

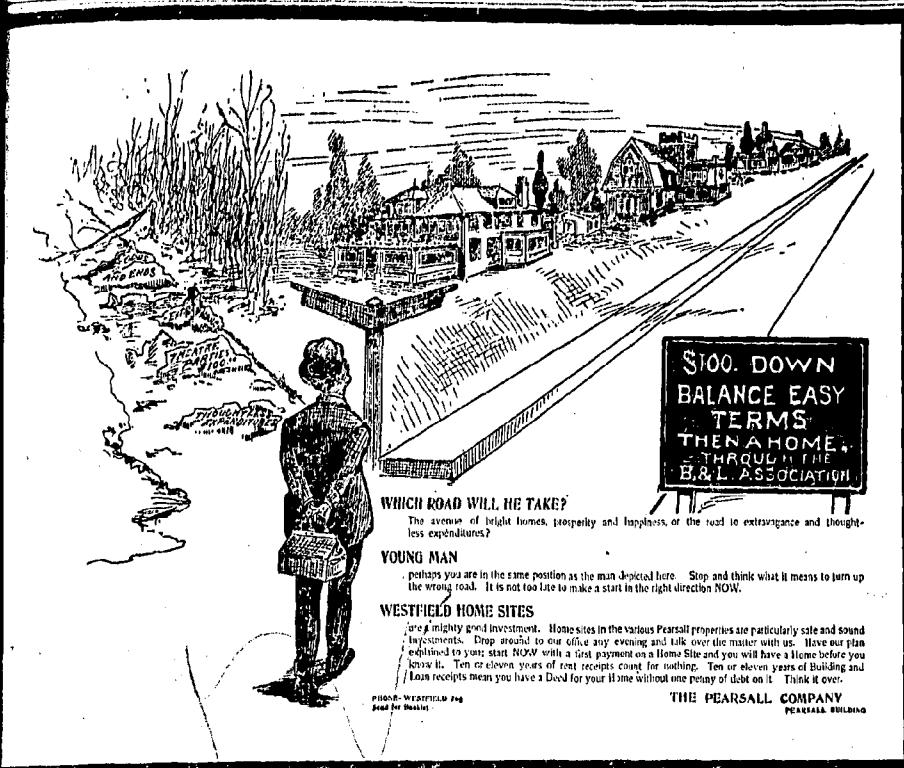
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## SLIPPED ON THE SIDEWALK; BROKE HIS LEFT ARM.

Thomas Jones, Jr., Did Not know Nature of Mishap for Two Hours.

Thomas Jones, Jr., of this place, and an employee in the Acolian piano factory, at Garwood, slipped and fell on Main street, Garwood while on his way to work, early Monday morning. Jones felt severe pains in his left arm, but went to the shop and reported for duty. About two hours later the pains became so intense that he was forced to leave his work and consult Dr. R. G. Savoye, of Westfield. An examination showed that the arm had been broken just above the elbow joint.

## GEORGE DAVIS KILLED.

Local Man Struck by Engine in Jersey City Yards.

George Davis of 171 Broad street, yard foreman at Jersey City for the Central Railroad of New Jersey, was struck by the drill engine while crossing the tracks in the freight yard, about eleven o'clock Tuesday morning and killed almost instantly. It is supposed that his foot got caught, or that he made a misstep, and so was unable to avoid the approaching engine. His body was brought from Jersey City Tuesday night and taken to Brown's undertaking rooms on Elm street. He was fifty-five years of age and had been in the service of the Central Railroad for thirty-seven years.

Mr. Davis had lived in Westfield for seventeen years and was well known and had many friends here. He is survived by his widow and two children, Mrs. Frank Irving and George Davis, Jr., both of Westfield. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias and the Conductor's Brotherhood. Funeral services were held at his home last night, the Rev. Dr. Stearns officiating. Interment was at Fairview cemetery.

## TROLLEY CAR ACCIDENT.

Drunken Motorman Runs Into Delivery Wagon of E. Lawrence.

About three o'clock last Saturday afternoon a trolley car ran into a delivery wagon belonging to E. Lawrence, which was standing in front of his store on Broad street. It appears that the passenger rail on the rear of the car caught onto one of the shafts of the wagon, which became pretty badly shaken up as a consequence, shifts broken, axle twisted, etc. The motorman is said to have been intoxicated and to have been recklessly running the car at too high a rate of speed. His name is William Wise, the conductor was also, and would not give his name. There were about twenty passengers, all of whom were subjected to a severe nervous strain, but received no physical injury. The car barn was telephoned to, and another car and a sober motorman were sent up, and the passengers transferred. Mr. Lawrence says his cashier has nearly had nervous prostration ever since and makes all kinds of mistakes in giving change. She witnessed the accident from the front window.

It seems inexcusable that a man in such a condition should be placed in a position of so much responsibility; this story might have had another and much sadder ending.

## J. B. Yates at Woman's Club.

The Woman's Club had J. B. Yates as its lecturer last Monday afternoon. The subject was "The Development of Literature in Ireland and Its Effect Upon the People." Mr. Yates also read a number of his son's poems. The lecture was very interesting, and showed the speaker's understanding of, and sympathy for, the Irish people. Many said it was the finest lecture of the season. After the lecture a club tea was had, which ended a most enjoyable affair. Mrs. Tremaine presided and introduced the speaker.

Now that we are used to the horseless carriage and the wireless telegraph along comes another modern improvement, the gaffless cigar; that is, cigars sold without the many "in-between" profits. These lower priced cigars are the result of the successful co-operation of three thousand American druggists who buy their cigars as one great organization, each member getting the direct benefits which come from the immense buying power of the organization. Local smokers can obtain these better cigar values at the National Cigar Stand in Frutchey's Drug Store. A fine example is the El Solano (Victoria size) 10c.

## Axel Benson's Sudden Death.

Axel Benson, barber, came from Sweden about six years ago, and two years later bought Paul Heinecke's barber shop, at 153 Broad street, and started in business for himself. Last Tuesday night he was taken suddenly ill with what seemed to be a complication of heart and stomach trouble, and was at once removed to the Muhlenberg Hospital in Plainfield, where he died at six o'clock Wednesday morning. Benson was a popular barber and had many friends.

## THOMPSON BILL PASSED.

Local Assemblyman's Measure Goes to Senate Without Dissent.

Assemblyman Thompson's bill amending the town law relating to appointment of policemen, passed the House of Assembly on Tuesday without a dissenting vote. It is now in the Senate. The law as amended will do away with the present requirement of two years' residence in a town before a man can be eligible for appointment to the police force. The two year's residence provision has frequently prevented the governing bodies of towns from securing good men from elsewhere. The law also changes the age limit of appointees from between twenty-one and fifty-five, to between twenty-one and forty-five years, thus insuring to the town the probability of longer service and the consequent benefit of experience on the part of its policemen.

Mr. Thompson has also secured the favorable report of the committee to whom was referred the bill introduced by him to appropriate ten thousand dollars to the use of the Board of Health for educational purposes in the war on tuberculosis. This bill will come up for final passage in the House next week.

## LINCOLN NIGHT AT MEN'S CLUB.

DR. HAYES MAKES FINE ADDRESS

A snow storm prevented an overflowing audience at the "Lincoln Night" given by the "Men's Club" of the Presbyterian church at the parish house last Friday evening. Those who came, however, had a most enjoyable evening. The Boys' Brigade was seated in the audience. After President Lask read Lincoln's Second Inaugural address, he introduced Dr. Hayes of the Methodist church, who gave an eloquent lecture on Abraham Lincoln. Among other things, the Doctor said that the strength of a nation did not lie in its wealth, but in the genius and nobility of its public men. He spoke of Lincoln's character; of his charity, temperateness, his broad, human sympathy, honesty, and deep religious convictions. He compared him to Stephen the Martyr, and thought his martyrdom the greater.

A quartette sang patriotic songs, which Dr. Kinch illustrated with appropriate views thrown on a screen by a magic lantern. The club committee having the affair in hand, is to be congratulated on the success of the entertainment.

## Dinner of St. Paul's Men's Club.

The first dinner of the newly organized "Men's Club" of St. Paul's church will take place at Willett's Hotel, next Friday evening. Ex-Governor Stokes and Congressman Fowler will be the principal speakers. A most enjoyable time is looked forward to. The dinner will not be formal and everyone is requested to come in business dress. The President of the Men's Club is John Pencheon, Vice-President, Charles N. Coddling, Secretary, William Gould and Treasurer Charles Griffith. Tickets may be had of the Secretary or Treasurer, or of any member of the committee.

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## Subscription Dance at Casino.

That was an enjoyable affair at the Casino last Friday night when the subscription dance was held. Messrs William Gould and J. H. McLaughlin had matters in charge. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jobs, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee, Miss Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Isch, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Pohlman, Mr. and Mrs. Duke, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Faust, Dr. and Mrs. Savoye, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Doying, Mr. and Mrs. William Gould, the Misses Duke, Dixie, Kye, Pink, Weirman, James, Brainerd and Miller, and Edward Keyes, Harry Miller, Dr. Corbin, Charles Kye, Ira Miller, F. S. Taggart, Harry Miller, Fay Bardwell, C. H. Springstead, Ralph Starry, Robert DeCamp, Walter Johnson, Russel Hough, Harold and Ray Edwards, Wesley Titus and A. B. Hutchinson.

## To Amend Town Laws.

Mayor Alpers, Assemblyman Thompson and Town Attorney Oliver discussed changes in the present laws relating to towns this week. Assemblyman Thompson will present amendments to the present laws so that tax assessors shall give public hearings after they have completed their tax duplicate; the fine for selling liquor without a license shall be \$100 for first offense and \$200 for second offense; the Park Commission may have the powers of a Shade Tree Commission.

## ARITHMETIC HAD THE STAGE, BUT GRAMMAR WAS DEFENDED.

County School Principals Engage in a "Vigorous" Discussion.

Arithmetic had the stage at the regular meeting of the Union County Principals' Association held at Roselle last Thursday night. The subject of "Arithmetic in the County Course of Study" was again discussed. County Superintendent Dr. J. J. Savitz in his remarks laid much emphasis on the importance of making the study of arithmetic concrete in the lower grades; he said it should be the aim of the whole course to make the work interesting and practical; to furnish training that will be of use in every day life, such as judging with approximate correctness, the length of lines, the capacity of vessels, the weight of objects and the like. Dr. Savitz furnished the principals with a number of tests in addition, subtraction, multiplication, division and the elementary workings of fractions with directions to have them applied to all grades from the third up to, and including the eighth. These tests are to be made this month and the results tabulated and recorded.

These examinations are to be extended to the sixth and seventh grades instead of being confined to the eighth grade only, as heretofore, which it is believed will result in greater uniformity in county school work.

The teaching of technical English grammar was vigorously attacked and as vigorously defended. The study of composition is thought by some to be of more practical value to the average pupil than the work in technical grammar.

The high school teachers, however, say that the failure of many pupils to do good work in Latin and the modern languages, arises from a lack of knowledge of English grammar. For this year it was decided to make but one set of questions in English, to cover both grammar and composition.

## LOCKWOOD CO. HAS BOUGHT ALL UNSOLD LAND OF FANWOOD.

Big Real Estate Deal Negotiated This Week.

H. C. Lockwood Co. has purchased through Mr. George Delatour, its agent, all of Fanwood not heretofore sold. The Central New Jersey Land Improvement Co., composed of officers and others directly connected with the Jersey Central R. R., has owned this property for about forty years, fostering the growth of the town along high grade lines. An abundance of shade trees with winding drives and spacious lawns give to the whole section the park like appearance so much admired in suburban communities. The Lockwood Co. has also purchased the Runyon tract of 20 acres at the intersection of Morse avenue and North avenue, immediately adjoining Fanwood on the east. The whole property comprises nearly 200 acres, much of which is in the best part of the town. Development work on new streets will commence as soon as spring opens and the sale of restricted residence plots will be rigorously pushed. It is the intention of the Lockwood Co. to help Fanwood to continue its high grade character and to that end full restrictions will be placed upon all property sold. Those who know the success this Company has had in the development and sale of Westfield Highlands and Manor Park, in Westfield, will readily believe that "things will be doing" in our sister suburb.

## PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD ON FEBRUARY 26.

The ice storm of last evening prevented a large attendance at the public meeting for the discussion of "Taxation and the Public Schools" at the Washington School. For this reason the meeting was postponed until Saturday evening, February 26. Preparations have been made to give a thorough and exhaustive review of the topic under consideration and the talk will be illustrated by lantern slides. It is hoped that everybody will keep this night open, be present, and take part.

## Has Anybody Here Seen Pearsall.

Mr. C. E. Pearsall is reported to be in Florida by almost every paper in the County. We met him on the street this morning, and he denied the statement, "Florida!—To much for my blood."

## Stores Closed Washington's Birthday.

The local stores will be closed all day on Tuesday, Washington's Birthday.

# OF 1,100 INMATES

of a Philadelphia almshouse, only three had been beneficiaries of Life Insurance, says a writer in the World's Work. The moral is so plain that "he who runs may read."



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**He Deserved a Hook.**  
Maud (in the street)—"That man who just went by stared at me as though he expected to see horns sprouting from my head." Jack—"Perhaps he took you for one of those gun women."

**Difference in Sexes.**  
"All geniuses wear long hair," says an exchange. However, when a woman becomes conscious of genius she has her hair cut short.—Milwaukee Journal.

**Approaching the Perfect Life.**  
Have good will to all that lives, letting unkindness die and greed and wrath; so that your lives be made like soft airs passing by.—Light of Asia.

**Just Football.**  
He stood on the bridge at twilight as the game drew near its close. In triumphant mood he steadfastly stood on the bridge of the halfback's nose.

**Need of Common Sense.**  
Common sense is a thing which no one seems to pray for, but which many lack. I only wish it could be added to the Litany.—Exchange.

**Civility Always Pleasing.**  
Civility is the exchequer of the poor. If we have nothing else to give we can give that.

**Army of Tollers.**  
New York City's great army of commuters that marches from the suburbs each morning and makes an orderly retreat each night is estimated by the railroad statisticians to number 87,000.

