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DETERMINE SENTIMENT.

A REMARKABLE PROPOSITION SUBMITTED TO CITY FATHERS.

The Purpose is to Allow Voters to Record a Vote For or Against Liquor License Without the Result Becoming Binding.

The October meeting of the Common Council last night was marked by one of the most radical and remarkable propositions ever before submitted to the City Fathers. Councilman Bunyon, of the Second ward, was the originator of it. The proposition is to permit the voters to express an opinion at the polls on the question of license or no license without the result becoming binding on the Council who have invested in them the power to decide. The proposition is simply this: That at the city election in December two special ballots be printed and given to the voters. On one of these will be printed words to the effect that the citizen voting it believes in a continuation of the liquor business in Plainfield under the present system. On the other one will be printed words to the effect that the voter is opposed to the granting of liquor licenses at all. Corporation Counsel Marsh has expressed an opinion that it will be legal for such ballots to be deposited and counted at the city election, but that the result will not be binding upon the Councilmen to follow, unless so inclined. The ostensible purpose of the proposition is to determine the exact sentiment of the voters in reference to the liquor license question, and if the affirmative proposition is carried it is thought that it will relieve the Council of the sting of criticism to which they are subjected each year by certain elements. The resolution was adopted by the Common Council last night with but one dissenting vote—that of Mr. Westphal.

A communication was received from residents of West Fourth street in the vicinity of Lee place, asking for a crosswalk at that point. Residents of LaGrande avenue asked for two crosswalks, one to be located on Richmond street and the other on Scott place. A communication was received from President J. B. Probasco, of the Board of Education, asking the Council for the privilege of having the fire-alarm whistle blown once on one session days at the public schools in the city. The hour selected was 11:15 a. m., as the time when the alarm shall be sounded. Residents of the Fourth ward asked for three crosswalks at the intersection of Grant avenue and South Second street. The freight-carters of the city asked the Council to have Richmond street, between East Second street and North avenue, repaved, as the road is in bad condition. Communications were received from the Plainfield Electric Light Company and the Plainfield Water Supply Company, stating that the lights and hydrants had been located as directed by the Council. In a communication, Mayor Fisk appointed Special Patrolman Andrew Saffron as a regular patrolman, and D. Taylor, Charles Clarkson and C. Flynn as special policemen. The appointments were confirmed by the Council.

From Mrs. Malli, president of the Town Improvement Association, was received a communication asking the Council to give the association the proper authority to improve the City Park, also to appoint W. H. Forester, the superintendent of the proposed work, a special policeman.

Building Inspector T. O. Doane reported that twenty five permits were granted during the past month, and during the same time twenty permits were granted according to Street Commissioner Gavett's report. This makes 1,015 sewer permits to date.

City Judge DeMeza's report for the month showed that 213 prisoners had appeared before His Honor, of which number 53 were fined, on 35 sentences was suspended and 25 were discharged. \$287 had been received from fines, and \$75 30 expended. To Chief Grant \$25 was paid as half fine in an illegal liquor case, and \$3 to Roundsman Flynn in another similar case. There are unpaid fines to the amount of \$20, and the balance on hand is \$211.70.

The monthly reports of the city treasurer and collector were received and filed. Mr. Westphal reported back the contract between the city and the Plainfield Electric Light Company, in which is included the terms of agreement for the proposed eleven arc lights, and in accordance with a suggestion made by Mr. Barrows, the contract was referred back to the light and trees committee to be considered jointly by the fire and building committee, so that all precaution that is necessary be taken as regards

BEYOND EARTH'S TRIALS

MISS A. KATE MARTINE DIED AT "CEDAR BROOK" TODAY.

Though She Had Been Ailing for Three Weeks Her Condition was Not Considered Dangerous Until a Day or Two Ago.

For several years there has been no woman in this city who has been more actively identified in charitable, church and social circles than Miss A. Kate Martine. It will, therefore, be a great shock to her associates to hear of her death, which occurred at "Cedar Brook" at 7:45 o'clock this morning, after an illness extending over a period of three weeks, but which, until just before her passing away, was not considered so serious but what she would recover from it.

Three weeks ago Miss Martine was attacked with the grip, but the illness was not thought to be more than a passing malady until last Friday when it culminated in heart trouble. Even then, though the affliction seemed to be severe, it was thought by both physician and relatives that she would revive and eventually regain the rugged health that had always been hers. Last night, however, her breathing was very labored and there was indications that unless a change came soon she could not survive. At mid night her condition became so serious that her brother, James E. Martine, hurried for Dr. Endicott, who came as soon as possible. He treated her and remained at her side for some time. He returned again at 3 o'clock and remained until after 6 o'clock. During this time she faded rapidly until the end came.

Miss Martine was born in New York city and was the daughter of Daniel and Anna M. Martine. Thirty years ago her parents removed to this city and bought what is known as "Cedar Brook" farm, but whose acres then spread over much that is now residential property. Ever since then she has resided in the quaint and roomy old house that sets at the head of the long lane leading from the the Watchung avenue entrance of the place—a home wherein her convivial spirit always reflected the happy side of life.

Miss Martine was a member of the Crescent avenue Presbyterian church, the Monday Afternoon Club and the Woman's Town Improvement Association, in all of which societies she was an active factor. No function or undertaking of theirs was ever inaugurated but what her efforts were devoted to its success. In the successful Fete Champetre given last June she was one of the principal assistants of Mrs. Pierre Mail. Her indefatigable work for the success of the event is, in a measure, ascribed by her relatives as one of the causes for her sickness.

Her manner and disposition was always breezy and pleasant—a positive pleasure for a company of young people to have her mingle in their midst. She read much and remembered well, and these two things gave her an almost inexhaustible fund of anecdotes that always carried humor and laughter with them. Indeed, she was a companionable person, either in or out of the home circle. Her death will be received with feelings of sorrow and regret by all who knew her.

She leaves two brothers—James E. and D. W.; and three sisters—Ella, Mary and Mrs. Harriet Myers. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

PRIMARY MAY BE REMOVED.

Thought to be the Only Way to Relieve Overcrowding in Borough School.

A special meeting of the North Plainfield Board of Education was held last evening for the purpose of hearing a report of the committee who has in charge the relief of the overcrowded condition of the school. The committee stated that they were unable to secure suitable quarters for the kindergarten department outside of the school, and at their suggestion it was decided to hold two sessions of this department in the same class room. One session will be held in the morning and the other in the afternoon.

Regarding the Primary department, it was decided to secure quarters outside, if possible. There are between forty-five and fifty scholars in this department ready to go into other quarters as soon as the accommodations are secured. The committee was given full power and as soon as the quarters are obtained the department will be moved, which will probably be this week.

New Jersey Team Won.

The contest for the auxiliary whist trophy was played for on Saturday evening, at the rooms of the Brooklyn Whist Club. The New Jersey team defeated the New York team by 27 points. The Park Club four played on the New Jersey team.

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DIALECT DRAMA FOR DABBLERS IN POLITICS.

Being, in Effect, a Moral to Prove to Some Women How Inferior They Are to Certain Voters.

The following little skit was written by a prominent Plainfielder, and is based on an actual scene and conversation that he unintentionally saw and heard a week ago yesterday. But let the story be told in the author's own way, which is a very interesting and apt one. It follows:

THE LATE ELECTION.
A Dialect Drama Dedicated to Down-hearted Dabblers in the Poisonous Pool of Partisan Politics; to Woman Suffragists, White Ribboners and S. S. Politicians of all Sexes. Ages and Conditions: with Suggestive Side-lights upon the local Leadership of the G. O. P.
TIME—Day before election.
PLACE—Office of Republican official and politician.

DRAMATIS PERSONNAE:
1—American citizen of African descent.
2—Son of the aforesaid official.
3—Low-down Mugwump (in background.)

ACT I: SCENE I.
(Enter, American Citizen of African Descent;—Mornin, gemmuns: Whar de boss? He home dis mornin? (Son of Republican Official):—Aint home just now: Want to see him? (Am. Cit.):—Dat what I want ter see; come to see 'bout dish yer 'leshun wha dey's talkin 'bout; who all is runnin fer it, an wha fer it is? (Son of R. O.):—Well, they're goin to vote for—now—'mendments to the now—constitucion of the United States, to allow women to vote, see. You aint goin' in for that,—say! (Am. Cit.):—'Low wimmens to vote! Wha wimmens know 'bout votin! Dey caint vote, wimmens caint. Cease I'm agin it. Dat all dish yer 'leshun 'bout? (Son, etc.):—Well, there's another—now—

'mendment against horses; to stop horse racing. They want to stop the races, see? Think that's a good thing,—stoppin' the races? (Am. Cit.):—Say, now; stop de races! Wha fer dey wan do dat? Hoss races aint never hurt nobody. I go agin dat, sarten. An' dey wimmens votin,—dat beats me—dey wimmens! (Son, etc.):—Well say now, you want to get your vote in, see! (Am. Cit.):—Yass, my vote's all right. But who's goin to pay fer my time? When I quits work dey dock half a day off u my pay. (Son, etc.):—I don't know anything about that. Your poll tax, is that paid? (Am. Cit.):—Poll tax! Wha dat you say? That jess the thing de poll tax gettin docked, see! Dat are jess wha fer I wan' see de boss 'bout. Dey say he fix dat all right. (Son, etc.):—I don't know about that. There aint nothing in it fer him, see! (Am. Cit.):—Well, I aint got no money fer pay poll tax, an' I gwine wait over 'nuther 'leshun. Dat poll tax git paid den, sure. Mebbe de boss he wan my vote next time, see! Wen you say he come? * * * Wimmens votin! Wimmens yer, an' wimmens dere. Wha dey know 'bout votin? Who goin pay poll tax? (Exit Am. Cit. in inquiring frame of mind.) (Exit Son, etc., whistling tune of —) (Curtain falls on Mugwump, sneering Satantically.) Shakespeare's Plays.

NOT GOOD FARMING.

CITY SELLS POTATOES FOR 35 CENTS AND PAYS \$1.15 A BUSHEL.

A Sad Commentary on the Theoretical Farming Which This Town is Indulging in—Products Sold Below Market Price.

The city of Plainfield has turned its hand to farming since that tract of land, near Dunellen, known as Mountain View Farm, was purchased and the sewer beds located there. Corn, potatoes and cabbages have been raised on the sewage disposal beds and on the fields adjoining. The products of the city farm have been sold at prices that have quite astonished the farmers in that vicinity. Meanwhile, those in charge of the Industrial Home have been buying farm products from Plainfield grocers at market prices.

Early in the summer, one of the fields adjacent to the sewer beds was planted with potatoes. They were cared for by the city's men who are employed at the beds under the direction of Superintendent Slape. Six weeks ago the potatoes were ripe and they were sold to Patrick Keeley at 35 cents a bushel as they lay in the ground. The cost of gathering is about 7 cents a bushel. There were 190 bushels of potatoes raised on the city's farm. The market price at that time was 80 cents a bushel. Superintendent Slape wanted some and so did Overseer of the Poor Marx, but Keeley came so quickly that neither secured what they wanted.

Today the market price of potatoes is \$1.15 a bushel. The alms committee is now forced to pay that price for the potatoes to feed the city's charges at the Industrial Home. There are not very many there, it is true, and so the amount of potatoes needed is not very large. There are but two occupants of the Home at present.

The corn was sold to a neighboring farmer for 6 cents a shock. The market price is reported by the farmers in the neighborhood to be 12 cents. They wonder greatly at the low price at which the product of the city farm was disposed of, for the corn was of excellent quality.

Police Looking for Herman.

The latter part of last week Fred Hand, young son of Frank Hand, the Somerset street blacksmith, was run into by Chas. Herman, of the borough, who was on a wheel. Herman was angry that the boy was in his way, and it is said he gave the youth a trouncing. The boy told his father the circumstances, and the latter with a horse and wagon gave chase and caught Herman. The latter told Mr. Hand that if he touched him he would have him arrested. Mr. Hand then went away to have a warrant issued for the arrest of Herman. In the meantime Herman slipped away and his whereabouts is not known. He will be arrested, however, as soon as he returns, if he decides to come back.

