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RAL AVENUE TO BE IMPROVED

Pavement and New Sidewalk From Elizabeth Avenue to Lenox Avenue

TOTAL COST ABOUT \$100,000

Elizabeth Avenue is to be improved from Elizabeth Avenue to Lenox Avenue. A cement pavement extending the entire width of the street and curbs are to be put down on both sides. A conference of the members of the Town Council and the road committees, of the Chosen Freeholders was held at the office of the engineer Mosher's office yesterday at which time the improvement was considered and a committee practically agreed upon what was to be done. Assistant Engineer Roy Collins and the Freeholder com-

mittee is to do the entire work. The county will pay for 22 feet of pavement, the balance of 10 feet or 9 feet on either side of the curbing will be paid for by the abutting property owners. It is estimated that the cost of the improvement will be \$100,000.

The committee of the council will make a report on the matter at the next meeting next night with a recommendation as to the improvement to be made. The work is done Westfield and another fine avenue leading to the seashore. The Freeholders were represented at the meeting yesterday by Messrs. J. H. Hatfield.

WOMEN'S CLUB DINNER

Annual dinner of the Women's Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Paul's Parish will be held on Friday evening. Rev. Horace P. New York City, and Ex-Governor Stokes will be the principal speakers.

It is not very often favored by the presence of two such noted speakers. Silver, is rector of the church of the Incarnation, in New York, and is known as one of the best after dinner speakers. Ex-Governor Stokes visited Westfield about two years ago and addressed in the High School. At that time he spoke on the life of President Roosevelt.

TER DE CAMP

RELEASES POSTAL ROUTES. The post office force has been reduced and each carrier can now do his day's work in eight hours. With the addition of the new routes have been extended. They now include Sonaca, Knappe Crescent, the upper part of Kimball Avenue and Lawrence Avenue to Highland Avenue.

SPORTS TO HAVE

A GET-TOGETHER

Episcopal Parish House on Friday evening, Jan. 26th, at 8 o'clock, there will be held a get-together meeting. Every boy and girl who is, was, or wants to be invited to enjoy an evening full of sport. The following will be run off: Pot Luck Race, Crab Race, Legged Race, Sack Race, Cane Race, League B. B. Ball by Troop "3", and other sports and sports for everybody. There will be lots of room in the gymnasium on the stage for grown-ups. Boys are requested to bring their mother and father with them. There will also be eats.

INSTALL OFFICERS

Friday night at the meeting of the provident lodge, No. 3130, the Rev. Ranger Bauer installed the following officers for the coming year: Deputy, J. W. Wall; Secretary, Albert Wrangler; Vice Secretary, Harold Wrangler; Financial Secretary, William H. Winter; Treasurer, C. C. Malsbury; W. E. Wragg; Orator, H. Winter; Sr. Woodward, J. H. Winter; Jr. Woodward, Arthur and Jr. Beadle, William Trustees, Robert Jacoby and W. Kromer.

MEETING OF WOMAN'S CLUB

Next meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at the Congregational Church, on Monday, Jan. 22, at 2:30 o'clock. After the business of the day has been disposed of the meeting will be open to all who will have the opportunity of hearing the well-known lecturer, Dixon R. Fox. His subject will be "Has Diplomacy"

MCCORMACK INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

He, With Hyder Johnson, Both Accused of Murder Arraigned

BOTH PLEAD NOT GUILTY

At a meeting of the Grand Jury held Saturday morning, four indictments charging murder, were reported. Their presentation was followed by arraignment of two of the alleged slayers, who pleaded not guilty. Their trials will be held February 23rd.

The men arraigned were James McCormack, a special officer, charged with the murder of James J. Dooling, a Garwood hotel keeper, and Hyder Johnson, colored, also of Westfield, charged with the murder of Max Dungee, another negro, at Westfield. Both slayings occurred on Christmas Day.

Assistant Prosecutor McLean called Johnson for arraignment as soon as the jurors had filed out. Through his counsel, former Prosecutor A. A. Stein, of Elizabeth, and Lloyd Thompson, of this town, Johnson entered a not guilty plea. Judge Bergen ordered the plea recorded and said he could come to Elizabeth either next Monday or on February 23 to conduct the trial. The latter date was most acceptable to the prosecution and the defense and accordingly was fixed.

McCormack was represented by former Prosecutor William R. Wilson. He also entered a plea of not guilty and Judge Bergen fixed the same date for trial, subject to change as circumstances may require. Counsel for Johnson indicated not more than a day and a half or two days will be needed in their case, and McCormack's trial probably will follow immediately.

CONFERENCE ON EDUCATION JAN. 28 AND 29

A Citizens' Conference on Education for the States of New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania will be held in New York City on the afternoon and evening of January 28, and the morning of Jan. 29. The sessions of the first day of the conference will be held in the Town Hall, 43d street, between Broadway and Sixth Avenue, and the morning session of the second day of the conference will be in the Chamber of Commerce, 65 Liberty street.

The conference—which is to be a conference of citizens and not primarily of professional educators—has been called by the Commissioner of Education in co-operation with the chief school officers of the States of New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania. The purpose of the conference is to consider, from the standpoint of statesmanship and the public affair, the present condition and needs of education in the States of the conference group, and the means of meeting these needs. The conference will discuss the means of fostering among the people at large and their representatives in legislative bodies and elsewhere such intelligent interest as will result in a more generous support and wiser control of the schools and other agencies of education.

O. E. S. GRAND CHAPTER MEETING IN NEWARK

The fifty-first annual session of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of New Jersey is being held in Newark this week. The opening meeting was held yesterday. Regular business meetings will be held this afternoon and evening, also Thursday afternoon and evening. Thursday will include presentation of charters to subordinate chapters now acting under Grand Chapter dispensations, presentation of past grand matrons' jewels, election of officers for 1921, and other important business.

TUTTLE IS HEAD OF STATE BANKS

Senate Confirms Nomination of Westfield Man
William E. Tuttle, Jr., of this town, on Monday night was nominated by Governor Edwards and confirmed by the Senate for the position of State Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, for the full three year term at \$6,000 a year, succeeding Frank H. Smith, of Plainfield. Mr. Tuttle is a Democrat. The appointment of Mr. Tuttle was forseen and a full list of his qualifications for the position was given in last week's "Leader."

TROOPERS OF CO. D SHOT AT BY AUTOISTS

Mistaken by Occupants for Highwaymen Who Thought They Were Held Up

PATROL ON ALL ROADS

While Troop D, First Cavalry, N. G. N. J., was in the vicinity of Clark Township Sunday evening, they were fired upon by a passing autoist, without waiting to ascertain whether they were stopped by bandits or by law enforcers.

Captain Ross, in command of Troop D, First Cavalry, N. G. N. J., detailed Lieutenant Miller to command the patrol over the week-end. The patrol which was fired on was in command of Corporal K. C. Carter, who had with him Privates Arthur McVoy, of Plainfield, who was the target for the autoists, William Sears, William Randolph, Kenneth Thompson and McGillen.

The patrol was in Grant lane, near the American Felt mill, when the Stutz car was seen approaching. A whistle signal to stop was ignored by the driver, and as the car sped past the cavalrymen a shot was fired, which narrowly missed Private McVoy. After passing the soldiers the car halted and was quickly surrounded.

The report of the patrol gives the names of the occupants only as "Miller" and "Thompson," and indicates the car was on the way from Asbury Park to Newark, said to have been the home of the two men.

Both men had guns and both had permits to carry same. They said they thought the cavalrymen were bandits in uniform. After being quieted and showing their gun permits and auto registration papers, they were allowed to proceed.

BANDITS STILL AT WORK

More Hold Ups on the County Road to Rahway

Bandits were busy Sunday evening about 7:30 in the vicinity of Rahway, according to reports given by Benjamin Erdey, of Chrome. Erdey said he was on his way to Chrome from Rahway in an auto, and had reached a point near the Bracher property, when two or more men yelled at him to stop. Erdey said that instead of obeying the command, he raced his machine toward Carteret. Two shots were fired at him as he fled, he said.