**Cotton Production in China.**  
Most of the cotton produced in China is grown on small farms of five to seven acres. The whole family engages in the cultivating and works as many as 12 hours a day.

**Just as a Leaven.**  
A little folly is desirable in him that will not be guilty of stupidity.—Montaigne.

**Daily Thought.**  
Be something; anything but mean.—Byron.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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### When Sweaters Stretch.

If the neck of a sweater becomes stretched too wide from wearing do not sew up or cut out any of it, simply dip the neck part in clear warm water, wring out lightly and hang up to dry. The neck will when dry have resumed its original shape and size.—Woman's Home Companion.

### Post-Mortem Values.

"A man may have a cur dog he doesn't consider worth a dose of rat poison," said Uncle Henry Butterworth, "but let his neighbor kill that cur and in less than five minutes the owner will be saying: 'I wouldn't have taken \$50 for that dog!'"—Kansas City Times.

### The Real Thing.

If fiction writers want to be more realistic they should write less about dry-eyed grief and more about the grief that is red-nosed.—Arlinson Globe.

### Named in Honor of King James.

Albany, N. Y., at first called Beverwyck and later Williamsstadt, was named finally in honor of King James II., who had been duke of Albany, as well as of York.

### A Matter of Degree.

"You got off lightly with a second-degree verdict," said the lawyer. "Sure," said his convicted client, "but the third degree the police gave me first was a tough proposition."

### Boredom Long Existent.

Boredom is the oldest symptom in the world. It came into existence with man, though it was a woman who first recognized it.

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Mr. George H. Losey begs to inform the patrons of the Westfield Steam and Hand Laundry that he has bought out the interests of that enterprise, and beginning with Monday, Feb. 7, he will continue the business along the most improved lines.

He has fully equipped the plant with the latest patents in machinery for doing fine laundry work. This machinery has been installed and will be in operation by the first of the week.

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Mr. Losey, the new proprietor of the Westfield Steam and Hand Laundry, came from Lynchburg, Va., where he has had several years of experience in the laundry business. He has made a careful study of the business, and promises to give the town a model laundry. No department of the business will be neglected—all work will be promptly attended to—and strict attention will be given to the needs and wishes of all customers.

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## HIS GREAT WORK

By HENRY DE FORGE

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"Poor boy! I am afraid your great work will never be written," Marthe spoke jestingly, but there was something in the tone and the words that made Pierre wince and bend his head lower over his manuscript.

It was probably the twentieth time that his wife had made this unpleasant remark, and the worst of it was that Pierre had to admit to himself that her words were amply justified by the facts.

Three years ago, in return for the great gift of Marthe's love, her youth and beauty, he had vowed to her his hopes of fame and fortune.

As for her, her illusions had long been shattered and she saw herself condemned for life to a commonplace existence by the side of a commonplace husband.

Once, when her disappointment and discontent had come to unmistakable expression, he ventured to say:

"Well, my dear, we shall have to find our happiness in our mutual love."

But Marthe's answer was a ringing laugh that froze the poor man's heart.

"People don't live on love, Pierre," she said, coldly.

Marthe loved the world and its pleasures, and Pierre's journalistic connections made it easy for him to secure admission to a gay and brilliant society. Besides, he took her frequently to theaters and the opera. In spring they attended all the races and exhibitions, and in summer went to a fashionable seashore resort. The earnings of Pierre's pen did not suffice for so expensive a life and he often had to dip into his wife's private purse. To these loans, as they were charitably called, Marthe never objected.

"I cannot refuse so polite and attentive a husband," she would say, with a smile.

Her smiles were rare nowadays, carefully doled out—at least, to her husband—and he accepted each one gratefully, like an alms, and treasured it.

Everywhere she was feted, admired, flattered. She was very pretty and knew how to make the most of her natural advantages, and she was visibly proud and happy over her success.

Strangers who saw the new beauty inquired who she was and were informed that she was the wife of Pierre Dubrenil, the penny-a-liner, the journalist without ability or ambition who was content to remain in obscurity and indifferent to his wife's triumphs—and reputation.

Soon people of importance interested themselves in her. Her name began to appear in social gazettes and presently a very elegant sportsman who was also a count—a real count—did her the honor to make a formal declaration of his devotion. She thought this very amusing and told her husband about it.

"Don't be alarmed," she said. "You know that I am an honest woman, but I must have some amusement and, really, I find this count and his compliments quite entertaining."

Whereupon Pierre Dubrenil's dull suffering assumed a more acute form. The thought of this titled ass braying his equivocal compliments into Marthe's ears almost choked him. Often when he met the fellow in society he was tempted to fall upon him and throttle him.

The count designed to interest himself in Pierre and patronize him.

"Write a play, write a play, my young friend," he said. "I will recommend it and see that it is produced. Talent? The devil! A writer with such a wife has talent enough."

Marthe sang the same song in a different key.

"Oh, Pierre!" she said. "Why can't you write a play that will make a sensation? A strong, realistic, psychological thing—a problem play? Surely you can find material enough."

One summer night at the seashore, while Marthe, weary with much dancing, was sleeping soundly, Pierre sat brooding at his desk. The sun and substance of his reflections, as usual, was that Marthe's former love for him had evaporated into thin air and that his life was a wreck.

"Pshaw! Why go over it all again?" he said, finally. "But I can't sleep, so I may as well try to write."

And he did write. Not having any definite purpose, he allowed his pen to transcribe the thoughts that had been tormenting him. So what he wrote was dreary enough, a tissue of remembered joys and present sorrows. Then characters began to grow and take shape under his pen—first himself, clearly recognizable, then Marthe, and finally the count, his contemptible but hated rival. And so he worked all night on this drama of real life and real emotions.

"What! Up so early?" Marthe exclaimed as she awoke at dawn. "What in the world are you working at so hard?"

"Oh, nothing," he said, coldly. "Nothing of any account, at least. How could it be?"

Every night after this, when Marthe was asleep, he rose silently, stole to his desk like a thief in the night and worked diligently and enthusiastically at his task. And this time he felt sure that the task would be accomplished and that the result would be good.

In due time they returned to Paris, Pierre with regret, but Marthe with

delight, for had not the count, her faithful adorer, promised her a series of entertainments to which tout Paris should come to do her homage?

"We will launch your husband on the sea of fame," he said in his most patronizing manner.

"Do not let work, Pierre," said Marthe to her husband. "Don't throw away such a splendid opportunity. The count has great influence and his recommendation will be invaluable."

Pierre made no reply. He seemed to have become indifferent to everything and scarcely to notice what was passing around him. One day, however, as he sat facing his wife at their dismal dinner table, he surprised her by saying:

"By the way, a play of mine is to be produced at the Gymnase next week."

"Of yours? Why, Pierre! And you never told me a word about it!"

"Why should I? I have never had luck enough with my stuff to care to talk about it, even to you."

This first step toward success was really very gratifying to Marthe. She was not malicious or vindictive. Besides, the thought of the premiere of her husband's play, of what the critics would say of it, above all, the thought of herself, exquisitely gowned, the cynosure of a fashionable audience, was a new pleasure and suggested vague but delightful possibilities. She kissed her husband on both cheeks.

"Are you glad, Marthe? I have been working, you see, working hard."

"Yes, dear boy. I am very glad," Pierre smiled wearily.

"Am I, I wonder?" he said. "Ah, if it were not too late!"

The approach of the fateful evening filled Marthe with joyous excitement. The newspapers had given a good deal of space to the forthcoming debut of the young playwright, and it was rumored that the piece was of uncommon strength and excellence.

"What is it about, you man of mystery?" Marthe asked her husband.

"Oh, you will see. It is a lively sort of thing and will make all the women laugh."

But it turned out not to be a farce nor even a comedy. On the contrary, it was a serious drama which dealt with emotions capable of causing the keenest suffering of which the human heart is susceptible.

It waked up the jaded public and stirred it to enthusiasm. Its success was immense, triumphal, without precedent.

It stood revealed as a masterpiece which was to have a run of 500 nights and give its author a place among dramatists of the first rank.

Marthe, prettier than ever in a most becoming mauve costume, sat in a proscenium box with a few friends, including her incorrigible count.

The first words of the play gave her a little shock of surprise.

Why, this was an old story to her! It seemed like a faithful transcript of the memories of her bridehood, of her vanished happiness.

She clasped her little hands together until she nearly ruined her dainty gloves, happy and proud to hear such pretty sentiments, to see so lifelike a reproduction of her own happiness, and she smiled gratefully on her husband who lurked behind a curtain to escape the curiosity and the bravos of the audience.

If the first act was idyllic, the second was full of action. Then the storm burst and it added to Marthe's amazement, for it recalled vividly the first storms of her matrimonial voyage.

Evidently Pierre had put his own story upon the stage. This was clever and interesting, but—what would the outcome be? Marthe had long been so estranged from her husband, so indifferent to his thoughts and feelings, that she was totally unable to forecast his development of the theme.

The third act was a cold, pitiless, masterly analysis of the torture of the husband vacillating between forced resignation and unavailing love and of the character of the wife, frivolous, careless and cynical.

Marthe listened and her heart stood still. Every word was a stab. Was it possible that Pierre had suffered like this—and through her? For now there could be no doubt. It was his life and hers that she had seen enacted.

Yet he had never uttered a word of complaint!

But oh! how terrible a revenge he had taken! How cruel a punishment was this mirroring of their lives upon the stage!

This was she, then—this actress whose business it seemed to be to twist the knife in the wound. And that was Pierre, grave, generous, honest, smiling in company and weeping in solitude.

Amid the exclamations the voice of the count (to whom, of course, all this was caviare) was loudest.

"Bravo! Bravissimo!" he shouted, then turning to Marthe, he added: "My dear friend, that husband of yours is a bright lad, a wonderfully bright lad. We shall be able to make something of him."

But Marthe, who was very pale and felt as if she were suffocating, made no reply.

The count offered his arm, but she exclaimed: "My husband! Where is my husband?"

Pierre conducted her to the carriage, fighting his way through the cheering crowd and cutting short the congratulations of friends and fellow craftsmen.

She gave no sign of the awakening which she had just experienced until they reached home. Then, when they were in their own rooms and the door locked, she fell on her knees and embraced him.

"Forgive me! Oh, forgive me, Pierre!" she sobbed.

## AFTER THE AUTOISTS.

A Bill Introduced to Punish Reckless Drivers, Who Run Away After Mishaps.

MORE GAME AND FISH BILLS.

And a Measure to Check a Monopoly of Necessities—Governor's Nominations are Confirmed.

TRENTON, Feb. 15.—It is the object of Assemblyman Golligay in introducing bill No. 225 in the House of Assembly to get after those automobilists who, after striking a person, leave him on the road without making any attempt to render aid or to inquire as to his condition. The bill makes it a misdemeanor for any person or persons riding in an automobile or motor cycle or carriage or bicycle to wilfully drive or run away from the scene of any accident or mishap, caused directly or indirectly by any such vehicle before such person or persons shall have rendered all possible assistance to the injured and without leaving their names and addresses.

The game and fish bills are still making their appearance. One appeared Monday night under the auspices of Mr. Meyer and it fixes the open season for hare, rabbit, quail, partridge, English or ring neck pheasants, grey, black and fox squirrels, from November 15 to December 31. Another bill by Mr. Meyer declares it to be against public policy, illegal and void to make a contract, agreement, arrangement or combination whereby a monopoly in the manufacture, promotion or sale of any article of common use may be created, established or maintained. The penalty for a violation of this act is a fine of \$5,000, one year in prison or both.

A bill by Minard in the House and Senator Wilson in the Senate provides that the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles shall appoint special officers not exceeding 60 to be known as special inspectors not more than five of whom shall reside in any one county. The regular inspectors shall receive \$1,500 per year; the chief inspector \$2,500 per year, and the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles \$2,500.

Mr. Olwell, Democrat, of Hudson County, has introduced a repealer to the "jag" law introduced by Senator Hillery last year. Another bill by Mr. Olwell makes it legal for any licensed hotel keeper to serve liquor to his guests with meals on Sundays.

True to their threat to present the bill to incorporate the borough of Ocean Grove under Democratic auspices if the Monmouth Republicans would have nothing to do with it, the boroughites last night had the measure presented by Mr. Baker, of Hudson County. There was a hot fight over this measure last year and it is likely to be repeated at this session.

A bill by Mr. Edge, the majority leader, amends the oyster commission act by providing that no persons other than lessees or lessees of oyster lands shall go upon, tong, dredge, take or remove any shell fish whatsoever, soil or other material from the oyster beds.

In transmitting to the Legislature the report of the New Jersey Inter-State Bridge Commission, Governor Fort recommended that the commission be made permanent and that a reasonable appropriation be made toward the expenses incident to the work of the commission.

It has been announced in the Senate that a public hearing will be given on Tuesday, March 1, in the Assembly Chamber, on the bill which provides for the abandonment of the Morris Canal. On motion of Senator Wakelee the members of the Bergen County Republican Committee were accorded the privileges of the floor. The Senator explained that the members went to the Legislature once a year and the event was known as Bergen County night.

In executive session the following nominations were confirmed: Member of the State Board of Assessors, George E. Halsey, of Essex County; Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, of Mercer County, Frederick W. Gniuchtel; Commissioner of the Department of Labor, Lewis T. Bryant, Atlantic County; Member of the State Fish and Game Commission, Percival Christie, Hunterdon County; Member of the Board of Managers of the Home for Feeble Minded Women, Harry H. Pond, of Cumberland County; Judge of the Second District Court of Newark, Thomas J. Lintott; Member of Palisades Inter-State Park Commission, D. McNeely Stauffer, Yonkers, N. Y.

The first bill to be approved by the House during this session is the one introduced by Majority Leader Edge permitting automobilists from other states to come into New Jersey for three periods of five days each without a license. It was passed by a vote of 35 to 19, the opposition coming from the rural counties. Mr. Edge made a strong plea for the passage of the bill, declaring that New Jersey profited to the extent of many thousands of dollars each year from the visits of motorists from other states. In this view he argued that it should be the policy of the State to encourage visitors who spend



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Assemblyman Kenny of Hudson has introduced a series of drastic measures dealing with public utility affairs, taxation subjects and excise regulations. He proposes to abolish the State Board for the Equalization of Taxes, and also to wipe out the State Board of Assessors, the work of the latter body in making railroad assessments to be done by the Governor, President of the Senate and Speaker of the House. He also offers bills requiring gas, electric light and street railway companies to file with the State Comptroller a complete annual report on December 1, of each year.

