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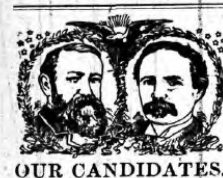
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OUR CANDIDATES.

FOR PRESIDENT,
BENJAMIN HARRISON,
Of Indiana.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
WHITELAW REID,
Of New York.

Tariff Picture.
In 1869, under a "tariff for revenue only," our exports amounted to only about \$10

for every person. In 1891, under protection, they averaged \$16

for every American citizen.—New York Press.

Two free traders step on shouting that the tariff is a tax, and the advertisements in every paper in the United States keep on shouting that he is the greatest liar that ever lived.

I pity the man who wants a coat so cheap that the man or woman who produces the cloth or shapes it into a garment, shall starve in the process.—Benjamin Harrison.

The Democratic watchword is: Dodge the tariff, dodge the silver question, dodge every living issue, but howl like fury against the "Force bill." It is a campaign of concerted falsehood, and organized cowardice.—Pres.

Those who remember the losses caused before the war by wild cat State banks, will hardly care for the success of a party which declares for the abolition of the tax on them; in order that they may be re-established.

The Democratic party talks economy, but never practices it. The appropriation of the present session for the Congress are those for \$27,000,000 more than the last Republican Congress, and they haven't adjourned yet.

EX-GOVERNOR CAMPBELL, of Ohio, the Democratic free trade opponent of Governor McKinley, figured in Trenton the other day as one of the incorporators of a big cutlery trust. A Democrat isn't always what he professes to be.

As long ago as 1812 James Madison favored the consideration by Congress of "measures to preserve and promote the manufactures which have sprung into existence and attained an unparalleled maturity throughout the United States." Thomas Jefferson wouldn't recognize the free trade Democracy of to-day.

Domestic exports were so "strangled" by the McKinley tariff during the month of May that they only reached \$1,018,602,967, to which must be added \$14,357,541 of foreign exports, a total of \$1,032,961,508. We can stand a great deal of that kind of strangulation, say the American people.—Economist.

SOME silly women of New York have formed a "Frances Cleveland Influence Club" to assist the party of free trade. In all the free trade counties of Europe women perform the hardest manual labor. They work in rolling mills and coal pits in Great Britain and in Holland they hulk them to carts, like the men, to draw burdens. If they want free trade, why don't they go over there? Sensible women do not want it here.

Thousands Kiss Him for His Discovery.

Dr. S. D. Howe, of Bellevue College, New York, discovered two remedies that have brought health and strength to his fellow men. Howe's Anemia Blood Tonic cures paleness, loss of strength, nervousness, indigestion, and all ailments of blood. It is the only blood tonic that cures the blood. Thousands of people broken down by the loss of blood, have been restored to health by Dr. Howe's Anemia Blood Tonic. It is the only blood tonic that cures the blood. Thousands of people broken down by the loss of blood, have been restored to health by Dr. Howe's Anemia Blood Tonic. It is the only blood tonic that cures the blood.

THAT free silver plank in the Prohibition platform is not well calculated to make the party popular in New York. In that State the vote of the party is of some importance. The Prohibitionists obtained 25,000 votes in New York in 1884, two out of every three of which probably were drawn from the Republican party, while the Democratic lead in the State that year was only 5,047. In that canvass the cold water men turned the scale against the Republicans and made Cleveland President. This year they are not likely to be of as much assistance to their Democratic allies.

As Independent Committee Waited upon the Editors.

That irrepressible Tribune correspondent has been at it again. His fanciful misrepresentations regarding the meeting of the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday night, which was printed yesterday morning, called forth the following correction this morning:

"With regard to the meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church, which called the Rev. Henry T. Miller, of Chicago, to Plainfield, people who are in a position to know all that passed at the church in its harmonious and united and remarkably unanimous in extending the call; that the meeting was not long and exciting, but that instead of the opposition to Mr. Miller being strong and the majority favoring the issue of the call small, it was a meeting of fifty-three in a total vote of 101 on the first ballot, and that on the second vote, heartily moved by the leader of the twenty-four who voted against the call, only five were voted 'nay.'"

The Tribune is in hard luck. It is too frequently imposed upon by its Plainfield correspondent. A word of advice to the editor: Wouldn't it be well to send a staff reporter out here to verify the tales which your imaginative writer too frequently indulges upon you.