Druggist Hall to Marry.

Charles H. Hall, of this city, and Miss Elizabeth P. Tice, daughter of Hon. Geo. H. Tice, of Perth Amboy, will be married in the Presbyterian church at Perth Amboy on Wednesday, the 20th, at 6 o'clock p. m. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. George B. VanDyck, pastor of the church. After the ceremony a wedding reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, 67 Market street.

Rev. H. J. Johnston and family, have moved from 19 Craig place to 332 East Front street.

CHILD A HUMAN TORCH.

TWO-YEAR-OLD BOY BURNED TO DEATH IN MOTHER'S PRESENCE.

Was Playing With an Older Brother Who Had Secured Some Matches—Died Two Hours After Accident in Terrible Agony.

Charles Hanan, the two-year old son of James Hanan, of Elmer street, Westfield, was burned to death last evening as the result of an accident. The two Hanan children were playing alone upon the lawn some distance from the house at about 6 o'clock, when the older boy, five years old, found some matches, and the two began playing with them. Suddenly there was a scream from the children. The clothing of the younger child began to blaze and in another instant it was enveloped in flames. Mrs. Hanan was in the house at the time and, hearing the cries of the children, started out of doors to their assistance. She got no further than the piazza, however, for when she reached that point and caught sight of her child enveloped in flames, she fell in a faint.

The cries of the children attracted the attention of neighbors who ran to the rescue of the child. Its clothes were entirely burned from its body, and the flesh was a crisp. Drs. Cooper and Sinclair were summoned and did all that was possible to relieve the child's suffering. It died at 8 o'clock in great agony. The mother is in a serious condition resulting from the shock of the terrible experience. It is not known how the children secured possession of the matches, as care was taken not to leave them lying about the house where the children could get them.

THE MEDAL PRESENTED.

Daily Press Emblem Now Worn by the High School Champion.

This morning, the Daily Press medal, a handsome design of solid silver, was awarded to its winner, Carroll L. Runyon. Last Friday afternoon, the annual closed games of the Plainfield High School were held at the Crescent Oval. The Press medal and the all-round championship of the High School were contested for and Carroll L. Runyon won after a very close contest with Rhey T. Snodgrass, while a dozen other scholastic athletes made the events close and exciting.

White and blue ribbons were offered by the Athletic Association for the first and second places in the different events. This morning, after the usual devotional exercises that open the session of the High School, Principal Ira W. Travell called Runyon forward and with a few appropriate remarks presented the Daily Press medal. Then the winners in the different events were called up and given their prizes. The presentation of the medal and the other prizes was made quite an impressive ceremony.

Klondyke Lecture.

Very Rev. Archdeacon Kirkby, who is to lecture in Grace church parish house, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, is well fitted for the task which he has undertaken. He resided for some years in the vicinity of the now famous gold mining districts and can therefore speak of what he saw and heard. In addition to the lecture, W. W. Moore will exhibit some of the wonders of the graphophone.

Miss Kittie Ransom, of East Fifth street, has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

THE OLD HORSE KICKED

A BOYISH FREAK MAY END IN THE LOSS OF AN EYE.

Edward Marcellis, Jr., Mounted the Apparently Docile Animal, But When He Got Off the Steed Kicked Him Spitefully.

Edward Marcellis, Jr., aged eight years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marcellis, of West Fourth street, was so severely kicked by a horse yesterday afternoon that he will probably lose his left eye.

With a number of other boys he was playing on Brown's dumping grounds on Watchung avenue. In the party was an old horse owned by Mr. Parsons, of Cottage place. The boys were daring each other to get on the back of the animal and ride him, whereupon young Marcellis said that he was not afraid to do so.

He accomplished his purpose and the old horse did not appear to mind his load very much until the boy tried to reach the ground. The boy had no sooner planted his feet on terra firma when the hind feet of the animal were raised and with much force struck Marcellis in the face. The lad was thrown fully six feet, and for a few minutes he was stunned.

His companions ran to his assistance and found the boy in a serious condition. His left eye was almost thrown out of its socket and a large bruise was found on the face. Acting wisely the injured boy's companions ran for Dr. Carman. The latter gave his assistance and temporarily fixed him until he could be taken to the hospital for further treatment.

At the hospital it was discovered that the eye was in a very critical condition and that the boy may be obliged to lose that member. The bruises on the face, while painful, are not of a serious nature. Today young Marcellis seems to be doing very well. It will be a day or two before it can be determined as to whether the eye will be lost.

Came to Visit and Was Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall, of Brooklyn, started from their home yesterday to ride on their bicycles to visit Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Titworth, of Madison avenue. They reached Netherwood and Mr. Marshall, who was ahead, collided with a coal wagon and was thrown from his wheel. His wife was close behind and before she could stop she ran into him. Mrs. Marshall was thrown to the ground with much force, and sustained a severe injury to one of her knees. She was taken to a neighboring house and Dr. B. Van D. Hedges called. The injury was dressed and Mrs. Marshall was so anxious to get home that she left on the 3:52 train. Mr. and Mrs. Titworth were afterwards notified of the accident.

Christian Endeavor Officers.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Trinity Reformed church met last evening and elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Horace J. Martin; first vice-president, Harry W. Marshall; second vice president, Mrs. F. C. Adams; recording secretary, Miss E. F. Gillem; corresponding secretary, Miss Mabel A. Woodruff; treasurer, Charles M. Dolliver. There was not the slightest opposition to the above-named officers and the election was made unanimous.

Patrolman Mattox Elected a Delegate.

The Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, of Plainfield, held a meeting yesterday afternoon in their rooms on Park avenue, at which time President W. R. Mattox was elected a delegate to go to Trenton today to attend the annual State convention of patrolmen. The association will meet on the first and third Wednesdays in every month. No other business of importance was transacted at the meeting.

Lights Went Out, But Singing Went On.

Last Sunday evening at Grace P. E. church while the choir and congregation were singing a hymn the electric lights suddenly disappeared. The effect was blinding, but it did not interfere with the music in the slightest degree. It so happened that the hymn was a familiar one and everyone was able to go on with it, accompanied by Mrs. Freeman on the organ.

Narrowly Escaped Injury.

A colored man employed by C. Frank French, narrowly escaped a serious accident this morning. He was riding on top of a load of baled hay on Somerset street when he slipped and fell almost under the wheels of the vehicle. He was somewhat stunned by the fall but escaped injury.

Miss Lizzie Haddow, formerly of Plainfield, who has been visiting friends in Glasgow during the past eighteen months, returned to this country on the City of Rome yesterday and was cordially received in this city by her friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Morton, of West Front street.

THE SCHOOL FINANCES.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

The Receipts Were \$67,490.73—Cost of Lincoln School Building was \$27,125.95—Other Matters Transacted by the Board.

The reading of the annual financial statement of the Board was the most interesting feature of the regular October meeting of the Plainfield Board of Education, held last evening at the Stillman building.

The report of Tax Collector Bird was read and showed that taxes to the amount of \$73.35 had been collected together with \$107.93 interest, making a total of \$181.28 which had been deposited in the City National Bank.

A communication was read from Charles Burdette Morse, chairman of the committee in charge of the last High School alumni reception, extending a vote of thanks to the Board for furnishing the music on that occasion and for their support of the committee.

Mr. Lounsbury said that Woolston & Buckle estimated that it would cost \$97 to paper and paint the upper floor of the Washington School and put it in good condition. There was a general discussion of what that floor was to be used for and Superintendent Maxson replied that he had given the cadets permission to drill there in the winter and that the girls wanted permission to play basket ball there. It was decided that it would be necessary to light the floor and screen the windows to it before the girls could play there. Mr. Lounsbury and Dr. Jenkins were not in favor of the extra expense, but Dr. Probasco thought that the Board should provide at least that for the physical exercise of the girls, and the other two members agreed with him. It was then decided to make those improvements and the matter was left in the hands of the building committee.

The estimates were received for removing the ashes during the current year from the nine schools. The Plainfield Sanitary Company offered to do it for \$250 and Fernando Brown for \$110. The Board awarded the contract to Brown.

The financial statement ending August 31st was read by Mr. Lounsbury and was as follows:

RECEIPTS.
Balance from Aug. 31st, 1897.
General account.....\$3,610.49
Building account.....\$ 64.22
Library account.....\$ 20.80
District tax.....\$41,581.53
Interest.....\$ 717.39
\$48,298.92

DISBURSEMENTS.
Salaries, teachers.....\$38,572.86
Salaries, clerk.....\$ 400.00
Salaries, janitors.....\$ 4,074.00
Fuel.....\$ 1,914.72
Gas and electric lights.....\$ 68.48
\$45,039.26

Running school expenses.....\$45,380.26
Stationary supplies.....\$ 162.66
Printing.....\$ 231.80
Insurance.....\$ 130.50
Census enumeration.....\$ 164.80
Assessing and collecting school tax.....\$ 975.68
Furniture.....\$1,246.18
Incidentals.....\$1,879.05
General supplies.....\$ 344.71
Repairs.....\$3,227.31
\$53,692.35

Building account.....\$ 864.22
Library account.....\$ 27.50
Discount, interest.....\$ 110.00
Interest on indebtedness.....\$3,000.00
Bonds, payment on indebtedness.....\$3,000.00
Book and school supplies.....\$2,755.40
\$63,453.21

Balance in First National Bank.....\$638.83
Balance in City National Bank.....\$898.69
\$1,537.52

Balance of loan due from the Lincoln building account.....\$2,500.00
Total balance.....\$4,037.52
\$7,490.73

LINCOLN SCHOOL BUILDING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.
Loan on bond and mortgage from estate of Warren Ackerman.....\$25,000.00
Loan from general account.....\$ 2,500.00
Transfer building account of balance.....\$ 101.15
\$27,601.15

DISBURSEMENTS.
Carpentry, masonry, etc.....\$21,617.91
Heating, ventilating, etc.....\$ 1,754.30
Plumbing.....\$ 667.46
Electric wiring.....\$ 617.00
Grading, etc.....\$ 258.16
Fencing.....\$ 162.00
Bank boards.....\$ 344.71
Furniture.....\$ 173.51
Shades.....\$ 22.63
Incidentals.....\$ 112.50
Discount, interest.....\$ 364.28
Architect's services.....\$ 1,121.60
\$27,125.95

Balance in City National Bank.....\$ 475.20
\$27,601.15

An auditing committee was then appointed to audit it. The committee consisted of Messrs. Lounsbury, Lovell and Abbott. The Board then went into executive session.

A Bicycle Thief.

The bicycle thief is still at large and continues his depredations. Saturday evening he took the Spalding wheel belonging to Lindley M. Hillman, of Sherman avenue, from in front of Moy's pharmacy, while the owner was inside the store. Hillman reported the theft to the police, but no trace of the wheel has yet been found. —Additional locals on third page.

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NACK AND THORN PLEAD

The Murderers of Guldensuppe Arraigned Yesterday.

CURIOUS FOLKS IN COURT

Thorn Very Restless and Nervous—Both Have a Worried Look—Indicted Jointly, but Will Probably Have Separate Trials.

New York, Oct. 5.—Augusta Nack and Martin Thorn were arraigned in Long Island City yesterday to plead to the indictment for the murder of William Guldensuppe.

Each professes to be joyful; they say they are going to get justice at last. But the worried look about their eyes doesn't bear out the smiles on their faces. A large number of curiosity-seekers were present with the hope of getting a glimpse of the prisoners.

District Attorney Youngs said Thorn and Mrs. Nack would probably not be arraigned until after the Grand Jury had been charged by the court and the civil calendar called.

Martin Thorn and Mrs. Nack were up bright and early, and after carefully preparing their toilets, were anxiously waiting in their cells to be summoned to the court room. According to Sheriff Doherty, Mrs. Nack was calm and sat in her rocking chair chatting pleasantly with the two matrons, who have charge of her.

Thorn, however, the Sheriff said, seemed to be restless and nervous. The two prisoners have had an understanding with their lawyers as to the legal course to be pursued in their respective cases. Howe & Hummel will defend Thorn, and Friend & House will appear for Mrs. Nack. One of the assistants of District Attorney Olcott, of New York, will aid District Attorney Youngs in the prosecution.

