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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Established in Hoboken About Thirty Years Ago With Only Three Male and Seven Female Members.

OVER 500 ADMISSIONS SINCE.

Seven Different Societies at Present Successfully Conducted by the Members.

A PLAIN, SUBSTANTIAL EDIFICE.

In presenting the sketch of the First Presbyterian Church we are obliged to ask the indulgence of our readers, at least as far as the earlier history of the institution is concerned. We will endeavor to give briefly the substance of what transpired prior to 1860, but cannot vouch for precise data, etc. This is due entirely to the destruction of the church records by fire while in the possession of Mr. Rose, one of its first elders, and whose residence was burned down about this date.

From the recollection of one of its oldest members we learn that the church society was organized about the year 1852, the whole congregation at that date numbering about ten souls.

The founders were Mr. Joseph Boynton, Mrs. Sarah Boynton, Mr. Andrew W. Rose, Mr. Andrew L. Cadmus, Mrs. Mary Jane F. Cadmus, Mrs. Alida L. Stryker, Mrs. Hannah P. Palmer, Mrs. Sarah Palmer, Mrs. Mary Crane and Mrs. Sylvia B. Beckwith.

The Reverend Isaac P. Stryker was installed June, 1854, as the first regular pastor, and continued to discharge the duties of the position with satisfaction until 1856, when he resigned, owing to failing health. Mr. Stryker and his estimable wife are prominent among the organizers of the church, and his work for the short time he was at the head of their affairs was besides of so satisfactory a character as to doubly endear him to his associates and render his resignation a great source of regret.

Immediately upon organizing, the small frame building on the corner of Third and Washington streets, then owned and occupied by the First Baptist Church, was purchased, and in this the services of the newly formed Presbyterian Church were celebrated for the first time in this city in their own building. In other words, the Presbyterians owned their own property from the date of their existence. This no other church society in Hoboken can boast of. In every other case the early worshippers of this vicinity were obliged to occupy an old school house, Odd Fellows' Hall, or some other public building for months, and in many instances years, before they could procure, through lack of means, an edifice for their special use.

In the year 1856 the Rev. Wm. Babbitt was called to succeed Mr. Stryker, and he proved one of the most judicious selections the church ever made. He continued with his people until 1867, and his labors resulted most satisfactorily. The membership increased and several new features were introduced under his administration, and particularly nourished and developed through his personal attention and earnestness. During his pastorate it became necessary to secure more commodious quarters, and after the usual preliminaries the plot of ground on the corner of Hudson and Sixth streets was purchased for \$6,300 from John H. Bonn. This was about the year 1865. The old building, particularly dear to many of the original members, was disposed of at a good price to the German Lutheran congregation.

The extended term of the Rev. Mr. Babbitt was a grand compliment to his own efficiency and zeal as well as to the harmony and general good feeling of his people. It is not generally known that the ministers of the Presbyterian Church are called by the people and appointed by the Presbytery only for such time as the pleasure of both pastor and congregation may decide; the slightest unpleasantness or dissatisfaction is considered sufficient grounds for removal of a pastor. It can, therefore, be readily understood how very harmonious must have been the affairs of the church during this gentleman's career, extending over two years.

Mr. Babbitt was succeeded by the Rev. E. P. Gardner, who remained from 1867 to 1871, and whose experience was also of a decidedly pleasant character. A

great number of members had been admitted, and several also had been dismissed to other churches; some had died and many had moved away, and yet the congregation, both as regards membership and quality, was second to none at this date in Hoboken.

The new church, which was erected at a cost of about \$23,000, was plain and substantial. The projectors and church leaders, sensibly deciding that the exterior of a sacred edifice, or the difference between brick and fancy stone work, was entitled to no particular consideration in the cause of religion or had no particular weight in the eye of the Almighty or in the eye of the salvation of sinners. They firmly believed, and again displayed excellent judgment, that the funds necessary to grand details on outer walls could be employed in a far more beneficial way, and the number of charitable, industrial and mission, associations, organized and successfully managed by the members, proves conclusively the justice and sound logic of the course pursued.

