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## Only One More Week.

The Ideal American Home Architectural Contest ends next Thursday at 3 p. m. All contestants must have their plans filed with The Peoples National Bank before closing hour on that day. Then the plans will be turned over to the judges and \$50. in gold will be captured by young Westfield architects. Remember, any boy or girl under 19 years of age is eligible. New, desirable ideas and not fine drawing will capture the gold. There is yet time for a try at planning a two-story house which must cost when complete not in excess of \$8,000.

The names of the winners will be announced in the "Standard" of October 9th and the following day the prizes will be awarded. The winning plans will be published and at least one house will be built (after possible necessary detail changes have been made) from the drawings submitted.

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## PRIMARY DAY TUESDAY.

A Complete List of Candidates for All Offices.

Next Tuesday will be primary day, and, locally, the interest centers in the candidacy of Lloyd Thompson for the Assembly. There is only one fight of importance, and that is in the Fourth Ward. Following is the complete list of candidates for county and local offices:

### COUNTY TICKETS.

#### REPUBLICAN.

County Clerk—James C. Calvert, of Elizabeth; county registrar, Frank H. Smith, of Plainfield; assembly, Lloyd Thompson, of Westfield; assembly, Augustus W. Schwartz, of Elizabeth; assembly, Carlton P. Pierce, of Cranford; assembly, Harold Depow, of Linden; assembly, Schuyler M. Cady, of Summit; coroner, Charles B. Holmes, of Rahway.

#### DEMOCRATIC.

County Clerk, John P. Kennel, of Elizabeth; county registrar, George H. Schlottner, of Elizabeth; assembly, Joseph T. Hague, of Elizabeth; assembly, Franklin Halliday, of Rahway; assembly, Abram P. Morris, of Lyons Farms; coroner, F. H. Warncke, of Elizabeth.

### TOWN TICKETS.

#### REPUBLICAN.

First ward, councilman, Edward D. Floyd; constables (2), Harry Ungerer; member county committee, Augustus L. Alpers; local committee, George T. Crutenden, Eugene G. Hanford, G. A. V. Hankinson. Second ward, councilman, John J. Schmitt; constables (2), member of county committee, Chester M. Smith; local committee, James E. Grapo, Arthur N. Pierson, Eugene J. Wilcox. Third ward, councilman, Robert H. Middleitch; constables (2), member of county committee, Charles N. Coddling; local committee, Fred P. Coudit, George E. Gilmore, T. M. K. Mills. Fourth ward, councilman, George H. Gabler; constables (2), member of county committee, Charles E. Cox, Edward C. Winter; local committee, Augustus K. Gale, Edward F. Gilby, Ernest R. Wilcox.

#### DEMOCRATIC.

Second ward, councilman, William Gould; member of county committee, Walter K. Wheatley.

### A Progressive Dinner to Miss White.

The Sigma Phi Society gave a progressive luncheon in honor of one of their members, Miss Margaret White, of Prospect street, and who is now studying in Boston, last Friday afternoon. The courses of the dinner were: Fruit, at the home of Miss Adele Coddling, on the Boulevard; soup, at the home of Miss Grace Collins on Academy Place; fish, at the home of Miss Madelyn Worth, on Walnut street; meat, at the home of Miss Mildred Bance, on Walnut street; salad, at the home of Miss Edith Male Gladwin, on Kimball avenue; and ice cream and cake, at the home of Miss Helen Jackson, on Dudley avenue. All spent the afternoon having a jolly good time, at the home of Miss Edie Perine, on Dudley avenue.

—S. H. Smith, Jr., is spending a vacation at the Delaware Water Gap.

—E. T. Taylor has been visiting friends at Hackensack.

—The Fairview Cemetery Association held a regular meeting in its office on Elm street, Friday night. Business of a routine nature was transacted.

## FOR A "WHITE TRIANGLE."

Merchants Association Urges System of Arc Lighting for Broad, Elm and Prospect Sts.

PRESIDENT HUTCHINSON'S STATEMENT.

Outlines Proposed Plan, and Urges Action

—President Tuttle Concur—Council to Be Consulted.

Other cities in the State have their White spots, which do not always stand for purity, but they do stand for commercial enterprise. The Westfield Merchant's Association has in mind the joining together of the two, in a plan for illumination to be known as "The White Triangle." The project is explained by the following statement issued by President A. B. Hutchinson of the Merchant's Association:

The Merchant's Association of Westfield is interested in a project, which, if carried out, will give the business section of the town an illumination by night that will be both serviceable and attractive. At a meeting of the association held Tuesday night, the question was discussed and I was authorized to appoint a committee to confer with the representatives of the Board of Trade and the Common Council.

The plan as proposed is as follows: To have the triangle block, bounded by Broad, Elm and Prospect streets, illuminated by flaming arc lights, so that when the streets are lighted during the early hours of the night, say from 6:30 to 11 o'clock, the whole effect will be that of a "White Way." It is desired that the section of the town so illuminated shall be known as "The White Triangle."

It is not the purpose of the promoters of the plan that the expenses of its adoption shall be met by the tax-payers. The initial cost, which will be the chief item of expense, necessitating the purchase of the lights, will be borne by those directly benefited, and the funds are to be raised by contribution. It is further planned to keep the present street lighting facilities on the triangle intact so that they can be used alternately with the larger arc lights.

The plan as proposed has the unanimous approval of the Merchant's Association, which is composed entirely of local business men. President Tuttle, of the Board of Trade is in accord with the project and will soon appoint a committee to confer with the one appointed by the Merchant's Association. The Council also will be invited to appoint a committee for joint conference. It is aimed to act promptly in the matter, so that the feasibility and practicability of the question may be finally determined before the winter begins. The Merchant's Association is eager to have the plan adopted into this fall, and to this end its members have pledged their co-operation and financial support. A "White Triangle" for Westfield is an innovation to be seriously and favorably regarded.

A. B. HUTCHINSON.

### Eckel Wins—Eureka!

Vice President Emanuel Eckel's team of pinocle experts in the Uffa Pinocle Club of Westfield have been declared local champions by their victory over President F. Harry Schaefer's aggregation in a match played at the Schultz home, on Broad street, Tuesday evening. The final score was Eckel's Eureka's 8, Schaefer's Nonpareil's 1. The match last night at the home of C. P. W. Witke is reported to have been a "dead heat."

Mrs. E. S. Malmur and children, of Union place, have returned from a visit with relatives at Richmond Hill, L. I.

—Miss Amelia Bastable, of Broad street, has gone to Aylett, Va., for an indefinite stay.



Vote for LLOYD THOMPSON for nomination on the Republican Assembly ticket next Tuesday.

## MUDDLE IN FOURTH WARD.

Republicans Said to Be at War Over the Selection of a Candidate for the Council.

GABLER AND MILLER IN FIELD.

Leader Charles Cox Said to Be For Latter Because He Feels Being Ousted From Party Councils.

It looks now as if there would be no old-time squabble at the Primary fight in the Fourth Ward because of factional differences over the selection of a Republican for council. Malsburg's withdrawal from the race left the Democrats without a candidate, and the Republicans free to choose one from their ranks, who, it was thought, would have the field all to himself. George H. Gabler was the man first selected, and he was assured of the backing of the organization. Since the announcement of his candidacy, however, his enemies in the ward have induced William Miller, a mason, to oppose Gabler at the primaries. It was reported that Miller was being backed by Charles Cox, a Republican leader in the ward, but this Mr. Cox denied.

In an interview with a STANDARD representative, Mr. Cox said: "It is all bosh. I have no axes to grind, and so far as I know Mr. Gabler will not be opposed." Mr. Cox said further that Miller's petition had not been filed.

This was Monday night, and since then the complexion of things has somewhat changed. Mr. Miller is said to be in the race for keeps, and Mr. Cox his staunchest supporter. It is reported that Mr. Cox had recently made up his mind to work for Miller, his decision being determined by a report that certain party leaders in the ward were making an effort to oust him from the party councils for the ward. Mr. Cox is reported to have said Tuesday night, that he would not oppose Gabler's candidacy. His change of heart came later, so Gabler's friends say.

It is reported that there will be opposition from the Democrats now that the Republican camp is divided by factional fights. The Democratic candidate has not yet been announced, but it is said that a local business man is being urged to make the run.

### HE LIKES WESTFIELD.

J. J. Daly, of the U. S. Emigration Service, Urging Friends to Live Here.

Mr. John J. Daly, who is connected with the United States Emigration Bureau at Ellis Island, recently bought a tract of land in Graceland, and is now making his home there. Mr. Daly likes Westfield, and is anxious to bring his friends who are in the service at Ellis Island to those parts to live. There are about 500 officials and employees of the Immigration Service who are living in flats in New York, Brooklyn and the Bronx, and Mr. Daly declares they would all make good local citizens.

Previous to his coming to Westfield, Mr. Daly lived in an apartment house in the Bronx, and it took him about an hour to get to and from his home every day. He prefers the joys of a real home in the country, and a twenty-eight minute ride on the train to New York, to the hum-drum and monotony of life in a big city where a man's home, unless he be as rich as mud, is limited to a single floor in a large building. Mr. Daly declares that he will soon convert his associates to his way of thinking and bring them to Westfield to live.

