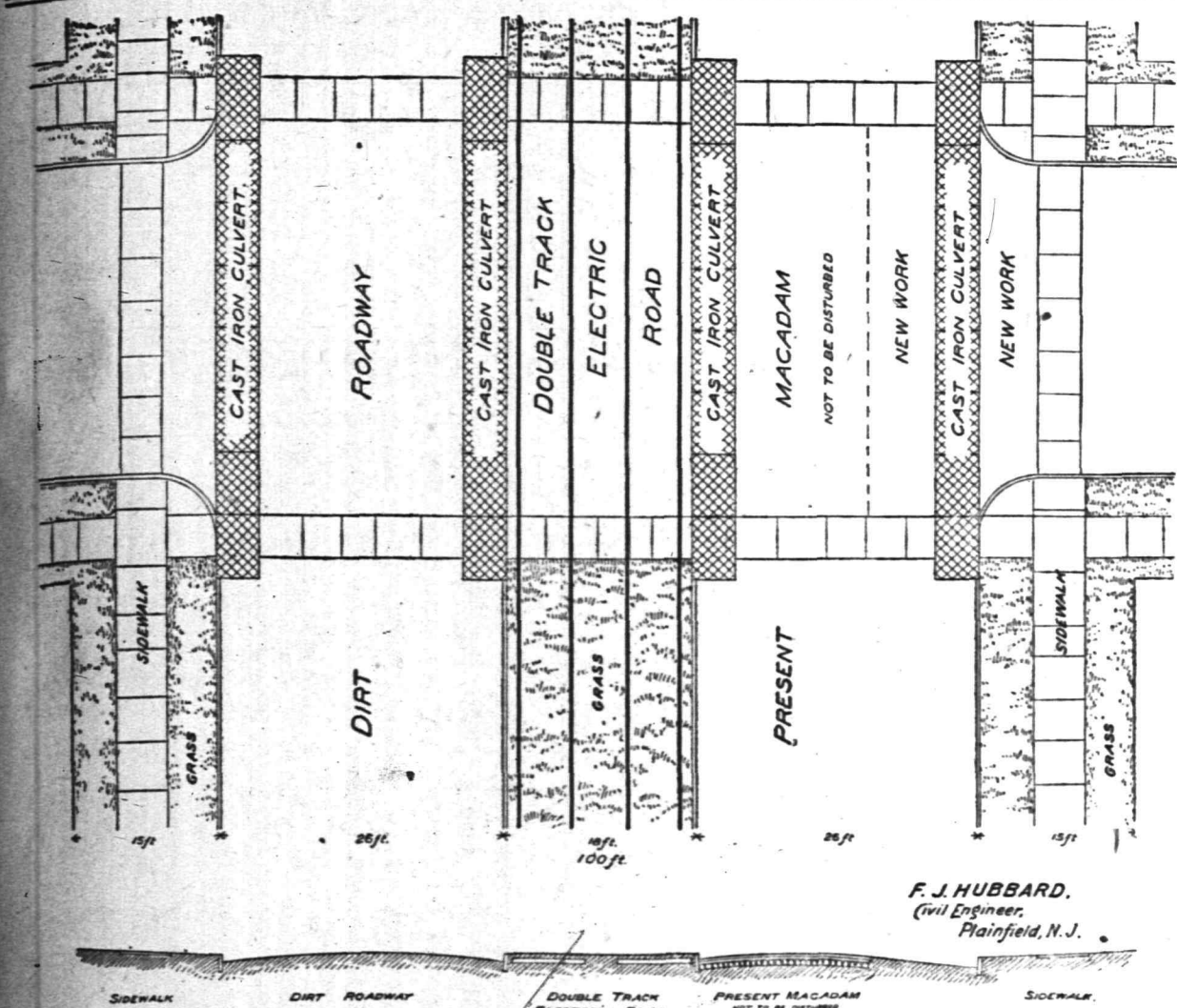


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PROPOSED PLAN OF WIDENING NORTH AVENUE FOR A TROLLEY ROAD.

The above diagram shows the plan proposed by Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth, for widening North avenue to 100 feet and constructing a street railroad on it; by the county, to be leased to some person or corporation for operation. If the plan is carried out the sidewalks will be each 15 feet

wide. Two carriage roads each 26 feet wide will be located between the sidewalks and the trolley tracks, and the railroad itself will be on a strip 16 feet wide, with curbs on each side, thus permitting rapid transit without danger. The upper part of the cut illustrates a street crossing.

The avenue at present is 66 feet wide. To make the improvement as proposed it will be necessary to acquire a strip of land 34 feet wide on one side. A public meeting will be held in the court house in the city of Elizabeth on Thursday evening, September 30th, at 8 o'clock, to consider the suggestion.

MORE TROLLEY DELAY.

FIGHT FOR RIGHT OF WAY STILL GOES ON IN SOMERVILLE.

Three Sets of Capitalists Want the Franchise and Each Claim to Have the Advantage—No Action Till October 4th.

The trolley fight is still on in Somerville—three sets of capitalists seeking the right of way. Wednesday afternoon the Township Committee gave another hearing to the representatives of the applicants, but nothing definite was done.

Walter Rehill presented a plan for dividing up the amount which the macadam was estimated to cost. Several others spoke, and when all had concluded Mr. Wiegand handed up a number of revocations of property owners who had granted their consents to the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company. These revocations amounted to about 3,000 feet. The New York Company had a majority of feet last week, and as they were the only company who had a majority, they felt confident that they would get a franchise. They claimed that the consents were irrevocable, but as no one seemed ready to decide that point, no company seemed to have a majority of the consents.

For the Somerset Traction Company, a local syndicate, former Senator Keys said: "I must state that I am not in a position to present its application and consents today. I am in possession, however, of a charter that gives me the legal right to break ground at once for a railway on the public highway. I have been advised by a lawyer to go ahead and break ground. But, gentlemen, I am here to represent the interest of my constituents and Somerset county and do not want to fight either the Committee or the rival companies. In two weeks I will be in a position to show you that the Somerset Traction Company have the majority of consents, and if the Committee will then grant me the franchise, I will agree to break ground in forty-eight hours, and will build a road according to the demands of the Committee. I am not here to jolly the Committee. I mean business, and will be in a position to file my bonds at the end of two weeks, but do not intend to tie up my money while this consent business is in dispute."

Superintendent Radel of the Brunswick Traction Company, ventured the opinion that the Committee acted wisely in postponing final action for two weeks as it would give either one company or the other an opportunity to elicit their consents, and knock the other fellow out.

Mr. Bergen, in behalf of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company protested against further delay. The company was very weary with it all. They had already invested a great deal of money, and if they were not now to be allowed to build they wanted to know it.

The Committee adjourned the trolley matter for further consideration on October 4th.

MINERVA'S PEACH FESTIVAL.

Rathbone Sisters Conduct a Successful Affair.

Washington Hall on West Second street was well filled last evening, when the members of Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters, gave a peach and ice cream festival, accompanied by dancing. The evening was just suited to the affair and the attraction was a strong one. The music for dancing was furnished by Sam. Frazee, and everyone indulged freely in the popular amusement. Mrs. Andrew Cox was in charge of the ice cream, while Mrs. Haberle dispensed the cake and peaches. The floor manager was Walter Higgins, and J. B. Higgins had charge of the soft drinks. The committee who arranged the affair consisted of Mrs. Bowman, chairman; Mrs. Mattis, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Haberle and Mrs. Cox. Of course the dancing was a feature, but the various tables did good business, and a gratifying amount of money was received by the women.

Mt. Zion's Harvest Home.

The attendance at the Harvest Home at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church last evening was much larger than on the opening night. Rev. Mr. Groves, the pastor, was in charge as usual, and he made an address during the evening on a popular subject. Mr. Groves also acted as auctioneer and everything was disposed of at high prices. It is estimated that \$40 will be received as profit from the affair. Sociability was the feature of last evening, and it was late before those in attendance left for their homes.

A Big Policeman.

John Adams Gross, six feet two inches in height, has been appointed a special policeman at Lincoln.

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LIVING WHIST CARDS.

TO BE THE PRINCIPAL FEATURE OF THE SPIELKARTENFEST.

How the Dance is Arranged—Miss Lila Agnew Stewart, Who Gave the Last Kirmess, Will be in Charge Again.

After a recess for the summer months, the Ladies Auxiliary of the Muhlenberg Hospital held another meeting yesterday afternoon. It was the regular monthly meeting and the customary reports were received. The principal subject of interest, however, was the Spielkartenfest, which is to be given in the Cycle Academy during November for the benefit of the hospital. It is under the charge of the auxiliary and the board of governors.

The Spielkartenfest is to be given under the direct supervision of Miss Lila Agnew Stewart, who so successfully conducted the Kirmess two years ago. Miss Stewart came to Plainfield yesterday afternoon and was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Van Buren, of Central avenue. She met the members of the auxiliary and then, during the evening, held a long conference with Mrs. Van Buren regarding the details of the affair.

There seems to be a general mistaken idea about the Spielkartenfest. As the name implies, the principal feature of it will be a dance of living playing cards, but the affair will also include a number of other dances, all of which will be different, however, from those of the Kirmess. The Spielkartenfest proper will last about twenty-five minutes and is really a game of whist played with living cards, "living whist." Fifty-two young people will be costumed so as to represent the different cards in the pack. Then there will be the court jester, who shuffles the pack and deals the cards, the pages and the four players who are to meet in this wonderful game. They will consist of four well-known players of this vicinity, two from this city and two from the borough. One hand will be played each night and the winners will be those that score the most during the week.

Miss Stewart has just conducted a Kirmess at Nyack which proved more than successful. The town went wild over it and Miss Stewart has been engaged to return there a year from next June for another; in the meantime a building will be constructed especially to hold it in, as the present accommodations there were far too small to take care of the crowd that attended or attempted to attend.

ENDEAVORERS ELECT OFFICERS.

Park Avenue Church Society Planned for Fall Work.

The Junior Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church met for the first time this fall yesterday afternoon, elected officers, selected committees, and planned for the fall work. The attendance was large and very gratifying to the superintendent, Mrs. W. S. Lowry, who saw in it the promise of an active season.

The election of officers was held and resulted as follows: President, Florence Cuming; vice-president, Harry Thompson; secretary, Violet Van Winkle; treasurer, Nellie Giles. The committees were chosen as follows: Lookout committee, Hazel DeLany, chairman; Retta Nash, Tilly Mulford, Florence Cuming and Charles Heller; prayer-meeting, Harry Thompson, chairman; Nina Sampson, Stuart Freeman, Irving VanWinkle, Violet VanWinkle; missionary, May Mulford, chairman; Grace Teneyck, Florence Smalley, Olivia Male and Nellie Giles; social, Marion Shotwell; chairman; Bessie Teneyck, Elmer Cramer, Viola Heller, Charles Kern, and Marion Dickenson; scrap-book, Van Shotwell, chairman; Autumn DeLany, Walter VanWinkle, Ethel VanWinkle, Lillian Cuming and Howard Freeman.

