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HARRISON AVENUE QUABBLE AILED AGAIN BEFORE COUNCIL

After an Hour's Discussion, Matter Is Referred to Engineer Vars.

Aside from the discussion over the voting machine and the Hohenstein resolution, the council listened for over an hour to a presentation of the claims for Harrison avenue at the meeting Monday night. Those in favor of changing the name of the street and representing property between Broad and Kimball avenue, sent in a petition with the signatures of owners of the number of feet owned, accompanied by affidavits. This action complied with the resolution of council. Petitioners represented 1,876.45 feet. Those who desired the name of the street changed sent in a petition representing more than 2,000 feet of land, and on the entire length of the street from Kimball avenue. This petition was not accompanied by affidavits. Lawyer F. S. Taggart spoke for the petitioners to change the name of the street. Mr. Taggart said that he understood council was to disregard the unproved section of the street and that 10 feet of signs on the other petition represented swamp land; that thirteen residents signed the petition he presented, while the other petition had only six resident owners' names. Of these, four of which number were in the McVoy family or interested in the same Construction Company. Mr. Tag-

gart said that no reason was ever given for changing the name of the street and that the petitioners whom he represented did not desire the name changed.

Judge E. R. Collins, who spoke for the petition to change the name, said that the petition had the majority of feet frontage thereon and that the majority should rule. He said that the resolution sent out by the council did not specify that affidavits should accompany the petition.

There was considerable discussion on both sides of the question. Mayor Alpers said that the council had considerable other business to transact. A vote to indefinitely postpone action upon the subject resulted in a tie. Later council referred the petitions to Engineer Vars to check up the frontages between Broad street and Kimball avenue and report to council.

Ordinances to vacate a portion of Kimball avenue, to lay a sewer in Euclid avenue and to accept Chestnut street, were passed upon final readings. An ordinance to extend the sewer system in First street was introduced and passed on first reading.

An extension of time until September 8 was granted to the telephone company to complete its underground work. The company requested an extension of time because of the work being held up by the injunction proceedings.

A fire hydrant was ordered placed in the center of the Broad street business block. The ordinance for sewer system in the section north of Dudley avenue was introduced and passed upon first reading.

The contract to grade the sewer farm was awarded the Weldon Construction Company, the lowest bidder.

HOHENSTEIN'S RESOLUTION DECLARED OUT OF ORDER.

On Appeal Council Sustains Mayor's Ruling by Vote of Four to Three.

COUNCILMAN FINK WITH MAJORITY.

Decision Based on Claim That Council Has No Jurisdiction While Dirt Question Is Pending in Court.

Councilman Robert F. Hohenstein introduced a resolution, at the regular meeting of the Council, Monday night, to make Councilman Hiram L. Fink, Chairman of the Road Committee, and other interested persons, either return the dirt excavated from the streets of the town of Westfield, or to reimburse the town for the same. Mayor Alpers declared the resolution out of order on the ground that the Council had no jurisdiction while the question was pending in the courts. The Mayor scored Councilman Hohenstein for his methods, claiming that he had been too hasty in taking the case into court.

"If you had come to me, I would have advised you in the matter, and a meeting of the Council could have been called, and all differences settled without a squabble in the courts," said the Mayor heatedly.

"It was your business to know, I'm not running this council," retorted Mr. Hohenstein. Further argument was stopped by a motion for a recess by Councilman Middlemitch.

After the recess, Councilman Schmitt revived the question, and taking exception to the Mayor's ruling, appealed from the decision of the chair. The Mayor was sustained by a vote of four to three, Councilman Fink voting with the majority.

Councilman Hohenstein's resolution reads as follows:

"Whereas, during the past six weeks the dirt excavated from the roads and streets of the Town of Westfield by the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, and not required by abutting owners for their own use, has been taken and removed by Hiram L. Fink to the lands of the said Fink and James T. Pierson, and

Whereas, the said Hiram L. Fink has used his office as Chairman of the Road Committee to gain an advantage for himself and others,

Resolved, That the Town Attorney be requested to bring action against the said Hiram L. Fink and such other persons, either for the recovery of the value of the dirt so taken, or for the restoration of the said dirt to the town, and further

Resolved, That the Town Attorney advise the Council in writing of the rights of the Town in this matter.

On the vote to sustain the chair, Councilman Middlemitch, Wilcox, Wilson and Fink voted in the affirmative; Councilmen Schmitt, Malsbury and Hohenstein in the negative.

VOTING MACHINE PETITION, RECEIVED TOO LATE, TABLED

And Councilman Hohenstein Is Rebuked for Insinuations.

The tabling of a petition, signed by the required number of voters, and calling for a special election to vote on the question of dispensing with the voting machine in the first ward, provoked a heated argument at the session of the Common Council, Monday night.

Councilman Middlemitch of the Law Committee reported that it was impossible under the law to hold the required special election to vote on the machine in the First ward within the sixty days of the general election after the requirements of the law had been carried out. Councilman Hohenstein said that the petition asking for the special election was in the hands of Council on August 3, allowing sufficient time. He then accused Mr. Middlemitch of "beating about the bush" and causing delay.

Mr. Middlemitch said that he did not know until that night what the requirements of the law were, and he did not like Mr. Hohenstein's talk. He was open and perfectly frank, and he thought that Councilman Hohenstein should learn how to talk in council meetings.

"You ought to learn to be a gentleman," said Councilman Middlemitch sharply.

The petition on the voting machine was tabled.

Now What Do You Think of That?

Councilman A. J. Wilson, one of the representative leaders of the local G. O. P., went on the Democratic ticket to Witzel's Grove, yesterday. He says that politics was discussed, but not within his hearing.

FINK WAIVES HIS CLAIM.

Acknowledges Prior Right of Abutting Property Owners to Dirt Excavated From Streets.

THE RULE IS THEREFORE DISSOLVED.

Mr. Fink's Sworn Answer Declares Dirt Dumped on Euclid Avenue at Tel. Co.'s Request, Mr. MacHarg's that Company Took Orders from Mr. Fink.

Last Tuesday morning, when the order to show cause in the case of Holmes and others against the Telephone Company and Hiram L. Fink, was returnable in Trenton, some further facts were developed. Mr. Fink was represented by Lawyer Paul Q. Oliver, and the Telephone Company by Mr. Congleton of E. A. and W. T. Day.

Mr. Oliver made the argument for Mr. Fink reading the latter's sworn answer, quite a long document in which Mr. Fink's position is set forth. Mr. Fink says that as Chairman of the Committee on Roads he was required by ordinance to give general supervision to the work done. That so far as he knows the Telephone Company has never refused any property owner the privilege of disposing of the dirt in front of his property and denies that the company has sold any dirt to him. Mr. Fink's explanation of his possession of the dirt is that he and Mr. James T. Pierson are the owners of land on Euclid avenue and that at about the time the work of laying conduits was commenced A. W. Vars, Town Surveyor, who has charge, under Mr. Fink's Committee, of the streets of the town, came to Mr. Fink and said that the Telephone Company wanted to know where to dump the surplus dirt and asked Mr. Fink if they might place it on the low ground in Euclid avenue. Mr. Fink gladly consented and communicated at once with Mr. MacHarg, who procured the ordinance in Westfield, and asked if the surplus dirt would be dumped on his ground by the Company. MacHarg told him that it would be.