Erdey reported his adventure as soon as he reached Carteret to the police there, and in a few minutes news of the attempt had been flashed to Rahway, Westfield and other towns in Union county. In record time detachments of the police of Rahway, Westfield, Linden and Plainfield were scouring the Carteret road and other roads in its vicinity. The scope of the search was gradually widened, but no trace of the hold-up men was found.

Three men in an auto in St. George Avenue aroused the suspicions of Officer Miller, of the Westfield police, and he brought them to the Rahway police station. They proved to be residents of Perth Amboy and were able to give a good account of themselves. One of the party, A. A. Maurer, owner and driver of the auto, did not have proper registration papers, and was served with a summons under Section 17-A of the traffic laws to appear in police court.

WESTFIELD MILITARY CO. TO RECEIVE DISCHARGES

Last Get-together Dinner Planned for February 7th

The Dinner Committee of the Westfield Company of the New Jersey State Militia Reserve have plans for their last get-together dinner on Monday, Feb. 7th. It will be held at the Episcopal Parish House. An entertainment of music, songs and other good things is promised and there will be no speeches. The discharges have arrived and the members will get their discharge from service and their service button from the State.

DINNER TO BE TENDERED TO EX-MAYOR PAUL OLIVER

In appreciation of his untiring efforts in the interest of the town during his administration, many friends and citizens of Ex-Mayor Paul Q. Oliver will tender him a dinner at the Westfield Golf Club Saturday night. Councilman A. P. Egan is in charge of the affair. The dinner will be informal.

The "Leader" is the Shopping Guide for all this section of New Jersey. For bargains in merchandise—read the advertisements carefully.

MUSICAL EVENT FOR WESTFIELD

Maude Klotz, Celebrated Soprano, and David Bispham to Appear For the American Legion

FEBRUARY 7th, THE NIGHT

On Monday evening, February seventh, one of the greatest musical treats ever offered in Union County will be staged at the Westfield High School for the benefit of the American Legion.

Miss Maude Klotz, the celebrated soprano and David Bispham, one of the world's most famous baritones are the big stars engaged and they will be assisted by a noted cellist who will be announced in our next issue.

Miss Maude Klotz needs no introduction to Westfield music-lovers for those who have heard her want to hear her again and those less fortunate will not miss this opportunity for critics concede that she has few equals on the concert stage.

She has achieved brilliant successes with many of America's most prominent musical organizations, among them the Boston Opera, New York Philharmonic, Minneapolis Symphony, St. Louis Symphony and Victor Herbert Orchestras, noted Music Festivals and Oratorio societies and in joint recital with Amato of the Metropolitan Opera, William Linshaw, Rheinhold Werrenwrath and other famous artists.

Oscar Saenger, the eminent vocal teacher and operatic coach is universally conceded to be one of the greatest living authorities on the voice.

Mr. Saenger has written of Miss Klotz as follows:

"Though its exceptional clarity and carrying quality may easily mislead one into believing it a dramatic soprano, the voice of Miss Maude Klotz is pure lyric in quality, with a range from low G to B above high C and it is unquestionably one of the most beautiful sopranos on the American concert stage. It is very flexible, perfectly placed and her diction at all times is superb. Brains, refinement and thorough musicianship are the dominant factors of her art, and these, combined with rare vocal gifts and a most attractive personality, make her in my opinion, one of the greatest of our younger sopranos and an artist who, in maturity, will occupy one of the highest places in the realms of music."

Last Spring, Miss Klotz was the featured artist of the big concert given by the Elks in the State Armory at Elizabeth, N. J. and was enthusiastically applauded by the large audience present.

When the National League of Masonic Clubs held their great convention in New York last year, Miss Klotz was the featured soloist at their closing event in the Waldorf-Astoria which was attended by many New Jersey Masons.

David Bispham, one of the greatest and most popular baritones in American musical history, will appear as co-star with Miss Klotz.

Mr. Bispham has an enviable place in the music world for, though he is an American artist, it is doubtful whether he is any better known or admired in his own country than he is abroad. For a number of years his operatic and concert successes made him one of, if not the most popular baritones in all Europe and Queen's Hall in London was just packed for his song recitals as Carnegie Hall when he sang in New York.

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TOWN WELFARE TO BE DISCUSSED

Next Meeting of Civic Association January 28th

At their regular meeting Wednesday evening, the Board of Governors of the Westfield Civic Association selected Friday, January 28, as the date for their second open public forum of the winter season.

The meeting will be held in the Town Hall. All residents of the town, whether members of the association or not, are invited to attend and take part in the discussions relating to the town welfare.

The chairman of the evening will be Hon. W. E. Tuttle, Jr., assisted by L. A. Morshon and F. J. Petura. The proposed town memorial will be one of the subjects treated.

BANKERS' ASSOCIATION TO MEET

A meeting of the Union and Somerset Bankers' Association will be held at the Middlebrook Country Club, Bound Brook, Jan. 27, with a supper followed by a smoker. The principal speaker will be F. W. Gehle, publicity manager for the Mechanics and Metals National Bank, of New York.

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With the Plays and Players

New and Old Events Now Being Presented
at Various Playhouses

Apollo Theatre—"The Prince and the Pauper."
Astor—"Cornered."
Belasco—"Debarau."
Belmont—"Miss Lulu Brett."
Bijou—"The Skin Game."
Booth—"The Green Goddess."
Bramhall—"Mixed Marriage."
Broadhurst—"When We Were Young."
Casals—"Honeydew."
Central—"Afgar."
Century—"Mecca."
Century Promenade—Revue and Rounders.
Cohan & Harris—"Welcome Stranger."
Comedy—"The Bad Man."
Court—"Transplanting Jean."
Elding—"Lady's Night."
Empire—"Mary Rose."
Forty-eighth St.—"The Broken Wing."
France—"The Woman of Bronze."
Fulton—"Enter Madame."
Gaiety—"Lightnin'" with Frank Bacon.
Garrick—"Heartbreak House."
George M. Cohan—"The Tavern."
Globe—"Tip Top."
Greenwich Village—"The Beggars Opera."
Henry Miller's—"Just Suppose."
Hippodrome—"Good Times."
Hudson—"Meanest Man in the World."
Kalkeherbocker—"Mary."
Liberty—"Lady Billy" with M'Int.
Little—"The First Year."
Loeys—"The Champion," with Grant Mitchell.
Lycium—"The Gold Diggers."
Lyns—"Norah Bayes."
Manhattan Opera House—"German Opera."
Maxine Elliott—"Spanish Love."
Morocco—"The Hat."
New Amsterdam—"Sally."
Nora Bayes—"Three Live Ghosts."
Park—"Erminie."
Playhouse—"Thy Name Is Woman."
Playmouth—"Little Old New York."
Frank & Judy—"Rollo's Wild Out."
Republic—"Dear Me."
Selwyn—"Tickle Me."
Shubert—"Greenwich Village Follies."
Times Square—"The Mirage."
Thirty-ninth St.—"The Young Visitors."
Vanderbilt—"Irene."
Winter Garden—"The Passing Show of 1921."

CONCERTS

Louisa Charlton announces the following concerts: At Aeolian Hall on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 23, at 3 o'clock, a Cesar Franck program with Mme. Helen Stanley, prima donna soprano; Ernest Hutchinson, pianist; Samuel Gardner, violinist; Emmeran Stoebel, cellist. At Carnegie Hall on Monday evening, Jan. 24, at 8:15 o'clock, a Piano Recital by Alfred Cortot, and at Aeolian Hall, Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 26, at 3 o'clock, the First Subscription Recital of the 32 Beethoven Piano Sonatas. Mrs. Samaroff will play Op. 1, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and Op. 7 in B-flat major, and Mr. Stokowski will speak on Beethoven's early period.