KERWIN ARRESTED AGAIN.

Alleged That He Sold Beer Illegally to George W. Gulanski.

Lawrence Kerwin, who keeps a beer bottling establishment at Guinea Egg Pond, was arrested last evening by Roundsman Frederickson on the charge of selling beer from his wagon without an order. The complaint alleges that he sold twelve pints of beer to George W. Gulanski, of Richmond street, on May 8th.

Kerwin was released on bail and appeared before City Judge DeMeza this morning, and was held in \$100 bail for trial on Oct. 8th.

Church Organ Recital.

The music at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow evening at the recital given at 7:30 o'clock is as follows: In the morning from Pier Gyn Suite—Grieg Grand Fantasia—Bartlett At evening—Buck Benj. LaVere will play a cornet solo, "Non e'er," by Mattis, during the service.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

TO GET OUT PARTY VOTE.

REPUBLICANS WORKING FOR ANTI-GAMBLING AMENDMENT.

A Regular Corps of Workers Will be Out Tuesday to Induce Disinterested Ones to Vote—An Address Has Also Been Issued.

The Republicans are rather at a loss how to conduct the campaign for Tuesday's election. It has heretofore been men and not amendments that were to be voted on and now the questions come up which are not party questions even though endorsed by the Republican organization of the State and city. The committee, in whose hands the city executive committee of the Republicans have left the matter, have discussed the question and finally decided what is to be done. An address has been issued which is even now in the hands of the voters. It calls attention to the election and the amendments and makes a special plea for the anti-gambling amendment.

There will be the regular corps of workers at the polls at Tuesday's election, and carriages will be put in service to get out all the voters. Transparencies will be put up at the North Avenue station to remind voters of the election. The usual lines of campaign work are not suited for the present one and so they will not appear. It is probable that the citizens will take sides in the matter entirely separate from party lines, and the Republicans are not sure who they want to bring. As it stands they will try to get out the Republicans and depend on them to vote in favor of the amendments, although they have no certainty that they will. It is generally understood, however, that the bulk of the vote in Plainfield, irrespective of party, will be in favor of the amendments.

Elizabeth seems to be a doubtful locality to the politicians. Some are prophesying that there will be a big vote there while others say that it will be unusually small. It seems certain, however, that the race track element in that city, which is quite numerous, will not stand still and be defeated without some attempt to prevent it.

The Citizen's League in this city will begin its campaign tomorrow afternoon when a big mass meeting will be held at the Stillman Theatre at 4 o'clock. The speakers will be Dr. Kempshall, Dr. A. H. Lewis, former Mayor Gilbert and probably others. Everybody is invited.

PRINCE OF ENTERTAINERS.

An Opportunity for Plainfielders to Hear Marshall P. Wilder.

Plainfielders will be glad of an opportunity to hear the funny little man, Marshall P. Wilder, termed by ex-President Grover Cleveland, "The prince of entertainers." Mr. Wilder will be in Plainfield, at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on September 30th.

Those who have enjoyed Mr. Wilder's entertainment do not need to be reminded of the pure quality and delicacy of his humor, but we would say to those who have not heard him, that his impersonations, while being of the most mirth-provoking description, are exceptionally refined; and the fact that he is endorsed by the clergy, statesmen, leaders of society, and press of both England and America, is a guarantee of this statement.

In his impersonations Mr. Wilder uses no costumes, depending upon frequent changes of the voice, facial expressions and a disarrangement of his hair to produce varied effects. All his selections are from memory, which in connection with his fine stage presence, and the absence of anything to displease the most refined, renders the entertainment most pleasing and gratifying to those before whom he appears.

Mrs. Sands Extends Thanks.

The following letter has been sent to Frank O. Cole, Assistant-Adjutant General Department New Jersey, G. A. R., by Mrs. Emanuel Sands, wife of the late Department Commander of the order:

My Dear Sir—Will you kindly convey to my husband's comrades the thanks of his wife and children. May God in His infinite mercy cheer and protect those heroic men who have shown their courage so often on field and deck, and their tender sympathy to us on Monday when all seemed so dark. The patient unwearied fatigue involved in that long and toilsome march testified a spirit of devotion and love which words are inadequate to portray. We earnestly hope and ardently pray that the lives of my dear husband's comrades may long be spared that those they leave here upon earth may be cheered and comforted as we were by their soldierly devotion.

Mrs. Emanuel Sands.

—The funeral of Charles Kaeding, who died of consumption on Thursday morning, will be held at the house, No. 114 East Fifth street, at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The Rev. G. K. Newell of Hope chapel, will officiate, and interment will be in the family plot in North Plainfield cemetery.

ONE STUDENT LESS NOW.

RUTGERS COLLEGE LOSES A FRESHMAN BECAUSE OF A HAZING.

He Started Out for an Evening Stroll But Didn't Get Back Till After Midnight—Suddenly Decided to go to His Home.

Fresh from the quiet town of Somerville, with ambitions for his life at Rutgers College, Frank C. Lane had his aspirations dimmed and for some reason apparently found New Brunswick anything but a desirable town to stay in. At all events, according to a story told by one of the Rutgers College men, he made a brief stay there. Young Lane, so the story goes, reached New Brunswick the day before college opened. He made some purchases of clothing and engaged a room temporarily in Hertzog Hall.

Lane took it into his head to see something of the quaint old college town on the banks of the Raritan, about which he had heard so much, and that evening he sallied forth. The ruins of the theatre building were somewhat of a curiosity to the young man, and he expressed great surprise when he learned that they had been permitted to stand unmolested for eighteen months. After walking around the town he wended his way back to his temporary quarters.

While walking through Hamilton street several collegians are said to have met Lane, and, without the formality of an introduction, announced that they, too, were verdant freshmen, and therefore classmates of the young man from Somerville. Just what happened from then, until young Lane reached his room at midnight, cannot at present be ascertained.

That he was hazed there is apparently little doubt, but just what course of treatment the young man was compelled to go through no one seems willing to disclose, and young Lane is not in town to explain.

Whether young Lane feared that he would have to undergo more such treatment if he remained in New Brunswick or whether he reached the conclusion that after all he did not want a college education, is not known. He left the city on the first train the following morning, and that is the reason the freshman class at Rutgers only numbers forty-eight instead of forty-nine men.

Rutgers College Opens.

The fall term of Rutgers College, and the beginning of the 132d year, commenced Wednesday. Dr. Austin Scott, president of the college, delivered the opening address as usual, and urged the students to do their best. The freshman class numbers forty-eight. It is thought the college will have a strong football team this year.

Fifty-two Indictments.

The Middlesex County Grand Jury completed its labors yesterday afternoon and presented to Justice Collins fifty-two indictments. The jury was discharged with the thanks of the Court.

FOOTBALL IN SHADOWS.

LOCAL ELEVEN PRACTICED UNDER ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

First Time That the Plan Has Ever Been Tried in This City—Fifteen Candidates for Positions Were Present.

The Plainfield Athletic Association has already shown its enterprise by doing something that has never been done for the benefit of a football team in Plainfield before. The practice field of the eleven of the association has been illuminated by electric light and the players are enabled to practice outdoors at night. The Elizabeth Athletic Club tried such a plan successfully, and now the Plainfield boys have shown themselves to be right up in line.

The practice field is located on Westervelt avenue, just on the city side of Green brook. Three large 50 candle power incandescent electric lights were hung at a convenient height over the portion of the field which the players will use. Last night the team met for its first night practice.

There was a good showing of candidates, most of whom turned out in their football suits. Several who were unable to come last night sent word that they would be on hand at the next practice, and others who could not stay came over to say that they wanted to try for the team and would be out for the next practice.

There were fifteen candidates out last night and after some preliminary practice passing and falling on the ball, they lined up and Louis Waring put them through the principal plays using one of last year's sets of signals. The boys played a quick snappy game and all worked hard to do their best. Waring was greatly pleased with the showing and hopes to have a strong team on the field for next Saturday when the first game will be played. There will be several changes in the team and a number of new valuable men will be added. The game next Saturday will be with the Warwick Athletic Club, one of the up-town clubs of New York. The team is composed largely of ex college men and has a reputation of being very strong.

Central's Improvements.

The Central Railroad has broken ground for a tower house at the Bridge street crossing, in Somerville and other extensive alterations will be made in the switches, which will cost between \$4,000 and \$5,000. The tracks are to be so arranged that all the switches are to be operated from the tower, and the Flemington trains can be switched on to the South Branch road without going on to the main tracks. All drilling will be done off the main tracks.

Manager Willey's New Venture.

George H. Willey, in addition to his duties as the manager of Stillman Theatre, is also director and manager of the Faulkner Comic Opera Company, which is now booked for nearly the entire season of 1898-99.

AN APPEAL FOR VOTES.

SCHOOL SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT HAS STRONG SUPPORTERS.

Educators Say That to Allow Women to Vote for School Trustees Will Promote the Welfare of the Public Schools.

An appeal to the friends of education in the State of New Jersey, explaining the nature and operation of the proposed amendment to the Constitution restoring to women the right to vote for members of Boards of Education in rural districts, to be voted upon on September 28th, is being widely circulated. It ends with the following paragraph:

"Believing, as we do, that public education is one of the most important bulwarks of our system of Government; that this amendment will promote the welfare of the public schools by securing the co-operation of the women, and especially of the mothers of our State, and believing also that all intelligent citizens will vote in its favor if the matter is brought to their attention, we would urge all clergymen to bring it to the notice of their congregations in such manner and at such times as may seem proper to them, and we would also urge all good citizens, and especially the women of the State, to use their influence in favor of this amendment and to see that a full vote is called out on September 28th, lest this good measure, designed to restore to the women of the State the privileges exercised by them so acceptably from 1887 to 1894, should be lost through a lack of knowledge or of interest on the part of the intelligent voters of the State."

Among the signers of the appeal are Florence Howe Hall, Plainfield; Emily E. Williamson, general secretary New Jersey State Charities Aid Association, Elizabeth; Garret A. Hobart, Vice-President of the United States; George T. Werts, ex Governor of New Jersey; Foster M. Voorhees, member of New Jersey Senate; Charles J. Baxter, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; James L. Hays, president State Board of Education; Rev. J. Clement French, president New Jersey Christian Endeavor Union, Newark; James H. McGraw, chairman State Executive Committee Y. M. C. A., and one hundred other prominent men and women, including the county superintendents of public instruction for the counties of Bergen, Camden, Essex, Gloucester, Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Monmouth, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex and Union; the city superintendents of public schools of Bayonne, Hoboken, Newark, Orange, Paterson, Passaic, Phillipsburg, Plainfield and Salem; the principals of the New Jersey State Normal and Model Schools, the president and corresponding secretary of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of New Jersey, the State Department President Ladies of the G. A. R., of New Jersey.