Mr. Fink further says that at that time he did not know any dirt was needed by the Town, the Board of Education or for public purposes and that none of them has asked for it. That some of the dirt was later dumped on the Library lot at Mr. Schmitt's request, and that surplus dirt has been delivered to several citizens at their request, and that all dirt delivered to the lots of Fink and Pierson have been delivered by the Company under his direction as Chairman of the Committee on Roads, so that the streets might be kept free.

The answer further denied Mr. Fink's intention to remove the dirt in front of the complainant's property and that he is willing that they should have the same delivered to them by the Telephone Company.

The affidavit of MacHarg says that when the work began the Company received orders from Hiram L. Fink, the Chairman of the Road Committee, where to deposit the surplus earth, and that where individuals have applied for earth, they have in all instances been referred to Mr. Fink.

After the reading of the answer and affidavits, Vice Chancellor Walker said that, inasmuch as the defendants were willing to accede to the demands of the complainants, and the dirt in front of their premises would be delivered to them, there could be no advantage gained by an injunction, for the defendants offered to give the relief asked for. He therefore dissolved the rule, with the understanding that the Road Committee would deliver the dirt to the complainants or dispose of it in the manner desired by them.

DEMOCRATIC CLUB FORMED.

Major Walter Wheatley Elected Head of Local Organization.

The Westfield Democratic Club was organized Tuesday evening at the office of W. E. Tuttle, Jr., with the election of the following officers:

Major Walter Wheatley, president; William E. Tuttle, Jr., vice-president; William R. Starrett, secretary; Addison H. Clark, treasurer; J. W. Wall, sergeant-at-arms. The club will meet every Tuesday evening. It is planned to place a complete local ticket in the field this year, and the club will, it is said, put some ginger into the campaign. The old town rooms, corner of Broad and Elm street, have been secured as a club room and the next meeting will be held there on Wednesday night.

RECORDS OF OLD TIMES.

Achievements of a Youthful Theologian in Days of '76--With the Patriot Army.

REVOLUTIONARY DIARY OF JOSEPH CLARK, D. D.

General Washington's Troops Enter Upon the Winter of Privation on the Schuylkill at Valley Forge.

The fifth installment of the Revolutionary diary of Joseph Clark, D. D., Master and Quarter Master of the Continental Army, with notes by Frank Sewell Skinner, N. J. S. A. R., follows:

The troops paraded on the lines and waited some time, but as the enemy did not come on to the attack, they grounded their arms at the lines and went to their huts. The enemy came up within a mile and a half of our encampment, and appeared to be cutting a great store of wood. They burned some houses at Germantown and Chestnut Hill and made several attempts to get round our left wing, but found us too vigilant to give them such an advantage without cost. On Sunday, December 7th, there was a small skirmish between a party of the enemy and Col. Morgan's riflemen, joined by some militia. At first the enemy retreated, but soon reinforced and drove our little party, though with but little loss. Gen'l Erwin was taken prisoner this week, going out as a volunteer with some scouting party. On Monday night the enemy went back to Philadelphia after plundering and distressing the inhabitants in a shameful manner. It seems the enemy had waited all this time before our lines to decoy us from the heights we possessed, and thereby get an advantage over us; but finding they could not succeed in this nor in getting our left flank they thought best to go off.

While the enemy lay before our lines our men suffered much from the cold, being without their tents and baggage; nor had the baggage got to the camp Thursday morning when the army moved very early to the Schuylkill, where the enemy met us at the Swed's Ford. About 10 o'clock in the morning there was a short firing between the advanced party of the enemy and our advanced party who were attempting to cross the Schuylkill; each party soon took back to the heights on each side of the river. Our army encamped on the east side till Friday night, when they crossed at the Swed's Ford over a bridge made with wagons. The enemy it seems had gone lower down the Schuylkill, or into the city. Our army proceeded over the Schuylkill to the Gulph Mills, where they encamped. I came up with them about noon and went on two miles from camp for quarters, where I stayed till Sunday night. About 9 o'clock we were alarmed by several messengers, who brought us word that the enemy were within two miles, advancing fast. I immediately went to camp; reconnoitering parties were sent out, and the regiment paraded at their alarm posts and waited some time; then returned to their tents. This alarm, it seems, arose from some of our light-horse, who were dressed in red, and pretending they were of the British, began to plunder some of the inhabitants some miles from camp. After this alarm we were detained at this encampment some days by the rain and excessive muddy roads.

Friday, December 19th—The camp moved to near the Valley Forge, where we immediately struck up temporary huts covered with leaves. In a few days we began the building of our log huts. About the 21st of the month a large foraging party of the enemy came out towards Darby. Several scouts from the army, with Col. Morgan's riflemen, went down to oppose them, and had several skirmishes, in which, by what I can learn, each fared nearly alike. The enemy, however, after plundering the inhabitants severely went back to the city and our scouts returned to camp. Gen'l Sullivan's division under command of Brig. Gen. Smallwood removed from the camp to Wilmington. Gen'l Sullivan undertook the duty of building a bridge over the Schuylkill. The building of our log huts at this time was going on very fast. A schooner, bound from New York to Philadelphia, was blown ashore near Wilmington when Gen'l Smallwood, with a party and two field-pieces, went down and took her and in her were taken 850 chests of arms—25 in each chest—total 8,750, the baggage of the officers of four regiments, liquors, etc. We had reports that three other vessels were taken at the Jersey shore

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FINK ANSWERS HIS CRITICS.

Asks Councilmen Schmitt and Hohenstein to Explain Their Statements.

NOT LOOKING FOR PREFERMENT.

Never Released Dirt To Property Owners, He Says—And Had No Selfish Interests in the Dirt.

Westfield, N. J., August 21, 1908.

Mr. Editor:

As Councilman Hohenstein in a previous issue of your paper has called the attention of the public to certain statements charged to have been made by me, I deem it my duty to state my position as regards the same in a like public manner. In the first place let me say that I have tried to serve my fellow townsmen for their best interests to the best of my ability and will continue to do so while in office. Political preferment has never been my motive for serving the people. I have never intimated in any way that I wanted to be Mayor. My friends will bear me out in this statement.

As a matter of fairness I would like Councilman Hohenstein to produce his proof for certain statements in your issue of the 14th in which he accuses me of stating to Councilman Schmitt that I did not care for the Town or the people and if they wanted dirt they must pay for it. Also, that I acknowledged I bought the dirt. I deny both statements. In justice to my own interest it is due the public to hear both sides and I am willing to abide by their decision.