Though they are jointly indicted for the killing of Guldensuppe, they will without doubt elect to have separate trials. District Attorney Youngs, it is believed, will place Thorn on trial first, because the evidence is the strongest against him.

It is charged against the prisoners that the conspiracy to murder Guldensuppe was planned in New York City, that Mrs. Nack enticed Guldensuppe to the house in Woodside under the pretense she was going to hire the house, and that Thorne preceded them there, and while Guldensuppe was inspecting the rooms Thorne suddenly jumped from a closet and shot him in the head.

Then it is claimed Thorne carried the body of Guldensuppe to the bath tub, and there dismembered it and tied up the parts into separate bundles, depositing the bundles in the East River.

The motive is alleged to be Thorne's desire to get rid of Guldensuppe, so that he could live with Mrs. Knack. Counselor Howe, who has had thirty years' experience as a criminal lawyer in New York City, and who has defended scores of notorious prisoners charged with murder, says he never entered into a case with more confidence of securing the discharge of his client than in the case of Thorne.

Lawyer Howe contends it will be a fishing expedition on the part of the District Attorney throughout the trial, with the hope that something will develop to prove the guilt of the defendants.

On the other hand, District Attorney Youngs says he fully believes the prosecution will present such strong circumstantial evidence, with corroborative proof, as to leave no doubt of the guilt of both Thorn and Mrs. Nack.

HALF A MILLION IN NUGGETS.

Rich Claims on Eldorado Creek in the Yukon Country.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 5.—George Stanley, who is mining on El Dorado Creek in the Yukon, writes to his father in this city that claims owned by his father and partner, Warden, on El Dorado Creek, will pan out half a million in gold nuggets this coming winter. The letter predicts that claims on Bear Creek will turn out as rich as those on Bonanza and El Dorado creeks, pans averaging \$5 each. Stanley also writes that the Canadian Government is exacting a royalty of 25 cents per cord on wood to be used in thawing out the gravel this winter. A similar charge is also made for logs used in building cabins for the miners. During the summer forest fires have destroyed a large amount of cord wood. Owing to the scarcity of water but little sluicing has been done.

State Board of Dental Examiners.

Albany, Oct. 5.—The State Board of Dental Examiners has elected these officers for the ensuing year: President Dr. A. Southwick, of Buffalo; secretary Dr. Frank French, of Rochester; editor, Dr. William Carr, of New York City.

The board has withdrawn from membership in the National Association of Dental Faculties on account of the latter having reduced materially the preliminary requirements for entrance to the dental examinations under its jurisdiction. To make it possible for all dental students to take the same licensing examination a resolution has been adopted by the board requesting the State Board of Regents to suggest to the dental colleges that they hold their commencements on or near the same date as possible.

He Objects to "Amen."

Toronto, Oct. 5.—The new Presbyterian Book of Praise, adopted for the use of the church in Great Britain and Canada, does not meet with entire approval. In a church here a leading member resumed his seat before the congregation had sung the "Amen" at the end of a hymn. Later he arose and protested against singing the "Amen" on the ground that it savored strongly of Episcopalianism. After the service the session held a meeting and decided to omit the word in future.

Killed by a Falling Derrick.

Seneca Falls, N. Y., Oct. 5.—John McClue, proprietor of the Merchants' Canal Navigation Company, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon at Waterloo about three miles from this place, by a falling derrick. McClue was 51 years of age and had been in the canal-boating business for thirty-five years.

THE POPE'S HEALTH.

The Report is False that He is Seriously Ill—His Health is Good.

(Cable Dispatch to the Sun.)

Paris, Oct. 5.—A dispatch from Rome to the Depeche Coloniale says the Pope has been seriously ill for three days, and that his physicians fear his illness will terminate fatally.

London, Oct. 5.—The Sun's correspondent in Rome telegraphs that the Pope is in excellent health. His Holiness takes daily walks in the Vatican gardens, and suspended them yesterday and to-day only because it was raining.

Rome, Oct. 5.—Dr. Laponi, the Pope's body physician, confirms the statement cabled to the Sun that His Holiness is enjoying good health.

THE LOW TICKET COMPLETED.

Ex-Secretary Fairchild Named for Comptroller.

New York, Oct. 5.—The Executive Committee of the Citizens' Union last night completed their city and county ticket. The nominations are as follows: For Mayor—Seth Low, Republican, of Manhattan.

For President of the Council—John N. Schuman, Worth Republican, of Brooklyn.

For Comptroller—Charles S. Fairchild, Cleveland Democrat, of Manhattan.

For District Attorney—Austen G. Fox, Cleveland Democrat.

For County Clerk—Benjamin E. Hall, Republican.

For Sheriff—Edward F. McSweeney, Cleveland Democrat.

For Register—Richard H. Adams, president of the Liederkrantz.

For Justices of Supreme Court—Charles H. Van Brunt and George P. Andrews, Democrats.

For Justices of the City Court—Joseph Fettech, Republican; S. Stanwood Menken, Democrat.

For President of the Borough of Manhattan—Robert J. Hogues, Democrat.

A resolution was adopted indorsing Mayor Strong's administration.

CONNECTICUT'S ELECTION.

Big Majority for the Educational Qualification of Voters.

Hartford, Ct., Oct. 5.—The election in this city yesterday was on the adoption of the constitutional amendment requiring electors to be able to read in the English language any article of the constitution or any section of the statutes of this State before being admitted. The voting here was very light and the amendment was approved by a practically unanimous vote—1,151 for and 51 against the measure. The voting all over the State is about in the same ratio.

Elections were held for town officers in every town in the State excepting Hartford, New Haven and Bridgeport. Mayors and full city governments were voted for in New London, Waterbury, South Norwalk and Norwalk.

The results have no particular bearing on the political situation. In Middletown much interest centered around the license question, which at last accounts had a majority of 700.

The Republicans elected nearly their entire ticket and they are also ahead in Meriden and New London. Some three hundred illegal ballots were cast in New Britain for the Republican school visitors, and the result will depend on their being accepted.

Filing Nominations at Albany.

Albany, Oct. 5.—Yesterday was the last day for filing with the Secretary of State certificates of regular party nominations. Independent nominations may be filed up to and including Oct. 8. The official ballot this year will contain party columns for the Republican, Democratic, Prohibition and Socialist Labor parties. The People's party seems to have abided by the decision of the Attorney-General that they were not entitled to a party column this year, as they cast less than ten thousand votes last Fall. The People's party has not filed any nomination for Judge of the Court of Appeals, as has been usual with them, and they will not be represented on the official ballot this year unless they nominate by petition. This is unlikely, owing to the great work necessary to secure the 6,000 names which are required before such a nomination can be recognized by the Secretary of State.

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PARTICULAR MENTION. Miss Sadie Brown, of Westfield, visited friends in this city on Saturday. Joseph Bogert and family, of East Second street, have moved to East Sixth street.

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Willard Sutton and family, of East Third street, will move in a few days to the house owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ianson on the same street.

A Valuable Prescription. Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and \$1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mrs. Eugenia LaForge, of New Brunswick, has been visiting Mrs. VanFleet, of East Third street.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Ralph Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, entered the New Jersey Military Academy yesterday, and will take up a regular course of study.

Those who believe chronic diarrhoea to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, La., has to say on the subject, viz: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found a remedy that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhoea. It is pleasant to take and never fails to affect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. James Leggett and daughter, of Skillman, who were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leggett, of West Front street, have returned home.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Edward Loizeaux, of the borough, entered Columbia College yesterday morning for the purpose of taking up a course in medicine.

Croup Quickly Cured. MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark.—Our children were suffering with croup when we received a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. Thornton. This celebrated remedy is for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

DEBS COLONISTS DISCOURAGED.

Worked Out the Theory All Right but the Scheme Did Not Succeed. Reading, Pa., Oct. 5.—The six Reading men who belonged to the new labor colony on the Debs plan at Kepler, Schuylkill County, returned home yesterday, not at all pleased with the first season's experience. It is doubtful whether they will return. The farm is a good one of 312 acres, 125 being under cultivation. Forty men, women and children were on the farm all Summer. The colony's plan to pay off \$1,400 of the debt failed, as the installments promised were not forthcoming. The colony inn could not be completed. Nearly every member of the colony has returned home for the winter. A few remain to look after the property. Many have time checks given for labor rendered which have not been redeemed. Many took potatoes for their checks. The men were to get 15 cents an hour for labor performed, but this could not be carried out. The men say such a colony can be a success only if started without debt. This farm is in every way good, but the debt was a dead weight. A Jersey City man has promised substantial aid for next season. The colonists have several tons of hay stacked or housed. The colony idea is not very assuring to those who have most experience. They say there should be several industries on the farm to give employment to those who cannot find work in the fields.

LOW'S RESIGNATION HELD.

A Committee Will Report on It After Election.

New York, Oct. 5.—Seth Low is still president of Columbia University. This is the outcome of the meeting of the trustees of Columbia University, held yesterday afternoon at the office of John McL. Nash, treasurer of the institution, at 67 Wall street. In order to avoid taking decisive action they handed the resignation to a committee of five, appointed by William C. Schermerhorn, their chairman, to be considered and reported on at the next regular meeting on Nov. 15.

Mr. Low's resignation read as follows:

"As I have felt constrained by a sense of public duty to accept a nomination for Mayor of the City of New York at the hands of the Citizens' Union, I feel it to be my duty to the university to place in your hands, for such action as you may see fit to take, my resignation as president of the university. I need not say that nothing but a deep sense of the imperative nature of the call to public duty would have led me to accept the nomination. Respectfully, 'SETH LOW.'"

The meeting at which this document was discussed, was, of course, private. Cit John B. Pine, who is clerk of the board, said afterward there was very little discussion on the matter. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the resignation of the president be referred to a select committee of five, to be appointed by the chair, of which the chairman shall be a member, to consider and report at the next meeting of the trustees as to what action should be taken in reference thereto, with their recommendations."

Ex-Senator McMillan Dead.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 5.—Samuel J. R. McMillan, United States Senator from 1876 to 1888, who died at his home in this city late Sunday night, had been ill for nearly a year.

He was born in Brownsville, Pa. Feb. 22, 1826. He studied in the office of Edwin M. Stanton, afterward Secretary of War. After being Judge, he was appointed Associate Judge of the Supreme Court in 1864, and was re-elected in 1871, and in 1874 chosen Chief Justice.

In February, 1875, he was elected to the United States Senate as the result of one of the most noted deadlocks in the history of the State.

Dissipated a Fortune of \$40,000.

Syracuse, Oct. 5.—E. H. Robinson who a few years ago left this city with an inheritance of \$40,000, is now a fugitive from justice. He located in Middleport, near Niagara Falls, and engaged in business, but his money was rapidly dissipated by fast living. In June last a confectionery store in the village was robbed of \$77, which was taken from the till. The crime was traced to Robinson, who confessed. He was not punished, however, on account of his previous good character, and because the money was restored by his friends. Recently he was caught in the act of robbing the till in Holland Bros. store. A warrant was issued for him but he fled and his whereabouts are not known.

Y. P. S. C. E. State Convention.

Elmira, Oct. 5.—Last evening the annual State convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor opened here. One thousand delegates, arrived yesterday, and 4,000 more are expected. The convention will conclude on Thursday. Among the prominent speakers will be President McKerrick of Buffalo; the Rev. G. M. Hemdel, of Albany; Mrs. Booth-Tucker, Mrs. C. C. Linckey, of Brooklyn; Mrs. E. H. Whittemore, of New York; the Rev. John Elliott, of Rochester; the Rev. H. H. Stubbins, of Rochester; the Rev. Henry McEwen, of New York; Francis Clark, of Boston, and the Rev. George Pentecost, of Yonkers.

Swallowed a Dose of Chloral.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—Theodore Porter, Minister of Finance for the Hawaiian Republic when it was first established in 1893, attempted suicide at Golden Gate Park last night by swallowing a dose of chloral and cutting veins in both his wrists. He was picked up by a policeman and taken to the receiving hospital, where his life was saved by the attending physicians. He now lies in a very precarious state at the home of a friend.