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MEXICO'S TRAGEDY.

Police Chief Velasquez Adds a New Chapter to It.

HE SUICIDES WITH A REVOLVER.

Had Confessed to Giving the Order For the Murder of Arroyo, the Man Who Attempted to Kill President Diaz.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 25.—Yesterday ex-Chief of Police Eduardo Velasquez shot himself in the left temple, dying instantly.

No one knows how he procured the pistol. His action is generally approved.

Velasquez confessed to having ordered the murder of Arroyo, who had been arrested for attempting to assassinate President Diaz.

Velasquez sent his servant to purchase the knives with which Arroyo was afterward hacked to death.

When Velasquez was arrested for this lynching, he at first evaded the question put to him by the magistrate by saying that he was a great admirer of the president and that anybody who attempted to assassinate such a man deserved the worst kind of punishment.

When the magistrate told Velasquez that he must return a direct answer, the inspector finally admitted his guilt.

There was at one time a disposition shown to be lenient with Velasquez on account of his claim that zeal for the welfare of the president had moved him to murder Arroyo.

But President Diaz would listen to no appeals in behalf of the murderous inspector and urged that he be rigorously prosecuted.

In consequence of Velasquez's suicide, the warden of Belem prison has been arrested and placed in solitary confinement.

Velasquez shot himself with a small pistol, and the warden is under suspicion of either furnishing the weapon or maintaining lax discipline.

Colonel Velasquez had been placed in solitary confinement because of suspected complicity in the lynching of Arroyo, who attempted to stab President Diaz on the morning of Sept. 16.

Colonel Velasquez, together with Cabrera, assistant chief of the secret service, was arrested Saturday, Sept. 18, two days after the attempt on Diaz's life by Arroyo, who was stabbed to death the same night in police headquarters.

Police Antonio Milanes and Barolo Franco, who were guarding Arroyo at the time of his murder and who were officially reported to have been "without arms," were also arrested and are in solitary confinement. Maure Sanchez, adjutant at police headquarters, is also a prisoner.

There are in all 21 persons accused of complicity in the lynching of Arroyo. Eleven of them were newboys and three peanut vendors.

Were Burned to the Bone.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Eddie Wood, aged 10 years, had a narrow escape from electrocution. A telephone wire had fallen over the Traction company's guy wire and had been tied to a fence. Wood attempted to put a steel wagon tire over the fence. When it came in contact with the wire, the boy received a terrible shock and was unable to release his right hand. His screams brought a crowd of people, and Tim Barnes attempted to pull Wood from the tire and was knocked full length to the ground. A bystander also attempted and was sent to his knees. Then an umbrella handle was fastened to the boy's sleeve and he was jerked free. The boy's hand and wrist were burned to the bone.

A Spanish Admiral Talks.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Daily Graphic this morning publishes an interview with Admiral de la Camara, naval attaché of the Spanish embassy in London, in the course of which he says he does not believe that any definite plan of naval campaign exists to be followed in the event of war between Spain and the United States, and he adds that if such a plan exists it must necessarily be modified by assistance received from any other European power.

Indicted For Murder.

BUFFALO, Sept. 25.—Frederick Katoll was indicted for murder in the first degree by the grand jury of the supreme court. Katoll is the young man who last Sunday afternoon in his father's greenhouse on Linwood avenue quarreled with Eugene Ledate, a former resident of Philadelphia, and killed him with a hatchet, afterward burying the body in a manure pile. Katoll pleaded not guilty.

Peace at Montevideo.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—A cablegram received at the state department from United States Minister Stuart at Montevideo announces the proclamation of peace there. He had previously reported that all arrangements had been made looking to peace, but that the plan required the ratification of congress. It is assumed that this has now been given and that the insurrection is at an end.

To Be Charged With Murder.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 25.—Filippo Restio, an Italian who was seriously injured in a shooting and stabbing affray last Saturday afternoon, is dead. The police of the city will take steps to arrest Antonio Perrino, who shot Restio, on a warrant charging him with murder.

Banana Peel Killed Him.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—Charles Newhall, a barber, was run over and instantly killed here. He stepped on a banana peel and fell under the wheels of a heavy wagon, which went over his body, crushing the life out of him.

A Disastrous Fire.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—More than half the village of Newport-Pagnell has been destroyed by fire. The flames consumed 40 thatched cottages, with barns, etc., and rendered 150 people homeless.

Sudden Death of a Minister.

NYACK, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Rev. John A. Davis, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Nyack, died suddenly of neuralgia of the heart in his fifty-eighth year.

STATE NOT FRIGHTENED.

Declares That Luetgert's Witnesses Will Be Shown Up in Fine Style.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—The testimony for the defense in the Luetgert trial yesterday was for the most part that of witnesses who said they had seen Mrs. Luetgert in the vicinity of Kenosha, Wis., within a few days after the date on which it has been claimed by the state that she was murdered.

The fact that Juror William Harley was indicted in 1887 for conspiracy and bribery in connection with the Cook county commissioners scandal was dragged to the front. There are now no cases pending against Juror Harley, and he was never put on trial on the indictments against him.

State Attorney Deneen was apparently not disturbed by the evidence of the witnesses from Kenosha, Wis., who identified the picture of Mrs. Luetgert as that of a strange woman they saw in the Wisconsin town on May 3, 4 and 5. "Wait until we put in our rebuttal evidence," said he. "We will show this defense up in a way that will be surprising."

Witnesses will now be called to show Luetgert's treatment of his wife. It will be sought to be shown that he was a model husband and that his home life was pleasant. Next week the testimony of the experts in regard to the bones found in the factory will be heard.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
Washington ... 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 4—7
New York ... 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—2
Washington—Hits, 15; errors, 2. New York—Hits, 6; errors, 3.

Second game—
New York ... 0 0 1 1 1 1 2 2—8
Washington ... 0 0 0 0 2 1 1 0—4
New York—Hits, 12; errors, 3. Washington—Hits, 8; errors, 4.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ... 1 0 0 0 1 1 3 4—10
Philadelphia ... 2 1 0 0 0 0 1 3—2—9
Brooklyn—Hits, 15; errors, 5. Philadelphia—Hits, 14; errors, 2.

At Baltimore—
Boston ... 0 0 0 1 2 0 2 1—6
Baltimore ... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—4
Boston—Hits, 9; errors, 0. Baltimore—Hits, 12; errors, 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	90	37	.709
Baltimore	87	37	.702
New York	80	46	.635
Cincinnati	71	54	.568
Cleveland	66	59	.525
Washington	58	68	.460
Brooklyn	58	69	.457
Pittsburg	56	69	.448
Chicago	55	71	.437
Philadelphia	54	73	.425
Louisville	51	73	.411
St. Louis	27	96	.220

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The bubonic plague is again prevalent in India.

All incoming European steamers had a taste of the Carolina storm.

A Saranac Lake (N. Y.) man has discovered gold near his home.

An alarming outbreak of typhoid fever is reported in Kent, England.

Great loss of life is reported in a railroad accident near Maddur, in India.

The sinking of the schooner Minnie A. Bonsall was reported at Charleston.

Typhoid fever is causing ravages among the Turkish troops in Thessaly.

Forty persons were killed and many injured by an earthquake at Girgenti, in Italy.

Liliuokalani will resume her fight against annexation of Hawaii as soon as congress convenes.

The state of Washington officials are said to favor the colonization scheme of the Social Democracy.

An attempt to hold up a Santa Fe train near Edmond, O. T., was prevented by deputy marshals.

Dictator Barrios of Guatemala is said to be imprisoning and shooting all who sympathize with the revolution.

Six Chinese who were attempting to cross from Mexico to the United States were captured 35 miles east of San Diego, Cal.

The announcement that Mrs. Lily Langtry will marry Prince Esterhazy is confirmed by her attorney at San Francisco.

A portion of the soldiers sent by the war department to Alaska will be stationed at St. Michaels and a portion sent up the Yukon to the boundary.

U. S. S.

Cures

"Cures talk" in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, as for no other medicine.

Its great cures recorded in truthful, convincing language of grateful men and women, constitute its most effective advertising. Many of these cures are marvelous. They have won the confidence of the people; have given Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world, and have made necessary for its manufacture the greatest laboratory on earth. Hood's Sarsaparilla is known by the cures it has made—cures of scrofula, salt rheum and eczema, cures of rheumatism, neuralgia and weak nerves, cures of dyspepsia, liver and kidney troubles, catarrh and malaria.

Such Cures as This Prove Merit.

"My little nephew was a plump and healthy baby until a year and a half old, then sores broke out behind his ears and spread rapidly over his head, hands and body. A physician said the trouble was scrofula humor in the blood. The child became one complete sore. We had to restrain his hands to keep him from scratching the sores. We were induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and in a short time he had more life. He improved rapidly, his skin became entirely clear of sores and he is now a healthy child." MRS. FLORENCE ANDREWS, Clearfield, Iowa.

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O'Neil's.

AUTUMN DRESS GOODS.

Our BIG DRESS GOODS SECTION is one of the most interesting places a woman can visit these early September days. The shelves and counters are heaped high with the best products of the great manufacturers of Europe and America. New Colors, New Designs, New Weaves, greet you at every turn.

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To whom it may concern: Take notice that the report of the Commissioners appointed by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of North Plainfield to make the assessment of the cost and expenses of the improvement of laying out, opening, grading, macadamizing, etc., of Watchung Avenue, in said Borough under an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the laying out and opening of Watchung Avenue from the centre line of Green Brook to the southeasterly side line of Jackson Avenue," approved September 6, 1897, has been filed in the office of the Borough Clerk, James K. Arnold, where it may be seen by all persons.
And take further notice: That the said Commissioners will meet on Monday evening, September 27, 1897, at eight o'clock at the Council Chambers in said Borough of North Plainfield, when and where the parties interested can be heard by the said Commissioners, if any such desire to be heard or object to said report or assessment in any way, and thereafter said Commissioners will proceed to correct, complete, sign and return said report according to law.
Gustus H. Cooley,
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PARTICULAR MENTION.

A. H. Cornish, of Newark, was visiting in Plainfield yesterday.

Miss Edith Marsh, of Washington Heights, is the guest of Miss Fannie Western, of Washington Avenue.

Mrs. J. R. Potts, of West Second Street, has returned from Rahway, where she has been visiting friends.

Fred Bach, of the Grand Union Tea Company's store, returns today from a short vacation spent at Liberty Corner.

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Miss Maude VanDyke, of East Front Street, is expected home from Morristown today.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by L. W. Randolph, Druggist.