One of the most important legislative hearings thus far scheduled, will take place Monday, February 21, when the Municipal Corporation Committee of the House will conduct the hearings on three bills proposing to create a Public Utilities Commission. The introducers of the Utility bills are Pierce, of Union; Scharff, of Bergen, Republicans; and Sullivan, of Hudson, Democrat. The Pierce and Scharff bills propose to organize a public utility commission out of the present Railroad Commission, while the Sullivan measure is practically the same as introduced last winter by Mr. Martin, of Essex, and is modeled to a large extent after the Hughes law in New York State. The hearing will be attended by a number of prominent lawyers representing railroads and public service corporations operating in the State. Former Assemblyman Martin, and George L. Record, former city counsel of Jersey City, will be on hand to urge the Sullivan bill.

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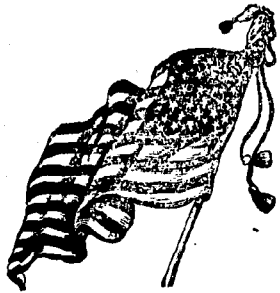
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## Teaching Technical English.

In the news item of the meeting of the Union County Principals' Association, printed on another page of this issue, there is the following paragraph:

"The teaching of technical English grammar was vigorously attacked and as vigorously defended. The study of composition is thought by some to be of more practical value to the average pupil than the work in technical grammar. The high school teachers, however, say that the failure of many pupils to do good work in Latin and the modern languages arises from a lack of knowledge of English grammar. For this year it was decided to make but one set of questions in English to cover both grammar and composition."

We are glad that the teaching of technical English grammar was "vigorously defended." In some quarters there seems to be a growing indifference to the study of the subject at all, as if it were possible for the average student to master the English language without a thorough understanding of the mathematics of it, any more than it is possible for a student to become an expert engineer without a thorough knowledge of arithmetic and algebra. A fault of modern education is to be found in the fact that a study of the elements of the English language is too lightly regarded by most students and its importance too little emphasized by teachers. In consequence grammar school and high school graduates as a rule write indifferent English when they write letters and painfully bromidic English when they write essays. Their idea of sentence structure seems to be governed by a sense of sound. And furthermore, when they read Caesar or Xenophon a "handy literal translation" helps them through the difficult passages, which dependence cripples their analytical faculties, warps their powers of reasoning; in fact, it dwarfs them in mind and in character, and all because in the elementary training they did not study "from the ground up." May those who believe in the technical study of English grammar "vigorously defend" the cause against all comers.

And, by the way, the English language is not yet dead, even if French is the language of diplomacy and is coming to be regarded as essential to an education. If you want to know the French language, the language of the French court, it is a wise plan to write so as to be able to parse an English sentence if the reading of it "does not sound right." Errors of grammar creep insidiously into our tongue. If we have but a phonetic judgment and let solecisms pass they finally come to be accepted as correct. Even great dictionaries have yielded to persistent error. We are reminded of Pope's lines:

"Vice is a monster of so frightful mien,  
As, to be hated, needs but to be seen;  
Yet seen too oft, familiar with her face,  
We first endure, then pity, then embrace."

George Washington.

All of us know a few things about George Washington which are worth

while holding in memory against a day of adversity:

He did not know the color of fear.  
He never shirked a responsibility.  
He turned defeat into opportunity.  
He was always brave, but never indiscreet.

He was a soldier before he was a general.

He was a politician before he was statesman.

He was a gentleman under any circumstances.

He may never have chopped down a cherry tree, for he was a constructive rather than a destructive type of individual.

The energy which he set a-going one hundred and seventy-eight years ago will go on forever. That is the immortal part of him.

Only the useful citizen in any community ever thinks seriously about George Washington; the others worship a fetish and curse their ill luck.

## The University Extension Plan.

An announcement of much importance was made last Sunday, of the proposed extension of University work in Brooklyn, Westchester county and northern New Jersey, by Columbia University, which will begin in September next. During the last ten years, efforts have been made on the part of Columbia University to reach the large numbers of people who seek mental development, but who have not had the necessary preliminary training, or who do not have the time at their disposal to devote to resident University work. Evening classes will be organized, where those who are otherwise engaged during the day, may obtain the best instruction the University can offer.

There will be classes in languages, literature, history, economics and politics; in scientific subjects, including electrical and mechanical engineering; in architecture; in music and the fine arts; in preventive medicine and sanitary science; in manual training and the household arts; in teaching and in law.

The centre of this instruction for New Jersey will probably be Newark. Those who wish to have classes organized in a given community are requested to address Professor James Childrester Egbert at Columbia University, who will serve as Director of Extension Teaching. The proposed extension of this work to northern New Jersey, especially to the large industrial centres of population there, is warmly endorsed by Governor Fort, ex-Governor John W. Griggs, Hon. James L. Hays, President of the State Board of Education and many others.

New York University has lately organized an *extra-mural* department in Newark and has already enrolled six or seven hundred pupils. This bringing of the University to the homes of the students is a new departure; young men can continue their education while engaged in business, and the value of education in dollars and cents has been abundantly demonstrated.

The movement inaugurated by Columbia University means the unlocking and distribution of money hoarded up for generations, and its devotion to the purpose for which it was originally intended.

President Butler says: "We hope that in less than five years we shall be reaching out and helping not merely 6000 students on Morningside Heights, but 60,000, brought together in convenient groups and classes throughout New York city and the adjoining territory. Columbia University is the child of the people of the State of New York, and she will repay in services to the extent of her ability, for every benefit that she has received either from the people as a whole or from a host of individual benefactors."

## Dr. Stuntz Lectures on the Philippines.

Dr. Homer C. Stuntz lectured last night at the Methodist Church on "The Philippines and the Eastern Question." Dr. Stuntz is an excellent speaker, who seems to have made an exhaustive study of the Philippine question, and his lecture was much enjoyed and appreciated. The lecture was in the Men's League course of entertainments.

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## Their Annual Dinner.

Inclement weather seems to have barred to the zeal and enterprise of the Ladies' Missionary Society, of the Baptist Church. A large number gathered at the annual dinner held in the church last evening, and all pronounced the affair an unqualified success. The church parlor was prettily decorated with paper ribbons of various colors and flags of different nations. At about 7:30 the company sat down to tables well loaded with choice dishes for which the Baptist Church ladies are noted. The orchestra enlivened the social hour with music and received a hearty vote of appreciation. Best of all, when the barrels were opened and the contents counted it was found that the neat sum of \$10.40 had been added to the treasury of the foreign mission department. Too much credit cannot be given to the untiring efforts of the vice-president, Mrs. W. B. Woodruff for the successful outcome of the annual gathering. The ladies are greatly encouraged and 1910 promises to be one of the best years in the history of the society.

## Something About Our First Year In Westfield Real Estate Service

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Many persons expressed their sympathy for us in such remarks as: "Too many real estate agents in town now!" "You cannot successfully compete with the 'old-timers!'" "The others have all the business nailed down hard and fast!" "You will have a hard row to hoe, but I wish you luck!"

On the other hand we received many felicitations and words of good cheer.

OUR COURAGE WAS REASSURED BY THE OPTIMISTS, BUT NOT A WHIT LESSENED BY THE PESSIMISTS.

We were confident that there is "always room at the top" and that "too many" competitors would not deter us from getting there.

Our business experience of many years taught us that "old-timers" could be successfully competed with by the introduction of new methods, broader policies and greater vigor.

We knew, moreover, that the real estate business of this town could not be kept "nailed down hard and fast" against a SERVICE such as we ready to offer; our faith in the intelligence of the people of this community were rebelled against such belief.

And we knew, too, that "luck" is not an element of competitive business—that opportunities must be created and not awaited.

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The Rivals.  
A Long-Felt Want and a Public Demand were conversing together. "I have a large circle of acquaintances," observed the Public Demand. "I am always being met." The Long-Felt Want laughed heartily. "I have the best of it, old chap," he remarked. "I am always being allied."



240, passed and adopted August 16th, 1909.

8, Improving Prospect street from Broad street to Walnut street, under the provisions of Special Ordinance No. 510, passed and adopted August 16th, 1909.

LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., January 31st, 1910.  
Feb. 4, 11, 18.

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

**Official.**

The meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders was held on Saturday, January 1, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, as provided by law for the purpose of organization.

The following communication was received:

To the Union County Board of Freeholders.

Gentlemen—Your letter of December 31, notifying us that a vacancy exists in your board caused by the resignation of Benjamin King, received at a regular meeting of the committee held this day. W. J. Thompson was elected to fill the unexpired term.

Very truly,  
AUGUST RITER,  
Township Clerk.

The new members of the board were duly sworn by Judge Kelly, of Elizabeth, and their oath of office was filed in the office of the County Clerk as required by law.

The meeting was called to order by Benjamin King, clerk of the last session of the board, who called the roll as follows: Clark Township, William J. Thompson; Cranford Township, E. K. Adams; City of Elizabeth, Thomas Haviland, W. H. Garrison, Charles J. Jensen and Jacob Martin; Fanwood Township, John Robinson; Linden, Henry Krouse; Mountainside, Elston Darby; New Providence, Bradford Jones; City of Plainfield, S. P. T. Wilbur, J. H. Doane; City of Rahway, Adolph Gruener, William Randolph; Springfield Township, P. H. Melsel; City of Summit, William H. Swain, J. N. Cady; Union Township, Aaron D. Crane; Town of Westfield, Charles A. Smith and Joseph Perry. All were present except Freeholder Krouse.

The clerk stated that the first business was the election of Director, and called for nominations. In a few remarks Freeholder Smith nominated John N. Cady for the office of Director. The nomination was seconded by Freeholder Swain, and the nominations were thereupon closed. The clerk requested Freeholders Swain and Robinson to act as tellers. It was ordered that the clerk cast the ballot, and upon ballot being cast Freeholder Cady was declared elected for the ensuing year. He was escorted to the chair by the tellers and returned his thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

By Freeholder Adams.  
Resolved, That the salary of the County Collector be fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum.

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

Freeholder Garrison nominated Nathan R. Leavitt for Collector. It was seconded by Freeholder Swain. It was ordered that the clerk cast the ballot, and upon ballot being cast the Director declared that Nathan R. Leavitt was duly elected County Collector for the legal term. The Collector briefly returned his thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

By Freeholder Smith.  
Resolved, That the salary of the Road Inspector be fixed at the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

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

Freeholder Perry nominated James Fink as County Road Inspector, which was seconded by Freeholder Darby. There were no other nominations and it was ordered that the clerk cast the ballot. Upon ballot being cast the Director declared that James Fink was elected County Road Inspector for the legal term.

By Freeholder Wilbur.  
Whereas, by reason of the rapid growth of the County of Union, and the constant increase of the county business attending the same, and by reason of the offices of Sheriff, County Clerk and County Registrar and Surrogate having now, by virtue of the law, become salaried offices, and the increase of said offices accruing to the county, the work and responsibility devolving upon the board of Freeholders of this county are greatly enhanced, and this board deeming it advisable and necessary to create and establish an office to be known as "County Auditor," and that some suitable person be appointed for the purpose of exercising supervision over the expenditures and receipts of money; therefore be it

Resolved, That the office to be known as "County Auditor" be, and hereby is established; and be it further

Resolved, That some capable person be appointed or elected as County Auditor at a salary to be fixed by this board, for the term of three years as provided by law.

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

By Freeholder Jensen.  
Resolved, That the salary of the County Auditor be fixed at the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800) per annum.

Freeholder Garrison moved the adoption of the resolution, and on

roll call it was unanimously adopted.

Freeholders Adams nominated Benjamin King for County Auditor. It was seconded by Freeholder Jones. There were no other nominations and it was ordered that the Director cast the ballot. Upon the ballot being cast the Director declared that Benjamin King was elected County Auditor, for the term of three years. Mr. King returned his thanks to the board, expressing his high appreciation of the honor it had conferred upon him.

By Freeholder Haviland.  
Resolved, That the rules of the last board be adopted as the rules of this board and that the regular meetings of this board be held on the first Thursday of each month, unless otherwise ordered by this board.

On motion of Freeholder Smith this resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Randolph.  
Resolved, That the proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders be published in the following papers at the compensation of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) per annum: Elizabeth Daily Journal, Elizabeth Evening Times, Elizabeth Review, or Elizabeth; Courier-News and Daily Press, of Plainfield; Summit Record and Summit Herald, of Summit; Westfield Leader and Union County Standard, of Westfield; Cranford Citizen and Cranford Chronicle, of Cranford; New Providence News, of New Providence; New Jersey Advocate and Rahway News-Herald, of Rahway, provided said minutes are printed within the current month.

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

By Freeholder Darby.  
Resolved, That the Director be and is hereby constituted a member of all committees.

On motion of Freeholder Adams the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Swain.  
Resolved, That the compliments of the season be extended to Freeholder Henry Krouse and hopes for his speedy recovery.

On motion of Freeholder Perry the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By the County Collector—his annual report, as follows:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey.

Gentlemen—I have the honor herewith to submit my annual report of the moneys received and disbursed by me as County Collector for the year ending December 31, 1909:

Total receipts ..... \$2,021,614.81  
Total disbursements .. 1,597,833.51

Balance on hand .. \$423,781.30

As against this amount there is due to the Sheridan House account ..... \$673.99

New Court House account ..... 832.77

Sinking Fund commissions ..... 8,000.00

Hospitals ..... 22,000.00

National Guard ..... 1,200.00

State of New Jersey for State school tax .. 320,715.27

Amount applicable for general purposes .... \$70,359.27

Due from municipalities for their share of county road bonds... 51,315.42

..... \$121,674.69

**Financial Condition of County**  
December 31, 1909

**Liabilities**  
County Road bonds... \$200,000.00

New Courthouse bonds... 576,000.00

Sheridan House bonds... 28,000.00

Road Improvement bonds ..... 70,000.00

..... \$874,000.00

**Assets**  
County lands and buildings ..... \$802,750.00

Funds in hand of Sinking Fund Commissioners ..... 48,000.00

Due Sinking Fund Commissioners ..... 8,000.00

..... \$858,750.00

N. R. LEAVITT,  
County Clerk.

By Freeholder Melsel.  
Resolved, That the County Collector be authorized to have this report printed at a cost not to exceed \$150.