Philharmonic

On Thursday evening, Jan. 10, Leo Schults will play the Schumann cello concerto with the Philharmonic Orchestra. Mr. Strinsky presents the First Symphony of Mahler and Mendelssohn's "Fingal's Cave" Overture.

Henry Hadley, the Associate Conductor of the Philharmonic Society, will participate in the direction of the concert at Carnegie Hall on Friday afternoon, conducting the performance of his First Symphony, "Youth and Life." The remainder of the programme is under the direction of Josef Strinsky, and includes Strauss' "Till Eulenspiegel" and the "Carnaval" Overture of Dvorak, with Saint Saens' C minor concerto for piano and orchestra performed by Ellen Ballou, a young American artist.

Josef Lhevinno will assist at the Philharmonic Sunday afternoon concert at Carnegie Hall on January 23.

Mme. Louisa Homer and Gifted Daughter Coming to Newark Armory.

For the first time in our musical history Louisa Homer and daughter, both concert artists of the first water, have joined forces in a recital. The Homers have been engaged by Jos. Fuerstman, manager of the Famous Artist Concerts at the Newark Armory for a concert here this season and their coming may well be considered a feature of the year. The date is Monday, January 24.

Mr. Fuerstman, states that the Gipsy Smith revival meetings now being held at the Armory, and at which Mr. Fuerstman's great canvas ceiling is being used will not in anywise interfere with the concert scheduled for Monday evening, Jan. 24.

THEATRE NOTES

There will be three new plays this week and among them will be at least two stars. Mrs. Fiske is returning to Broadway in a play by Hatcher Hughes and Elmer E. Rice. It is called "Wake Up, Jonathan" and is advertised as "a satire on the modern viewpoint." Mrs. Fiske appears as the busy mother of four children whose father is a commonplace, materialistic and unimaginative man add odds with all his wife's pet ideas. Charles Cherry plays the husband who gradually works round to his wife's point of view. In the cast beside Mrs. Fiske and Mr. Cherry are Howard Lang, Donald Cameron, Fleming Ward, Frank Hearl, Freddie Goodrow, Helen Holt, Lois Bartlett, Edith Fitzgerald and Nadia Gray. The theatre is Henry Miller's.

Booth—"The Green Goddess."
 Since a new play has opened at the Booth, William Faversham has had to move "The Prince and the Pauper" over to the Apollo. It is a delightful play and will continue to attract crowds of people who have loved the familiar Mark Twain story all these years. It loses nothing in the present production where Mr. Faversham retains the spirit wonderfully well and where Ruth Findlay makes a gentle and appealing character in the dual title role.

Mr. Arliss is back again with his second venture of the season—an adventure drama entitled "The Green Goddess." Having first assumed the character of a Russian Nihilist, he now reappears as the Rajah of Rukh—a state of Central Asia. He is a wily Oriental with the thin civilized veneer of an English university polish, but with the tricky, subtle Eastern characteristics close to the surface. The story deals with the arrival of three foreigners at a time when the state is seething with anger against all outsiders. Mr. Arliss' costumes are very sumptuous and should be authentic as they were designed by Rohanara, the dancer. The cast includes Olive Wyndham, Cyril Kightley, Herbert Waring, Ivan Simpson, Donald Coleman and David Leonard.

Broad St., Newark—"Call the Doctor"
 David Belasco's latest comedy success, "Call the Doctor," by Jean Archbald, is the attraction at the Broad Street Theatre this week, with the original all-star cast, following its long engagement at the Empire Theatre, New York.
 "Call the Doctor," treats of a new and novel idea—that of a doctor of domestic difficulties who makes a profession of going into the homes of husbands and wives who are drifting apart and adjusting their matrimonial differences. This comedy "appeals to theatregoers who enjoy freshness of theme and bright dialogue and the story holds the interest unwaveringly from the first to the last curtain.
 The original cast which was seen in this comedy during its long Broadway engagement includes such popular favorites as Philip Merivale, William Morris, John Amory, Janet Beecher, Charlotte Walker, Paula Marinoff, Jane Houston, Mrs. Tom Wise, Barbara Milton and Rea Martin.

George M. Cohan—"The Tavern"
 "The Tavern," George Cohan's travesty on melodrama, which has been making a hit at the theatre bearing his name—continues on its long, successful run. Arnold Daly, who has been playing the lead since the play opened, has left the cast and has been replaced by Brandon Tynan.

Republic—"Dear Me"
 Following the late "Daddy Dummies" at the Republic Theatre is a long heralded and much travelled comedy that has been en route to New York for almost a year. It is called "Dear Me" and is the work of Luther Reed and Hale Hamilton who plays the leading role. Grace La Rue is also a starred player and the play is said to have made a great hit in Chicago. The story shows Miss La Rue as the "general" maid-of-all work in a home for failures. Hale Hamilton is the son of the house, and the story is their story—their improvement of the inmates of the house etc. In the cast are Robert Fischer, Camille Crume, J. K. Hutchinson and George Price.

Winter Garden—"Passing Show of 1921"
 One of the brightest spots in a very bright and sumptuously planned show, is the performance given by Willie Howard in "The Passing Show of 1921." He does a series of impersonations that are well worth a trip to that palace of pleasure even if there wasn't also the lure of Marie Dressler's humor, and the entertaining qualities of Eugene Howard, Harry Watson and a perfect array of beautiful girls clad in marvellous gowns.

Palace—"Vaudeville"
 Adolalde and Hughes, those most excellent and agile dancers, are the headliners at the Palace this week. Lina Asbarancil, prima donna; Eleanor Durkin and James Burke, Homer Mason and Marguerite Keeler add their share to a very attractive bill. Robert Emmet Keane, Beth Berl, dancer; Gallagher and Rolley and Adelaide Herman with her company are others on the program.

Strand—George Arliss in "The Devil"
 George Arliss may be seen at the Strand Theatre in a screen adaptation of Franz Molnar's sensational play of two continents, "The Devil," which that noted actor made famous on the speaking stage during the theatrical season of 1908-9. A new Mermaid comedy and the Strand Topical Review complete the film part of the program. As an introduction to the extraordinary feature an elaborate scene prologue in which the Sergeaschinske Ballet mirrors the arrival of the sardonic Evil One. Apropos to the trend of the week's celebrated attraction the overture, played by the Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Carl Eduarde and Francis W. Sutherland, will be "Mephistofeles" (Bolt). Amanda Brown, soprano, will be one of the vocal soloists. For the organ solo, Ralph H. Brigham and Herbert Blason will play, "Pilgrim Chorus" from "Tannhauser" (Wagner).

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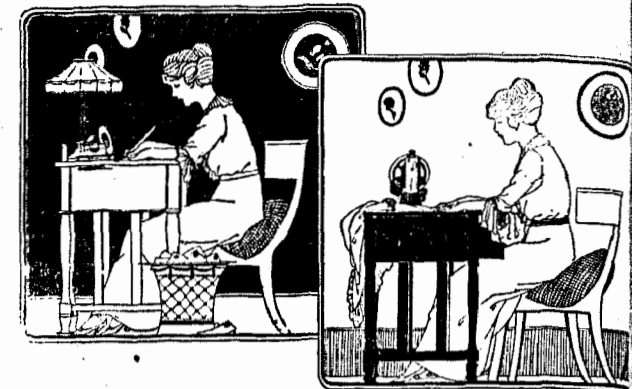
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ADMIT STEALING AUTO**

Three Men Accused of Holding Up Postmaster DeCamp and A. D. Tuttle.
Highwaymen who recently robbed Postmaster DeCamp and Arthur Tuttle, were identified and pleaded non vult Monday charges of larceny. One of the men pleaded non vult to carry a concealed weapon. He is Joseph J. Bruda, of 70 North Fourth street. The others are James Baldwin, who gave his address as 130 Belleville avenue, which proved to be false, and Joseph DeCamp, of 23 North Fourth street, all of Newark.
They denied any connection with the hold-ups charged when they admitted the theft of the car on the day of their arrest. The car they stole was the property of Richard Whelan of Whippany, member of the Whippany paper company. The owner left the machine, valued at \$1,000, at the Third avenue and Erie street, shortly after midnight. They went to see some friends

in a few minutes Mr. Whelan found the machine gone and notified the police. An investigation of the motor thieves were in Milburn.
The holdup men were also identified as Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arnold of Elizabeth and William A. Ehming of Westfield. The five were stopped at their automobiles and robbed of money totaling \$302. They brought robbery charges against the men.