Indian Outbreak Feared.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Secretary Bliss has requested Secretary Alger to order troops to proceed to Tussockoma, I. T., to avert threatened trouble during the sessions of the Choctaw Council, which convenes to-day. Both Gov. McCurtain and Indian Agent Wisdom fear an outbreak between the political factions and urged that troops be sent to preserve the peace and prevent riots. It is probable that a troop of cavalry will be sent from Fort Gibson.

BEATEN BY BICYCLISTS

Yonkers Girl Rescued From the Hands of a Ruffian.

SISTER HAD GONE FOR AID After Thashing the Wretch the Cyclists Called the Police and Had Him Locked Up—Residents Greatly Excited.

Yonkers, Oct. 5.—James McGowan, the ruffian who attacked Miss Edith Bakeman on Sunday evening, was arraigned before Judge Kellogg yesterday and was remanded until last evening.

Miss Bakeman is a decidedly pretty 17-year-old girl and probably owes her life to two bicyclists. As the two men were speeding along Van Cortlandt Park avenue on their wheels at dusk last evening they heard a woman's cry for help in a clump of bushes by the roadside.

Without hesitation the wheelmen dismounted, and, laying their wheels down, hastened in the direction from whence the cry came. In the midst of the underbrush they discovered a middle-aged man of medium height, bent over the form of a young woman, and with his two hands clutched about her throat.

The fellow was cursing the young woman, who was vainly endeavoring to free herself from her assailant. In a much shorter time than it takes to describe it the two bicyclists dragged the man from his unfortunate victim, and while one held him the other assisted the girl to her feet.

Feeling assured that the young lady was not seriously injured or in need of immediate assistance, the two bicyclists set about to beat their prisoner, which they did with a vengeance. At first the fellow showed fight, but the continued onslaught of his captors soon subdued him, and he begged for mercy. The men did not desist, however, until the fellow was unable to move.

They then turned their attention to the young lady, who told them that she was proceeding to church with her 13-year-old sister, when the fellow approached her. She tried to avoid him, but he pursued her and after catching her dragged her into the woods for the purpose of assaulting her.

She resisted him, and he beat, kicked and tried to choke her. Her little sister, she said, ran home for help. The men waited for no further explanation, and after assuring the young lady of their protection they persuaded her to accompany them. They then dragged the fellow to the nearest police signal-box, where the police were communicated with.

When the police arrived they found the man terribly beaten. He was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, where his wounds were dressed. Both of his eyes were closed. At the police station he gave his name as James McGowan, age 45 years.

Miss Bateman resides at Lincoln Park and is much thought of by all who know her. She said:

"I feel that I would surely have been killed if those good men had not come to my assistance. The villain wanted money and tried to rob me of my honor."

The residents of Lincoln Park are greatly excited about the affair, and they all promise to be on hand at the trial.

Edith and her sister are attendants at St. John's Episcopal Church, and it was to that place she was going. The wheelmen who rescued her were Louis Page, of 18 Carroll street, and D. D. Alley, also a resident of Yonkers.

MURDER IN SCHAGHTICOKE.

A Fiddler Piled with Liquor in a Saloon, Then Beaten to Death.

Troy, Oct. 5.—George Drake, of Schaghticoke, lies dead at the Troy Hospital, and his alleged murderers, Edward Guare and Thomas Hickey, are in the Troy jail. Drake was mentally weak, but his musical abilities were strong enough to please the people of Schaghticoke, where the tragedy occurred. On Saturday night Drake wandered into Mrs. Butler's saloon in Front street, with his violin under his arm. The crowd in the saloon was a boisterous one, and became still more so when Drake began to play. They filled the violinist with whisky, and when Drake became loud and abusive he was ejected by the bartender. But Drake would not stay out, and immediately re-entered the saloon.

Edward Guare and Thomas Hickey, both of whom were drunk, grabbed Drake and pushed him through the door into the street. They followed him across the street and beat him until he fell. Guare and Hickey became frightened at what they had done, picked him up and placed him on the sidewalk. Some of the men in the Butler saloon hurried over and carried Drake to Casey's Hotel, where his condition became so serious that he was removed to the Troy Hospital. Drake died in the hospital Sunday night. The autopsy showed that death had been caused by a fracture of the skull and laceration of the brain. Guare and Hickey were arrested in the woods near Schaghticoke and will be tried for murder. Drake was 50 years old and well known throughout the county.

Loss of a Jersey Schooner.

St. Augustine, Fla., Oct. 5.—Nothing has been heard of the crew of the schooner Priscilla Scriber, the wreckage of which has been floating ashore on Anastasia Island. It is believed that all her men have been lost at sea. A yawl came ashore on North Beach yesterday, and an effort had evidently been made to launch it, as the davits are attached to it, together with about two hundred feet of line. The bow of the yawl is stove in. Parts of the cabin have been picked up on South Beach.

Lands Purchased for the State Park.

Albany, Oct. 5.—The State Forest Preserve Board has purchased of W. W. Durant, of New York City, 23,872 acres of Adirondack land in township six, Hamilton County, which embraces a portion of Raquette Lake. This land is one of the best timbered property in the woods and is considered a valuable addition to the State's holdings within the boundaries of the Adirondack State Park. The purchase price has not yet been made public, but it is understood to have been \$7 an acre.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS. (Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Probably Fair Wednesday; Warmer.

At 3 o'clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 78 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS. October 5—Dr. Snodgrass' lecture at Monroe Avenue M. E. church.

October 5—Meeting of Racers Club, 529 Park Avenue, 10 a. m.

October 5—Anniversary of Children's Home in Crescent Avenue church chapel.

October 5—Annual meeting Park Club.

October 6—Tenth anniversary of Franklin Council.

October 7—First ball of Arion Club in Cycle Academy.

October 7—Lecture on Klondyke at Grace P. E. parish house.

October 7th—Entertainment Bethel chapel.

PLAIN WORDS FROM THE PULPIT.

Morristown has a preacher who believes plain words and—realism. This divine's name is Rev. Samuel Zane Batten, and the sermon that he preached Sunday evening and the material things he had on hand to illustrate his points have set the aristocratic town agog.

The girls of the Plainfield High School have organized an athletic association. The Mothers' Congress of the State of New York is in session at Syracuse.

Delegates Appointed. The executive board of the Park Avenue Baptist Sunday-school held its third quarterly business meeting, last evening at the home of the superintendent, Miss Alice Spangenberg.

Councilman R. I. Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, is in Chicago on business. Mrs. E. M. Ransom, of East Fifth street, has returned from Spring Valley, N. Y., where she has been the guest of friends for sometime past.

Mrs. Maggie Bittle has returned from Ohio, where she has been for the past four months. Her daughters from Dunellen and Raritan gave her a reception last evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. David Bush, of North avenue.

At the regular meeting of the West End Hose Co. No. 2, last evening, the subject of uniforms was discussed, and samples were submitted to the company by the committee in charge.

The handsome floral display at the Church of the Heavenly Rest used at the time of the funeral of the late Charles S. Lewis, which was held last week, has been photographed. The flowers were arranged by Mrs. Denton, of Prospect Hill.

The Eldridge Bicycle Company is not going to manufacture its own bicycles but they will be constructed by one of the large manufacturers especially for the Eldridge Company.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

Signature of Dr. J. C. H. Fletcher.

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. Flaag, of Hasbrouck Heights, is visiting Plainfield friends.

C. B. Brown expects to leave the city soon for his home in Minneapolis.

Miss Gertrude Tier, of Bank place, is entertaining company from out of town.

W. E. Lewis and family have gone to Hoboken to visit friends for a few weeks.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krewson, of Pearl street, Sunday.

Ashton Horton, of Tarrytown, N. Y., is visiting former acquaintances in Plainfield.

Harold Chandor, of East Fifth street, spent Sunday with friends in Westfield.

William Hobby, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a short visit in Brooklyn.

Rev. D. M. Stearns has returned home, and will shortly resume his classes again.

Mrs. H. T. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, has returned after a visit at Glen Cove, L. I.

A. B. Gossman, of Long Island, spent Saturday and Sunday with Plainfield friends.

Miss Lulu Randolph, of West Eighth street, is slowly recovering from a recent illness.

Miss Loree, of West Second street, is enjoying a much needed rest with friends at Whitehouse.

S. P. Craig and family, of College place, have gone to Roseville to visit friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. Peter S. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Miss Mabelle Schenck, of Somerville, has returned home after a short visit with Plainfield relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Hummer, of Annadale, are visiting L. A. Hummer, of Somerset street.

A. E. Bushnell, of No. 104 Park avenue, carries his arm in a sling, the result of a stab with an ice pick.

Mrs. Sharp, of Somerville, mother of Mrs. J. F. Garretson, of West Front street, has suffered a paralytic stroke.

William K. Dwight, of Rockview avenue, who is now attending Princeton University, spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. J. C. VanDyke, of East Front street, will leave the city today to spend a time with relatives at Liberty Corner.

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice Coard, of East Ninth street, to Harry Johnson, of LaGrande avenue.

Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Lincoln place, has been entertained by her sister, Mrs. Francis Clark, of High street, Newark.

Samuel Huntington and family, of Franklin place, are at home, after spending the heated season at the seashore.

R. W. Bowne, of Glen Cove, L. I., has been spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. H. T. Smith, of Westervelt avenue.

J. E. Stewart and family, of West Seventh street, who have been stopping at the Clafin House, Becket, Mass., have returned home.

Miss Catherine Webster, of East Second street, has returned from her trip to California. This makes her sixth trip across the continent.

Mayor Fisk and family, of West Seventh street, have returned from Jefferson, N. H., where they have been enjoying life at the Waumbek.

Miss M. L. Hotchkiss, of Crescent avenue, has returned home after spending the summer at Alburt Springs, Vt., and Elizabethtown, N. Y.

Wesley Abbott, of Yale University, has been spending a few days at his home on Central avenue on account of an injury received while playing football.

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.

—An entertainment will be given in Bethel chapel on Thursday evening.

—On October 14th the Somerville fire department will hold an inspection.

—A corn husking party will be held in the Lawton barn, South Plainfield, this week.

—J. E. Beerbower, proprietor of the City Hotel, has arranged to have his opening on Thursday of this week.

—The white paint that is being applied to the residence of Jacob Long, on Craig place, is a great improvement to his property.

—Neuman Bros. have just received a shipment of 25 baskets of good table peaches, which will be disposed of today at low prices.

—A lecture will be given in Grace church parish house on Thursday evening. It will be about Alaska and the Klondyke region.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold a regular communication this evening, when the E. A. degree will be conferred.

—Will all those who have circulated the W. C. T. U. petitions for signers bring or send them to our room either Thursday afternoon or next Sunday afternoon at our meeting.

—Ed Campbell, of Park avenue, has added two new specimens to his menagerie. He has now a small opossum, which he captured when it was only a week old. He also has a young woodchuck.

—The little pony owned by Mayor Charles J. Fisk, which was taken to New Hampshire with the Mayor's family this summer, reached this city yesterday. The little animal was brought to New York by rail and was then driven to this city.

—The article in The News regarding Jefferson avenue, Friday, was incorrect as far as Charles J. McNabb was concerned, the latter wishes The Press to state. He was never employed by the township committee to look up the acceptance of Jefferson avenue.

ARM BROKEN IN PLAY.

Little Miss Gullenberg Fell Through the Floor Beams of an Unfinished House.

Ellen Gullenberg, aged 12 years, of Berokman street, met with a painful accident last evening about 6 o'clock while she was playing about one of Charles Hand's new houses on that street. With other children she was in the second story of the house, and in running about over the rafters young Miss Gullenberg lost her balance and fell through the floor to the ground. Her friends went to the home of the injured girl's parents and informed them of what had happened.

The Racers Club's First Meeting. The Racers Club held its first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. M. Kimball, of 829 Park avenue, at 10 o'clock this morning.

Seven Want to Become Members. A meeting of the Plainfield Catholic Club was held last evening in the clubhouse on West Sixth street. Seven applications were received.