## THE SCHEME DIDN'T WORK.

Contractors Failed in Effort to Sublet Work of Building the Extension to Local Sewer.

COUNCIL TURNED DOWN PROPOSITION.

Contractor French Had Consent of Bondsmen to Sublet—County Road Bonds Ordered Paid, Due October 1.

"The best laid schemes of mice and men gang oft aglee," as is proven from a recent experience of two contracting concerns in their relations with the Town of Westfield. Not that the scheme itself was in any way unworthy, but that it was not sanctioned by the Council, whether that body knew its true inwardness or no.

This item from the miscellaneous business transacted by the Council Monday night, was the undoing of the scheme: The Council refused to allow Walter M. French to sublet his sewer contract, although his bondsmen signified their willingness to have the contract sublet.

There is some uncertainty as to just what the nature of the scheme was, but report has it thus: Mr. French contracted for the building of the main line trunk sewer at a low figure. Shortly afterwards the contract for building the sewers in Effingham Place, Westfield Gardens and Union Avenue was awarded to the Monmouth Contracting Company, whose figure was so low that the other bidders were puzzled to know how the work could be done at a profit to the contractors. Bidders declared that some of the material was supplied at cost. Later, report had it that the Monmouth Contracting Company had, previous to the award of the contract, made an arrangement with Contractor French whereby the latter was to sublet the contract for building the main line sewer to the Monmouth concern. By this arrangement both contractors would be able to make a profit. It is further declared that more satisfactory arrangements could be made by the subletting of the contract, the cost of material being in some way reduced.

But no matter how true these reports, which were current for some time before, the fact remains that the effort to sublet the contract was made, and that the council refused to sanction it without any ado whatsoever.

No objections were made or filed against the proposed public improvements for which public hearings were held. Bills amounting to \$789.87 were ordered paid and Collector Clark instructed to pay the county road bonds falling due October 1. The bonds amount to \$4,017.08. Interest on road bonds amounting to \$540.64 was also ordered paid.

A certificate of indebtedness for \$5,000 was ordered issued. The ordinance changing the northwest side line of Prospect street was passed. The dog warden reported capturing twenty-seven dogs during the past month, of which number five had been redeemed.

Proprietor Willot, of the North Avenue Hotel, was given permission to keep his hotel open after hours to make alterations in his building.

All the members were present except Councilmen Wilson and Floyd.

### Matinee Meet Declared Off.

Because of the threatening weather, the Westfield Driving and Riding Club has postponed the matinee meet which was to have been held at Fair Acres Track tomorrow afternoon. The race will be held later in the season.



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BROAD STREET.

WESTFIELD, N. J.

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What an Inch of Rainfall Means.  
An acre is 6,272,640 square inches. An inch of water on an acre is, therefore, 6,272,640 cubic inches. That amount, at 277 cubic inches to the gallon, equals 22,000 gallons, or 230,000 pounds, or 100 tons. An inch of rain is, in other words, rain falling at the rate of 100 tons to the acre.

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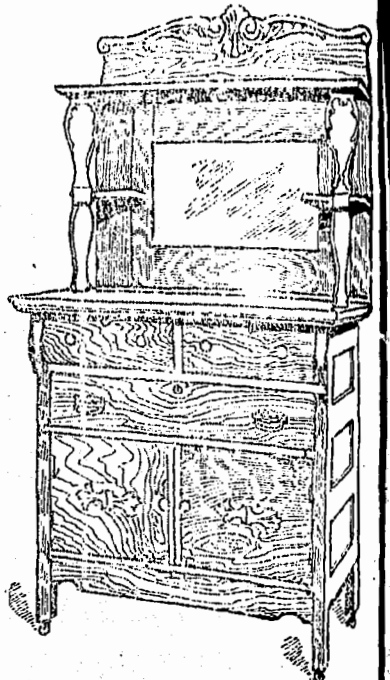
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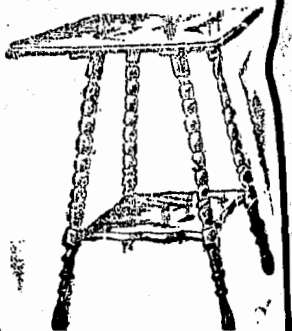


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Ready for Big Event at Olympic Park, October 9-17.

Arrangements for the New Jersey fair of 1909, at Olympic Park, Newark, October 9-17 have progressed so satisfactorily within the last week or so that it is now evident the big event will greatly surpass any of its predecessors in all around excellence and also in the quantity and quality of exhibits in each of its numerous departments. Special attention is to be paid this year to entertainment features, and a number of novelties have been booked, which as popular drawing cards promise to surpass anything of the kind ever offered in this section.

Latest on the list of specialties for which the management is negotiating is an airship of a novel and original type. The flyer is now being tested in long-distance flights and if it does what is claimed for it by specialists visitors at Olympic Park during fair week will see as pretty an exhibition of aerial navigation as science has yet been able to present.

Practically all the entertainment features which have made Olympic Park so popular throughout the summer season will be retained as attractions during the fair. There will be dancing afternoon and evening in the big pavilion especially devoted to this use with music by Professor Habersang's orchestra. Professor C. F. Montalvo will act as master of ceremonies. Vaudeville shows composed of high class acts especially selected for open-air presentation will be given daily on a stage in front of the grand-stand. Roller toboggan, carousel, helter-skelter, moving picture pavilion and other standard fair features will provide amusement in variety, not to mention the Midway, with its galaxy of surprises.

With its foliage-canopied walks, winding among tall tree trunks, its artistic arrangement of grass plots and flower-beds and its pleasing variety of ornamental features, Olympic Park has come to be known as one of the most attractive of open-air resorts in this section of the country. To its natural beauties will be added during fair week many special decorative features.

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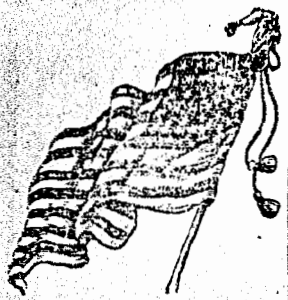
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## NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

No advertisements will be accepted after Thursday noon of the day previous to publication. Advertisers should submit their changes of ads. early in the week.

LLOYD THOMPSON.

The man who seeks public office, standing by a record of sound public service plus personal popularity may be said to command the support of his constituency. Lloyd Thompson has served his home town for many years and in many capacities, as editor of the STANDARD, as Town Clerk, as a legal advisor, and as an executive who in a large measure has shaped the destinies of many private and public local enterprises. He has been a candidate for the assembly before, and has always had the backing of his fellow townsmen.

Mr. Thompson is a young man. He has been a competitor for place. It would be no compliment to him to be credited with having no enemies. A fighter necessarily must choose, and he must brook the enmity of some of those with whom he differs. But when a young man has fought and won his way to public recognition, and withal holds the respect and esteem of the locality wherein he has fought and won, there is not only reason but need for his advancement.

Mr. Thompson seeks the honor of representing this constituency in the General Assembly, a public office which is not too large for the smallest, and not too small for the largest—the office is made by the man. There are some incompetents in the assembly, men who are sent there to do the bidding of others, and have neither the capacity nor the inclination to serve the people. They deserve their title, Hall Room Boys. There are others—the minority—who hold themselves accountable to the people for their public acts, and whether their constituency is wide-awake or indifferent, they work with mind and conscience for the public good. Their acts are not of the spectacular sort, but their record stands the test of time and the fire of public criticism. Sometimes they go down in defeat, but eventually their cause triumphs through the vital energy and impetus which their courageous effort gave to it.

Lloyd Thompson has been tested in the small things. He is stepping into a higher and larger field of public usefulness, and he is well equipped for the responsibilities which await him in the State Capitol. He will see life with the eye of a philosopher, and judge of human nature with the acumen of an alert and experienced man of affairs. He will have to fight, to choose, to dare and to do, and, if he achieve, he will have sometimes to hide his light under a bushel that it may not blind the other fellow into misunderstanding. Mr. Thompson's friends believe that he has the capacity and ability to achieve. If he be nominated and elected—and there is every reason to believe that he will be—the good wishes and the

best hopes of his friends and fellow-townsmen will go with him. Much will be expected of him, much will be required of him. He knows the game; may he play it with characteristic fearlessness and tact, and as becomes a man of brain and conscience!

JOHN A. JOHNSON.

We are frequently inclined to a cynical view of things when a man of acknowledged worth, and a faithful public servant is suddenly taken away in the prime of life. The career of Governor John A. Johnson is suggestive of Lincoln's struggle against the circumstances of birth; and there is something tragic in his death at the age of 48. But nature is no respecter of persons. As true philosophers, therefore, we must lean to the belief that Governor Johnson had served his day and generation, and that his life's work is done. Certainly this man of the people achieved much for the good of all, and in the record of his public service there is to be found that signal virtue which endeared him to people within and without his party. That was the broad, deep, human understanding of the man.

