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Mr. Mayor

Mr. Mayor and Town Council:

For something over a year there has been a difference of opinion between the Council and the Public Service as to the rights of the latter in placing poles about the streets of Westfield to furnish street lights and house service. The squabble is still on. The Public Service claim by legal action taken by the Town of Westfield they have been prevented from placing light poles in the new and rapidly growing sections of Westfield and therefore cannot serve new customers. In the meantime, conservatively estimated, there are now homes occupied and unoccupied, to the value of over \$75,000, without light service. We are told that Vice Chancellor Emory has informed the Council that the granting of permits for the placing of new poles to furnish this much needed lighting service, will in no way compromise the Council in their present action against the Public Service. Why are not these permits granted? Come, gentlemen of the Council, have this matter settled now. It has been in the courts over a year. Are you pushing Westfield's side of the case?

WHY

The Peersall Company
Peersall Building.

READY FOR SCHOOL

Dr. Savitz Back at the Desk
Preparing for the Opening
On September 13.

LARGE ATTENDANCE IS EXPECTED.

Teachers to Assemble on the 12th for Preliminary Meetings—Many Changes in Faculty This Year.

The Westfield Public Schools will open on Tuesday, September 13, 1910, for the term of 1910-1911.

For the convenience of parents, the Principal will be in his office in the Washington Building to enroll pupils on Saturday, Sept. 10, 1910.

Monday, Sept. 12, will be devoted to teacher's meetings preliminary to the opening of the schools.

All High School students are requested to call at the Washington School office prior to the opening of the schools for an enrollment blank. The office will be open during the usual school hours after Sept. 6th for this purpose.

During the school term the Principal will be in his office on school days from 8 to 9 a. m. daily and from 3 to 4 p. m. except on Tuesdays and Thursdays. During these hours he will be glad to confer with patrons concerning the welfare of pupils. During school hours he may be seen at one of the school buildings by appointment.

The following new teachers have been engaged to take the place of those who have resigned:—

High School—B. H. Jones, a graduate and post-graduate of Yale, who taught in the Mauch Chunk High School last year, will teach history and elementary mathematics. Roy F. Snyder, a graduate of Lafayette and the Easton Business College will teach the Commercial Branches. For the last two years he had full charge of the Commercial Branches and athletics in the Nutley High School.

Grammar Department—Miss Christabel Robinson, a New York Normal graduate, who has taught at Bayshore High School and the Weingart Institute, will teach English Composition. Melvin E. Baish resigns a position as teacher of Natural Science in the Huntington, Pa. High School to teach the same subjects here. He is a graduate of the Cumberland Valley Normal School. Miss Edna Hotelling resigns a position in the Morristown schools to teach U. S. History. She is an Oneonta graduate and has taught a number of years in the best schools.

Primary Schools—Miss Lillian Ottinger, a graduate of Bridgeton Seminary and former student at Cornell, who has been principal of a school at Bridgeton, N. J., will teach in the McKinley School.

Miss Leila Sterner, an honor graduate of the East Stroudsburg Normal School, will teach in the same building. She has taught the last two years at Montvale, N. J.

Miss Fannie M. Crist, an Oneonta graduate of six year's experience will also teach in this building.

Miss Alice T. Penny, a former teacher at Freeport and Yonkers, will teach in the Lincoln Building. She is a New Paltz Normal graduate.

Miss Sara W. Curtis, a graduate of

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William Sutton Badly Injured.

While working in the Aeolian factory at Garwood, Wednesday afternoon, William Sutton, who lives on Downer street, this place, met with a serious accident. He was employed in the mill room and was working at a planer with a quarter inch board when his left hand, which was on the board, slipped and before he could draw it away was caught by the planer and three of his fingers were completely severed from the hand. He was immediately taken to the hospital in the factory and Drs. Sinclair and Decker summoned, after they had dressed the hand Mr. Sutton was brought to his home. This is the second time the planer has caught Mr. Sutton's hand, the first time being about three weeks ago, at this time the fingers were only nipped. Mr. Sutton has been employed in the factory about two months.

Closing Exercises of the Netherwood Summer Home.

The closing exercises of the Netherwood Summer Home will be held on Sunday, September 4th at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the work are cordially invited to attend.

This has been Miss Curry's most successful summer, caring for over 4,000 from 2 weeks old up to 90 years.

SCHOOL QUESTION TO BE SETTLED AT BOARD MEETING, TUESDAY.

Call for Special Election Will Soon Be Issued.

The call for the special school election to determine where the new school will be built, will probably be made in the near future. The Board of Education will meet in the Washington school Tuesday night, at which time, it is thought action will be taken. The Board is anxious to get the matter out of the way and to have the school built as quickly as possible. School accommodations are not adequate to needs at this time. The delay in calling the election has been due to the desire of the Board to wait the return of the people from their summer vacations so that a full expression of opinion can be obtained.

Two propositions will be offered; one for the building of an addition to the Washington school at a cost of \$65,000. This proposition was carried at the last school election, but was held in abeyance because of the unsettled state of public opinion as to the practicability and popularity of the plan.

The other proposition is to buy land opposite Stanley Quay in the East Broad street section and to erect thereon an eight-room school. This proposition carries with it an appropriation of \$60,000.

FOUND DEAD IN BED WITH THE GAS TURNED ON.

Giuseppe Dughi Thought to Have Committed Suicide.

Giuseppe Dughi, age sixty-nine years, was found dead in his bed at the home of his daughter, over McMahon's grocery store, yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. Death was due to asphyxiation. It is not known whether Dughi committed suicide or blew out the gas, but the circumstances point to his having taken his own life.

His home was in Commerce street, Newark, and he was in Westfield on a visit. He has been in poor health for some time and had recently had a severe attack of nervous prostration. He retired early last night, and when he did not arise at his accustomed hour yesterday morning one of the family went to call him. When she opened the door of his room she had difficulty in entering because of the flood of gas. Mr. Dughi had then been dead for several hours.

County Physician Westcott was called in, and after an examination, he granted permit to remove the body to Newark for burial. Undertaker Lambert is in charge.

Mr. Dughi is survived by four children, only one of whom, Mrs. Rocco Dughi, the oldest child, is married. There are two sons and two daughters. The burial took place this morning at the Holy Scepter Cemetery, Newark.

BOYS STEAL BICYCLES.

Wheels Belonging to Westfielders Recovered in Plainfield.

L. E. Hart and John Long are grieving over the loss of their bicycles which were taken from the side of the fence on Northavenue, Wednesday afternoon, while the men were inside the Hart flats doing some work. When they came out to go down town they found that their wheels were gone. They at once notified the police and the chief and his men started out on a still hunt after the thieves. Two colored boys were seen in the neighborhood and were arrested on suspicion but were afterward let go as they proved they had not stolen the wheels.

It was afterwards learned that the wheels were stolen by John Harris, colored, and Arthur Saydam, white, of Plainfield. Through the efforts of Chief O'Neil, the wheels were recovered; one was found at Dog Corners and the other on Front street, Plainfield. The two boys were arrested and will be arraigned before Judge Toucey to-day. As both are minors, Major Irwin, the probation officer of the Juvenile Court, has been called into the case by Chief O'Neil.

Labor Day in the Churches.

There will be special emphasis laid upon Labor Day in the services in many churches throughout the State next Sunday. Organized labor is showing a particular interest this year in these services and the American Federation of Labor has urged its members to attend when it is possible for them to do so.

At the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Westfield there is to be a special service under the auspices of the Men's League at 7:45 p. m. Dr. A. W. Hayes is to speak on "The Dignity, Duty and Drift of American Labor."

TWO JANITORS NOW. THE SLATE COMPLETE.

Councilman Casey Affirms His Right to Maintain Thomas Jones and Defies Mayor.

JUDGE NEWCORN IS HIS COUNSEL.

Lively Doings Promised at Meeting Tuesday Night—Councilman Says Colleagues Will Support Him.

From the present outlook there will be some lively doings at the meeting of the common council to be held next Tuesday evening. Councilman Casey in an interview with a "Standard" representative yesterday afternoon said that he would challenge the mayor's right to appoint some one over his head as chairman of the property committee and that he would be represented by Judge William Newcorn, of Plainfield. Mr. Casey also said that he was still chairman of the committee notwithstanding the mayor had given orders to the new chairman which he had appointed to do the work.

Acting under the order from the Mayor, Councilman Smith has put in Charles Lane as janitor while Councilman Casey is still continuing Thomas Jones on the job, contending that he has not resigned. It is said that both men are now doing the work at the town rooms and both claim that they are entitled to the job.

Councilman Casey says he will have a majority of the members of the council on his side Tuesday night and has no fear of the result. He says he has done his duty at all times since he became councilman and says that a good deal of the neglected work is up to the Mayor and not up to him.

There seems to be a difference of opinion as to whether Mayor Alpers had a right to appoint another over Councilman Casey's head and depose him from the chairmanship of the committee. This opinion is evenly divided and the next meeting is awaited with not a little curiosity. Some citizens contend that after the mayor appoints his committee at the beginning of the year he has no right to change them during the term. Mr. Casey claims that the term "mayor" is a misnomer and that Mr. Mayor Alpers is actually only a councilman-at-large with no further power than that given him by the entire council.

Mayor Alpers has been away on his vacation this week. He was in town last night, but an effort to reach him was unsuccessful. It is said that he has nothing whatever to add to his previous declaration that Mr. Casey was not doing his work properly and that he, the appointive officer, had the power to change his chairman of committees at any time.

CARRIES CENT IN HIS THROAT FOR FIVE DAYS.

X-Ray Examination and Physician's Care Spare Everett Smith to Parents.

Everett Smith, three years old, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Smith, of the Boulevard, half-swallowed a cent on Tuesday of last week, at Ashbury Park, where the Smiths were enjoying a vacation. Efforts on the part of the parents to help the little sufferer were unsuccessful, and he was brought to Westfield. Dr. J. B. Harrison, the family physician was consulted and he advised an X-ray examination. Young Everett was taken to a New York hospital on Saturday and the examination disclosed the penny lodged in the throat. The cent was removed without surgical operation. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Smith are offering their congratulations upon the certain recovery of Master Everett.

M. B. Sneverly Wins Golf Trophy.

M. B. Sneverly won the handsome silver prize cup of the midsummer competition at the Westfield Golf Club which closed on Saturday. Sneverly won the competition by defeating Fred Hegeman by a score of six up and four to play. The events of this club for Labor Day will be a four-ball mixed foursome and a mixed foursome. Both will be handicapped events for cups for the best net and gross scores.

His First Visit to New York at 50.

Henry Hamilton, of Woodland avenue, visited New York for the first time in his life, Saturday. He is 50 years old, and has lived in Westfield all his life.

The Standard "cent-a-ward" column brings quick results.

Petitions of the Candidates Have All Been Filed With the Town Clerk.

TO SETTLE IT ON THE THIRTEENTH

Contests in All Wards But The Second For The Councilmanic Nominations.

Candidates for nomination to office will have it out on Tuesday, September 13, which is Primary Day. The list of candidates is complete now, and those who want to join the ranks of public officials are making a hard and earnest canvass for votes in their respective parties. It is not likely that the Primary Election will develop into anything more startling than a friendly contest for votes. The issues will be decided, of course, when both parties have selected their candidates and the fall campaign begins. Some interesting times are promised if all reports are true: the object being to contribute to the safety of nations.

For Mayor, two-year term—Edward D. Floyd, R.; J. A. Dennis, D.

For Chosen Freeholders, two for two-year terms—C. A. Smith, R.; Joseph Perry, R.; J. G. TenEycke, D.; J. Raymond Lambert, D.

For Town Clerk, three-year term—Charles M. Affleck, R.; John McCormack, R.; Harold Francis, D.; Charles Clark, D.

For Assessor, three-year term—J. M. C. Marsh, D.

For Collector, three-year term—A. E. Clark, D.

For Councilmen: First ward, two-year term—Harry W. Evans, R.; Moses Hoppock, R.; John Darsh, D. Second ward, two-year term—A. A. Mosher, R.; one-year term—M. Snyder, R.; two-year term, R. F. Hohenstein, D.; one-year term, C. E. Burtis, D. Third ward, two-year term, A. J. Wilson, R.; Fred Brunk, R. Fourth ward, two-year term, George F. Brown, R.; Robert L. DeCamp, D.

For Constable—First ward, William Stitt, D.

For Delegates to Congressional Convention: First ward—G. A. V. Hankinson and R. V. Hoffman, R.; H. G. Mooney, D. Second ward—C. M. Smith, R.; A. H. Clark, D. Third ward—R. H. Middlehitch and A. H. Lack, R.; M. M. Scudder, D. Fourth ward—J. M. Ledley and F. R. Baker, R.; Robert Pettigrew, D.

For Delegates to State Convention: First ward—Lloyd Thompson, R.; H. G. Mooney, D. Second ward—W. R. Darby, R.; Benjamin Boden, D. Third ward—C. N. Coddling, R.; W. E. Tuttle, Jr., D. Fourth ward—E. C. Winter, R.; Linus Hetfield, D.