Warden Dodd Complimented.

At a regular meeting of the Union County Board of Freeholders, held at Elizabeth on Thursday, Messrs. Sailer, of Elizabeth; Swain, of Summit; Spender, of Westfield; Kyo, of Cranford, and Wilans, of Linden, were appointed as the standing committee on county roads. The clerk presented a letter from the officers of the State Charities Aid Society stating that on May 27, an inspector of the condition and management of the Union county jail was made by the committee, accompanied by some of the State officers and the members of the Union county branch. The visitors reported that the jail compares in condition and management with any jail in New Jersey. The committee found Warden Dodd to be thoroughly efficient, and they recommended that for the best interest of the county he be retained in office. The committee added that the suggestion and recommendation were made unknown to Mr. Dodd, and without the least solicitation on his part.

To-Morrow Night's Concert at the New-wood Hotel.

The concert this season at the Hotel New-wood are being given by the Greenop Philharmonic Quintette orchestra of New York. They are much enjoyed by the guests of the hotel, especially on Sunday evenings when an exceedingly fine programme is rendered. The programme for to-morrow evening will include the overture, "William Tell," Rossini; Prayer and Air from "Freischütz," Weber; Cradle Song, Hauser; Selection from "Daughter of the Regiment," Doukiet; Patriotic March, "Nevada"; Request, "Alma," Verdi; Serenade, "La Boccassa," Gounod; Air, "The Bird," Sullivan. On the evening of July 23, a promenade concert and reception is to be tendered the orchestra, which will be very enjoyable.

Plainfield's Coffee Cart.

(From the Freeman's Herald.)

Plainfield, N. J., has a Reform Club and the ladies of the club have a very fine coffee cart and propose to furnish hot coffee to the firemen at work at the fire, if the merchants and citizens will contribute a sum sufficient to enable them to carry on the work. Chief Doan, expresses himself in favor of the project and says, that there is nothing so good for the tired and wet firemen as a cup of good hot coffee. In our experience as a fireman, we have tried this, and the good women of Plainfield should have no trouble in getting all the money necessary.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Cuticura. When she was a Child, she cried for Cuticura. When she became a Man, she clung to Cuticura. When she had Children, she gave them Cuticura.

How to Cure a Cold.

Simply take Otero's Cure. We know of the astonishing cures that it will stop a cold, soothe the throat, and give the system a healthy condition. If you have asthma, bronchitis, consumption, or any disease of the throat and lungs, a few doses of this great guaranteed remedy will surprise you.

If you wish to try it call at our store, West Front street, and we will be pleased to show you our bottle free of cost, and that will prove our assertion. L. W. Randolph.

The Courier is full of fresh news every day.

PENNSYLVANIA TOUR.

The Delights of Modern Travel at a comparatively Light Expense.

Little idea or thought is given by the majority of modern travelers to the wonderful advance made within the past ten years, not only in the speed and equipment of trains, but also in the method of conducting them. The personally-conducted tourist system has revolutionized former methods and the marvelous popularity and development of this perfect system of touring is in no small measure due to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. This is illustrated in the series of tours just announced by this progressive corporation. One goes to Yellowstone Park, August 25 by a superbly appointed train, a duplicate of the famous limited, the rate, \$190, covering all expenses for the entire two weeks; another, for the entire two weeks, applicable to the route to the North, leaving July 12, reviewing Watkins' Glen, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Thousand Islands, Rapids of the St. Lawrence, Montreal, As Saginaw, Lakes Champlain and George, Saratoga and a daylight ride down the Hudson river; and a third, all expenses for two weeks, Niagara Falls series leaves July 14 and 28, August 11 and 25, September 3 and 29. Ten dollars is the round trip rate, valid for return within ten days. On July 2 a tour is to be run to Cresson. Here the rate of \$8 from Philadelphia, including a day's board at the Mountain House, but tickets are also valid for ten days, including date of tour. Then on July 16 a select tour is to leave for Washington, D. C., to cover three days, the rate of \$11 covering all expenses. These tours are in charge of tourist agent and chaplain, a medium far in advance of the foreign expensive courier. America certainly directs a pace for her foreign cousins in the art of travel, and this institution as the Pennsylvania Railroad as an advancing agent is well worth being proud of.

The Best is the World.