They are, considering the respectability, wealth and strength, almost exclusive in this matter, and many members of different denominations with terrible debts and mortgages hanging over their heads would gladly sacrifice a portion of the fancy features connected with their places of worship if it could be accomplished, and have reason to regret the outward and unnecessary outlay which brought about such results.

Mr. Gardner was followed by the Rev. James Marshall, who began work February 27th, 1872, but was not regularly installed until the following May. Mr. Marshall found a large and flourishing congregation to receive him, and he certainly did much, not only to increase this successful state of affairs, but also suggested many entirely original features which have in some cases resulted in extending the name of the enterprising and zealous Presbyterians of Hoboken into the very strongholds of heathenism.

The Young People's Association was organized during the first year of Mr. Marshall's service, and is still in good working order, with an efficient and sincere corps of workers in charge, who are determined to keep it so. It was started with only fourteen souls, but they were of the right kind; the present membership numbers, all told, fifty-two, including four honorary members. The original officers were Messrs. H. T. Desbrow, School Trustee Fred. Beltz and William L. Condit, who comprised an Executive Committee; and the present list of officials is as follows: President, Walter S. Finlay; Vice President, E. Ostberg; Treasurer, Palmer Campbell; Secretary, George V. Reichel; Librarian, Charles F. Hahr.

The funds of this association, which are secured through the individual efforts of the members by such means as contributions, concerts, etc., are devoted as far as necessary towards the support of the Grand Street Mission, a thoroughly organized and well managed institution, which we will more specially treat of later in this article.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society was the second institution added to the church, and was also established in 1872. Its object was to introduce the Gospel under its auspices among the heathen in far off lands. Money was promptly raised and a female native missionary put to work in Syria, and we are informed, with good effect. This lady, known as Helania, reports occasionally the results of her labors, and it may be accepted as evidence of her success that she still represents the society in that remote quarter.

To the credit of our Presbyterian friends, however, be it recorded that while devoting time, money and attention to the uncultured abroad, they did not forget the heathen and neglected ones nearer home, and accordingly in 1873 the Ladies' Aid Society was organized by the leading female members of the congregation. The object of this association was to establish some means whereby to reach and successfully assist local cases of destitution, suffering, and physical as well as spiritual wants. The society was in good running order in the course of a few months, and a lady immediately employed to make the rounds of the city and report all cases coming under her notice worthy of assistance.

We are satisfied from the character, zeal and efficiency of the lady who performs this labor, that nothing is neglected. Her whole heart is wrapped up in the cause, and though we will not, or rather can not, give any individual cases, we know that a great many have reason to bless the Ladies' Aid Society for relief and comfort in more ways than one. This department of the church is conducted with as much discretion as the exigencies of the different cases will permit. Some investigation is necessary so as to guard against imposition, but outside of this it may be truly said that the strictest secrecy is observed, and charity practiced in the fullest and most

charitable-like sense "by not letting the right hand know what the left hand is doing." The officers of the society are well pleased with their labors so far, and considering that it has been in existence over eight years, they ought to be in a good position to judge.

Perhaps the most beneficial institution connected with the church is the Grand Street mission, first suggested in 1873, by the Rev. Mr. Marshall, and started under his auspices through the sterling and determined efforts of Mr. T. C. Dunn, its first Secretary and present Superintendent. Mr. James Kidd is at present filling the former position. Among the teachers were Misses Sarah and Lizzie Noble, and Messrs. Campen, Wall and P. Campbell. The venture proved successful from its inception, the first attendance reaching as high as seventy children. The Kerrigan building was occupied for a number of years, but a change was made recently, due mainly to the increasing numbers, and more commodious premises on the corner of Clinton and Newark streets, owned by the Washington Insurance Company, of New York, were secured. The rent of the room is paid by the Young Peoples' Association of the church, and they certainly could not devote money to a more worthy object. While paying particular attention to the spiritual welfare of the children time was also employed to imbue them with a spirit of economy and thrift, and teach them how the physical may be cared for even while working for the spiritual. Mr. Adam Campbell accordingly organized the penny bank some few years ago, the result of the undertaking exceeding the expectations of the most sanguine friend of the Mission. Mr. Campbell's system was a good one and worked since its inauguration smoothly and harmoniously, though necessitating an increased amount of labor,