For Member of County Committee: First ward—A. L. Alpers, R.; J. M. C. Marsh, D. Second ward—A. N. Pierson, R.; C. W. Soter, D. Third ward—C. N. Coddling, R.; W. K. Wheatley, D. Fourth ward—C. E. Cox, R.; Linus Hetfield, D.

For members of local Republican Executive Committee—three from each ward: First ward—F. C. Decker, G. A. V. Hankinson, C. H. Denman. Second ward—J. E. Grape, C. M. Smith, E. J. Wilcox. Third ward—T. M. K. Mills, G. E. Gilmore, A. H. Lack. Fourth ward—Frank Settemeyer, E. Wilcox, E. Gilby.

Candidates Brush, Hoppock and Brown for members of the town council will receive the endorsement of the No-License League. The Democrats have not filed any petitions for local executive committeemen.

The delegates to the Congressional convention with one exception are said to be in favor of Congressman Fowler, for renomination, thus accounting for the absence of a contesting delegation at the primaries.

Alfred Austin Marsh.

Alfred Austin Marsh, died at his home on Cumberland street, at 10:00 o'clock last night. He was 62 years old. Mr. Marsh was stricken with paralysis on Monday and suffered intensely up to the time of his death.

Mr. Marsh was born and lived in Plainfield up to five years ago when he moved to this place, renting a flat on Broad street. A year ago, he went to live with his son Elvin, on Cumberland street.

He is survived by four sons, Elvin, Alfred, Arley and Leslie, and one daughter, Miss Edna Marsh. The funeral services will be held at the home Sunday afternoon. The burial will be in Plainfield.

Remember the races at Fair Acres on Labor Day.



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MEET AT FAIR ACRES TRACK ON LABOR DAY A DRAWING CARD. Over \$1,000 in Prizes, and Some Special Features.

Everything is now in readiness for the big Labor Day meet of the Westfield Driving and Riding Club, to be held at Fair Acres track. The racing committee, under the direction of John G. Ten Eyck, has spared no pains to make this the event of the year, and it is expected that if the weather is favorable there will be the largest and most enthusiastic gathering of horse lovers ever seen at this popular track. There are five events scheduled for which over forty horses have been entered and prizes of \$1025 in gold will be distributed among the winners of these. The events include a free-for-all, \$300; 2:20 trot and pace, \$300; 2:30 trot and pace, \$300; one mile running race, \$125.

Another big feature will be a mule race and a 2:50 trot and pace and quick hitch race for members of the Driving and Riding Club only. In addition to these Miss Syracuse, who has a record of 2:10 1/2, will make an effort to lower the track record of 2:15. Between the heats and class events the club has arranged to have a couple of clowns and Jaeger's Brighton Beach band to entertain the spectators with music and clownish antics. The entry list shows some "classy" horses, and it is expected that there will be some surprises. All roads will lead to Fair Acres on that day. The racing begins at 1:30 sharp. Stages will run from Broad and Elm streets to the track during the afternoon. Be sure and see the races, for if you don't you will miss the best treat that has ever been offered in this line of sport.

The complete list of entries is as follows:

- Free-for-All Race. Todd, Dr. C. S. Harris, Flemington. Easter Boy, F. W. Mosler, Trenton. Dick Welch, Henry Draughtman, Metuchen. Aron B. A. C. Blair, Plainfield. Strong Heart, Charles C. Brower, Plainfield. J. A. O., J. W. Gyles, Paterson. Metropole or Dinner Bell, J. W. Gyles, Paterson. Prince Courcy, John N. Serran, Paterson.
- 2:20 Trot and Pace. Paddy Luke or Carrie Dillon, Voorhes Brees, Ewingville. Kitty Mason, Jos. S. Borham, New Brunswick. Davis, Charles Whitty, Eaglesville, Pa. Ravenwood, H. P. Cortelyou, Princeton. T. A. W., D. B. Hoffman, Kingston. Foxy Todd, W. R. Hutchings, Westfield. Lady Bonanza, Thos. Brantingham, Plainfield. Constance or Blue Boy, J. W. Gyles, Paterson. Bon Dat, C. J. Farr, Bayonne.
- 2:50 Trot and Pace. Laura W., Charles Whitty, Eaglesville, Pa. Tramway, Wm. Wortenlyke, Westfield. Helen Kohl or George Leo, J. W. Gyles, Paterson. Budwiser Girl, John N. Serran, Paterson. Greenmore, E. McLoughlin, New Brunswick. Prince Muston, E. McLoughlin, New Brunswick. Blue B. or Helen Nelson, W. R. Hutchings, Westfield. Red, C. H. McKee, Newark. Ophelia Direct, C. J. Farr, Bayonne. Ann Boyd, C. J. Farr, Bayonne.

—Robert Johnston and family, of Clark street, have returned from Connecticut.

—The annual meeting of Willard W. C. T. U. will be held on Tuesday, September 6th, at three p. m. in the hall on Prospect street. Officers will be elected for the coming year.

Cubs Play Fast Ball But Loss.

The Westfield Cubs lost their second game of the series to the Maplewood Field Club, at Maplewood, N. J., last Saturday. The game was fastly played for the first five innings, the Cubs playing rings around Maplewood. In the fifth Hughes, Maplewood's star pitcher, had enough and stopped in favor of Trotter, who is a fair pitcher. The Cubs did little with him while Maplewood was handed hits, bases and balls, and a number of errors, with them scoring six runs, not one of the runs being earned.

In the first inning Westfield scored as follows: Quigley was thrown out by pitcher, Maxwell fanned, Hines hit safe, Lawrence followed suit, and Hunt clears house with a three base hit. In their half Green struck out Maplewood's center fielder with two down and three on bases. The Cubs came back again in the second as follows: The pitcher threw Douglas out. Devitalize hit safe, and Green, the Cubs noble pitcher, sent him home with a two bagger and the next two men went out on strikes. In the third, a two base hit by Hunt, a single by Colagan and a clean up two bagger by Devitalize scored two more.

Green pitched a good game and a hard one to lose and went the full game, while Maplewood used two pitchers.

Maplewood,	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	x	6	8	3
Westfield,	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	5	10

Pitchers, Hughes, Trotter, Schmidt; Green, Douglas.

Beauty That Attracts.

Beauty of achievement, whether in overcoming a hasty temper, a habit of exaggeration, in exploring a continent with Stanley, or guiding well the ship of state with Gladstone, is always fascinating, and, whether known in a circle large as the equator or only in the family circle at home, those who are in this fashion beautiful are never desolate, and some one always loves them.—Frances E. Willard.

A City Boy and a Cow.

Young Robert was much interested in looking over the pictures in his first primer. He lives not so far from the stock yards in West Philadelphia, and has been told that the animals are slaughtered. He became highly excited over the picture of a cow. "Mamma, mamma," he cried, "I once saw a cow in the street and a man was going to kill her for her milk."—Philadelphia Times.

An Adherent.

By mistake a farmer had got aboard a car reserved for a party of college graduates who were returning to their alma mater for some special event. There was a large quantity of refreshments on the car, and the farmer was allowed to join the others. Finally some one asked him: "Are you an alumnus?" "No," said the farmer earnestly; "but I believe in it."—Lippincott's.

Good Weather for Dentists.
Dentists say that damp weather increases their business 50 per cent.

Flight of Hawk and Roak.
A roak can fly 60 miles an hour, a hawk 150 miles.

First Onward Step.
Adversity is the first path to truth.—Byron.

WESTFIELD WINS FINALS.

Local Tennis Sharps Defeat Fanwood on the Golf Club Courts.

Each team having won a match, the deciding tennis match was played on the golf club courts last Saturday afternoon, between Westfield and Fanwood tennis teams. The result was a substantial victory for Westfield.

The visitors put up a strong contest and only allowed Westfield to win three out of five matches, one single and two doubles being the events that spelled victory for Westfield.

Vacations prevented both clubs from having complete teams to choose players from. Nevertheless the play was well worth seeing and many "rallies" and good strokes were applauded by a large gathering which lined the west side of the courts. The following summary shows that Westfield won 8 out of 12 sets and 58 out of 110 games:

- Singles—Takaki, W. G. C., beat J. Kyte, F. T. C., 6:3, 6:4. Beeken, F. T. C., beat L. G. Newman, W. G. C., 4:0, 6:2, 6:4.
- Doubles—Gould and Dietz, W. G. C., beat McAneny and Jadwin, F. T. C., 6:3, 6:4. Dietz and Takaki, W. G. C., beat J. Kyte and H. Todd, F. T. C., 6:3, 6:4. Gardner and Beeken, F. T. C., beat Gould and Newman, W. G. C. 6:1, 3:0, 6:3.

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Habit of Loon.

As a diver the loon excels and naturally, for it is his sole means of livelihood. Not only is he marvelously quick, but he can remain under water for a seemingly endless time. In swimming under water he uses both wings and feet and can go for several hundred yards in the fashion. The loon, like many other water fowls, sleeps on the water with his head tucked under his wing.—St. Nicholas.

Nauseous Physic.

Tar water was a cure-all in the eighteenth century. It was prepared by pouring a gallon of water on a quart of tar, and the dose was half a pint in the morning and a second glass in the afternoon. Its use became so fashionable that a contemporary noted: "It's as common to call for a glass of tar water in a coffee house as a dish of tea or coffee."

Finding of Fresh-Water Eel.

The straits of Messina are channels of immense depth, through which a wild form of whirling eddies have the effect of bringing up from the depths below many marine creatures which are rarely seen except in the deep sea trawls. It was here that the fresh-water eel was first discovered, an incident which threw a blaze of light on the life history of a very mysterious fish.—London Daily Telegraph.

Geese That Cannot Swim.

Ducks swim the world over, but geese do not. In South America a domestic species is found that cannot exceed an ordinary hen in aquatic accomplishments. It has lived so long in a country where water is only found in wells, that it has lost its aquatic tastes and abilities entirely.

Bigamist in Luck.

A seaman is in custody at Hull, England, charged with marrying five wives. The magistrate said he might pardon himself with the thought that he is safer locked up than at liberty in the circumstances.

A Rising Profession.

"What's your friends business?" "Oh, he's a discoverer of new Rombrands."—Fliegende Blaetter.

Daily Thought.

A great man is made up of qualities that meet or make great occasions.—Lowell.

Latin Proverb.

A common danger produces unanimity.

The Beginning and End.

The first thing a man takes in life is milk; the last thing is his bier.

—Miss Clara E. Denman, is visiting friends in Malden, Mass.

—Edwin Shield has been enjoying a vacation at Long Branch.

—Mrs. Edwin N. Keyes left Wednesday for Worcester, Mass.

—Carolus Clark returned Sunday from a trip to Pulaski, Va.

—Mrs. W. Lewis, of Carleton Road, is visiting at Beverly, Mass.

—H. Forsythe and family, of Dudley avenue, are home from Maine.

—Miss Estelle Sexton and brother are visiting relatives at Calton, N. J.

—Mrs. W. R. Lynde, of Elmer street, is visiting friends at Peckville, Pa.

—Gordon Losee, of South avenue, is spending two weeks at Elmira, N. Y.

—Mr. John Spalkhaver and family, of East Broad street, are at Atlantic City.

—Miss Marie Frosch, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. Lewis, of Carleton Road.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Cosgrove, of Mountain avenue, are visiting in Philadelphia.

—Mr. Henry Lynde, of Mountain avenue, who underwent an operation at a New York hospital, Monday week, is slowly recovering.

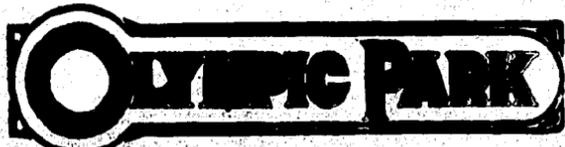


A Good Finish.

Don't Forget the Races

At Fair Acres!

LABOR DAY!



NEWARK, N. J.

NOTICE—Park Open Throughout September. Week of Sept. 5.—ADMISSION FREE. In the afternoon, 5:00 to 8:00 p. m. Special Entertainment—Week including Sept. 12.—The Evening Drive. As per the sign at the Car Tracks, Change, FIRST TIME AT POPULAR PRICES. SEE VANDERBILT PARKING.

The Saloon Problem.

To the Editor of the STANDARD: Dear Sir—I have attempted in the preceding letters to point out that the matter of the legalized sale of intoxicants, which has engaged the attention of some of our citizens during the current year and will probably have some further attention at the coming primaries, is one that is occupying the serious thoughts of men and women from coast to coast; that it first claimed consideration many years ago, since which it has taken deeper root in the consciousness of our people. I have tried to show that it is now leaving its impress upon thousands where it then interested hundreds and that it is claiming the consideration of physicians, educators and publicists as well as the attention of the educated of every class. That all this has been through an awakening sense of the evil wrought by the liquor traffic, acquired in a deeper and more scientific study of the problem. I have urged that it is the duty of the citizens of this town to approach the question from the same point of view and believe if they do so there will be found cogent reasons for a change of public policy in dealing with the subject.

