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TUESDAY, MAY 24, 1892.

W. S. DARLING DEAD.

He Passed Away in Montreal Whither he had

Flamed After his Defeat from John F.

Plummer & Co. had been Discovers—An

Old Resident of Plainfield and an Ex-Congressman.

Word was received in New York yesterday of the death in Montreal of W. S. Darling, for many years a resident of Plainfield and at one time a Common Councilman. The death of Mr. Darling will recall the failure of John F. Plummer & Co., in March, 1890.

Darling was the senior member of the firm, but by disastrous speculations brought the firm to ruin. Darling then absconded, and nothing was heard of him until on March 21 of the same year, Charles D. Hilton registered at the Windsor Hotel in Montreal. Hilton had been there some time before it was discovered that he was the defaulting partner of Plummer & Co. When the facts became known Darling left the hotel and concealed himself, but after a time came back and was a regular guest at the Windsor. He was very much downcast, however, and appeared to feel his disgrace keenly.

Darling was called "Captain" in Montreal, and when once in a while he would be persuaded to go out he was found to be very companionable and had lots of money to spend. No pumping, however, could make him divulge anything of his past life, and it was noticed he always turned New York visitors. He was frequently visited by his wife, who came from New York. She wanted to stay with him here, but he refused to allow her.

His wife was wealthy in her own right, and she offered to put up the money if his creditors would allow Darling to return to New York and resume charge of the business, he agreeing to gradually pay off all liabilities. The creditors met in Hamilton, Ont., six months ago and took the offer under consideration, but to no answer to the proposition had been received by Darling, and this appeared to weigh heavily on his mind. Not long since Darling's physician told him he was suffering from enlargement of the heart, which might prove fatal. Darling then applied to a Masonic lodge for assistance to put his affairs in order. He was confined to his bed at the Windsor ten days ago from a sprained ankle, and this weakened him. Sunday morning he was found unconscious in his room by a chambermaid. He had been a blood vessel in his head, and his right side was paralyzed. His brother and son were telegraphed for his arrival last night, but Darling had died at seven o'clock in the morning. He passed away without speaking. His body will be returned to New York.

FACTS CONCERNING THE Y. M. C. A.

Interesting Data for the Year Ending May

First.—The Association has been Doing

A Great Work.

An interesting document has been issued by the Young Men's Christian Association of this city, giving in detail the work of the past year. The following is a summary:

Week Days.—40 places of temporary and permanent employment were provided; 43 letters of introduction and reference have been furnished; 121 different persons were enrolled in the educational classes; 377 are paid-up members of the association, including class members too young to qualify; 62 have served on committees; 14 attended the annual conference at Atlantic Beach; 90 attended 6 receptions and entertainments; 637 attended 16 talks; 25 meetings have been held by outside organizations in our rooms.

THE BOYS.—The Boys' Society held religious, social, literary and business meetings; 8 attended the New York and New Jersey "Boys' State Camp." 233 persons attended 8 educational talks; 101 have attended religious meetings; 66 former members have joined the association.

SERVICES.—482 attended 48 young men's meetings; 123 men who were G. A. R. Posts attended one of the meetings in a body; 207 attended 31 sessions of the Worker's Training Class; 259 attended 29 sessions of the Bible Training Class; 304 attended 51 sessions of young men's class at Washingtonville; 293 attended 46 out-of-town meetings at Washingtonville; 156 attended 45 out-of-town meetings at Mt. Pleasant.

Lambertville has a police force. It

consists of Samuel Morse, who is chief,

captain, sergeant and patrolman, and

who is expected to be on duty day and

night and Sunday too.

A Brief Synopsis.

Dr. S. D. Howe was a celebrated New York

physician who practiced in Bellevue hospital

and had a reputation of a specialist.

The inventor of Howe's Arabian Blood Tonic

for purifying the blood, curing scurvy, rheumatism, and other ailments, is now

run down system, caused by the grip, and

gives good sleep and appetite.

Howe's Blood Tonic cures consumption,

stomach, liver, and deep-seated complaints.

Sold by every druggist in Plainfield.

STILL THEY WIN.

The Park Club Again Defeats the Union

County Club on the Alloys of the latter

Club.

Two more games in the five-men

team series were played on the Union

County Club's side last night. The

usual results prevailed, and the Park

Club bowlers proved easy winners.