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The scholars deposit one penny, or more, on every Saturday evening, which is immediately credited to the juvenile depositor on a small pass-book, and also recorded on the ledger of the Mission Bank. When the sum reaches \$5.00 the amount is immediately transferred to the Hoboken Savings Bank, on Newark street, to the credit of the scholar, and with this ceases the responsibility of the Mission as far as that sum is concerned. The little economists, however, keep on saving their pennies and continue their deposits in sums ranging from one or two dollars, until five dollars more is accumulated, and so on.

The results of this noble work can scarcely be fully appreciated, since outsiders can have no idea of the magnitude of the labor and perseverance necessary to keep about sixty little financiers straight and in good humor. The depositors are all more or less impressed with their individual importance, the fact of carrying a bank book in itself being sufficient grounds. About two hours every Saturday evening is devoted to receiving deposits, and at present the Mission patrons have about \$250 to their credit, some of the children having as large a sum as \$25. After scholars begin dealing with the larger bank they receive a regular bank book.

Since the organization of this branch of the Mission about eight hundred of the pass-books in all have been distributed. During the hard and trying times last winter and the season before, many of the poor people in the vicinity were materially relieved, and no doubt saved from want, owing to their little ones having sums ranging from \$20 to \$45, saved up and awaiting this draught.

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the First Presbyterian Church of Yonkers, N. Y. Mr. Reid is remembered as a powerful and very impressive preacher, with a fund of original ideas, and his departure is still regretted by many of the more prominent members. He was succeeded by the Rev. Adison K. Strong, of Clyde, N. Y., who was installed January 22d, 1879, and is at present officiating.

The Sabbath School classes are in a thriving condition and at present can boast of an attendance of about 350 children. Mr. S. H. Williard has been Superintendent for years, and has accomplished much good in that position. He is assisted by Mr. W. W. Stephens, with Mr. Arthur Seitz as scribe and Mr. Adam Campbell in charge of the library. The duties of Mr. Seitz are so numerous and of such a trying nature as to necessitate two aids, and Messrs. H. P. Campbell and R. H. Fall have very efficiently filled the bill.

We are pleased, in parting with our Presbyterian friends, whose history we have endeavored to faithfully portray, to bear testimony to their very smooth, harmonious career as well as their great zeal, earnestness and devotion in the strict observance of the Golden Rule. We also take occasion to return our thanks to Mr. Frey, Messrs. Palmer and Herbert Campbell, and Mr. T. C. Dunn and Mr. Arthur Seitz, all of whom furnished valuable information, thereby materially aiding us in compiling the foregoing article.

The German Chancellor.

In a plain old country-house, nestling in a leafy nook of the Wendish Marches, was born, 66 years ago this day, Otto Leopold von Bismarck-Schonhausen, the youngest son of a provincial Prussian gentleman of ancient lineage but slender means, who had, a few years previously, given offense to

his blue-blooded relations by wedding a beautiful and gifted young lady, to whose family name the patrician predicate of "von" was altogether lacking. These two eminently respectable, but obscure, persons were the authors of the German Chancellor's being, and presented to their native country, on the 1st of April, 1815, the most remarkable "poison d'Avril" ever yet fraught with startling surprises to mankind. Little did the worthy Landrath and his spouse, while rejoicing in the vigorous man-child born to them that day—just a fortnight before the battle of Waterloo was fought—dream that in the hidden future that babe would be created Prince of an empire founded by his own surpassing talents and energies; that all the most illustrious orders of Christian and pagan chivalry, with the solitary exception of the Garter, would sparkle on his broad breast; that he would prove an overthrewer and builder up of imperial thrones, universally recognized as the first of European statesmen and the greatest German of the Nineteenth century. This particular anniversary of the illustrious Chancellor's natal day is the more noteworthy, since it puts an end to anxieties which are believed for some years past to have exercised an oppressive influence upon his naturally buoyant spirits. At some period of his early manhood a celebrated fortune-teller predicted to him that he would not survive his sixty-sixth year; and, strange to say, this prophecy took deep root in a mind by no means accessible to ordinary superstitions. To-day's upturn of old Time's sand-glass has given the lie, for good and all, to this gloomy vaticination by enabling the glad and grateful Fatherland to congratulate its mightiest son upon entering his sixty-seventh year in the possession of robust health and undiminished intellectual power, with a fair prospect of serving his beloved country for many a year to come.—London Telegraph.