In examining the matter from a sociological standpoint there are three aspects of it that claim attention; first, the biological, or that which deals with the direct influence of alcohol upon life and health; second, the economical, which deals with its influence upon crime and public safety; and third, the ethical, which deals with the obligations of society growing out of the other two.

An knowledge of disease and its channels of growth have opened up to professional investigation there has been a comparatively quick response in the public conscience to the corresponding demands for restrictive action. Proposals for the quarantining or isolating of patients; for the inoculation of those free from infection and for the disinfecting by public authorities of premises where disease has prevailed, all for the conservation of public health, these propositions, I say, are readily adopted, and whatever individual hardships or inconveniences may be suffered, or whatever personal sentiments may be wounded are considered negligible beside the public welfare. The sale of certain poisonous drugs is prohibited, except upon a physician's prescription, with a view of preventing a willful and voluntary destruction of life. All these things have been done for so long that our minds accept them without a thought of the sacrifice of individual freedom or without a doubt of the wisdom behind them; yet if the suggestion be made that possibly the community might be benefited by stopping the sale of liquor, a hue and cry of tyranny is raised. Let us see if that is a fair or a logical conclusion from present-day knowledge.

The destruction of life by tuberculosis is a problem now occupying some of the ablest brains of both hemispheres. The ravages of this disease are so great that it is called the "white plague." Twenty-five or thirty years ago the prescription of alcoholic stimulants for tuberculosis patients was a common thing; to-day the medical profession are taking a very different stand in the matter. Hark what one of our specialists says about it: "The study of the influence of alcoholism on pulmonary tuberculosis affirms that former theories which regarded alcohol as a specific remedy in consumption were false; that both directly and indirectly alcohol increases the fatality and diminishes the power of resistance."

The President of the Illinois State Board of Health gives it as his opinion that he regards the alcoholic problem more important than tuberculosis since it costs more lives. He claims that it is responsible, directly or indirectly, for 10% of all the deaths in the United States; that it predisposes to infection, destroys acquired immunity, prevents the occurrence of artificial immunity, lowers vitality and increases mortality in both diseases and surgical operations; that it is a public health and sanitary question and not a moral one and should be treated the same as fevers, small pox and malaria and by scientific men alone.

The International Congress of Tuberculosis a few years ago expressed itself as of the opinion that the connection between alcohol and tuberculosis was so close that the fight against the latter should be combined with the struggle against the former.

There is another avenue through which alcohol is exerting a very destructive agency against health, and that is its influence upon mental disease. There is apparently a peculiar susceptibility in the brain tissue to the attack of this poison which attacks, unfortunately, do not alone leave their marks upon the victim attacked but frequently place their stamp upon his offspring in the form of diseased and imbecile brains.

My attention has been attracted by a recent article on insanity in the "Medical Record," in which I find the following remarks: "We find the statement so far uncontroverted that 50% of the inmates of all the insane hospitals in the United States are descended from alcoholic parents. Out of 320 males admitted to the Norristown State Hospital for the Insane, 46% were due to alcohol alone or in combination, 18 1/2% were classed as alcoholic psychosis. In 41% of the imbeciles and 84% of the epileptics alcohol was responsible for the commitments. Of 961 cases of insanity in the Manhattan State Hospital, New York, in which the causation was accurately determined, alcohol was the cause in over 40% of the men and more than 25% of the women. In the report of the Connecticut Hospital for the Insane, interperance is given as the cause for more than twice the number due to any other two known causes."

Professor Ziehen, of the University of Berlin and Director of the Clinic for Mental and Nervous Diseases, claims that drink is responsible, either directly or indirectly, or through inherited effects, for every fifth case of mental disease in Germany.

In a certain private institution for idiotic children in one of our western cities, the Superintendent gave it as a fact that in almost every case the idiosyncrasy was due to the drink habit of the father or mother.

It is sometimes stated that practically all the evil from drinking comes from the use of hard liquors, rather than from the use of beer. If the bad effects of alcohol are to be admitted only as they are manifested through out and not inebriety there is probably some truth in the statement, but the fact of the matter is that the medical opinion both in Germany (a great beer drinking country) and in the United States, in recognizing that systematic beer drink-

ing is as dangerous as any other. It is held to be the direct cause of diseases of the kidneys and liver, and renders the wounds of surgical operations particularly difficult of healing; this is to say nothing of its stupefying effects upon mental energy. Very recently the German Emperor issued a manifesto to German students warning them against evils of beer drinking and the disastrous effects it was exerting on the intellectual life of the Empire. The argument is used that beer is harmless because of the smaller percentage of alcohol in it. Admit if you will, that it contains say but one-tenth of the alcohol in whiskey, does the average man stop to think that whereas he may drink but one ounce of whiskey at a time, his glass of beer contains eight or ten ounces and hence he consumes about the same quantity of alcohol. If there were no other argument upon which to rely it would seem from such testimony as I have quoted that a community would not only be justified but actually compelled in the sheer interests of self protection, to take hold of the saloon problem in no uncertain way. J. F. VANRIPER.

Mr. Whitehead on Water Question.

EDITOR STANDARD: That was a labored effort of seven columns, in your issue of the 19th, on "The Economic Side of the Water Question," all to prove the incapacity of our people for self government; for that seems to have been the gist of the article. Rather queer, isn't it, that we can create corporations to do what we, the creators, cannot do.

All of that article was just as strong an argument for giving the town government over to a corporation as it was for giving them control over our water supply. If a corporation can control our water better than we, why not our roads, sewers, etc.

It would be some satisfaction if you would explain why you are so strenuous in advocating corporation control of water and lights in which there is a profit, and all other necessities in which there is no profit to be carried on by the town. What would be your opinion of a merchant who would eliminate from his business every article on which he could make a profit and continue the sale of articles on which there was no profit?

The reason of non-interest of our fellow citizens in the affairs of our town—especially the New York business man who makes his home here, is a direct insult to scores of them who have neglected their own business because they felt a duty to the public in the last twenty years. Take our school board for an example. The personal business of any man in town has not had more conscientious attention than has been given it.

Men interest themselves just in proportion as they have a chance. But how could they on the water question, which was clandestinely taken from them years ago?

So the Union Water Company will be a competitor in Westfield or in any other town on the line of this road provided they decide to put in a town plant, and this competition endles is always to be raised against the people, exercising their right is it? No matter what restrictions they place on us, what price they charge or what quality of water they give us, we must be forced in submission by "competition."

Look at the files of the STANDARD of sixteen years ago and more, and you will find that the STANDARD is now making history that the STANDARD predicted. In sixteen years more they will have us tied hand and foot if we enter any combination on a High Bridge project.

Let a determined declaration be made by the people of Westfield that we will have a water plant of our own and the stockholders of the Union Water Company would fall over each other in their effort to unload on us a half worn out plant at the full value of a new plant.

Put it up to a business man as to whether he would sell a half worn out article for a full price or suffer competition from a new article, and in the end there is no question as to which he will do.

A refusal to sell is a sort of cudgel for the apologist of the Water Company, but not for patriotic thinkers.

Yours, E. J. WHITEHEAD.

See Canon.

Kind Lady—Why don't you brace up, poor man? Think what you owe society. Sandy Pikes—"I don't owe society nuttin', lady. What do yer 'tink I've been doin'—playin' bridge whist?"

Impressed.

"What impressed you most, the pyramids of Egypt or the pagodas of China?" "Oh, I don't know. They both made good backgrounds for photographs of our party."

Useless Monuments.

Many monuments are erected to men immediately after their death, where a few years' delay would have obviated the necessity for them.

Persecuted Virtue.

The trouble with scaring a man into being good is that it takes so much time to keep the thrills going.—Aitchison Globe.

The Leggard's Link.

She—"But why is it that you get engaged so often, Mr. Jeeves?" He—"Because I haven't the courage to marry."

COURSE OF STUDY AND STATUS OF THE WESTFIELD HIGH SCHOOL.

Dr. Savitz Urges Parental Co-operation in a Letter.

The following letter to the patrons of the High School, is of general interest and informing:

Westfield, N. J., Sept. 1, 1910.

To the Patrons of the Westfield High School:

In order that pupils may derive the greatest possible benefit from their High School course, it is desirable that a wise selection of courses should be made. This can only be done by consulting the wishes of parents or guardians, by considering the inclination and disposition of pupils, and through the judgment of teachers concerning the interests and capacities of students.

The High School courses are arranged to give the greatest opportunity to secure a liberal education and to prepare for college and business, English, History and Mathematics are required in each course. These subjects can be supplemented through a proper selection of courses by the Classics, Modern Languages, Natural Sciences, or Economic subjects.

The Classical and Modern Language Courses provide a liberal education and at the same time prepare students for college. Our students are admitted to all colleges and normal schools that accept certificates in lieu of examination, and they have passed the examinations for entrance to Princeton, Yale, Harvard, Stevens, Columbia and Barnard. Our graduates as a whole have an unusually good record at college. Our High School has been approved and regularly inspected by the State Inspector of High Schools.

The English Course provides for a liberal education. Students graduating from this course can enter the Trenton and Montclair Normal Schools.

The Commercial Course prepares for business and gives an insight into laws and principles which govern the industries, trade and commerce. The principal has so many applications for well qualified young men and women that more than double the number of our graduates could be placed in promising positions. A special booklet describing this course in detail can be obtained at the office.

Extensive investigation by the New Jersey State Committee on Industrial Education as well as other official and semi-official bodies with special facilities for thorough work, have clearly demonstrated that earning power and the number of years an individual attends school are in the same ratio, not only in this country but in other countries as well. In other words, an individual who attends school six years has practically just twice the earning power of a student who attends three years. These investigations have also shown that High School graduates advance more rapidly and continue to advance to a much later age than grammar graduates.

Bearing in mind then that a pupil can graduate from our High School at eighteen, that before this age the time given to industrial and commercial pursuits does not bring large financial returns, and that the advancement of a High School graduate is more rapid and continues for a longer period. Should not our boys and girls have an equal chance with the other young men and women of the state? Is not the fact that many of our small high schools in New Jersey have more than doubled their enrollment in the last few years significant?

Kindly assist your son or daughter to arrange a schedule. The principal and teachers will be pleased to confer with you about this matter and will be glad to co-operate with you in any way to advance the interests of the pupils. J. J. SAVITZ, Principal.

When Fish Was a Luxury.

Men of former ages, unless they lived near the sea or a river, had great difficulty in gratifying their taste for fish. The great houses had their fish ponds or stews, but sea fish, such as cod, bream, sturgeon, herring and sprats, were salted, and the excessive consumption of highly salted fish in the middle ages is said to have produced leprosy. Fish was also baked in pies to enable it to be carried for great distances.

Men and Boys in Household Work.

The increasing employment of men and boys for domestic work is pointed to by some people as a significant sign of the times. In London, the papers of that town state, lads are being trained with conspicuous success to do daily work in houses and both as cooks and "housemaids" they leave the weaker sex far behind. Such, at least, is the testimony of the grateful housekeepers who employ them.

Action and Happiness.

Action does not always bring happiness, but there is no happiness without action.—Disraeli.

Fashion.

Fashion is only the attempt to realize art in living forms and social intercourse.—Holmes.

Matter of Will Power.

"A man," said Abraham Lincoln, "is about as happy as he has made up his mind to be."

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First Call for Breakfast. On a Pullman sleeper about seven o'clock in the morning, when the passengers were about ready to leave their berths, a baby in the stateroom began to cry lustily. Just at that moment the porter opened the door and sang out: "First call for breakfast." Then everybody laughed.—Columbia (Mo.) Herald.

Author's Second Claim to Fame. Victor Hugo was a good business man. One of his biographers describes him as "the keenest hand imaginable at a bargain, a past master in the art of drawing up contracts and the only author on record who made a fortune out of his books while his publishers lost on them."

Not Familiar. A gentleman friend appeared greatly disappointed when my four-year-old Louise declined to shake hands with him. I said to her, "Louise, why won't you shake hands with Mr. B?" "Well, mamma," she replied, "I can't 'cause I'm not used to him!"—The Delinquent.

"Gentlemen," said the professor, "this is one of the most dangerous experiments known to science. The slightest mishap and the experimenter will be blown to atoms. I will now step into the next room while my assistant performs the experiment."

Daysey Mayme. Daysey Mayme Appleton has a heart that responds quickly to every appeal for charity. "The prizes I won at card parties," she explains, "come in handy in giving to the sickly and needy."—Aitchison (Kan.) Globe.

Ancient English Inn. The oldest inhabited house in England is said to be the Fighting Cocks inn, St. Albans, which is connected by a subterranean passage—now blocked up—with the monastery about 200 yards away.

Aerobic Officials. This beautiful gem appeared the other day as a headline in the Chicago Tribune: "Make City Heads Toe Mark." What a somersault this must have been.—The Standard.

—Mr. Stuart H. Keyes returns this week from a summer vacation spent at Mt. Pocono.

—O. W. Dennis and family, of Summit avenue, are home from a visit in Troy, N. Y.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Anderson, of Lenox avenue, have returned from Long Island.

—Miss Mae Roy, of Broad street, is home from a two weeks vacation at Asbury Park.