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

Freeholder Darby moved to adjourn, which was carried, and the Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, January 6, 1910, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Signed,  
BENJAMIN KING,  
Clerk.

The regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey, held on Thursday, January 6, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

The following members were present: Director Cady, Freeholders Adams, Crane, Darby, Doane, Garrison, Gruener, Haviland, Jensen, Jones, Martin, Melsel, Perry, Robinson, Randolph, Swain and Wilbur—17.

Absent Freeholders Krouse, Smith and Thompson—3.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

**Communications.**  
The Board of Chosen Freeholders of

the County of Union.  
Gentlemen—The undersigned proposes to furnish all labor and material in the repairing, oiling and cleaning of roadways, gutters, etc., of the county roads in Union county during the year of 1910, for the cost plus eight per cent, for profits. Should your honorable body deem it to the best interests of the taxpayers to advertise and contract out this work on the unit price basis, we would appreciate an opportunity to bid on the same.

We desire to bid upon all public work in this county, and request that you instruct your engineer to furnish us promptly with plans and specifications when you are advertising for bids.

Thanking you for past courtesies and wishing you a Happy New Year.

Respectfully,  
UNION COUNTY CONTRACTING CO.

On motion of Freeholder Gruener received and placed on file.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey.

Gentlemen—I would appreciate an opportunity to bid upon the macadam repair work in this county during the year, together with what construction work you may contemplate, either in the macadam road line or in the construction of repairing of bridges and culverts.

The work I have done in this county in the past four years demonstrates both my ability and desire to do first-class work, and I have built not only as good but better roads than we have had in this county for some time past.

Yours truly,  
JAMES C. PARK.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and placed on file.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey.

Gentlemen—At the last meeting of the Connecticut Farms Improvement Association a resolution was passed authorizing the secretary, in behalf of the association, to petition your honorable board to designate the road known as Chestnut street, from the Central Railroad depot in Roselle Park to the foot of the hill near the Presbyterian church in Union Township, and Stuyvesant avenue from that point to Morris avenue in Union Township, as a State Aid Road and to have the same graded and improved as such.

We believe that the amount of travel over this road makes it entirely worthy of your consideration and that its improvement as a State Aid Road would prove of great benefit to the people of Union county.

Trusting that this matter may receive your careful attention and favorable action, I am,

Very truly yours,  
HOBART L. BENEDICT,  
Secretary.

On motion of Freeholder Doane received and referred to the Committee on County Roads.

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

Gentlemen—The undersigned would respectfully petition your honorable body to grant your petitioner the right and privilege to place underground water pipes in and along Springfield avenue, extending from the Union and Essex county line on the east to the junction of said avenue with Valley street on the west.

Said water pipes are to be used to convey and furnish water for the convenience of the people living along said Springfield avenue, in Union Township, in Union county, and will be laid between the curb on the south side of said avenue and the macadam of the roadway, which macadam will not be disturbed.

Respectfully submitted this fourth day of January, 1910.

SWEEZY REALTY CO.,

On motion of Freeholder Melsel ordered received and referred to the Committee on County Roads with power.

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

Gentlemen—I herewith hand you a statement of cash receipts and expenditures for the Sheriff's office from November 11, 1908, to December 31, 1909, inclusive.

Also showing amount that would have been paid by the county to the Sheriff under the former fee system for same period.

Very respectfully,  
R. J. KIRKLAND,  
Sheriff.

Total cash receipts, etc. \$8,164.74

All services chargeable to county ..... 7,574.23

..... \$15,738.97

Total expenses ..... 13,148.28

Receipts over expenses from November 11, 1908, to December 31, 1909, \$2,590.69

On motion of Freeholder Swain received and placed on file.

A detailed report of the jail account and prison statistics as to the number of prisoners, crimes charged, fines, costs, etc., was submitted by Charles W. Dodd, warden.

On motion of Freeholder Doane received and placed on file.

Gentlemen—Your committee and myself went over the West Grand street road work of 1908 some time during October and the character of the repairs was decided upon.

I then notified James C. Park, the contractor, what he was to do on or about November 1, 1909.

Nothing was done for six weeks or more and it was not until after the snow fell that Mr. Park reported to me that the work had been done.

I have had no opportunity to examine the work, as it had been covered with snow.

Yours respectfully,  
JACOB L. BAUER.

On motion of Freeholder Randolph received and placed on file.

To the Board of Freeholders, Union County.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Drawbridges begs to call the attention of the board to the sunken schooner which has been sunk in the Elizabeth River for a number of years. The board's attention has been called to this matter several times, but no definite action taken. This scow is a menace and should a freshet occur it is likely to carry the vessel down stream, resulting in much damage to the bridges below. Your committee is informed that this board has proper legal authority for doing away with the scow, and we recommend that action be taken here today to have this scow moved without delay. As you will see by the signatures herewith, this report is concurred in by other members of the board besides your committee, making the required six as set forth in the law, authorizing the removal of such obstructions.

Respectfully,  
CHARLES J. JENSEN,  
THOMAS H. HAVILAND,  
E. K. ADAMS,  
JACOB MARTIN,  
AARON D. CRANE,  
JOSEPH PERRY.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and referred to the Elizabeth Drawbridge Committee, with power, if work can be done without expense to the county.

To the Board of Freeholders, Union County.

Gentlemen—As chairmen of the Committee on Drawbridges, I beg to report that during the summer of 1909 the Elizabethtown Water Company laid water pipes through the Elizabeth River close to the Summer street bridge. I learned this on one of my visits to the bridge and called the attention of the representative of the water company to the probable damage which might occur to the bridge because of the work under way. I immediately called this to the attention of the water company officials, and at their request wrote to their contractor, Frederick S. Wardwell, asking him to make necessary repairs for the water company, but after several communications Mr. Wardwell has declined liability to the water company. Under their arrangement and representation made to me during my visit to the bridge, the Elizabethtown Water Company is responsible.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Collector's Bond report that we have received the bond, which has been executed by County Collector N. R. Leavitt with the following named gentlemen as his sureties, namely, John Kean, Frank H. Smith and John W. Whelan. We consider the same in the proper legal form and that it has been executed with good and proper sureties and we therefore recommend that the same be accepted by the board and filed in the County for the damage to the bulwark and this board should notify them accordingly.

CHARLES J. JENSEN.  
Referred to the Elizabeth Drawbridge Committee and County Attorney.

By Committee on Collector's Bond To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.  
Clerk's office according to law.  
AARON D. CRANE,  
JACOB MARTIN,  
E. K. ADAMS.

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CHARLES J. JENSEN.  
Referred to the Elizabeth Drawbridge Committee and County Attorney.

By Committee on Collector's Bond To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.  
Clerk's office according to law.  
AARON D. CRANE,  
JACOB MARTIN,  
E. K. ADAMS.

On motion of Freeholder Swain received and placed on file.

Committees For 1910  
Collector's Bond—Crane, Martin, Adams.

Publications—Robison, Haviland, Randolph.

Discharge of Prisoners—Adams, Robison, Swain.

Settle with Collector—Wilbur, Garrison, Randolph.

Lunacy—Melsel, Doane, Crane.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Krouse, Smith, Crane.

Jail Inspection—Perry, Doane, Martin.

Auditing—Wilbur, Smith, Jones.

Stationery—Darby, Garrison and Swain.

Miscellaneous Accounts and Agreements—Garrison, Darby, Perry.

Legal Questions—Martin, Adams, Thompson.

Appropriations, Smith, Jones, Crane, Swain, Krouse.

County Roads—Krouse, Wilbur, Melsel, Smith, Haviland.

Elizabeth Drawbridges—Jensen, Martin, Haviland.

Rahway Drawbridges—Gruener, Randolph, Thompson.

Special Elizabeth Drawbridges—Haviland, Krouse, Robison, Jensen, Martin.

Legislation—Melsel, Krouse, Wilbur.

Soldiers' Headstones, etc.—Doane, Perry, Jensen, Adams, Randolph.

Sinking Fund—Cady, Krouse, Swain.

The following bills being properly audited and signed, were on roll call unanimously ordered paid, viz.:

F. J. Hubbard, \$202.80; Welden Contracting Co., \$7,014.08, \$375.81.

Committee Expense Account—Benj. King \$2.84; George B. Cladek, \$1.50; Bradford Jones, \$9.05; Elston Darby, \$6; W. H. Swain, \$7.65; Benj. King, \$10; C. J. Jensen, \$30.

Members Pay Account—C. J. Jensen, \$20, \$12; Bradford Jones, \$34; J. H. Stephan, \$2; George B. Cladek, \$4; Elston Darby, \$22; W. H. Swain, \$20; Charles B. Heckel, \$5; Western Union Tel. Co., \$7.62; J. L. Bauer, \$5; Watchung Water Co., \$3; Joseph

Runts, \$6; W. R. Codrington, \$169; Shirley & Johnson, \$30.50; S. R. Ryne, \$37.

Stationery Account—Henry Cook, \$18; Courier-News Pub. Co., \$10.75; Wm. F. Murphy & Sons, \$25; C. M. Amick, \$5; Elliot-Fisher Co., \$0.07; C. M. Amick, \$17.75; Henry Cook, \$14; J. E. Warner, \$16; F. E. Norris & Co., \$3.50, \$1.60, 50c., \$3.30, \$4.75, \$22.20; Advocate Pub. Co., \$21.75.

Lunacy Account—W. R. Codrington, \$109.80; N. J. State Village for Epileptics, \$594.95.

Public Grounds and Buildings Account—Brucklacher Bros., \$44.56; Joseph Bauer, \$21.37; John Conrad, \$46.35; Edwin Oswald, \$3; H. P. Vandervere, \$25; C. O'dell, \$44, \$7.25; Reliable Laundry, \$7.50; Enterprise Coal Co., \$136.67; West Disinfecting Co., \$1; William Trowin, \$3.60; Stratton Mfg. Co., \$6; W. H. Hulshammer, \$19.90, \$125; Katherine Runyon, \$27; James J. Carey, \$60; Mulford & Co., \$9.28; J. J. Matherson, \$2.50; Albert C. Stein, \$8.95; H. V. Buttler & Co., \$105, \$4.60; Elizabethtown Gaslight Co., \$337.84; N. J. Tel. Co., \$16.63; Clark Hardware Co., \$40.17; N. J. Tel. Co., \$5.70; N. Y. Tel. Co., \$6.15, \$8.25, \$8.05, \$2.60, \$2.85, \$7.10, \$11.40, \$43.52; J. W. Whelan, \$239.04; Public Service Corporation, \$203.70, \$47.50.

Bridge Account—Paul Moltor, \$116.25; H. R. Palmer, \$3.25; J. D. Loizeau Lumber Co., \$3.36; J. J. Melborn, \$132.40; James Farley, \$5; Lehigh Contracting Co., \$1,287; S. P. Debbie, \$6.50; H. C. Bush, \$63.67; Solomon Brown, \$25; Philip Freehauf, \$20.85; Frank Dreyer, \$134.50; Alexander Dixon, \$40; Frank Dreyer, \$86.80; John Van Pelt, \$500; Frank Dreyer, \$158.95.

Court Account—R. L. Eaton, \$37.50; H. Cook, \$57; Thos. E. Dolan, \$25; Albert Cain, \$14.64; Alvin R. Eaton, \$5; Wm. H. Donaldson, \$11.40.

Freeholder Darby moved to adjourn, which was carried, and the Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, February 3, 1910, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

(Signed) BENJAMIN KING,  
Clerk.

**What's In McClure's?**

McClure's Magazine for March contains a remarkably dramatic story of the Cherry Mine disaster by Edith Wyatt. Few such stirring stories of heroism and self sacrifice have been written. Burton J. Hendrick describes the latest experiments with the new drug stovaine; Xavier Paoli, who formerly looked after foreign sovereigns sojourning in France, contributes his reminiscences of the Shah of Persia, and I. M. Rubinow and Daniel Durant offer a new solution for the servant problem. Among the short stories is "The Joint in Harness," a marvelous story of the romance and wonder of aerial warfare with full page pictures by Andre Castaigne. The number also contains "Mary the Peach" by Winona Godfrey. "The Influence" by Ethel M. Kelley. "The Pretensions of Charlotte" by Walter Beach Hay. "A Task Appointed" by Percival Gibbon and the last installment of Arnold Bennett's play, "What the Public Wants."

**To Make Their Names Live.**

Men of business may organize large industries and may disappear out of human remembrance unless they have the wisdom to do something substantial for posterity with the means which they accumulate.—Sir Oliver Lodge.

**Laborers Ended.**

"For 20 years I've been fighting for a principle in this town and I'm discouraged." "The people won't have it, eh?" "They've decided to adopt it, and I shall have no excuse, after this, to keep on fighting."

**Answered.**

"Why do you allow bull fighting to go on in your country?" "Well,"

## Petition and Notice.

Westfield, N. J., January 14th, 1910.  
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 Lawrence avenue from a point 800 feet northwest of the center of Dudley avenue to a point 1000 feet northwest of the center of Dudley avenue to be established in accordance with the annexed profile, and said section of said street to be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading the section street for its full width and length in accordance with the grade indicated on said profile.  
2. By macadamizing the carriage-way, of said street from the northwesterly end of the existing macadam to the northwesterly curb of Sinclair Place, said macadam to be six inches in depth for a distance of eight feet on each side of the center line, and four inches in depth for the remainder of the carriage-way.