**WOMAN VOTERS HOLD
SECOND MEETING**

Officers Elected and Regular Meetings to be Held Each Month
Mrs. F. W. VanNess, a member of the State Legislature from Essex county, addressed the second meeting of the League of Women Voters, Thursday afternoon in the Town Hall. She was introduced by Mrs. Sturgis, who presided.
Her address Mrs. VanNess pointed out the point that in order to have an intelligent vote, the woman must understand politics and our government, and that they should be in the town, county and state as well as the Federal government, and be working of the political parties.
At the close of her talk, Mrs. VanNess answered many questions asked by the audience.
Constitution and by-laws were read and the meetings of the league will be held on the third Monday of each month, at the Town Hall.
The league endorsed the nomination of Mrs. Allen L. Price for a member of the Board of Education.
The following officers were elected: president, Mrs. Ralph W. Arms; first vice president, Mrs. F. Sturgis; second vice president, Mrs. T. Revere; third vice president, Mrs. Mira E. Klock; fourth vice president, Mrs. James O. Clinton; recording secretary, Mrs. T. R. Revere; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Geo. Faulkner; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Faulkner; auditors, Mrs. J. Harper and Mrs. E. D. Floyd.
The chairmen of the committees to be appointed later.

W. M. SOCIETY TO MEET

The January meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church promises to be very interesting and important as every member to be present tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The annual dinner and big mite box raising occurs next month and preparations will be made. The program will consist of a mite box exercise, "A Mite Box Reminder," conducted by Mrs. E. F. Blackwood, the mite box secretary, and all who have forgotten the mite box will have a forceful reminder to look them up and have them ready for next month. Mrs. J. Jarvis will read a paper, "Among the Mexicans in California." Mrs. E. D. Teets will report on the 4th Chapter of the text book, "The Church and the Community," in "Serving the Neighbor." There will follow a discussion on "peyote" that drug intoxicant which the Mexicans are introducing into our states on the border, which is a real menace.

W. M. SOCIETY TO MEET

A special meeting of the Martin Luther King Post will be held Thursday evening, January 20, at the Prospect street. Plans for the musical concert featuring Maude Klotz and Blispham at the High School on January 7th will be perfected, the Entertainment Committee having made the necessary arrangements.
A service man is urged to attend. The House Committee has been working hard during the past week fixing up the Legion rooms, getting everything ship-shape and ready. You won't know the old Legion, with its piano, pool table, bar, curtains, tables, a real home-like goodness meeting place.
Come down and look it over and cheer the swim for Legion co-operation this year!

GUNTHER-BRUNNER

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Gunther, of Phillipsburg, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Frieda Eleanor Gunther, to Emil E. R. Brunner, of Broad street. The marriage took place on Wednesday, August 25, 1920, the couple being married by Rev. Dr. M. L. Andarise, of the Presbyterian Church, of Dunellen. The bride is a graduate of High Bridge High School and of Muhlenberg Training School for Nurses, Class of 1919. The bridegroom is engaged in the jewelry business with his father in Broad street.

O'NEILL-SHROPE

Miss Josephine O'Neill, of Elmer street, and Roy F. Shrope, of Orchard street, were married Saturday afternoon at Washington, N. J. They are residing with Mr. Shrope's parents at 250 Orchard street.

OBITUARY

MRS. CARRIE S. PERRY

The funeral services of Mrs. Carrie S. Perry were held from her late residence on Mountain avenue, Saturday afternoon, at 2:30. Rev. James A. Smith, officiated. The pall bearers were John Z. Hatfield, Charles W. Sortor, Walter J. Lee, Isaac Seeley, William Paulin and Patrick Travnor. There were many beautiful floral remembrances from her late friends. Interment was made at Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. Perry, widow of the late Joseph Perry, died at her home, Wednesday afternoon, after an illness of four months. She was in her sixty-fifth year, and was born in New York. She was an active member in the organizations of St. Paul's Church, of which she had been a member for several years. Mrs. Perry is survived by a daughter, Miss Lillian M. Perry and one son, George E. Perry, both of town.

FUNERAL OF MRS. R. H. CLARK

The funeral services of Mrs. Rebecca H. Clark were held from her late home on E. Broad street, Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Chas. Cravens, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, and was attended by many friends. Interment was in the family plot in a fairview.

Mrs. Clark was born in Augusta, Ga., and was in her eighty-third year. She had been a resident of Westfield for sixty-one years. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and until a few years ago was an active worker in the Ladies' Aid Society of that church.
On January 4th, Mrs. Clark left for Florida and was taken ill with pneumonia on the train. Her son, Addison H. Clark, of this town, was sent for but on Friday she passed away. She is survived by one daughter, Dr. Virginia C. King, of Augusta, Ga., a son, Addison H. Clark, of this town, and one granddaughter, Miss Virginia Clark, also of Westfield.

ELLA MARGARET RICH

Ella Margaret Rich, mother of George F. Rich, of Clark street, died at her late home, Freeport, L. I., Thursday afternoon, after an illness of a few months. Mrs. Rich was in her seventieth year. She is survived by her husband, Capt. James P. Rich, one daughter, Miss Bertha D. Rich, and one son, George F. Rich.

**TWO CARS COLLIDE AT
LENOX AND EUCLID AVES.**

As F. C. Vought, of Weehawken, accompanied by his brother, in a Ford car, was approaching Lenox avenue, they collided with a Cole car, owned by P. J. Windfeldt, who was approaching town from his residence on Lenox avenue. The Ford car was damaged to the extent of a bent axle, broken windshield and a bent fender. The compact turned the Ford over on its side which occasioned the loosening of the whole top which fell over on the front seat. The Cole car was only slightly damaged, one fender being bent due to the side swipe. None of the passengers were injured. The Messrs. Vought had just been inspecting two houses which their father is completing on Euclid avenue, near North avenue.

**CARS COME TOGETHER;
NO ONE INJURED**

The police were called to the corner of North and Central avenues Sunday afternoon, when two cars owned and driven by John N. Eves, of Upper Montclair, and John E. Wade, of Hackettstown. The mud guards on both cars were damaged but on one was hurt.

KEEP GOING!

Everybody expects 1921 to be a prosperous year, but that is no reason why anyone should slacken his efforts. That is the one thing that should be avoided.

The situation calls for energetic and persevering production on the part of all people, regardless of how great or how humble their station in life may be.

We can not expect great prosperity to come to us if we leave the burden of production to a few, nor can we expect confidence to be maintained if idleness and sabbitiveness prevail where thrift and energy are possible.

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**NURSE ASSOCIATION
REALIZES \$400**

As the proceeds of the bridge party recently held at the Golf Club, the District Nurse Association cleared \$400. The committee is very grateful to their many friends who helped to make the affair such a success.

G. A. R. TO MEET IN PATERSON

The State encampment of the G. A. R., and the annual meetings of allied organizations will be held in Paterson in June, probably between June 15 and June 25.

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"AMERICA—First, Last and All the Time—AMERICA."

Many of our new residents have not affiliated with any of the local or Men's Clubs. Organizations associated with the churches and some of these new Westfielders do not realize they are missing one of the most enjoyable features of Westfield life. There is no church in Westfield that is without its men's club and every one of these clubs is a live body of live men who believe in enjoying life and making this world worth while for every other man.

Through the activities of these clubs many interesting evenings have been provided and the regular dinners have become established factors in the social life of the town. As a rule the formality and the heavy expense of the formal dinner, once so much the vogue in New York City, is avoided and good fellowship prevails.