Senator Henry C. Nelson, of New York, writes: "On the 27th of February, 1893, I was taken with a violent pain in the region of kidneys. I suffered much agony that I could hardly stand up. As soon as possible I applied two ALLOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS, one over each kidney, and laid down. In an hour, to my surprise and delight, the pain had vanished and I was well. I wore the plasters for a day or two as a precaution, and then removed them. I have been using ALLOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS in my family for the last ten years, and have always found them the quickest and best remedy for colds, strains and rheumatic affections. From my experience I believe they are the best plasters in the world."

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Secretary of the Treasury Foster has left Washington on a fishing trip.

A bill was introduced in the Kentucky General Assembly yesterday, prohibiting the employment of Pinkertons in Kentucky.

The approximate gross earnings of the Atchafalaya, Topoka & Santa Fe Railroad for July, ending the month of June, San Francisco system, were \$4,408,111, increase, \$144,408.

Ferdinand and Deaham, twenty years old, fell from a first-story window of a factory in New York, and received very slight injuries. He fell on some soft substance and thus escaped death.

The report that it is proposed to consolidate the locomotive works of the country into one large plant at Depue, N. Y., is declared to be absurd by Chas. E. Means, of the Manchester, N. H., Locomotive Works.

One thousand nailmakers in Montreal are on strike, their wages a graduated scale from 10 to 100 per cent, regulated by the size of nail. At present they average \$4.50 a day, but only work about four months a year.

The Government of Brazil has directed the Governor of Paraná, one of the interior provinces, where the inhabitants nearly all remain in a savage state, to secure representation of all the native races as a part of the exhibits at the Columbian Exposition.

The Supreme Court of Tennessee has affirmed the death sentence of H. Clay's King for the murder of Poston in Memphis. The date fixed for the execution is August 12. King showed little agitation on hearing the sentence. An effort will be made to secure clemency.

Mrs. Minnie Ballant, wife of a Methodist minister who was on one time a member with a prosperous Church in New York, and which position he lost through drink, was arrested in a New York police office Friday to answer to a charge of attempted suicide. She said that she was driven to desperation by her husband's treatment. She was discharged.

Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—For New England: Fair, northerly winds; warmer in extreme northern portion.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware: Fair, variable winds; cooler in northern New York.

For Western New York and Western Pennsylvania: Fair, variable winds; warmer in western portion.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

New York, July 9.—Money on call easy at 1 1/2 per cent.

BOND—CLOSING PRICES.

U. S. 2 1/2 Per Cent. 100 100 1/2
U. S. 3 Per Cent. 100 100 1/2
U. S. 4 Per Cent. 100 100 1/2

Delaware & Hudson 100 100 1/2

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PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Today Tier makes a special sale of tanned calfs at 12c. per pound.

—William Mattox is performing regular police duty in place of Officer Conde resigned.

—Charles Hand, the builder, is thinking about selling out his real estate interests here and investing his money in the West.

A young colored man named Brown, a waiter at the Albion Hotel, was knocked down on East Fourth street at midnight on Friday.

—Some of the night police have bought canvas-soled shoes so that they cannot be so plainly heard while patrolling their beats.

—John D. Buryon has bought from Seaman Williams, a house and lot on Richmond street, between Front and Second streets for \$4,300.

—Officer Flanagan's hours of duty are divided one-half the day and one-half at night. This is occasioned by Officer Mc Cue going off on his vacation.

—The Bound Brook Chronicle says that three thousand people attended the celebration of the Fourth of July at New Market which is rather extravagant, isn't it.

—The recently-elected officers of Queens City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will be installed on the evening of Monday, July 25, by D. D. G. M. Fisher and staff of White House.

—Some one has been killing off dogs at Scotch Plains lately. On Wednesday four were poisoned and since then three have been shot, the owners being afraid to let them run at large.

—The Pond Tool Works' juniors of Plainfield, say a Bound Brook paper, failed to put in an appearance on Monday, and the "Regulars" had another people with a picked nine.

—The Bound Brook and Dunellen baseball teams are scheduled for a game at Bound Brook this afternoon. As this is their first game much interest is taken and a large crowd is expected.

—Contractor Richardson, whose home was burned at Scotch Plains, on the night of July 4, has had his house again adjusted, and he and his family will again take possession of the house today.