Miss Mary VanEps, of East Front Street, who has been visiting relatives in Somerville, has returned home.

Owing to over-crowding and bad ventilation, the air of the schoolroom is often close and impure, and teachers and pupils frequently suffer from lung and throat troubles. To all such we would say, try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For coughs, colds, weak lungs and bronchial troubles no other remedy can compare with it. Says A. C. Freed, Superintendent of Schools, Prairie Depot, Ohio: "Having some knowledge of the efficacy of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, I have no hesitation in recommending it to all who suffer from coughs, lung troubles, etc." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North Avenues, Plainfield.

Miss Mabel Woodruff, of East Second Street, is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

"My boy came home late from school one day with his hand badly lacerated and bleeding, and suffering great pain," says Mr. E. J. Schall, with Meyer Bros. Drug Co., St. Louis, Mo. "I dressed the wound, and applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely. All pain ceased, and in a remarkably short time it healed without leaving a scar. For wounds, sprains, swellings and rheumatism I know of no medicine or prescription equal to it. I consider it a household necessity." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North Avenues, Plainfield.

William G. Pasch, of Belle Mead, who is visiting D. C. Allen, of the borough, will return home tomorrow.

It Saves the Croupy Children.

Seaview Va.—We have a splendid sale on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and our customers coming from far and near, speak of it in the highest terms. Many have said that their children would have died of croup if Chamberlain's Cough Remedy had not been given—Kellam & Ourren. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North Avenues, Plainfield.

Assemblyman W. R. Codrington has added another room to the suite occupied by his law offices.

A Cure for Bilious Colic.

Resource, Scriven Co., Ga.—I have been subject to attacks of bilious colic for several years. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is the only sure relief. It acts like a charm. One dose of it gives relief when all other remedies fail.—G. D. Sharp. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North Avenues, Plainfield.

ANAWFUL LANDSLIDE

First Great Disaster to Klondike Gold Hunters.

NEWS COMES BY THE TUG PIONEER.

It is Reported That Eighteen Persons, Including One Woman, Are Missing, Among These a Well Known Prizefighter's Relative.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Sept. 25.—Tug Pioneer, Captain Neilson, has arrived here direct from Skagway with news of the first great disaster which has befallen the gold seekers. A large party, totalling nearly over the Dyca trail toward the Yukon, last Saturday was overwhelmed by a landslide or glacial slide and many killed.

Eighteen persons in all—17 men and one woman—were reported missing, and while it is not supposed that more than seven or eight were killed it would not surprise those who brought out the news to learn later that none of the missing ever turned up alive.

The accident is described by some as a snowslide, by others as a landslide and by others as the tearing loose by the rains of a huge glacier that overhung Sheep camp and the trail. The news reached Skagway Sunday evening, and the tug Pioneer left there at 3 o'clock Monday morning.

Win Sprague, brother of Captain Sprague of the tug Sea Lion, was a passenger on the Pioneer, and he tells the following story of the destructive slide: "I heard the news of the slide on Sunday evening from a man who claimed to have witnessed it. He said the accident was caused by the rain. During the first part of the week it was cold, and ice had formed all around. On Thursday a change came, and Thursday night and Friday morning there was a warm rain, accompanied by a Chinook wind, which thawed out everything.

"The rain came down in torrents, the worst storm of years for that section, and continued all Friday and Saturday forenoon. About noon Saturday the slide came, striking the Dyca trail at Sheep camp.

"Just what caused it could not be told, but there came a slide of earth and rocks and water that carried off all in its path. Sheep camp was in line with the flood, and it was literally wiped out of existence. Fortunately there were not many persons there that day compared with the crowd usually at the camp. This is where the loss of life occurred.

"Everybody left outfit and baggage behind and fled for his life. Some were caught in the deluge, just how many may never be known, but 18 were missing altogether.

"Two of them were a man and his wife named Crockett. I believe, who were running restaurants at Sheep camp. It is believed that the woman at least was lost. No trace of either of them had been reported up to the time I left Skagway.

"One body had been found. It was that of Choyinski, cousin of the prizefighter. He was found a quarter of a mile from where he had been camping on the trail and was in a terrible condition.

"When discovered, all of his clothes had been torn from him, his body was bruised and mangled, but he was not dead. He was suffering untold agony and died within a short time after being found.

"Four or five of the missing men were Indian packers, and one of them is reported to have had \$4,000 with him and was just starting out for Dyca when the slide came.

"There is great excitement along the trails and at Dyca and Skagway over the report of the big slide. One report was that 50 persons had been killed, but the facts are as I have stated them to you already.

Charles Finn, assistant engineer of the Pioneer, confirms the story as told by Mr. Sprague.

He was on shore at Skagway until 2 o'clock Monday morning and made diligent inquiries about the reported landslide. Mr. Finn believes that one of the glaciers which are to be seen hanging along the mountain sides was washed off by the heavy rains and that it came crashing down the hill, dealing destruction along its path.

Just before reaching the trail and Sheep camp this glacier swept through a lake at the foot of one of the hills, and instantly there was an outlet for the lake, and its waters followed the glacier and numerous boulders as they came chasing along through Sheep camp. This, Mr. Finn believes, is a reasonable explanation of the accident, and he is certain from what he heard while on shore that at least seven were drowned or crushed to death in the slide.

"He knew the names of several of the missing, but was soon too drunk after landing in Skagway to talk clearly.

"There is consternation at Dyca and Skagway over the report of the accident, and it will deter hundreds from trying to get across this year.

"I was told that the Skagway trail was literally obliterated and that there is no use trying to get over it this year.

The steamship Alki also arrived here from Dyca and Skagway, and Captain Patterson reports that the Knowles Gold Mining Company, with property on Berners bay, has just struck it rich in a new quartz ledge.

The discovery was made just off Berners bay, and it is said thousands of persons have walked over the ledge during the past five years. The ledge is 37 feet wide and has been traced for over 1,000 feet.

The mill test gave an assay of \$100 to the ton, and concentrates went \$150 to the ton. It is claimed that concentrates can be dug up all over the claim underneath the ground, and Captain Patterson says the strike is undoubtedly one of the best ever made in the world.

A Fatal Air Shaft.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Lewis Doulosky, 5 years old, of 23 Monroe street, fell through the air shaft to the ground, five stories below, and was killed.

TO HAVE A RESPITE

Advance Against the Afridis Has Been Postponed.

PUNITIVE OPERATIONS PROGRESSING.

News From Simla Is Greatly Encouraging to the Englishman at Home, as It Indicates Victory For British Troops.

SIMLA, India, Sept. 25.—Owing to the protracted campaign against the Mohmunda, General Sir William Lockhart, commander of the Punjab frontier force and in supreme control of the punitive operations, has decided to postpone the general advance against the Afridis at Tirah, their summer headquarters, until Oct. 9.

The Afridis are encamped in a strong position on a rugged plateau, which it will be most difficult to scale, and they are assembled there in great force.

According to intelligence received from Samana, an advance body of over 2,000 of the enemy has arrived in the Khanki valley and is watching the movements of the British troops. The Afridis are spreading a report that the army of Afghanistan has demanded hostages of them and will help them if hostages are given.

The news from the Mohmund expedition is very satisfactory. General Jeffreys, who is meeting little opposition, is destroying the enemy's fortifications and villages. The tribesmen appear cowed, and overtures for surrender are expected very shortly.

It appears that they lost over 70 killed and a large number wounded during the night attack on Sir Bindon Blood's column, their heavy defeat destroying their faith in the mollahs, who had promised to close the muzzles of the British guns by divine means.

Encouraging For Englishmen.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—According to special dispatches from Simla, the British, who on Wednesday captured Badmanai pass, held by the Haddah mollah with a large force of Mohmunda and Shinwaris, have pushed on from the pass and without opposition have occupied Jarobi, the village and headquarters of the Haddah mollah, who has fled.

It is believed that the capture of the village and the flight of the priest will break the back of the opposition of the tribesmen to the further advance of the British.

A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

Fire, a Runaway Steam Engine, Death, Accidents and Destruction in Toronto.

TORONTO, Sept. 25.—Fire originated in a woodshed in the rear of the Musee theater on Yonge street last night and communicated to a large warehouse adjoining and to the theater. At the time the fire broke out the actors in the theater were preparing for a performance, and there was a wild scramble to get out of the building. The theater is badly damaged by fire and smoke.

A fire engine that was stationed at the corner of Adelaide and Victoria streets was left with the horses hitched to it. A jet of steam shot out of the safety valve of the engine with a loud report. This frightened the horses, and they ran away down the crowded street. The heavy engine ran over Bertie Escoff, 11 years old, killing him instantly. Seven firemen were so badly crushed between the engine and a wall that they had to be removed in ambulances to the hospital. Half a dozen citizens were also more or less injured.

The Hazleton Strike Over.

HAZLETON, Pa., Sept. 25.—The coroner's jury investigating the death of the Lattimer victims met again and heard additional testimony. Charles Gascott, the schoolteacher; John Welsh, Stephen Charles, Daniel Ferry and other miners testified, but nothing new was adduced with the exception of the statement by Ferry that after the first volley was fired Deputy Wrought shot at a man on the railroad tracks. After a half dozen witnesses had been examined Coroner McKee closed the inquest, and the jurymen retired. They will not give a verdict till tonight. The Lehigh Valley Coal company's men at Jeaneville held a meeting and unanimously agreed to return to work on Tuesday. The company has made no concessions, and the resumption at Jeaneville now puts an end to the strike. It was the intention of General Gobin to order the withdrawal of part of the militia, but the rain interfered. Battery C of the artillery broke camp and returned to Phenixville.

That Venezuela Boundary Question.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—A final decision has been reached by the arbitrators who are to determine the British-Venezuela boundary line, as to the fifth arbitrator or umpire who is to act with them. His name is for the present withheld. It is not Baron Courcelle, whose name has been mentioned in this connection, nor King Oscar of Sweden, who was to name the umpire only in case the arbitrators failed to agree. An agreement was reached without the necessity of calling on the Swedish sovereign. The umpire is a European, but this is said to be without significance, since no question involving the Monroe doctrine is to be submitted to the tribunal. The arbitrators in behalf of Venezuela are Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Brewer of the United States supreme court.

Murdered, but Left With Money.

MAYS LANDING, N. J., Sept. 25.—Frank Larosa, an Italian laborer, was found dead on the outskirts of the town with two bullet holes in his body. He had evidently been murdered, as either shot would have caused death. The murder was evidently the result of a quarrel, as over \$60 in money was found in Larosa's clothes. Three Italian laborers are suspected.

Was Overcome by Gas.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—William Wigmam, 25 years old, a laborer, whose residence is not known, was overcome by gas in an excavation at 205 West Twenty-third street late yesterday afternoon and died soon after.