3. By constructing a curb stone culvert with cast iron cover at the intersecting gutter of Sinclair Place.

The cost of the above improvement to be assessed upon the lands benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

Mary E. Thompson 100 feet  
Nathaniel C. Cooke 60 "  
George M. Valentine 175 "  
Francis H. Sloan 150 "  
F. H. Schaefer 75 "

Notice is hereby given that the above is a copy of a petition received by the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, and that the Council will meet on Monday, March 7th, 1910, at eight o'clock in the evening, at the Council rooms on 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., February 14, 1910.

## Petition and Notice.

To the Council of the Town of Westfield.  
Gentlemen:

The undersigned, being the owners of at least one-sixth of the property fronting on the proposed improvement, hereby petition your honorable body to cause the grade of Prospect street, from Dudley avenue to Brightwood avenue, to be established in accordance with the annexed profile, and said section of said street to be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading said street for its entire width in accordance with the grade indicated on said profile.

2. By relaying existing sidewalks where necessary on account of change of grade.

3. By constructing a combination concrete curb and gutter 3 feet wide along each curb line, with 3 inch under-drain.

4. By macadamizing the carriage-way from Dudley avenue to Newton Place for a depth of 6 inches along a strip 16 feet wide along the center thereof and for a depth of 4 inches over the remainder of the carriage-way.

5. By macadamizing the carriage-way from Newton Place to Brightwood avenue, except that portion occupied by the Street Railway tracks, with macadam 6 inches in depth.

6. By constructing curb stone culverts with iron tops at the intersecting gutters of Staunton, Newton and Effingham Places.

The cost of the said improvement to be assessed upon the property benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

1418 The Pearsall Company,  
C. E. Pearsall, Secy.

104 Wellington Morehouse,  
120 William Archibald,  
75 Chas. M. Adcock,  
768 Leigh M. Pearsall

per J. H. Pearsall Atty.  
150 George W. Fratchey,  
600 The Fratchey Land Co.

George W. Fratchey, Pres't.  
The Fratchey Land Co.

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LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., February 14, 1910.

## Petition and Notice.

To the Council of the Town of Westfield.  
Gentlemen:

The undersigned, being the owners of all the lands fronting on the proposed improvement, hereby petition your honorable body to cause Beechwood Place to be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading the carriage-way thereof and macadamizing the same for a depth of 6 inches along a strip 16 feet wide through the center thereof and for a depth of 4 inches over the remainder of said carriage-way.

2. By constructing curb stone culverts with cast iron tops at the intersecting gutters of Summit and Westfield avenues.

The cost of said improvement to be assessed upon the property benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

We hereby agree to furnish the Town of Westfield with a bond of \$250.00 or the full amount of the contract price, with approved sureties, guaranteeing that we will pay the total cost of the foregoing improvement within thirty days after the confirmation of the assessment therefor.

This Pearsall Co.  
C. E. Pearsall, Secy.

Mary I. Welch.  
By Wm. Welch & Son, Agts.  
C. T. Revere.

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LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., February 14, 1910.

Resolved that it is to the interest of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, that Quincy street be improved in the following manner:

1. By reconstructing and resurfacing the existing macadam for a width of 16 feet and a depth, when finished, of at least 6 inches.

2. By extending the macadam to the curb lines for a depth of 4 inches.

3. By setting 4 x 20 inch blue stone curb along both curb lines.

Notice is hereby given that the above is an extract from a resolution passed and adopted by the Council of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, and that the Council will meet on Monday, March 7th, 1910, at eight o'clock in the evening, at the Council rooms on Elm street, Westfield, N. J., to consider the proposed improvement above mentioned. Objections to the proposed improvement must be filed in writing with the Town Clerk at or before the time mentioned for said meeting.

LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., Feb. 9, 1910.

Resolved that it is to the interest of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, that the proposed improvement above mentioned be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading the carriage-way thereof and macadamizing the same for a depth of 6 inches along a strip 16 feet wide through the center thereof and for

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., February 14, 1910.

## Notice of Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that John M. C. Marsh, Edward F. Gilby and Joseph Perry, Board of Assessors in and for the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, have filed their report, map and assessments for special benefits for improvements done under certain ordinances therein named. That they have ascertained the whole cost of materials, incidental grading and expenses incurred in constructing the improvement therein named, and have assessed the lands and premises fronting on the improvement to the extent that they are specially benefited, and the excess of the cost over special benefits were charged to the town at large. The ordinance, names of owners, frontages and special assessments are as follows:

Improvements under an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve Harrison Avenue from Broad street to Kimball Avenue," and known as Special Ordinance number 219.

Lot No. Name of owner. Frontage. Amt.

1. Lillian D. Stern 150 \$82.50

2. Westfield R. E. Co. 145 79.75

3. " " 55 30.25

4. Alfred Reeb 60 33.00

5. Mary E. Piker 50 27.50

6. Louis A. Dietz 48 26.40

7. Jeanne B. Miles 46 25.30

8. Harold B. Wright 46 25.30

9. J. Fred Wright 50 27.50

10. Chas. H. Griffiths 50 27.50

11. Oscar H. Saylor 50 27.50

12. Wm. A. Bishop 50 27.50

13. Isabella and James F. Johnston 50 27.50

14. Petronella Cox 50 27.50

15. Chas. H. Appley 50 27.50

16-A. Est. Jns. T. Pierson 2 1.10

17. Laura A. Ilman 58 31.00

18. Chas. H. Appley 61.40 33.81

19. Thomas Dond 53.45 29.40

20. Sarah F. Frazee 53.45 29.40

21. Wm. E. Sidell 53 29.15

22. " " 62.08 31.14

23-A. Plainfield Trust Co. 8 3.40

24. Nathaniel P. Crouse 50 27.50

25. Josephine M. Coffin 50 27.50

26. Chas. H. Learned 45 24.75

27. Wm. M. Harrison 77 42.35

28. Nellie O. Riley 50 27.50

29. F. B. and Bertha R. Metzger 50 27.50

30. F. B. and Bertha R. Metzger 45 24.75

31. Wm. M. Harrison 45 24.75

32. " " 45 24.75

33. Maud E. Sidell 45 24.75

34. Thomas W. Currie 50 27.50

35-A. Ella Harrison 35 19.25

36. " " 50 27.50

37. Mabel K. Gales 50 27.50

38. J. R. Heenan 50 27.50

39. " " 50 27.50

40. Chas. L. Shirley 50 27.50

41. H. C. McVoy 50 27.50

42. Wm. D. Bird 50 27.50

43. Wm. H. Abbott 50 27.50

44. L. M. Whitaker 50 27.50

45. Anna B. Smith 90 49.50

46. Arthur E. and Mabel B. Vossler 60 33.00

47. John N. Locke 50 27.50

48. Laura Wardwell 50 27.50

49. Annie Waterman 50 27.50

50. Wm. H. Terry 50 27.50

51. Wm. H. Terry 62.5 34.38

52. Maud Atkinson 62.5 34.38

53. Wm. H. Terry 62.5 34.38

54. S. H. Halstead 62.5 34.38

55. Wm. D. Bird 50 27.50

56. Sarah A. Lank 50 27.50

57. Home Bldg. and Supply Company 161.25 88.69

Amount of excess of cost over special benefits to be paid and borne by the Town at large \$488.50

Notice is also hereby given that the Council will meet at the Town rooms on Elm street, Westfield, N. J., on Monday, March 7th, 1910, at eight o'clock in the evening, to hear and consider objections to such report, map and assessments, which objections must be filed in writing and must be filed with the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting.

LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., February 9, 1910.

Resolved that it is to the interest of the Town of Westfield, in the County of Union, that the proposed improvement above mentioned be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading the carriage-way thereof and macadamizing the same for a depth of 6 inches along a strip 16 feet wide through the center thereof and for

Union, that Summit Avenue, from South Avenue to Park street, be improved in the following manner:

1. By rejoining and resurfacing the existing curb to line and grade, replacing broken and defective stones, curb to be reset on concrete adjoining brick gutters.

2. By setting new blue stone curb on uncurbed portions of street, curb to be 4 x 10 inch, set on concrete adjoining brick gutters, and 4 x 20 inch set on crushed stone on other portions of street.

3. By paving both gutters for a width of 2 1/2 feet with vitrified brick on 4 inch concrete base from South Avenue to Academy Place.

4. By constructing curb stone culverts with cast iron covers at the intersecting gutters of Academy Place and Park Street.

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LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., Feb. 9, 1910.

Feb. 18, 25, Mar. 4.

## Petition and Notice.

Westfield, N. J., January 14th, 1910.  
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 Clark street, from Dudley avenue to Embree Crescent, to be established in accordance with the annexed profile, and said section of said street to be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading the entire carriage-way to the grade indicated on said profile.

2. By constructing combination concrete curb and gutter three feet wide with three inch underdrain along both curb lines of Clark street from Dudley avenue to Embree Crescent.

3. By reconstructing present macadam for a width of sixteen feet along the center of the street for a depth of 6 inches.

4. By macadamizing the remainder of the carriage-way for a depth of 4 inches.

5. By constructing curb stone culverts with cast iron covers at the intersecting gutters of Edgewood avenue and Embree Crescent.

The cost of said improvement to be assessed upon the lands benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

50 feet  
500 "

Geo. W. Fratchey, Pres't.

Elizabeth French 150 "

Anaullah French 75 "

Elizabeth French 75 "

Edward F. Gilby 75 "

John N. Locke 400 "

Wm. F. Clark 110 "

Mrs. Edgar H. Brush about 80 "

Margaret E. Rich 117 "

Fredk. H. Travenon 397 "

Elmore Alpers 68 "

Jennie G. Hanford 141 "

Jennie G. Rich 62 "

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LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., February 14, 1910.

## Petition and Notice.

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 Clark street, from Embree Crescent to Brightwood avenue, to be established in accordance with the profile attached, and said section of said street to be improved in the following manner:

1. By setting concrete curbing along both curb lines thereof.

2. By grading the carriage-way thereof and macadamizing the same for a depth of 6 inches along a strip 16 feet wide through the center thereof and for a depth of 4 inches over the remainder of said carriage-way.

3. By constructing curb stone culverts with cast iron tops at the intersecting gutters of Staunton and Effingham Places.

The cost of said improvement to be assessed upon the property benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

The Pearsall Company  
C. E. Pearsall, Secy.

Frank W. Edwards 812

Isabel B. Morehouse 250

Edward S. Morehouse 200

Mary C. Orr 200

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## Petition and Notice.

To the Council of the Town of Westfield.  
Gentlemen:

The undersigned, being the owners of all the lands fronting on the proposed improvement, hereby petition your honorable body to cause Emerson Place to be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading the carriage-way thereof and macadamizing the same for a depth of 6 inches along a strip 16 feet wide through the center thereof and for

a depth of 4 inches over the remainder of said carriage-way.

2. By constructing curb stone culverts with cast iron tops at the intersecting gutters of Summit Avenue.

The cost of said improvement to be assessed upon the property benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

We hereby agree to furnish the Town of Westfield with a bond of \$250.00, or the full amount of the contract price, with approved sureties, guaranteeing that we will pay the total cost of the foregoing improvement within thirty days after the confirmation of the assessment therefor.

MARY I. WELCH  
By Wm. S. Welch & Son, Agts.  
THE PEARSALL CO.

C. E. Pearsall, Secy.

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LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., Feb. 14, 1910.

## Petition and Notice.

To the Council of the Town of Westfield.  
Gentlemen:

The undersigned, being the owners of all the lands fronting on the proposed improvement, hereby petition your honorable body to cause Edgingham Place to be improved in the following manner:

1. By grading the carriage-way thereof and macadamizing the same for a depth of 6 inches along a strip 16 feet wide through the center thereof and for a depth of 4 inches over the remainder of said carriage-way.

The cost of said improvement to be assessed upon the property benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

We hereby agree to furnish the Town of Westfield with a bond of \$250.00, or the full amount of the contract price, with approved sureties, guaranteeing that we will pay the total cost of the foregoing improvement within thirty days after the confirmation of the assessment therefor.

THE PEARSALL CO.  
C. E. Pearsall, Secy.

FRANK M. TAYLOR

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LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.  
Westfield, N. J., February 14, 1910.

## Petition and Notice.

Westfield, N. J., January 11, 1910  
To the Council of the Town of Westfield.  
Gentlemen:

The undersigned, being the owners of all the lands fronting on the proposed improvement, hereby petition your honorable body to cause an eight inch sanitary sewer and appurtenances to be constructed in Emerson Place, from Summit Avenue to Westfield Avenue, and the cost thereof to be assessed upon the property benefited according to law.

A deposit of \$50.00 accompanies this petition as required by law.

The undersigned agree to furnish this Town of Westfield with a bond of \$500.00, or an amount equal to the cost of the sewer, guaranteeing that we will pay the total assessment therefor within thirty days after confirmation.

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## UNION COUNTY STANDARD

## WANTS and Offers.

15-20 advertisement for this column taken for less than ten cents. Display 12 cents per line.

Advertisements taken over the one for this column. All ads. be prepaid.

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125-125 Star Inhabitant, as good as new. Light foot, 610 Cumberland St.

London wanted by a colored woman for work and household or general house work in family, with good references, 431 Spring field, N. J.

SANITARY rooms with or without table and chairs. Apply 412 Prospect St.

ANTED--A quantity of well padded mat- ings. State price, single or double fold- ing. In town, W.

ANTED--A thorough, energetic, capable, and business getting salesman. Perma- nent position. Get in the game right. Re- spond in this office. Rooming reliable. Tel. 105. Brown Bros. Rurschles, New York.

ND--On Broad St. pocketbook contain- ing some money. Owner may have same by turning property. Apply 131 E. 4th Ave.

ANTED--In local office, a competent stenographer. Address "Business," care of Standard office.

SALE--Eggs for hatching. Pure blood White Leghorns, Black, now, P. E. 125, 40 Central Avenue.

SALE--A parlor suit and household goods, 55 New York Ave.

ANTED--A competent girl for general housework about March 1st. Apply W. J. Taylor, 511 Westfield Ave.

On Tuesday, between Ross Place and 4th Street, two keys tied together, please have them at the Standard office.

SALE--Exquisite imported Maple An- tique furniture, including bed, dining room chairs, etc., absolutely perfect. None of it, making appointment.