Thirtieth Regiment's Reunion. The Plainfield members of the Thirtieth Regiment, who will hold their reunion in Trenton on Thursday, will leave the North Avenue station at 8:44 a. m. and all who intend going should be there at that time.

Died of Diphtheria. The two year-old daughter of Herbert Schellinger, of 416 East Fourth street, died at noon yesterday, of diphtheria. The funeral was held from the house at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces.

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Intelligent women would not use baking powder containing alum if they knew it, no matter how cheap it might be. Cheap baking powders sell because people do not know what is in them. Everything used in Cleveland's baking powder is plainly named on the label.

Guarantee. Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Protesting Against an Appointment. Washington, Oct. 5.—Several protests have been filed at the War Department protesting against the appointment of the Rev. David H. Shields of Shippensburg, Pa., who was recently appointed to the post of Chaplain in the Army by President McKinley.

Fourth-Class Postmasters Appointed. Washington, Oct. 5.—The following fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday:

New York—Angola, Erie County; Charles N. Wood; Bliss, Wyoming County; D. S. Merville; North Sparta, Livingston County; James M. Ashman; Pennsylvania—Harveys, Greene County; R. Lee Huffman; Jollytown, Greene County; Albert E. Clovis; Paisley, Greene County; Mrs. M. M. Arford; Prescottville, Jefferson County; Mrs. Agnes Handyside.

Sagasta's New Cabinet. Madrid, Oct. 5.—Senor Sagasta has succeeded in his undertaking of forming a new Cabinet.

Although the new Cabinet embraces respectable talent, it is less strong than it was expected it would be.

It is currently reported that the animosities and jealousies which are so conspicuous in Spanish politics thwarted Senor Sagasta's efforts, and that he was compelled to omit statesmen from his Cabinet who declined to share office with others whom the premier was pledged to appoint.

MUSIC HALL. FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 5th and 6th. MATINEES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Corbett-Fitzsimmons Pictures in Life-Size, Illustrated by THE VERISCOPE.

as taken at Carson City, March 17, 1897. The Veriscope pictures are the only genuine ones. The public are warned against counterfeit and colorable imitations.

Signed, DAN A. STEWART, Pres. Veriscope Co. Seats on sale at box office, Thursday, Oct. 7th.

A Piano Sensation!

During this month we're going to sell good Pianos at the previously unheard of price of \$170 cash, or \$190 on easy monthly payments.

We bought nearly a hundred from different makers during the summer. These are good pianos that we guarantee for five years.

We have also marked down for this month the prices on all of our regular lines of Hardmans, Gablers, Voses, Sterlings and Standards. There is decided saving for the buyer who comes during this sale.

It would be worth your while to buy now, even if you don't want the Piano until Christmas; we'll store it for you without charge.

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The Klondyke at Home. THE LINCOLN STEEL TOOL WORKS. THE FRANKLIN COMPANY. THE STAR INCUBATOR CO.

"L-I-N-C-O-L-N" and all will open with many American mechanics, on or before October 1, 1897.

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What Is Low Tariff? The rates charged for service by THE NEW YORK AND NEW JERSEY TELEPHONE COMPANY; RATES SO LOW as to make the Telephone an item of unimportant expense while its value for custom and occasion is supreme.

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VAN EMBURGH WE GIVE STAMPS. We Give All Kinds of Premiums! Come and Get a Card. Don't Fail to See Our Window Display. Get Your Life Insurance Stamps of Us.

WE MAKE a SPECIALTY of DRESSMAKERS' FURNISHINGS. Irish Rope Lining, 1 yard wide, black or gray, 15c yd. English Duck Lining, 1 yard wide, white or black, 12c yd. American Cotton Wire Cloth for stiffening, 10c yd. 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 Flanneletts, 10c yd. Extra good quality of new Outing Flannel, 7c yd. The best unlaundersed 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.

SOLE AGENTS FOR CENTEMER KID GLOVES. We sell more Germantown and Saxony yarns than all the rest put together. Why? Because we carry the largest stock. Try our Muslin Underwear once. You will never buy any other. Our dollar Wrappers have no equal. Don't take our word for it, but ask some friend who has tried them. Corner Store. BABCOCK BUILDING. Madison Ave. and Front Street. PLAINFIELD, N. J.

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Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Chief and Press Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Furnished at the Supper Table at Your Leisure DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. John Huff is entertaining her father from Oyster Bay, L. I. Postmaster C. A. Corriell spent yesterday with friends in Newark.

Mrs. Puroer, of Brooklyn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Nelson. Mrs. S. S. Prentiss is visiting friends at Greenwich, Conn., for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. George V. T. Schenck returned last evening from their wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sampson and daughter visited friends in Elizabeth on Sunday.

Nothing of importance was transacted at the regular meeting of the Council last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer have returned from a visit with relatives in Somerville.

Mrs. Kenney and Miss Ella Boice rode their wheels to New Brunswick yesterday and spent the day with friends.

The regular monthly meeting of the Epworth League will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. Kenney. Sociability will be a feature.

Samuel Merrill has just purchased a new three-horse truck to carry on his increasing business. It was made by William Plim, of Flemington.

Yesterday afternoon while J. B. Conover was driving one of W. H. Cole's horses on the scales in front of the coal office, two or three wooden planks gave way and allowed the hind legs of the animal to fall through. For a few minutes it was thought that the legs would be broken, but quick assistance on the part of neighbors saved the horse. A new plank floor will now be put down to take the place of the old one.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

John O'Neill, of Brooklyn, is visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. George Clark and Miss Emma Clark are spending the day in New York.

Miss Sadie Walpole spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Demarest, of Plainfield.

Twilight Council No. 7, Jr. O. U. A. M., will attend in a body the annual meeting of Franklin Council, No. 4, of Plainfield. A number of members will take their wives and lady friends to enjoy the occasion.

The Fanwood Township Committee held a meeting last evening to award damages for injuries inflicted upon domestic animals by dogs remaining at large. As no claims were presented, the Committee transacted some routine business and adjourned.

James Somers and Edward Palmer, of Brooklyn, were the guests on Sunday of Mrs. W. H. Turton. On their return they were accompanied safely to East Orange by Mr. Turton and Fred Hoagland, and were there shown the nearest route by rail to New York.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, of Scotch Plains, has awarded the contract for painting the truck house to Charles Messler, and for constructing the new roof, to Alexander MacCauley. When this work is completed, and the truck house is decked in its new light colors, it will add much to the appearance of the town.

THEATRICAL.

If you want to enjoy a good laugh, one that will act on you like a tonic and drive your cares away, just pay a visit to Music Hall Thursday, and see a production of the greatest of laughing successes, "Side Tracked." If all reports we hear of it are true the piece is better than ever this season.

The "Corbett Fitzsimmons" pictures of the fight at Carson City, March 17, 1897, illustrated by the "Veriscope," at Music Hall, Friday and Saturday, matinee and night.

Mothers Praise Hood's Sarsaparilla, because, by its great blood enriching qualities, it gives rosy cheeks and vigorous appetites to pale and puny children.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

WESTFIELD

FOR FRESH AIR CAUSE.

FINE ARRAY OF ARTISTS AT CHILDREN'S HOME ENTERTAINMENT.

Westfield Township Committee Met and Awarded Claim of John V. Pickell - Dog Tax Fixed - Junior Football.

A large audience gathered in the Westfield Club house auditorium last night when the annual entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Country Home was given. The orchestra, under the direction of Samuel Burhans, gave the overture and Alfred E. Pearsall sang "Jerusalem," a song which he has made familiar to the music-loving people of Westfield. He was accompanied by Miss Marie Budworth; Miss Helen Gomes next made a hit in her recitation "The Swing"; James S. Burdette, the humorist, gave a side-splitting selection entitled "The Ape," and was encored; a soprano solo, "Ava Maria," sung by Miss Annie M. Weed, received generous applause. One of the hits of the evening was a reading by Fred Emerson Brooks of one of his own pieces entitled "Pickett's Charge." The applause which greeted the Californian poet-reciter was deafening. He recited a short humorous piece as an encore. "The Sneezing Song," by Miss Budworth, was well received; it was followed by "The Lost Chord" sung by the chorus of twenty voices, with orchestral accompaniment. The second half of the programme was of an informal nature including selections of a light character from all the artists. George W. Day, the story teller was also introduced and made a hit with his humorous songs and stories.

The Westfield Township Committee met last night and awarded John V. Pickell \$35 damages for a cow belonging to him which died from rabies resulting from the bite of an unknown dog. The dog tax for the current year was fixed at twenty-five cents a head. Bids were opened for the work of cleaning and straightening the Westfield brook from First street to the township line, and the contract was awarded to Felix Sterpone, for \$72. A communication was received from J. C. Henry, giving suggestions for the widening and straightening of the Westfield brook so as to prevent a repetition of the disastrous floods of this summer. Applications to pay sewer assessments in three annual instalments were received from A. E. B. Bogert and Mary A. Marsh, and the Committee adjourned until Friday night when it will give a public hearing in the Westfield Club Hall on the question of granting a franchise to the Elizabeth and Plainfield Railway company.

Rev. George A. Francis, J. Warren Brown and Charles E. Smith will attend the meeting of the Baptist examining council for the ordination of ministers, which will meet in Mt. Zion Baptist church, Newark, tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Blanche Buchanan, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. A. Smith, of Elm street.

The case of A. M. Griffen against A. L. Jimmerson will be tried in Justice Collins' court tomorrow.

Fred Pierson, of Plainfield, spent yesterday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pierson, of Elm street.

Lloyd S. Thompson, of Clark street, will shortly enter the New York Law School.

PRIMARY TEACHERS' UNION.

Annual Meeting Held and Arrangements Made for Annual Institute.

The annual meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union was held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Morse, of Westfield, and Mrs. Baker, also of Westfield, taught the lesson. The report of the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Smalley, was read, and showed increased interest. The collections were reported to be much better.

It was decided to hold the annual institute in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church on Monday, October 25th, and among those who will take part in the exercises are Miss Cushman, the celebrated kindergarten teacher of Newark; Rev. Mr. Ferguson, State secretary of the Union; Dr. Breaker, of Scotch Plains; Dr. Main, of this city; Mrs. T. H. Skillman and Mrs. J. N. Harris, of New Brunswick. The election of officers for the ensuing term resulted as follows: President, Miss Nettie Beeching; first vice-president, Mrs. Powlison; second vice-president, Mrs. Baker; third vice-president, Mrs. Mosher; secretary, Mrs. Smalley; librarian, Miss Lambert.

Pushing the Church Alterations.

Trinity Reformed church will be lowered onto the foundation tomorrow and Contractor Wilson, the carpenter, will put a gang of men on the interior and the new front with a view of pushing it to completion as quickly as possible.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

A Liniment to Rely On.

No matter how careful you are, you can hardly hope to escape bruises, strains and bodily aches. If you elude them, some other member of the family will not, and so a liniment is needed in every home. There are three reasons why

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NOT A KNIGHT OF CHIVALRY ANYWAY.

Young Man Got Angry and Set Out to Punish His Sister.

Mont Knight, an employe at the Pond Machine Tool Company's Works, was arraigned before Justice of Peace Mosher last evening to answer to a charge of assault and battery preferred by his sister, Mrs. George H. Rockefeller, of Manson place.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Rockefeller went to visit her parents who live on New street, and was asked to remain and take supper. Young Knight who lives at home returned shortly after 6 o'clock and all sat down to the table. During the meal some family matter was brought up and a wrangle ensued over it. Mrs. Rockefeller would not give up her views upon the matter, and finally young Knight, she alleges, got up in a rage and struck her a blow which felled her to the floor. He then roughly ejected her from the house.

Mrs. Rockefeller fainted several times from the effects of the assault, and was barely able to get to the house of a neighbor, where she was cared for.

After hearing the evidence Justice Mosher held Knight in \$100 bail to appear before the Grand Jury. The young man's father furnished the bond and he was released.

Transfers and Contracts.