Want a Pittston Minister.

TORONTO, Sept. 25.—Chalmers Presbyterian church of this city has extended a call to the Rev. R. S. McClements of Pittston Pa.

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For Tonight and Sunday Fair; Warmer Sunday Afternoon in the Interior.
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COMING EVENTS.

September 28—The Walls of New York, at Music Hall.
September 30—Marshall P. Wilder at Y.M.C.A.
October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

RULES OF SIDEWALK AND ROAD.

The congestion of traffic on city streets is evolving a series of road rules, sometimes having the force of a city ordinance, and of street etiquette, out of which may grow in time a comprehensive code, under which may be defined the right of the bicyclist as against the truckman, and the right of the humble pedestrian as against them both. One of the latest practical suggestions in this line of street etiquette comes from Chicago, where a card is published bearing on one side the ordinance giving the right of way to street cars, and on the other a picture showing the proper position for vehicles left standing on the street. When the vehicle is backed up against the curbstone the horse should be turned so as to stand looking in the direction the cars are going—not coming—on the nearest railway track. Then should the horse start forward as a car passes, the car will hit the shafts from behind and no great damage is likely. If, on the other hand, the car strikes a shaft pointing in the opposite direction, the shaft will run into the car, and a smashup and probable injury to passengers is the result. The suggestion is of even more importance in cities where passengers are allowed to ride on the footboards of the cars, in which position they run the risk of being impaled on a wagon shaft.

A circular prepared by a number of the members of the Christian Endeavor Union of Essex county is being distributed. It calls attention to the amendment election next Tuesday, says that there is great danger of the defeat of the proposed amendments by public lethargy, and adds: "If you do not wish to see the gamblers returned to power sign this protest, and by showing that you will vote against the gamblers encourage others to do so."

The tax rate in Plainfield this year will be \$2.53 on the hundred. This is more than double the rate in Somerville. Plainfielders had better sell out and come to Somerville. We have a healthier town and all the improvements that Plainfield enjoys without paying nearly so much for it.—Somerville Democrat.

For the man of modest means, the loan and savings associations are the greatest financial institutions ever established; and to the credit of Plainfield she maintains several that for stability and prosperity are not excelled by any in the state.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Union county, at its annual meeting held on Thursday at Rahway, passed resolutions in favor of supporting the anti-gambling and woman suffrage amendments.

Bound Brook's tax rate this year is \$1.76, a share of which goes to pay the sewer debt. Other tax rates in this vicinity are Dunellen, \$2.38; Perth Amboy, \$2.56; New Brunswick, \$2.60; Summit, \$2.92; Passaic, \$3.00.

The New York newspapers teem with advice about saving the Palisades, but the New Jersey women are doing the actual work.

Screen doors are called down all over town. Any house having them in use now must be a fly place, indeed.

By George (Henry) the Bryan Democrats seem to think they will win the Greater New York Mayoralty.

The largest assortment of fall suitings and trousseaus ever shown in this city are at Sebring's, the clothier, 202 West Front street.

A well attended meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. building last evening for the purpose of forming a permanent organization of the alumni of the shorthand courses. The matter was discussed informally and it was decided to postpone the work of organization until a future meeting, which will be called within a short time.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.
Mrs. Charles Burnett, of North avenue, is very ill.

Rev. Louis Walz, of this city, left this morning for Laurel, Md.

Frank Fine, of Newark, is visiting friends in Plainfield for a time.

Mr. Linbarger, of Somerset street, is confined to his home by illness.

Walter S. Arthur, of New York, was visiting friends in town yesterday.

Miss Evelyn Smith, of the Revere House, has returned to Smith's College.

Miss Lizzie Stafford, of Peck's dry goods store, is enjoying her vacation.

Julius Williams, of Elmwood place, will return today from a business trip to Boston.

Miss Swift, of Brookside Retreat, left this morning for her home in Lexington, Ky.

Miss Stevens, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a visit in Hunterdon county.

Charles Dupee, of Rockview avenue, leaves on Monday for New Haven to enter Yale College.

Miss Maud McCain, of Manning avenue, has gone to Trenton to spend Sunday with relatives.

Miss Margaret Yates, of East Seventh street, is visiting out-of-town friends for a few days.

Ralph Campbell, of Netherwood avenue, leaves next week to resume his studies at the University of New York.

Chas. Dupee, of Rockview avenue, leaves on Monday for New Haven, where he will enter Yale University this fall.

Miss Jennie Ross, of Park place, has returned home after a vacation of three weeks, spent in Somerville and Flemington.

Walter Manning, of West Seventh street, has returned from a visit to the granite quarries of Vermont, and Quincy, Mass.

Mrs. William Wilson, of Somerset street, has entirely recovered from the effects of lightning which stunned her a few weeks ago.

Miss Gaston, of Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store, is now residing with Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanName, of Elmwood place.

Rev. A. A. Nickerson, pastor of All Souls church, has been suddenly called to Maine by the death of Judge Chandler, his wife's father.

Mrs. Peter B. Hodge, of Plainfield, spent Saturday and Sunday in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Polhemus.—Somerville Democrat.

James Stowell Anthony, of this city, who has been stopping in Morristown for some time, arrived in Plainfield today to spend Sunday. Tomorrow Mr. Anthony will leave for Cleveland, where he will remain for an indefinite length of time.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Improvements are being made in the electric lighting apparatus at the Y. M. C. A., under the direction of Allen Laing.

—Rev. George C. Needham will give the second address on "Nehemiah" before the Union Bible class, Monday night at 7:45, in Y. M. C. A. Hall.

—The regular Sunday afternoon men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. will be omitted tomorrow afternoon, to allow everybody to attend the citizens' mass-meeting in Stillman Theatre.

—The fall millinery that Mrs. L. Adams is displaying at her store, No. 114 East Front street, is the envy of all the fair sex. Mrs. Adams' millinery is always the latest, correct style.

—The Christian Endeavor sociable, which was to have been held in the First Baptist church on Thursday evening, and was postponed on account of the storm, will take place next Tuesday evening.

—The death of Mrs. John Keldering, aged 25 years, occurred this morning after a long illness. The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon next at 1 o'clock from the house, No. 230 West Second street. Interment will be at Somerville.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss. Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co. doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1896.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.—Additional locals on page 3.
—Plainfield Business College opens well.

—The Camera Club will meet next Monday evening in regular session.

—Tomorrow afternoon the governors of the Catholic Club will hold a meeting.

—There will be a sacred concert given in Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, West Fourth street, at 8 o'clock p. m. tomorrow, by the choir.

—Robert Davis, of East Fifth street, began his duties yesterday as assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

—The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of Muhlenberg Hospital will be held on Monday evening at the Public Library.

—The letter-carriers have appeared in their new winter caps of the regulation model. They are considerably different from the old style.

—Childs & Stanley, florist, North avenue, have a very large stock of choice cut flowers, smilax, palms, rubbers, ferns, and a variety of other plants at low prices.

—This fall and winter gives promise of being a lively one so far as bowling is concerned. Already teams are beginning to organize for the purpose of contesting for prizes.

—The picture given to Paughechaunquois Council, Degree of Poochontas, by Neemooshe Council, of Elizabeth, is now on exhibition at the office of Justice Nash.

—Most of the college boys have now returned to their work. Most of the colleges have opened and are now settling down to the fall work. Yale is almost the last to open and that university opens next week.

—Just now the members of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., are busy preparing for their annual field day exercises to be held at Morristown at an early date. Next Monday evening the members will meet for drill.

—The forty-seventh annual convention of the East New Jersey Baptist Sunday-school Association to be held at New Market, October 19th, will probably be one of the largest in the history of the association. A large number of people will attend from this city.



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Linen Canvas for facing	12c, 16c, 18c, 20c yd
Linen Collar Canvas, white, black, tan	19c yd
Fine Crinoline, white, black, slate	5c, 10c yd
Paper Muslin, yard wide, all colors	7c yd
Genuine Hair Cloth, black or gray	25c yd
Taffeta Skirt Lining, yard wide	10c, 15c yd
French Cambric Waist Lining	10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Faced Waist Lining	13c, 15c, 18c, 25c yd
Double Skirt Belting, shaped ready for use	10c yd
Special lot Rustle Skirt Lining	7c yd
Patent Hump Hooks and Eyes, white or black	3c card
Best 100 yard Spool Silk, black and colors,	7c spool
Pure Rubber Lined Dress Shields	10c pair
Dress Stays, japanned or silvered	5c doz
200 yard Machine Cotton, white or black	2c spool
Handsome new patterns of Fall Flannelettes	10c yd
Extra good quality of new Outing Flannel	7c yd
The best unlaundered Shirt in the State	50c each
Extra quality double width Table Felt	48c to 65c yd
All Linen Dish Toweling	5c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12c, 15c yd

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and terse observations gathered by alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Jennie Tingley is entertaining company from South Plainfield.

Mrs. Alvah Gray entertained company from Plainfield yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Swackhamer called on relatives in Plainfield yesterday.

Mr. Paterson was among the Plainfield guests in the borough yesterday.

Miss Sarah Fenner, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with relatives in the borough.

Miss Winckler, of Park place, North Plainfield, called on borough friends yesterday.

Isaac Stites was in Morristown yesterday attending the annual convention of Foresters.

Mrs. Smalley and daughter, of North Plainfield, were guests in the borough yesterday.

Miss Eden, of New York, has returned home after a pleasant visit with the Misses Maier.

Mrs. Peter Dumont left for her home in Somerville today, after a visit with her cousins, the Misses Hunt.

A meeting of the Watchung Circle, C. L. S. C., will be held this evening at the home of Miss Ella Dunham.

The Honeybrook coal mines are now in operation and W. H. Cole received his first shipment yesterday.

R. W. Barnes, of North Plainfield, opened a cash grocery store today in the Hetfield building on Main street.

Mrs. Stelle and her daughter, Mrs. Wheale, left yesterday for Newark, where they will make their home in the future.

It is not likely that any more meetings will be held Sunday afternoons at the end of the trolley line, owing to the cold weather.

Mrs. Abner Coriell, Jr., of New Market, is improving favorably from the severe accident she had a few days ago, when her leg was fractured.

Tonight the Board of Education will hold a special meeting in the Whittier School building. Business of importance will be considered.

Conductor L. M. Barick enjoyed a lively chase yesterday afternoon after being left in the rear by a three-year-old colt he had just purchased.

The young animal broke away from the sulley to which he was hitched and threw Mr. Barick into a ditch. The owner was unable to hold the colt and had to let him go. Finally the animal ran into a large field near the railroad tracks, and after a great chase Mr. Barick succeeded in catching his property.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Chief of Police McNeil, of Bayonne, visited W. S. Emery yesterday.