Those attending the local church club meetings are not compelled to listen to too many long-winded speakers, but there always is just enough speaking by the right sort of talkers and the brightest men of the day have found it a privilege as well as a pleasure to address the men of Westfield. Join one of these clubs and it will be well worth your while.

Rarely is any town as fortunate as to have the pleasure of hearing so many of the stars of the musical world as have been brought to Westfield during the present season. Splendid taste has been displayed in making the season's program and the Club is to be congratulated upon its work which has been so successfully carried through for the present year.

As a year for music in this community, 1921 promises to stand out as the best in its history and the Club has every reason to feel encouraged in making plans to insure the permanency of its activities. Westfield is capable of appreciating the best talent in every line and its fame as a musical center is well established. Its place seems likely to be maintained through the efforts of the Musical Club.

More than two years have passed since the actual end of the war, but there has been no real improvement in the housing conditions which became so acute during that period. The housing activities of the Federal Government ceased with the end of the construction program for new industries under governmental aid and supervision and it was realized at that time all governmental housing plans were for the emergency.

The State Legislature must take some steps to relieve the situation which is intolerable in many communities and surely it is possible to devise and enact laws that will encourage investors and builders to inaugurate a program of construction that will be of general benefit. It is impossible to make a law that will compel anyone to live on the farms and while legislation that will encourage a return to the farm is possible it is not likely to have much recognition in a legislature dominated by centralized interests.

The towns and the cities supply the votes and the political organizations thrive in congested centers and politicians prefer an easily reached group of voters. The rural districts are always neglected and always will be made secondary to the cities and the time has come when there is demand for more homes in the cities and towns. New York State is experimenting with laws intended to improve living conditions and encourage home building.

New Jersey has the land for the homes and it has the best suburban transportation service in the world. Give us laws that will exempt home building for a limited period and enable carpenters and builders to resume operations on a reasonable basis. It can be done and the Legislature has it in its power to aid materially in the solution of the problem.

There are a great number of Republicans in the State of New Jersey who do not agree with those members of the Legislature who have announced their intention to "chastise" Governor Edwards. The present is not the time for chastisement but preferably for a period of harmony and co-operation in all branches of the state administration. There has been enough of quarrelling and it is about time for some constructive work at Trenton.

If election methods are to be investigated it may reasonably be asked if there is any good reason for confining the probe to Hudson County. Let the light be shed upon the election laws, the men who prepared them and the methods of conducting elections in every part of the State. Such an investigation might bring out some facts the Republicans would prefer not have revealed, but if the taxpayers are to be saddled with the cost of such a proceeding make it worth while and clear up a situation that is far from ideal.

When a political party with full control of the legislative branch of the administration starts out to "chastise" usually it does so with destruction in mind. Is it possible that the majority party is afraid of Governor Edwards and believes he is becoming a menace to its legislative program and its future success at the polls?

The fact that the Republicans have ignored the Governor's annual message means nothing more than a display of hypocrisy and an assumption of a "holier than thou" attitude which will react in a manner that will not be beneficial to the continuance of Republican domination. The majority of the people of New Jersey believe the "blue laws" ought to be repealed and if the present Legislature will not do something along that line the voters will eventually elect men who will act honestly and fearlessly.

It is a very simple matter for self-satisfied police officials to say the local police Hold-Ups of the towns in New Jersey can handle the present wave of crime, but the fact remains the police are not making new world records for efficiency in that respect and the public has begun to realize it. The necessity for the establishment of a State Constabulary never has been more emphatic and Chief Kiely and his associates ought to be frank enough to fall in line and admit the facts.

When THE LEADER originally suggested the creation of a State Constabulary several years ago it did not anticipate such condition as that which now exists in many parts of New Jersey where it is unsafe for motorists to travel, but it had in mind the better protection of travelers as well as the general preservation of law and order. The presence of a well trained State Constabulary would make it unnecessary to withdraw police protection from residential and business centers in order to guard the travelers on the highways traversing the State.

The protection of highways would be a part of the day's work for the State Constabulary and it would involve no additional expense and it would reassure tourists who are now timid about leaving their homes for a motor trip. The prediction is ventured that a State Constabulary will end the "reign of terror" within 30 days after it is placed on an active footing. At present there is little encouragement for hoping it will end until it runs its course or is stopped by some more efficient means than any that has been adopted.

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You will be interested in reading a message entitled "The Business Side of Happy New Year," published by associated trust companies of the United States and appearing in the January, 1921, issues of the following magazines: Scribner's, Harper's, Atlantic Monthly, Century, Review of Reviews, World's Work, Cosmopolitan, System, and Outlook.

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LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

The Board of Park Commissioner will meet in the Town Hall tonight.

Miss Elizabeth Pierson, of Elm street, spent Sunday at Hackensacktown. George Howarth began his duties as letter carrier at the post office on Monday.

Miss Dorothy Brush, of Summit avenue, visited friends at Jamaica, L. I., on Sunday.

According to revised and complete official census figures, Union county is fifth in New Jersey in size.

Mrs. John Tobin, of the Elmwood apartments, will sail for Cuba February 1st, for an extended trip.

John H. Kirkstein, formerly owner of a Prospect street cigar store, now of Cleveland, is visiting John Tobin, of Elm street.

Miss Myrtle Warden, of Broad street, will entertain the Standard Bearers of the First M. E. Church at her home Friday afternoon.

A cabinet meeting of the World Crusaders of the First Baptist Church will be held Friday, Jan. 21st, in the parsonage at 3:15.

Miss Virginia Hastings arrived on Thursday morning at 224 Mountain avenue.

Mrs. Lynn Brennosholtz entertained the Friday Bridge Club at her home on the Boulevard.

Mrs. Walter Andrews and Mrs. George Weston sailed on Saturday for South America.

Miss Frances Keller entertained a number of friends at her home on Dudley avenue on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. William Doying returned to her home on Chestnut street, Friday, after a two months visit at Melrose, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bawke, of Washington street, were the weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Howland, of New York City.

The annual ball of the Westfield Fire Department will be held on the evening of Lincoln's Birthday, in the Westfield Theatre Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker B. Andrews, of Lawrence avenue, are planning to leave for South America within a short time.

Miss Edith Jones, graduate nurse of the New York Hospital, is home on a month's leave, visiting her parents on Prospect street.

The McKinley School Parent Teachers Association will conduct a cake sale in the store of Cole & Melfett, on Broad street, on Friday, Jan. 28th.

The High School P-T-A will meet this afternoon in the school auditorium. This association is planning to give "Dickens' Tale of Two Cities" on February 10th.

The Monday Night Theatre Club attended Madge Kennedy's performance at the Astor, which all pronounced a delightful evening's entertainment.

"Alice in Wonderland" will be given by the Lincoln Parent-Teachers Association on February 2nd, afternoon and evening. Proceeds will be for the library fund of the school.

While visiting friends in Bound Brook Sunday, Mrs. W. M. Stamets, of Cumberland street, was taken suddenly ill. Her condition is still serious but it is thought she will recover.

Twenty members of Hose Company, No. 1, of the Fire Department, and their wives, had a theatre party in Newark Friday night, after which they had dinner at the Elizabeth Elk's Club.

The Cathedral Choral Club, of Newark will give a concert on Thursday evening, January 27, in the Presbyterian Church, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Triangle Bible Class.

The Dorcas Society of the Presbyterian Church will hold their January social at the home of Mrs. M. E. Glover, 256 Orchard street, this evening. All members and friends are invited.

Goddard & Son, 14 Elm street, the local Service Station for USL Batteries, has just received word from the factory that Mr. Russell M. Kincaid has been appointed Works Manager of the U. S. Light & Heat Corporation, at Niagara Falls.

Miss Dorothy Francis, sister of Harold Francis and Mrs. Loula Gansel, who spent more than two years with the A. E. F. during the World War, has returned overseas to be with the American forces in Germany, where she is to do "Y" work.

