him as being just THE place for an ideal Home—right out in the open, yet convenient to the depot, within a few steps of the trolley, high, dry and rolling country and good pure air for himself and his family to breathe. HE BOUGHT THE LOT, 88x184, guaranteed title, and Contractor H. C. Piler has commenced the erection of a handsome new Home for this Westfield young man. He is going to be his OWN LANDLORD and pocket the landlord's 10 to 15% profit.

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OPPOSE ASSESSMENT.

Miss Worth Claims That Work of
Regrading South Avenue Was
Done Contrary to the Law.

REPORT ON BROAD STREET CROSSING

Chairman Wilson Declares Proposed
Elimination of Grade Will Cost
\$51,721.05—Other Items.

The question of the South avenue sidewalk was again revived at the regular meeting of the council Monday night, when an objection was filed by Miss Lucy C. Worth to the report of the Board of Assessors on the blue stone sidewalk laid on the north side of that thoroughfare. The reasons set forth by the objector were that the grade of the sidewalk had been changed arbitrarily and without the establishment of a special grade; that no notice had been given to the owners of the amount of grading to be done; that no allowance had been made for damage done by changing the grade, cutting the trees, etc.; all of which was in "in violation of the constitution of this State and of the United States."

Mayor Alpers referred the matter back to the Board of Assessors, and ordered that they confer with the law committee. An effort will be made, it is said, to determine the amount of damage done, and to fix the assessment accordingly.

The trustees of the Free Public Library sent a letter to the council asking for the sum of \$300. It was set forth that the new wing to the library had necessitated some extra expense for furnishings, etc., and attention was called to the fact that the money asked for was a part of the 1909 appropriation. The council, after consideration, ordered the treasurer to pay to the trustees the sum of \$300, the balance due on the 1909 appropriation.

Councilman A. J. Wilson, chairman of the committee authorized to investigate the question of eliminating the grade crossing at East Broad street, reported that the cost of removing the present crossing by lowering the grade of Broad street and tunneling under the tracks would be \$51,721.05.

Appended to Chairman Wilson's report was an opinion of Town Attorney Oliver, in which it was set forth that the project could be put through by a two-thirds vote of council without filing any preliminary petition or proceeding; that right of way for proposed storm sewer could be obtained by condemnation proceedings; that buildings in line of proposed grading could be moved and owner allowed for cost of work; that, in the opinion of Town Engineer, with which the Attorney concurred, work of moving should properly be left to property owners; that, as Mr. Peckham owned a part of North avenue, possession of street by town should be gained by injunction; that county authorities could not stand in way, but are not obliged to regrade South avenue to conform to new grade; that Clark street could be vacated in the section desired and right-of-way for sewer maintained; that the town could issue bonds for the work; that the gas, electric light and telephone companies would have to lower their pipes to conform to new grade at their own expense. The ordinance providing for brick gutters and curbing on Broad street, from Elm street to Central avenue, was introduced, and May 16, at 8 o'clock, set for hearing on the proposed improvement.

On recommendation of Chairman Amick, of the road committee, the council ordered a road scraper purchased at a cost of \$150. The Public Service Corporation was ordered to lower their trolley track on upper Prospect street to conform to grade, as required by terms of contract.

Mrs. Fannie Manning and others, representing 4,067 feet in Woodland avenue, objected to the proposed improvement of that thoroughfare. No objections were received against building an eight-inch sewer in Sinclair place and laying sidewalk on the south side of First street, from Osborne to Union avenues. Ordinances for these improvements were passed upon first readings. The ordinance for eight-inch sewer in Dudley avenue was passed upon final reading. An ordinance providing for the macadamizing of Sinclair place was introduced, and a hearing for the proposed improvement set for May 18. No objection was made to the placing of tarvia upon Harrison avenue.

The petition for sidewalks in North street was referred back to the petitioners on account of the paper not being

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WESTFIELD GIRL SEVERELY BURNED WHILE RESCUING HER COMPANION.

Miss Cohan, at Presbyterian Hospital,
Philadelphia, Will Recover.

Miss Ethel Cohan, of Westfield, is in the Presbyterian Hospital, at Philadelphia, as the result of a mishap in which she was severely burned while rescuing a friend. Her injuries are very painful, but she will recover.

Miss Cohan is the guest of Miss Florence Brodie. Last Saturday morning they went for a walk in the suburbs, going into the woods to pick wild flowers. They built a bon fire in the thicket of shrubbery, and the fire was burning briskly when a sudden explosion set fire to Miss Brodie's dress. In putting out the fire Miss Cohan was burned. Some boys in the woods heard the girls scream, and went to their aid. An automobile was called, and the young women were taken to the hospital.

MODEL ELECTION IN SCHOOLS

To Be Held Either Before or After Each
General Election.

In order that school children throughout the county may have a concrete understanding of civics, it has been decided that before or after every general election a model election shall be held in the schools. This action was taken at a meeting of the Union County Principals' Association held at Cranford last Friday afternoon, at which the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, that every principal in Union county shall immediately before or immediately after each general election, conduct a model election in his school."

Nature study work, as carried on by Mrs. B. F. Holmes of the LaRue Holmes Nature League of Summit, N. J., was also endorsed by resolution of the Board. Dr. Savitz called attention to this work. A certificate will be given to every pupil in Union county who prepares and takes care of a home garden.

A circular from the state superintendent requesting teachers to explain to pupils the purpose and manner of taking care of the national census was distributed.

The next meeting of the association will be held at Springfield on May 12.

Jury for a Ten Dollar Litigation.

The case of Woodruff vs. Losey, to recover \$10 storage rent for wagons, was tried before Recorder Toucey, and a jury of six men, in the local court yesterday morning. The jury awarded Mr. Woodruff a verdict of \$4.00 damages. Mr. Woodruff, the former proprietor of the Westfield Steam Laundry, claimed that he entered into an agreement with Mr. Losey, the present proprietor, to keep his horses for a specified sum every month. The agreement did not include the keeping of the wagons and Mr. Woodruff finally decided that money was due him for this item also. He presented his bill to Mr. Losey and the latter refused to pay. A suit was the result of this disagreement. Paul Q. Oliver represented Mr. Woodruff and F. S. Taggart Mr. Losey. The later, it is said, will appeal.

Bank Anniversary.

Saturday, April 16th, the Peoples National Bank of Westfield completed the third year of its existence.

The officers and directors of this popular financial institution feel highly gratified that at the end of three years, a portion of which was covered by the financial depression of 1907-8, the Bank has over seventeen hundred depositors with aggregate deposits of above \$850,000 and resources of nearly half a million dollars.