—Councilman Charles P. Schlegel, of North Plainfield, can get \$20,000 capital to start an industry here, provided the city officials will grant certain favors. Just what those favors are the councilman will not yet state.

—Ex-Judge Nathan Harper has sold to Jeremiah Manning and Seaman Williams the large lot on the corner of West Second street and Central avenue. They will shortly begin the erection of a row of brick flats which will be complete in a few days.

—One blow of the fire alarm was sounded at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. The difficulty is said to have been caused by a failure on the part of some one to properly adjust or wind up the instrument which sets off the alarm and five o'clock gone.

—An Asbury Park blind man says he is able to tell whether a pedestrian wears rusted leather shoes by the peculiarity of their "squack." Rust has a habit of emitting an unhealthy noise, and are bad shoes to wear when you don't want your wife to know how late you stayed out.

—Fully fifty persons from this city attended the opening of the Eleventh International Convention of the Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor at the Madison Square Garden yesterday. The attendance of delegates was so large that the committee in charge found it difficult to accommodate them.

—The weather clerk persists in refusing to promise a welcome change in the weather. If there was ever an occasion where a crime justified an apology, this is the one. Yesterday's extremes of temperature were 87 and 53.5. To-day don't seem to be any better. Wonder what to-morrow will be.

—At last night's Council meeting the boys of Priety, the dog-catcher, and Appur the dog-pounder, were not ordered paid but were retained in the hands of the Police Committee. Priety had killed a dog and Appur had killed a cat. The committee wanted to know how pure dogs could be killed than were caught and Councilman Weber was requested to wrestle with this intricate bit of mathematics.

A North Plainfield Constable in the Bow. Louis Spragg, a special marshal in North Plainfield, was arrested by Marshal Pangborn yesterday on a charge of throwing his wife out of doors.

Spragg was appointed a special marshal by the Borough Council at a recent meeting. He will be given a hearing before the borough magistrate this evening.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Ora Cleavers, of Warrenville, is visiting friends in this city.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis will preach at the Memorial Church at Washingtonville on Sunday evening.

Miss Fritts, of Park avenue, will give a mysterious hand dance on Monday night. Many is the word.

James Thompson, of the Potter Press Works, has been having a much needed vacation during this week.

Mrs. Greenberg, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Holland on Washington avenue.

Madame Alberti, formerly of this city, is Dean of the School of Expression at the Seaside Assembly, Astoria, Ore.

Robert Kenney, of West Third street, is a happy man. A ten pound girl came to his house yesterday morning to play.

Peter Conde goes to Ashbury Park for the balance of the Summer. He will furnish music at the Surf House and Albion.

Mrs. B. M. Day and children, of Rockwell avenue, North Plainfield, will leave for the White Mountains this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hope, formerly of this city, but lately of Wisconsin, are visiting at Mrs. S. R. Hope of Richmond street.

H. O. Newman, of West Fifth street, has gone to Ashbury Park to spend Sunday with his wife who is staying at the Tremont House.

Elan Rogers, formerly of the shoe firm of Rogers Brothers, of West Front street, is now connected with a large real estate firm in Orange.

The Misses Bertie and Mervie Randolph, of this city, have been the guests of Miss May Ross, of Bloomington, during the past week.

Mrs. Fanny Hale, wife of Dr. Oscar Hale, of Chicago, started for home today, after a two weeks' visit with her parents on East Fifth street.

Mrs. Andrew Walker and two children, of New Milford, Connecticut, are spending a few weeks at the home of Isaac Walker, on Craig place.

George Dean, of West Front street, left town this morning on a pleasure trip, taking in Springfield, Boston, Albany and other Eastern points.

George De Meza and Fred Obita sail today for Galveston, Texas, in which state they expect to reside for several weeks. They will go on the Mallory steamship, "Comal."

Officer Mc Cue began a six days' vacation yesterday. Hereafter the police have been allowed at least ten days, but this year each one will only get a six day furlough.

R. Gottlieb, draughtsman of the Potter Press Works, and Joseph M. Harsh, have severed their connection with the establishment, the latter accepting a position at the Scott Press Works.

The vote by which Rev. Henry Miller, of Chicago, was called to the First Presbyterian Church of this city was 77 out of 103 present. Rev. Dr. Kitchman was called by a vote of 56 to 14. At the congregational meeting on Wednesday evening there were two blanks when the deciding vote was taken.