Now about Councilmen Hohenstein and Schmitt are they sincere in their efforts for the dear people or is it to secure their own ends for political preferment. Again—why is it that these two Councilmen believing as they say that I had sacrificed the interests of the Town for my own advantage—why did they not report to the Council their impressions?

Councilman Hohenstein is a member of the Road Committee and if he knew or believed I was not working for the interests of the Town he should have brought it before the Council long ago, and not let it rest until nominations are soon to be made for elective offices. During all this controversy as to who should have the dirt, I wish to state that no person living along the line of the work has been refused by me nor have these two Councilmen been able to produce any witnesses to the contrary and when Councilman Schmitt said in his affidavit that the "said dirt is being delivered or will be immediately delivered to Hiram L. Fink against the protests of property owners" he had positive knowledge at that time that the dirt was being delivered on the Library lot at his request. In answer to the question "Who got the dirt?" I would say every one that asked for it.

HIRAM L. FINK.

AN ORDINANCE TO LICENSE AND REGULATE BILL BOARDS.

Town Attorney, Authorized by Resolution to Draft One.

At the meeting of the Common Council, Monday night, Councilman O. O. Malsbury introduced a resolution providing for an ordinance to regulate and license bill boards in the Town of Westfield. The resolution authorizes the Town Attorney to make a thorough investigation of the subject, and, if legal, to draft a bill board ordinance. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

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Roselle Park Man Buys Power's Hotel.

James Merrill, of Roselle Park, has purchased the Power's Hotel, on North avenue, from Lawrence Powers, the present owner and proprietor. Proprietor Merrill will take possession September 1st.

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A WORD TO SUBSCRIBERS.

In compliance with the law, The Standard has issued bills for subscriptions, payable on or before Sept. 1, 1908. We regret the necessity which compels such action, and we trust that all our subscribers will meet the obligation so that their names may be continued on our subscription lists.

THE DIRT CONTROVERSY, WHICH INVOLVES THE QUESTION OF THE RIGHTS OF CITIZENS IN AUTHORITY.

Considerable importance attaches to the action to be taken by the Common Council as to the final disposition of the dirt removed from the streets of the town to the property on Euclid avenue, owned jointly by Hiram L. Fink and James T. Pierson. The point in dispute, while it effects Mr. Fink's personal liability, involves the question of whether Councilman Fink overreached his rights as a public official in taking, for his private use, dirt to be disposed of by him to the best interests of the Town of Westfield.

The law holds that dirt excavated from the streets belongs to the abutting property owners, who must provide for its immediate removal, so that the public highways may not be unnecessarily obstructed; if property owners do not lay claim to the dirt, it shall become the property of the town. These are facts which Mr. Fink, by virtue of his office, should have known.

In the present controversy, it has been shown that certain property owners wanted dirt, and finally got some of it. What they did not claim promptly (excepting some fifteen loads held up by injunction proceedings) Mr. Fink, it is said, by consent of the Telephone Co., had removed to his lot on Euclid avenue. Mr. Fink may not have known at the time that the Town needed all the dirt taken from the excavations (and more) for filling in the public school and library grounds; but it is not material that he should plead ignorance of the town's needs. His first duty as a public official was to the Town of Westfield. He ought to have known, and not knowing, did he inquire? Whom did Mr. Fink consult before he removed the dirt to his own property? Was the Town Council apprised by Councilman Fink of what Citizen Fink was doing?

The amount of dirt deposited on Euclid avenue is variously estimated at from 1000 to 1500 loads, worth at least forty cents a load, or from four to six hundred dollars. The school and library grounds, must sooner or later be filled in. Who will pay for the dirt: the taxpayers, or Messrs. Hiram L. Fink and James T. Pierson?

We ask these questions with no desire to do any of the parties concerned an injustice. If Mr. Fink acted within his official rights in taking the dirt, all erroneous im-

pressions may be speedily corrected through a Councilman's inquiry; if, on the other hand, it shall be found that Mr. Fink has overreached his rights, or if he shall admit his error, provision may be made for a settlement satisfactory to both Mr. Fink and to the Tax Payers.

At the hearing on the injunction, at Trenton, Tuesday morning, Mr. Fink through his counsel, waived all claim to the remaining dirt, admitting the prior right of property owners to it. With their consent, the dirt will be removed to the library grounds. Having, in this instance, acknowledged his understanding of the spirit and letter of the law, it is probable that he will agree to settle the controversy over the dirt on his property in whatever manner the Council may deem advisable. Civil action alone could compel Mr. Fink to relinquish his claim to the dirt, if he should disclaim the right of the town or the property owners to it. The Common Council would very reluctantly take such action against a fellow-member, and it is not within reason to presume that Mr. Fink would make so painful a duty obligatory.

Mr. Fink has been one of Westfield's leading citizens for a number of years, and, for past services rendered, the citizens make grateful acknowledgment. It is not the easiest thing in the world to hold public office. The citizen who, without remuneration, gives his time and best effort to the needs of a municipality, is deserving of the utmost consideration.

It would be sad indeed, if under such circumstances, the dirt question should be allowed to rest where it is. Therefore, it is earnestly urged in the interests of all concerned that the Common Council make a thorough investigation, the same to be carried out with as much dignity and despatch as possible.

The above was written before Mr. Fink's communication, on the first page of this issue, was received. In the light of his statements, it would seem as if a councilman's inquiry were not only essential, but imperative. By this method, the matter of motive, which is a secondary consideration, may, if necessary, be shown, and the prime question of Mr. Fink's prerogative as a public official may be fully determined.

THE HARRISON AVENUE CONTROVERSY.

For the last six months, the Common Council has been giving valuable time to a painful controversy concerning the change in the name of Harrison avenue. The rival factions have become so wildly enthusiastic in their contentions that each has employed counsel. Monday night the Council listened for one hour to arguments pro and con in which both sides claimed to have signers for the larger frontage on the thoroughfare.

In matters of this nature, the Council is not greatly concerned. Usually the name of a street is not changed without the consent of all

the abutting property owners, and for convincing reasons. In the Harrison avenue controversy, not a single good reason has been given showing the need of a change, and the property owners are about equally divided on the issue. Under the circumstances it would seem advisable for the Council to settle the matter once and for all by throwing all the petitions into the waste basket, and giving attention to questions of real importance to the people of Westfield.

RETURN OF SESSION BOOK.

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Hoping I am not being misled and that I may have the joy of knowing that it is again back in the hands of the session, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
N. W. CADWELL.

P. S. C. Will Pave Broad Street.

The Broad street paving may now be undertaken with confidence. The Public Service Corporation has agreed to pave its portion of the street in conformity with the plan of the Common Council.

It is said that Lawyer Frank Begen was influential in securing the consent of the P. S. C., of which he is council-in-chief.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Rufus B. Whitehead.