Another important step in the Bank's progress will be taken April 30th, when it will occupy its own building at the corner of Broad and Prospect streets now rapidly nearing completion.

With its improved facilities and progressive methods there can be no doubt that this institution has a splendid future.

Freeholder John Robinson Dead.

John Robinson, one of the oldest members of the Union County Board of Freeholders, died at his home in Scotch Plains last Saturday morning. He had been a member of the Board for fourteen years. The funeral services were held from his late residence, on Forest Road, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The burial was at Fairview cemetery. He was in his seventieth year.

Another Department Added.

Buttermilk, Sweet Butter and Potatoes fresh every day at Westfield's Combination Meat, Grocery and Vegetable Store.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

All Day Session at M. E. Church
Yesterday, Well Attended.

The spring Institute meeting of the Union County W. C. T. U. was held in the First M. E. Church yesterday morning, afternoon and evening. The meetings were well attended and much enthusiasm was shown by the members, some of whom spent the day in the church parlors. Mrs. Mary Davis Tomlinson, county president, presided at all the meetings and Mrs. Emma Bourne, State President of Newark was also present.

The morning session was opened with devotions by Mrs. Henry Thomas, of Elizabeth. Mrs. Samuel Johnston addressed the Institute on behalf of Westfield Union. The Rev. Dr. A. W. Hayes, pastor of the church welcomed the convention and was answered by Miss Julia A. Barker, Honorary Vice President of New York City. After the regular business routine luncheon was served.

The afternoon session opened at two o'clock and was attended by county members from all parts of the county. The department reports of the executive committee were received and showed the great progress and influence of the work of the Institute. The department symposium of the State Superintendents is: Mrs. T. O. Bodine, Railroad Men, Motormen, and Firemen; Mrs. M. E. B. Noe, the Press; Miss H. S. Floto, work among colored people; Mrs. Mary P. Sparks, Secretary of the Loyal Temperance Legion. The feature of the afternoon service was the address made by Mrs. Chaplain Riley, Secretary of the Equal Suffrage League, of Plainfield. Mrs. Riley spoke on the "Facts and Theories of Equal Suffrage." Mrs. Emma Bourne, of Newark, State President, conducted a Superintendents Round Table.

The evening session was devoted to a silver medal contest.

The Standard's Census Contest.

Only one week more remains of the STANDARD'S census contest. Be sure to send your guess in next week, as no guesses will be received after Monday, May 2. If you are a good guesser as to the population of Westfield, this is your chance to make money easily. See coupon on page 8.

STOKES FOR SENATORSHIP.

The campaign to be waged by former Governor Edward Casper Stokes to be elected United States Senator from New Jersey to succeed Senator John Kean was officially started Monday. On that day 75 petitions endorsing former Governor Stokes for Senator made their appearance in Cumberland, Mr. Stokes' home county. It is understood that like petitions will make their appearance in every county of the State and Governor Stokes will go before the people to get their popular approval for his election. It is said that it is part of his plan to stump New Jersey from Sussex to Cape May in an endeavor to get this endorsement.

Plainfield Votes for Water Plant.

By a vote of almost four in favor of one against, the proposition to give the council authority to take advantage of an act passed in 1870 concerning municipal water supply was adopted by the citizens Tuesday. There was a total of 1,554 votes cast, of which 1,336 were for, and 218 against. The proposition won, therefore, by a majority of 918. Every ward in the city voted favorably to the project.

FOR PERFECT ROADS.

Large Crowd in Attendance at
Public Meeting of Board
of Trade Last Night.

TWO VERY INTERESTING SPEECHES.

State Deputy Robert Meeker and
Freeholder C. A. Smith Tell of Road
Building—Much Interest Manifest.

The public meeting of the Westfield Board of Trade, held last night in the town hall on Prospect street proved to be a splendid success. Many citizens and members were present and listened to a most interesting discussion of "Roads and Road Improvements," by State Supervisor of Roads, Robert Meeker, of Plainfield and C. A. Smith, of Westfield. President W. E. Tuttle, Jr., presided and opened the meeting by a short talk in which he introduced Freeholder C. A. Smith, of Westfield.

Mr. Smith's talk was principally an account of the work of road building and repairing in Union county. Mr. Smith put forth some interesting facts worthy of being noted. He said that the State Aid Law originated in Union county by Frank Bergen and Ex-Senator James L. Miller, of Westfield. Union county was the first to start the road proposition and the attempt was made in 1899. The cost up to 1895 was \$111,487.00 of which \$350,000.00 was paid by bond issue. The State now pays 1/2 of the amount. There are 44 miles of county roads, but eighteen are to be constructed. One road will run from Westfield to Cranford and on to Summit; the other will connect Two Bridges, Fairwood, Westfield, Willow Grove with Rahway. The cost per year of repairing these roads is \$5.00 per mile. Mr. Smith concluded by saying that although Union county has the best roads in the State, yet there was chance for improvement.

State Supervisor of Roads, Robert Meeker, of Plainfield, an authority on roads, complimented Union county and Westfield on their good roads. Mr. Meeker said that in 1905 New Jersey had the best roads that could be made, but methods of travel had soon altered conditions.

"Now," he said, "We have to build roads to meet the new conditions of travel." Although Mercer County was awarded the \$1,000 prize for best roads, yet that was because the roads had just been repaired. He believed that if stone roads were taken as a whole Union County would lead. New Jersey has more miles of good road than any other State in the Union, namely 1,500 miles of State Aid Roads, and a total of 3,000 miles of road, outside of the cities and boroughs. Mr. Meeker approved of the use of a mixture of asphalt and a binder for the roads and also for laying the dust. Tar was good but not durable and when applied wrongly was a detriment. The method of applying the binder should have more consideration than the binder itself. He explained that parallel roads were necessary to divide the traffic. The State is reducing the crown of the roads and this distributes the wear but necessitates steady repairing. Aeniesite (a composition of tars, oils, asphalt and cement) has also been tried by the State and has proved satisfactory. He concluded by saying that Westfield should be proud of its road system.

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—Mr. Charles Hann, of North avenue returned her niece Mrs. George Lent, of East Orange, yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bonnell and daughter of Stapleton were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hann, of North Avenue.

—Don't forget the Alumni Lecture at the Washington School, Monday night. Mr. Avis, the bird mimic, will give an illustrated lecture. Admission free.

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MEDIC'S BILL VETOED.

Governor Says It Would Place Osteopaths Under Law With Other Medical Schools.

HEARING ON THE ARMOUR CASE.

