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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1892.

## Republican Nominations.

## Borough Candidates.

MAYOR,  
EDWIN L. BONNY.

COUNCILMEN,  
GEORGE D. HALLOCK,  
T. WILFORD POWELL.

CLERK,  
HENRY N. SPENCER.

## Township of North Plainfield.

TOWN CLERK,  
H. J. Martin.

OVERSEER OF THE POOR,  
J. A. Baerach.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,  
John R. McDonald.

TOWN COMMITTEEMAN,  
W. C. Smith.

COMMISSIONERS OF HIGHWAYS,  
M. Powers, F. M. White.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL,  
J. S. Linger, Jonathan Clawson,  
D. R. Weaver.

CONSTABLES,  
J. W. Van Horn, for one year,  
Thomas Rutledge, for three years.

We have often heard of people with  
appetites of enormous dimensions, but  
our Westfield neighbors cap the climax.  
They have Eita Hall.

The New York Herald, in speaking  
of Senator Hill, says that "he smiled."  
That has been the regular Democratic  
custom from time immemorial.

Carl Saxson, the extradited "Her-  
cules" has been put on trial in Eng-  
land for stealing diamonds. It is be-  
lieved he will make a strong defense.

Up in Boston there is a war pension-  
er who has declined to receive the Gov-  
ernment's gratuity any longer, on the  
ground that he is able to support him-  
self. He is no doubt insane.

It gives us pleasure to state that un-  
less there is a change made in the man-  
ufacture of the cheap cigars, which is  
not likely to occur, the American  
people will not smoke them any longer.

This city of Providence, R. I., sends  
to the State convention nineteen dele-  
gates for Cleveland and seven for Hill.  
This is a dispensation of Providence  
which must be rather pleasing to the  
ex-President.

Two young ladies in Bridgeport, Ct.,  
were taken dreadfully ill after eating  
some sandwiches, and it was thought  
they had been poisoned. But as the  
sandwiches came from a Bridgeport  
restaurant it seems hardly necessary to  
charge the painful experience to poison.

"It beats the Dutch," but Mr. Hol-  
land, principal of the Poughkeepsie  
Military Institute, has just made him-  
self scarce with \$1500 unaccounted for.  
Since his principal did not prompt him to  
pay the interest, it is not likely that  
his principle will induce him to pay the  
interest.

A FIRE occurred in New York city,  
a day or two ago, and a man named  
Steinberg was found sitting on a  
burning bed, and he never knew any-  
thing was the matter till the firemen  
turned the hose on him. That kind  
story of Montezuma does not seem so  
improbable, after all.

The riot which occurred the other  
day in the streets of Berlin shows a  
very feverish condition of the German  
people. Not alone the actual rioters,  
swarming down the Unter den Linden  
and filling the air with shouts of de-  
fiance under the windows of Wilhelm's  
palace, but the wide-spread sympathy  
manifested for their cause, indicate a  
popular dissatisfaction with the present  
order of things which may ripen into  
a repetition of the scenes of 1848. It is  
certain that imperial sanctity and pro-  
prieety has been heavily discounted in  
our day, and there is a growing sense  
of popular rights throughout the civil-  
ized world which is ominous of disaster  
to kingship. Into William's very face,  
gazing from his palace window upon  
the surging crowd battling with the  
police, the people hurled their hisses  
and execrations, and the scene ought  
to have suggested some serious reflec-  
tions to this imperial popinjay even  
through the cast-iron crust of his bomb-

death self-conceit. Let the spirit of  
freedom grow until it spreads over the  
whole earth as the waters cover the  
sea, and princes and potentates are for-  
ever relegated to the limbo of political  
trampy to be known no more among  
men.

## SUNDAY SERVICES.

The Bible and Workers' training classes of  
the Y. M. C. A. will meet tomorrow at 9:15  
a. m.

Park place Chapel. Sunday-school at 2:30  
p. m. Preaching at 7:45 p. m. by Dr. A.  
K. Carroll.

Mr. E. L. Saffers will speak at the  
Memorial Chapel at Washingtonville to-mor-  
row evening.

Moore Avenue Chapel. Sunday School  
at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. by Mr.  
James McGee.

Gospel services of the Woman's Ten  
service Aid Society every Sunday in Edgemo-  
nt at 9:15 a. m. and 4 p. m.

The usual gospel meeting will be held in  
the Mt. Pleasant school house tomorrow  
evening. Mr. Seely Edall will speak.

St. Mary's Church. Hours for Mass—  
7:30, 8:30, 9:45, 10:45. Sunday School at  
2:30 p. m. Vespers at 3:30 p. m. Evening  
service at 8 p. m.