William Wislener, the humorist and dramatist, of Jersey City, who recently passed through this city on his way on a trip to Chicago, has returned to accept an editorial position on the Union County Standard, at Westfield, Editor A. E. Pernal having determined to enjoy a trip to Europe.

Mr. Wislener is a bright writer and is in every way qualified to fill the position to which he has been appointed.

Base Ball Notes.

Keeler, late short-stop for the Dreads, is making a great record with the Springfield team. According to the Sporting Times of to-day, he has made more hits and fewer errors than anyone on the team.

The following is the batting order of the Westfields in to-day's game. Sharrott, right field; Melndoe, left field; Lever, centre field; Estabrook, first base; Smith, second base; Howe, short stop; O'Neil, third base; Warner, catcher; Clare, pitcher.

O'Rourke, of the New Yorks, will play right field for the Crescents this afternoon. Hamlet, who is under arrest, will not be allowed to play with the team on account of not having been released from Westfield. "Chie" Hafford went to New York, yesterday, and finally secured O'Rourke.

In speaking about the West End-Y. M. C. L. A. game at Elizabeth today, Y. M. Journal says: "It is one of the probabilities that the Y. M. C. L. A. will play good ball. The players, it is said, have been given a strong lecture. That they can play good ball has been demonstrated by Manager Whelan when it gave him a good time if everyone on the present team has to be replaced by new men."

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IT WAS A FINE RACE!

THOMAS BURNS THE WINNER WITH A. T. STOVER SECOND.

"Joe" Pike Makes the Twenty Miles in One Hour, Four Minutes and Twenty-five Seconds, Which is the Fastest of Any One in the Race.

The 20 mile handicap bicycle road race took place this afternoon over the Fawcett-Scott Plains course. Clerk Moreton went over the course previous to the race. He placed checkers G. F. Fawcett and B. E. Scott at Scotch Plains to take the number of each contestant on each lap, while A. S. Fritts and H. L. Lowrie were stationed at the Fawcett turn to check the men on the home stretch. R. Wyckoff was also stationed at Front and Richmond streets. The rest of the officials were stationed at the corner of Richmond and Fifth streets.

There were twenty-six entries for the race. Of these Curt Gottlieb, F. W. French and A. E. Stover had a handicap of ten minutes; S. C. Crane, William K. Kioley, A. G. Wyckoff and Thomas Burns, nine minutes; G. H. Bart, Charles VanDever and John Rafferty, seven minutes; W. W. Nicholson, William Kinton, V. H. Yarnall, James E. Murray, six minutes; M. A. Hayes, William Ahlgren, A. T. Stover, five minutes; J. R. Titworth, Charles R. Malby, four minutes; P. L. Metcalf three minutes; S. E. Pike, L. E. Waring and A. E. Stover, two minutes; while George Mahon, E. V. French, and A. E. Hinrichs, were scratch men.

The race began at sixteen minutes past two. The men start in their various classes at the firing of a pistol. Of the twenty-six entries all started, except F. W. French, W. J. Kioley, M. H. Hayes, F. L. Metcalf, L. E. Waring and E. V. French. At the start, James E. Murray ran over a dog. There was a confused moment for a moment. Then Murray started over again. N. R. Titworth punctured his wheel and started over again.

A. E. Stover made the first lap first in 19:12 minutes. He was closely followed by Gottlieb, Burns, Crane, VanDever, Bart, Yarnall and Nicholson.

In the next lap Burns led. He was followed by Stover, Gottlieb, VanDever, Crane, Malby, Clapp and Pike.

Again led, and was followed by Stover, Gottlieb, VanDever, Yarnall, Clapp, Pike, Malby and Crane.

The turning stake was in front of Smith's coal yard, Fawcett, two miles from the finish, on South avenue.

The race was very closely contested. Thomas Burns finished first at 32:45, followed by Stover at 32:11. The rest of the men finished as follows:

Yarnall, 32:29; Crane, 33:04; Hinrichs, 33:24; Mahon, 33:29; Ahlgren, 33:21; Nicholson, 33:32; Clapp, 33:24; Pike, 33:23; Clapp, 33:23; Malby, 33:25; VanDever, 33:25; N. R. Titworth, 33:32; Bart, 33:42. Of the eighteen start-rs, but four finished.