John Blinn, of Plainfield, was the guest yesterday, of Frank H. Wilcox.

Miss Sadie Walpole will return tomorrow from her vacation of two weeks spent in Haverstraw, N. Y.

Mrs. George Dunham, of Stratford, Conn., has been spending several days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Emery.

A race between two trotting horses owned by South Orange people, will take place between that place and Scotch Plains next Wednesday.

A team attached to a hay wagon and owned by W. O. Baldwin, of Plainfield, ran away on Park avenue, yesterday afternoon, creating considerable excitement. After running half a mile the animals were captured without doing any damage.

Have your watches and clocks repaired at Collier's and receive trading stamps.

Tomorrow, after the morning service, a meeting of the official board of Grace M. E. church will be held.

The Volunteers of America will start meetings again this evening in their new hall in the old Y. M. C. A. rooms on Front street. They have been busy fitting and cleaning for the past two days. They will store their tent for the winter as soon as it is thoroughly dry. Sunday meetings at 2 and 8 p. m.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity

Mrs. T. M. Mills and family have returned from Asbury Park.

A peach festival will be held at the Willow Grove chapel next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Oscar Woolley will lead the prayer meeting in the Baptist church tomorrow.

The offering in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning will be for the church fund.

Bishop Scarborough will officiate at both services in St. Paul's Episcopal church tomorrow.

Mrs. Samuel Burhans, of Dudley avenue, has been entertaining Miss Davis, of New York city.

B. Ris and family, of Summit avenue, have returned from their summer outing at the seashore.

Mrs. W. L. Harvey, of Gouldsboro, Pa., is visiting her son, Dr. T. R. Harvey, of North Broad street.

Miss Florence, of Elizabeth, is forming a dancing class for children, which will meet in the Westfield clubhouse.

H. C. Parker has rented the store formerly occupied by L. R. Schofield, and will take possession next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whitehead have rented their house on Ross place to Mr. Penchon, and will remove to New York city.

Mrs. Nellie Miller and son, of New York city, have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Irving, of Central avenue.

Miss Gertrude Ransom, of Jersey City, has returned after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Newton Hoffman, of Mountain avenue.

Rev. William H. Ruth will preach on the proposed amendments to the State Constitution in the Methodist church tomorrow morning.

The Misses Carrie and Jennie Fowler, of New York city, have returned from a three months' visit with friends in Branch Mills.

Joseph Vought, who played on the Westfield club football team last year, is now doing brilliant work as a member of the Lynn, Mass., eleven.

Charles Foster, of South avenue, has given up his intention of entering Wesleyan University, and instead will enter the New York Law School.

Thomas Dyer, of Perth Amboy, a former resident of this place, who has been studying at the Kensington Art School, England, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, of Elm street.

The Westfield Jun'ior baseball team will play the last game of the season on the North Broad street grounds this afternoon with the Dunellen Juniors. The game will be called promptly at 4 o'clock.

A union mass-meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church tomorrow night, and addresses will be made by all the ministers in favor of the proposed anti-gambling amendment to the State Constitution.

A meeting in the interests of good citizenship was held in W. C. T. U. hall on Prospect street last evening.

The principal feature of the programme was an address by Mrs. E. J. Whitehead, on the subject, "Christian Citizenship as Related to Human Brotherhood."

At the meeting of Central Council, No. 131, Jr., O. U. A. M., held last evening, a vote was taken to see whether the Council would support the proposition for the order to establish a National orphan's home at Tiffin, O. Of the 22 members present, 21 voted in favor of the home.

The Westfield club football team has withdrawn from the Journal League, as it was found impossible to reduce the weight of the players to an average of 145 pounds, which is the maximum weight allowed for the league teams. A number of heavy-weight players, formerly members of college teams, have been secured, and the team will play some of the best eleven in the State. J. W. Crooks will captain the team.

Lawrence Powers was arraigned before Justice Collins yesterday, charged with committing assault and battery upon the person of Walter W. Mooney, of Fanwood township.

Mooney alleged that on Tuesday he went into Powers' saloon on North avenue and made some remark that displeased the proprietor, whereupon the latter made an assault upon him, striking him in the face with his fists. After hearing the evidence the Justice dismissed the complaint and Powers was released.

Health Means a perfect condition of the whole system. Pure blood is essential to perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood and thus gives health and happiness.

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A regular meeting of the Royal Arcanum will be held Monday.

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A DOG SLAYER ABROAD.

Killed a Constable's Hound and Was Put Under Arrest by the Owner.

Robert Walpole and his son, Linus, of Scotch Plains, went fishing in the upper Passaic river, near Summit, on Wednesday, and while they were enjoying the sport a shot rang out and a valuable hound dog belonging to the younger man, gave a leap or two and fell dead. A moment later a man with a shotgun in his hands came out of the woods and stood surveying them coolly. When the Walpoles started to approach him he slipped a fresh shell into his gun and made a threatening gesture.

The elder Walpole, who is a constable, parleyed with the man for a time and then showing his badge, placed him under arrest. When arraigned before Justice of the Peace Kelley, of Summit, the man gave his name as John Kendal, and admitted that he had killed a number of dogs in a similar manner, of late. The land upon which the shooting occurred does not belong to Kendal. He was held for examination, and left his shot gun as security for his reappearance when wanted.

GOOD INVESTMENTS.

Prosperous Shares in the Plainfield Building and Loan Association.

The semi-annual report of the second, third, and fourth and fifth series of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association have just been completed and they show plainly the advantages that were claimed for them when started. The second series has \$71,143.08 assets and liabilities, showing that each \$121 paid is now worth \$193.50; the third series has assets and liabilities to the amount of \$21,011.66, showing that each \$84 paid is worth \$120.75; the fourth series has \$16,383.16 assets and liabilities, showing each \$36 paid to be worth \$40.79; the fifth series has \$12,069.42 assets and liabilities, showing each \$18 paid in to be worth \$21.51. The sixth series will soon be started and from the above figures it can readily be seen that to buy some of its stock will be a good investment.

THEATRICAL.

Katie Emmett, who is a popular favorite in this city, comes to us Tuesday evening next at Music Hall in an entirely new version of her greatest success, "The Waifs of New York." It is a comedy-drama that will please all classes of theatre-goers.

There are thrilling climaxes and effects for the lovers of the sensational; novel specialty acts and catchy songs for those who like that style of entertainment. It abounds with bright lines and dramatic situations, and is interpreted by an excellent company of sixteen people, and a wealth of characteristic scenery representing Greater New York.

—On Wednesday the Feast of St. Michael and all angels will occur. Holy Communion will be celebrated at St. Stephen's church at 7:30 a. m.

—A meeting of the Junior Christian Endeavor superintendents is called for Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Fall work will be arranged.

—Gavett is still pushing the Welsbach light, the great gas saver. The mantles are now made much stronger than formerly, and are giving good satisfaction.

—William H. Williams, the veteran newsdealer, has been in business in Plainfield for thirty two years, but he is right up-to-date, as is evidenced in his announcement that he will deliver either the New York Sun or World to subscribers for \$5 per year if paid in advance. That is \$1 cheaper than publishers' prices.

Elmer E. Winckler, of Westervelt avenue, is in Cambridge, O. He will return home tomorrow.

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DIED.

KAEDING—In this city, Thursday, September 24, 1897, Charles S. Kaeding, aged 24 years, 7 months and 5 days.

Funeral services, Sunday, September 26, from his late residence, 114 East Fifth street, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in North Plainfield cemetery.

KEIDERLING—In this city, on Saturday, September 25, 1897, Lucy Ann, wife of John Keiderling, aged 25 years and 2 days.

Funeral service at her late residence, 230 West Second street, on Monday, September 27, at 1 p. m. Interment at Somerville, N. J.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish Intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. \$ 23 tf

WANTED—20 black Minarcas Pullets; April; hatch at once. Address A. F. Warden, Dunellen, N. J. 9 21 6

TO LET—214 East Ninth street; two rooms on second floor with board; terms moderate. 9 23 6

NEWLY furnished rooms, excellent table, superior accommodations. 426 East Second street. 9 20 6

WANTED—Family sewing, children's clothes or mending. 75 cents a day. Address H., care Press. 9 18 tf

PRIVATE family can accommodate one or two boarders; good location, terms \$6. Address C, care Press. 9 20 6

DESIRABLE house, low rental, improved. 235 East Sixth street. Call, 231. 9 10 tf

FOR SALE—Horse 5 year old, sound and kind, suitable for family or business; also new road wagon and harness, must be sold, owner has no use for them. Can be seen at Taylor's Hotel, Dunellen. 9 20 6

WANTED—A neat useful American or Irish-American girl who can sew, as maid for grown children. Apply between five and nine o'clock evenings, 418 East Front street. 9 23 3

FOR SALE—To close an estate, house and lot, No. 8 Regent street, North Plainfield, back of and adjoining Col. J. W. Coddington, President of Cold Storage & Ice Co., or C. J. Ackerman, Clinton avenue, Plainfield. J. W. Coddington, C. J. Ackerman, Executors. 9 24 3

FOR SALE or to let, (bakery) store and dwelling with stable, 120 West Fourth street. Mulford, broker. 6 16 tf-ws

FOR SALE—Broughan, nearly new, cost \$400, for sale at a bargain; one English dog cart, nearly new, cost \$800, will sell at a great sacrifice; one set tandem harness, brass mounted, nearly new; one pneumatic tire road cart, been used very little, cost \$145, for sale cheap. Apply Reed & Coddington, Attorneys, Babcock building. 9 24 2

GIRL for general housework, family of 3. Apply Eakens, Mountain avenue, near Westervelt Ave. 9 24 2

COLORED man wants situation as coachman, thoroughly understands the care of horses; reference from present employer. Call 426 East Third street. 9 22 4

BABCOCK BLOCK—Offices, flats and large room, for lodge or meetings. Elevator to all floors. 9 1 eod tf

FOR SALE or to let, new 7 room house corner Richmond and Third streets. 9 23 eod tf

TO LET—12 room house, No. 1031 T. Arlington avenue, improvements, rare opportunity. Chas. L. Moffett, corner Park and North avenues. 8 26 eod tf

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And then, as a prime ingredient,
Aplenty of work thrown in.
But spice it all with the essence of love
And a little whiff of play;
Let a wise old Book and a glance above
Complete the well-spent day."

NEMESIS.

BY VICTOR GAGE KIMBERT.

The library in Governor Andrews' handsome residence was dimly lighted for it was early in the evening, the soft light falling from the chandelier brought out more clearly the beauty of each picture and work of art, with which the wealthy governor liked to surround himself. There were books all the way from the great encyclopaedias down to the last review, statues and bronzes from other lands, and a great easy-chair where the governor himself sat when wearied by the cares and duties of office.