There will be the usual meetings in the  
W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow at 9 a. m. and  
4 p. m. A prayer service will be held this  
evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Hope Chapel, Rev. G. K. Newell pastor.  
Services to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45  
p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. A cordial  
invitation is extended to all.

Prof. Jno. Lane, a prominent gospel tem-  
perance lecturer and charming vocalist, will  
address the meeting at Reform Hall to-mor-  
row evening. Don't fail to hear him.

In the Trinity Reformed Church to-mor-  
row the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will  
preach at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. in  
Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. All are wel-  
come.

Recent Avenue Church, Rev. Wm. R.  
Richards, pastor. Services to-morrow  
at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School  
at 2:30 p. m. All seats free at the evening  
service.

Services at the East Third Street Mission  
tomorrow as follows: Sunday School at 2:30  
p. m. Evening service at 7:45 p. m. At which  
time H. G. Adams will speak. Everyone  
welcome.

First Unitarian Church, Second place,  
the pastor, Rev. Herbert Clark, will preach  
Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at  
11:45 a. m. All seats free and the public cor-  
dially invited.

To-morrow services will be held in the  
German Church on Craig Place, North  
Plainfield, at 10:30 a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m.  
Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Welcome  
day at 7:45 p. m. weekly service.

The Church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T.  
Logan Murphy, rector. Celebration of the  
Holy Communion at 8:30 a. m. Sunday  
School at 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and  
sermon at 11 a. m. Even song at 4:30 p. m.

Services at the Church of the Heavenly  
Host, to-morrow, (February 28th), will  
be morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock  
and Sunday School at 3 p. m. On Ash  
Wednesday there will be a morning service  
at 10:30.

Warren Union Mission. Sunday School at  
2:30 p. m. Song service at 7:30 p. m. Devo-  
tional service at 8 o'clock conducted by  
Mr. Geo. D. Morrison. Christian Endeavor  
meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All  
are invited.

First Church of Christ meets in Vander-  
bilt's Hall at 10:30. Morning Fast at  
11:30. "Feet of Clay" at 7:30, conducted by Mr. Nichol-  
son. Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 3 p. m.  
cordially invited to all services. Sent free.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist Church  
to-morrow. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and  
8:45 p. m. The Rev. Jesse H. Bartlett, D.  
D., will preach in the morning, and the  
Rev. H. W. Miller of New York in the  
evening. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Sun-  
day School at 2:30 p. m. All seats free.

Methodist Episcopal Church. The pastor,  
Rev. Chas. R. Mitchell, will preach at 10:30  
p. m. A third sermon in the course of four  
sermons on "Why God was made flesh" at  
Sunday School will be given in Vander-  
bilt's Hall at 10:30 p. m. and the Epworth League at 7  
p. m. Subject, "Bondage, but not Slavery."

Grace Church, Rev. E. Rodman, rector,  
Feb. 28th. Quinquagesima Sunday. Holy  
Communion, 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer,  
litany and sermon 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school  
2:30 p. m. Evening service 4:30 p. m. Ash  
Wednesday.—Early celebration  
Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Morning  
service 11 a. m. Evening service 8 p. m.

The Congregational Church, West Seventh  
street, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morn-  
ing service at 10:30 o'clock. A  
special anniversary service at 7:30 p. m.  
in charge of the Christian Endeavor So-  
ciety. Mr. James Cruikshank of Brooklyn  
will deliver the address.

Church of Our Saviour, Netherlands, Rev.  
S. P. Simpson, officiating. Quinquagesima  
Sunday. Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.  
morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11  
a. m.; Sunday-school, 2 p. m.; evening  
prayer, 7:45 p. m. Two free lectures have  
been arranged for the evening at the  
railroad station on North Avenue every Sun-  
day morning for the church at 10 p. m. Return  
to Plainfield at the conclusion of service.

First Baptist Church, Front and Grove  
streets, 9:30 a. m., special season of prayer  
for God's blessing upon the services of the  
day, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching  
by Rev. D. J. Verkes, D. D. 2:30 p. m.,  
the Sunday School and Young Men's Bible  
classes meet. Weekly appointments at 10  
a. m. as follows: Monday the Bible Normal  
class. Wednesday the religious song and  
meeting. Friday prayer meeting of the  
Young People's League.

There will be baptismal services at  
the close of the morning meeting in the  
First Baptist Church to-morrow.

Letter from Cyrus W. Field, Jr.,  
8 EAST SEVENTH STREET,  
New York City, May 8th, 1883.

Several times this Winter I have suf-  
fered from severe colds on my lungs.  
Each time I have applied ALLCOCK'S  
POWDER PLASTER, and in every instance  
I have been quickly relieved by applying  
one across my chest and one on my back.