Here is the official time of the racers, Pike 1:04:22; Hinrichs 1:04:24; Mahon 1:04:25; Clapp 1:04:32; Malby 1:06:57; VanDever 1:07:57; Ahlgren, 1:09:31; Yarnall, 1:09:30; Burns, 1:10:23; Stover, 1:11:11; Nicholson, 1:11:32; R. Titworth, 1:11:42; Gottlieb, 1:12:04; Crane, 1:13:14.

S. S. Timpon was made referee in place of T. S. Barr. The judges were Dr. J. T. Fritts, Dr. D. C. Adams, Judge W. R. Codrington, Timers, J. Harvey Doane, H. H. Beakus, Chas. P. Leggett, Scores, H. S. Thomas, W. I. Clark; Clerk of Course, George W. Moreton; Starter, R. A. Meeker.

NOTES.

F. W. French, S. C. Crane, G. H. Bart and A. T. Hinrichs were the only school boys.

E. V. French, W. J. Kioley and M. H. Hayes did not start in the race, on account of their inability to get away from business.

The racers were started mounted, each contestant being seated on his wheel which was held until the signal to start was given.

The riders in to-day's race, in accordance with rules of the L. A. W. were attired in costumes which came from their necks to just below their knees.

The mercantile prizes are to be distributed as follows: The fourth man to finish will take the first mercantile prize, the fifth man the second and so on. After all the winners have been provided for, if any prizes remain the middle man will have their pick until all are distributed.

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The prizes are to be distributed to the successful competitors at the Wheelmen's Headquarters this evening at eight o'clock. Of these, the gold medal, given by Captain Mahon, will go to the man who makes the best actual time, and the canoe ring to the second best man. The bronze gold medal goes to the one who finishes first. The second man to finish gets the first silver medal and the third man the second silver medal. The bronze gold medal goes to the school boy who makes the best time.

PATENT OFF CLAIMS.

Last Night's Council Meeting Held For That Special Purpose.—A New Dog Pounder Applied in Place of Appur, Who Has Been Deceased.—The Peace Street Matter Laid Over to the August Meeting.

A special meeting of the City Council was held, last evening, with President Glens in the chair. All the other Councilmen were present, but Messrs. Erickson, Pike and Marsh.

The call for the meeting was read by the Clerk: It was for the purpose of acting on the bills and to consider any communication from the Mayor or other city official.

The nomination of William Kitchen, as dog-pounder in place of Edwin Appur, resigned, was approved.

A communication from the Corporation Council announcing that he goes on his vacation and would return August 10 was read.

Upon resolution of Mr. Gallup, a three months' note was authorized, the same to be credited to the general fund.

Mr. See called up the ordinance changing the name of North Richmond street to Newwood avenue. It was tabled. Rule No. 32 was suspended in order that one member of a Committee might report upon claims.

Mr. See moved to take up the Peace street matter, and by unanimous consent, the property owners were given an opportunity to speak. None were present, and the matter was laid over until the August meeting.

Mr. Gallup, from the Building Committee, reported on the bills sent in during the evening, and the Clerk was authorized to draw warrants for the payment of the same.

Council adjourned at 9:50 o'clock.

FOUNTAIN TURNS DETECTIVE.

Mr. Truce and Recovers a Wheel Which Had Been Stolen From Him by a Youth Who Gave a Fictitious Name.

Last Thursday morning a youth entered the bicycle store of G. H. Fountain, on Park avenue, to rent a wheel. He said in response to the usual questions, that his name was Frank Kinton, that he lived on Richmond street, and only wanted the bicycle until twelve o'clock. It was then a few minutes past ten, and as Mr. Fountain was acquainted with a young man named Jones living on Richmond street, he naturally supposed his customer to be a younger brother and let the wheel go. Twelve o'clock came and no wheel appeared, nor did any show up the rest of the afternoon. Then Mr. Fountain grew anxious. He learned from a boy who works on Park avenue that the boy who had the missing wheel, lived about two miles south of the city. Fountain mounted his wheel and started for the west. The first thing he saw on reaching the house, was the missing wheel, but the boy had disappeared. The boy could not be found. The boy's father apologized for his son's act and paid Fountain the rent due. He said his boy claimed he had traded his old wheel for the new one.