Comparatively little enthusiasm was

manifested among the spectators as the

result of each game seemed to be a

foregone conclusion. But the Union

County's may hope for better results

next time as Captain Matthews of the

Park Club promises to oppose them

with an easy team. Appended is last

night's score.

FIRST GAME.

PARK CLUB. UNION COUNTY.

Hogeman.....133 Wharton.....130

McCutchen.....100 Evans.....122

Murphy.....155 Herring.....146

Townsend.....112 Leach.....119

Theriot.....134 Burnett.....126

Totals.....695

Park Club won by 78 pins.

SECOND GAME.

Matthews.....141 Fleming.....144

McCutchen.....109 Depeu.....123

Brown.....130 Wilcox.....107

Roe.....134 Leach.....119

Reed.....105 Jackson.....129

Totals.....661

Park Club won by 78 pins.

The Murder Trial Begins.

The trial of Thomas Quinn for the

murder of Mrs. Annie Schneider on

WOULD YOU WIN \$5?

THREE GAMES WHO WILL WIN THE CHEN-

TRIAL NEW JERSEY CHAMPION-

SHIP SERIES.

The Contest Close July 1 and Each Game will

be Numbered as it is Received—You can

Guess as Many Times as You Please—No

Guess Counts unless on Blank Printed

Paper.

The first base ball games for the

championship of the G. N. L., would

have been played Saturday had the

weather been clear. The four clubs

which comprise the league being

made up of excellent players, the

interest in the forthcoming

struggle for the lead is great. The season

will close on September 27, when

each club will have played eighteen

games.

The Courier offers a prize of a five-

dollar gold piece to the first person

who guesses correctly the order in which

the winning clubs will appear at the

end of the series, also the percentage

of games secured by the winning

club. If any correct guess is

received the prize will be awarded to

the person first giving the guess which

is nearest right. The full blank

guess below must be cut out and sent to

the Sporting Editor of the Courier.

The correct name and address must be

given. Each person is entitled to guess

as many times as he or she may wish.

Each guess will be numbered and

filed away in the order in which it

is received. None will be opened until

the close of the contest. No guess will

be received after the first day of July.

Any sent after that time will not be

noticed. The name and address of the

winner will be published in the first

issue of the Courier, succeeding the

close of the series.

(THE PLAINFIELD COURIER.)

GUESS ON

Central N. J. League Standing.

Plainfield, N. J.,.....1st.

The club will finish in this order:

First.....

Second.....

Third.....

Fourth.....

The winning club's percentage.....

Name.....

Address.....

WORK OF THE WITS.

One Thing Sure—Maudie—I can't

say there is about that kidnap girl,

can you? Most (doubtful)—Yes, Maudie.

—What! Maudie—Most all the fellows.

Truth.

He (sighing for loving protestations)—

My angel, I do not believe I am worthy to

be your husband. She (thoughtfully)—

The just what my mother says—N. Y.

Weekly.

Druggist—There you are, sir. One-

twenty-five. Customer—Excuse me, but

I'm in the trade. Druggist—Oh, I be-

lieve you. Ten cents—Smith, Gray & Co.'s

Monthly.

We have noticed that when a woman

sings to the sick countess she

sings in so much louder voice than when

she asks to look at the cat's tongue.

Attention Globe.

There are two kinds of unhappy people

in the world—those who are sad and

become so, and those who are

WHITNEY SELLS

CARPETS,

FURNITURE,

OBTAINS,

DRY GOODS.

CHEAPER THAN ANYBODY.

The Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company

has decided to extend the time for its

SPECIAL REAL ESTATE SALES

TO INCLUDE THE MONTH OF MAY.

Houses and lots at greatly reduced prices and on very easy terms, in the

following cities and towns:

Elizabeth, Population 44,000 Time from New York 30 minutes Commutation, 15 cts. per day

Bayonne, 25,000 " 15 " " "

Newark, 175,000 " 40 " " "

Plainfield, 30,000 " 45 " " "

Bartons, 5,000 " 55 " " "

The Central N. J. Land Improvement Company, after an existence of twenty years, during

which time it has sold thousands of lots and home instrumental in the rapid growth of the

towns and villages along the Central Railroad of New Jersey has decided to dispose of its

remaining properties at such prices as will prove attractive to home seekers, investors and

speculators. Don't forget in the many beautiful places there is a chance to buy

city property, lovely homes with great schools, churches, electric light, low taxes and

city charges paid for all improvements such as water, sewer, gas, etc. Many lots

sold at 25 cts. and large reductions throughout. In many places only 10 cts. per lot

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