Dr. Rufus B. Whitehead, of Elizabeth, a former resident of this place, committed suicide at the Lafayette hotel, at Portland, Maine, yesterday morning. Dr. Whitehead went to Maine on Tuesday for his health, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Henry A. Warnecke. A nervous break down, resulting from over-work during the summer months, is reported to have been the cause of the tragedy. He was thirty-six years old, and is survived by a wife, who was formerly Miss Anna Warnecke, of Westfield, and a daughter. The body was brought to his home at 310 First avenue, Elizabeth, this morning, by his father, E. J. Whitehead, and Mr. Warnecke.

Dr. Whitehead was one of Elizabeth's leading physicians. He was a graduate of the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, in the class of 1894. After being graduated from that institution, he joined the surgical staff of the Elizabeth General Hospital, and later was associated with the late Dr. W. A. Mack, until the latter's death, when he came into a large practice.

He was a classmate and personal friend, of Dr. Robert H. Sinclair, of Westfield. Dr. Whitehead was a resident of Westfield for many years, and was one of the leaders in the club life of the town, being an enthusiastic bicyclist and tennis player. He was a man of unflinching nerve, and remarkable mental and physical energy. Dr. Whitehead was regarded as one of the most skillful surgeons in the county.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Local News About People of Westfield and Its Suburbs.—Other Items of Interest.

For additional locals see page six.

—A son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Baker on Monday last.

—Miss Lou Piker has returned from a stay of several weeks at Watch Hill, R. I.

—Miss Marguerite Jimeron returned on Saturday last from a two weeks' stay in Braintree, Conn.

—Mrs. Robert Perry and son and Mrs. O. R. Swaney and children are at New Castle, New Hampshire.

—Mrs. G. A. V. Hankinson, of Walnut street, is entertaining her niece, Miss Clara Smith, of Belvidere.

—Miss Myrtle Lance and Miss Eva D. Perrine leave tomorrow for a two weeks vacation at Lake Hopatcong.

—Mrs. Wm S. Welch, Mrs. Marion Welch, Mrs. W. J. Taylor and Mrs. Emily Griswold are at Ashbury Park.

—The annual meeting of the Willard W. C. T. U. will be held on Tuesday afternoon September 1st at three o'clock in the Hall on Prospect street.

—Dr. G. S. Laird has purchased the Clark Perrino residence on Central avenue and will take possession October first.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Brown announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Wallace, to Mr. Harry Bogart Venn Jr.

—Wallace Doying has returned from his vacation spent at Atlantic Highlands and has resumed his duties as teller in The Peoples National Bank.

—Miss Mary Cunningham, former librarian of the Westfield Library, and William O. Wheeler were married last evening by Rev. L. D. Oalkins, D. D. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler left today for a short wedding tour.

—The union meeting of Westfield, Plainfield and Cranford Council, D. of L. will be held in the rooms of Cranford Council on Thursday evening, August 27th. The meeting will be in charge of Deputy State Counsellor, of Elizabeth. All State officers will be present.

—Mrs. Leipert of Brooklyn has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sell, of Broad street. Mr. and Mrs. Sell entertained a number of friends on Tuesday evening last in honor of their guest. The evening passed pleasantly with music, dancing and refreshments.

—The young son of Rev. Charles Fiske, who has been critically ill of ptomaine poisoning, at Prout's Neck, Me., where the parents are spending their Summer vacation, is now pronounced out of danger and is progressing slowly to complete recovery. The boy was taken dangerously ill just after their arrival at Prout's Neck, three weeks ago.

—Somerville N. J. Messenger.

—Harvey Greenwood, clerk in the Post Office, who left a couple of weeks ago to spend his vacation at Iowa Falls, Iowa, was taken seriously ill a few days after his arrival and an operation was necessary to save his life. He was removed to a hospital where the operation was successfully performed. Word has been received that Mr. Greenwood is improving and will return home as soon as he is able.

Watch for the Circular to be published by the Union County Standard.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

Baptist Church.

Mr. G. W. Van Vleet, of the New York City Baptist Mission will be in charge of the services in the Baptist Church on Sunday next, in the morning.

Sunday School at noon.

There will be no evening service.

Congregational Church.

Rev. F. E. Sturgis, D. D., pastor in charge, will occupy the pulpit in the Congregational Church on Sunday morning.

Holy Trinity Church.

Mass will be said in Holy Trinity Church on Sunday at 8:30 and 10:00 a.m. Sunday School at 3 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. Nelson B. Ripley, of Binghamton, N. Y., will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist Church on Sunday next both morning and evening.

Regular meeting of the Epworth League on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Sunday School at noon.

Class meeting will be held this evening at eight o'clock in the church parlors. Lender, J. S. A. Witke.

Bible Study Class on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Lender, O. H. Shiras.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

Presbyterian Church.

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

The pulpit will be supplied during the vacation of Rev. W. I. Stearns, as follows:

August 30—Rev. Charles E. Dunn, Tioga Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

St. Paul's.

Rev. Sydney Cross rector will be in charge of the services in St. Paul's on Sunday.

How to Cook a Carp.

Editor Standard:—Your contemporary prints the following concerning a fish which is to its species relatively what the anthropophagi are to the human race:

A permit has been granted to James E. Warner by the State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners to drag the mill ponds on the Rahway River with nets for the removal of the carp, under the supervision of Game Warden Hobbittell.

The work was begun yesterday at the pond formed by the dam on Riverside avenue, and continued on down the river. The carp devour the spawn of the other varieties of fish with which the river has been stocked by the State. It is claimed if the carps are removed the other fish will become plentiful.

—Plainfield Courier-News.

Which brings to mind the proper way to prepare this delectable German fish for the table. Having secured your fish, which is the easiest part of the programme, for any bait will do, from a pretzel to a young onion, scale it, eviscerate it, have the oven hot, procure a nice, smooth plank, preferable of oak, smear the fish well with cracker dust and butter, lay it on the plank, put it in the oven, and when nicely browned take it out—then throw away the fish and eat the plank. OLD SUBSCRIBER.

Westfield, Aug. 14.