But to-night no chair that was ever upholstered could rest his weary frame for before him knelt a woman in bitter agony, imploring him to exercise his prerogative and save the life of her husband, who was condemned to death. She was a beautiful woman; her face was colorless, but each feature was exquisitely molded, and her large, soft eyes, luminous with tears and saddened by grief were in themselves lovely enough to make even a plain face glorious.

How she pleaded. She used every argument that a desperate woman could think of, but in vain. She told him of the little children who must bear the terrible heritage of shame from no fault of theirs, and pictured the want and wretchedness awaiting them as well as herself. She told of the kindness of the husband when sober, and reiterated the fact that but for intoxication his hand would never have been raised against a fellow-man; how he had said if he might have another chance no drop of intoxicants should ever cross his lips, but that he would try hard to redeem the past. She did not try to make his crime less, or object to the justice of the penalty; she only pleaded for mercy—pleaded, too with such an utter abandonment of grief that the eyes of the governor grew moist, and his heart ached in sympathy with hers; but still, as before, he refused her petition.

"It is simply impossible, madame. Much as I feel for your grief, than which none can be greater, I should be untrue to all principles of justice should I interfere with the regular course of the law. Your husband has had a fair trial; and I am sorry to say it to you, but I think he has been justly condemned for the crime for which he will lose his life. That you and your innocent children should also suffer is deplorable; if sin could be robbed of its complexity, so that none but the guilty should suffer its consequences, it would be less horrible but so long as there is sin there must also be suffering by the sinner and all connected with him to the last degree. His condition at the time of the crime, though serving as an excuse in your eyes, goes for little in the eyes of the world at large. The public are already tired of having flimsy excuses brought up to defeat the ends of justice. It is difficult to convict a criminal, for the simple reason that his attorneys move heaven and earth to find something which will appeal to a jury and result in at least a disagreement. That your husband was convicted at the first trial is evidence to me that the case must have been remarkably clear."

"Not so," she interrupted, eagerly. "It only means that we had no means to employ skilled talent. But it is not a new trial for which I am begging. It is not justice but mercy that I implore, and oh! I beseech you, in the name of your own fair sons and daughters to be pitiful to me in my extremity!"

The kind face of the governor worked painfully, and tears that were no discredit to his manhood filled his eyes; but still he had the same reply. "I cannot do what you wish. The power of pardon is no child's toy, to be given at pleasure, but a great responsibility, to be used with the utmost precaution, lest the barriers against crime are destroyed and the innocent left to the mercy of the lawless."

Still she did not yield. Still she pleaded till at last his patience was exhausted, and he told her firmly she must desist.

"Only my great pity for you has induced me to listen so long. He must die on the day appointed. I shall not interfere."

She went slowly out into the night. It was very dark, though she had not noticed the gathering shadows while in the library, so intense had been her anguish; but she knew now that she must have been pleading for hours, and she wondered at the patience that had suffered her presence so long. She began to feel bodily exhaustion, and stopped at a near-by bakery to get a roll and a cup of tea, that she might have strength for the railway journey before her.

Mechanically she entered the car, and paid her fare when the conductor asked her for her ticket, for she had neglected to buy one, and her head whirled so that it seemed as if she were some one else, and not connected in the remotest degree with the woman who had knelt in the governor's library. Slowly the scene flitted before her and she tried hard to realize how he could have done otherwise than he did; and then she wondered if that

other woman, not herself, could not have produced better arguments. She saw herself and her husband as they began housekeeping in a small way to be sure, but still comfortably, with a little room for his mother, who had not been at all the disagreeable person mothers-in-laws were said to be, but a real mother to the tired clerk, who knew far more about the color and price of a yard of ribbon than she did of housekeeping. She had learned very rapidly, the older woman had kindly said, and had taken great pride in her work and in keeping the little ones neat and clean when they had come one by one into the nest, which was always crowded, yet not full enough to overflow. Then she saw her husband in his cell, awaiting execution, and then—a woman fainting in the car, and kind hands raised her, and a physician on the train gave her a restorative, and after a while she left it leaving the passengers to wonder about the beautiful woman who was in such evident grief.

"Something out of the ordinary," said the physician. "Her trouble was no common affair. She was at the point of exhaustion. I suggested her stopping at S— and entering the hospital there for a week; but she refused so vehemently that there was nothing more to be said, for of course I had no right to insist. But it will be an insane asylum in the end, I imagine; she was three-fourths demented to-night."

Sane or insane, her condition did not prevent her from reaching home. With bitter moans she told her sad failure to her husband's mother, who listened to each word in a curious, half-dazed way, yet asking many questions concerning her reception and the governor's manner.

"I was foolish to let you go," she said, slowly. "I might have known it would not answer. I will go myself to-morrow."

"Oh, mother, it will be useless! You could say nothing that I have not already said. He lost patience at the last. I doubt if you can see him even."

"I shall see him," the elder woman answered, a strange look upon her face, comely yet, in spite of the half century and more it had known. "I shall see him, and I believe he will give me my son's life."

"Then why, oh, why did not you go at first?"

"Because I would rather suffer a dozen deaths than go—but to save his life—yes, I must do it!"

"Why do you think he will listen to you, mother?" queried the wife, anxiously.

No reply save a slow shake of the head was vouchsafed, and she took her departure, leaving anxious forebodings in the mind of her daughter-in-law as to her sanity.

But there was no doubt of her sanity as she stood before Governor Andrews and demanded the life of the man for whom his wife had pleaded so nobly.

"Am I never to have any rest from this case?" he cried, angrily.

"As much as you deserve, probably," was the reply, "for you are in a great measure responsible for the crime for which this man is condemned, and ought to pay part of the penalty."

"Nonsense! I never saw the man, and I assure you I shall grant no pardon, either for threats of entreaties."

"I shall offer neither. It is true, indeed, that you never saw him; yet you will never dare to let him go to a felon's death, for, strange as it would seem to the world in which you are so popular, this man is your son!"

"What do you mean? Who are you?" gasped the governor, though her words had brought a grim possibility before his mind.

"I am Annette Wilkins. I was Annette Brainard." He started and visibly paled. "When you came to our village forty years ago, there was not a more innocent, light-hearted girl than myself. Your memory will tell you if I was pretty or not, and how I foolishly prized the fatal beauty that only worked my destruction. You know what your flattery and false words of love wrought, and what a wrecked, ruined thing you left in place of the simple country girl you found. You do well to talk of justice!" she cried with sudden contempt. "You are well fitted to be the governor of a large commonwealth, you, who left me, almost a child in years, to meet the consequences of our mutual sin! I wonder if there is justice in earth or heaven when success like this"—and she glanced at his luxurious surroundings—"is permitted to such as you, while your oldest son lies in a felon's cell!"

There was a long silence; then the man said—

"For twenty-five years I have lived a clean, God-fearing life; the crime and folly of my youth I believed repented of and forgiven; but repentance does not undo, and I must face the future. You tell me I am responsible for this unhappy young man's crime; how can that be?"

"In a drunken quarrel my poor boy killed the ruffian who assailed the honor of his mother, whom he had always believed to be a widow. I left the old home before he was born, and thought my wretched story was forgotten; but scandal never dies."

"My sin has found me out," said the governor. He spoke like a feeble old man. "Since circumstances have made it possible for me to save him, my son must not die on the gallows. There is no other way; I must write the pardon. If I could pay the penalty myself it might be just, but the law would accept no substitute, and my poor wife and children would suffer needless shame. You will not have suffered alone," he said, in a curious tone. "When I sign that pardon I sign my own political death warrant, for an outraged public will be my censor."

SWIFTER THAN THE WHEEL.

Champion Reynolds Has a Walk Around with Cyclers on the N. Y. Boulevard.

Something new on cushion tires appeared on the Boulevard yesterday morning says the New York Journal. It was a man riding on bicycle skates. The man was Earle Reynolds, the champion ice and roller skater, and he created a sensation. With apparent ease he glided all around bicycle riders seemingly without any more effort than is usually exerted by a man in walking.

Reynolds made his appearance on the Boulevard shortly before noon. He came across One Hundred and Sixth street from the Park, having skated up from the Netherland Hotel at Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue. The steep grade between Manhattan avenue and Columbus avenue, on One Hundred and Sixth street, offered no obstacles to him, and when he reached the Boulevard and turned north he was going at the rate of about ten miles an hour. Immediately every cyclist on the road started after him, and he led them all a merry chase to Grant's tomb, where he explained the mechanism of the skate to numerous bicyclists.

The bicycle skate has many points in common with the old roller skate, but Reynolds claims it is far superior in construction. Instead of four small boxwood wheels, as the roller skate had, the bicycle skate has two large pneumatic-tired wheels, one placed in front of and one behind the body proper of the skate. The axles of the wheels are equipped with ball bearings, and Reynolds says there is absolutely no effort in propelling them.



CHAMPION REYNOLDS.

Of course, the skates run best on asphalt, but the young man who is exploiting them claims they are far easier of locomotion on a dirt road than a bicycle is. Fancy skating is possible with the bicycle skate, as Reynolds evinced yesterday by forming figure eights, grapevines and other standard designs of skaters on the smooth asphalt pavement of One Hundred and Sixth street. The mode of propulsion with them is about the same as that necessary with ice skates.

Reynolds is quite confident that the bicycle skate will prove a formidable rival of the bicycle. He claims that skating is far less tiresome than pedaling, and advances as an argument in favor of the skates that when the roads are bad the wearer of them can take them off and carry them without discomfort. They are less likely to suffer damage, he asserts, and can be repaired easier and cheaper than a bicycle can. In any event the bicycle skate is attracting interest.

A "SALTED" GOLD MINE.

It Proved a Bonanza and Yielded Nearly a Million Dollars Worth.

Now that the discovery of gold in the Klondike region has attracted universal attention, the story of the "salting" of a gold mine in the Transvaal some years ago is of interest. Three men were concerned in the swindle, and they made Klerksdorp, some two hundred miles north of Kimberley, the scene of the "salting."

By "salting" is meant that the perpetrators load a shotgun with gold dust and blow the charge into the rock. Specimens are then submitted to the prospective victims, and as they seem to be filled with gold, he buys.

The would-be swindlers in South Africa discovered a bit of veldt near Klerksdorp. Of gold there was absolutely no trace. They blow the rock full of gold and then sold the property to a "jay" for \$25,000. The "jay" floated a company for four times that much money and the company sank shafts in all directions.

In the last five years the company has taken nearly a million dollars' worth of gold out of the "salted" mine and the would-be swindlers are charged, to say the least. The only moral that can be drawn from this story is that it does not always pay to be dishonest.—New York Journal.

Not Guilty.

"Little boy," said the kind gentleman, "I hope you do not read those pernicious dime novels?"