Lawyers Plead Before Governor In Effort To Have Beef Trust Magnate Requisitioned—Other Bills.

TRENTON, APRIL 19.—Governor Fort has made public the reasons he has for vetoing Assemblyman Ramsey's bill known as the Medical Bill. This measure if enacted into a law would place the osteopath physicians under the medical law in conjunction with several other schools of medicine. This measure has created much interest throughout the State and at a public hearing last week on the measure, the lie was passed between Governor Fort and Dr. Halsey, a well known medical practitioner. The Governor said that Dr. Halsey had lied about him before and after his election.

Governor Fort gave a hearing Monday on the matter of the requisition of J. Ogden Armour, of Chicago, to appear for trial in Hudson County, on a conspiracy charge in upholding the prices of food-stuffs. Richard V. Lindabury, of Newark, and Samuel Untermeyer, of New York, appeared against the granting of the requisition, and Prosecutor Garven and Attorney General Wilson pleaded for it. It was the contention of Mr. Armour's counsel that he was not a fugitive from justice, and unless he was, requisition papers should not be granted. They claimed that Mr. Armour had not fled from this State and therefore should not be extradited. The Governor withheld his decision.

No investigation of any sort has yet been ordered into the alleged scandalous behavior of a number of the members of the Legislature on the closing morning of the session. Following his disposing of the bills which the Legislature threw upon his hands, Governor Fort took up the consideration of the orgies, and after a consultation with Attorney General Wilson he wrote a letter to Speaker Ward, of the House, in which he laid the facts as they had come to him before the Speaker and said that it was obvious, if any action was to be taken, it should be investigated by the presiding member of the body whose members are involved. The letter called upon Speaker Ward to appoint a committee of the House to look into the charges and place the blame for the indiscretions upon the members who are responsible for the affair with the women. He is considering the matter and may make an announcement soon.

Governor Fort in signing the bill to continue the revaluation of the railroad properties of the State satisfied himself that the compromise measure, which was drawn by Mr. Edge, of Atlantic County, would not seriously retard the work. While according to the provisions of the measure it will be performed nominally in the name of the State Board of Assessors, it authorizes the appointment of one of the State Commissioners, who is to be approved by the Governor, and it will be practically under the supervision of this Commissioner that the revaluation will be carried on. Charles Hansel, of Cranford, it is understood, will be the Commissioner appointed.

One of the measures severely condemned by the Governor was Assemblyman White's bill, which would allow a corporation to furnish municipalities with salt water for fire and bathing purposes. In his veto message the Governor said: "In these days of special privileges this act comes as near being objectionable for that reason as any statute that could be passed under the guise of a general law. The franchise granted is broad enough to compass every municipality along or adjacent to the Atlantic Ocean, a distance of 127 miles within this State. It is gigantic in conception, and it would be difficult to predict just how extensive this corporation might become or how enormously profitable it might be made."

Another important bill vetoed by the Governor was Mr. Radcliffe's measure prohibiting the increase or decrease of the salary of a city official during the term for which he was appointed. The Governor said that the measure, if passed, would interfere with local self government and it was his opinion that the salaries of officials should be under the control and regulated by the body having charge of municipal affairs.

Retail Merchants Give "Dutch" Supper. The Retail Merchants Association held a Dutch supper and euchre at Arcadium Hall last Tuesday night. Over forty members and their wives were present and enjoyed the evening. Seven new members were initiated. After the business meeting all had a few hands at euchre while the committee prepared the supper of crullers and "hot dogs." The committee of arrangements was E. M. Walker and A. C. McMahon.

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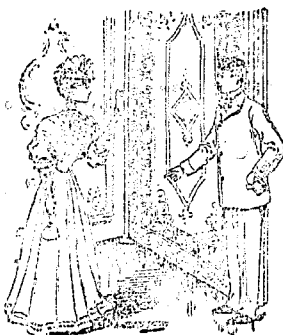
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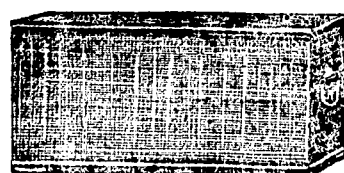
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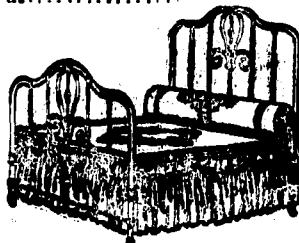
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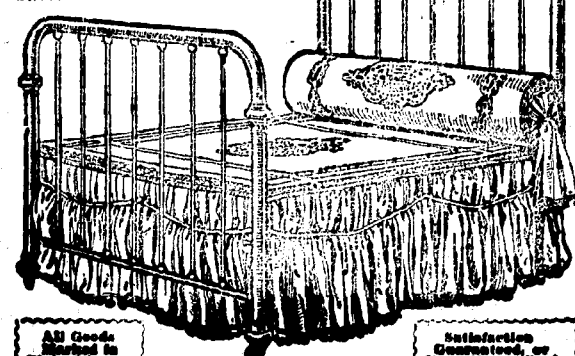
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Notice of Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that John M. C. Marsh, Edward F. Gilby and Henry C. Piker, the board of assessors in and for the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, have filed their reports, maps and assessments for special benefits for improvements under certain ordinances therein named. That they have ascertained the whole cost of materials, incidental grading and expense incurred in constructing the improvements therein named, and have assessed the lands and premises fronting on the improvements to the extent that they are specially benefited and the excess of the cost over special benefits was charged to the town at large. The ordinances, names of owners, frontages, and special assessments are as follows:

Lot No.	Name of owner.	Frontage.	Am't.
1	Wm. Gale	288	424.00
2	Wm. Richmond	175	196.00
3	Est. of Edmund L. Coles	159.1	179.57
4	Est. of Edmund L. Coles	160	179.50
5	Public School	350	381.65
6	Frank W. Cooper	180	192.05
7	Edw. C. Goodman	98	100.01
8	George E. Condit	98	101.78
9	Mabel J. Floyd	100	110.85
10	Oscar M. Arnold	154.25	100.46
11	Cornelia F. Alpers	154.25	152.48
12	Albert F. Winkler	50	52.05
13	Chauncey M. F. Egel	300	308.07
14	Sarah Daisley	50	54.88
15	James H. Townley	50	57.63
16	Jos. D. Bennett	100	103.70
17	Est. of Theo. S. Bird	43	43.48
			\$2500.41
Amount of excess of cost over special benefits to be paid and borne by the Town at large			493.00

Lot No.	Name of owner.	Frontage.	Am't.
1	Mary Wilcox	54.59	38.76
2	"	50.76	42.43
3	"	50	35.50
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FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1910.