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The cause of this "sudden fetcup" was a fat old lady with a red face and a green parasol, who had planted herself in front of the engine, and was making the most frantic signals for it to pause.

"What's the matter? Anything on the track?" said the engineer, excitedly.

"Nothing but me," said the old lady, stiffly.

"Has there been a smash up? Is there a drawbridge open?"

"Don't poke fun at me, young man. I want to see the proprietor."

"The what?"

"The man who runs this thing—the captain—or whatever you call him."

"What do you want with the conductor?"

"None of your business. I want to see the head man—the boss—and at once."

"Well, ma'am," said that functionary, running up, watch in hand, "what's up. What can I do for you?"

"You go through Chicago, don't you?"

"Why, of course. What of it?"

"Know my son Bill—Bill Skinderson—there?"

"No. For heaven's sake, get off the track, you old—"

"I don't sass me, you red-nosed gorilla, or I'll inform on you. Deary me, I thought everybody knew my boy Bill—prominent man there—runs the biggest fruit-stand in town, and—hands off, you rascal. Don't dare to teach me. I'll move when I'm good and ready."

"Well, blank your blanknation eyes, hurry up. What do you want?"

"Oh, thought you'd change your tune. Well, I wish you'd jes stop over a day or two at Chicago and look up Bill, and tell him that little Mariah Jane's janders have kinder worked round into fits, and there's more hope. She's sorter—"

"Start her up, Jimmy," yelled the furious conductor; and if the old lady hadn't hustled up her skirts and humped herself she would have had a first class case of damages against the company. After that she stood apoplectic with rage, shaking her parasol at the disappearing train, and announcing her determination to go right over "and see Governor Standard the very minute the dishes were washed.—San Francisco Post.

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Official paper of the city of Hoboken. Circulation second to no other weekly journal in Hudson County.

Whitelaw Reid married Miss Mills and seven-and-a-half millions this week.

One of the New York dailies heads its Washington dispatch, "The Play Over. Difficulty in finding new parts for some of the actors. End of Mahone's engagement."

The Buesser murder trial has opened in the Hudson County Court of Oyer and Terminer, and it appears from the proceedings thus far that Schroeder will show that the shooting was accidental.

The Grand Jury in New York has ordered a bill of indictment to be preferred against the Police Commissioners. This is the result of testimony as to the filthy condition of the streets. All the organ grinders have since been playing and singing the L. M. Dooology.

The flood of immigration is not confined to New York. Baltimore papers say that for the week ending April 16th the largest number ever recorded in seven days landed there, being nearly 4,700.

The facts in the case of John Bartels, of 19 Jefferson street, who is suffering from small pox, have, as usual, been misstated by the daily papers. He refused to be moved to the hospital when Dr. Elder ordered it as soon as his attention was called to the case; but was subsequently taken to the institution at Snake Hill.

The Democratic leaders in the Fourth Ward are evidently preparing for the future, and are conscientiously making a bitter fight over the primaries. Two attempts to elect delegates to the City and Ward Executives failed, and each attempt resulted in a display of very bad blood.

Jas. A. Hedden, late cashier of the defunct First National Bank of Newark, was arraigned in the U. S. Court at Trenton on Thursday, on two indictments charging him with embezzling the funds of the bank.