—Miss Marion W. Denman returned last Saturday from a week's stay in Atlantic City.

—Mrs. F. G. Smith, of the Boulevard, is home from Asbury Park after a visit of several weeks.

—Miss Eva Carson, of Newburg, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jacob Sanders, of Downer street.

—Miss Natalie Brainerd, of Westfield avenue, returned this week from her summer vacation.

—Miss Edna Huking, of Euclid avenue, is making an extended trip through the Eastern States.

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To the Voters of the Second Ward.

There is a man in your voting district who is running for the nomination to Council on the Democratic ticket, who once ran a sail on about which so much was said by this newspaper and by commuters that the proprietor withdrew his application for renewal of a retail license after it had been presented and considered by the Excise Committee of Council.

That man is Charles E. Burtis, and a glimpse into his past interest in "an economical administration of the business of the people in the town," may be had by an examination of the files of this newspaper.

This man is using a local newspaper, which has been shouting its political independence from the house top, to advertise his candidacy for the nomination. It is up to the public spirited Democrats of the Second Ward to defeat him on Primary Day. If they are unable to do so, then it is up to them to unite with the Republicans and defeat him at the polls on Election Day.

What Encouragement Will Do.

The genuine enthusiasm displayed by the voters of this town when the Common Council passed unanimously the ordinance to purchase the Peckham property for park purposes on first reading, is a convincing demonstration of what united effort can do in the accomplishment of a public good. It is indeed a trying task to discover the real sentiment of this community on matters of moment. No wonder the Council hesitates to act. But when full and convincing evidence is presented to show that action will meet with public approval, the Council rejoices to do that which then becomes its unquestioned duty.

One member of Council declared after the meeting that it was the first time since he had held office that an act of the body had been greeted with applause. He said further that it served as a salve to the sting of adverse criticism which he had been accustomed to receiving from his constituents.

Two weeks ago we had an inquiry from a correspondent asking if there was any known cure for snoring. We referred the query to Citizen Fixit, our trouble expert, and his findings follow:

"Snoring is a born instinct and not a habit as some people suppose. Snores come in assorted sizes, and the tone affects run the gamut from a guffaw to a groan. There is positively no cure for their action, but the effect may be somewhat subdued by training them to a suitable smoothness. I have trained mine so they sound like the whistle on a peanut roaster."

Soon, pretty summer girls, you will have to return to school, and

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them! O, but it will be hard to forget those dream-days by the sea shore, with readin', ritin' and 'rithmatic!

It seems to be quite the popular thing now-a-days to attack the motives of a public servant before ascertaining the soundness of his reasoning.

Speaking of the gait of nations—a primary election, a school election, a fall campaign, a November election and then—taxes.

It used to be the People's Candidate, but now it is the People's Paper. The people, by the way, have a sense of humour.

Economy defined—Water plant, electric plant, park system and LOW TAXES.

Goodness, what a splash!

We feel at times that it would be a relief to wipe our feet on some diplomats.

Another one like that and the West will go mad.

Aerial navigation—campaign talk.

—The Board of Health meets to-night.
—Rev. Dr. Samuel L. Loomis, pastor of the Congregational Church, will return from his summer vacation tomorrow and will occupy his pulpit, Sunday morning.

If in a hurry for fruit jars or dinner glasses, ring 75-W. George W. Baker's Hardware Store.

BROWN HOUSES SOLD.

One Brings \$8775 and the Other \$4150 at Master's Sale.

The house owned by William Brown, at Dudley and Lawrence avenues, was sold at Master's sale, Elizabeth Court House, Wednesday, to the estate of Sumner R. Stone, the mortgagee for \$8,775. There were local bidders at the sale. J. N. Worl, Welsh & Son, and John F. Dorrall. The house was originally bought by Mr. Brown for \$11,750.

The other house owned by Mr. Brown at the corner of Park street and New York avenue, was bought by the present tenant, for \$4,150. There were only two bidders for the place, the buyer and Welsh & Son.

Why Trees Grow Large.

Washington and Oregon have some of the largest trees in the world and the climatic conditions of that section are responsible for this fact. In the Puget sound country the rainfall is about 53 inches, while up in the higher Cascades, near Seattle, it is 100 inches, and sometimes reaches the 150-inch point. Under such climatic conditions the seeds of the trees germinate readily and all the trees continue to make a vigorous growth.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Kate S. Brown.

Mrs. Kate S., widow of the late Milton A. Brown, who died on August 20th, at Rutland, Mass., in her 63rd year, will be buried from this place this afternoon at three o'clock. The services will be held at the undertaking parlors of E. N. Brown, on Elm street, and the interment will be at Fairview Cemetery. Mrs. Brown was the mother-in-law of Dr. Wm. A. Rice, a former resident of Westfield, who at one time took a prominent part in local affairs; he was a guiding spirit in the local Board of Education and deeply interested in the town's welfare. Both Dr. and Mrs. Rice are deeply loved by all who knew them here, and much sympathy is expressed for them in their hour of bereavement. Rev. Dr. Rice is secretary of the Ministerial Relief Fund of the Congregational Church.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Baptist Church.

Morning service at 10:30. Sermon followed by communion. The pastor, Rev. C. J. Greenwood, will conduct the services.

Sunday school at 12. W. A. Dempsey, superintendent.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Congregational Church.

Regular service Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Dr. Loomis, the pastor, returns from his vacation and will occupy the pulpit. The musical program will be: Organ prelude, Hollins; anthems, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," Schuecker; soprano solo, "The Good Shepherd," O. Bain; organ postlude, Guilman.

Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Masses are said at 8:15 and 10:15 a. m. on Sunday; Holy Days, 8:30 and 7:30 a. m.; week days, 8 a. m.

Sunday school, 3 p. m.
Benediction of Blessed Sacrament—Sundays, 3:45 p. m.; Holy Days, 8 p. m.; First Friday, 8 p. m.; Feast Days, 8 p. m.

Confessions—Saturdays, 8 p. m.
Rev. Father Byer is in charge of all these services.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

The pastor's morning theme, "Appetite as a Sign of Health." The evening service will be the recognition of Labor Day, and will be under the auspices of the Men's League. W. H. Orr, Esq., will preside. Dr. Hayes will speak upon the theme, "The Duty, Dignity and Drift of American Labor."

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday—10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. public worship. Rev. George Hubbard Payson, D. D., will preach at both services; 12 m. Bible school; 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting.

Wednesday—8 p. m. mid-week prayer service. Subjects, "Fruits of Right and Wrong Doing." Matt. 3: 13; 4: 6.

St. Paul's Church.

One service only, at 11 a. m., will be held at St. Paul's church during August, and on Sept. 4. The regular services, and the Sunday school, will be resumed on September 11.

The Rev. H. C. Rush, of this town, will officiate on August 14, 21, 28.

Pine Stronger Than Steel.

Calculation confirmed by experiment has shown that, weight for weight, pine wood is stronger than steel in both transverse and tensile strength. It is regarded as doubtful if any metal could be made into a hollow rod equaling a bamboo rod in stiffness without exceeding it in weight. In structures of wood the weak points are always at the joints.—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Mint to Amateur Carpenters.

A nail driven into oak or other timber oftentimes bends or breaks. To avoid this all is needed is a little wax or soap. The nail, if greased with either of these will go straight into the board. Carpenters who do finishing work bore a small hole in the handle of their hammers and then fill it with either wax or soap, running the nails into it as they use them.

Superlatively Great.

A group of men were seated about a table in the cafe of a western club discussing the rise of the prohibition sentiment when Wade Ellis bustled in. "A great man," said one. "A very great man," replied another; "he had John D. Rockefeller on the stand for a whole day and forced John to admit that he made money."

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TO LET—Large front room with board. 414 Boulevard. 15

TO LET—A furnished room for two persons, at the home of W. G. Waddams, 48 Park street, corner of Summit avenue, Westfield, New Jersey. 15

WANTED—Laundry to take home at moderate rates. Mrs. Addison, 152 Downer street. 15

TO LET—Stucco house, corner Dudley and Highland avenues. W. G. Puchman. 15

WANTED—Immediately, a nice furnished room; (two if possible.) R. 15

FINDER'S FEE—Miss Callaway's private school will accept of \$100.00, September 25. Information address G. H. Callaway, Plain, N. J. 15

FOR SALE—Elegant imported bed-room furniture, Louis XVI, chaise-longue, chair, etc., luxurious bedding, 17 yards English Wilton carpet, 2 Vander veranda shades. Telephone 64-34. 15

LOST—On August 30—English setter (bird dog) female. Body white with small black spots and large spot on right side of head. Left side head white. Answer to name of "Belle". No collar on. Reward, if returned to 11 Rockview Terrace, North Plainfield. 15

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—Three interesting propositions worth investigating. A well-built twelve-room house on 109 ft. lot well stocked with fruit, shade and shrubs; and two well-ventilated residential lots, one 100x220, and one 100x150 for sale cheap. Owner, Box 424, Westfield, N. J. 15

WANTED—A competent white girl for general housework, with or without washing. Apply Saturday afternoons from 10 to 12, to Mrs. Oliver, 64 Boulevard. 15

A COLORED woman, will go out by the day or take washing home. Tamson, P. O. 30-513. 15

WANTED TO RENT—A new house, all improvements, for small family; rent about \$10 per month, good location, not more than 10 minutes walk to station. State particulars when answering. Address M. T. Standard. 15

LOST—A pin set with pearls and one diamond. On Lenox, 1811 of Broad Street, Newark. If returned to 514 Lenox Ave. 15

TO LET—First class furnished rooms in private family. Five minutes from station. 118 Union Place. 15

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WANTED—A school teacher to board. 529 Cumberland street, Westfield. 15

ROOM room that, improvements, \$12 a month. 233 Central Avenue. 15

FOR SALE—A bicycle in good condition. Apply to 118 Downer street. 15

TO RENT—New house, six rooms and improvements, \$25.00. Address, H. A. Standard Office. 15

FOR SALE—New house, seven rooms, all improvements. Inquire, 405 Cumberland street. 15

WANTED—A Scandinavian as cook and laundress. Three in family. Good wages. Apply 231 Dudley avenue. 15

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FOR RENT—Five lots on South Broad Street, east of Osborn Avenue, at a bargain. Inquire of Frederick S. Taggart. 15

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Philip Keeler is at Glen Cove, L. I.

—Dr. Decker is enjoying a ten days' vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clark Perrine are home from Asbury Park.

—E. G. Hanford is home from his business trip in the West.

—Mrs. G. B. Lamb, of Stoneleigh Park, has returned from abroad.

—Miss Anna Sorter has returned from a vacation at East Hampton, Conn.

—Miss Catherine Alpers, of Elm street, is home from a visit at Fairlee.

—Miss Mae Perrine has returned from a two weeks vacation at Asbury Park.

—Mrs. William Moore, of Lawrence avenue, is visiting friends in New York.

—Dr. R. H. Sinclair has returned from a vacation spent at Point-o-Woods, L. I.

—Mrs. F. R. Penington, of Broad street, is visiting her son in Rochester, N. Y.

—Mrs. D. Conlter, of the Boulevard, left Wednesday for a visit at Oak Bluff, Mass.

—Miss Virginia Kennedy, of New York, is visiting Mrs. J. C. Morrison, of Elm street.

—Councilman and Mrs. C. M. Afleck left to-day for a few days visit at Harrisburg, Pa.

—Mrs. J. B. Wilson and children, of Westfield avenue, have returned from the Catskills.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Parker, of Clark street, are spending two weeks at Albany, N. Y.

—Mrs. T. J. Hastings, of St. Mark's avenue, is home from a visit in the New England States.

—Miss Amy Walker, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. F. A. Walker, of Westfield avenue.

—Mrs. James F. Johnston, of Harrison avenue, is visiting her daughter at New Haven, Conn.

—Mrs. Samuel Shaffer and daughter, of Elm street, are home from a visit at Washington, N. J.

—Miss Marguerite Jimerson returned on Wednesday from a three weeks stay in Branford, Conn.

—Mrs. Theodore Stoll and son, Albert, of Lawrence avenue, have returned from Buckley, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton and daughter have returned from a visit at Annandale, N. J.

—Mrs. A. Enwright and daughter, of East Orange, are visiting Mrs. Jacob Sanders, Downer street.

—Mrs. H. J. White, of Prospect street, has returned home from Morristown, where she spent several weeks.

—Word has been received here that the Charles K. Michels have arrived at his former home in Baden Baden.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Ewin and family, of Brooklyn, are guests at the home of H. S. Embree, Clark street.

—Central Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will celebrate its eighteenth anniversary with a social at Odd Fellows Hall to-night.

—Lieut. A. J. Munroe from Calcutta, India, is spending a short time with Thomas J. Hastings, of St. Mark's avenue.

—Mr. A. G. Hooley, of Rockview Terrace, North Plainfield, lost on August 30th, a valuable bird dog answering to the name of "Belle."

—Miss Nettie Carns has returned to her home on South avenue, from the Delaware Water Gap.

—Mrs. Nimmons and family, of Mountain avenue, are spending two weeks at Atlantic City.