An agnostic, named Goldfield, and a christian evangelist, named Schmidt, held a long-distance talking contest at Cleveland, O., last Sunday, in which the former won, preaching for 6 hours, 44 minutes and 30 seconds. His opponent left the platform thirty-two minutes before, almost exhausted and not able to speak above a whisper. It may have been an inadvertence on the part of the reporter, but there is no mention made of either of the contestants having "passed round the bat."

Wilbur Wright declares that an attempt to circle New York's skyscrapers in an air ship is not an impossible feat, but that it would not offer safety to the crowd below or to the aviator. But what an insignificant thing is safety compared with excitement!

"What," asks a conservative friend, "is the good of all this reform business anyway?"

Well, for instance: It keeps the pee-pul from dying of the dry rot of conservatism, and it acts as an educational force within the body politic.

The STANDARD's straw ballot for candidate to the Animas Club to date shows that in the popular notion all men are liars. The returns are not complete at this writing, however.

Commander Peary seems to take it for granted that Cook is the only man who claims to have discovered the North Pole who must "produce the goods." But how about Commander Peary?

There are two types of citizen that are a menace to society: the ultra-conservative, and the ultra-radical. A plethora of either or both, will send any community to the pow-wows.

If the acquisition of dollars were the only incentive for man's work, wonder what proportion of the population would find any satisfaction in working at all?

Since the emoluments of the office have recently been enlarged we see no objection to the caption: **DOGS WARDEN HAS CORRALLED 27 DOGS AND KILLED 22.**

Tomorrow is Hospital Day. Be ready with your contribution when the collector calls for the envelope!

Cannon has been spiked in Union county.

Donations to Children's Country Home.

Dr. Savoy, two weeks medical attendance; Sunday school taught by the young ladies of the Methodist Church; ten dolls dressed by the Misses Hayes, Pearsall and Ferris; Mrs. Simm, cereals; Mrs. Crain, bananas; Mrs. Brush, a swing; Mrs. W. A. Skinner, a cake; a friend, pair of shoes.

MARY B. PLATT, Committee.

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

## Baptist Church.

Morning worship at 10:30 Sunday. The pastor will preach. Subject, "Flood Tide and Harvest."  
Sunday School at 12 o'clock. W. A. Dempsey, Supt.  
Service for prayer and bible study at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Is there a Hell? What Saith the Scriptures?"  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Ladies' Aid Society met Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in the church parlors.

## Congregational Church.

Dr. Loomis' topic at the morning service next Sunday will be "Spiritual Gains of 300 Years," referring to the Hudson-Fulton Celebration. Following will be the musical service for the morning: Prelude, Haendel; anthem, "Praise the Lord," A. Ruedegger; response, "Lowly at Thine Altar," E. W. Hainscom; postlude, J. Collaerts.

Sunday school is at 12 o'clock and Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:15 p. m. Leader, Mr. George Alpers. Topic, "Evangelistic Missions."

Topic for consideration at the mid-week prayer meeting, "The Statesmanship of Paul."

The installation of the pastor, postponed on account of Hudson-Fulton celebration, will be held October 26.

## 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.

Morning theme, "The Unconscious Influence of High Character." Evening theme, "The Dutchman in Holland and America."

Epworth League meeting at 7 p. m. Topic, "Faith Paralyzed by Fear." Leader Edward Parker.

Fourteen persons united with the church last Sunday. The new individual communion service gave due satisfaction.

Sunday School session at noon. J. F. Johnston, Superintendent, will conduct the service.

Bible Study Class on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock in the church parlors. Mr. O. H. Shiras will be in charge.

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

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

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

## Presbyterian Church.

Sunday—Public worship at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. The pastor, Rev. W. I. Stearns, D. D., will preach at both services; 12 m. Bible School. Special Rally Day service. Parents and friends especially invited; 3 p. m. Italian Mission Sunday school; 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting. Subject, "How missionaries win souls for Christ." 1 Cor. 9: 10-23. Missionary Committee.

Wednesday—8 p. m. mid-week prayer service.

Friday—8 p. m. Evangelistic service at the Italian Mission, conducted by Rev. Joseph Petrelli.

## St. Paul's Church.

Pending the completion of the extensive repairs now in progress at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, services will be held in the Arcadium Hall, over Frutcher's Drug Store (entrance on Broad street.)

On Sunday next there will be Morning Prayer with sermon at 11 a. m.; the choir will be in attendance, and the sermon will be preached by the Rector.

Until the church is ready for occupancy, the usual session of the Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. will be omitted. In its place will be substituted a children's service at 4 p. m., at which the Sunday school lesson will be taught by the Rector. All young people invited.

## Miss Everett Weds.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson S. Everett announce the marriage of their daughter Emma Louise to Mr. George Nelson Tower, Jr., on Thursday, September 16, at Grace Church, New York City.

## The Simple and the Picturesque.

Editor of the Standard: Commander Peary said, "I have Cook nailed." Blunt and simple, but the inference is plain. That expression comes from a naval officer. From the other arm of the service there follows a piece of carpentry that has scroll work upon it. To execute it requires a hammer, a jig saw and other joiners' tools too numerous to be carried to the Far North. Concerning "embalmed beef" Gen. Bagau said: "When Gen. Miles charges that it [beef] was furnished as a 'pretense of experiment' he lies in his throat, he lies in his heart, he lies in every hair of his head and every pore of his body; he lies willfully, deliberately, intentionally and maliciously. \* \* \* I wish to force the lie back in his throat. \* \* \* If he made these statements, as set forth there [in the newspapers] then he lied again, and if he made the statement that 'pretense is the precise term to be used' (as he said then, referring to the experiment) then he lied with as black a heart as the man who blew up the Maine possessed and he deserves to be characterized and known to America and Europe, where his statements have gone, as being the colossal, prodigious liar of the nineteenth century. VERITAS.

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# PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS OF UNION COUNTY, OFFICIAL.

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, N. J., held on Thursday, August 5, 1909, at 2.30 p. m.

Roll call showed the following members present: Director King, Freeholders Adams, Cady, Cladek, Crane, Darby, Donna, Harrison, Haviland, Jensen, Jones, Krouse, Martin, Michael, Perry, Robinson, Smith, Stephens, Swain and Wilbur—20.

On motion of Freeholder Cady it was ordered that the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with, and that the same be approved as per printed copies on the members' desks.

**Communications.**  
From Miss Emily E. Hornblower expressing "many thanks for your kind sympathy" on the death of her aunt, Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, which was received and placed on file.

The following invitation was presented and read:

July 19, 1909.  
Major Benjamin King, Director Board of Chosen Freeholders.  
Sir—We have the honor to extend to yourself, your honorable board, and the ex-members thereof, a most cordial invitation to attend the annual encampment of the Second Regiment, N. G. N. J., on Wednesday, August 11, as the guests of the Union county officers.

Very respectfully,  
CONRAD HALL,

Captain Company I.  
H. B. KITCHILL,  
Captain Company K.  
ROBERT J. MONTGOMERY,  
Captain Company C.

On motion of Freeholder Cady received and accepted with thanks.  
From the Town Clerk of Westfield as follows:

July 7, 1909.  
Honorable Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Council of the Town of Westfield held last evening the clerk was directed to call your attention to the defective conditions of the county road known as Westfield avenue, between South avenue and North avenue, particularly under the railroad bridge, and to request that you have the road improved.

Yours very truly,  
LOYD THOMPSON,  
Town Clerk.

On motion of Freeholder Cady received and referred to the County Road Committee.

From J. P. Kelly:

July 29, 1909.  
Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—On June 12, 1909, Charles Bahr, who resides at 730 Monroe avenue, this city, and who carries on business as a milkman here was driving along Neck Lane, which is, I understand, a county road. Without any warning the front wheels of his wagon slipped through a culvert, in the road, which was in very bad condition. Mr. Bahr was thrown out head foremost and landed on his head and shoulder, with his left arm underneath. He broke three fingers of his left hand and was severely shaken up and bruised. He has been more or less crippled in the left hand since that time and it is a question now whether he will be ever able to gain the full use of his hand.

Mr. Bahr desires to call this matter to your attention and is satisfied that after your board makes such investigation as it may deem proper, it will make such compensation to Mr. Bahr as will to some extent repay him for what he has been compelled to expend for medical service and hospital attendance, and for loss of time and injury to his business.

Will you kindly give this matter your attention and advise me of the result of your investigation? Mr. Bahr does not desire any litigation and would much prefer some reasonable settlement as in the judgment of your board will seem proper.

Yours very truly,  
J. P. KELLY.

On motion of Freeholder Cady received and referred to the County Attorney and the freeholders from City of Elizabeth.

From George B. Vanderpool, Summit:

July 17, 1909.  
Honorable Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—I desire to thank the Board very earnestly for the application of road oil made in front of my property on the Morris turnpike, near Chatham bridge, in the First ward in the City of Summit.