For a Sane Fourth.

We used to think that Independence Day could not be fittingly observed without noise—cap pistols, revolvers, firecrackers, torpedoes, cannon and sundry other things calculated to produce racket more voluminous and nerve racking than Indian warwhoops. But since experience has taught us that this kind of celebration is extremely dangerous, we are trying, under the stress of law, to show our patriotism in some other and less hazardous way.

In many of the large cities of the country the sale of all kinds of explosives is prohibited from June 10 to July 10, and even in towns and townships where there is more room and freedom to celebrate as one chooses, the "Old Fashioned Fourth of July" celebration has been somewhat curtailed. There is still plenty of noise on the Natal Day, to be sure, but we used to have it for a whole week. Now we get it for just about twenty-four hours, followed by headache and amica.

There is a hope, reasonably entertained by many, that the time is not far distant when we shall really celebrate the Fourth after the manner of sane humans. The fact that we have been so slow to realize the need for the "suppression of unnecessary noise" may be attributed to paternal enthusiasm as much as anything else. We think the noise is all right until some one of our kindred is seriously, and possibly fatally, hurt. Then we lament the misfortune and condemn the cause of it.

There is reason in the plea for a sane Fourth. It costs money and the loss of life and limb to make a noise. Statistics gathered by the society for the Suppression of Unnecessary Noise, with headquarters in New York City, show that \$20,000,000 is spent annually for fireworks, and that during the celebration of five national holidays 1,153 persons were killed and 21,520 injured, not to mention the thousand and one cases of blood poisoning that have resulted from seemingly insignificant injuries.

All this economic waste and death is unnecessary to the cause of patriotism. Why destroy property, spend money extravagantly, bring disease, sorrow and death for the sake of giving vent to our patriotism, when there are so many harmless and less expensive ways in which the youth may celebrate and the grownups may enthuse?

Having formed the habit, it is hard to break it. Primarily law only acts as a restraining influence, and try as we may we cannot prohibit a noisy celebration unless the heads of families not only refuse to allow their children to use fireworks of any kind but provide a good substitute. Much rests upon the authorities in the enforcement of law, but more rests upon parents and guardians.

A sane celebration would be welcomed in Westfield this year. The time is ripe for it. And in looking for a worthy substitute for noise and burrah, a fete of some kind would

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do. Let the money which the head of the house spends for fireworks be funded, and let the Board of Trade or some other organization of citizens take charge of a celebration that will excite interest in the Town of Westfield and send all to bed at night with a feeling that the day has been profitably and agreeably celebrated—without pandemonium and without pain.

The Return of a Practical Preacher.

The return of the Rev. Dr. Addison Wilbur Hayes to the pastorate of the First Methodist Episcopal Church for a fourth year, is welcomed not only by the members of the church which he has so courageously and efficiently served, but also by the community in which, as the head of an influential religious body, he is a guiding spirit.

Dr. Hayes is endowed with qualities of mind and heart which give a certain affluence to his position as preacher. He is enthusiastic in the work of his calling, but he does not reckon on enthusiasm alone to win the day. He is intensely practical in his views of the gospel and of life. It is this quality perhaps, more than any other that makes him popular as a preacher and a man. Dr. Hayes brings his gospel to the minds and hearts of men by appealing to common sense, an appeal which cannot fail to win the respect of all, even if all are not to be convinced.

The First Methodist Church of Westfield is to be congratulated upon the return of a pastor who is so well qualified to lead in the great undertaking of building a new church edifice, a building consecrated to a great work, and standing as a concrete expression of the religious ideals and practices of a very substantial part of this community.

Send Freeholder Smith a Post Card.

Freeholder C. A. Smith, of the Boulevard, has received from the Department of Agriculture, at Washington, D. C., through Senator Keau, a case of flower and garden seeds for free distribution. All these varieties of seeds have been tested and may be obtained from Mr. Smith by sending him a postal stating the kinds and quantities wanted. The government gives these seeds free provided users send in the results of planting same to Washington, D. C.

—Saturday evening Mrs. C. G. Bliss gave a delightful entertainment at the Westfield Inn. Miss Margaret Bliss, Master Gunn, Messrs. Robert Stock, J. W. A. Davies, gave excellent musical numbers. Mr. C. G. Bliss told imitable stories in the Chinese dialect and Mr. Mason of New York gave a comic recitation. The teachers stopping at the Inn sang a number of breezy college songs. Refreshments and dancing followed.

—For the benefit of his insurance patrons Walter J. Lee has issued a booklet of inventory. Those calling at his office may obtain a copy gratis. The book is of value in settlement of insurance losses, and when written up is for a surprised knowledge of our household effect. See his advertisement on page 5 as to his "Human Interest Service" in insurance.

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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Baptist Church.

Services Sunday morning and evening at the hours of 10:30 and 7:45. The pastor, Rev. C. J. Greenwood will preach.

Sunday school at 12 o'clock. W. A. Dempsey, superintendent.

Junior C. E. at 3:30.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Ladies Aid Society Thursday afternoon in the church parlors.

Congregational Church.

Public worship at 10:30 a. m. Dr. Leomis will preach. Topic: "What is a Christian?"

The music will be: "The Lord is My Rock," Woodman; "The King of Love," Ballard; and soprano solo, "The Morn Eternal," Hayes.

Sunday school at 12:15.

Choral Vespers at 4:30 p. m. Du Bois' sacred cantata, "The Seven Last Words of Christ" will be sung. The soloists will be Miss Beaumont, soprano; Mr. Smock, of New York, tenor; and Mr. Alfred M. Best, baritone. The choir trained and conducted by Mr. Best consists of 25 voices.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:15. Topic: "Christ Winning the World."

Next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock service of preparation for the Lord's Supper with lecture by the pastor.

A dinner with addresses following in the interest of the Layman's Missionary Movement is to be given by the men of the church next Thursday evening.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

The pastor, Rev. A. W. Hayes, will preach on the following subjects tomorrow: Morning, "What Does the Church Stand for Today?" evening, "Hitting the Mark."

Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

Bible Study Class on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock in the church parlors.

Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

Junior League meeting this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock.

Class meeting on Friday evening at eight o'clock. Leader J. S. A. Witke.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday—Public worship at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. The pastor, Rev. W. I. Steans, D. D., will preach at both services; 12 m. Bible School. An adult Bible Class is conducted by Dr. J. J. Savitz; 3:15 Junior Christian Endeavor; 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Subject: "Christ Winning the World." John 12: 20-23.