—Alexander L. Pach and family moved Wednesday from Cumberland street to Harrison avenue.

—Miss Eleanor L. Bell has returned from her summer vacation at Asbury Park and Lake Hopatcong.

—Miss Etta Shield, of Broad street, has returned from a visit with her college chum on Lake Ontario.

—Mrs. Paul Schladensky, of Elm street, has returned from a visit of several weeks at Shawnee, Pa.

—Miss Marlon Taylor, of Boston, formerly of Westfield, is visiting Mrs. Walter Cosgrove, of Elm street.

—M. B. Walker and family have moved from Broad street to St. Paul's street in the Terrace Park section.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Adams, of Summit avenue, have returned from a three weeks outing at Lake George.

—Mr. and Mrs. William R. Savir are spending a few weeks in the Adirondacks, in the Blue Mountain region.

—William H. Coffin and family, of Harrison avenue, are home from Asbury Park where they spent several weeks.

—A. L. Russell and family, of Park street, are home from Blue Mountain Lake where they spent the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Low, of Dudley avenue, have returned from an automobile tour through New York State.

—The Misses Ray, Lee, May and Emma D. Harrison return to-morrow from a two weeks stay in Atlantic City.

—Miss Ethel VanBerkirk, of North avenue, is spending two weeks at Arlington, Mass. and Hampton Beach, N. H.

—John F. Dohrman and family and Miss Chapman have returned from their annual summer sojourn on the Continent.

—W. J. Kennedy and family, of Walnut street, have returned from Cresco, Pa., where they spent the summer.

—Mr. William Edgar Reeve, of Mountain avenue, has laid out a corner of his lawn with a very attractive bed of evergreens.

—Mrs. Augustus Brown, Mrs. Eugene Brown, Mrs. Edward Fink, and daughter Inez, went to Asbury Park to-day to attend the "Baby Parade."

—Mr. William J. Taylor, of Mountain avenue, will spend the week end and Labor Day at Camden, N. J., with his family, who are visiting there.

—Miss Sadie Roger, of this place, played at the wedding of Miss Sarah Bennett to Mr. Percy Kendall Homes, at East Stroudsburg, Pa., Wednesday afternoon.

—The party of citizens headed by Chief O'Neill who shot into the black-birds on Prospect street last week were reprimanded by the Railway Game Warden for the manner in which the shooting was done. The birds were an infernal nuisance.

New Books for Library.

Announcement is made that through the courtesy of Mr. John Cotton Dana, librarian of the Newark Library, there has just been received at the Free Public Library of Westfield about twenty volumes—books bearing on the study of next year's work in the Woman's Club. As it is only a "loan collection" it is suggested to all interested that it would be well while the opportunity affords to consult them. A similar one is promised by the Trenton Library.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$845,161.17
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	1,061.31
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	24,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.....	17,284.82
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	29,965.20
Due from approved Reserve Agents.....	28,079.15
Checks and Other Cash Items.....	3,984.58
Notes of other National Banks.....	48.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents.....	302.30
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, via:	
Specie.....	26,950.45
Legal tender Notes.....	46,000.00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% Circulation).....	3,500.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer.....	2.50
	\$584,173.04
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	15,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	8,178.80
National Bank notes outstanding.....	48,000.00
Due to other National Banks.....	23,033.04
Due to State & Private Banks and Bankers.....	267.27
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks.....	4,332.17
Individual deposits subject to check.....	302,109.88
Demand certificates of deposit.....	40,738.62
Certified checks.....	484.82
	\$10,885.68
Reserve account.....	1,500.00
	\$584,173.04

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, ss:
COUNTY OF UNION, ss:
I, H. H. Griswold, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
H. H. GRISWOLD, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of September, 1910.
CHAS. E. ALLEN, Notary Public.
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS OF UNION COUNTY.

Official.

The regular meeting of the Board of Freeholders of Union County was held on Thursday, August 4, at 2:30 P. M.

Kull call showed all members present with the exception of Freeholder Crane, N. J. On motion of Freeholder Wilbur it was ordered that the minutes of the meetings of July 7 and 15 be approved as per printed copies on members' desks.

A communication was received from the Union County Medical Society commending the board on its action in regard to the tuberculosis hospital and offering the assistance of the society.

From A. E. Vanderpool: Gentlemen—On behalf of George B. Vanderpool, you are hereby notified that you and each of you must forthwith remove the balustrade at the northeast corner of the new bridge on Main street, Chatham, N. J., which bridge crosses the Passaic River, this balustrade being erected in front of a house owned by Mr. Vanderpool, and preventing proper access thereto.

Mr. Vanderpool, during the construction of this bridge, made repeated protests against the construction of this balustrade, but, notwithstanding his protests, the same was constructed. Unless, therefore, the same is forthwith removed, legal proceedings will be taken for its removal by law.

A. E. VANDERPOOL. On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and referred to Committee on Chatham Bridge, the engineer in charge, and the County Attorney.

From City Clerk McMurray, of Plainfield, regarding new ballot boxes: Gentlemen—At the special election held this day in this city, in the first election district of each of the four wards, for the retention or rejection of the voting machines, the vote was for the rejection; therefore, it will be necessary to supply this city with three (3) more ballot boxes.

Will you kindly bring this matter to the attention of the Board of Freeholders, and have three boxes forwarded at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly, T. McMURRAY

On motion of Freeholder Krouse received and referred to the Committee on Election. From B. C. Austin regarding payment of J. C. Parks: Major King, Elizabeth, N. J.

Dear Sir—At the request of James C. Parks, an sewerage collecting main call C. Parks, for the sum of \$848.62. Will you kindly procure action of the board on it as soon as possible, and oblige.

Very truly yours, B. C. AUSTIN.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and referred to the Committee on County Roads, County Engineer and County Attorney.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

By Committee on Green Avenue, Linden: Your Committee on two bridges in Green Avenue, Linden, would respectfully report that a meeting held on July 22, 1910, a contract was awarded to F. F. Callahan to construct two new bridges for \$430, he being the lowest bidder.

H. KROUSE, W. GARRISON, A. GRUENER, Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Smith received and placed on file.

By the Committee on Hillside Avenue Culvert: At a meeting of the Committee on Hillside Avenue Culvert, Lyons Farm, held at the Courthouse, on Thursday, July 21, the committee awarded the contract for a new culvert in Hillside Avenue, Lyons Farm, to the lowest bidder, J. P. Glasby, for the sum of two hundred and sixty-seven dollars (\$267).

Yours truly, AARON D. CRANE, Chairman.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and placed on file.

By Committee on Chestnut Place Culvert: At a meeting of the Committee on Chestnut Place Bridge Extension, Lyons Farm, held at the Courthouse, Tuesday, July 12, the committee awarded the contract to the lowest bidder, J. P. Glasby, for the sum of five hundred and twenty dollars (\$520).

Yours truly, AARON D. CRANE, Chairman.

On motion of Freeholder Gruener received and placed on file.

By Road Committee on Bridge at Mountain Side: Your Committee on County Roads would respectfully report that at a meeting held on July 13, 1910, a contract was awarded to A. W. Stiles for the extension of a bridge at Mountain Side on the new State Aid Road for \$570, he being the lowest bidder; and also that a contract was awarded to W. T. Kirk for the building and extension of four culverts, Palisade Avenue and Karitan and Madison Hill road for \$3,495, they being the lowest bidders.

H. KROUSE, S. WILBUR, C. SMITH, T. HAVILAND, Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Smith received and placed on file.

By Committee on Wood Avenue Culvert: Linden, would respectfully report that at a meeting held June 1, 1910, a contract was awarded to Charles Peterson to construct a new culvert for \$568, he being the lowest bidder.

H. KROUSE, W. RANDOLPH, Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Gruener received and placed on file.

By Committee on Collector's Accounts: Your Committee on Collector's Accounts begs leave to report that it has examined his books, vouchers, coupons, warrants and receipts, bank and check books and find that the same are correct and agree in every particular.

We find that his receipts from January 1, 1910, to date amount to \$1,124,405.25, and that his disbursements for the same period amount to \$1,122,509.70, leaving a balance of \$1,895.55, which is on deposit in the banks to the credit of the County Collector.

Respectfully submitted, S. P. WILBUR, W. H. RANDOLPH, Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Darby received and placed on file.

The Auditor's report was received as follows: Your Auditor respectfully reports: I have examined the books and vouchers of the Surrogate, Sheriff, Registrar and County Clerk, and find the same correct. The net receipts are: Surrogate \$1,130 93 Sheriff 777 30 Registrar 1,728 25 County Clerk 298 61 which amount has been turned over to the County Collector.

Yours respectfully, BENJAMIN KING, Auditor.

On motion of Freeholder Swain received and placed on file.

By the Committee on Tuberculosis: Your committee appointed at a meeting of the Board of Freeholders held on March 5, 1910, to investigate the cost of the erection of a suitable hospital to be used as a tuberculosis hospital, to examine into the cost of maintaining such institutions, to investigate institutions of like character and to report to the board the result of their investigation, and make such recommendations as they may deem necessary, would respectfully report:

That they have visited several institutions in and about the city of Boston, Mass., and have been in consultation with Dr. Carrington, expert on hospital construction, of the State of New York, who is also the assistant secretary of the National Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis; that your committee has attended hearings given by mayors of the several municipalities in this county and that as a result of their investigation they find:

(1) That a tuberculosis hospital is necessary to check the ravages of the great plague and that the building of such an institution should be commenced forthwith, in order to safeguard the health and welfare of the citizens of this county, as your committee is informed that in the city of Elizabeth there are about three hundred cases of tuberculosis a year; and the physicians inform your committee that for every one case of advanced tuberculosis, two are usually contracted by the family; and that advanced cases should be removed to protect other members of the family;

(2) That one administration building and four lean-to hospitals, first erected to accommodate fifty patients, that the administration building accommodate physicians, nurses and attendants, ready to treat from one hundred to one hundred and fifty patients; that four lean-to hospitals accommodate fifty patients, men and women, to answer immediate needs;

(3) That additional lean-tos be erected as the number of patients increases;

(4) That we find the cost of one administration building and four lean-tos, including a tract of land of fifty or more acres, does not exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars, and that the cost of maintenance for each patient should not exceed the sum of ten dollars per week.

Your committee further reports that they make the above recommendations because they do not think it advisable to erect buildings to accommodate more than fifty patients at this time.

Your committee further reports that it is now investigating sites on which to erect a tuberculosis hospital; that Dr. Carrington has volunteered to inspect the plans for the buildings when submitted to him by the architect selected by your committee.

Your committee therefore recommends that the County Engineer be authorized and directed to draw up suitable resolutions for the issuance of bonds in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of purchasing land and the construction of buildings, as provided by law; that your committee be empowered to employ an architect for the purpose of drawing plans and specifications for the erection of said buildings, which said plans shall be submitted to this board for final approval and to the State Board of Health for approval by law.

C. H. CITIZEN—2-11

That your committee be authorized to negotiate for the purchase of a suitable tract of land, whereon to erect said buildings, and report to this board the result of their negotiations for their approval.

Your committee feels that the citizens and taxpayers of this county are now thoroughly informed respecting this enterprise; that as a result of the various hearings your committee has been surprised to learn that the records of the State Tuberculosis Commission show that there are twelve thousand cases of tuberculosis in this State, six to seven hundred of which are in Union County; that the death rate from this disease is two hundred per centum.

Respectfully submitted, J. H. DOANE, H. KROUSE, T. F. HAVILAND, N. R. LEAVITT, Committee.

Freeholder Smith moved the report be received and the recommendation adopted, which on roll call was so ordered without dissent.

By Committee on Effingham Place Bridge: Your Committee on Effingham Place Bridge, Westfield, would report having received bids for construction of said bridge, the lowest of which was for the sum of seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars (\$787) from J. P. Glasby, who has awarded the contract to him subject to the approval of this board.

The appropriation made for this work was seven hundred dollars (\$700), and we therefore recommend that said appropriation be increased by eighty-seven dollars (\$87) and the contract awarded as above to Charles H. French, Westfield, for the sum of seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars (\$787).

JOSEPH PERRY, JACOB MARTIN, Committee.

Freeholder Randolph moved the report be received and the recommendation adopted, which on roll call was so ordered without dissent.

By Committee on Summer Street Bridge: Your committee appointed to examine the Summer street drawbridge over the Elizabeth River, Elizabeth, respectfully reports that it has met at the bridge and has made a careful examination of the same.

The present bridge has good foundations but the superstructure is of poor material and is weak and unsafe for the traffic at the bridge. The present steel work is not properly constructed, the floor beams being placed on the flanges, instead of across the floor girders. Parts of the steel work are in very bad order, being disintegrated and rotten.

Your committee would respectfully recommend the construction of a new steel drawbridge upon the present foundation at Summer street, and would ask that they be instructed to procure plans and the probable cost of the same, and report at a future meeting of the board.

C. JENSEN, T. HAVILAND, J. MARTIN, H. KROUSE, S. WILBUR, Committee.

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

By the Jail Committee: Your Committee on Jail Inspection would respectfully report that it has inspected the jail, also the books of the warden.