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39c. Hay's Hair Health 29c	gen.....15c
25c. Ruppert's Face	10c. Ormont Talc Pow-
Bleach.....19c	der.....5c
35c. Beef, Wine and	10c. Ormont Tooth
Iron.....25c	Powder.....7c
5c. Carona Witch	19c. Sanital Tooth
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Sticks.....15c	Soap.....5c
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—J. A. Wilson has gone to Sparta.
—Jacob Wilson has returned from Virginia.
—Mrs. H. W. Evans is at New London.
—George Wilson has returned from Virginia.
—John Clark has gone to Newberry, Va., for a visit.
—Miss Mary Howe has returned from a visit in Boston.
—Walter Davis is enjoying a week's vacation in Boston.
—Mrs. Charles McDonald is at home from Long Branch.
—Miss Carolyn Gordon has returned from a visit in Ohio.
—Edward Finch, of Trenton, is the guest of O. H. Miller.
—Miss Bertin Holmes has returned from a visit in Boston.
—Mrs. H. L. Fink and daughter are at Pocono Summit, Pa.
—Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Simpson have returned from Boston.
—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grim have returned from Belmar.
—Howard Stocker has returned from a trip through the West.
—William Arnold and family are at home from New Haven.
—Miss Brainerd, of Summit avenue, is at Pocono Summit, Pa.
—O. H. McDougall and family are home from their vacation.
—Harold Lambert has returned from a vacation spent in Boston.
—Alfred Close and family have moved from Rahway to this town.
—Miss Ella Boswell, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Miss Alice Brown.
—J. T. Yates and family have moved from New York to this place.
—Miss Annie Rogers, of Yonkers, N. Y., is visiting Miss Mabel Davis.
—J. H. Pencheon and family have returned from the Pocono Mountains.
—Miss Irene McIntyre, of Pittsfield, Mass., is the guest of Miss Ray Hart.
—Willard Armstrong has returned from a month's stay in New Hampshire.
—Andrew Warren and daughters are spending two weeks at Ocean Grove.
—Mrs. Fannie Maunig and son Mr. Charles Manning are at Ocean Grove.
—Mrs. Arthur Rowland and daughter, of Brooklyn, are guests of Mrs. H. D. Smith.
—O. N. Warden, of New Britain, Conn., is the guest of his brother, J. D. Warden.
—Mrs. R. L. Darrow, of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. O. Johnston.
—Mr. and Mrs. Irving Sawyer, of Brooklyn, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ross.
—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cowdick, of Paterson, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cross.
—Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Francis, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pierce.
—Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Clark, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barclay.
—Mr. Harold Walworth of the Westfield Trust Company is enjoying a two weeks vacation.
—Joseph Morgan and family, of Perth Amboy, have been visiting relatives in town this week.
—Mrs. A. A. Tweed and son, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. B. H. Thorn.
—Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Knight, of Scranton, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davis.
—Miss Ada Winans and Miss Louise Cooper, of Phillipsburg, are visiting Miss Helen Brown.
—Mr. and Mrs. VanBuskirk, of South avenue, will leave next week for a visit at Wurtsboro, N. Y.
—R. E. Carpenter and daughter of Warwick, N. Y. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carpenter.
—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bechtold, of Mountside, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Friese of Panama.
—E. B. Nimmons and family are at Block Island. Mrs. S. Nimmons is visiting at Cambridge, Mass.
—The family of W. E. Reeve of Mountain avenue have been spending a short vacation at Ashbury Park.
—N. O. Brayton, of Toledo, O., is spending the month with his brother, J. K. Brayton, of Washington street.
—F. B. Ham and family, Mrs. M. B. Mapes and Thomas Murray and family are spending the week at Ocean Grove.
—Grover Traynor and John Miller have been attending the meeting of the State Federation of Labor at Trenton this week.
—Miss Alberta Powers, of Central avenue, and Miss Ella Mae Perrine, of Central avenue, are spending a week's vacation at the Ocean House, Ocean Grove.

DOESN'T LIKE OUR WAYS.

Val Valiant, Sport-promoter, Declares Local Merchants are not the "Up-a-d-Do!" Kind.

WHY BAND CONCERTS WERE DROPPED.

He Explains That Business Men Were Not Enough Interested to Subscribe—Mr. Quackenbush Lost Money, he Says.

Contrary to expectations there was no band concert on Saturday night last and a great many of Westfield's people were disappointed in consequence. The concert on August 8th, following the successful bicycle races, struck such a popular chord in public enthusiasm that W. H. Quackenbush, the progressive Westfield automobile and bicycle dealer, who originated and managed the races and concert, planned to continue the concerts on the remaining Saturday evenings in August and September.

Mr. Quackenbush found, however, that while a majority of the merchants and business men of Westfield considered the free open air concerts a good thing to stir up interest during the torrid months, their interest in the concerts was not great enough to permit them to assist in defraying the attendant expenses by subscribing money for their continuation.

Frank Libbey Valiant of New York city, who assisted Mr. Quackenbush in the promotion of the bicycle races, has been spending a week in Westfield and he made an effort to enlist the support of Westfield's business men in the public band concerts, but without success. Mr. Valiant, when seen by a *Standard* man this week, did not enthuse to the 10th degree over Westfield's display of public spirit, as he had found it.

"Honestly, I am surprised at the lack of interest in public enterprise," said Mr. Valiant. "Somebody ought to get a ton of dynamite or some other explosive and set it off here in Westfield. Maybe that would awaken somebody. Of course, this is only the humble opinion of an outsider, but I think that a great deal of Westfield's natural advantages and facilities are running to seed, chiefly because of a lack of the 'get-up-and-do-things' spirit in its business men."

"I am not throwing bouquets at any one but some things have rammed themselves home in my mind. First of all, Westfield is the prettiest suburban town it has been my good fortune to come to in many harvests. I like your beautiful, shady streets and palatial residences, and such of your people as I have met. I think you have got the best weekly newspaper in the State and I also think you have a few progressive and public-spirited business men—but the most of them are simply lethargic. They don't seem to desire to make the most of opportunities that lie right within their grasp."

"Now, take this band concert. I asked nearly every business man in town to co-operate for a continuation of the free musical entertainments. The men at one end of the street were so fearful that somebody at the other end would get more benefit than they. I know that Mr. Quackenbush's interest in the matter was inspired solely through his broad idea of keeping things lively in Westfield for the remainder of the summer. Directly, the band concerts wouldn't do him any more good than they would a funeral director or a stone mason but they would be the means of keeping people in Westfield on Saturday nights and of bringing out-of-town people here, and in the long run that would benefit Westfield as a unit."

"The first band concert cost just \$42. Those who contributed were P. J. Windfeldt, Louis Dughi, F. H. Schaeffer, L. Powers, John Willet, N. Y. Candy Kitchen and Tuttle Bros. They contributed \$27, which left a balance of \$15 for Mr. Quackenbush to pay. Is it any wonder that he doesn't care to continue the concerts?"

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Just the Thing. Mrs. Knoll—No, Mr. Jeweler, a ticking clock would keep me awake. I think what I want is one of them silent watches of the night I've read about.—Kansas City Times.

FOR BICYCLE CLUB.

Wm. Quackenbush Issues a Call for Meeting to Form Town Organization.

Westfield's people are just beginning to awaken to the virtues of bicycling as a sport, a pastime and an exercise. Since the successful race on August 8th, talk has been rife as to the advisability of forming a bicycle club in Westfield, and the interest and enthusiasm manifested has crystallized into definite plan of action.

It is planned to form the Westfield Cycling Club and to interest the grown people as well as the younger generation. Club runs to interesting places will form a weekly feature and social entertainments could be made a feature in the winter months when riding is impossible.