It has been a matter of great interest to me to observe the effect of this oil upon the roadway, and I find that it is far superior to any other material that I have seen used for that purpose. The increased comfort to all persons living near the road or passing along it, owing to the absence of dust, is additional cause for gratitude to your honorable board. I am in a position to know that the frequent use of this oil will save the county all of its cost in the preservation and maintenance of the roads whereon it is applied. Modern conditions demand a road binder and preservative of this nature, and I am satisfied that your oil is unsurpassed as a road binder—binding and holding the macadam in place, resisting the action of water and the great wear and tear of the rapidly moving automobiles.

Will you kindly send me the name of this oil and of the party by whom it is made? I am thinking of buying some for private use.

Very truly yours,  
THOMAS H. VANDERPOOL,  
Received, filed and request granted.  
From William Jeffrey:

July 10, 1909.  
Union County Board of Freeholders.

Gentlemen—Not by way of complaint, but suggestion only, the bridge over the mill race on the Scotch Plains road leading to Berkeley Heights, right at the Harmanworth Woolen Mill, there is an old wooden bridge, and as I passed over it today I thought my automobile would go through it, but I got out to examine it and found that it had sagged a great deal and that the boards are badly worn and the bridge needs to be reconstructed. I do not know whether it is a county bridge or not, so take the precaution of notifying the Somerset County Board of Freeholders and the Township Committee of North Plainfield Township. It would be a good thing to have an iron bridge at that point if it is compatible with the performance of your duties. Believe me to be

Yours truly,  
WILLIAM JEFFERY.

On motion of Freeholder Cady received and placed on file.

From William H. Hoover, Jr., as follows:

July 24, 1909.  
Honorable Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

Gentlemen—Those rattlesnake ferrets playing between Staten Island and New Jersey crossing, the Arthur and Kill Von Kull, practically holding up the people by wasting their time, charging an excess of fare, and endangering their lives and otherwise, should be put out of business as soon as possible.

The people have an undoubted right of free passage to and from Staten Island, and it is up to your honorable body to provide a temporary bridge a once.

The petty municipalities of Staten Island and New Jersey, together with the boards of trade and other interests have proven themselves utterly incompetent and unfit to deal practically with this subject for the past fifty years or more.

It makes no difference whether the bridge is located at Elizabethport or at Trembley's Point, or any other point which you may deem proper. A temporary structure can be improvised and placed in operation at once, and then discussed afterward.

A common wooden bridge built of spruce piles and cheap planking and having a simple draw might possibly cost five thousand dollars complete. Build it, and let objectors howl as much as they like.

Yours very truly,  
WILLIAM H. HOOVER, JR.

On motion of Freeholder Cady received and placed on file.

Plainfield, July 23, 1909.  
Board of Freeholders.

Gentlemen—I am requested to notify you that you have a bridge on Jackson street, Netherwood, that is on my ground about twenty-two feet, taking about that much of our lot in the front, and we would like to have that ground just as soon as we can have it, as we have parties looking to buy it, and we would like to have the ground our deeds call for and this is delaying us from selling it. Hoping you will do something at once

Respectfully,  
CHARLES P. DALEY.

116 West Front street.  
On motion of Freeholder Swain received and referred to the County Attorney and the freeholders from Plainfield.

**Reports of Committees.**

By Committee on Surrogate's Accounts:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders.  
Gentlemen—Your committee appointed to examine the Surrogate's accounts have examined the books and vouchers of the Surrogate for the month of July and find them correct and that the net receipts for the month are \$812.94, which amount has been turned over to the County Collector.

CHARLES A. SMITH,  
WILLIAM H. GARRISON,  
BRADFORD JONES,  
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Cady received and placed on file.

By Committee on Soldiers' Headstones:

Elizabeth, June 30, 1909.  
Board of Chosen Freeholders of County of Union.

Gentlemen—The following applications for monuments to mark the graves of dead soldiers in Union county having been regularly made and approved by the Supervisor, your Committee on Soldiers' Monuments recommends that the requests be granted:

Jonathan B. Drake, Hospital Steward, 30th New Jersey Vols.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.  
Anthony Vincent, Co. H, 128 N. Y. Vols.; Rosehill Cemetery, Linden.  
William E. Townley, 1st Lieut. Co. K, 9th N. J. V.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.  
William Edgerton, Landsman, U. S. N.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.

Daniel Kavanaugh, Co. E, 14th N. J. Vols.; Rosedale Cemetery, Linden.

Respectfully submitted,  
J. HERVEY DOANE,  
JOHN H. STEPHAN,  
CHARLES J. JENSEN,

J. N. CADDY,  
JOSEPH PERRY,  
Committee.

Freeholder Smith moved that the report be received and recommendations therein contained granted, which was so ordered without dissent.

By the Committee on Soldiers' Headstones:

July 23, 1909.  
Board of Chosen Freeholders.

Gentlemen—Applications for monuments to mark the graves for the following named soldiers have been made to your committee, and are respectfully submitted for your approval. These applications have been investigated and approved by the Supervisor, and your committee would therefore respectfully recommend that the requests be granted:

James H. Decker, private, Company C, Fourth New York Artillery; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.

Silas D. Drake, private, Company C, 14th N. J. Vols.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.

David McCondeless, private, Company G, 9th N. J. Vols.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.

John H. Naylor, private, Company B, 6th N. J. Vols.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.

Respectfully submitted,  
J. HERVEY DOANE,  
JOHN H. STEPHAN,  
CHARLES J. JENSEN,  
J. N. CADDY,  
JOSEPH PERRY,  
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Swain, the report was received and the recommendations therein contained granted.

By the County Road Committee: Whereas, Warren Travell, contractor for the macadamizing of Jefferson avenue with amesite, has made application to this board for an extension of the time limit specified in his contract, viz.: August 15, 1909, and has stated that the manufacturers are not yet ready to supply the amesite and that it will therefore be impossible for him to finish the road within the time specified, therefore be it

Resolved, That we hereby extend the time limit of said contract for one month, to the fifteenth day of September, 1909.

E. K. ADAMS,  
GEORGE B. CLADEK,  
PETER H. MEISEL,  
S. P. T. WILBUR,  
County Road Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Krouse, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By the Committee on Jail Inspection:

Elizabeth, Aug. 4, 1909.  
To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Jail Inspection would respectfully report that it has inspected the jail and also the books of the Warden.

Total number in jail July 1, 1909 .....

Number received during month .....

Number confined .....

In custody August 1 .....

Number discharged .....

Number of days board .....

Cost of maintenance of jail for month of July as follows:

Provisions .....

Salaries .....

Incidentals .....

H. J. Schmidt, drugs .....

L. V. Myers, repairing chairs .....

Total .....

Cost per day per prisoner, 35 71-100 cents.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOSEPH PERRY,  
J. HERVEY DOANE,  
JOHN H. STEPHAN,  
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Swain, received and placed on file.

IN MEMORIAM MRS. EMILY E. WILLIAMSON.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Your committee appointed by the Director of this board to report at this meeting what action should be taken by the board in regard to the death of Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, late probate officer of the County of Union, respectfully recommends that the following minute be adopted and entered in full in the minutes of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

"The Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union desire to place on record a tribute to the memory of Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, late probate officer of the County of Union, who died on the thirtieth day of July, nineteen hundred and nine. As probate officer of the County of Union since February, 1902, at which time she was first appointed by His Honor, Judge Benjamin A. Vall, and until the day of her death, having been reappointed by His Honor, Judge Edward S. Atwater, Mrs. Williamson faithfully and zealously attended to the duties with which she became entrusted; ever, as probate officer of the County of Union, her attention has been unstintingly given to matters pertaining to the office and to the general welfare of the people of this county, and especially those whom she was called upon to watch over, guide and raise up—to the latter she was an adviser and a friend rather than a probate officer and one who was always ready to aid them, even at her own loss. To those of the board and its officers who were brought into association with her from time to time, her friendship will be a pleasant

memory, and her course of conduct a stimulating example.

Recognizing the wealth of sterling qualities of Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County hereby desire to pay tribute to the memory of a former officer of this county and to express to the many who sorrow at her death its deep appreciation of her serviceable life and direct that this memorial be recorded in the book of minutes and an engrossed copy of this report be placed in a suitable frame and hung in the probate office.

HENRY KROUSE,  
A. P. T. WILBUR,  
GEORGE B. CLADEK,  
PETER H. MEISEL,  
N. H. LEAVITT,  
Committee.

BENJAMIN KING,  
Director.

The foregoing preamble and resolutions were adopted without dissent.

By Committee on Chatham Bridge,

To the Union County Board of Freeholders: Gentlemen—Your committee appointed to examine and report upon the conditions of the fine bridge over Passaic River, from Morris turnpike, Summit, would respectfully report: We have examined this bridge in connection with the committee from Morris county. We find the bridge nearly worn out and in a dangerous condition. We would therefore recommend that a new arch bridge be built or reinforced concrete at an expense to Union county not to exceed \$6,500.

JOHN N. CADDY,  
PETER H. MEISEL,  
WILLIAM H. GARRETTSON,  
Committee.