John Drinkwater will give a lecture on "An English Dramatist's View of Lincoln," at the Batlin High School auditorium, Elizabeth, Monday evening, January 31, at 8:15. Under the auspices of the Woman's Club of Elizabeth.

A Seventeenth Century Musical Tea (in costume), under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church, will be held at the residence of Mrs. C. N. Coddling, 545 Boulevard, Wednesday afternoon, January 30, from 3 to 5 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken.

A benefit card party will be given by the Woman's Club Friday afternoon, January 21st, in Flagg's Hall. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Frank E. Irsh, 150 S. Euclid avenue. Ladies may make up their own tables and for each table there will be a prize. There will also be prizes for the highest scores.

Walter Ainsworth, formerly of Lenox avenue, now of Ottawa, Canada, was a visitor in town last week.

A letter from Wallace Doying at Melrose, Fla., reports wonderful catches of fish at that place.

A regular meeting of Atlas Chapter, O. E. S., was held Friday evening at Atlas Lodge rooms.

Court Trinity, Daughters of Isabelle, will hold a euchre and dance on the evening of February 7th.

The Men's Club service in the St. Paul's Episcopal Church will be held January 30.

P. J. Blackburn and family, of North avenue, have moved to Brooklyn.

Rev. Wesley Martin, of Prospect street, received word yesterday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Catherine Sinclair, at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Armstrong, of Lenox avenue, entertained Mr. Sam Sainsbury, of Toronto, Canada, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Philhower will entertain the Advance Club at their home on Carlton Road Friday evening.

A dance will be held by the Menno Tribe of Red Men on Saturday evening, January 29th, in the Westfield Theatre.

Union Council, No. 5 Loyal Association, will meet tomorrow night. The new officers will be installed for 1921.

A Mystery Circle was held at the home of Miss Winifred Wright, on Lenox avenue, Monday evening; during the evening refreshments were served.

The Lincoln P-T-A will meet Wednesday afternoon, January 20th. Miss Clara Williams, supervising principal of the primary grades, will address the meeting.

WOMEN AT MEN'S CLUB DINNER

Methodist Brotherhood Will Have Them as Guests at Annual Affair

Women are to attend the entertainment following the dinner of the Methodist Brotherhood on February 1st. This is the first time since the present church was built, that arrangements have been made for the attendance of women at this annual function.

The facilities of the church will not permit the seating and serving of more than 200 persons. For that reason women heretofore have had to be excluded from the Brotherhood dinner which is the "all-star" attraction of the year's program. However, so many requests came to the Cabinet to permit women to listen to the address of John Kendrick Bangs and the singing of Miss "Bobby" Reeler that the officers of the Brotherhood have arranged to place a row of chairs next to the wall in the Lecture Room. The ladies will come in at 8:15, after the dinner has been served.

About seventy or eighty ladies' tickets will be sold. The ladies assisting at the dinner will also be seated, but will not, of course, need tickets. Tickets can be secured from President Howard Elliott or at Casey's Drug Store.

Mr. Bangs will speak on "The Incurable Optimist." Miss Bosler, in addition to offering solos, will lead the assemblage in old-fashioned community singing.

At a meeting of the Cabinet of the Brotherhood on Wednesday, D. Horace Stultz was elected first vice-president to succeed Harry S. Parker.

HOME B. & L. ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Home Building and Loan Association was held last evening in the association rooms in Prospect street, at which time Nelson S. Archbold, Saltor S. Clark, David Coulter and Edward S. Howe were re-elected directors. Leigh M. Pearsall was re-elected president; Charles McDougall and Earl A. Merrill vice-presidents; Charles P. Worth was reappointed secretary, and J. Ashley Brown, treasurer.

An amendment to the by-laws was passed, making the board of directors 15 instead of 12 members; the three new members will be appointed at an early date. The recent drive netted 1700 shares, making the total number of shares in force 10,000. Three auditors were elected as follows: Chas. R. Dunn, S. C. Pope and R. J. Meigs.

BANK RE-ELECTS OFFICERS

The following officers of the National Bank of Westfield were re-elected for the coming year: President, Dr. Theodore R. Harvey; vice-presidents, Patrick Traynor and Stanley A. Emery; cashier, Harold Gordon; assistant cashier, Miss Mary D. Young.

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THE NEWCOMES

By WILLIAM M. THACKERAY

Condensation by Charles K. Bolton, Librarian of the Boston Athenaeum



William Makepeace Thackeray, son of a civil servant in India, was born July 18, 1811, in Calcutta. He died Dec. 24, 1863, in London, where most of his life was spent.

From 1840 on his wife was insane, so there lived in his heart, as in that of the other great humorist of his time, Dickens, constant sorrow.

Thackeray began in school days rather to absorb life than to create it. He delighted even then to reproduce it in comic verse and caricature. At Cambridge, in Weimar, in Paris art schools and London law school, he went gaily on his way, indolent in study, but eager in friendship, ardent in life.

At twenty-one he owned and managed a London newspaper, at twenty-five he was penniless, after scattering a comfortable fortune. But he had bought experience invaluable to the young journalist, priceless to the novelist.

Thackeray's astonishing versatility was early realized. He aspired to illustrate Dickens' novels; he wrote travel sketches, stories, ballads and burlesques. "Barry Lyndon," his first notable novel, was the history of a rascal; but, in the most fascinating of feminine rascals, Becky Sharp, Thackeray first brilliantly showed himself master of the creation of living characters ("Vanity Fair," 1847-48), "Pendennis" (1849-50) was like Dickens' "David Copperfield," in essence autobiographical. The need of money drove Thackeray reluctantly to the lecture field.

His course on Eighteenth Century English literature, popular in England and America (1851), prepared the ground for "Emmond" (1852), his unsurpassed historical novel. "The Newcomes" (1854), "The Virginians" (1859), and the unfinished "Denis Duval" complete the list of his best novels.

COL THOMAS NEWCOMBE, the hero of Argom, and of Bharat-pour, had loved the beautiful Leonora de Blois, but having incurred the wrath of his stepmother, he fled to India to carve out his career. There he had married the widow, Mrs. Casey, and a few years later sent their son Clive to England. He regaled the ladies of the regiment with Clive's letters; sporting young men would give or take odds that the colonel would mention Clive's name once before five minutes, or three times in ten minutes. But those who laughed at Clive's father laughed very kindly.

At last the happy time came for which the colonel had been longing, and he took leave of his regiment. In England he had in his family circle two half brothers, Sir Brian, who had married Lady Ann, daughter of the Earl of Kew, and Hobson Newcome.

One morning at breakfast while Sir Brian champed his dry toast, Barnes, the son, said to his sister Ethel: "My uncle, the colonel of sepoy, and his amiable son have been paying a visit to Newcome."

"You are always sneering about our uncle," broke in Ethel, "and saying unkind things about Clive. Our uncle is a dear, good, kind man, and I love him."

At Hobson Newcome's and elsewhere the family party often assembled, the colonel, his friend Mr. Binns and Binns' sister, Mrs. Mackenzie with her daughter Rosey, Sir Brian and Lady Ann, and Clive who had become a painter. From one of these parties Clive and I, his friend Arthur Pendennis, walked with the usual Havans to light us home. "I can't help thinking," said the astute Clive, "that they fancied I was in love with Ethel. Now I suppose, they think I am engaged to Rosey. She is as good a little creature as can be, and never out of temper, though I fancy Mrs. Mackenzie tries her."

Clive's departure led to more flirtations by Ethel than old Lady Kew could countenance, but Ethel had found out how undesirable a man Lord Kew was and broke the engagement so dear to her grandmother's heart.

When Clive heard that the engagement was over between Kew and Ethel he set out in haste for London. I was notified as confidant, and to me Clive said: "Mrs. Mackenzie bothers me so I hardly know where to turn, and poor little Rosey is made to write me a note about something twice a day. Oh Pen! I'm up another tree now!"