Number of prisoners in custody Aug. 1 40 Number discharged during the month 62 Number in custody August 1 88 Number of days' board 1536 Maintenance—Meats, provisions, drug and salaries, \$563.72 Cost per day per prisoner, 36 cents Respectfully submitted, J. PERRY, J. H. DOANE, J. MARTIN, Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Jensen received and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

By Freeholder Wilbur: Resolved, That the Director appoint a committee of seven to take complete charge of election matters, including the purchase and repair of ballot boxes, stationery, etc.; that said committee immediately after its appointment shall meet and organize by the election of a chairman; that the clerk of this board shall act as secretary; that said committee shall divide the county into seven districts, one member to take charge of a district; that no bill shall be ordered paid unless approved by the member from the district where the work was done, in addition to the auditing committee.

Freeholder Krouse moved the adoption of the resolution which was carried. The Director appointed as said committee Freeholders Wilbur, Perry, Gruener, Swain, Jensen, Martin and Krouse.

Mr. Gibby, one of the assessors from Rahway, appeared before the board, asking information as to some of the items in the tax budget. Mr. Leavitt answered the questions to the satisfaction of Mr. Gibby.

Freeholder Wilbur was at this time excused by the Director.

The following bills were read and on roll call unanimously ordered paid:

Courts—E. S. Atwater, \$500; C. A. Swift, \$500; W. B. Hamilton, \$68.96; C. W. Irwin, \$172.50; George Angen, \$30; Robert Lightfoot, \$18.50; Henry Schoppe, \$100; Fred Taylor, \$30; James Grant, \$15; G. W. Peck, Jr., \$84.60; \$15.00; Peter Weaver, \$40.20; D. H. Ramsey, \$36.75; C. F. W. Eckhardt, \$32.50; Sebastian Petrus, \$30; Thomas Henry, \$30.25; Henry Peace, \$33; John Seeland, \$25.50; Robert Waldorf, \$42; W. B. Toucey, \$17.97; Walter Hetfield, \$28.33; Charles Sheelen, \$4.45; Charles Bauer, \$7.90; Thomas Carey, \$22.86; Robert Kirkland, \$24.22; Alvin Eaton, \$23; Robert Eaton, \$37.50; Anthony Griffin, \$3; \$13.64; John Galatian, \$23; \$172.90; W. B. Pearce, \$35.51.

Bridges—A. T. Smalley, \$46.50; M. H. Cleaves, \$24; Jacob & Allen, \$29.21; R. Palmer, \$60; Public Service Electric Corporation, \$3.40; Standard Oil Company, \$3.80; Jack Trever, \$77.62; Philip Freehauf, \$20.83; Dan Trever, \$50; Douglas & Stricker, \$32.50; M. Woods, \$57; E. E. Moore, \$7.45; \$27; F. R. Dickinson, \$147.16; Charles Bauer, \$36; David Totten, \$14; Robert Krouse, \$30; Robert G. Rogers, \$18; Dauman Peterson, \$20; W. T. Kirk, \$27.64; C. Edward Johnston, \$67.15; Frazee, \$25; S. D. Winter, \$17.60; Elizabeth Daily Journal, \$5.44; E. J. Hubbard, \$50; A. W. Peterson, \$34.33; Charles French, \$150; C. A. Sickle, \$53.75; \$41.50; Moore, \$32.30; John Wolke, \$62.83; \$22.21; J. L. Coe, \$32.50; Milton Gaskill, \$41.50; J. M. Haskins, \$10; Price & Terrill, \$30.50; \$75; George J. H. Halliday, \$68.

Public Grounds and Buildings—R. P. Runyon, \$27; E. L. Moore, \$24.45; \$7.25; Pump and Machine Company, \$28; Henry P. Vandever, \$11; Clark Hardware Company, \$6.50; New York Telephone Company, \$5.85; \$12.41; \$9.70; \$10.45; \$12.50; \$2.80; \$3.75; Public Service Electric Corporation, \$14.22; \$9.16; Western Union Tel. Company, Albert Stein, \$7.80; John Conrad, \$2.88; Stratton Mfg. Co., \$10.00; \$16.00; \$130.05; \$17.50; \$2.80; Johnson Service Company, \$28.45; Elizabeth Ice Company, \$6.55; William Trewin, \$5.60; Charles Kurtz, \$25.00;

Henry Cook, \$275; W. H. ... \$14.85; \$128; Reliable Steer Laundry Company, \$7.50; Brucklacher Bros Laundry Co., \$11; R. T. Potts, \$9.57; \$74.00; H. C. ... \$30.50; \$43.91; ... \$40.92; Henry Schoppe, \$17.91; C. F. ... \$1.15; Peter ... \$14.21; H. R. Schmidt, \$17.91; W. Dudd, \$12.5; \$7.63; Fanny ... \$7.15; J. W. Johnston, \$14; Fred ... \$32.67; Thomas Peterson, \$15; Children's Guardians, \$10.23; J. State Board of Lunacy—N. J. State Hospital, Morristown, \$13,170.74; N. J. State Hospital, Trenton, \$10,954.

Stationery—Elizabeth Novelty Company, \$21.85; Advocate Publishing Company, \$11; Henry Cook, \$2.15; F. E. Norris, \$15.90; \$2.13.

Publication—Elizabeth Daily Journal, \$41.50; Summit Record, \$37.50; Standard Publishing Concern, \$7.80; \$27.00; Cranford Chronicle, \$12.50; \$37.00; Citizen, \$27.00; New Providence News, \$37.50; Summit Advocate, \$7.60; \$43.75; Summit Herald, \$37.50; Elizabeth Daily Journal, \$26.00.

Incidentals—John Keron & Son, \$10; Ketch Co., \$9.00; Columbia Trust Co., \$10; W. H. Meeker, \$9.80; Peter ... Benjamin King, \$34.20; Jacob Bauer, \$17; Madison Drake, \$38.00; \$50; Dr. F. W. Westcott, \$111.50.

Tax Board—Sidney Eldridge, \$100; Florence ... \$200; County Road Repairs—Jacob Nauze, \$100; C. H. Winans, \$402.51; \$277.00; Weldon Contracting Co., \$758.56; \$502.04.

State Aid Roads—C. H. Winans, \$96.60; Surrogate—George Parrot, \$448.33; Ann Dicks, \$66; W. B. Parrot, \$208.14; Romo Allen, \$100.

Members' Pay—S. P. Wilbur, \$18; W. J. Thompson, \$27; W. H. Randolph, \$36; A. Gruener, \$40; Charles Jensen, \$42; Ellen Darby, \$24; J. D. Doney, \$36; Joseph Perry, \$38; Thomas F. Haviland, \$30; John N. Cole, \$38; C. A. Smith, \$48; W. H. Swain, \$30; Bradford Jones, \$38; Peter Meisel, \$34; Henry Krouse, \$46; E. K. Adams, \$34; Jacob Martin, \$40; W. H. Garrison, \$40.

Salary—James W. Fink, \$100; Benjamin King, \$133.33; N. R. Leavitt, \$150; F. W. Westcott, \$225.

Committee Expenses—W. J. Thompson, \$15.49; S. P. Wilbur, \$13.45; J. H. Doney, \$9.30; Ellen Darby, \$7.15; J. A. Cadz, \$6.00; Thomas Haviland, \$8.75; Jacob Martin, \$7.00; Joseph Perry, \$5.15; C. A. Smith, \$12.00; W. H. Swain, \$5.20; Bradford Jones, \$10.00; Peter Meisel, \$10.70; Henry Krouse, \$12.00; E. K. Adams, \$14.30; W. H. Randolph, \$18; W. B. Parrot, \$10.00; Robert Kirkland, \$23.50; W. H. Wright, \$208.33; James Cook, \$108.33.

Rights—Frank Smith, \$48.33; Edward Bauer, \$16.65; \$208.34; Marion Swift, \$20; Irene Doney, \$20; Crawford, \$20; Grinnat, \$20; Jessie Gartwaite, \$70; Ottilie Reiter, \$10; Ida Courser, \$70; Henriette Meinke, \$10; Ella Decker, \$70; Louise Stauffer, \$70.

County Clerk—James Calvert, \$48.33; E. Norman, \$48.33; Irene Silver, \$20; Frances McCabe, \$14.00; \$14.00; W. \$86.67; C. W. Runyon, \$100; Helen Whelan, \$35.

Freeholder Krouse moved to adjourn which was carried. The Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, September 1, at 2:30 P. M.

BENJAMIN KING, Clerk.

READY FOR SCHOOL

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the Montclair Normal School and a teacher of experience in East Orange, will teach in the Prospect School.

It is expected that the attendance will tax the capacity of the local school. Every effort will be made to complete preliminary arrangements for the matriculation of students, and it is thought the new school year will be started promptly and without confusion. It will probably be a week before the work will be in full swing, for after a three month's vacation it takes time to get in the frame of mind for serious study.

Unreasonable.

"It takes so much smartness and energy to find out the exact truth about anything," said Uncle Eben, "that you can't expect a man who wants to talk all day to finally avoid falsification."

Ungallant Theory.

While etiquette and civility would have entitled Eve to precedence, Adam was created first, probably on the theory that a woman can't be trusted alone.—Smart Set.

Will Have Much Sympathy.

A Budapest woman named Schneider is petitioning for a divorce because her husband insists on displaying in the house the portraits of his three predecessors.

A Word From Uncle Sam.

"De man dat am willin' to be goat once in awhile," said Uncle Eben, "ought to mind his own business an' keep 'um buttin' in."

Hardest Wood is the Cocoo.

The hardest wood in the world is not ebony, but cocoo, which is much used for making flutes and similar musical instruments.

Presently.

Presently it will be possible for a man to become famous by having a wife who has never been operated on for anything.

The Real Thing.

She—"There is a gulf yawn between us." He—"Yes, I've been lying at your father's mouth, but not asleep."

Defined.

An optimist is a man who believes as fully in his garden in summer as he does in winter.—Minneapolis Journal.

Eternal Round of Weddings.

There are about three thousand weddings every 24 hours, taking the entire world into consideration.

Also Without Limit.

There are no pots of the emerald on the chart of true patriots.—Robert C. Winthrop.

Virtue in Perfume.

Lavender and rose perfume are credited with the virtue of being eye crobe killers.

Waste No Time in Repentance.

After a bad crop, you should not immediately begin to sow.—Quaker.

LEGAL NOTICES

Guardian's Sale of Land

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made the thirty-first day of May, nineteen hundred and ten, to me directed, in 'The Matter of the Application on behalf of George Frederick Braton, an infant for the sale of lands,' I will expose for sale at public vendue on WEDNESDAY, the 14TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1910, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of the said day, at the Court House in the City of Elizabeth, in the County of Union, all and singular the right and title of the said infant to the following lands and premises: All that tract of land situate, lying and being in the Town, (formerly Township) of Westfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, more particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Summit Avenue, said point being the most northerly corner on said Avenue of Anson F. Grant's house lot; thence from said beginning and binding on said Grant's line of land north sixty degrees and forty-five minutes west (S. 69° 45' W.), one hundred and fifty-two feet and three inches (152 ft. 3 in.) to a stake in said Grant's line and corner of land of Mrs. M. J. Mackey; thence binding on said Mackey's line of land northerly fifty feet and four inches (50 ft. 4 in.) to another corner of said Mackey's and in line of land of William Ward; thence binding on Ward's line of land north sixty degrees and forty-five minutes east (N. 60° 45' E.), one hundred and sixty feet (160 feet) to the aforesaid line of Summit Avenue; thence binding on the line of Summit Avenue south twenty-one degrees and thirty minutes east (S. 21° 30' E.) fifty feet and nine inches (50 ft. 9 in.) to the place of beginning. The widow, Ann S. Braton, will release her right of dower in the said premises and join in the deed. CLARENCE D. MEYER, Special Guardian, FREDERICK S. TAGGART, Solicitor for Petitioner. Dated August 10, 1910. Aug. 12, 19, 26, Sept. 2, 9.

Notice of Assessment

Notice is hereby given that John M. C. Marsh, Edward F. Gilby and Joseph Perry, the Board of Assessors in and for the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, have filed their report, map and assessment for special benefits for improvements due under certain ordinances therein named. That they have ascertained the whole cost of materials, incidental grading and expenses incurred in constructing the improvement therein named, and have assessed the lands and premises fronting on the improvement 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 ordinance, names of owners, frontages and special assessments are as follows:

Table with columns: Lot No., Name of owners, Frontages, Amt. Includes entries for Wm. Healy Imp. Co., Suburban E. E. Ego, Ed. E. Aikins, etc.

Amount of excess of cost over special benefits to be paid and borne by the Town at large \$727.98. Notice is also hereby given that the Council will meet at the town rooms, 121 Prospect Street, Westfield, N. J., on Monday, September 19, 1910, at eight o'clock in the evening to hear and consider objections to such reports, maps and assessments, which objections must be in writing and must be filed with the town clerk at or before the time of said meeting. LOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk. Westfield, N. J., August 25, 1910. Sept. 2, 9, 16.