Monday, 8 p. m.—Boys' Brigade Drill.

Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Mid-week prayer service.

Cantata at Congregational Church.

A sacred cantata, "The Seven Last Words from the Cross," by Th. DuBois, will be sung at a special service in the Congregational Church on Sunday next at 4:30 p. m. The soprano solos will be sung by Miss Beaumont of New York, who has been engaged for the quartet for the ensuing year; the tenor solos by Clarence M. Smock of New York; and the baritone solos by Alfred M. Best. They will be supported by a chorus of twenty-five voices.

I beg to announce to the people of Westfield and vicinity that I have added to my lunch room on Broad St. a full line of Delicatessen. I do my own cooking and request the people of this town to patronize home trade. I will do all in my power to please and satisfy my customers.

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Administrator's Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, administrator of Benjamin Osborn deceased, will be audited and stated by the surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the eighteenth day of May next.

ALBERT H. MCINTOSH,
CORRA N. WILLIAMS, Proctor,
Dated April 13, 1910.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Annie M. Smith, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Forster, Esq., Judge of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, administrator, et al., of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the undersigned under oath or affirmation their claims against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the thirty-first day of March, 1910, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber. Claims may be presented to Ross Newton Crane, Proctor, Plainfield, N. J.

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TO LET—Cozy house, next public library, with or without barn. W. G. Peckham.

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WANTED—Young girl to take care of baby and assist with housework. Mrs. Schenck, 157 Elm street.

MAID WANTED—For general housework. No washing. 151 Harrison avenue.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 512 Westfield Avenue.

TO RENT—House 6 rooms, \$15.00. Enquire Robert Mitchell, 371 Cumberland street.

PLAT TO LET—To adults only. Wolfert's hardware store.

TO LET—Six room house. Inquire 332 New York avenue.

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 409 Summit avenue.

FOR SALE—Large refrigerator, hall and stair carpets, beds, bureaus, dressers, chairs, stoves, coal burning, stoves, couches, etc. 24 Clark street.

FOR SALE—Five barrels chicken droppings. 222 Clark street.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Large house on Harrison avenue; 9 rooms, all improvements. John S. Locke, 693 Clark street.

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BOARD WANTED—By young laboring man. Must be reasonable. Lock Box 665 Westfield.

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WANTED—A bright and industrious young lady age 18, with a high school education, to fill position as filing clerk with a corporation New York City. Address J. W. B. Standard.

R. F. Hohenstein has bought the Barton building and lands on North avenue; the deed was put through this week.

Hurt by Falling Plaster.

While Mr. and Mrs. W. Moffet and their daughter, Genevieve, were eating supper at their home on Quimby street, the ceiling fell and bruised Mrs. Moffet and her daughter severely.

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Saturday, April 30th, 1910.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Randall last Sunday.

—Mrs. Charles Darsh, of Broadstreet, is visiting friends in Baltimore.

—Uncle Alfred Pearsall is spending a few days at Old Point Comfort.

—The Town Council will hold an adjourned meeting, Monday night.

—Court President, I. O. F. will hold a regular meeting Monday night.

—Chauncey D. Smith has returned from his auto trip to Oneonta, N. Y.

—The Riding and Driving Club held a meeting at the Westfield Inn last night.

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Thomson, Lawrence avenue, on Sunday.

—Major Walter K. Wheatley is an editorial writer for the Elizabeth Evening Times.

—A Mr. Huffman is soon to start the erection of a new home on Prospect street, on the Frutchey tract.

—The Westfield Retail Merchants Association held a Dutch supper in Arcanum Hall, Tuesday night.

—C. E. Smith, of Westfield avenue, is on a business trip at Atlanta, Jacksonville, Florida and New Orleans.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Loyal Association, Union Council No. 5, was held last evening in Arcanum Hall.

—Contractor H. C. Piker has commenced the erection of a residence for Merton D. Littlefield, on Ellingham Place.

—Clinton T. Revere is in the South, traveling through the cotton belt in the interest of Dick Bros. & Co., of New York.

—Miss Edna Brinkerhoff, of New York City, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Embree of Clark street for the week end.

Mr. William H. Grigg, Sr., has returned home from the New York hospital where he underwent an operation. He wishes through the STANDARD to thank his friends for their many kind remembrances and inquiries during his illness.

—Dr. R. W. Brady and family after passing a delightful winter at Crescent City, Florida, visited for a couple of weeks with Mrs. Brady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Grigg, of Park street, previous to returning to their home in Honesdale, Pa., last Saturday.

—The last heard of George W. Frutchey, who, with his wife, has been "doing" the west, he was in the mountain section of Colorado, but headed for Westfield. In a letter to a Westfield friend, druggist Frutchey says that while he has enjoyed his trip immensely, he will be glad to get back to little old Westfield.

—L. M. Pearsall is having a fire proof auto barn erected in the rear of his Carleton Road lot.

—C. D. Smith has secured the agency for the little Demot runabout, for Union and Essex Counties.

—Moses A. Hoppock is making extensive plans for the development of his Clark street property.

—Miss Lucy Starr, of Yonkers, N. Y., has been visiting her sister Mrs. L. A. Clark, of Stanley Oval.

—Star of Westfield Council, Daughters of America, will hold a regular meeting in Arcanum Hall tonight.

—The local public schools will celebrate Arbor and Bird Day by appropriate exercises on Friday, May 6.

—Miss Catharine Alpers of Elm street, was the guest of Miss Edith Palmer, of Fairwood, for the week end.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slater expect to take possession of their new home on the Boulevard within the next ten days or two weeks.

—Mrs. S. Hutton returned to her home on Clark street, last Saturday after spending three weeks with friends in New York City.

—The game with the Plainfield High School baseball team scheduled for last Monday with the local High School nine was postponed on account of rain.

—Hiram L. Fink represented the Presbyterian Church of Westfield at the meeting of the Presbytery of Elizabeth, at Hope Chapel, Plainfield, Wednesday.

—Atlas Lodge, F. & A. M. had a big time at the regular meeting in Masonic Hall last Monday night. Several new candidates were given the "third degree."

—Mr. and Mrs. A. H. H. Moody and family moved to Westfield from Brooklyn this week. Mr. Moody is a member of the I. O. S., and formerly resided in Westfield.

—Charlie Kimball's handsome new home out on Railway avenue, is fast nearing completion. "Charlie" says he is going to have an old fashioned house warming before many moons.

—Herbert L. Abrams has just finished decorating his Prospect street home, inside and out and now has mechanics completely renovating his Dudley avenue house, recently vacated by C. G. Bliss.