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

By Committee on Pine Grove Avenue Bridge, Summit:

To the Board of Freeholders of Union County:

Gentlemen—Your committee, appointed to meet and consider the matter of raising the grade of Pine Grove avenue bridge, Summit, respectfully report that they have met a committee of the Common Council of Summit, and would recommend that the grade of the bridge be raised by the construction of a new wall on the west side, in order to allow for city sewer pipes and provide a sidewalk to meet the proposed widening of the avenue, at an expense not to exceed the sum of \$2,500.

JOHN N. CADDY,  
CHARLES A. SMITH,  
W. H. SWAIN,  
Committee.

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

By the Committee on North Avenue Bridge, Cranford:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee to whom was referred the duty of preparing plans and receiving proposals for the construction of a bridge over the Rahway River on North avenue, Cranford, would report that they have had plans prepared by the County Engineers for a plate girder type of bridge and also for a riveted pony truss type, both types providing for a permanent floor system of reinforced concrete, and have received bids for same on July 30 last, as follows:

Plate Girder.	Pony Truss.	Extra Concrete Per Cu. Yd.
Arthur E. Smith, Plainfield, \$7,945	7,841	3.00
W. E. Warren, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., 7,792	8,045	3.00
Shore & Frost Co., 143 Liberty street, N. Y. (no check).....	9,960	9,490 12.00 rein, 11.00
Wormser Good-man Construction Co., 2 Regor street, N. Y., \$8,91	8,740	7.50
A. E. Sandford Co., 404 Fourth ave., Newark, 9,276	9,475	12.00
Schwartz & Sutton Co., 90 West street, N. Y., 10,850	11,150	8.50
Union County Const. Co., Cranford, 8,335	8,370	
Eastern Steel Co., 71 Broad way, N. Y., 8,950	8,950	

The bid of W. E. Warren, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., being the lowest for the plate girder type at \$7,792, and the bid of Arthur E. Smith, Plainfield, being the lowest of the pony truss type at \$7,841.

After consultation your committee has decided that the plate girder type of bridge is the best suited for the location in question, but they are entirely unacquainted with Mr. Warren or his ability to do the work, and we therefore recommend that the bridge be constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications for the plate girder type of bridge, and that the contract be awarded to W. E. Warren, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., at his bid of \$7,792 (being the lowest proposal received for this work), providing Mr. Warren shall submit satisfactory evidence to this committee of his financial standing and his ability to construct this work in a workmanlike manner, to be evidenced by similar work which he has done.

E. K. ADAMS,  
GEORGE B. CLADEK,  
WILLIAM H. GARRISON,  
CHARLES A. SMITH,  
PETER H. MEISEL,  
Committee.

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

By the Committee to Settle with the Sheriff:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—Your Committee to Settle with the Sheriff begs leave to make the following report:

"The amounts disbursed on account of Sheriff's fees for the six months ending July 1, 1909, are as follows:

January .....

February .....

March .....

April .....

May .....

June .....

July .....

Receipts.

January 6 ... \$194.99

February 4 ... 240.57

March 1 ... 617.42

April 30 ... 508.41

May 1 ... 192.61

June 1 ... 606.91

July 1 ... 610.34

\$3,821.25

Respectfully,  
E. K. ADAMS,  
J. HERVEY DOANE,  
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Stephan received and placed on file.

**New Business.**

By Freeholder Adams:

Whereas, certain bills of Jacob L. Bauer were presented to this board at the meeting of January, 1909, amounting to \$111.45 and at the meeting of April, 1909, amount \$20, and

Whereas, the checks drawn in payment of the said bills have gone astray and cannot be found;

Resolved, That a new warrant be drawn in favor of Jacob L. Bauer for the amount of the bills, namely \$131.45, and that sum be paid to him upon condition that he furnish the county a bond in double the sum of the bills, insuring the county against loss in the event of the finding of the old checks.

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

By Freeholder Perry:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to investigate the need of a new bridge on Fairview avenue, Westfield, the committee to report at the next meeting of this board the advisability of constructing the bridge, together with the probable cost of the work.

On motion of Freeholder Swain the resolution was adopted without dissent. The Director appointed as the said committee Freeholders Perry, Crane and Cladek.

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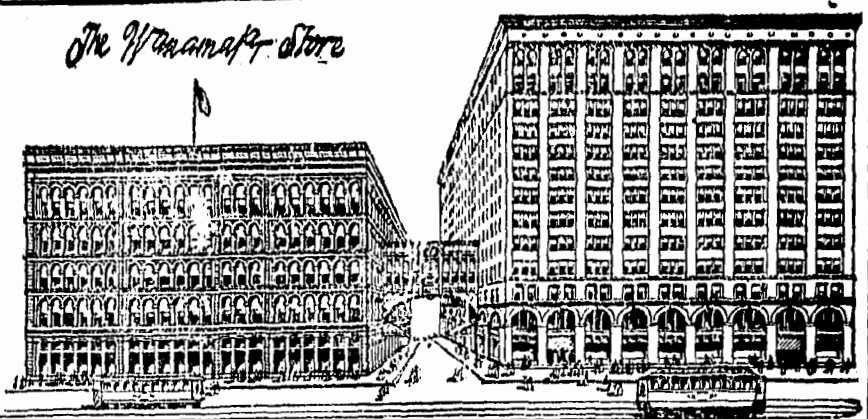
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### The Parachute.

The inventor of the parachute is unknown. In 1785 an Englishman named Blanchard constructed a parachute, in which he descended eight years later, but with such rapidity that he came near being killed. The first person who successfully descended from a balloon in a parachute was Andre Jacques Garnerin in 1797.

### June as Wedding Month.

The popularity of June as a wedding month may be traced to the fact that, game and fish being plentiful in summer, it was then that our progenitors naturally turned their thoughts to affairs matrimonial, exactly as a young man of to-day waits for an increase of salary before plunging into marriage.

### Contrast in Students.

What a contrast there is between the luxury of the life of the richest man at Harvard and the poverty of the student President Lowell told about, who paid five cents for his dinner by buying decaying bananas, from which he cut out portions that were fit to eat.—Boston Globe.

### So Near and Yet So Far.

Johnny, aged eight, likes high-flown words, but as accuracy is not to be expected in one of his years, he often mispronounces and misapplies them. The other day he came home with this announcement: "Mamma, I just saw a gentleman standing on the corner sunk in profane thought."

### Early Soporifics.

Hoatho, a Chinese physician, who lived in the third century, gave his patients a preparation of hemp, whereby they were rendered insensible during surgical operations. The soporific effects of mandrake are mentioned by Shakespeare.

### The Superiority.

The superiority of man to nature is continually illustrated. Nature needs an immense quantity of quills to make a goose with, but a man can make a goose of himself with one.—Christian Register.

### "Pulling" or "Pushing."

The action of a horse hitched to a wagon is generally regarded as pulling. This is an old catch-question, often answered by disputants with the argument that since the animal pushes against the breast-piece of the harness, or the collar, his action is therefore pushing.

## OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The High School Course Is Determined by External Conditions.

### SOME INTERESTING COMPARISONS.

Of Past and Present Entrance Requirements and the Course of Study at Yale and Bowdoin.

The Twenty-Fifth Anniversary Edition of the UNION COUNTY STANDARD contained two installments of a special article by Mr. Earl A. Merrill, on "Our Public School." The third paper is printed in this issue; the fourth and last paper will appear in the issue of October first.—Ed.

Reference has been made to the burden placed upon the secondary schools by the growing demands of colleges, and professional and technical schools; this is clearly brought out by comparing present college courses and entrance requirements with those of the early part of the last century.

As examples, Yale will be taken as representative of the Universities, and Bowdoin of the more advanced of the Colleges. For Yale the earliest available record is in the year 1822, and for Bowdoin in the year 1817.

**YALE ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS, 1822**

1822	1908-9
Elementary Latin	Elementary Latin
Elementary Greek	Elementary Greek, or substitutes therefor.
Arithmetic.	Elementary French, or German.
	Algebra.
	Plane Geometry.
	English.
	Greek and Roman History.

**BOWDOIN ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS, 1817.**

1817	1908-9
Elementary Latin	Required subjects—22 points
Elementary Greek	English
Elementary Latin	Latin

**Fundamental Rules of Arithmetic.**

Algebra.	Plane Geometry.
Roman History.	Greek, English or American History.
Subjects selected from the following list equal to 7 points:	
Greek.	German.
French.	Advanced Algebra.
Solid Geometry.	Trigonometry.
Physics.	Chemistry.
American History.	English History.
Greek History.	

In addition to examinations upon the prescribed subjects, a knowledge of the elements of drawing, music, botany, physical geography, physics, chemistry and civics is now assumed; while the scope of many of the elementary studies, such as arithmetic, geography, and history, has been greatly enlarged.

These comparisons are their own commentary, but if further evidence of the widened field of public instruction is desired it may be found in a study of the requirements of the various professional and technical schools which admit pupils directly from the high school, and of the demands made by modern business.

A comparison of past and present liberal art courses has an immediate bearing upon our subject because these courses determine the entrance requirements; as has already been stated, the work of the public schools is largely determined by external conditions over which the school authorities have but an indirect and limited influence.