The following property transfers were recorded at County Clerk Howard's office, September 25th to October 1st, inclusive, as reported, in The New Jersey Contractor and Gazette: Kneeland P. Ketcham, Freeport, N. Y., to Beulah P. Hatch, lot Eighth street, near Arlington avenue, \$1. O. Leland et ux, to Abigail M. Briant and Mary C. Harris, Plainfield, lot Fifth and Division streets, \$1. Abigail M. Briant et ux, to O. Leland, lot westerly side Kensington avenue, 625 feet north Putnam avenue, \$1. Neil D. Scott et ux, to Rising Sun Brewing Co., tract 106 feet from Spooner property, Plainfield, \$2,000. Regina Hand et ux, to Chas. H. Hand, Plainfield, lot Third street, Plainfield, \$1.

The following contracts were also recorded:

George H. Burgess with F. O. Smith, Plainfield, painter, house, Central avenue, Plainfield, \$425. Same with C. William Krouse, heating, \$2,152.11. Trinity Reformed church, Dutch, with Coriell & TenEyke, Plainfield, painting, \$190.

A New Deputy for New Jersey.

Freemasons who are members of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite will be interested to learn that at the recent meeting of the Supreme Council, thirty-third degree of that rite, in Boston, Mass., Brother Robert A. Shirrefs, thirty-third degree, of Elizabeth, Commander-in-Chief of New Jersey Consistory, S. P. R. S., at Jersey City, was elected Deputy for the State of New Jersey, to succeed Illustrious Brother Andrew B. Frazee, thirty-third degree, of Camden, who declined a re-election. The exalted position he now occupies—one to which only that of Grand Master Masons is to be compared—was due to his eminent fitness for it, a recognition of the work he has done in building up the rite in New Jersey.

Just Escaped a Collision.

Mrs. DeLong, of Sandford avenue, narrowly escaped being run down this morning while riding her wheel. A man in a wagon driving a spirited horse at full speed turned from Front street into Sandford avenue and was about to run over Mrs. DeLong when, by her quick action she jumped out of the way just in time to save herself from severe injury.

Inspecting Properties.

The Martin Act Commissioners held a short meeting yesterday afternoon. They were driven over the city to see some of the properties that they have been considering at the meetings of the commissioners. The commissioners then adjourned until Thursday evening.

—Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., meets this evening. All the members are earnestly requested to be present as business of importance is to be transacted.

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—John H. Kitchen, of Somerset street, has staked out ground for two new houses on Third street.

A shipment of 100 bushels of fine Early Rose potatoes of extra fine cooking quality just received at Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers.

NOTICE to Carpenters.

Bids are solicited for material and building a new school house at Washingtonville on present school lot. Plans and specifications to be found at H. N. Spencer's store, Somerset street, North Plainfield. The Board of Education reserve the right to reject any and all bids, all bids to be sealed and presented to the Board on Friday, October 8, 1897, at Spencer's Hall, all bids will be opened and read at the same place on Friday, October 8, 1897, at 3:30 o'clock p. m. Also bids for painting the same are solicited. W. H. MORRIS, District Clerk, Township of North Plainfield.

Advertised Letters.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 4, '97. Austin Alex Mr Allen A S Bergner Theo Mrs Bill B S Miss Bluntack Sam' Mr Bernard C Crossely Theo Mrs Candy J S Eye E F Miss Footitt Jos Mrs Ferguson Julia Mrs Hoover J N A Mason Jas K Mrs Weeks A Mrs McGrath Bell Miss Miller Herman Mr 3 Pound E Rodgers G Mrs Rowland J D Mrs Starnad Sarah Miss Skense Mary Sullivan Nellie Smith Lottie Benj Mr Stewart John Mrs Ward A S Wate A S Weeks A Mrs

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John Beerbower.

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Mrs. Ira F. Riker, Funeral Director and Embalmer. Cases of woman and children a specialty. 182 CENTRAL AVE. Calls promptly. Moses N. Terrill, Mgr. attended to.

DIED.

WEAVER—In this city, on Monday, October 4, 1897, Sarah L. F., widow of Hamilton Weaver, and daughter of the late Edw. F. Randolph. Funeral services at her late residence 321 West Second street, on Wednesday, October 6, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited. 10 4 2 MULFORD—MOORES—In this city, on Monday, October 4, 1897, Israela Moores, wife of Armstrong Mulford. Funeral service at her late residence, 425 East Fifth street, on Wednesday, October 6, 1897, at 3:45 p. m. SHILLINGER—In this city, on Monday, October 4, 1897, Mary infant daughter of Herbert and Mary Shillinger, aged 2 years, 4 months and 20 days. Funeral private, on Tuesday, October 5, at 2 p. m. MARTINE—A. Kate Martine, at her home, "Cedar Brook," Tuesday, October 5, 1897. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

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GEN. REEDER TO BE TRIED.

The writs of Habeas Corpus Dismissed in the Wanamaker Case. Easton, Pa., Oct. 5.—The cases of Gen. Frank Reeder, until recently Secretary of the Commonwealth; Assemblyman Weiss and M. L. Luckenbach, who are charged with conspiracy to defame the good name of John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, by scheming to have a bribe offered to Weiss for a vote for Wanamaker for United States Senator, came before Judge Scott yesterday. It is alleged that a bribe was offered to Weiss last month, and an action in the matter is now pending against E. A. Van Valkenburg, one of Wanamaker's lieutenants. The District Attorney moved that the writs of habeas corpus be dismissed on the ground that the surrender of bail had been voluntary on the part of the defendants. The counsel for the defence objected. W. C. Shipman, private counsel for the prosecution, said that his side was ready to proceed with the case. The court said that the motion was in conformity with the practice of the court, and unless the defendants could show good cause the motion of the District Attorney would be allowed.

ACCUSED OF BUYING DELEGATES.

State Senator Miller, of Pennsylvania, and His Friend Arrested. Reading, Pa., Oct. 5.—Democratic State Senator W. Oscar Miller has been arrested, charged with assisting in buying up a bunch of delegates at the last Democratic county convention. The sworn allegations made before Alderman Brownwell is that Senator Miller, who was taking a hand in fixing up a slate for the county offices, bargained for a lot of votes in the convention to nominate a candidate for Recorder of Deeds. The alleged stipulation was \$1,000 spot cash, or a clerkship in the Recorder's office. The delegates are said to have delivered, and Senator Miller's friend, Daniel W. Reeser, nominated. The alleged bargain was not carried out on the Senator's part, and hence the suit on the part of the person who says he delivered the men. A similar suit was begun against Reeser. Senator Miller says the charge is absolutely untrue, and that it is simply an attempt at blackmail or intimidation. Each accused man gave bail of \$1,000.

CORNELL FRESHMAN MISSING.

Mysterious Disappearance from Ithaca of a Brooklyn Boy. Ithaca, Oct. 5.—Frank Powers Parkinson, of Seventy-eighth street, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, a graduate of the Boys' High School and a freshman in Cornell University, on Sunday morning mysteriously disappeared from his temporary residence in Ithaca, 192 East State street, without giving his friends any knowledge whatever as to his intentions. He ate breakfast as usual at his boarding-house, 23 Heustis street, returned to his room, and his roommate, A. L. Wessels, being absent, packed his valise and departed, to go no one knows where. On Sunday night his immediate friends in Ithaca, S. H. Benton, W. E. Phelps, A. L. Wessels and R. L. Haskell, made a search for him, but without success. A telegram has been sent to his home in Brooklyn in order that his parents might be informed of the facts and a more careful search made. At the time of his disappearance he wore a light gray suit of clothes, a light brown overcoat, a dark brown Derby, eye-glasses and brown shoes.

IN THE BASE BALL FIELD.

Boston Wins the First Game in the Temple Cup Series. Boston, Oct. 5.—The old champions went down in defeat before the new ones yesterday in the first game of the Temple Cup series. The game was loosely played, a curious medley of hits and errors, with an occasional brilliant bit of fielding by way of spice. Neither team played in anything like championship form. The real feature was the crowd, which overran the field, and made necessary a ground rule that a ball hit into the crowd should be good for two bases only. Nichols and Nops were pitted against each other, and, so far as base hits went, Nops had the better of the argument. Nops, however, was wild as a hawk, and of the seven Bostoners he sent to first on balls no less than five scored. This was the deciding factor in Boston's victory, for not an Oriole got to first without hitting the ball. The score was as follows: Boston 3 0 0 1 2 5 0 2 x-13 Baltimore 4 0 1 0 9 3 2 0 0-12

MRS. BALDWIN LOSES \$25,000.

She Was the Bride Who Was Paid \$45,000 by the New York Central. Troy, Oct. 5.—Mrs. Homer Baldwin, formerly of Troy but now of Brooklyn, alleges that she has been defrauded of nearly \$25,000 by a supposed friend, who led her to invest the money in Jefferson iron stock, which proved worthless. Mrs. Baldwin, while on her bridal tour a few years ago, was badly injured in a railroad wreck, and was otherwise frightfully disfigured. She recovered \$45,000 from the New York Central Railroad Company, and she advanced the money to the supposed friend with the belief that she would have a fixed income. Mrs. Baldwin intends to bring action against her false friend, who is said to be one of the best-known business men in Eastern Pennsylvania.

Explosion of Acetylene Gas.

Rochester, Oct. 5.—While experimenting with acetylene gas in his machine shop in this city yesterday Valentine Long, his brother Frank Long and Jacob Fassett, an employe, were injured by an explosion of the tank used in making the experiment. Valentine Long's skull is fractured over his right eye, he lost the sight of both his eyes and it is said at the City Hospital that he will probably die. The other two men are not seriously injured.

The Vesuvius to Chase Filibusters.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Orders were issued by Secretary Long yesterday assigning the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius, now at Boston, to duty with the anti-busting patrol off the Florida coast. She will relieve the gunboat Nashville, which will come south for her own trip. The Vesuvius is a swift steamer and otherwise suited for chasing filibusters. She has been out of commission since Spring.

A Promenade Costume.

This skirt and jacket are of green and white check woolen etmine. The trimming is of white moire antique and green woolen braid sewn on with white, having a distinguished appearance. Jacket is slashed front and back lined with green sarcelot or moirette, and added revers faced with



A PROMENADE COSTUME.

A Natty Matinee.

Looking through an elaborate trowsers I came upon a matinee which might be copied by natty fingers at quite a third of the price paid for it. It was made only of muslin, with lines of handsome insertion in the neighborhood of the neck. The fabric, though thin, was so entirely covered with a pattern in pancies that its



A NATTY MATINEE.

transparency is scarcely obvious, and therefore only lining in the region of the bodice was necessary. The same design was carried out for year in the autumn in striped mohair, with an underground of cherry pink. A floating silk flounce of the same color bobbed about in the region of the Japanese slippers, which were of rose-colored leather embroidered with gold.

The King of Siam's Armed Yacht.

Of the many things connected with the King of Siam in his tour of Europe, nothing has attracted so much attention as the royal yacht. The King calls it his yacht but naval men who have inspected the vessel say that it would be no mean addition to any navy in the world. It has a ram shaped bow, and rapid fire guns of different calibre are as plentiful on board of her as in a first class battle ship. Moreover, there are fighting tops in her two masts and in an encounter with a vessel of her tonnage the royal yacht would doubtless make a good showing.



SIAM'S ARMED YACHT.

One of the features of this vessel, is the library which is abundantly stored with the writings of the best English and French authors. When at sea the King spends most of his time reading and that he has a wonderfully retentive mind is shown by his knowledge in a multiplicity of subjects ranging all the way from the best breed of bulldogs to the latest achievements in the electrical world.

"I have just had a note from Willie's teacher," said Mrs. Parvenu, "and she says that he is very deficient in spelling."

"What in thunder is he studying spelling for?" thundered Mr. Parvenu, angrily. "Does his teacher mean to insinuate that he won't be rich enough to hire a typewriter?"—Chicago Post.

Doesn't your wife's mother live with you?" "No; I am living with her. Of course the house is mine and I furnished it, but yet!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Good Riddance.