SALE--One bed room set, dining set, parlor table, chairs, two white enamel beds, phone 184-R.

ANTED--Sellers for new Whole Life and Ten Year 6% Debenture Gold Bonds, best natural death and disability policy. Mr. Meek, 1011 Oxford Bldg., Phila- delphia, Pa.

POSITION WANTED--Responsible old man, energetic and reliable, (unemployed by trade), some employment, store or real estate. R. H., Standard office.

ANTED--Girl for general housework. Apply 317 Mountain Avenue.

LET OR FOR SALE--After April 1st, modern, up-to-date, now occupied by W. J. Taylor, 511 Westfield Ave. House has im- proved steam heat, etc. Ad- John Ingram, Jr., East Stroudsburg, Pa.

HOUSE FOR RENT--d room house, at 11th & corner, in good condition, 1/2 acre land, on house, well equipped, including of \$25.00 per month. A. B. Maxwell, Box 1250.

OR SALE--Rhode Island Reds, thorough- bred cockerels. A. R. Maxwell, Montic- ucy, N. J.

OWS FOR SALE--Two fresh cows with milk, by side Schilling Bros., Goodman's- burg, Westfield, N. J.

OR SALE--Elegant oak dining room set, consisting of sideboard, china closet, six- tiered set and back chairs, all dull finish, mahogany, well equipped, and other articles. For furniture, "Standard."

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LES GIRL, wanted at Schaefer's Dry Goods store.

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OLET--One unfurnished room. Apply 111 Prospect street.

ANTED--To rent house on North side of R. R. track about 8 rooms. Address Box 1250.

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ANTED--A young man as stenographer. Must also have a knowledge of book-keep- ing. Box 18, The Standard, Westfield, N. J.

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## Suggestions to Young Men

Every young man should establish a BASIS FOR CREDIT. We are stating, in this space, some of the things he can do NOW to make a beginning.

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Don't be fooled by "Get-Rich-Quick" schemes. Honest money generally comes slowly, and by hard work.

## The Peoples National Bank

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Westfielders to Skylark in Melrose, Fla.

—William S. Welch and wife will soon join the Melrose colony.

—Royal B. Embree and wife [formerly of Westfield] are now in Melrose.

—Chris Beck, formerly of the North Avenue Hotel, is now in Jacksonville in the hotel business.

—Plans are out for a handsome new house to be erected on Beechwood Place, by the Pearsall Company.

—Mrs. Serviss, of Brooklyn, mother of Garret P. Serviss, spent last week at the home of M. B. Dutcher.

—Mrs. Haffolinger entertained eight friends at her home on Lawrence avenue on Saturday afternoon.

—Mrs. McPherson gave a luncheon on Tuesday to a number of her friends at the Low home, Dudley avenue.

—Mrs. Silas P. Dutcher of Brooklyn is visiting at the home of her son, Mal- colm B. Dutcher Dudley avenue.

—ance, Rev. Mr. Loomis gave a very interesting talk on Robert-Barns which was much enjoyed by all present.

—Mrs. Wolverson and daughter of Stockton, N. J. are visiting at the home of Walter M. Irving, Dudley avenue.

—A number of Westfielders are head- ing Melrose, Fla. way, there to join in the fun and frolic of the Pearsall--White- head families.

—Herbert L. Abrams and wife left Westfield Tuesday on the "City of Savannah" and will get into Melrose tomorrow.

—Frank M. Taylor will soon start the erection of a new house on Effing- ham Place, in the Brightwood Forest section.

—The February meeting of Advance Club will be held tomorrow night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. B. Douglass Lawrence avenue.

—Leigh M. Pearsall has selected plans for a handsome new colonial house to be erected on the corner of Effingham Place and Clark street.

—Hugo, Kurzhall, formerly of West- field, is now located in Jacksonville for the winter, where he is established in one of the largest tansorial parlors in the city.

—The Pearsall Company recently purchased a section of the Edwards property (formerly the Embree Home- stead) on Clark street and sold a lot on which a house will be erected within a short time.

—The W. C. T. U. is arranging for an illustrated lecture by Herbert L. Bridgman on Peary's Progress 'Toward the Pole. The lecture will be given early in March. The place and date will be announced in a few days. Mr. Bridgman is secretary of the Peary Arctic Club.

—Mrs. Thomas Sperry, of Cranford, gave a Bridge Whist party at her winter residence, 135 Central Park West, New York City, on Friday last. Those present from Westfield were, Mrs. R. R. Sinclair, Mrs. J. B. Harrison, Mrs. F. A. Kinch, Mrs. P. D. Collins, Mrs. J. E. Foster and Mrs. E. R. Perkins.

—Mrs. E. T. Cairns is visiting friends in New Haven.

—Mrs. A. E. Pearsall has returned from Denver Colorado.

—Miss Edna Fink of Walnut street is visiting in Philadelphia.

—Miss Russel of Park street, is visit- ing friends at Lakehurst, N. J.

—Miss Esten, of Summit avenue, spent Sunday at Boonton.

—Mrs. H. C. Cristy, of Elm street, is recovering from a severe illness.

—A. C. Fitch has been appointed transient officer by the Board of Educa- tion.

—Mrs. R. R. Sinclair gave a luncheon to friends at her home on Elm street on Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Reese will leave on Sunday to spend a week at Goulds- bro Pa.

—Don't forget the public meeting at the Washington School Saturday even- ing, February 26th.

—Miss Violet Miller, of Springfield Road, entertained a House Party over Lincoln's Birthday.

—Work will be started next week on a new house for R. S. Hoff on Everson Place, just east of Westfield Avenue.

—The Misses Tice entertained a num- ber of their friends at their home on Highland avenue on Saturday night.

—Woman's Sewing Circle of Willow Grove held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon, with full attend- ance.

**The Elmwood Apartments are the most complete in town. See E. S. F. Randolph, Agent.**

—Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Whitaker will leave on the 26th for St. Augustine Fla. where they will remain for some weeks.

—A Chain Tea was held this after- noon at the home of Mrs. A. L. Price, on Park street, for the benefit of St. Paul's church.

—The Social and Literary Circle of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Pearsall 508 Carlton road this afternoon.

—Captain Hewitt of the Plainfield Salvation Army gave an interesting address at the prayer meeting in the Baptist Church last night.

**Buy the Wright Coal. Telephone 203 W. Westfield.**

—The Men's club of the Presbyterian church have a musicale scheduled as the attraction for the course entertainment to be held next Friday night.

—Douglas Darby has purchased the property, at present occupied by Quack- enbush's Garage. He will build a three story brick building on the land.

—Mason's Union No. 31 will hold a Banquet at Mooney's Hotel on Wednes- day evening, February 23d. The Com- mittee in charge of the banquet com- prises M. Howard, G. Strauss and Gustav Kester.

—President Townsend of the People's National Bank, with his family, are now in Florida and may take a run into the interior of the State to say "howdy" to their Westfield friends, before they go further South and across to Cuba.

—L. M. Pearsall writes that fishing and hunting in and around Melrose was never better. Quail and wild pigeons in abundance and numberless jack rab- bits. The Lakes in and around Melrose team with bass and pickerel and it's really a shame to take them out of the water so easy.

**New House For Sale, nine rooms, all improvements, now ready, 107 Park street.**

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**FROM** time to time in the regular course of business, the Westfield Building and Loan Association becomes the owner of its own stock which has been held by some member who retires from the Association.

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The demand for money is so great that the Association has been obliged to turn away applications for good loans, so that now is the best time to purchase some of this stock for investment.

The list of shares on hand is too large to be given in full, but they range in price from \$10 up, and if application is made to the Secretary stating the amount to be invested, full information will be given in the matter.

Do not delay for now is the time. Every day that is allowed to pass represents a lost opportunity.

**Westfield Building and Loan Association.**

**Incorporated Dec. 4 1888.**

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

## Baptist Church.

Regular services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Greenwood.

Sunday School at 12 o'clock. W. A. Dampney, Superintendent.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 8:30. Miss Jennie L. Kenny in charge.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Topic, "The Joy of But- tle," James 1:2.

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

## Congregational Church.

Public worship at 10:30. Dr. Loomis will preach the second of the series of Lenten discourses on the New Life en- titled "The New Birth." The music will be: "Turn Thy Face from My Sins," Sullivan, and "I Sought the Lord."

Sunday School with graded courses and adult bible class at 12:10.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:15. Topic, "Intemperance and Sins of the Body." Rom. 8:1-14.

"Utilized Material" is the topic for discussion at the mid-week meeting on Wednesday next at 8 p. m. Mr. W. J. Alpers is chairman of the special committee for the evening.

The following resolution, presented by the Standing Committee to the Congregational Church at its regular meeting on Wednesday last, was after discussion passed without one dissent- ing vote.

"Whereas we find that the presence of the Saloon among us, as an influence inimical to the highest interests of our homes, our schools, our churches and to the common welfare of our citizens, is a serious injury to this town:

Be it therefore resolved that we are heartily opposed to the granting of any and all licenses for the sale of intoxicat- ing liquor to be used as a beverage within the limits of Westfield and the entire region hereabout.

FREDERICK S. TAGGART, Church Clerk.

## Methodist Episcopal Church.

Pastor's morning theme:—"Christ's Love For His Church." Eph. 5. Even- ing service—a song service. Theme, "The Power of the Great Hymns."

Sunday School at noon.

Boys meeting, as usual on Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the church parlors.

Regular devotional service of the Ep- worth League on Sunday evening at seven o'clock. Topic, "How to Pray."

Leader Miss Carrie Bishop.

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

Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednes- day 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. L. Steans, D. D. will preach at both ser- vices. 12 m. Bible School. An adult bible class is conducted by Dr. J. J. Savitz. 3 p. m. Italian Mission Sun- day School. 3:15 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor. 8:30 p. m. Union Temper- ance mass meeting. Address by Ex- Governor Robt. B. Glenn, of North Carolina. 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting. Subject, "Intemperance, and other Sins of the Body." Rom. 8:1-14.

Leader, John C. Morrow.

Monday 8 p. m. Boys' Brigade Drill.

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

Friday 8 p. m. Evangelistic services at the Italian Mission conducted by Rev. Jos. Petrelli.

## St. Paul's Church.

Holy Communion will be celebrated each Sunday at 7:30 a. m., with a second celebration at 11 a. m. on the first Sunday of the month.

Morning prayer with sermon, each Sunday at 11 a. m. Choral Evensong with short address at 5 p. m. Litany on Fridays at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school at church at 9:30 a. m. (Primary class meets at the Rectory.)

Special Lenten services. Vespers with choir, daily, except Mondays and Thurs- days at 5 o'clock.

## Joseph Sherman Johnston.

Joseph Sherman Johnston, age one year and eleven months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johnston, of Elm street, died last Monday noon.

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HAROLD E. WALWORTH, Secretary.

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ADVERTISE

## THE NO-LICENSE MOVEMENT UN-FAIR TO THE TOWN COUNCIL?

To the Editor of THE STANDARD:  
Dear Sir: It has been stated that the No License Movement is unfair to the Council, in that it places upon them responsibility for the refusal or granting of licenses without the matter having been at issue at the last election and thus impeding their political prospects. It therefore becomes pertinent to show that neither for this nor any other reason can the No License Movement be considered unfair to the members of the Council.

No one will claim that the Council is prohibited from action upon important matters not made an issue at the preceding election, nor that the Council in its action upon any particular matter is compelled to merely register the opinion or desire of a majority of the voters, regardless of its own views and knowledge of the subject. Otherwise, the Council instead of being a deliberative body chosen from the most experienced and ablest of our citizens, might just as well be composed of a number of political hacks or dummies. The Council, in fact, does decide upon important matters directly affecting the welfare of the Town, added by public hearings to ascertain reasons which may exist against proposed measures, and finally exercising its own discretion, without such measures being made issues at elections or otherwise. It is undoubtedly true also that the Council should always heed a strong public sentiment upon any matter before it, the Council, however, being the ultimate judge.

The Council is not simply an automatic register upon the license question, and a legislative body exercising judgment and discretion on all other measures not expressly regulated by State statutes. Rather the members of the Council should be leaders of the public upon important questions of local importance, especially those involving public morality, as it is admitted this question does, and the citizens of Westfield select their representatives because they are supposed to possess the qualifications of leadership as well as probity and foresight.

Does the license question vary so radically from all other public questions that it must be decided upon entirely different and special considerations? Is it not to be decided strictly upon its merits, as are other questions, regardless of party policy or its effect upon the political career of any man? Are we to class our Councilmen with that type of public servant so much in evidence that is more intent upon holding its official ear close to the earth than of ministering to the real interests of the public? That is what we do when we drag this matter of personal popularity and private interest into the question. I would rather believe that upon the license question the Council is governed by principle, not expediency.

While virtue cannot be legislated into people, vice can be checked and incentives to crime removed by wise legislation, and the social and property interests of the public conserved. The contention of the no-license advocates is, that the licensed bar serves no useful or beneficial purpose in Westfield; that there are scores of homes here that would be far happier and more prosperous but for its existence; that property values would be higher, tax rate lower and bank deposits larger, and that Westfield itself would be a cleaner and even more desirable place of residence without it; and upon such considerations, that the Council is fully justified in exercising its unquestioned prerogative to refuse all applications for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors in Westfield.

IRVING L. BRADY.

Feb. 15, 1910.

## Dr. Morgan's View.

Editor Standard:  
Referring to certain petitions at present circulating for signatures may I suggest:

I. This sort of petition only circulates in rural districts. If Westfield has Metropolitan aspirations such petitions should be eschewed.

II. If successful they would remove the only protection the community has against the unlicensed sale of liquors, and an extra police force would be necessary to even curtail to an infinite degree the sale, etc. In my native state of Maine, where licenses are refused, anybody or everybody sells liquor—it is kept under beds in bedrooms, in "blind tigers," cigar stores, newsstands, in flasks in men's pockets—sold as "Root Beer," "Cologne water," etc. etc. (There are ten thousand names for it.) The petitioners if successful will produce precisely this state of affairs in Westfield.