**YALE—1822.**

FRESHMAN YEAR.	SOPHOMORE YEAR.
Latin.	Latin.
Greek.	Greek.
Arithmetic.	Mathematics.

**JUNIOR YEAR.**

Latin.	Philosophy.
Greek.	Astronomy.
Mathematics.	Hebrew—optional.
History.	

**SENIOR YEAR.**

Rhetoric.	Paley's Natural Theology.
Logic.	Paley's Principles of Christianity.
Philosophy.	
Locke's Essays.	
Paley's Moral Philosophy.	

**YALE—1908-9.**

A wide range of distinctive courses from which a definite amount of work must be selected for each year. For clearness simply a list of the courses, many of them containing a number of minor subjects, is given, with no attempt to divide the work over the several years, or to separate the required from the elective studies.

Latin	Language.
	Literature.
	History.
	Law.
Greek	Language.
	History.
	Philosophy.
	Scripture.
	Architecture.
Sanskrit	
Hebrew	and Biblical Literature.
French	
German	
Italian	

Spanish  
Scandinavian  
Russian  
Japanese

English  
Literature,  
Composition,  
Speaking & Debating,  
Rhetoric.

Mathematics  
Algebra,  
Geometry,  
Trigonometry,  
Calculus.

Surveying,  
Application of  
to Astronomy & Me-  
chanics,  
Advanced Mathematics.

Physics,  
Chemistry,  
Geology,  
Biology,  
Philosophy and the Social Sciences,  
Psychology,  
Theory and Practice of Education.

History.  
Ancient,  
Modern European,  
American,  
English & American Political,  
Modern Asiatic,  
Colonial.

Anthropology,  
Economics & Law.

Elementary,  
Constitutional,  
International,  
Contracts,  
Insurance,  
Prices.

Railroads,  
Labor,  
Commerce,  
Finance.

Fine Arts & Music.

**BOWDOIN—1817.**

FRESHMAN YEAR.	SOPHOMORE YEAR.
Latin.	Mathematics.
Greek.	Rhetoric.
English.	Logic.
Geography.	

**JUNIOR YEAR.**

Latin.	History.
Greek.	Chemistry.
English.	Natural Philosophy.
Mathematics—in- cluding Surveying and Navigation.	Metaphysics.
Theology.	

**SENIOR YEAR.**

Mathematics.	Ethics.
Chemistry.	Metaphysics.
Nautical Law.	Theology.
Civil Policy.	
Elocution & Fore- nsic Disputation.	
English Composi- tion.	

**COURSES AT BOWDOIN—1908-9.**

Latin.	
Greek.	
French.	
German.	
Spanish.	
Italian.	
English Literature.	
Rhetoric & Oratory.	
Theory & Practice of Education.	
Philosophy.	
Psychology.	
History & Political Science.	
Economics & Sociology.	
Mathematics.	
Surveying & Drawing.	
Geology.	
Biology.	
Physics.	
Chemistry & Mineralogy.	
Astronomy.	
Hygiene & Physical Training.	

**Not Slighted.**

A minister's little daughter was visiting a family in a parish which her father had recently left. One day she explained to her hostess that he hoped the people of the church would not send for him to conduct funerals, but would have the present pastor of the church. Thinking perhaps she might have given offense, she looked up with a bright smile and added: "But of course he would be very glad to attend your funeral."—The Delinquent.

**Dr. Johnson on Good Breeding.**

When Boswell suggested to Johnson that "Gen. Paoli," whom they had just left, "had the loftiest port of any man he had ever seen," Johnson denied that military men were always the best bred men. "Perfect good breeding," he said, "consists in having no particular mark of any profession, but a general elegance of manners; whereas, in a military man, you can commonly distinguish the brand of soldier."

**Origin of Bridal Customs.**

As the wedding guests now gather together at house and church, so once did the bride's tribe gather together to rescue their stolen daughter. As now the wedding supper is prepared, so once did they sit down together in peace and amity after marriage by capture had given way to marriage by purchase, to the feast prepared by the bridegroom to propitiate his father-in-law.

**From the Servants' Table.**

Van Antler—"I think we are sure of a good dinner to-night. You know my new English butler does the entire catering for the household." Grubb—"Can you rely on him to?" Van Antler—"Not always, but this evening I requested him to send us up something from the kitchen table."—Puck.

**Would Interest the Bishop.**

While the bishop of Stepney was walking in London the other day a newsboy came along crying, "Winner, winner!" Then, seeing the clergyman, he at once altered his cry to "Dreadful fire at Jerusalem."

**National Development of Colleges.**

One of the differences between love and a puppy is that a puppy ceases to be blind when it is about nine days old. Sometimes it takes love a little longer to get its eyes open.

**Little by Little.**

Devote each day to the object then in time, and every evening will find something done.—Goethe.

**The Mariner's Compass.**

The Chinese appear to have had knowledge of the mariner's compass as early as B. C. 2634.

**Scotch Proverb.**

He that is ill to himself will be good to nobody.

## Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

Continued from page 6.

Company, \$107.13; Warren Travel, \$408; E. C. Humphrey & Co., \$772; \$240; Courier News Publishing Company, \$9.88; Albert Weber, \$121.12.

Sheriff's Account—James H. Clark, \$108.33; William H. Wright, \$208.33; Robert J. Kirkland, Sheriff, \$468.33; \$205.12.

Court Account—Robert J. Kirkland, Sheriff, \$1,389.12.

Freeholder Krombe moved to adjourn which was carried.

The Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, September 2, 1909, at 2.30 p. m.

S. RUSLING RYNO,  
Clerk.

### Egyptian Eye Paint.

Ancient Egyptians to save their eyes decorated their eyelids with beautiful black, velvety antimony paint, which protected from glare and Egyptian sore eyes. The paint went back near the ear to end in a symbol or curlicue. Bad eyes got worse in too much bright light. Tip suggests a similar eye paint for roof sleepers, so the sun will not wake them too early in the morning.—New York Press.

### No Chinatown Drunkards.

A drunken Chinese is a rare sight in the streets of New York. The official government of Chinatown which administers the high, the low and the middle justice inexorably takes care of this. After the first offense John is warned. A petition inures his deportation to China. The decrees of Chinatown are always carried out.

### Tea Possibilities.

"I have just had an invitation to an electrical tea to be given by a woman doctor," said the bachelor girl. "I'm looking forward to it and wondering what is going to happen to us—whether she will give us a little battery and let us entertain ourselves, make the tea on an electric stove, or just electrocute the bunch of us."

### Smoking in Church.

Smoking in church is a Dutch custom. Dutchmen are such inveterate smokers that one of them is seldom seen without his pipe. Indeed, it is a fact that they find themselves unable to forego the indulgence, even for the short period of a church service.—The Sunday Magazine.

### At a Disadvantage.

"It's all right to talk to some men about climbing the ladder of success," said a New Yorker who is trying to raise a family of seven on \$14 a week, "but when a man is flat on the ground and the ladder is standing on top of him, it ain't a fair line of preaching."

### Another Vindication.

The public has some rights, at least. An Illinois judge says a woman who has just eaten garlic may be ejected from a theater. However, it is implied that she may not be killed.—Rochester Herald.

### The Father's Position.

Where a man comes in strong on discipline for the children is laying down the rules and then blaming his wife because nobody can enforce them.—New York Press.

### A Sad Case.

Beggar (pathetically).—Lady, could yer help a poor, unfornit feller dat hain't blind, ner deaf'n'dumb, ner crippled, ner nuttin' else vot he kin make an honest living at?

### Turn Out for the Bumpers.

"There's a good many bumpers on the road to success. It's a hell lot better to turn out fur 'em than to try to turn 'em all down."

### Always With Us.

An inquirer wants to know where the liars go to, but up to date there is no evidence they have gone anywhere.—Omaha Bee.

### So Say We All.

Sociologist—Do you have much trouble keeping down expenses? The Toller—Not so much as keeping up the revenue.

### Uncle Ezra Says.

"Fellers who do all their travelin' in airships won't hev much uv an opportunity fur leavin' footprints on the sands uv time."

### And Seaweed.

Cigars can be made out of alfalfa leaves, no doubt; the important question is, are they?

### Most of Them Might.

A great mistake for married people to make is to think they couldn't have done any worse.—Exchange.

### Conscience and Custom.

The laws of conscience, which we pretend to be derived from nature, proceed from custom.—Montaigne.

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## THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD

## Wants and Offers.

NOTICE—No advertisement for this column will be taken for less than ten cents. Display notices 12 cents per line.

No advertisements taken over the telephone for this column. All ads. must be prepaid.

**WANTED**—Two men with board, also a woman, to be boarders. Home has all improvements, near station. 241 Broadway.

**WANTED**—An experienced white girl for general house work on first floor; no laundry work. Apply Academy Place, corner South.

**WANTED**—Driver and collector on regular route; steady position for smart man; must be familiar with Westfield, Stamford and vicinity; security and references required. Write Mr. H. H. H. and Laundry.