Night-Watchman A. B. Henry, at The Standard Flint Paper Co., of Newark, N. J., Ejects an Un-desirable Tenant. There is a great deal of truth in the tales told about evictions in Ireland and in the North of Scotland during the early and middle part of the century. It is a hardship for any family to be summarily dumped on a roadside, without friends or wealth, half-famished and half-clad, but such ejections or evictions are not by any means confined to the British Isles. Scarcely a day passes in free America without similar cases being recorded, and often in place of extending gratuitous sympathy across the Atlantic we could find abundant opportunities to lavish it at home. Night watchman A. B. Henry, of 43 William street, Newark, N. J., became involved in an eviction a short time ago. Some time the reader may be forced to adapt the same measures. Knowing how Mr. Henry proceeded will save a heap of trouble and many a dollar. He says: "It may or it may not have been kidney disease that I had, but I know the pain was located in the left kidney and was very troublesome and annoying, to say nothing of the suffering it at times caused me. I learned about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them from a drug store. I had to be very careful in stooping or lifting in order to avoid the sharp pains which were sure to follow if I made any careless movement, and any strain on the back caused a sharp twinge to pass through my loins. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and was completely cured, and am now entirely free from it. My back is as strong as ever, and during the long hours I am on my feet it does not bother me or get tired and painful as it did formerly."

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DETERMINE SENTIMENT.

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the stretching of additional wires.

Mr. Runyon made a report concerning the compilation of the city ordinances, and it is now being considered whether certain ordinances should be published. Later it was ordered that the Law and Ordinance Committee be authorized to ask for bids for the printing of the ordinances, and that there be at least four bids. Regarding the redistricting of the wards of the city, Mr. Runyon asked that the Laws and Ordinance Committee be instructed to take proper steps to have an ordinance drafted so that it will conform to the present condition of affairs. It will be introduced at the November meeting.

Mr. Serrell offered a resolution that due notice be given property owners to settle their sewer assessments by November 1st, and if the same is not paid by that time the collector be authorized to give the proper thirty days' notice. If the assessment is not paid within the thirty days a list of all delinquents will be published and the collector will at once proceed according to law to sell the property for the several amounts.

In accordance with a resolution offered by Mr. Barrows all those who petitioned for crosswalks had their petition granted by the Council. Another resolution was offered by Mr. Barrows that the property owners of Westervelt avenue be given due notice that the Council intends to use their land in the widening of the avenue, that is the necessary portion of it, and that November 1st be set as the time when the property owners can meet the Council to offer any objections to the action proposed.

Mr. Barrows called up the ordinance relative to the placing of telephone wires under ground, and the ordinance was adopted on its second reading, ordered engrossed and advertised. Manager Charles W. Runyon, of the local telephone office, was present and told the members of the Council how the company proposed to do the work. He said that the wires would be placed in a cement bottom, brick side and iron top conduit, with man-holes at convenient distances. In Jersey City and Newark the system is working satisfactorily, said Mr. Runyon. It is the intention to place the telephone, fire-alarm and police wires in the one conduit.

The ordinance which provides for the grading of Central avenue, from Randolph road to Elizabeth street, was adopted on a third reading, and another ordinance providing for the location of railroad tracks near Berkman street for the use of the Cornwall Press Works, was adopted on first and second readings.

Mr. Barrows presented a communication which he asked be sent to Mrs. Malli, president of the Town Improvement Association. The letter states that the Council has no objections to the association making improvements about the city park, although it has no knowledge as to what the improvements are to consist of. Mr. Newman raised a point of inquiry as to whether the park would always remain as such and whether the Council would be expected to expend any money on the park. Mr. Barrows replied in the negative, and informed him that he had been given to understand that so long as the city park was an open thoroughfare it could not be used for any other purpose than a park, although there are a number of persons who claim ownership in the tract of land. This finished the business of the evening and the Council adjourned.

Miss Mabelle Darling, of Prospect avenue, is entertaining a company from Westfield.

Mrs. W. L. Smalley, Jr., of Somers street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Councilman Stebbins, of Grant avenue and Eighth street, returned today from Pittsfield, Mass., where he has been enjoying a much needed rest.

Locals on third page.

The first and second year classes in mathematics at the Y. M. C. A. will hold their first meeting of the season this evening. The instructors are George F. Scoll and Dr. A. D. Warde.

The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity R-form church met yesterday afternoon in regular session at the home of Mrs. G. Q. Dobbler, of Manning avenue. Nothing but routine business was considered, but the social part of the meeting was a feature.

Peter B. Matthews of Grove street, still stands ahead in the mileage contest in the New York Athletic Club. He has now ridden 5,825 miles.

SPORTS

San Blas at 1 p. m. San Peter at 5 p. m. Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:30 p. m.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

A four year-old colt, sired by Athol, and sold from F. P. Olecott's Round-Top stock farm, Bernardsville, to Mr. Harriman, of Orange county, New York, recently won a race in three straight in 2:25 and better. Mr. Olecott has a sale of thoroughbreds at his stock farm on the 16th of the present month.

A meeting of the executive committee of the New Jersey Interscholastic Athletic Association was held at Pingry's School, Elizabeth, Friday afternoon. George Proctor Smith was present from the Plainfield High School. The applications of the New Jersey Military Academy, of Plainfield, and the Princeton Preparatory School were received and those schools were elected to membership. There are now nine schools in the association. A special meeting will be held in November to arrange a hockey schedule. A banner will be offered this year for the football championship. Plainfield will not be in the latter this year.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Last year Plainfield set an example for other places in this part of New Jersey by holding a bicycle carnival. Last month New Brunswick fell in line, as did Asbury Park. Now Somerville winds up the list and announces a bicycle carnival for some night the latter part of this month. It will be held in the evening and only those wheels which have at least four lanterns attached will be allowed in line.

The latest idea of Sfg. Marconi, the young Italian inventor, of a system of wireless telegraphy, is to place all the watches in a city in accord with a central electric chronometer, and then to keep the time of all uniform by sending out electric waves. This can be done, it is said, as far as eight miles in every direction from the regulator.

If Czar Nicholas should decree universal compulsory education in Russia, as is foreshadowed, he will inaugurate a much greater revolution in the life of that country than did his grandfather when he emancipated the serfs. The effect will not be felt, probably, in his day, for it will take at least a generation to develop it, but in the not distant future the result will be a constitutional government, if not the free and independent republic of Russia.

Electricity now supplies the power for ringing the chimes in Grace church New York, and the curfew hymn is played by an automatic arrangement breaking the current to huge magnets connected with ten bells, the largest weighing 3,000 pounds. Music produced by mechanical means is becoming more popular in this country, and orchestrons and self-playing pianos and harps, to say nothing of phonographs, are multiplying.

The Atlanta Journal is raging mad at the president for visiting the tomb of John Brown, whom that paper calls a "desperate villain" and a "depraved law-breaker." This is rather violent language to apply to the hero of Harper's Ferry nearly forty years after his execution. In the turmoil of politics John Brown had been forgotten in the north in recent years, but in Georgia, at least his soul seems to be marching on.

By the ruling of the postoffice department, any man can make a card of his own, of any size he pleases, print it and send it through the mails at postal card rates, but he cannot cut down a postal card to suit his purpose and send it through the mails without paying double postage on it. The wisdom of this ruling requires demonstration; it is not self-evident.

The substitution of bicycle matches for horse racing at the Bridgeton, N. J., fair, was a sign of the times that means a great deal. If the "agricultural horse race" is to be no longer the leading feature of the county fair, that gathering will, perhaps, be more reputable in future; for though the horse is the noblest and most useful animal given to man, its associations on the country race track are almost always of a bad character. All the swindling games and disreputable characters that infest the farmers' annual gatherings seem to be attracted to the race course ways attached an evil reputation to what should be an enjoyable and useful trial of speed and strength. The introduction of bicycle contests in place of horse races will clear away much of this bad element.

Information. "Bring me," said the gentleman with the Clan-na-Gael countenance, as he pointed to the lobster in the show window, "bring me one of them informers." "Why do you call them informers, Casey?" asked his companion. "Bedad, they wear th' green to begin wid, and put on the red coat as soon as they get into hot water."

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THIRTY-TWO YEARS AFTER THE WAR THE LIST IS GROWING.

Last Year Showed an Increase of 12,850. Ten Years After the Cessation of Hostilities the Number Was Only 234,821 and Rapidly Decreasing—A Boom Since '79.

A statement drawn up at the Pension Office shows that the number of pensioners on the roll for June 30, the end of the last fiscal year, was 983,528. This prodigious total breaks all records, the surprising fact being that now, thirty-two years after the close of the civil war, the number of pensioners is larger than at any preceding time, although the ravages of death among the survivors of the war are now becoming so great. In other words, the influx to the list still exceeds the increasing outflow.

In 1865, the last year of hostilities, the number of pensioners on June 30 was set down at \$5,986. A year later it got into six figures, with 126,722. The increase thenceforward was steady, yet moderate, until 207,495 was reached in 1871. Two years later, in 1873, what then appeared to be its maximum was attained, June 30 showing 238,411; for the following year it fell to 236,241, this being the first decrease in a dozen years. The next June there was a falling off to 234,821; the next, to 232,137; the next, to 232,104; the next, to 232,998.

But then, just as a continuing ebb, with these five successive years, seemed assured, the tide turned. The Ar-rears and other pension acts made a vast difference. In 1879, the record for June 30 rose to 242,755, and each succeeding June from that time has shown an increase, larger or smaller, up to the one just past. In 1883 the number had grown to 303,658; in 1887, to 406,007, while in 1890 it passed the half-million mark, June 30 of that year showing 537,944.

Thereafter it took prodigious bounds, influenced largely by the Disability Pension act. The first year's jump was nearly 140,000, to 676,160 in 1891; while even that was outdone by an increase of nearly 200,000 in the following twelve months, to 876,068. A third increase brought the number to 966,012 on June 30, 1893.

Just there, however, when there was a general expectation of reaching the million mark the following June, since fewer than 34,000 net additions were required to do it, the annual gain dwindled to a few thousand, the number reached being 969,544. The next year the gain was smaller yet, not quite a thousand, the total being 970,524. When, therefore, last year, the gain fell off to only 154, the total being 970,678, it seemed an easy prediction that this year there would be an actual loss, and that the ebb would again set in.

But, on the contrary, the gain is the striking one of 12,850, or the biggest in four years; and with only 16,472 more to be made up, the million mark may soon be reached.

Thirty-two years after the end of the civil war, the number of pensioners on account of that war exceeds by about a quarter of a million the number of soldiers actually engaged in service in all the armies of the Government at any time between the firing upon Sumter and the surrender of Lee at Appomattox. The army of pensioners after a third of a century is between thirty and forty per cent. larger than the fighting army at any one time during the war.

Since the end of the war more than two billion dollars, that is to say, more than two thousand million dollars, has been paid out in pensions.

This is two-thirds of what the civil war in its entirety cost the government.

It was in 1872 that James A. Garfield, whose patriotism and liberal disposition toward his fellow veterans no one will deny, declared that the pension list was then "swollen beyond all account." "I am the last man," he exclaimed in the House of Representatives, "to say a word against voting pensions to all persons who deserve them. But I wish to say to the House that more frauds are being perpetrated on the Government by claim agents in different parts of the country than from almost any other single source." In that same year, 1872, Gen. Garfield, as Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, expressed the opinion, which he has frequently quoted, that "we may reasonably expect that the expenditures for pensions will hereafter steadily decrease, unless our legislation should be unwarrantably extravagant."

And since that patriotic and prophetic warning of Garfield's the number of pensioners has quadrupled, the annual expenditure has increased five-fold, and the total outlay of the Government has reached two billion dollars!

Mertie—Was he nervous when he asked you to marry him? Marie—Well, I thought at the time that he was rather nervy.—New York Journal.

DIVIDED AFFECTION.

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GREAT BARGAINS.

in BICYCLE and GOLF SUITS We have 40 Suits that we will sell BELOW COST to close them out.

Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Co., 147-149 NORTH AVENUE.