The best months for riding are in the fall and if the club is formed and sufficient interest displayed it is planned to make a "chestnut hunt and run" the piece de resistance of the fall riding season.

Membership would be restricted to all white cyclists of good character, and would comprise two classes—active and junior. The latter class would be for boys and girls under seventeen years of age. Ladies are particularly requested to join as they contribute so much to the success of club affairs.

W. H. Quackenbush is setting the wheels in motion and he asks that all interested in forming a bicycle club in Westfield meet at his store on Prospect street next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, and select a committee of organization. The bicycle club idea is a good one and properly conducted would doubtless become one of Westfield's enjoyable and permanent institutions.

TIME TO ACT.

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Here's one for your boys: If the painting costs two or three times as much as the paint, and one paint goes twice as far as another, how much are those two paints worth?

If Devoe is worth \$1.50 or \$1.75 a gallon, how much is the other one worth? How much is a gallon of paint worth anyhow?

The answer is: Depends on the paint. The reason is: paint isn't always paint. There are true and false paint and short-measure.

How much is a short-measure gallon worth? How much is false paint worth? How much is Devoe worth?

There are millions a year in the answer to this last one.

Charles Crickenberger.

Master and Pupil.

A well-known Japanese magician, Tenleche, who is noted for his skill in mesmerism, was mesmerized by Sadachi, a young member of his company. Sadachi stole 20 yen from his master's purse and absconded.

Anthrax Fatal to Laborer.

It was stated at an inquest at Huddersfield, England, on a plasterer's laborer who died from anthrax contracted when mixing goat's hair with plaster, that this was the first case known of anthrax in the building trade.

The Real Foundation.

It is well to have visions of a better life than that of every day, but it is the life of every day from which elements of a better life must come.—Maeterlinck.

Just the Thing.

Mrs. Knoll—No, Mr. Jeweler, a ticking clock would keep me awake. I think what I want is one of them silent watches of the night I've read about.—Kansas City Times.

Records of Old Times Cont'd.

about the same time, 1778.

About the 10th of January, 1778, a quantity of blankets, stockings and shoes arrived at camp from Virginia, and were distributed among the Virginia troops. Almost daily reports prevailed in camp of a war between England and France. For my own part I could not tell whether to look upon it as a matter of reality or amusement. About this time also a general disaffection prevailed in the army with Congress, especially amongst the Virginians who now appeared to have lost much of that public spirit and heroic resolution which at first roused them up to vigorous exertions. "Fin tran the Virginia troops at this time were very naked for want of clothing, as was indeed the army in general, especially for shoes. However, I could not see the propriety of blaming Congress for all our deficiencies. Could they have seen into the futurities they might perhaps have prevented some of them."

About the 15th of January we had our hats nearly completed and the men in comfortable quarters. Monday, January 19th, a party of about 200 of the enemy's light horse attacked an advancing party of our horse—8 or 10 in number—before they were dressed in the morning; but by the bravery of Capt. Lee and his little party, they were prevented entering the house, and driven off with the loss of two killed and four wounded. Capt. Lee's lieutenant was slightly wounded. Same day some of our small scouts were attacked by parties of their horse, but came off without loss. The cry against Congress still continued as high as ever; men of no less rank than Colonels spoke of them with the greatest contempt and detestation; indeed every body of men who were entrusted with supplies for the army shared largely in the profusion of curses and ill will of the camp. I plainly saw that those whom the cry of Liberty had called into the field could now (when the same cause ceased to be a novelty) be held in it by no other tie than that of Interest.

To be continued.

METHODISTS WIN ON DIAMOND.

Leaguers Defeat Presbyterian Club by Score of 6-5.

The Men's League of the Methodist church, and the Men's Club of the Presbyterian church did battle on the Recreation Park diamond last Saturday afternoon, and the former won out after a stubborn contest by the score of 6-5. It was all for charity, the proceeds of the game helping to swell the exchequers of the Children's Country Home.

A large crowd, including many of the fair sex and Genial Genie Hanford, attended the game. Collector A. H. Clark captained the Presbyterians, and Moreland I. Townley, the Methodists. For two innings the Leaguers hit the ball all over the lot, scoring five runs, while their opponents mangled the atmosphere in their frantic efforts to connect with Welch's twisters.

In the third the Presbyterians got two runs, another in the fourth, and two more in the seventh. But the Leaguers had a good start, and, with the one other tally, made in the fifth, they managed to squeeze out a victory by one run.

Everybody played a good game, considering that they were "all out of practice."

The score is thusly:

PRESBYTERIANS				METHODISTS			
AB	R	H	E	AB	R	H	E
Jackson, p.....	5	1	2	Vervort, if.....	4	0	1
Carlson, ss.....	4	1	0	Hantrader, rf.....	4	2	1
Cox, 2b.....	4	0	0	M. Townley, ss.....	4	1	0
R. Brown, 3b.....	4	0	0	Howard, lb.....	4	0	0
Piker, 1b.....	4	0	1	Quigley, 3b.....	4	0	0
Green, lf.....	4	0	0	W. Woodruff, sb.....	4	0	0
Hurt Clark, 3b.....	4	0	0	B. Vervort, c.....	4	0	0
Darby, rf.....	4	0	0	Breece, of.....	4	0	0
F. Wheeler, cf.....	4	2	1	Welch, p.....	1	0	0
Totals.....	37	5	4	Totals.....	33	6	5

SCORES BY INNINGS
Presbyterians..... 0 0 2 1 0 0 2 0 4
Methodists..... 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 4

SUMMARY
Struck out—By Jackson, 10; by Welch, 11. Base on balls—Off Jackson, 7; off Welch, 1. Unlabeled—H. L. Abrams, David Smith.

Popular Excursion to Mauch Chunk

via New Jersey Central, Sunday, August 23. \$1.50. Special train leaves Westfield at 9.12 a. m.

Lawyer Peckham Kills a Grisly.

Lawyer Peckham has killed a large grisly bear on the Canadian Rockies and will have another trophy to show his friends. Andrew Babcock is also believed to have killed a grisly near the Peckham ranch. No guide or other person was present. Lawyer Peckham is 60 years old.

Alfred Shrub to Compete.

The fact that Alfred Shrub, the World's Champion long distance runner, has entered for the three and four mile races of the New York Caledonian Club at Washington Park, Grand st. between Maspeth and New on, L. I., Labor Day, Monday, September 7th, should prove a good drawing card for that organization. It is not often that he public has an opportunity of seeing a runner of Mr. Shrub's caliber in competition.

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Standard's Checkers and Chess Column.

Edited by Rufus S. Green.

CHECKERS.

"Bristol-Cross."

This opening is so unusual because it meets the "Bristol" with the regular "Cross" opening.