**WANTED**—Large and small connecting rooms with first class table board. Apply 517 Broadway.

**WANTED**—A white girl for general house work; good wages. Apply Mrs. A. Z. Keller, Dudley avenue.

**EXCHANGE**—Bronx tenement for vacant land and cash. 41 Standard.

**PLEASANT ROOMS** with board, also good table board at 133 Prospect street, corner of Union Place.

**WANTED**—Room, board, or suite of rooms; gentleman and wife; private house preferred. B.

**LOST**—Between Broad street and Dudley avenue, a pearl earring containing pearls and diamonds; finder please return to Elia Polner, Dudley avenue; reward.

**FOR SALE**—A rambo. Harold Lambert, Westfield.

**COACHMAN** wants position; first class written or personal reference. Call or address P. J. G., 635 E. 7th street, Plainfield, N. J.

**BOARDERS WANTED**—Pleasant rooms with private family; two minutes from trolley and train. 402 Boulevard.

**FOR SALE**—Three burner oil stove and washer. 603 Central avenue.

**OLD** wood for sale. Westfield Real Estate Company. \$1.00 delivered.

**TO LET**—Furnished room. 111 Prospect street.

**WESTFIELD** is the high water mark of the suburbs of New York City. Lawrence avenue is the highest point in Westfield. Its ownership and its restrictions make it the best value and the most select.

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## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Next Tuesday is Primary day. Vote for Lloyd Thompson for Assembly.

Sweaters for men, women and children at Schaefer's.

—Miss Katherine Hyslop, of North avenue, is spending a week at Nynok, N. Y.

—Miss Florence Hearty has been visiting friends on Jerusalem road, this week.

—The Men's Club of the Methodist Episcopal Church held a special meeting Wednesday evening.

Puritan art draperies, sermons and madras for curtains and portiers, at Schaefer's.

—R. H. Stern and family, returned Monday from their summer home at Greenport, L. I.

—The new houses of Adam Huffman and J. M. O. Marsh are rapidly nearing completion.

—Miss Snyder, of Walnut street, left Tuesday, for Michigan, where she will spend the winter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Harden have returned from a two week's vacation in Canada.

People who know use darning silk instead of cotton; it is softer. At Schaefer's.

—The Westfield Building and Loan Association held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Woggo, of Brooklyn, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Cox, of Downer street.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Edwin Beebe and Miss Beebe have returned from several week's vacation at Mystic, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Gould, a bride and groom, of Massachusetts, are visiting at 414 Central avenue.

—The Junior Tennessee Jubilee Singers will appear at St. Luke's A. M. E. Zion Church next Thursday, September 30th.

All the largest New York department stores carry Columbia yarns. We have always sold them at a lower price. At Schaefer's.

—Miss Eva L. Barger left yesterday for Rutherford. Miss Barger, with her sister, were associated as osteopaths with offices at Westfield, Ill.

—The Monmouth Contracting Company commenced work Tuesday at Union avenue and Cumberland street, on the new Union and South Walnut sewer contract.

—Miss Inez Pink, of South avenue, returned home Saturday evening after spending a three week's vacation in Pennsylvania. She reports a very enjoyable trip.

—Harry E. Pursell, of Lenox avenue, left this week for a three week's hunting trip at Raingely Lake, Maine. Mrs. Pursell accompanied him to Boston, where she will visit friends until next Tuesday.

—On Wednesday afternoon, instead of Thursday, the first social meeting of the season, of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will be held at the home of Mr. G. B. Dickerson, at three o'clock. Ladies will please note change of day.

—Tomorrow is Hospital Day.

—An oculist for Westfield. See ad. of J. E. Casey on Editorial page.

—Eating flannels in fast colors, amokong quality are 10c yard at Schaefer's.

—The wedding of Miss Blanche Huling, of Enokl avenue, to Charles Plunk, of Elizabeth, will take place at the brides home, on Wednesday, October 6th.

—The annual rally of the officers and teachers of the Presbyterian Sunday School will be held in the parish house tonight. Prof. E. P. St. John will be the after dinner speaker.

—There will be a meeting of the County Board of Examiners of Union County, at the Court House, Elizabeth on Oct. 1st, and 2nd, at 9 A. M.

—John White, colored, was arrested Monday because he would not pay a board bill to Mrs. Smith, of Spring street. He was released Tuesday, J. R. Dary going on his bond.

Cologne soaps, perfumes, talcum and other toilet articles are specially featured at Schaefer's.

## BIG G. O. P. RALLY.

State and County Leaders at Down Town Club Dinner.

Over six hundred Republicans attended the Dollar Dinner given by the Down Town Republican Club of Elizabeth at Turn Hall, Wednesday night. Speeches were made by Governor Fort, U. S. Senator Keen, Congressman Charles N. Fowler, Insurance Commissioner Lewis, Senators Ackerman and Frothinghysen, Judge William N. Runyon, County Registrar Smith and County Clerk Calvert. It was one of the most enthusiastic Republican gatherings ever assembled in Elizabeth. Congressman Fowler received a great ovation when he entered, and throughout the evening there was applause at the mention of his name.

Governor Fort stayed the bosses of the State, and paid a high tribute to Union county leaders, particularly Smith and Calvert and Senator Keen.

Westfield sent a large delegation, including Leader Coddling, Chief Decker, Lloyd Thompson, Freeholder Smith, Councilman Schmitt, Charles Cox, and others.

**Scientific Achievement.**  
"Do you approve of chemicals and other foreign substances in food?" "Certainly," answered the imaginative scientist. "I am now engaged in experiments by which a cure for dyspepsia can be introduced into every pie."—Washington Star.

**Condemnation of Envy.**  
Envy is almost the only vice that is practical at all times and in every place, the only passion that can never be quiet for want of irritation. Its effects therefore are everywhere discoverable, and its attempts always to be dreaded.—Dr. Johnson.

**Advice to Girls.**  
"Be helpers of men," said the president of Vassar to the girl graduates. "That will be well enough after they get the men. In the meantime they might help mother."—Kansas City Journal.

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## OBITUARY.

Joseph H. Clark.

Joseph H. Clark, a lifelong resident of this place, died at his home on Central avenue, Tuesday afternoon, after an illness of three weeks. He was in his 77th year, and is survived by a wife and two children, George A. Clark and Mrs. Ida Henry. Funeral services were held from his late home on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment was at Fairview.

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## The North Pole Discovery

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## PILLINGTON'S PATENT

By Amos R. Wells

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A stock argumentation between Mr. and Mrs. Pillington was the subject of women's inventiveness—or non-inventiveness, rather. Pillington prided himself on his mechanical genius, and was always fishing for an acknowledgment of it from his wife; but she, mindful of a house lumbered from attic to cellar with futile contrivances, observed always a grim silence.

One day, as Mr. Pillington was expatiating on his favorite theme, Mrs. Pillington chanced to be feeding the baby with a nursing bottle.

"I wish," she remarked, "that with all men's superior inventive ability, they would contrive a good way to feed a baby."

Pillington's interest was at once aroused.

"Now, that's just like a woman!" he exclaimed. "Here's a field peculiarly hers. Here's something forced on her attention from the days of Eve. And yet I'll warrant that every patent nursing bottle in the world was invented by a man."

"I should think so!" sighed Mrs. Pillington.

"Well, what's the matter with 'em?" he inquired.

"Matter? Everything. You can't keep them clean. The hole gets clogged up with a shred of cloth. If you make it larger, the baby gets the milk too fast. If you keep the air out, it collapses and the baby gets nothing. If you let the air in, the baby gets the colic. Oh, they're horrid!"

"Lemme see it," and Mr. Pillington looked critically at the nursing-bottle. "Maria Pillington, day after tomorrow I will show you what a man can do. Evidently this thing was some woman's makeshift."

For two days the inventor was mysteriously silent, though sagely observant at baby's feeding-time. On the second evening he brought to his wife with an air of triumph, a marvelous affair.

"What is it?" she asked. "Pillington's Patent Feeding-Bottle!" replied her husband, proudly. "I've filled it. You try it."

Mrs. Pillington examined the apparatus suspiciously.

"What's this big bulb for?"

"That, madam, is to clean it with—force the water in and out by suction; also to force the milk into the mouth. Now, no woman would ever have thought of that."

"I agree with you," remarked Mrs. Pillington, dryly. "And what's this brass arrangement in the neck? Isn't it part of some gas fixture?"

"Yes," Mr. Pillington admitted, unwillingly—"yes, temporarily, it is. But that's the great point. You see this screw? Work it out, and you enlarge the orifice; screw it in, and you diminish the flow of milk. Beautifully simple, and yet no woman would ever have thought of it. Now try it on the baby."

"Never!" shrieked his wife. "What! poison his little frothy-toatsy with a horrid old brass gas machine?" And she embraced Pillington, Junior, protectingly. "Besides, how do you know it'll work? Have you tried it?"

"No need of trying it," replied the inventor. "If you had a mechanical mind you would know it would work just by looking at it. Gimme the baby."

"I won't!" shrieked Mrs. Pillington. "Try your horrid contraption on yourself first. I don't believe you could suck a drop through it."

"I'll show you!" said Mr. Pillington, fiercely. "You see where the milk is?"