III. Your petitioners don't go far enough. They clip off a twig but leave the roots well stimulated. The petition should be that farmers be prohibited by law from raising grain of any sort, (or potatoes for that matter, since a very fair whiskey is made of potatoes.) Also cultivation of apples, peaches or blackberries should be prohibited; since sinful men make apple, peach and blackberry brandy, sometimes!

What we aim at is to suppress the crime of drunkenness and the public nuisance of the town drunkard. Our police laws should be sufficient for these objects. If not, they should be made so at once.

To grant these petitions would only increase our tax rates at both ends—viz—increase our town expenses and reduce our revenues, while incidentally multiplying at about one hundred fold evil aimed at.

Respectfully,  
APPLETON MORGAN,  
Westfield, February 13, 1910.

Infallible.  
The way to tell whether a girl likes you or not is not to believe whichever she makes it seem to be.

Wise Rule of Japanese.  
Jap children are not allowed in school until after their sixth year.

Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses  
Only neutralizes poisons produced by undigested foods fermenting in the intestines. It strengthens digestion, purifies the blood, perfecting the health and increasing the animal's working ability. Sold under written guarantee by Patrick Traynor.

## BASKETBALL NEWS.

The boys team of the local High School added another victory to the list last Wednesday afternoon, when they defeated the Short Hills High School quintet by the score of 53-3, at the Washington School.

The boys, as usual started to score at the start and had scored 20 to 0 at the end of the first half. Mr. Ralph Martin refereed the first half, while Mr. G. M. Eastman refereed the second.

The lineup was:  
Short Hills H. S. W. H. S.  
J. Van Inger L. F. (4) Delatour,  
Balley R. F. P. Keeler  
Smithers C. E. Underwood  
Cozier L. G. W. Slosser  
Smith R. G. S. Bush  
Sals. J. Elliot,  
L. Meyer.

## SIGNAL CORPS ELECTS.

Officers Promoted and Chosen For The Year.

The Signal Corps, of the Presbyterian Church, the Westfield division of the United Boys Brigades of America, has been making great progress in its work recently. The brigade, under the command of Colonel Stryker, ex-commander-in-chief of the New Jersey Division, drills in the Sunday School rooms every Monday evening. There is always a full attendance.

At the meeting last Monday evening, officers were promoted and chosen for the ensuing year. The list reads: First Lieutenant, Edward Wittke; First Sergeant, Horatio Miller; Second Sergeant, Stanley Reese; Third Sergeant, Raymond Miller; Engineering Sergeant, Walter Reese; Corporals, Raymond Tice, Hiram Fink, John Ludlow, Charles Sisserson.

## Suppressing a Nuisance.

When Professor Taft went up to Cambridge he had to live outside the college and was located next door to a musical family. The lady practicing her scales disturbed his equanimity very much indeed. So much so that he remonstrated with her father. The result was a curt reply: "Mr.—regrets that his daughter's musical education cannot be neglected." The future collaborator with Lord Kelvin was "cast down, but not destroyed." He sent away to Edinburgh for some bagpipes, and, not knowing a note of music, he started practice whenever the young lady played the piano. It was then her turn to sue for peace. Then came the future professor's triumph. His reply was that Mr. Taft much regretted that his musical education could not be neglected. Terms were soon arranged.—London Globe.

## Cure for Chewing Gum Habit.

In one of the West Philadelphia public schools is a little mite of a teacher who has a mighty way of preserving discipline. Her pupils being unimpaired of all inflections barring the use of chewing gum during school hours, the instructress determined to make a horrible example of a couple of the most wilful boys. She accordingly announced that she would decorate the school room a little, and thereupon stationed the boys on one corner of the platform where they would be conspicuous. Then she gave each a roll of clean white paper and told them to chew it.

The boys, with their cheeks bulging out with paper pulp, were compelled to chew steadily for 15 minutes. There is a slump in the chewing gum market.

## Suffocated in Church.

Owing to the defective means employed in heating the Church of G-frees, in Upper Bavaria, 30 men and women and all the school children in the gallery were rendered unconscious by poisonous gases during the sermon.

The preacher stopped the sermon at once, but despite immediate ventilation many other persons were taken ill as they were leaving the church.

## Different.

"Miss Angela, may I kiss you—or don't you like to be kissed by a man?"

"No, it would give me the horrors for a man to kiss me, but you may kiss me, Cholly."—Houston Post.

## "THE MAN WHO KNOWS."

Walter J. Lee's Anniversary In Local Realty Enterprise.

It is rarely that the success of any business is demonstrated the first year, and when it does become successful in so short a period of time, one thing is shown beyond peradventure, which is, that "the right man is in the right place." In another column will be found the advertisement of Walter J. Lee "the man who knows," who tells us in simple language, that Westfield is the right place, and that he himself is the right man in all that pertains to Westfield real estate. He tells us how, by the introduction of "new methods, broader policies and greater vigor," he has "made good," and that during the last twelve months, he has done a larger and a better business than any other real estate agent in Westfield. He maintains that the kind of service he renders is the keynote to his success. The real estate man who has the trust and confidence of his customers, combined with personal shrewdness and sagacity, is the one who is bound to "win out." As he says frankly, his office can accommodate a larger business still; he wants it, and can take care of it. Anyone contemplating a deal in real estate, would do well to give him a trial.

## CURED TO STAY CURED.

How Westfield Citizens Can Find Complete Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

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From urinary disorders—  
From any disease of the kidneys,  
Be cured to stay cured.

Doan's Kidney Pills make lasting cures.

Grateful people testify.

Here's one case of it:

Mrs. W. E. Burns, 250 Union street, Elizabeth, N. J., says: "For a long time I suffered from kidney complaint, the most distressing symptom being backache and pains through my loins. The kidney secretions were unnatural and gave evidence of disordered kidneys. I doctored, but I did not receive any relief until my husband procured Doan's Kidney Pills. I began their use and I am glad to say that they benefited me in every way." (From statement given August 18, 1905.)

## A CURE THAT LASTS.

On June 10, 1908 Mrs. Burns said: "After giving the above statement for publication, I continued the use of Doan's Kidney Pills a short time and was entirely cured. I have not had a symptom of kidney complaint for nearly two years and consequently I believe my cure to be a permanent one." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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## A Musical Burglar.

An ingenious burglar was recently committed in a fashionable jeweler's shop in Vienna, the thief having entered by a hole he had made in the ceiling while playing the flute. The flat above was let in lodgings, and the landlady informed the police, when the burglar was discovered, that she had let a small room to a well-dressed young man, who played the flute all Sunday morning and afternoon. In the evening he went out and did not return. A jemmy and other burglar's implements were found in his luggage, and the man must have made the hole in the floor with one hand while he played the flute, in order to drown the noise, with the other.

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Blobs—I don't know. I've only known him about nine years.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—First Church, Church of Christ, 101 N. Avenue, New York, Sunday 11 a. m.; Wednesday 8 a. m.; Reading Room open daily, 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock. All are welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF CHRIST—Summit Lane, 101 N. Avenue, New York, Sunday 11 a. m.; Wednesday 8 a. m.; Reading Room open daily, 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock. All are welcome.

ELIST BAPTIST CHURCH, Westfield, N. J., 101 N. Avenue, New York, Sunday 11 a. m.; Wednesday 8 a. m.; Reading Room open daily, 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock. All are welcome.

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Stump Clerk.

FREDERICK W. WELLS, Mailing Clerk.  
HARVEY J. GREENWOOD, Clerk.  
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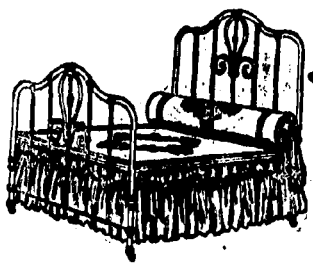
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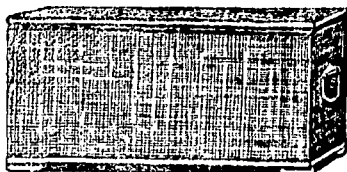
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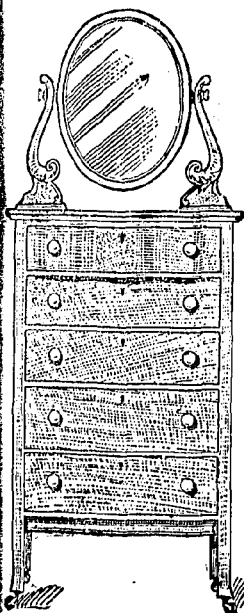
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### BRISBANE TO EDITORS.

He tells Them that Drunkenness is Caused by Whiskey.

The address of Arthur Brisbane of the New York Journal, delivered at the luncheon of the New Jersey Editorial Association, at Trenton, last Monday, was devoted to the liquor question. The keynote of his talk was "Prohibition versus True Temperance." Among other things, Mr. Brisbane said; that Editors from their own experience and the experience of their reporters with the drink question actually know the facts and have no excuse for leaving uncontradicted either the false statements of the whiskey advocates, or of the honest but ignorant statements of the prohibitionist, who would make men over to suit himself and whose work unrestricted, results also in drunkenness. He said he was convinced that the producers of light wines and beers are the real workers for temperance, and that the distillers or makers of whiskey, gin and the like, are the creators of drunkards. He thought that there was as much difference between light beer and whiskey, as there is between tobacco and opium. Absolute experience had proved in every prohibition State, that the wines and beers driven out, are supplanted by the less bulky and more dangerous distilled liquor. The solution of the problem is to discourage in every way the sale and consumption of whiskey, brandy, rum etc., and to encourage the sale, under decent, cheerful conditions of the relatively harmless light wines and beers. Let any man who chooses, sell light wines and beers containing seven per cent or less of alcohol, as such drinks do not make drunkards. Let light native wines and beers be sold in restaurants, and in beer gardens, a penalty being imposed for dealing in any drink containing more than seven per cent of alcohol. This plan could be carried out and would mean true temperance. Besides it would be dealing sanely with men as they are. He concluded as follows:

"Prohibition is the foolish, impossible dream of the well meaning theorist. There are two kinds of prohibitionists; those who have always been teetotalers, and they of course do not understand the subject they are discussing. And there are prohibitionists that have been drunkards, that have reformed, and they all know perfectly well that it is whiskey that makes the drunkard, and that if they had never touched anything but light beer or wine, and had never known whiskey, they would not have been drunkards first and prohibitionists afterwards."

### Lenten Musicals at Perkins Home.

A Lenten Musicals was given last Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. E. R. Perkins, of Stoneleigh Park. Rev. Sydney Cross presided. There were selections on the orchestral and piano, played by Prof. W. H. MacClymont, of Plainfield. Prof. MacClymont also accompanied Mrs. Frank Smith, whose vocal solos were repeatedly and enthusiastically encored. Miss Jeanette Perkins' piano solos were also enthusiastically received. A very effective feature of the program were the photographic selections by Scotti and Caruso. The instrument was played in an upper room, and gave the affect of the actual presence of the great artists. The receipts will go into the treasury of St. Paul's Church.

### Mrs. Hinchman Gives an "At Home."

Mrs. Charles S. Hinchman, of 603 Boulevard, gave an "At Home" yesterday afternoon from three until six o'clock. Mrs. Hinchman was assisted in receiving by her mother Mrs. T. M. K. Mills. Mrs. Robert Mills, Mrs. Charles B. Loomis, Mrs. E. H. Oswald, of Westfield; and Mrs. Frank Smith, of Brooklyn.

The flatters were Mrs. E. D. Floyd, Mrs. C. G. Edmonds, Mrs. J. H. Dohrman, Mrs. Bennett, of Orange, Mrs. Aubrey B. Smith, Miss Ethel Smith, of Brooklyn; Miss Helen Oswald and Miss Marion Randolph, of Westfield. The decorations were pink and refreshments were served by a caterer from Plainfield.

### Golf Club Pivot Bridge Party.

The Westfield Golf Club will give a Pivot Bridge party next Monday evening, February 21st beginning at 8:15 o'clock at the Westfield Inn. Tables will be arranged in groups and a lady's and gentleman's prize awarded for each group. A delightful time is anticipated.

### A Safeguard to Children.

"Our two children of six and eight years have been since infancy subject to colds and croup. About three years ago I started to use Foley's Honey and Tar, and it has never failed to prevent and cure these troubles. It is the only medicine I can get the children to take without a row." The above from W. C. Ornstein, Green Bay, Wis., duplicates the experience of thousands of other users of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cures coughs, colds, and croup, and prevents bronchitis and pneumonia. Gale's Pharmacy.

### THE "OLD GUARD" DINES.

Second Annual Dinner of "Vet" Firemen at Mooney's.

The second annual dinner of the old members of Westfield Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, was held at Mooney's Hotel, Friday evening, February 12. At nine o'clock the "old vets" and guests gathered around the tables, the "Friendly Feed" commenced. The half past eleven o'clock before the repast was finished. An excellent dinner was served by Miss Hostess. Instrumental and vocal music was rendered by Minot Bros. of Newark, and it was very good.

The music furnished by the Minot Bros., although excellent, was not to the standard of the chin music furnished by the old time members. The burden of their song was the food of old times, away back in the '70s, when the old truck company had its boning. Dr. William Gale told of the meetings held to organize when old time citizens as James R. Per Stephen Mapes, William Hall, John Rhums, Dr. William Peek, Frederick R. and Dr. Gale, with others, got together.

At 12 o'clock everybody stopped their dishes and some of the "old vets." went to a merry two-step dance. The guests of the evening were for A. L. Alpers and Connelmen R. Johnstein, E. D. Floyd and Judge B. Toney, Dr. William Gale, J. H. Z. Chambers, C. W. Harden, J. H. Eugene J. Wilcox, G. W. Dawes, R. Pearsall, Gustavus H. Koes, John Darsh, Fred. C. Decker, James O'Neill, John J. Schmidt, John English, Eugene W. Chamberlain, Charles H. Denman, E. Harold Francis.

Before you rent, inspect the Elm Apartments. See E. S. F. Dolph, Agent.

### In Dire Peril.

There is a woman in Brookline whose nearsightedness brought on an odd situation the other day. While waiting for a car she noticed a man with what she supposed to be a cane, making his way slowly toward the car tracks. Thinking that he was in danger of being run over, she hastened out and grasped him by the arm. Then she discovered that he was a switch tender.—Boston Record.