Trunk Game. 11-10, 23-18, 10-20, 24-10, (a) 10-14, 20-21, (18-15 could also be played.) 8-11, 22-17, 7-10, 17-10, 3-7, 31-20, (b) 12-10, 10-12, 4-8, 12-3, 14-17, 21-14, 10-17, 3-10, 0-31, 13-0, 31-24, 28-19, 1-10, 20-18, (or 10-16.) The game has now reached a critical point. B can easily lose. See note. (c) 10-14, 18-0, 5-14, 32-27, 3-0, 25-21, 17-22, 10-16, 11-10, 27-23, (d) 0-0, 10-11, 15-18, 21-17, 18-27, 17-10, 27-32, 30-25, 22-20, 25-22, 32-27. Drawn.

(a) 8-11, looks safe enough, but loses thus: 8-11, 10-15, 10-10, 18-14, 0-18, 22-8, 4-11, 27-24, 30-27, 31-8, thus gaining a man which can be held. W wins.

(b) unless B takes the "shot," which unless he is a first-class player he will beapt to overlook, he is lost. He will probably play 11-10, which looks safe and strong, but loses, thus: 11-10, 25-22, 14-17, 21-14, 10-17, 10-15, 17-21, 20-25, 7-10, 15-11, 10-15, 11-7, (a brilliant sacrifice.) 2-11, 28-24, 4-8, 32-28, (B is now forced to give up his odd man.) 0-10, 13-0, 5-0, 18-14 (in no hurry to get a king; by so doing he could do no more than draw.) 10-17, 22-18, 1-10, 13-0, 10-14, 0-2, 15-10, 24-15, 11-18, 20-22, 10-10, 23-10 (not 22-15), 12-19, 22-15. W wins.

(c) If 2-0, 10-15, 10-10, 25-22, 17-20, 30-7. W wins.

If 5-0, 18-14, 9-18, 25-22, 18-25, 30-7. W wins.

If 2-7, 10-10, 10-15, 25-21, 15-22, 21-14, 11-15, 10-12, 15-18, 12-8, 7-11, 8-3, 11-15, 3-7, 7-10, and gains a man next move. W wins.

(d) 15-18 or 15-10 would be fatal because of 30-25.

Game - "Bristol-Cross" between Hill (black) and Lewis (white.) 11-10, 23-18, 16-20, 24-19, 10-14, 26-23, 8-11, 23-17, 7-10, 17-13, 3-7, 31-20, 12-10, 4-8, 12-3, 14-17, 21-14, 10-17, 8-10, 0-31, 13-0, 31-24, 28-19, 1-10, 10-16, 20-24, 16-7, 2-11, 23-18, 10-14, 18-0, 5-14, (a) 30-20, 17-21, 25-22, 21-25, 22-17, 14-21, 20-23, 21-25, 22-18, 25-30, 20-23, 30-20, 23-19, 24-28, 32-27, 28-32, 27-24, 20-22, 18-14, 32-27, 24-20, 27-23, 10-10, 23-17. B wins.

(a) B thought he could catch a man, and got caught himself. He should have been satisfied with a "draw," which he could easily have got if instead of 30-20, he had moved 32-27, 24-31, 30-20, 31-22, 25-0. Drawn.

BLACK.

1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28
29	30	31	32

WHITE.

End Play.

Problem No. 55.
Black: Men on 8, 12 and 27, king on 13.

White: Men on 5, 16 and 10, king on 14.

White to move and win.

Solution:
5-1, 27-32, 1-6, 32-28, 6-10, 28-24, 10-16, 24-20, 16-11, 20-10, 11-4, 10-23, 4-8, 23-20, 8-11, 20-22, 11-7 (0-22-20, 7-2, 20-23, 14-0, 13-0, 2-0, 23-27, 15-10. W wins by "first position," as illustrated in earlier problems.

Problem No. 56.

Black: Men on 14, 18 and 20, king on 27.

White: Men on 26, 27 and 30, king on 7.

White to move and win.

World Champion.

Dr. Lasker has been Chess champion of the world for the past twenty odd years. Dr. Tarrasch, of Nuremberg, is now disputing this position in a series of eight games up, (draws not counting.) At the present writing the first game has ended after a two days' fight with a victory for Dr. Lasker. The contest is being fought out at Dnsseldorf, Germany.

CHESS.

Problem No. 54.

Black: K on Q4, R on KR5, Kts on K3 and KK12, B on QR2, Ps on Q3 and 5 and QB4, 8 pieces.

White: K on QR, Q on Kt1, R on KKt6, Kts on K3 and QR4, Bs on KB2 and QT6, Ps on K5, KB4 and QKt3, 10 pieces.

White to play and mate in two moves.

Solution:
White. 1. Q to KR7
Black. 1. RxQ

9. Kt to KB3, mate

1. Kt to K1

9. Q to QKt7, mate

Problem No. 55.

Black: K on QH, R on QB, Kts on KKt and QB3, B on KKt3, Ps on Q3 and QB3, 7 pieces.

White: K on QH, Q on KB2, R on KR6, Kts on Q3 and QB4, B on K3, Ps on K4, KKt5, QKt5 and QKt4, 10 pieces.

White to play and mate in two moves.

A QUESTION OF IDENTITY

By Harold Carter.

"Guilt!"

I heard the verdict of the jury differently; I braced myself against the rail and waited for the exordium of the judge. In that supreme moment I felt that I alone dominated the courtroom. Every face among the spectators was turned on mine in horror. The senile old foreman was pulling his beard, and his lips moved; I knew that he was uttering a prayer.

Then the judge commenced his speech. I had been justly convicted of a dastardly crime, he said; I had crept by night into the bedroom of the millionaire sheep owner and blown him into eternity with a bomb. As for my defense of mistaken identity, that was too contemptible to require notice. The cowardly cattlemen's organization which had, he did not doubt, inspired and hired me, might, for the moment, have escaped justice. But the law, though slow, was sure; it would track down their leaders as it had tracked me down. I could have no hope of a reprieve, and he recommended me to spend what short time remained to me in making my peace with God.

Men under sentence of death seem, even to their jailers, to have atoned already for their crimes and sins. For the first time since my imprisonment began the sheriff evinced compassionate pity toward me as he sat beside me in my cell that night.

"My boy," he began, "why not confess and make your peace? Jim, you ain't never had no case, boy. Jim ain't your name, you say? You ain't Jim Crawford, but Frank Sandford, and happened along about the time the explosion occurred. Lad, didn't they find the giant powder in your bedroom? Isn't there 30 and more people in this town identified you? Your own brother came all the way from Omaha to disown you, and then had to admit you. You've been identified by your own photographs and thumb prints and measurements in the St. Louis penitentiary, and that's surer, than the gospels, Jim. An' your own dog identified you in the courtroom. Jim, lad, I've never had to swing a man but he owed up to me before he died. I'd hate to send you into eternity with a lie on your lips."

The good old man ambled away at last, shaking his head over my obstinacy. Well, I was prepared to die, but never, while the breath was in my body, would I admit that I was the desperado they claimed me to be. Perhaps I, too, had I been in the jury box, would have convicted. Yet there was one person who still believed in me through all, since the first day of my incarceration, and that was Muriel, the sheriff's daughter. She accompanied her father the following morning when he brought me my breakfast, and gave me a great bunch of roses.