—The local High School baseball nine will play the Roselle Park High School team at Roselle Park next Wednesday afternoon, and the North Plainfield High School nine at North Plainfield next Saturday.

—Master Randolph Baker entertained a number of his little friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker, West Broad street, last Monday afternoon in honor of his seventh birthday. A pleasant time was had by those present.

—M. B. Dutcher, A. N. Pierson, E. T. Cairns, F. E. Wheeler and H. C. Hibbs have been appointed as the committee to consider the plans for the improvements to be made to the interior of the Presbyterian parish house. It is proposed to make the Sunday school room into a large auditorium.

—The work of contractor Fedderman in laying cement sidewalks along the Pearsall property out Prospect street, is being watched with considerable interest by several members of the Town Council. It is understood that a number of the Council favor cement walks in preference to blue stone flagging.

—L. M. Pearsall is spending most of his spare time now-a-days getting "wise" to the numerous levers, back pedals, and push buttons on his new Chalmers-Detroit automobile. He says it's more trouble to tune this machine than it is to tune an 18 foot Melrose, Florida, alligator.

—Mrs. A. A. Smith, of Harrison avenue, has returned from a visit in Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Coddling and son of the Boulevard, went to Chicago last Friday.

—F. H. Ungerer and family have moved from Westfield avenue to Kimball avenue.

—Don't forget the Columbia Glee Club concert at the Congregational Church tonight.

—Mrs. Charles Johnson is seriously ill at her home, corner of South avenue and Broad street.

—The large trees on the property of William Pierson on West Broad street have been removed.

—Letter Carrier Percy DeLong is ill at his home on Park street with inflammatory rheumatism.

—The High School Glee Club will give a concert in the Washington School tomorrow night.

—Councilman and Mrs. E. D. Floyd of Elm street, have gone to Old Point Comfort for a short trip.

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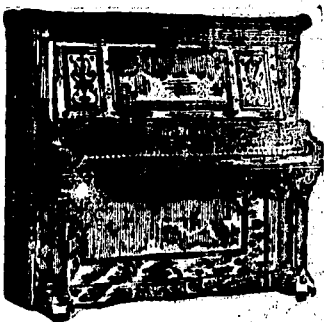
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Arbor Day May 6.

Last spring a good many people failed to have knowledge of Arbor Day because no proclamation was made by the Governor as had been the custom. The proclamation was not made, and will not be made this year, because the law now provides that in New Jersey the first Friday in May in each year shall be designated and observed as Arbor Day. The observance this year will therefore be on May 6th and the State Forester urges that it be made an occasion to emphasize the special needs of this State with respect to its forests.

When Nebraska started Arbor Day back in the seventies, the school children planted trees and the older people planted trees because the State had few forests, and trees were needed to protect the homes against sun and wind, to furnish lumber and firewood, and to civilize the newly established communities. This was logical and right, but New Jersey has never had the same need. We once had too much forest and still have quite enough—such as it is. We need more shade trees of course, and in some localities may well have more forests, yet our chief aim should be rather to improve what we have than to strive for more. The State is fortunate in having a great area of woodland on which are at once the remnants and the germs of valuable forests. The land that needs to be planted is comparatively insignificant.

New Jersey's problem is forest fires! Year after year they ravage the woods, destroy the young trees and impoverish the soil. These must be stopped or all hope of better forests be given up. That they can be stopped, or at least controlled, is proved by the experience of other nations. The task is no easy one, for a whole people must be educated and the habits of generations be broken up, yet the record of the Forest Commission for the past three years shows a steady progress. Let the children be taught that every forest fire, no matter how slight, is harmful because it destroys the young trees, and because it robs the soil of the food—the decaying leaves, twigs and bits of bark upon which the forest trees as well as the young ones live. A fire set thoughtlessly in a dry grass field may, often does, run into the woods and do great damage. Let all the people know that in no way can forestry be so advanced as by upholding and strengthening the forest fire service which aims to stop these burnings. The State has two hundred fire-wardens, it needs more; it has three hundred miles of wide fire lines, it needs ten times as much; it must have above all the active support, not merely the passive good will, of every man, woman and child. If Arbor Day shall give this it will have accomplished as much for New Jersey as it has for Nebraska, or can accomplish for any State.

Harold and Miss Knight Entertain.

Miss Alice Knight and Harold Knight entertained over sixty of their friends at their home in Fairwood last Friday night. Mr. Harry Westerfelt, of Newark, was at the piano with all the latest tunes. Ask some one who was there about "Fifty" and "Belows." "Hello" joke. At midnight refreshments were served, after which dancing was resumed. Through the kindness of General Passenger Agent Hope, the 2:10 Philadelphia express was stopped to bring the Westfield merry makers home.

Those present were the following: Misses Edith Palmer, Anna Sue Outwater, Marie Boies, Katharine Todd, Helen Hall, Dorothy Beeken, of Fairwood. Katherine Knight, of Pittsfield, Mass. Helen Wilson, Francis Russell, Catharine Alpers, Mildred Bunce, Grace Collins, Katherine Bourne, Adele Codding, Pauline Hall, Madelyn Worth, Katharine Felt, Edith Maie Gladwin, Hilda Phautt, Helen Griffiths, Marion Keyes, Gladys Russell.

Leroy Becker, Donald Taggart, John Carter, John Thompson, Theodore Knight, Jack Todd, John Kye, Clifford Hall, Robert Kye, Norman Kieh and Mr. Todd, of Fairwood. John Uhler and Robert Hello Belows, of Netherwood. Frank Traynor, Robert Hamford, George (Sue) Delator, Dudley Green, Robert Keyes, Edwin Shield, Raymond Cherry, Clifford Belows, Charles Taylor, Jack Elliott, "Rabbit" Sisserson, Lloyd Meyers, George Elliott, Harry and Edward Parker and Spencer Engage, Westfield. Fritz Reinisch, of New York City. Frank Charles, Eugene Lidgate, LeRoy Gates, of Plainfield.

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OPPOSE ASSESSMENT.

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presented in legal form. Ordinances were introduced for the following improvements: Eight-inch sewer in Maple street, from Harrison avenue to Chestnut street; macadamizing of Lawrence avenue; sewer in Lawrence avenue, 497 feet northwest of Sinclair place, and sewer in Lenox avenue, from St. Paul to Elmer streets. The evening of May 16 was set for public hearing upon these proposed improvements.

Action upon the proposed improvement of Summit avenue was deferred until the next meeting. The petition for vacating of certain streets in the Germantown section was returned to the petitioners upon legal advice that the petition was not in the proper form for the action of the council.