Clive met his cousin Ethel at a party or two in the ensuing weeks of the season, and at one of their meetings Ethel told him that her grandmother would not receive him. It was then that Clive thought Ethel worldly, although much of her attitude was due to the keen and unrelenting Lady Kew. The colonel and James Bennie during all this time put their two fond heads together, and Mrs. Mackenzie flattered both of them and Clive as well.

Meanwhile the Lady Clara was not happy with her Barnes. All the life and spirit had been crushed out of the girl, consigned to cruel usage, loneliness and to bitter recollections of the past. Jack Belsize, now Lord Highgate, could stand the strain no longer and took Lady Clara away from her bullying but cowardly husband. The elopement of Clara opened Ethel's eyes to the misery of loveless marriages, and the mamma of her new love, the Marquis of Farintosh, already distressed over the unpleasant notoriety of the proposed Newcomes alliance, received a letter from Ethel which set her son free.

Ethel then turned to the lonely, motherless children of her brother Barnes, and found comfort in devoting herself to them. Clive married his Rosey, and his father determined to become a member of parliament in place of Sir Barnes. One night the colonel returning from his electioneering, met Clive, candle in hand. As each saw the other's face, it was so very sad and worn and pale, that Colonel Newcome with quite the tenderness of old days, cried "God bless me, my boy, how ill you look! Come and warm yourself, Clive!"

"I have seen a ghost, father," Clive said, "the ghost of my youth, father, the ghost of my happiness, and the best days of my life. I saw Ethel today!"

"Nay, my boy, you mustn't talk to me so. You have the dearest little wife at home, a dear little wife and child."

"You had a wife; but that doesn't prevent other—other thoughts. Do you know you never spoke twice in your life about my mother? You didn't care for her."

"I—I did my duty by her," interposed the colonel.

"I know, but your heart was with the other. So is mine. It's fatal, it runs in the family, father."

The shares of the Bundelcund Banking company, in which the colonel had made his fortune, now declined steadily, and at last the crash came, wiping out all the colonel's money and with it all Rosey's fortune. The impoverished Newcomes settled down first at Boulogne, and then in London, the colonel weary, feeble, white haired, Mrs. Mackenzie a perfect termentag, Rosey pale and ailing, and little Tommy, the baby, a comfort and a care to the hard-worked Clive.

The colonel, no longer able to live under the same roof with Mrs. Mackenzie, found a home with the Grey Friars and here I saw him.

When the colonel's misfortunes were at their worst Ethel, in reading an old book, found a letter from the colonel's stepfather between the covers. It was a memorandum of a proposed bequest to Clive. Ethel at once determined to carry out this intended bequest, and so she and I hastened to Clive's home; but not even good news could soften Mrs. Mackenzie's evil temper. That was a sad and wretched night, in which Mrs. Mackenzie stormed until the poor delicate Rosey fell into the fever to which she owed her death. We soon repaired to the Grey Friars where we found that the colonel was in his last illness. He talked loudly, he gave the word of command, spoke Hindustanee as if to his men. Then he spoke words in French rapidly, seizing a hand that was near him, and crying, "toujours, toujours!" Ethel and Clive and the nurse were in the room with him. The old man talked on rapidly for awhile; then again he would sigh and be still; once more I heard him say, hurriedly, "Take care of him when I'm in India," and then with a heart-rending voice he called for the love of his youth "Leonora, Leonora!" The patient's voice sank into faint murmurs; only a moon now and then announced that he was not asleep.

At the usual evening hour the chapel bell began to toll, and Thomas Newcome's hands outside the bed feebly bent a time. And just as the last bell struck a peculiar sweet smile shone over his face, and he lifted up his head a little, and quickly said, "Adsum," and fell back. It was the word we used at school, when names were called; and lo, he whose name was that of a little child, had answered to his name, and stood in the presence of the Master.

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Glee Club Concert Feb. 8th

The Brown Glee Club Concert, which will come off February 8th, will certainly be a great treat.

D. D. Smith, '22, president-manager; M. Standish, '21, secretary-manager; J. H. McCraw, '22, assistant manager; S. L. Rowley, '22, assistant manager.

The Glee Club consists of six sopranos, six second sopranos, six tenors, six second tenors, six basses, six second basses. The accompaniment is Mr. H. L. Sales, '23.

The Glee Club consists of five first sopranos, two second sopranos, two tenors, two second tenors, two basses, one mandolin, two banjos, one saxophone. The accompaniment is C. E. Davis, '22.

The senior class of Westfield High School have arranged for this concert and will appreciate the support of the public as well as the student body. The program is as follows:

- Prayer of Thanksgiving Kremsier
Glee Club
Spanish Dance Moskouksi
Mandolin Club
Varsity Quartet
H. L. Tinker '21; P. W. Chalmers '22; M. Standish '21; H. D. Lamson '24.
Violin Solo, Bolero Bohm
E. W. McCormick '22
(a) Summer Lullaby Gibson
(b) Musical Trust Hadley
Glee Club
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Tenor Solo Selected
E. W. Woodruff, '21
The Speaker of the House... Stolen
Myles Standish, '21
Negro Spirituals:
(a) Deep River Burleigh
(b) Promis' Land Burleigh
Glee Club
(a) La Savillana Lopez
(b) March of Bersaglieri Ellenberg
Mandolin Club
Varsity Quartet
Review
Medley of Brown Songs
Combined Clubs
Alma Mater J. A. Wolf '61

COMMEMORATING BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Monday morning special assembly was called that we might appropriately celebrate Benjamin Franklin's birthday by a special appeal for thrift. Malcolm Chattin, made the appeal to the pupils of the High School. Adele Windfeldt gave a resume of the life of Benjamin Franklin.

Mr. Tennant, the principal, then defined the term "thrift," and told how we might arrange for an economical management of time, energy, and resources. Carnegie says "every man should save 20 per cent of his income." Mr. Tennant suggested that one of the best ways to establish habits of thrift in resources would be to invest in thrift stamps and war savings stamps.

As we think of Benjamin Franklin, the most thrifty American in our history let us manage our time, our energy as well as our resources.

FRIDAY ASSEMBLY

Last Friday morning the Westfield High School was honored by an address by Mr. Coulter, the president of the Board of Education. His topic, "Business," he divided into three parts. The first part concerned the wheat business. He used this, no doubt, as an example that his point might be made clear. After describing the different methods of preparing wheat from the time of the Egyptian dynasties down to the present, he explained the situation in regard to the war. During the war the government wanted to have some man at the head of the wheat department who could efficiently manage the buying, selling and transportation of grains. A call in the larger cities was made and Julius Barnes was chosen. Mr. Coulter's second point was the explanation why Mr. Barnes was chosen. He said that Mr. Barnes was fair and square in his business affairs and was earnest and sincere in his work.

This attitude Mr. Coulter summed up as a "Food Business." "The difference between good and bad business," he said, "is the difference between right and wrong."

Lastly, he appealed to the pupils of the High School. "The best business you can do at graduation time," he said, "is to receive a diploma."

He suggested that they incorporate these same business principles in their school life and then it would naturally follow that the same principles would be followed in the greater world of business after high school days.

WESTFIELD GIRLS' DEFEAT

ROSELLE PARK, 27-19

Tuesday afternoon Westfield girls met Roselle Park in basketball. This game was made uninteresting because of the number of minor fouls, which were called. The best players for Roselle Park were the forwards although the value of the rest of them could not be ascertained because of the slowness of the game. Alice Wright, of Westfield, shot 10 baskets and 3 fouls and Helen Michaels shot 2.

The line-up:

Table with 2 columns: Player Name, Position. Includes names like Wright, Michaels, Revere, West, Savoye, Wheeler, Butler, Van Derlyn, Wittmeyer, Klumbams, Clayton, and Substitutes.

P-T MOVIE

"The Molly Coddle," featuring Douglas Fairbanks, was given in the High School Wednesday afternoon and evening. A large crowd attended both performances.