The roller-skate nuisance is in full sway, and the juveniles who have, so far, glided without injury are supremely happy. We favor anything that tends to amuse children, but can hardly understand why parents will encourage a pastime which is positively dangerous, unless in cases where the wearers are blessed with strong and well-developed ankles.

The ordinance concerning the polling places, advertised in another column, is not peculiar to Hoboken. A similar one is in force in New York and Jersey City. There will be one difficulty in enforcing the ordinance here, however, as the suitable places, not "within one hundred feet of any saloon or other place for the sale of such drinks," are few and far between.

The resignation of Miss Ketcham as a teacher in the High School was tendered and accepted at the last meeting of the School Board. President Campbell, who developed and still takes a special pride in the great success of this department, is anxious that the vacancy be filled by a thoroughly experienced and conscientious teacher.

THE OLD AND NEW GOVERNMENT

Last night the last session of the old Council was held, and in parting with some of the retiring members, we feel it incumbent upon us, while bidding an official "good bye," to express our endorsement of their past.

Mr. Crissy, who also goes out, was a clever and shrewd official and, though sometimes on the wrong side of the house, we feel disposed to believe, at this late hour, it was more the fault of "the head than the heart."

When Mr. Besson comes into power he will have a fair opportunity to redeem a past record, which we never admired.

Mr. Valleur, who replaces Mr. Crissy, is a Republican of the most pronounced type, and that alone entitles him to admiration.

Mr. Miller, from the Third Ward, is an experienced and intelligent citizen, and what we consider a conscientious radical Republican.

The Fourth Warders decided on Mr. John Lee as their representative, and that gentleman was elected on an independent ticket.

We still insist there is no good excuse for the present mixed complexion of the Council, but it cannot be helped and all we demand from either party is a fair show.

"RESERVED FOR LADIES."

One of the most prominent notices posted up in the ladies' cabins of the Hoboken ferry boats, is an illuminated card containing the announcement that the seats are intended exclusively for ladies, and that gentlemen will please refrain from occupying any space until the gentler sex are first accommodated.

Men have already put forth such argument as "that they were more fatigued, etc., than the women who were around shopping, amusing themselves, etc., all day long."

PHRENOLOGICAL SPECULATIONS

The science of phrenology (for science it is in embryo) is not as well understood by the general public as it should be.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Colonial Cash—No. 3.

Hoboken, April 29, 1881.

There is one series of Colonial Cash that is very popular among collectors of coins known as the "Roma Americani."

The penny known as the Bar cent, so called from its having on its obverse thirteen lines or bars representing the original thirteen States.

The Conteratio pennies were dated 1785. It is supposed they were issued by the same persons as the Nova Constellatio.

JUVENILE JOLLIFICATION.

The Annual Feast Prepared by the Hoboken Quartette Club For Their Little Friends.

The annual festival tendered by the members of the Hoboken Quartette Club to their children and their juvenile friends, came off with great eclat at Kapp's Harmonia Hall, last Sunday evening.

HEVEENOID.

A Substitute For Vulcanized Rubber, Manufactured in Hoboken.

The factory of the United States Heveonoid Manufacturing Company on Ferry street, near the corner of Washington, is under the charge of Mr. Henry Germer.

Wife Beaters in Hoboken.

Since the date of our last issue there have been two cases of alleged wife beating reported at police headquarters; both of which complaints come from Grand street.

The first, which is an undoubted case of brutal assault, occurred on Sunday morning about 2 o'clock. Mr. McGauley entered his room at 128 Grand street, at that hour, in a state of beastly intoxication.

Stevens Institute Notes.

The boys of the class of '81 returned from their inspection tour on the evening of the 23d inst., after a pleasure trip, and commenced the work of writing up their graduation Theses.

The tour, planned and conducted by Prof. Denton, was one of the best arranged, most comprehensive and instructive ever undertaken by the senior class.

GENERAL NEWS.

On Monday Christian G. Schroeder, of Hudson County, was placed on trial in the Hudson County Court of Oyer and Terminer, Judge Knapp presiding, for the murder of Jacob G. Buesser, of Union Hill, on September 23, 1880.