Petition and Notice

Westfield, N. J., June 22, 1910. To the Hon. Town Council of Westfield: We hereby petition your honorable body to cause the grade of Westfield Avenue from Grove Street to a point in the center line of Washington Street, to be established in accordance with a profile made by A. W. Van, Town Surveyor, June 1st, 1910, on file in the Surveyor's office of the Town of Westfield. A check for \$50.00 is deposited with this petition as required by law. The Peermal Company, Leigh M. Peermal, President.

Special Ordinance 322

An Ordinance to improve Broad Street from Elm Street to Central Avenue. Be it ordained by the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union: Section 1. That Broad Street from Elm Street to the northerly side of Central Avenue be improved in the following manner: 1. By reworking existing curb on concrete. 2. By setting new 4x16 inch blue stone curb on concrete along the uncured portions of said section of said street. 3. By constructing vitrified brick gutters three (3) feet in width on four (4) inch concrete base along both curb lines. 4. By laying a line of three (3) inch underdrain beneath each gutter. 5. By reconstructing the existing maculium and extending the same for a depth of six (6) inches to the gutter lines, using "Tervis X" binders. 6. By doing all grading incident to the above improvement. Section 2. That so much of the cost and expense of such improvement as can lawfully be assessed upon the property specially benefited thereby shall be assessed by the Board of Assessors. Section 3. That such improvement shall be made and completed under the supervision of the Town Surveyor. Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect immediately. Passed and adopted August 15, 1910. AUGUSTUS L. ALPERS, Mayor. LOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk. Aug. 26, Sept. 2.

The Ladies' World

The Ladies' World for September has an unusual number of good stories and interesting special articles, and its departments are filled with just such matter as the housekeeper wants. Mrs. Robert B. Mantell (Marie-Booth Russell) tells very charmingly how she and her husband have converted an old farm which they bought near New York into a paying property. Conserving the Child Crop is the subject of a very timely paper by Mary Hamilton Talbot, and Laura A. Smith writes of The Woman Agent and How She Succeeds. The fiction is, as always, excellent, the chief stories being The Professor's Holiday, by Imogen Clark; the Bangalow at Cheever's, by C. A. P. Comer; The Boy Who Was Wanted, by Annie Hamilton Donnell; A Privileged Character by Susie Bouchelle Wright; and A Hollow Tree Picnic, by Albert Bigelow Paine. Even the experienced housekeeper can learn something from the household department of this magazine, which is always practical. The first of the Autumn Fashions are shown, and there are the regular contributions on Good Health, the Care of Children, the Ways of Society, Artistic Needlework, etc. In short, it is a wonderfully good publication. [New York; Fifty Cents a Year.]

Best Vegetable Fishing Industry. The fishing industry of the United States is valued at more than that of any other country.

Spedness and Greatness. Everything great is not always good, but all good things are great.—Demosthenes.

Guilt's Keen Arrows. How blunt are all the arrows of adversity in comparison with those of guilt.—Blair.

Good Work Done by Crew. It is estimated that one crew will destroy 700,000 insects every year.

Former Sponges Sea. Trussers are like sponges; they're often patched up.

A Genius. A genius is merely a fool visited.

Putting in 24 Hours a Day. The latest little things ever known are Dr. Kentor's Blue Flag Laxative Tablets. They are always on the job, changing weakness into strength, banishing nervousness, brain fog into mental power. They cure constipation, head-ache, chills, dyspepsia and regulate the entire system. Special for limited time, at all drug-gists, one 50c. box to a customer for 25c. Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded.

The "Kitties" Are Coming

The Fifty-fourth Annual Scottish Games of the New York Caledonian Club, on Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 6th, at Washington Park and Casino, Grand Street, Manpath, L. I., will be a banner day in the annals of the club on account of the large number of visiting organizations that have signified their intention of being present to take part in the parade and games, as well as the very large number of entries that have been received from prominent athletes in all parts of the country (including Canada) for the different games and competitions. The members of the club will be accompanied in the parade by delegations from the following organizations in full Highland Dress: Highland Guard N. Y. C. C., Capt. Wm. G. Reid; Caledonian Clubs of Boston, Mass., Philadelphia, Pa., Newark, Paterson, Trenton and Jersey City, N. J., Kings and Queens Counties, Albany and Yonkers, N. Y., Providence, R. I., New Haven, Conn., Scranton, Pileton, Wilkesbarre, Pa., and the N. Y. Scottish Highlanders. The club and its guests will assemble at the clubhouse, Seventh Avenue near Fifty-fourth St., at 9:30 a. m. sharp, and march through Fifty-fourth St., to E. I. R. R. Ferry. Trolley cars will be taken at Long Island City to Grand St., Manpath. Chief Morrison expects to have over two hundred Highlanders in the parade.

Olympic Park, Newark

Notwithstanding the fact that a number of Newark theatres are now open for the regular winter season, the Alton Opera Company, at Olympic Park, continues merrily on, with a new and novel attraction each week. From present announcements it would seem that this popular resort will be attracting music lovers for many weeks to come, as productions have been arranged for the early weeks in September. "The Bohemian Girl" for the first week and "The Kissin' Girl" to follow for the week of September 12. In reviving "The Bohemian Girl," the Alton are following an annual custom, it having been a regular feature of each opera season for the past seven years, always attracting large crowds. The wonderful popularity of "The Bohemian Girl" has prompted the Alton to give it an elaborate production late in September at the new famous Boston Opera House, with the largest organization ever assembled under this management.

To Exhibit at Fair

Prize poultry of Westfield will be well represented at the Interboro Fair, Staten Island, next week. J. H. Kimball, the Orpington specialist, will send a full team of single comb huffs, and from the fair at Dongan Hills, they will go to Allentown Fair and back to Trenton. Included in the line of birds to be shown are winners at Trenton, Allentown, Orange and other shows of 1909.

Burdens on School Teachers. In Venezuela the teachers in the public schools have to buy all necessary supplies for their scholars. Chalk is sold in ten cents a pound; a single stick costs five cents.

A Sceptic. Kutcher—"My dog, I was detained at the office." Mr. Kutcher—"I won't believe it unless you have data and a scientific companion."—Harper's Bazar.

If There's Anything in Costs. East Indian peasants are called ryots. If a peasant is a ryot, we suppose a nobleman must be a regular dog bated revolution.

Education and Common Sense. There are times when a good education is of small importance compared with a good stock of common sense.

OUT OF THE BLOOM. Many a Gloomy Countenance in Westfield Now Lightens With Happiness. A bad back makes you gloomy. Can't be happy with continual back-ache. The aches and pains of a bad back Are mostly due to sick kidneys. Don't's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys.

They have made many a happy home in Westfield. Read what a grateful citizen says: Miss Katie Brady, 91 Dowser St., Westfield, N. J., says: "Headaches and backaches troubled me for so long a time that I really thought there was no hope for me. The kidney secretions also passed too frequently and caused me much annoyance. I consulted physicians but received no relief. Finally learning of Don's Kidney Pills, I began their use. They gave me prompt relief, strengthening my back and dispelling the headaches and dizzy spells. Don's Kidney Pills proved satisfactory in every respect and I therefore take pleasure in recommending them." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Don's—and take no other.



HAHNE & CO'S 52 Anniversary Celebration and Sale Two Weeks Beginning Tuesday, Sept. 6th, Continuing to Sept. 17 A "Birthday Party" of Gigantic Proportions

Elaborate Decorations! Magnificent Electrical Effects! Great Street Parade Tuesday, Sep. 6th. Musical Festival Thruout the Celebration! Thousands of Souvenirs Free to Visitors! See the Great Birthday Cake!

Anniversary Sale of Extraordinary Magnitude!

Many thousands of dollars' worth of new and worthy merchandise will be offered at unprecedentedly low prices—every department participating in the celebration with the biggest attractions it was possible to secure for this most notable event. History will be celebrated—history will be made! A cordial invitation is extended to the entire State to be with us.

HAHNE & CO'S Broad, New and Halsey Sts., Newark, N. J.

What's in McClure's

Foremost among the articles in the September McClure's is the first installment of the Reminiscences of Goldwin Smith, one of the greatest scholars and critics of public affairs of his time. This installment deals with the American Civil War and with the important men of that period such as Lincoln, Grant, Emerson, Ben Butler and Charles Eliot Norton.

Charm in Expression. An amiable expression while thinking is like an agreeable infection of the voice while speaking. An exaggeration in either case brings unpleasant and many times quite unpleasant results.—From an article in the Circle.

In Praise of Good Humor. Honest good humor is like the oil and wine of a merry meeting and there is no jovial companionship equal to that where the jokes are rather small and the laughter abundant.—Washington Irving.

Luxurious Bath Robe. A new electrically heated bath or lounging robe has woven into the fabric 7,000 feet of specially constructed wire to distribute current taken from a lamp socket without danger of shock or fire.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1895. (SEAL) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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R. F. HOHENSTEIN, DEALS IN FLOUR, FEED, GRAIN, HAY and STRAW, SHAVINGS and PEAT MOSS, HARNESS, BLANKETS and GENERAL HORSE EQUIPMENTS AND A FULL LINE OF POULTRY SUPPLIES. PROSPECT STREET, WESTFIELD. TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

Announcement MR. William J. Rawles has opened a Shoe Parlor in the Pierson building, 29 Elm St., and is prepared to meet the demands of all local patrons for fine and serviceable foot wear. Mr. Rawles is handling The Bates Shoe for men and the Mayfair Shoe for women. All styles and sizes. These brands of shoes hold a reputation for style and durability. There are none better in the market. In the near future, Mr. Rawles will add to the variety of his stock, and Westfield people will have an opportunity to buy any one of the leading favorite brands. It would be well to consult him now. He has shoes that will please you and assures all his customers of courteous and fair treatment. W. J. RAWLES, 29 Elm Street. WESTFIELD, N. J.

AN UNUSUAL MAN

He paced nervously up and down before the display window of a large millinery establishment for some time before he finally entered. Then he walked straight up to the saleswoman with the air of a man who had made up his mind.

"I want a hat," he said.

The saleswoman looked at him doubtfully.

"We—er—keep only women's hats here," she said, finally.

"Well, that's the kind I want," he replied.

The saleswoman gazed at him helplessly. Two or three customers turned around and looked at him, too. The girls on the trimming counter giggled loudly.

The man was evidently painfully aware of these attentions, but he "pulled himself together" and said carelessly:

"Let's look at some of the latest models."

"Step this way, please," said the saleswoman, leading him out of range of the too curious onlookers. "What else hat would you like to see?"

"O, about 6-7-8, I guess," he said.

"No, no, you want a big hat with considerable trimming or a small, plain one—you see, it depends a good deal on the woman who is going to wear it. Now, if you—bring her in—"

"Say," he interrupted, "this is a surprise party I'm pulling off today and I'm going to engineer the deal myself. I don't see anything difficult about buying a hat. You just put me wise to the 1910 rules and I'll place my money. Anybody that would fool away more than three minutes buying a hat hasn't got head enough to wear one himself. Now, this one looks like a winner, with the plumes on. Is the shape wise?"

"That is one of the sweetest things in the store," said the saleswoman, lifting the hat tenderly. "It is in the extreme of fashion. It is, of course, a big hat. Is your—er—the lady—er—is she tall or—er—short?"

"Well, I guess she's up to the weight, all right," returned the purchaser, holding the hat out at arm's length and balancing it critically. "I believe she can carry it. Are all these colors according to the revised rules?"

"Perfectly. Colors, of course, are always a matter of taste and harmony. Is your—the lady a blonde or a brunette?"

The prospective purchaser appeared a little embarrassed for a moment, and then said frankly:

"Say, it's this way. I haven't just made up my mind which one—that is, I'm not sure just what I'll send it to yet. You see, I thought I'd buy a hat for one and a fur muff, maybe, or something like that, for the other. That is, you see, there are two I want to buy presents for, and—O, well, which would this hat go the best with, Amber Top or Raven Wing?"

"Why, I think, perhaps, a blonde could wear it to the best advantage," answered the saleswoman, looking knowing.

"All right, it's the hat for little Sunflower. How about the size of the hole in it—don't look to me like she could get her head and all her hair in that opening?"

"O, her hair don't all go in there, you know," said the saleswoman reassuringly.

"Well, where does it go, then?" he demanded, looking suspiciously at the small opening in the center of the immense brim.

"Why, it puffs up under the brim, you know. The more hair the better for a hat like this."

"Cradle it up, I'll take it. I'll have an express wagon come round and get it. What's the fine?"

The price was \$18.50. He paid it and glanced at his watch.

"Five minutes before lunch time—just time enough to go across the street and buy that muff. Good day," and he hurried away.

Killed by a Swan.

The swans which gracefully glide over the many picturesque river stretches and artificial lakes in England are commonly regarded as harmless birds, much beloved by young and old, and fed and fondled as things embodying the poetic spirit of snow-white grace and beauty. A different story was told at Nottingham recently, where at an inquest it was stated that Cecil Barratt, five years old, was pulled into the river by a swan, who attacked him so savagely that he was drowned.