The Parent Teachers' Association of the High School has lately been trying the plan of bringing good, up-to-date movies to the High School, movies which everyone seems to enjoy. This is a great opportunity for giving to the people of Westfield good movies at a moderate price.

WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

Miss Jagger's efforts for a musical program each Wednesday are bearing fruit. Not only is the Westfield High School as a whole responding to Miss Jagger's appeal for co-operation but also individuals.

Last Wednesday for instance the pupils enjoyed two numbers on the piano by Lyman Douglas. The first number was a Prelude by Rachmaninoff. Those who attended the commencement exercises of the Class of 1920, will remember, perhaps with what feeling and interpretation and feeling he played the composition. His skill has in no way diminished, as was shown by the way he played it last Wednesday. He responded to the encore with Chopin's Seventh Prelude. Mr. Douglas is the first to perform as a soloist for the school this year.

ADDRESSES TEACHERS

On Thursday afternoon Mr. H. C. Crebbs, superintendent of Somerset county, addressed the teachers of the public schools of Westfield on "Will to the Wisp."

The teachers were especially interested in his optimistic view of possibilities in education for the United States. He proved that our system today, while not perfect in any respect, is not degenerate but progressing toward definite goal that of some centralized laws that will tend toward a greater unity of effort and uniform result.

WASHINGTON P-T-A MEETING

About seventy parents, teachers and friends were present at the Washington School Parent-Teachers Association meeting held Jan. 12. By a unanimous vote the association endorsed the candidacy of Mrs. Price as first woman member of the Board of Education.

Parents and friends of the school are requested to help in starting class room libraries by sending to Mr. Neubaer a list of the books they would be willing to donate, giving name, author and edition. From these lists he will select those most suitable and will send for them.

A very artistic calendar was presented to the association from the boys of Miss Buckler's class.

The association was very fortunate in having Miss Ruth Jackson entertain them with most fascinating descriptions of her experiences as a teacher in Arabia. She was dressed in the becoming and brilliant house costume of an Arabian woman. It was made by the girls of the school and presented to her as a souvenir of her stay with them. Her account of her various trips into the desert lands, the mirages seen there, life among the Arabs in their tents, their manner of eating was all so different from anything known to this part of the world and so seldom heard of from an eye witness that the audience was reluctant to have her bring her talk to a close.

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Table of Liabilities: Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, Time deposits, Demand deposits, etc.

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JOSEPH R. CONNOLLY, President; ROBERT W. HARDEN, Treasurer. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January A. D. 1921. (Signed) ANNE AFFLECK EGAN, ANNE AFFLECK EGAN, Notary Public.

Correct-Attest: ROBT. FAIRBAIRN, HIRSHAM L. FINK, EDWARD F. LOV, Directors.

Synopsis of Meeting of Board of Chosen Freeholders

JANUARY 6, 1921. Regular meeting of the Union County Board of Freeholders was held on Thursday, January 6th, 1921, at 2:30 p. m. Roll Call showed 21 members present; 2 absent.

All bills presented were read and on roll call ordered paid. The Committee on South Front St. Bridge reported having received bids for new bridge, and that all bids have been rejected on account of the high cost.

The Committee on Soldiers' Headstones recommended the payment of \$50.00 to J. J. Higgins for burial expenses of Wm. Jones, veteran of the U. S. Navy.

The Committee on Engineer's Office recommended the purchase of a Dodge used car for use in the Engineer's Office from the Sanders Motor Car Co. for \$1,000.

The report of the Road Committee which was laid over from the meeting of December 16th, 1920, was taken up, read and ordered placed on file. A resolution approving the road work for 1921 was adopted.

Road Committee were empowered to

have plans and specifications drawn for road work for the year 1921.

Resolution designating newspapers to print minutes and synopsis of minutes, as follows, was on roll call adopted:

Resolved: that the Elizabeth Daily Journal be and is hereby designated as the Official Newspaper for the County of Union for the year 1921, and be it further

Resolved: that the Committee on Publications arrange for the printing and publishing of the minutes of this board as follows:

The minutes of each meeting shall be printed in full in the Elizabeth Daily Journal within fifteen days after said meeting at a cost of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars per annum; and 100 copies of same shall be printed in pamphlet form for distribution to all who apply for them, at a cost of Two Hundred and fifty (\$250.00) Dollars per annum, and the clerk shall prepare a synopsis of the minutes of each meeting for publication in the following papers, published within one month of such meeting and copies of such publication shall be promptly mailed to the clerk of this board, for which each newspaper publishing such synopsis shall be paid the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars per annum:

Elizabeth Evening Times, Plainfield Courier News, Summit Record, Cranford Chronicle, Rahway Record, Plainfield Leader, The Index, Plainfield Record, Summit Herald, Cranford Citizen, Spectator of Roselle, Westfield Standard, Passaic Valley News.

The Road Committee was empowered to secure a Pierce Arrow Truck from the State Highway Department. Board adjourned to meet Thursday, January 20th, 1921, at 2:30 p. m. BENJ. KING, Clerk.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES

Sealed proposals will be received by the Council of the Town of Westfield at the Town Hall on Monday, January 24th, 1921, at eight o'clock p. m. for furnishing the following supplies for the Town:

About 70,000 Gallons of Refined Coal Oil to be delivered in tank cars as required during the year 1921. An alternate bid will be received on the same amount of material to be delivered in Auto tank cars and spread upon the road.

100 Bbls. Bermuda Ashphalt. Clean Crushed Trap Rock to be delivered during the year 1921, in the following sizes: 2 1/2 inch, 1 1/2 inch, 1 inch, 1/2 inch and screenings.

The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. January 10th, 1921. CHARLES CLARK, Town Clerk. (Fees \$4.38)

PROPOSALS FOR FIRE HOSE

Sealed proposals will be received by the Purchasing Board of the Town of Westfield at the Council Chamber in the Town Hall, No. 121 Prospect Street, Westfield, New Jersey, on Saturday, January 22nd, 1921, at eight p. m., for furnishing One Thousand (1,000) feet more or less, of Fire Hose, in compliance with specifications of which a copy may be had upon application to the undersigned.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. EDWARD MOSHER, Clerk of the Purchasing Board. 1-12-19 (Fees \$3.00)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the following budget for the year 1921 was approved at a regular meeting of the Council of the Town of Westfield, held January 10th, 1921, and that a public hearing will be held in the Town Hall, 121 Prospect Street, Westfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., January 24th, 1921, at which time and place objections to said budget on the part of any taxpayer of the Town of Westfield will be heard.

By order of the Council. CHARLES CLARK, Town Clerk.

RESOLVED: That the following budget for the fiscal year 1921 be and hereby approved.

Table of Budget: REVENUES: Surplus Revenue, Surplus Revenue Appropriated, MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES: Licenses, Rent of Town Property, Fines and Penalties, etc.

Amount to be raised by taxes, including State Railroad and Canal Tax

Table of Taxes: APPOHRIATIONS: Salaries of Town Officials, Rent of Town Hall, Furniture and Equipment, Elections, Town Expense, including lighting, heating, and maintenance of Town Hall, telephone, audit of account, postage, printing of Town Reports, advertising and general Town expenses.

Table of Expenses: Road Department, Sewer Maintenance, Police Department, Fire Department, Hydrant Rental, Board of Health, Relief of Poor, Lighting Streets, Collector's Office, Assessor's Office, Park Department, Playgrounds, Building Department, Interest on General Bonded Dept., Interest on Temporary Imp. Notes, Sinking Fund, Bond Redemption, Free Public Library, Shade Tree Commission, Visiting Nurse, Westfield Troop, Advertising, Music in Park, Municipal Market, Contingent Expense, Hospitals, Refund of Motor License Fees, estimator, Water Survey, Retirement of General Imp. Notes, Street Signs.

1-12-19 \$190,654.53 \$175,247.81 (Fees \$44.00)

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