"Frank, dear," she whispered, as the old man turned away from my cell door, "I trust and believe in you. I know you're not Jim Crawford, but my love. And I'll save you, Frank, I'll save you."

I surmised from what direction the help would come, and my next interview with Muriel confirmed my suspicions.

"Frank, dearest," she whispered, "your friends are going to make a jail delivery at midnight. And when you're in the east again and safe from all danger you must send me word somehow and I will come to you. And I'll wait patiently for months and months, or years, if need be; for I know you are innocent, Frank, and I shall love you always."

It was a night of horror such as I have never known. The suspense, always the suspense; the silent night, broken by pistol shots, the battering of logs against the prison doors; the cries that resounded through the stone halls like rifle fire; the long, eternal agony of doubt—and then my rescuers, masked men, brandishing their guns like torches, bursting into the corridor to free me with the keys which they had taken from the old sheriff, who stood in their midst, helplessly protesting—all this was like the phantasmagoria of a dream until at length, coming to my senses, I found myself seated upon the swiftest horse in Cobweb, leading a mare packed with necessities of life wherewith to cross the desert.

I thrust my feet exultantly inside the stirrups of wood; I pressed my knees against my horse's flanks and gathered the snaffle reins between my fingers. Then, casting one glance backward, I saw Muriel's dark eyes fixed upon mine in love such as had not before come to me.

She had trusted me as few women had done. I could not leave her to eat out her heart through the months and years of doubts and hopelessness. I could not go to freedom with a lie in my heart such as I could have carried to the gibbet. I leaped over my saddlebags and whispered to her: "Girl, I am Jim Crawford."

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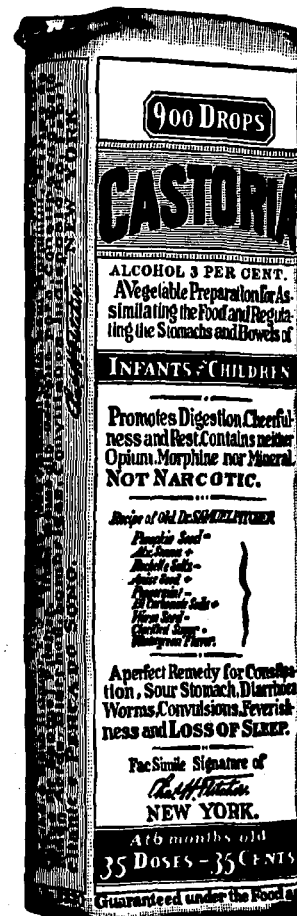
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FRAZEE TRIAL POSPONE

Court Goes on a Fishing Expedition on Appointed Day.

The trial of Freeman James Frazee, for alleged violation of the town ordinance, adjourned from last week, when the jury disagreed, was postponed, Wednesday morning, and the Court, Town Attorney and several of the Connell went on a little fishing expedition, and enjoyed "fishermen's luck."

Mr. Frazee and his witnesses put in an appearance at the Town Hall at the hour set for the trial, and were somewhat chagrined to find the place deserted. Mr. Frazee explained afterward that he thought he had had a pretty rough deal. He said he supposed that the complainant and his witnesses had been notified of the court's action, and he failed to see why he was not notified. Judge Toney told a STANDARDS representative, last night, that Edward Nugent, Frazee's counsel, had requested an adjournment of the case. The Judge said that he supposed Mr. Nugent had notified his client.

Reception to Dr. and Mrs. Hayes.

Dr. A. W. Hayes and Mrs. Hayes will return from a six weeks tour of the continent, Monday. On Thursday evening a reception will be held in the parlors of the Methodist Church, at which the popular pastor and his wife will be given a cordial welcome home. All the members of the church and their friends are invited to be present.

Long Branch Fair at Elkwood Park

August 31, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7. Reduced rates via New Jersey Central. Round trip tickets from Westfield including admission to grounds \$2.00. See agents and circulars for train service.

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John Leal, Principal.

Petition and Notice.

Westfield, N. J., August 17, 1908.
To the Council of the Town of Westfield, Gentlemen:—

The undersigned, being the owners of at least one-sixth of the lands fronting on the proposed improvement, hereby petition your honorable body to cause the grade of Kimball Avenue between Euclid Avenue and Harrison Avenue to be established in accordance with a "Grade Map of Kimball Avenue, Euclid Avenue to Harrison Avenue, Town of Westfield, N. J., 1908," made by A. W. Vars, Town Surveyor.

A check for \$50 accompanies this petition as required by law.

Flint & Pierson... 150
E. J. App... 70
Ella Harrison... 100
W. M. Harrison... 100

Notice is hereby given that the above is a copy of a petition received by the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, and that the Council will meet on Tuesday evening, Sept. 8th, 1908, at 8 o'clock, at the Council room, Elm street, Westfield, N. J., to consider the proposed improvement above mentioned. Objections to proposed improvement must be filed in writing with the Town Clerk at or before the time mentioned for said meeting.

LLOYD THOMPSON,
Town Clerk.
Westfield, N. J., August 20, 1908.

Petition and Notice.

Westfield, N. J., August 17, 1908.
To the Council of the Town of Westfield, Gentlemen:—

The undersigned hereby petition your honorable body to cause to be macadamized for a width of sixteen (16) feet and a depth of six (6) inches the following streets or portions of streets, to wit: St. Mark's avenue from Euclid avenue to Clinton street, Lenox Avenue from Euclid Avenue to Clinton Street, Tremont avenue from end of present macadam to Clinton street, Fairmount avenue from end of present macadam to Clinton street, Tremont avenue from Euclid avenue to St. Paul's street, St. Paul's street from Lenox avenue to North avenue, Clinton street from Broad street to Fairmount avenue.

Also to assess the same upon the property benefited thereby according to law.

A check of \$50.00 accompanies this petition.

Respectfully submitted,
The Westfield Real Estate Co.
J. E. GRAPE, Pres.

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WESTFIELD, N. J.

AT LAST!

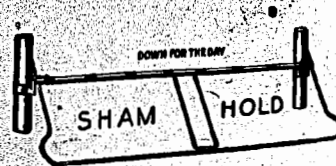
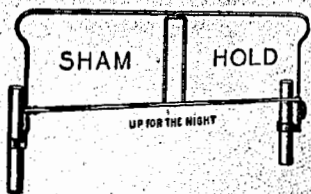
The Problem Solved

What Problem?

The Care of Pillow-Shams.

Here it Is!

SHAM-HOLD



Light, durable, beautiful, fits all clamps, (can't mar.) Cost but \$2.50, or in solid brass \$4.00.



beds, metal or wood, kid-lined \$1.00, or in solid aluminum

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(Agents Wanted.)

14 Elm Street.