My friends, through my advice, have  
tried the experiment and also found it  
most successful. I feel that I can rec-  
ommend them most highly to any one  
who may see fit to try them.

CYRUS W. FIELD, JR.,  
8 EAST SEVENTH STREET,  
New York City.

When they are sick, we give her Chamberlain's  
Cough Syrup. When she is well, she uses it for  
her colds. When she is in the hospital, she uses it  
for her cough. When she is in the hospital, she uses it  
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## The Postmistress

—OF—  
Laurel Run.

BY BRET HARTE.

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## CHAPTER I.

The mail stage had just passed Laurel  
Run. So rapidly that the whitish  
cloud of dust dragged with it down the  
steep grade from the summit hung over  
the level long after the stage had  
disappeared, and then drifting away  
slowly sifted a red precipitate over the  
flat platform of the Laurel Run post  
office.

Out of this cloud presently emerged  
the neat figure of the postmistress with  
the mail bag which had been disencum-  
bered by her feet from the top of the  
passing vehicle. A dozen longers  
eagerly stretched out their hands to as-  
sist her, but the warning "It's up to the  
rules, boys, for any but her to touch it!"  
from a bystander and a coquetish  
shake of the head from the postmistress  
herself—much more effective than any  
official interdiction—withheld them. The  
bag was too heavy—Laurel Run was too  
remote a settlement to have attracted  
much correspondence—and the young  
woman, having pouched upon her prey  
with a certain fellow instinct, dragged it  
in, not without difficulty, behind the  
partitioned inclosure in the office and  
looked the door. Her pretty face, mo-  
mentarily visible through the window  
was slightly flushed with the exertion,  
and the loose ends of her fair hair, wet  
with perspiration, curled themselves  
over her forehead into tantalizing little  
rings. But the window shutter was  
quickly closed and this momentary but  
charming vision withdrawn from the  
waiting public.

"Gov'ment oughter have more sense  
than to make a woman pick mail bags  
outta the road," said Jo Simmons, sym-  
pathetically. "Tain't in her day's  
work, anyhow; gov'ment oughter hand  
'em over to her like a lady; it's rich  
enough and ugly enough."

"Tain't gov'ment; it's that stage  
company's airs and graces," interrupted  
a nervous one. "They think it mighty  
fine to go belting 'bout makin' everyboddy  
take their dust just because stoppie's  
ain't in their contrar. Why, if it  
wasn't for that stage company, the  
bag had any feelin' for a lady—but he  
stoppped here at the amused faces of his  
audience."

"Guess you don't know much 'bout  
expressman's feelin's, stranger," said  
Simmons, grimly. "Why, you oughter  
see him just nupst! 'Tain't bag like a  
baby as he comes tearin' down the  
grade and then rises up and sorter heave  
it to Mrs. Baker as if it was a five-dollar  
baggy. His feelin's for her? Why?  
He's give himself no dead away to her  
that we're looking for him to forget  
what he's doin' next and just come a  
makin' down himself at her feet."

Meanwhile, on the other side of the  
partition, Mrs. Baker had brushed the  
red dust from the padded bag, and re-  
moved what seemed to be a supple-  
mentary package attached to it by a  
wire. Opening it she found a handsome  
scent-bottle, evidently a superadded  
gift from the devoted expressman. This  
she put aside with a little smile and  
the murmured word, "Foolishness!"

But when she had unlocked the bag,  
even its sacred interior was profaned by  
a covert prayer at the adjacent post-  
master at the counter containing a  
gold "specimen" brooch and some circus  
tickets. It was laid aside with a  
resigned and a little contemptuous  
sigh—vexation of spirit.

There were seventeen letters in all of  
which five were for herself—and yet  
the responsibility of mail delivery was  
two of them were marked "Official  
business," and were promptly put by  
her in a separate compartment; but in  
other compartment than that holding  
the presents. Then the shutter was  
opened and the task of delivery com-  
menced.

It was accompanied with a social  
peculiarity that had in time become a  
habit of Laurel Run. As the young  
woman delivered the letters in turn to

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much to dispose of. Farmers, dealers and others who have a surplus will find  
this a rare opportunity for doing so and at good prices. Those who are in want  
of stock will find just as good an opportunity to purchase. Quite a number of  
entries for this sale have already been made. Among them are some matched  
teams and single horses which have been thoroughly acclimated. Also, some  
Western horses, consisting of matched teams, single horses for farm and road  
purpose. Preliminary catalogues will be issued March 1st, and all entries made  
previous to that date will appear and be extensively advertised. Make your  
entries at once. For terms, conditions and catalogue, address,  
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Oct. 1891.

## Lodge Meetings.

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Thursday evening, January 1, 1892, to July 1,

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R. MATTOX, Auctioneer.

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