Action upon the report of the Board of Assessors on macadamizing of streets in Terrace Park section was deferred upon request of the Westfield Real Estate Company, which sent a letter to the council stating that it wanted to fully understand the assessment. The contract to improve Elm street macadam was awarded to the Weldon Contracting Company. This company bid eight and one-fifth cents for tarvia.

The council adjourned to meet next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All the members of council were present. During the recess the council was in secret session with Colonel Hine for over an hour. The matters discussed were not made known.

NINTH ANNUAL COLLECTION.

Much Clothing Given to Needlework Guild for Distribution.

The ninth annual collection and exhibition of the Westfield Branch of the Needlework Guild of America, was held in the Presbyterian Parish House last Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was well attended and great enthusiasm was shown in contributing garments. The garments collected for this year amounted to 1436, an increase of 82 over last year. Sister Miriam, of St. Katharine's Home, Jersey City, spoke to the members on the work of the organization and how the articles were used and appreciated by those benefitted. Mrs. J. Norris Socke, of Clark street, addressed the meeting in behalf of the Sunshine Society of New Jersey, and told of the importance of their work. She made a plea for the Arthur Home for Blind Babies of New Jersey, which the Sunshine Society organized. The beneficiaries were, Children's Country Home, Westfield, 332; Elizabeth General Hospital, 175; Home for Crippled Children, Elizabeth, 75; Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, 102; New York City Mission, 140; Newark Orphan Asylum, (Cole's Home in Mountainside), 130; Home for the Incurable, New Brunswick, 60; St. Katharine, Jersey City, 100; Arthur Home for Blind Babies, Summit, N. J., 80. The remainder of the articles will be retained as an emergency lot. The garments consisted of every kind of wearing apparel and household linen. The organization is non-sectarian.

BIG TIME AT DINNER.

Largest Attendance Ever at I. O. S. Anniversary Celebration.

If loyalty and enthusiasm count at all in the life of an organization, they are the most potent factors in the progress of the I. O. S. of Westfield. This was made evident at the eighteenth anniversary celebration in the Elk room of Reisenweber's restaurant, New York, last Friday night.

At the board sat every active member of the organization, and by the side of each sat those who share their pleasures and make important events more important and interesting by their encouragement and co-operation—the I. O. S. girls. The eighteenth anniversary celebration was marked by the largest attendance in the history of the organization, and certainly all who took part use superlatives to express their appreciation of the good time.

There was a good dinner, well served, a couple of colored artists to sing and play the latest popular "Broadway hits," and following the feast, dancing, interspersed with reminiscences of days gone by, and prophesies of days to come.

Those who attended were: President and Mrs. George T. Crutenden, Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Condit, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. P. Basnell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Harden, Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas LeClear, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. H. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ungerer, Miss Bessie Smith, Miss Choate, of Brooklyn; William J. Bogert, Jr., Seymour Ferris, Eugene A. Jones, John McCormick, Frederick S. Taggart, Arthur D. Tuttle. The committee in charge was: George T. Crutenden, Fred P. Condit, William J. Bogert, Jr.

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The Standard Census Contest Began Tuesday, February 1 and Continues Through February, March and April.

As heretofore announced in the STANDARD prizes will be given to guessers as to the population of Westfield in 1910, according to the federal census to be taken next Spring. The terms of the contest are as follows:

To the one making nearest correct guess as to the population of Westfield, a prize of Ten Dollars in gold will be given; to the one making the next nearest guess Five Dollars in gold will be given; and to the third, will be given a year's subscription to the STANDARD. All guesses must be addressed "Census Contest" and sent to the STANDARD by May first. It is not necessary to be a subscriber to the paper. All ages, colors, creeds and nationalities are welcome. This offer should appeal to the bright boys and girls of Westfield, who are always glad to get money either for spending or to start a bank account, or would be glad to get a bright, independent new paper, every week for a year.

The contest will open February 1st, 1910 and close April 30th, 1910. All guesses must be made over the signature of the contestant. No aliases allowed.

Cut this out, and fill in blank, and mail or deliver to "Census Contest," STANDARD, Westfield, N. J.

Census Contest:

THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD.

I guess that the population of Westfield as determined by the census enumeration in the year 1910 will be _____

Name _____

Address _____

—The Westfield baseball team, managed by J. C. Tobin will play Danellen at Danellen tomorrow afternoon.

—Westfield Camp, Woodmen of the World will hold its regular monthly meeting in Odd Fellows Hall tonight.

—J. H. Downey and family will move to Brooklyn in May. Mr. Downey has sold his residence in Ferris Place.

—Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M. will hold a euchre and dance in Odd Fellows Hall next Friday night.

—Walter Schweinfurth who is employed in Virginia is spending a few days with his parents on Union avenue.

—Rev. and Mrs. W. I. Steans and Charles McDougall and children have returned from their trip to Old Point Comfort.

—Philadelphia talent will give an entertainment for the benefit of the W. C. T. U. in the hall on Prospect street Saturday evening.

—Companion Court, Lady Foresters, are planning to hold an entertainment in Odd Fellows Hall on Tuesday evening, May 17th.

—Rocco Dughi entertained twenty-five relatives and friends last Sunday, the occasion being the christening of the youngest of the family.

—The Italian Republican Club in this town has been reorganized and will hold regular meetings. There are twenty-eight naturalized members.

—The local High School baseball team was defeated by the Cranford High School nine by the score of 14-5 last Wednesday afternoon at Cranford.

—The Columbia University Glee and Mandolin Clubs will give a concert tonight in the Congregational Church for the benefit of the church building fund.

—Ethelyn Tomlinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tomlinson of Downer street, will sail tomorrow for England where she will spend a year with relatives.

—The census enumerators are busy these days. Charles Taggart is looking after the first ward; Arthur Clark the second, Frank R. Baker the fourth and Mr. Porter from Elizabeth the third.

—Mr. Manton, until recently employed by the Ware & Dalley Dry Goods Co., of Passaic, has accepted a position with the F. H. Schaefer Dry Goods Co., of Westfield. He will assume his new post on Monday.

—Court Provident, I. O. F., No. 3130 held their first annual dance and reception at the Westfield Casino last Friday night. Over one hundred couples danced all the evening. At midnight refreshments were served. The music was supplied by Tompkins orchestra of Westfield. The committee of arrangements was J. C. Tobin, J. R. Lambert, E. T. Carlson, James Barclay and Grover Traynor.

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A Query from a Citizen's Mother.