### Don't Kiss the Baby.

An enterprising eastern manufacturer is turning out gold buttons bearing the warning words, "Don't Kiss Me," and intended for babies whose mothers are afraid of germ contamination. Of course, however, the same buttons would do for young ladies who have the same fear and in case of a change of heart on special occasions they could place a finger over the first word of the motto.

### Mankind's Real Benefactor.

He gave it for his opinion that whoever could make two ears of corn, or two blades of grass, to grow upon a spot of ground where only one grew before would deserve better of mankind and do more essential service to his country than the whole race of politicians put together.—Dean Swift, "Voyage to Brothlingna," vii.

### Faithful to Wife's Memory.

It seems incredible that men should live in the tombs of their wives, yet there are several cases on record of men who have done this. Jonathan Reed, for instance, sat daily in a vault in Evergreen cemetery, New York, by the side of the coffin containing the remains of his wife.

### Improved Footgear.

Revolution in footwear seems to be promised by an ingenious invention—namely, a sole and heel, which will shortly be placed on the market. This idea is no less than a removable sole—the old wears through, and the new is slipped in, for all the world like a new pair of lace!

### Farmers' Institute On the Jersey Central.

The State Board of Agriculture's Farmers' Train starts on a three days' trip over the Central Railroad of New Jersey, March 14th. It is a traveling institute in the interest of agriculture, and will begin at Bound Brook and thence visit Edison, Hibernia, Chester, Flemington and Phillipsburg. Judge E. R. Collins of this town, who is chairman of the committee on transportation, will have charge of the train. There will be two day coaches and a dining car. Professors Davis, Blake, Minkie and Van Alstyne of the State Agricultural College of New Brunswick, are scheduled to speak. The President of the State Board, Dr. Voorhees, will be a member of the party.

### The Simple Life.

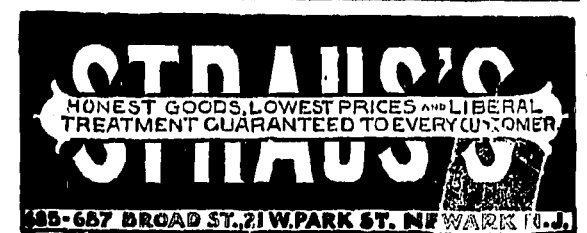
Few suspect how unutterably little the world and its splendor have been able to turn my mind giddy. Herring and potatoes—a clean wooden chair, and a wooden spoon to eat milk soup with—that would make me skip like a child, for joy. And this—without the slightest trace of exaggeration.—From a letter of Jenny Lind.

At the Dark-Town Culture Club. Chairman (concluding an address of introduction)—An' now, ladies and gentlemen, I hab de honor of presentin' to dis audience de speaker of de evening—Prof. Johnsing, of de Westville seminary—who will proceed to define de indefinable, depict de indelectable and unscrew de unscrewtable!—Life.

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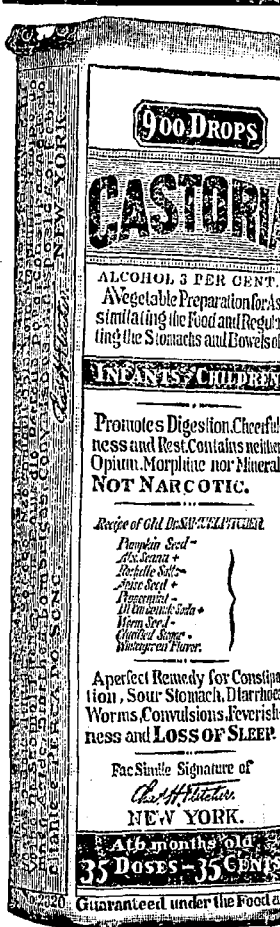
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Get acquainted with the WINDFELDT combination plan of doing business. Call us up on the telephone any hour of the day. We are at your service. Our delivery wagons stand ready to supply your need in Groceries, Meats, Vegetables, Cakes, Pies, any thing you want in the line of table necessities.

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Now is the time to mow your flower beds and lawns. Call on H. Willoughby.

Confectionery. We make many different kinds of delicious candies; we employ only expert confectioners and only the very purest and choicest ingredients that can be bought. That is why you will find our candy always so delicious, pure and wholesome. Our prices are very reasonable. New York Candy Kitchen.

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See E. S. F. Randolph about The Elmwood Apartments.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*

## NOW BOYS AND GIRLS AND GROWN-UPS WHAT'S YOUR GUESS?

The Standard Census Contest Begins Tuesday, February 1 and Continues Through the Month.

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

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

The contest will open February 1st, 1910 and close February 28th, 1910. All guesses must be made over the signature of the contestant. No aliases allowed.

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

Census Contest:

THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD.

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

Name.....

Address.....

### MR. TAGGART'S PLAN.

Suggested as Probable Preventative of Unequal Taxation.

The following letter from Mr. Frederick S. Taggart was read at a meeting of the Westfield Common Council, Monday evening February 7. The plan suggested by Mr. Taggart relative to the tax assessment question is worthy of careful consideration:—

February 4th, 1910.  
To the Honorable Council of the Town of Westfield, Gentlemen:—

In reading the account of the council meeting on the 24th of last month, in letting the contracts for printing of town reports and revised ordinances, it came to my mind whether the Council has intended, and is including an appropriation in the budget for, the printing of the Tax duplicate for this year.

It is safe to say that nothing the Council will spend money for this year will find so much general approbation and favor with the tax payers as that of printing the tax duplicate early in August or September and distributing the same to the citizens and tax payers. The revised ordinances will appeal to relatively few—the tax assessments to everyone.

The wish of the Council to do all in its power to aid in equalizing and making fair the assessments is apparent and has been openly asserted by the Mayor and members of the council so many times, that I feel certain this suggestion will meet with their hearty approval, if the same has not already been arranged for. The printing of the tax duplicate may be accomplished under Chapter 108 of the Laws of 1908.

The printing of these lists, however, only makes the assessment public after the duplicates have been sent to the County Board. It will hardly obviate the necessity of subsequent appeals to the County Board, and will, to a large extent, make the equalization of assessments in various localities difficult. As a matter of fact, the assessments should be revised locally before they are sent to the County Board and relieve that Board of its unpleasant and often impossible burden of attempting to adjust varying assessments in many localities. By the co-operation of the Council, the Board of Assessors and the Advisory Board, I think the following scheme might be attempted, at least for a year or two, with beneficial results to both the Board of Assessors and the individual tax payer.

Soon after May 20th, and as fast as the assessments are made up in particular sections of the Town, let the Board of Assessors mail to each property owner a notice, stating the amount of the proposed assessment against him, the quantity of land and improvements assessed and the assessment block number. In this same notice, the Board would announce that it would hear any citizens within the prescribed section upon the suggested assessments at a day and hour to be set. At a small expense for postage, tax payers would thus have notice of intended assessments and were there any errors in dimensions of lot, values of improvements or physical conditions unknown to the Assessors, they could be brought to the Assessors' attention and corrected before the duplicates were finally sent to the County Board. This method would enable the Assessors to gain much information respecting values and physical conditions in certain sections of the Town, and would be a great help to them in making their assessments for the year. It would also enable the property owner to adjust slight differences without having to wait until his tax bill was sent and making a formal and sometimes expensive appeal to the County Board for an alteration in his assessment. Experience has shown that many times when facts are thus brought to the attention of the County Board, the Assessors consent to the change in valuation, because they said that they have not known of certain local conditions when they made the assessment. They would learn these conditions under this scheme.

The probabilities are that the Town could be divided into a number of large sections and half a dozen hearings would be sufficient to accomplish the purpose. The Board need not pass upon anything presented to them, but simply sit for the purpose of hearing and using the information obtained in equalizing and adjusting the assessments.

The idea as suggested here is capable of considerable expansion and while there is no provision of the law for such a scheme, it seems to me entirely within the province of the Council and the

Board to adopt such an informal proceeding. The Assessors are certainly entitled to all the information they can get in making their assessments. The cost would be inconsequential and certainly no one would complain of the amount so expended in printing and postage.

I trust that the Council will seriously consider this outline, and if it meets with approval as suggested, or as modified, let it be adopted as an experiment for a year or two. At any rate, the tax list should be published or information given to property owners as early as possible this year.

Yours very respectfully,  
FREDERICK S. TAGGART.

### THE MAYOR'S REPORT.

Reasons For Last Year's High Tax Rate Enumerated.

To the Citizens of the Town of Westfield:

Through the extension of residential territory the year just ended has brought with it greater responsibilities for the members of the governing body. The demands caused by said extension have been many, and have been met in a conservative manner. Our improvements have been completed at unusually low cost. Our financial condition is excellent; not one of the various departments exceeded its appropriation; in fact, nearly all have a balance to add to our unexpended balance account, and we will start the New Year in a flourishing condition. The tax rate and tax bill this year were high, the rate being 18 points higher than last year. The main causes for this follow, viz: \$1,600.00 were required to pay off our portion of County road bonds due this year, a legacy left from old Township of Westfield with no provision for its payment. \$2,000.00 may be termed extraordinary expenses of the School Board in securing additional playground for the children, and \$1,127.50 interest on School bonds not included in tax budget of 1908. This makes a total of \$7,727.50 or twelve points on our tax rate; the State School tax was 8 points and the County tax 1 point higher respectively, making a total of 16 points. Our tax rate, or tax bill, should be reduced and never exceeded again, unless caused by some extraordinary expenditure at present unforeseen, without extravagance either in Town, School or County expenditures. Increases in the tax budget should be regulated or governed in accordance with the increase in rates, caused through building operations, or actual advance in values of real estate. Considerable complaint has been heard about unequal taxation, the cause claimed being error in judgment of the Board of Assessors in their valuation. Prior to 1906 real estate and the buildings thereon were assessed in one amount. The new law required that a separate valuation be placed on each. Further prior to that year there was but one assessor. During 1907 a Board of Assessors was created by ordinance on recommendation of the Mayor, composed of three men, one elective, and two appointed. While I believe the Board of Assessors have made great strides towards equal and just valuations, (considering the inequalities when they took office, and the wonderful and rapid rise in values in all parts of our Town) there is still room for improvement, and with this end in view, I will appoint early in the New Year a committee of conservative citizens, (one from each ward) conversant with valuations in our Town, as an advisory committee for the board of assessors. I believe in this manner we will obtain as nearly as possible, equal and just valuations. The reports of the different committees of the Council follow, in which will be found in detail the work accomplished during the year.

December 31st, 1909.

A. L. Alpers, Mayor.

Fireside Council Royal Arcanum.

Brothers:—

At the next regular meeting Thursday evening Feb. 24th, 1910 there will be initiation of candidates, fourth degree work, prizes for the most laughable stories told, refreshments and a good smoke. Come out brothers and enjoy yourselves.

Geo. F. Brown, "Orator."

Buy the Wright Coal. Telephone

203 W. Westfield.

## Why Some Things Are Not Advertised

SEVERAL business men in Chicago recently incorporated a company to manufacture and sell vacuum cleaning machines. About \$50,000 capital was subscribed, a large proportion of which was to be invested in advertising.

To assure the success of the new venture, the president of the company wisely decided to determine for himself the efficiency of the vacuum cleaner they contemplated manufacturing and advertising; so he took home one of the machines, and without letting his family know that he was interested financially, had it tried on his own rugs and carpets.

He found that the machine had several serious faults—that it had not been developed to a point of real efficiency where it would satisfy the average user. This was enough. The plans for the advertising campaign were given up. He knew that no permanent advertising success could be built on the foundation of an article that only partially performed what was claimed for it.

Right here you have the reason why thousands of manufacturers are not advertising. They may claim—most of them will—that their product is equal in quality to any that is sold. The claim of "best goods at lowest prices" is the commonest and the most meaningless of any in the business world.

But in their own minds they know only too well that what they assert to be the pure gold of the product will not stand the acid test of advertising. When a product is advertised there can be no retreat no going back on the published statements. What is said of it must be lived up to. Unless the people who buy it keep coming back for more, the advertising investment money thrown away.

With this in mind, you know why I have said that continued advertising practically guarantees a thing advertised.—Collier's Weekly

## Why the Schaefer Store Advertises

Why not have faith in the home store? The policy of the Schaefer store has always been and always will be to handle Standard Brands of known worth, merchandise that is a household word with every lady in the land. The ultimate battle of the larger metropolitan department stores and the manufacturers will be fought on the ground of the local distributing merchants in the stores of the land. The modern advertised article must be pure gold and able to stand the acid test of advertising—the critical judgment of the consumers of the U. S.

The larger establishments push the sale of name brands of their own manufacture as it is more profitable to handle them than goods advertised at a fixed price. They have the largest line of advertised brands in the state.

Look over the advertising pages of your largest magazines and compare the list given there with the Standard Brands carried by the Schaefer Store:

Holeproof Hosiery  
Interwoven Socks  
American Hosiery Co. Underwear  
Arrow Brand Collars  
Sanspareil Shirts  
Challenge Brand Rubber Collars  
Otis Brand Underwear for Men  
B. V. D. Underwear  
Poruns Knit Underwear  
Kaysers Silk Gloves  
"Meyers" Kid Gloves  
Royal Society Embroidery Work  
Columbia Yarns  
Keiser Barathe Neckwear  
Sealpackerchief Handkerchiefs  
R & G Corsets  
C/ Bala Spirite Corsets  
Nemo Corsets  
Sahlin Corsets  
Ferris Waists

Knotan Hosiery  
Onyx Brand Hosiery  
Merode Underwear  
Forest Mills Underwear  
Soisette  
Killarney Linen  
Utica Sheets and Pillow Cases  
Dean Lock Stitch Aprons  
K & E Boys Waists  
Hemstitch  
Heminways Silks  
Keystone Rompers  
"Tiny Wear" Underwear  
Reubens Infants Shirts  
Colgate Toilet Articles  
Vantines Toilet Articles  
Kabo Corsets  
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Buster Brown Hosiery  
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