Corporation Notice

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced in the Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

granting permission to the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, its successors and assigns, to lay and maintain underground conduits, cables, wires and manholes for electrical conductors in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, to be used for telephone and telegraph purposes.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows: Section 1. That the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, its successors and assigns, be and it be authorized and empowered to construct and maintain for the uses and purposes of its business a system of subways and underground conduits, including the necessary manholes and street openings, and lateral connections to property lines beneath the surface of the streets, avenues and other highways in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, to be used for telephone and telegraph purposes, and to operate in said system of subways or underground conduits the wires, cables or other electrical conductors necessary for its said business, and to construct, maintain and operate for such purposes a system of electrical conductors in connection with the necessary poles for distribution from the electrical conductors to be placed in the ways or underground conduits herein before mentioned.

Section 2. And be it further ordained that the following streets, avenues and highways and parts thereof are hereby designated for the construction of the underground conduits of said company to be operated only after the adoption of the resolution granting permission in each street:

- Front street from the East-river to the West-river;
Somerset street from the Northern limits of the City to Front street;
Park avenue from Front street to Randolph road;
North avenue from Park avenue to Watchung avenue;
Watchung avenue from Front street to Kew-Forest avenue;
East Fifth street South avenue from Watchung avenue to Leland avenue;
Eighth street from Park avenue to Plainfield avenue;
Sixth street from Watchung avenue to Plainfield avenue;
Center avenue from Front street to Randolph road;
Fourth street from Watchung avenue to Plainfield avenue;
Liberty street from Front street to Eighth street;
Washington avenue from Front street to the Northern limits of the City.

Section 3. And be it further ordained that the said streets, avenues and highways and parts thereof may be necessary and from time to time designated in permits to be issued by the Street Commissioner for the construction of such subways and conduits on the same streets, avenues and parts thereof, and that the necessary poles and supports for distributing the electrical conductors of said company to be placed in the ways or streets in connection with said subways; said poles shall be placed on the side and within eighteen (18) inches of and adjacent to the curb line, and shall be so placed as to be placed under the carriage-way and within five (5) feet of the curb line, unless construction make it necessary to go further from the curb line, and then only after written permission has been given by the Committee on streets and sewers, and shall be placed at least eighteen (18) inches below the surface of the street.

Section 4. And be it further ordained that the said manholes shall be located beneath the surface of the streets, avenues and highways and parts thereof, and that the manholes of the subways or underground conduits as may be necessary or convenient for placing and operating the electrical conductors of said company shall be placed in the ways or streets, and shall be so constructed as not to interfere with the passage of the public over and under the same, and that the said company shall restore any street or avenue which may be disturbed in the construction or maintenance of said subways or conduits to its original condition in the manner and free of any cost or expense whatever to the City of Plainfield. And the said company and its successors and assigns shall be under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, and shall promptly comply with any order of said Commissioner in reference thereto.

Section 5. And be it further ordained that the earth removed in making any excavation shall be restored, and the pavement taken up shall be relaid by the said company in as good condition as before the making of such excavation or taking up of such pavement, and thereafter shall be maintained in as good condition as the surrounding pavement, until such street, avenue or highway in each case shall be repaired by the City. No street, avenue, alley or public place shall be incumbered for a longer period than shall be necessary to execute the work for which the excavation is made. The cost of restoring the earth or otherwise, arising from such excavations, and the laying of pavements and repairs thereto, caused by the opening of any such avenue, street, alley or public place, shall be paid by said company, and said work shall be done and supervised by the Street Commissioner.

Section 6. And be it further ordained that the said company shall fail to restore, relay or repair any pavement or street surface within 48 hours after receiving notice from the Street Commissioner that such work is required, said Street Commissioner shall have the right to cause such work to be done, and the cost thereof shall be paid by the company.

Section 7. And be it further ordained that said company shall indemnify the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, and its successors and assigns, against all liability and damages which may at any time arise, come or occur to said City from any injury to persons or property, or from the neglect of the company or its employees to comply with the provisions of any ordinance of the City of Plainfield, or from the doing of any work herein mentioned, or from the neglect of the company or its employees to comply with the provisions of any ordinance of the City of Plainfield, or from the putting up of lights or barriers at or around excavations; and the acceptance by the company of this ordinance shall be an agreement by it to pay to the Common Council of Plainfield any sum of money for which the City may become liable from or by reason of such injury and damages.

Section 8. And be it further ordained that said company shall file with the Mayor or City Clerk its acceptance of this ordinance within twenty (20) days from the date when such ordinance shall take effect, and shall also file with the City Treasurer a satisfactory bond with surety approved by the Mayor, in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000), that it will faithfully comply with and perform all of the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

Section 9. And be it further ordained that the said New York and New Jersey Telephone Company shall provide sufficient space in said subways or underground conduits to accommodate the telegraph or telephone wires or conductors operated from time to time by the Police, Fire and other Departments of the City of Plainfield.

Section 10. And be it further ordained that said company shall pay into the City Treasury all advertising and printing fees incurred by it under this ordinance, and that if this ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Witness Her Hand and Seal of Office.

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Bought at a Sheriff Sale

\$15,000 worth of the finest

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING - FOR - MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

One of the leading wholesale manufacturers in New York has failed and their entire stock was sent to us to be sold at less than forty cents on the dollar they cost to manufacture. The house was noted in New York, and only the very best and choicest lines were handled by them. Recollect these will be sacrifice prices and will last but three weeks. A great opportunity for money-saving clothing buyers.

The very finest tailor-made clothing in the world will be sold at retail for less than half the prices that other stores ask for inferior goods. As this is such a rare occurrence, we respectfully invite all intending purchasers of clothing to give their personal attention and call early, as the choicest goods will most naturally go first. The sheriff must be paid in cash and this elegant stock of fine clothing will consequently be sacrificed at an enormous loss. We will sell you fine fall and winter suits, fall and winter overcoats, ulsters, heavy-weight trousers, coats and vests, handsomely and elegantly made, equal to the best merchant tailor's work, for less than the actual cost of the labor in making these fine garments. Here is your opportunity to purchase a suit or overcoat for what the lining would cost at any tailoring establishment in the city. A few prices will tell the whole facts. Means a saving of 60 per cent. on every dollar spent. We deal only in reliable clothing, and will not undertake to sell one dollar's worth of clothing unless we know that what we sell will give the buyers as good wear as if he paid us what the garments were worth. Men's winter all wool suits, sizes from 33 to 44, that are sold all over Plainfield at \$7.50 and \$8.00, are sold here at \$3.75; if not satisfied with this suit in any way, bring it back and get your money. Men's fine day-diagonal heavy weight suits, silk-lined, worth \$22.00, at \$7.50. Men's satin lined dress suits in cutaway, worth \$27.75, at \$8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed chevots and cassimers at \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.25, worth easily from \$8.00 to \$12.00. All wool men's pants at 85c. Heavy chevots and cassimer pants at 95c, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black chevot suit handsomely made, at \$5.25, that other stores ask \$15.00 for. Elegant Prince Albert dress suits, very fine imported cloth, wholesale price \$18.00 to \$25.00, sale price \$9.50. Extra fine dress pants, over one hundred styles in stripes and silk mixtures, neat checks and cords, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.90 and \$2.25, worth from \$3.75 to \$5.80.

Bring this with you and if not shown everything here as advertised we will pay your car fare. Boys' neat double breasted suits, all wool warranted, with double knee and double seat, 8, 10, 12, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 169, 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 197, 199, 201, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 493, 495, 497, 499, 501, 503, 505, 507, 509, 511, 513, 515, 517, 519, 521, 523, 525, 527, 529, 531, 533, 535, 537, 539, 541, 543, 545, 547, 549, 551, 553, 555, 557, 559, 561, 563, 565, 567, 569, 571, 573, 575, 577, 579, 581, 583, 585, 587, 589, 591, 593, 595, 597, 599, 601, 603, 605, 607, 609, 611, 613, 615, 617, 619, 621, 623, 625, 627, 629, 631, 633, 635, 637, 639, 641, 643, 645, 647, 649, 651, 653, 655, 657, 659, 661, 663, 665, 667, 669, 671, 673, 675, 677, 679, 681, 683, 685, 687, 689, 691, 693, 695, 697, 699, 701, 703, 705, 707, 709, 711, 713, 715, 717, 719, 721, 723, 725, 727, 729, 731, 733, 735, 737, 739, 741, 743, 745, 747, 749, 751, 753, 755, 757, 759, 761, 763, 765, 767, 769, 771, 773, 775, 777, 779, 781, 783, 785, 787, 789, 791, 793, 795, 797, 799, 801, 803, 805, 807, 809, 811, 813, 815, 817, 819, 821, 823, 825, 827, 829, 831, 833, 835, 837, 839, 841, 843, 845, 847, 849, 851, 853, 855, 857, 859, 861, 863, 865, 867, 869, 871, 873, 875, 877, 879, 881, 883, 885, 887, 889, 891, 893, 895, 897, 899, 901, 903, 905, 907, 909, 911, 913, 915, 917, 919, 921, 923, 925, 927, 929, 931, 933, 935, 937, 939, 941, 943, 945, 947, 949, 951, 953, 955, 957, 959, 961, 963, 965, 967, 969, 971, 973, 975, 977, 979, 981, 983, 985, 987, 989, 991, 993, 995, 997, 999, 1001, 1003, 1005, 1007, 1009, 1011, 1013, 1015, 1017, 1019, 1021, 1023, 1025, 1027, 1029, 1031, 1033, 1035, 1037, 1039, 1041, 1043, 1045, 1047, 1049, 1051, 1053, 1055, 1057, 1059, 1061, 1063, 1065, 1067, 1069, 1071, 1073, 1075, 1077, 1079, 1081, 1083, 1085, 1087, 1089, 1091, 1093, 1095, 1097, 1099, 1101, 1103, 1105, 1107, 1109, 1111, 1113, 1115, 1117, 1119, 1121, 1123, 1125, 1127, 1129, 1131, 1133, 1135, 1137, 1139, 1141, 1143, 1145, 1147, 1149, 1151, 1153, 1155, 1157, 1159, 1161, 1163, 1165, 1167, 1169, 1171, 1173, 1175, 1177, 1179, 1181, 1183, 1185, 1187, 1189, 1191, 1193, 1195, 1197, 1199, 1201, 1203, 1205, 1207, 1209, 1211, 1213, 1215, 1217, 1219, 1221, 1223, 1225, 1227, 1229, 1231, 1233, 1235, 1237, 1239, 1241, 1243, 1245, 1247, 1249, 1251, 1253, 1255, 1257, 1259, 1261, 1263, 1265, 1267, 1269, 1271, 1273, 1275, 1277, 1279, 1281, 1283, 1285, 1287, 1289, 1291, 1293, 1295, 1297, 1299, 1301, 1303, 1305, 1307, 1309, 1311, 1313, 1315, 1317, 1319, 1321, 1323, 1325, 1327, 1329, 1331, 1333, 1335, 1337, 1339, 1341, 1343, 1345, 1347, 1349, 1351, 1353, 1355, 1357, 1359, 1361, 1363, 1365, 1367, 1369, 1371, 1373, 1375, 1377, 1379, 1381, 1383, 1385, 1387, 1389, 1391, 1393, 1395, 1397, 1399, 1401, 1403, 1405, 1407, 1409, 1411, 1413, 1415, 1417, 1419, 1421, 1423, 1425, 1427, 1429, 1431, 1433, 1435, 1437, 1439, 1441, 1443, 1445, 1447, 1449, 1451, 1453, 1455, 1457, 1459, 1461, 1463, 1465, 1467, 1469, 1471, 1473, 1475, 1477, 1479, 1481, 1483, 1485, 1487, 1489, 1491, 1493, 1495, 1497, 1499, 1501, 1503, 1505, 1507, 1509, 1511, 1513, 1515, 1517, 1519, 1521, 1523, 1525, 1527, 1529, 1531, 1533, 1535, 1537, 1539, 1541, 1543, 1545, 1547, 1549, 1551, 1553, 1555, 1557, 1559, 1561, 1563, 1565, 1567, 1569, 1571, 1573, 1575, 1577, 1579, 1581, 1583, 1585, 1587, 1589, 1591, 1593, 1595, 1597, 1599, 1601, 1603, 1605, 1607, 1609, 1611, 1613, 1615, 16