The unveiling of the Farragut statue in Washington, D. C., took place on Monday. Nearly all the inhabitants of the city seemed to be in the streets, and the procession of sailors and soldiers was nearly a mile long.

Thomas Harrigan, a negro convict in the State Prison at Concord, N. H., is serving a twenty years' sentence, for assaulting a little girl in Boston, three months ago.

The following are the names and positions of the members of the College Baseball nine: Coe, captain and catcher; McNaughton, pitcher; Wright, first base; Soverel, second base; Tracey, third base; Cooke, short stop; Henry, left field; Reah, centre field and Steward, right field.

Our European Ferries.

The German steamships continue to come in loaded with immigrants. The average number brought over each trip is something over 1,100 and this, the companies' officers state, will probably be kept up for some months.

The Cimbric, from Hamburg, ten days out, arrived on Saturday last at noon, and landed 1,250 passengers, besides bringing a general cargo.

The Weser left Bremen on the 13th ult.; experienced fine weather the entire passage, and arrived at her dock on Monday, the 25th, making the trip in 12 days.

The Gelort, of the Imperial German Mail, for Hamburg, sailed on Thursday with 87 cabin passengers, among whom were Consul Moritz Meyer, Major Louis von Buckholz and Dr. L. C. Rondeau.

The Queen, of the National Line, arrived from Liverpool, on Monday night, with fifty-two cabin and 800 steerage passengers, besides a general cargo.

The Denmark, of the same line, sailed for Liverpool on Wednesday with 389 head of cattle.

The Herler, from Famburg, fourteen days, arrived Thursday evening with 1,200 immigrants.

The Plantyn, of the White Cross Line, from Antwerp, is lying temporarily at the Red Cross dock.

The Navigation, of the Red Cross Line, was delayed in getting her cargo and will not sail until to-day.

The Cimbric sails for Hamburg to-day. The Titania, of Red Cross Line, is at the Erie elevator dock taking in a load of grain.

The Primaries.

The result of the Primaries in the First, Second and Third Wards, as given below, is very satisfactory. There was but one ticket in the two latter and two in the First Ward, where a "bolter" was introduced.

FIRST WARD.

City Executive Committee—Fred. C. Luehs, Henry Hirtler, Simon Donahue.

SECOND WARD.

City Executive Committee—John Stevens, Thomas Redmond, Thomas Foster.

THIRD WARD.

City Executive Committee—Abraham P. Sandford, Daniel Donegan, Michael Gilloon.

Settled for Life.

Hoboken has lost one of its most amiable and charming daughters in the person of Miss Nellie Grady, who has chosen Jersey City for her future home.

A Go-Ahead Merchant.

Mr. J. C. Farr, of Fifth street dock, after a successful business career in Albany extending over fifteen years, decided to settle in this city in 1877, believing that there was a prosperous future for Hoboken.

CITY ITEMS.

The finished part of the new pavement on Washington street looks well.

The new Council will hold their first regular meeting next Tuesday evening.

About two weeks more and the Stevens Battery will be a thing of the past.

Several of our doctors are looking for the position of City Physician, but only one can be appointed.

A short sermon to the young, at the First M. E. Church, to-morrow morning, by the Rev. Mr. Lowrie.

The Commissioners of Assessments for the Bulls Ferry Road Improvement have completed their map and report.

Henry Brown, a New York teamster, fell from his truck, on Hudson street, on Wednesday, and was seriously injured.

The bath at the foot of Fifth street is to be moved, but as yet it is not known where its summer quarters will be.

The Maypole Party of the First M. E. Sabbath School, expect a charming time next Monday afternoon in the Elysian Fields.

James Reaney, of 50 Willow street, abused his aged mother on Saturday last, and in consequence will spend a ninety-day vacation at Snake Hill.

The contest for the chairmanship of the Board of Education, is unusually lively. It will probably be between Stephen T. Munson and Frederick Beltz.

In accordance with an order from Col. Hart, the Ninth Regiment will parade in full dress, on May 6, at Odd Fellows' Hall, S. P. M., for annual inspection.