WESTFIELD, N. J., Apr. 18, 1910.
MR. EDITOR:—What has become of the new dog law, or the police, that so many dogs are seen lately with no muzzle on, or with the muzzle put on so conveniently loose that the dog can rub it off, and is at large with muzzle hanging around the neck instead of over the mouth. For a few days the law was strictly enforced and the children and others were safe. Only last Thursday I entered a public place and seeing the dog loose and unmuzzled I asked her why her dog was loose, and she replied, "That they would rather the police would take the dog than muzzle him." Where the public is invited to enter, and the police know such parties keep a dog, they should find out if the law is enforced.

A CITIZEN'S MOTHER.

Prize Contest at Casino.

Westfield Casino, Elm Street near Broad.

\$10.00 in cash prizes, for the best last line answers to the following incomplete Limerick:

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With the Ladies just walk Elm Street
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\$5.00 first prize, \$3.00 second prize and \$1.00 each for the two next best answers.

Each admission to the theatre entitles you to one chance. Leave your answers at ticket office on entering theatre.

Contest closes Monday, May 13, 1910, the winning answers will be announced on the picture curtain. Friday evening, May 19, 1910.

Devitt C. Peek, of the Leader, and Robert V. Hoffman, editor of the STANDARD have consented to act as judges.—Adv.

Fireside Sprinters Finish Strong.

About 135 members were present at the annual indoor races and games of Fireside Council, R. A., last Thursday evening. The three-legged race was won by Frederick and Vaughn over Dr. Butler and Doerner, after a clever and exciting contest. The egg and spoon race developed great enthusiasm. Both winners and losers were heavily backed by loyal supporters. Four heats were run off, the winners being Schaefer, Peek, Bray and Washburn. The seconds were Lee, Winter, Platt and Welch. Davenport, by a phenomenal burst of speed that surprised even his friends, won the sack race; but special mention is due Hall and Canfield for their clever tumbling. All the winners and seconds received suitable prizes. Trigonometry Beach gave W. L. Erbeck a handsome umbrella, and A. Schaarschmidt a membership button for getting new members.

Fireside Council now has 365 members and is in a flourishing condition. Murray and his degree team are doing excellent work. Refreshments were served by A. Schaarschmidt.

The Suburbanite to Feature Westfield.

Little old Westfield is to be featured in the May edition of the Suburbanite—in fact practically the whole edition will be given up to the interests of Westfield. The Suburbanite has done much toward making towns along the Jersey Central known throughout the country—in fact the C. R. R. of N. J. is backing the publication. The Westfield edition next month will not only be well illustrated with views of Westfield homes and beautifully shaded trees, but will contain many announcements from the business people of the Town.

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Tuttle Bros. Announce

The usual Spring Reduction in the price of Coal.

The April prices are as follows:

EGG	-	-	-	\$6.00 per ton
STOVE	-	-	-	6.00 " "
CHESTNUT or NUT	-	-	-	6.00 " "
PEA	-	-	-	4.50 " "

The above prices are for coal delivered in your bins with no extra charge for carrying.

ORDER YOUR WINTER SUPPLY OF COAL NOW.

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The Store for Men and Women and the Little Ones.

Every article in Men's Furnishings can be found in the Men's Department of our store. Exclusive agents for Westfield of exclusive brands.

Special attention has been paid to special features of all things necessary for men's wear. In the past mere man has been satisfied with the ordinary and fixed styles in Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Neckwear, Collars, Shirts, and other accessories.

Today the successful store must satisfy the more critical demands of the men who know.

Magazine, newspaper and special advertising has turned out a post-graduate class of men who want what they want and nothing else will do.

We made provision and planned our campaign for the present season many months ago.

The price, the style, the cut, the colors, the brands are correct, are up-to-date, and we have what you want.

The Cluett Shirt is a feature of this department. The new styles have just arrived and our store, in conjunction with all other progressive men's furnishing establishments in the country, will give a Cluett Week. Cluett, Peabody & Co. have so timed their deliveries that their patrons will be enabled to make a national display of the new Cluett Shirts simultaneously. All Cluett Shirts \$1.50.

In addition to the Cluett Shirt, we know that we have the best DOLLAR SHIRT manufactured, which is known as the Sanopariel Shirt.

To supply the demand for a cheaper garment we have selected the GIANT SHIRT, which in appearance, fit, size, and quality cannot be excelled for the price 50c and 59c. We guarantee this shirt to give satisfaction and recommend it.

The Arrow Brand Collars are the most popular and are probably worn by three-fourths of the men of the country today. We carry the quarter sizes and specially call attention to the Belmont and Chester, which have the Arrow Notch Button Hole. These two styles are the best close fitting collars on the market at the present time. We will gladly demonstrate the manner of adjustment. If properly done, this collar is more readily adjusted than the old style collar.

We carry in stock all sizes, including the quarters, in the following shapes: Carlton, Olympic, Altro, Arbeka, Meyrick, Cantara, Colbert, Brockly, Ashbourne, Hurlston, Arcanum, Tremont, Raritan, Algona, Aurania, Aldiron, Cantab A, Cantab 3, and many other shapes.

Interwoven Socks. The concern manufacturing this hose has given us the exclusive agency for Westfield and we are privileged to refund the money on every pair of hose that may be returned to us, the same having failed to give satisfaction. This hose is retailed at 25c the world over, and is made in every weight and color.

We also have the exclusive agency for the famous Hale Proof, Buster Brown and "Knotair" stockings, guaranteed to wear six months. Night Robes and Pajamas can be had in all qualities and styles. We sell only the well known Sanopariel Shirts and Night Robes. Collarless Night Shirts will soon have the call and we have them in sheer nainsook, cambrics and muslins, Pajamas in madras and cambric.

In former times four or five styles of summer underwear would suffice. Today we carry over twenty styles of MEN'S UNDERGARMENTS. Porous Knit, B. V. D. Nainsook, Seivette, Dollar Silk, Otis Balbriggan, are a few of the nationally known brands that can be obtained at the Schaefer Store in all the shapes and cuts suitable for summer wearing. These well known brands are made in the athletic cut shirts, knee drawers and union suits.

Common Sense Suspenders, "Boston," "Double Clasp," "Paris" and "Brighton" Hose Supporters, Kaiser Neckwear, washable Four-in-Hands and Bat Wing Ties are all to be found in this popular department.

A careful perusal of this ad. will demonstrate our claim that we consistently carry only Standard Brands, having a fixed and established value.

Special! Pure Silk socks, 50c pair, in tan, black, gray and navy. This is the first time in the history of sock manufacture that a fine silk hose could be retailed at 50c.

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