The boy was the son of the caretaker of the Nottingham Rowing club, and was playing on the landing stage when the swan attacked him. The lad's father ran to the scene of the accident, dived several times, but failed to find the boy, and was also attacked by the bird before he got ashore.

Napoleon's Elba Flag.

Lord Archibald Campbell has presented to the army museum in Paris a curious relic of Napoleon. This is the flag which the latter flew in the hole of Elba during his captivity there. The flag is square, white and fringed with gold, bearing three gold bees and a diagonal scarlet stripe. The staff carries a white and scarlet scarf, having also three gold bees. Napoleon does not seem to have used the flag he hunted elsewhere than in the hole of Elba, where he was a dejected and captive monarch. In France, although bees were always his emblem, they were embroidered on his state robes, his standard was the golden eagle.

Getting Consolation

"I used to think, before I married Fred," said the agitated young woman, "that I wanted a musician." She shook her head and gazed around the small circle dramatically.

"And now," said the unmarried girl, "I suppose you're so supremely satisfied that you don't notice any lack?"

The circle of young matrons laid down their embroidery and regarded her with scorn.

"Indeed!" they remarked, collectively.

"But—but—" stammered the unmarried girl. "I thought you were all happily wedded?"

"So we are!" they chimed, indignantly.

"Then why—" began the unmarried girl, in perplexity.

The girl who had married Fred waved the others to silence.

"She doesn't understand, that's all," she explained. "Why should she? Let me tell you about some of my domestic troubles."

"If I had actually married a professional musician, such as I dreamed about at matinee recitals at the age of 17," explained the girl who had married Fred, "he'd be a lamenting widower by this time, that's certain—lyrically, of course. At least, I hope he'd lament. If the professional ones are as much more 'temperamental' than the amateurs—well, pity their families, my dear!"

"Has Fred turned musical?" ventured the timid young matron in mauve broadcloth.

"Has he!" echoed Fred's bride. "I should say he has! Pardon me for repeating your question, but I'm rather agitated to-day. Fred thinks he's developing a tenor voice, and nothing damping that I can say seems to have any weight against the advice of the curious friends he's acquired lately."

"Tenors are always the worst," murmured the unmarried girl, resentfully.

The girl who had married Fred pronounced upon her eagerly. "Have you suffered from it, too?" she cried.

The unmarried girl nodded. "My brother," she explained. "But he's over it now."

"Are Fred's new friends musicians?" asked the timid matron in mauve.

"I think so, judging from their looks," said the girl who had married Fred. "My dear girl, I wish you could have seen the specimen Fred brought home to dinner last night. Perfectly impossible! We happened to have a particularly good dinner, and, of course, I was glad of that, but when I saw him I decided it was quite unnecessary to hurry out and put on my best bouillon cups—that's always my first instinct when I have unexpected company."

The circle nodded.

"Of course," conceded the girl who had married Fred, "Fred has to have somebody to play accompaniments for him, I suppose, and I don't know a sharp from a flat myself. Anyway, he was wild about this creature."

"Isn't he magnificent?" Fred said to me, after the person had gone—he left an umbrella and a pair of over-shoes, by the way, so I expect he'll come again. Isn't he a genius? Fred asked me. "Did you notice how he subordinated himself?"

"I did not," I replied. "He is as big as a house, and he lounged over the whole room, and he had on a green and purple necktie."

"But I was speaking of his accompaniment," explained Fred. "His technique is superb. He fairly makes a fellow do his best."

"Well," breathed the circle, sympathetically, "do you have much of that sort of thing?"

The girl who had married Fred nodded, gloomily. Then she brightened. "Every cloud has a silver lining," she remarked. "I tell Fred that I'm glad to have some balm for my wounded feelings. He applied for active membership in the Beethoven Choral club."

"And they took him?" cried the timid matron in mauve broadcloth.

"Oh, no," said the girl who had married Fred, smiling happily. "They rejected him with considerable emphasis, and he had to console himself by taking out an associate life membership instead. I like the Beethoven Choral club myself to the extent of having four seats for every concert. We'll take you all," she ended, generously. "I'll make up a party of strictly ignorant people—and we'll have supper afterward."

Phosphorescent Photographs.

Phosphorescent photographs have an image consisting of white calcium sulphide, which shines in the dark after being exposed to luminous rays. The process requires care, but a French authority states that there is no real difficulty. Into a moderately warm solution of one ounce of gelatine in ten ounces of water, 50 grains of potassium bichromate and 300 grains of phosphorescent calcium sulphide are stirred. This solution is used to coat a film of plain celluloid, and after drying the plate thus prepared is exposed under a positive for about the time needed for a carbon print. Warm water is the developer.

Wants Information.

"Why are you offering such high wages to that maid if she is incompetent?"

"But, my dear, she has been employed in nearly all the families in our set."

THE MAN ON THE OUTSIDE

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It is a shambling mind that permits resentment to roost in its rafters.

It is not a cardinal virtue to get red headed over a political argument.

Manners and manliness in a boy are the makings of a magnificent man.

There will always be the contention that Eve was merely Adam's side partner.

Self-sacrifice is lending your garden hose when you want to use it yourself.

It makes an awful lot of difference when and from what we get inspiration.

A repented marriage may be the result of undigested fascination and infatuation.

The church choir tenor is not the only man who tackles things beyond his reach.

Joy ride accidents frequently are caused by the chauffeur having slipped a cognac.

The show of affection in a dumb animal is genuine and not the forerunner of a touch.

What do you suppose Mr. and Mrs. Noah did when those two mequitos pestered them?

When you are waiting for things to come your way the procession is apt to change its route.

First aid to the grouched—get shaved, have your shoes shined and subscribe for the STANDARD.

Perpetual youth is impossible, but cultivating good nature will push the limit some distance ahead.

It is generally best to measure the quality of a rumor by the quantity of the person it emanates from.

A misunderstanding with your banker may be patched up, but a deliberately broken promise—never.

It shows a mean disposition to attempt to make your children believe a politician is one of the booby men.

A piece of gossip may have all sorts of ailments attached to it but no one will ever accuse it of being lazy.

A pessimist is a man who pays single fare both ways rather than gamble with a railroad by buying a round trip ticket.

Any man will get along fairly well if he is favored naturally with brain profundity, physical rotundity and an appreciation of jocundity.

It requires a fine perception of propriety to bring the STANDARD's only delinquent subscriber back to consciousness without giving him another shock.

There certainly is domestic tranquility and conjugal felicity in the home where the wife has the undisputed privilege of opening her husband's mail.

One way to get rid of a well meaning caller during business hours, who has time of his own to waste, is to tell him you must keep an engagement to meet a pay-roll.

The peculiar thing about bargains is a woman is only too glad to tell her friends, right off the reel, where she gets hers; a man conceals his until there is time for the suspicion to wear off.

A marked ballot is a rejected vote and requires merely the semblance of its being deposited for identification in the count to consign it to nothing in the results. Some years ago a Republican town candidate for freeholder, was defeated solely by a wily trick in this line: less than a dozen ballots, cast by people who had them arranged by a scheming worker at the polls, bore an intentional aniline pencil marking which made them useless at the count, and were just enough to squeeze the Democratic opponent in. A similar style of trick was when a man made a small wager that he would vote for a certain candidate and to prove it, at the request of the party he had wagered with, wrote his name on the back of the ballot. The primaries precede the election, study up the primary laws so as to have no chance to growl at nominations that do not suit because you had no vote in making them. The primary is a fair field with no favors, and where the primary means an election—providing your faith is rock solid Republican—and that's all.

Sarcasm is a self stinger.

The bit of lace knows its proper place.

Greatness is gumption glued to genius.

Women love fearlessly and fear lovingly.

Anticipation is intoxication of the imagination.

Patience is an imposed pleasure that often proves painful.

Every time a health rule is broken, snap goes a nerve.

Resolutions put away for future use are apt to become stale.

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"The Social Teachings of Jesus"

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Increasing wealth, which is now an increasing peril, would then become not the means of luxury, but the instrument of service, thus saving the rich from the corruption of wealth and the poor from the envy of it.

The acceptance of these social laws would solve the municipal problem by substituting the official possessed by the spirit of service and intelligence to serve for the boss who, to use the brutally frank confession of one of the class, "is in politics to fill his own pocket every time."

It would transform the duel between capital and labor into a duel, and organize them together for the service of society.

The world industry which is rapidly being organized, is creating a new world life, and a new world consciousness, and a new world conscience to which the accepted social teachings of Jesus would give new world-ethics and a new world diplomacy, which would substitute the golden rule for that of Machiavelli—"Not to depart from good if the ruler can help it, but to know how to do evil if he must."

We are in an age of transition. The coincidence of the application of the scientific method to the investigation of truth and of the application of steam and electricity of the physical world has precipitated a double disturbance, which has not only upset old beliefs, but has revolutionized the conditions of life and transformed civilization.

There has arisen the necessity of reconstruction, not only in religion and ethics and philosophy, but also in industry, in politics and in society. In each of these great divisions of thought and life more or less reconstruction has already taken place, and enough progress has been made to reveal a tendency toward larger generalization—a feeling after some synthesis vast enough to co-ordinate all into one comprehending whole. That something after which many are groping to-day is the kingdom of heaven, the

"...one far-off, divine event To which the whole creation moves." And its final consummation will be the new heavens and the new earth wherein dwell both righteousness.

Biggest Liar of All.
The biggest liar of all is the tramp beggar and petty thief. This Munchausen of the highways lives by lying of a weak, silly, romantic sort and by petty swindling. Charley can stretch a long way with such petty pretenses, for they often go into pronounced incurable dementia, the worst form of bughouse. All habitual liars are, of course, in some way or another, moral idiots—except the Japs, who lie for politeness, well knowing that truth makes trouble.

Animal Early Losses Marking.
At what age does the little tapir lose his markings? A tapir born four months ago in the London zoo is a plump little animal, exactly like his parents, except it is strongly barred with white horizontal stripes, while, as everybody knows, old tapirs are plain, dark slate color. But now, after four months, the stripes are disappearing, those at the head being the first to go. Time has solved the problem.—New York Press.

The Grouch.
Reville not the grouch. Incurable optimists to the contrary notwithstanding, grouches have played their part in the world. Carlyle's lifelong grouch gave us "Sartor Resartus" and the best passages in his "French Revolution." The Iron Duke's grouch against Napoleon made him stick to his work at Waterloo when the field seemed lost. And the royal grouch of the Third George precipitated the Declaration of Independence.—New York Press.

Prevention of Cruelty to Man.
The dinner test in Siberia is a good custom. A bride, on coming to her husband's house, gives a dinner prepared with her own hands as a test of the education she has received. If she succeeds in gratifying her guests, it is taken as a proof not only of the young woman's own excellence, but also as a recommendation of her whole family by whom she was instructed.

Price of Pineapples Doubled.
In 1890 one could buy in the Philippines 32 pineapples for 20 cents. The price has since doubled.

Where They Surpass All Others.
The only records some people ever succeed in breaking are in going from bad to worse.

Learn to Accept Afflictions.
The afflictions to which we are accustomed do not disturb us.—Juvenal.

Enlightening Statistics.
Fifty-seven unmarried people commit suicide to only 43 married.

SEEING CONEY ISLAND.

Merchants Have a Jolly Time, Despite the Glum Weather.

The merchants of Westfield had a jolly time at Coney Island yesterday afternoon; and the weather though not propitious for such an outing, did not phase them a bit.

The party, twenty-five strong left on the 1:37 train and arrived at the Island shortly after three o'clock. After a fine shore dinner at Feltman's, the boys held together and took in all the big shows of Dreamland and Luna Park. Nothing of importance was missed in the sight-seeing expedition. Fred Decker won a near-gold handled walking stick, hitting the African in the head four out of five times. Warren Woodruff nosed in ahead of A. B. Hutchinson in the big steple chase for all. Others achieved honors and bumps and on "The Rocky Road to Dublin," and the Toboggan. The boys are so well pleased that they say they will try it again soon.

Real Estate Notes.

Worl & Millet have sold to W. L. Tucker, of Rahway 155 feet on Duane avenue. He will erect a handsome house there to cost \$10,000; lot on West Broad street near Union for R. A. Fairbairn; house and lot, 144 Elm street, Rahway, to H. C. McVoy for \$5000; rented to A. Pach, house No. 155 Harrison avenue, for J. N. Locke.

Russia's People.

The population of Russia is continually growing at a rate of one and one-half per cent a year, not equalled by any important country on the globe, not even in France does so large a proportion of the population belong to the land-owning class, providing a necessary condition for the agricultural prosperity of the coming generation. Since 1877 the amount of arable land held by the nobility has diminished by a third; yet the price of land has risen in every part of the empire.—View of Reviews.

Strenuous Church Worker.

Whitefield, one of the founders of Methodism, who died in 1770, was a strenuous preacher. His usual program was 40 hours' solid speaking each week, and this to congregations measured in thousands, but he often spoke for six hours. This was not in "after his labor," instead of taking a rest, he was engaged in offering up prayers and intercessions or in singing hymns, as his manner was to visit every house to which he was invited.

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