Charles Miller, Michael McDermott and the present incumbent, "Mary" McDermott, are the candidates, so far, for the position of Assistant City Clerk.

The fishermen complain that, although the shad season is half over, the "catch" has been very light, and they are losing money for the first time in years.

Edward Stack will again be a candidate for the position of Street Commissioner. His services the past year should certainly commend him for re-appointment.

The entertainment of the Amelias at Martha Institute, on Thursday evening, was a perfect success. There was a large attendance and everything passed off pleasantly.

The new silk factory in Third street is well under way. Messrs. Sanders and Carroll, who are just about completing their portion of the new City Hall, are the contractors.

The Active Social Club has changed from a social to a roving club. There are a number of good oarsmen in the association. The name hereafter will be the Active Boat Club.

The calico hop of the Friendly Circle, on Monday evening, was a brilliant affair, and Kapp's Harmonia Hall was none too large to accommodate the number of dancers there assembled.

Al Hoffman is at his old tricks of killing people with his quill. When his latest victim, the Hon. Terrence McDonald, recovers sufficient strength, Hoffman will find him a pretty lively corpse.

The inspectors on the Washington street pavement were very judiciously selected. Each is a property-holder on the line of improvement, and will accordingly be particularly interested in the work.

On Sunday night, about 12 M., a lighted cigar was thrown on and set fire to the awning in front of 66 Washington street. The firemen were called out and extinguished the flames before the building was damaged.

A child fell out of a window on Clinton street, on Saturday last, and was killed. This is the second accident of the kind during the week. How many more lessons are necessary to teach parents to be more careful?

The Freeholders decided on Thursday to issue \$218,000 in bonds for 30 years at 5 per cent, to meet \$123,000 arrears of taxes for the years 1877-8-9, and an indebtedness of \$229,000 due the First National Bank of Jersey City.

SPORTING NOTES.

The Metropolitan and Boston nines will play on the Polo Grounds this afternoon and on Monday.

The Dog Show has opened. There are 1,113 entries and nearly all the canines on the catalogue are in their places.

The X. M. & M. B. C. will play two matches on Decoration Day—in the morning with the Mimosas and in the afternoon with the Playways.

The race for the Metropolitan stakes was won by Brown Bess, in England, on Tuesday, and the Epsom Survey Handicap was won by Eastern Empress on the same day.

The Cornell College crew will leave for England next month. They intend to row in the Henley regatta. The latest from Ithaca says that the crew is in constant practice.

A meeting of the College Cricketers was held at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, on Tuesday, and the United States Intercollegiate Cricket Association was organized.

A regatta is suggested for the Fourth of July by some of the Hoboken boating men, and, with this end in view, a meeting will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall on May 10, to which it is desired that each rowing club send two delegates.

The following is the report of the oarsmen's meeting announced in our last:

FRANK FROMMEL,

324 Garden street, Hoboken.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

As usual, the performance at Waring's this week has been excellent. The Laporte sisters were a success, and have been re-engaged. Little Eddy is a perfect wonder; Miss Florence May is good in song and dance; Moore & Lessinger, incite roars of laughter; and Levanon & McCormick perform some daring feats on the horizontal bar.

Miss May Amott in "The Sculptor's Studio," successfully represents many well known characters, and Miss Lillie Smith and Dick Rowe are additional attractions.

At Gantzberg's Theatre Comique, the list of artists is very long and peculiarly attractive. It includes the Ricketts brothers, Harry and George; Billy Dewar; Senor Emilio Grofo, the celebrated wizard; Miss Maimie Ogden in song and dance; Miss Nellie Amott; Paul Gern the German Comedian; Miss Minnie St. Clair the standing attraction; Bob Mack the inflexible, with his educated chicken; Mr. Land and Miss May Blancha, sketch artists; etc.

On Wednesday May 11th, there will be a grand performance for the benefit of Burdick, the celebrated trapeze performer, who is still in the hospital recovering from his injuries.