Yes, Mrs. Pillington saw. Then her husband tipped back his head, bottle in the air, and began chewing the rubber neck. He grew red in the face. Evidently he was getting nothing.

"It—it—doesn't seem to come, some way," he confessed, at last.

"Any air-hole in it?" asked Mrs. Pillington, kindly.

"Air-hole? What'd I want of an air-hole?" gasped her husband. "Oh, yes! I have it. Gimme that knitting-needle. Forgot a little point." And Mr. Pillington jabbed a hole in the rubber tube that joined the bottle with the section of the gas jet.

"But isn't that an air-hole?" Mrs. Pillington ventured to ask.

"Air-hole nothin'. It's a ventilator. Now I'll show you how to use that screw and bulb. Observe."

Mr. Pillington threw back his head once more, and this time to some purpose. Whether it was the knitting-needle, or the screw, or the big bulb, no one will ever know; but with the inventor's first satisfied swallow the brass broke away, and in one wild spurt a pint of milk flew into Mr. Pillington's face and down his shirt front.

"Gl—gl—gl—gl—oo!" spluttered the unfortunate. "Stop your idiotic laughing, Maria Pillington. Why did you make me put in that air-hole? Well, if that isn't just like a woman!"

And Mr. Pillington went off to get a clean shirt.

## Italy's Revenues from Tobacco.

In Italy tobacco has been a state monopoly since 1833. The results have been notably successful from a financial standpoint. The gross receipts rose from \$36,300,000 in 1897-1898 to \$46,100,000 in 1906-1907.

## Bananas Cheap in Colombia.

A whole bunch of bananas can be bought in Colombia for from 20 to 35 cents.

Too Fond of Domestic Animals. From a Japanese newspaper: "A man named Uyedon Kikimaru, aged 28, of Kobe, has been sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for stealing a young dog belonging to the proprietor of a piece goods store at Tenbana-dori, three chomo, Kobe. It appears that the accused had previously been convicted of stealing a cat."

## Pay Day Always Comes.

Benit Murdock's warning: "One thing is certain. Too many people in this land of the free and home of the brave out-ent, out-drink, out-earn, and out-gad their incomes, doubtless in the belief that pay day will not come. It always has and always will."—Kansas City Journal.

## One of Lamb's Witticisms.

Charles Lamb was invited to a party where the room was crowded with children. Their noise and tricks plagued him not a little and at supper, when toasts were flying to and fro, he rose to propose the health of the "much ca-ca-calumniated good King Herod!"

## Pity for the Malade Imaginaire.

Suffering, even if "imaginary," is nevertheless real enough—the one real thing, think those who have to bear it, in a world of dreams and shadows. Therefore, we must pity even the fanciful valetudinarian.—London Daily Mirror.

## Coincidence!

"Now, Tommie," said the teacher, "you may give me an example of a coincidence." "Why, er," said Tommie with some hesitation—"why, er, why—me fadder and me mudder was both married on de same day."—Harpers Weekly.

## Delicate Compliment.

Moderate—To wear a fashionable hat with grace you must have a head like this wooden model. That is the reason why madame looks so charming in the hat I made for her.—Simplicissimus.

## Husbands and Babies.

After the baby comes, a woman realizes that the lesson in patience she had to learn to get along with her husband, was only the a b c of what she had to learn later.—Atchison Globe.

## Wisdom of Little Value.

"Superior wisdom," said Uncle Eben, "don't 'pear to do much for some people, 'ceptin' to keep 'em worried 'bout de mistakes dey is enabled to notice in others."

## Ancient Use of Asbestos.

Asbestos was known to the ancients, who used it in which to wrap bodies previous to cremation, to separate the human ashes from those of the funeral pyre.

## Beyond Reformation.

Patience—"She says she married him to reform him." Patrice—"And he says he was a fool when he married her." "Well," she says, "he hasn't reformed him a bit."

## Why They're Disappointed.

"Some men sit with folded hands waiting for their ships to come in," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "who never made a single move toward even raising a sail."

## Cats Subject to Influenza.

Cats are subject to a form of influenza which is communicable to human beings, and they can catch it from man just as readily.

## A Mistake.

Most men feel absolutely sure that the trouble is that opportunity made a mistake in the number of the house. —Ohio State Journal.

## At the Commencement Game.

She—Oh, isn't the man that throws the ball on your side, just splendid! He sends it so they hit it every time. —Life.

## Uncle Ezra Says:

"A grocery store is a good place to do farmin' in pervidin' the farmin' is all done before you git there."

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From this point Slim will take up the outgo. We bespeak for him the kindly consideration of our readers. It must not be forgotten that Slim has been unfortunate, and unconsciously he has a grievance against society. His cynicism, therefore, is to be pardoned. Enter Slim—

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SLIM HUNT.

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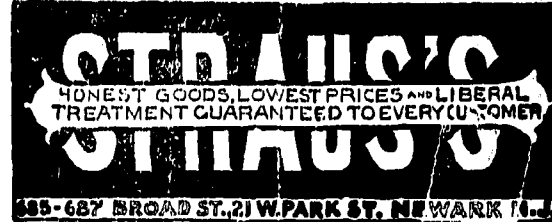
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## LOCAL TAX RATE SOARS.

This Year It Is Highest in County, \$1.05.  
But Income Not Larger.

The local tax rate this year is the highest in the county, \$1.05, but the increase over last year is not as large proportionately as that of Plainfield and other cities.

The increase is due largely to the increase in county tax, in school rates, and to the many necessary public improvements undertaken during the past year.

Following is the tax rate for the county:

	Rate for	Rate for
Taxing District	1000	1908
Clark	.00	.78
Granford	1.00	1.88
Elizabeth	1.00	1.00
Pinewood Township	1.57	1.51
Pinewood Borough	1.08	1.02
Garwood	1.07	.80
Kennilworth	1.48	1.40
Linden Township	.85	.05
Linden Borough	1.08	1.14
Mountainside Borough	1.20	1.24
New Providence Township	1.54	1.04
New Providence Borough	1.70	1.70
Plainfield	1.08	1.40
Rahway	1.84	1.02
Roselle Borough	1.71	1.57
Roselle Park Borough	1.52	1.25
Springfield Township	1.72	1.81
Summit	1.92	1.89
Union Township	1.89	1.12
Westfield	1.05	1.77

### HIGH SCHOOL PIG SKIN CHASERS READY FOR SEASON'S WORK.

All Candidates Practicing Hard For Inter-Scholastic Contests.

The local High School football team is practicing and getting prepared to hold their own on the gridiron this fall, under the careful coaching and instruction of Mr. Martin. The team, although light is on to all the tricks of the game and is expected to make a good showing against the other High School teams of the neighboring towns and cities. The manager, Harold Knight, expects to have the full schedule ready for publication by next week. It will consist of games with all the High Schools in the Union County Athletic League, and many others.

Librarian Miss Gertrude T. Barr is attending the nineteenth annual meeting of the New York Library Association, which is in session this week at The Sagamore, Lake George, N. Y.

## "What Shall I Get?"

That is the question that cudgels your brains at every birthday, holiday, engagement, celebration—in fact, probably dozens of times a year.

Let us help you make a selection that will look better than the price, and one within your limit.

Good jewelry of any kind is an everlasting, beautiful gift that is appreciated and valued. Shoddy jewelry is worse than nothing.

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## TOMORROW IS HOSPITAL DAY.

Have Your Envelopes Ready When the Collector Calls.

On Saturday last the envelopes were distributed, with an accompanying circular, making plain the reasons why the contributions are asked and should be made by all, with words of approval from every minister and doctor in town, Mayor Alpers, Supervising Principal Savitz and others.

Authorized collectors will call at the homes for the envelopes tomorrow. If any prefer to hand in the envelopes with their contributions they may send check to J. G. Casoy, the treasurer, at Casoy's pharmacy, Broad and Prospect street, or to Mayor A. L. Alpers, chairman, who will indorse them over to the treasurer.

To accommodate the workers, the Peoples National Bank will remain open all day to receive contributions.

The fifth game for the championship of the twin boroughs, between the Triangles and the Hexagons of Roselle and Roselle Park, will be played off on the former's grounds on Saturday October 2nd. The series now stands a tie.

—Miss Catherine Schmitz, of Camden, is visiting relatives here.

—Firebirds Council, Royal Arcanum, held a regular meeting last evening.

—Stanley Marsh has resumed his studies at Brown University.

—W. L. Brown, of Dunellen avenue, has returned from a business trip to New York State.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Irving will leave next Wednesday for a month's trip through the West.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Louis Ungerer returned from their summer home at Bradley Beach yesterday.

—Mrs. Stephen Steiniger and family have returned to their home in the city after a visit with Westfield friends.

### Plainfield Theatre

SATURDAY, MATINEE & NIGHT, SEPT. 24  
"THE VILLAGE PARSON"

PRICES—Matinee: 25c, 35c, 50c.  
Night: 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

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Special School Children's Matinee this Saturday.

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Our Pool and Billiard Rooms are now open for your inspection.

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