On the way back to town, Fountain met the missing youth. He begged not to be arrested, and said he had broken his own wheel and had taken it to a machinist to be repaired. He intended to get it this morning and return the rented wheel then. He said he had no thought of stealing, but being afraid to let his father know of the accident, he had adopted this way and hoped to make it all right in the morning.

Myrtle Notes.

Each man who rode in the race this afternoon had his number pinned conspicuously on his back.

G. H. Greenleaf painted the numbers which were placed on the backs of the contestants in the race.

William Ahlgren while out riding yesterday had the misfortune to strain one of the cords of his right leg. James E. Murray also took a bad fall yesterday while prying on the course.

Plainfield to Have a New Bridge.

At the meeting of the Board of Freeholders which was held at Elizabeth Thursday, the committee on the Putnam avenue bridge recommended that an iron beam bridge be built at a cost not to exceed \$50,000. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

A New Friend.

To the sick and suffering is Dr. Kaufman's great Medical Work, finely illustrated. Send three 2-cent stamps to pay postage to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., and receive a copy free.

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ABOUT A TRUNK SEWER.

One Can be Constructed at a Cost of About \$1,500 Per Mile Which Would Answer All Requirements.

The project of constructing a trunk sewer from this city to Staten Island Sound, along the line of the Central Railroad, is being revived. For some time past a citizens' committee has been devising a plan to provide a sewer system for this city, but as yet no definite action has been taken.

The question of an outlet seems to be a troublesome one. The suggestion of going to the Raritan River is not favorably received for the reason that such an outlet would not likely be permanent.

The people of Roselle are also much concerned on the subject, especially since Van Court Jan was closed for the reason that no outlet for drainage could be obtained. At Roselle some forty or fifty private houses drain into the river and notice has recently been served on the owners of the property by the Water Commissioners of Roselle that the practice must cease, as it pollutes the city's source of water supply.

It will be seen that a trunk sewer must be built at once for several of the Union County towns along the line of the Central Railroad. It is said that one sufficiently large to dispose of the refuse of this city and the other towns, can be built at a cost of about \$10,000 or \$12,000 per mile and that the expense of building it might be divided in some such way as the cost of the county roads was apportioned. Having secured an outlet to tide-water each town could then construct its lateral sewers in its own way.

It would be necessary to pump the sewage of this city as far as Fawcett, but sewage collected east of that point would run to tide-water by gravity. It is said that the Land Improvement Company, and other parties having large property interests along the line of the railroad favor the plan of constructing such a trunk sewer to aid in the development of the villages as places of residence.

Be Wise in Time.

In our judgments of woman, Prior advises us to "be to her faults a little blind." Very true; but to the contemplation of her beauty we must have a perfect eye. Is this your possession?

Will advantage yet to mire this cowardly eye by calling at Collier's and getting a reliable verdict thereon. This is guaranteed you "without money and without price."

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Grace Church Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector. Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Evening service 8:00 p. m.

At Scotch Plains (Clarks) Park avenue at 10:30. Sunday School at 11:45 a. m.

Services at East Third street Mission as follows: Sunday-school at 9:30; evening service at 7:45.

First Baptist Church. Prayer meeting 9:30 a. m. to 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. preaching by Rev. Dr. P. L. Verkes, 2:30 p. m. Sunday school and Young Men's class.

There will be the usual meetings in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow at 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Services in the First Presbyterian Church. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by Rev. Hugh H. MacCabe. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

The Gospel Temperance meetings of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society are held every Sunday at Reform Hall at 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Services at the Church of the Heavenly Host, known as 11 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Brodhead will officiate and administer the Holy Communion.

Park Avenue Baptist Church. 9:30 a. m. Sunday-school; 10:45 preaching by Rev. F. W. Lockwood of Titusville, Pa. Evening service.

The Scandinavian Bible Class will meet as usual at 8 p. m. to-morrow at the Park Avenue Baptist Church.

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First Church of Christ. Preaching at 6:30 Lord's Supper at 8:30. Sunday-school at 9:30. Elder Hand will speak at 7:30. Ladies' meeting Wednesday at 3 p. m.

Congregational Church. West Seventh street. Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday-school at 11:55. Evening service at 7:30, conducted by the Y. P. Society.

Warren Union Mission. Sunday-school at 2:30; no evening service.

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