The member of the Hoboken City Bowling Club met at Naegel's Hotel, the other night, and bowled for the gold championship badge that was presented by Mr. Schoenfeld. The game was interesting and the score as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes names like Hick, Vilar, Benson, Holmes, Sexton, Deab, Donovan, O'Brien, Lancaster, Mason, McShannon.

There was a tie between Russell and Benson, each having made 287 points, and it was supposed that the match would have to be played off, but McMahon scored 289 points and carried off the prize.

Mons. Eurauro, who suffered a fracture of the right ankle at the Theatre Comique last week, is progressing nicely under the care and attention of the good Sisters of St. Mary's Hospital. The accident was caused by his foot turning as he struck the stage on his final drop, and not through any carelessness or misallocation on his part.

The same injury has often occurred to persons on terra firma, and was only more serious in this instance because the force was greater. He expects to be on the "bar" once more and within two months at that. It was rather strange his remarking to a brother professional, while dressing for the act, that "he knew something was going to happen him that afternoon." We are pleased at such favorable prospects in his case.

FERRY TIME TABLE.

Table with ferry routes and times for Hoboken Ferry Boats, Sunday Boats to Barclay Street, and Christy Street Boats.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

STATED SESSION.

Stated Session, held at the Council Chamber, No. 37 Washington street, on Tuesday evening, April 26, 1881. Present—Councilmen Crispy, Curtin, Kaufmann, Mehan, Plunkett, Quirk, Timken and Chairman Buckley. Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Crispy, Curtin, Kaufmann, Mehan, Plunkett, Quirk, Timken and Chairman Buckley. Absent—None. On motion of Councilman Mehan the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote: Ayes—Councilmen Crispy, Curtin, Kaufmann, Mehan, Plunkett, Quirk, Timken and Chairman Buckley. Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Mehan the Board then adjourned to meet on Friday evening, April 26th, at 8 o'clock P. M. On motion of Councilman Mehan the Board then adjourned to meet on Friday evening, April 26th, at 8 o'clock P. M. On motion of Councilman Mehan the Board then adjourned to meet on Friday evening, April 26th, at 8 o'clock P. M.

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BULLS FERRY AND BRANCH ROAD ASSESSMENT.

Notice is hereby given by the subscribers, commissioners, etc. that they have made their assessment of the costs of grading, regulating and improving the Bulls Ferry Road...

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Dr. HENRY B. RUE, No. 282 Bloomfield St., Hoboken, N. J. Office Hours: 8 to 10 a. m., 1 to 3 p. m., 6 to 7 p. m.

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CORPORATION NOTICE OF THE EXPIRATION ON THE 9th DAY OF JUNE, 1881. of the time allowed by law for the redemption of property sold for assessment for improvement on Monroe street, from Newark Avenue to Fourth Street...

Table of land parcels with columns for Block, Lot, Name, Street, and Amount.

CORPORATION NOTICE OF THE EXPIRATION ON THE 9th DAY OF JUNE, 1881.

of the time allowed by law for the redemption of property sold for assessment for the construction of thirteen receiving basins, and for the amounts respectively named in the following schedule.

Table of land parcels with columns for Block, Lot, Name, Street, and Amount.

CORPORATION NOTICE OF THE EXPIRATION ON THE 9th DAY OF JUNE, 1881.

of the time allowed by law for the redemption of property sold for assessment for improvement of Madison Street, from First to Second Street, and for the amounts respectively named in the following schedule.

Table of land parcels with columns for Block, Lot, Name, Street, and Amount.

CORPORATION NOTICE OF THE EXPIRATION ON THE 9th DAY OF JUNE, 1881.

of the time allowed by law for redemption of property sold for assessment for improvement of Fourth Street, between Adams and Clinton streets.

Table of land parcels with columns for Block, Lot, Name, Street, and Amount.

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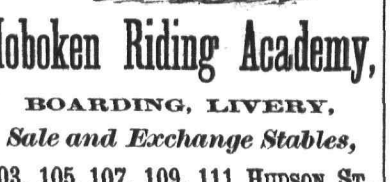
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