"Naw," said the little boy, "not we'n I kin git bully good stories for a nickel apiece."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Now that the New Jersey Military Academy has been thoroughly started under the supervision of Dr. A. D. Warde, a word or two about this new institution may not be amiss. A Daily Press reporter called at the school and found Dr. Warde very much at home in his new quarters. The latter escorted his guest about the school and explained in an interesting manner the details of work.

Every room has been handsomely papered and painted, every nook and corner is as clean as wax. The school rooms are located on the second floor, the first floor being devoted exclusively for the purpose of a reception room and chapel. The appointments in every room are perfect. On the first floor in the rear is to be found one of the most complete laboratories. At present there are fourteen scholars in the school and excellent work is being done.

Dr. Warde has associated with him Adrien Lacasse, B. A., a graduate of the University of Paris, also of the Berlitz school of Languages, of Washington. He will have charge of the language department, while Dr. Warde will attend to the instruction in mathematics and science. In a short time elocution, modern and ancient languages will be added, and at present arrangements are being made for a commercial course with shorthand and typewriting.

As regards the languages the smallest pupil is taught conversation in French and does not have to wait to enter a high school before taking it up. In the grammar department the scholars are learning to talk properly as well as write. Good progress is being made in all of the branches.

At an early date Dr. Warde will give a musical recital at the academy, and a professor of high standing will give a number of selections on the piano.

LADIES ENTERTAINED.

A Pleasing Programme Given at Grace M. E. Church.

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church, a pleasing sociable was held in the church last evening, at which time there was present a goodly number of people. Rev. H. J. Johnston, the pastor, was in charge and announced the numbers on the programme which consisted of two vocal solos by Joseph Moon, a reading by Miss Bertha Stevens, and a recitation by Miss Bertha Whitney. The programme was not a lengthy one but what was lost in that respect was made up in quality. Especially noteworthy was the recitation given by Miss Whitney. This talented woman was at her best and the audience fully appreciated her efforts, as well as those of the others who took part. After the programme Mr. Johnston announced that the next number would be a chorus and the mouth-organ would be the principal part. All quickly took the hint and talked until everyone reached a point where hunger and thirst was paramount. Then it was that the committee, in charge of Mrs. John Valiant, president, served cake and coffee in abundance to all. The rest of the time was passed in genuine sociability. When those present departed for their homes they all agreed that they had enjoyed themselves immensely.

THE CAD'S SEANCE

Numerous Offenders Arraigned in City Court This Morning.

The usual Saturday morning batch of offenders were ready, this morning, for City Judge DeMeza, who dispatched them with unusual rapidity. George Smith and George Stein were two young globe-trotters who were returning from the west, looking for work. They had been arrested for begging but they protested that they had not. They went down to Eliza both for ten days each.

Willie Richter and Annie Bowser were to have appeared charged with throwing stones on John Wolf's house. A wordy battle opened between Mrs. Richter and Mr. Wolf and the Judge had great difficulty in stopping them. Mrs. Richter persisted in talking until she was ordered out of court. The trial was set for Saturday next.

John Schmidt was heard for carrying a wagon load of fat through the city without a cover over the wagon. His counsel, Frank J. Blatz, retracted his plea of not guilty, made last week and pleaded non vult. The Judge reserved his sentence for a week.

A neighbor's quarrel between Mrs. Marley and James McCann was heard. McCann had gone on a spree and made himself obnoxious but had apologized afterwards. The Judge suspended sentence with a reprimand.

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Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:35 p. m.

BASKET BALL.

The basket ball season will regularly commence in Plainfield on Monday, October 4th, when the regular Y. M. C. A. team will begin the season. The business men's team of the Y. M. C. A., will start practice next week, however, and will hold meetings on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 5:30 o'clock. The business men are preparing to put a strong team on the floor this season, a team even stronger than last year's. Many of the players have had the experience of one or two years on the team, and they will be far better qualified to play than in former years. Then there is some new material from which to select which promises to strengthen the team materially. The first regular team will also be strengthened by some new candidates.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

An interesting bowling contest was held at the Y. M. C. A., Thursday, between Harold Chondor and William Timpon. The latter coming off victorious by the score of 194 points.

CYCLING COMMENT.

The Acme Wheelmen, of Jersey City, will hold a century run tomorrow to New Brunswick. They will pass through this city and stop at Campbell's Hotel for refreshments.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Walter Scott has a night blooming cereus that had twenty blossoms on last night.

—Lawyer J. P. D. Kirch has had a handsome new safe placed in his office over the Daily Press offices.

—Ten visiting lodges are expected to be present at the coming entertainment of Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, Knights of Pythias.

—Mounted Letter-carrier E. T. Dunn, who now resides at 210 West Fourth street, has leased the property No. 123 Duer street, and will become a resident of the borough, October 1st.

—An additional lot of 100 baskets of choice canning and table peaches will be received at Neuman Bros., today, and will be sold this afternoon and evening at 35 cents and 60 cents a basket.

—Professors Scribner and Green, well and favorably known in Plainfield society circles as elite dancing masters, make their announcement for the coming season in the Press' advertising columns today.

—A mass-meeting in behalf of the Constitutional amendments was held last night at Nutley, at the Franklin Methodist Episcopal Church. Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of Plainfield, spoke on all three amendments, but especially on that restoring school suffrage to women in rural districts. Rev. Mr. Mason offered prayer and there were hymns and other music.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Bland, of Montreal, Con., are visiting friends on Liberty street.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, entered Lehigh University this week.

John V. Beekman, Jr., of West Eighth street, has resumed his studies at the Boston Institute of Technology. Edgar McCrea, of West Second street, and his brother Joseph, of Arlington avenue, have returned from Lakewood, N. Y.

Ephraim Drake, 79 years old and one of the best known citizen of Samptown, is very low with pneumonia at his home in that place.

SHOOTING AT LIVE BIRDS.

Scores Made at The Independent Gun Club Event.

Yesterday afternoon the members of the Independent Gun Club had an interesting shoot on their grounds in North Plainfield. The first part of the afternoon was devoted to shooting live birds. The following members shot at fifteen birds and made the score opposite their names: Coddington, 10; Reed, 14; Darby, 13; Keller, 15; C. Lister, 11; Henry Haurand, 11; Sunderman, 10. Scott Terry shot at ten birds and made a score, while W. Terry shot at the same number of birds and scored 6. Following the live bird shooting there were three sweepstakes at clay targets. The scores were as follows: First event—Coddington, 10; Keller, 10; Haurand, 7; Darby, 6; Reed, 6. Second event—Keller, 10; Coddington, 9; Darby, 7; Lister, 7; Stephenson, 6; Reed, 4. Third event—S. Terry, 10; Haurand, 9; Sunderman, 9; Darby, 8; Keller, 8; Lister, 8; Wheeler, 8; Smalley, 8; Stephenson, 5; Coddington, 4. F. X. Nuffer acted as referee, and Charles Maltby was scorer.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

(Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.)

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services will be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall. Divine worship and prayer, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45. Trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, pastor—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45. Trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, pastor. Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; evening prayer and sermon at 7:45.

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor service at 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Christianity and Civilization"; evening, "The Church."

Grace M. E. Church, Rev. Henry J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Giving Way to Christ." Rev. G. W. Smith, D. D., will occupy the pulpit in the evening.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Epworth League service at 7 p. m. The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.

Church of the Redeemer, Rev. Robert V. K. Harris, minister in charge. Morning service and sermon at 11:15 a. m. Evening prayer at 7:45. Rev. W. Montgomery Downer, of Merick, L. I., will officiate at both services.

Christian Church, H. W. McKane, pastor. The Lord's Supper at 11:45 a. m. Preaching services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Professor Heany, of New York, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.

East End M. E. Zion Church, Fillmore avenue, Rev. C. Jackson, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Evening subject, "Married."

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. Morning theme, "Death Abolished." All sittings free.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore, lay reader—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock on Sunday next, Oct. 3d. Celebration of Holy Communion at the morning service at which Rev. Edward H. True will officiate.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Minute Man." Short talk to juniors, theme, "Candles." Dr. Herben, editor of the New York Christian Advocate, will occupy the pulpit in the evening.

German Reformed church, Rev. George Hauser, pastor—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Communion at morning service.

STARE CAUSED A FRACAS.

Then the Deafened Had the Victim Arrested and Punished.

A case of where "two is a company and three a crowd," wrought some trouble last Sunday on Mountain avenue, in the borough. On the latter street resides Mrs. Noah Drake and David Somerset, a colored man. So far as known they have always man aged to get along fairly well. In the same house lives Andrew Jefferson, also colored. The latter is not always agreeable to Somerset and his alleged wife, and last Sunday the two men became engaged in a fracas. It is said that Jefferson looked at Somerset rather inquisitively, and the latter asked him what he was looking at. These words were sufficient and a fight ensued. Jefferson, it is said, assaulted Somerset and left the imprint of his fingers on his neck.

Somerset appeared before Recorder Thomas and had a warrant issued for the arrest of Jefferson, charging him with assault and using profane language. The warrant was placed in the hands of Chief Wilson and last evening the officer of the law caught the offender. He was placed in the borough lockup and this morning Recorder Thomas gave him a hearing. The complainant appeared against his adversary and stated the circumstances. As a result a fine of \$10 or thirty days was imposed. It is believed that Jefferson will enjoy a vacation.

EUCHRE THEIR PASTIME.

Miss Fannie Western's Home Filled With a Jolly Set of Young People.

Miss Fannie Western, of Washington avenue, gave a delightful progressive euchre party at her home, last evening, in honor of two friends from New York. The first part of the evening was spent at euchre, in which the first prizes were won by Mrs. F. E. Buckingham and John H. Van Winkle, Jr. The winners of the second prizes were Miss Harriet G. Lounsbury and Robert Terrill. Miss Ethel Marsh and Roland Western received the consolation prizes. The remainder of the evening was spent in singing and dancing and the enjoyment of the refreshments that were served toward the close of the evening. There were solos by Charles Western and Charles Ritchie.

The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Western, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Western, Miss Harriet G. Lounsbury, Miss Bertha Hall, Miss Emma Hall, Miss Ethel Marsh, Mrs. F. E. Buckingham, Brereton Platt, Robert Terrill, John H. Van Winkle, Jr., Charles Ritchie, Charles Western and Roland Western.

—C. E. Hepburn is preparing to move to the new house, 410 East Second street, recently purchased from George L. Hughes through the Ira L. La Rue real estate agency.

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John V. Beekman, Jr., of West Eighth street, left this morning for Boston to return to his studies at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Thomas Lister, of Williamsport, Pa., was in Plainfield to-day visiting his brother, Charles Lister, of East Fifth street. Mr. Lister is an employee of P. & R. Railroad, and while he likes the city where he lives he thinks that Plainfield is one of the best cities in the country.

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