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KEEN WORDS ABOUT AN AXE.

LED TO A FIGHT BETWEEN WOMEN.

Dora Parsons Accused of Being the Aggressor—She Will Answer to the City Judge.

Miss Dora Parsons, the dusky heroine of a famous breach of promise case that came up for trial in the city court last winter, is now about to figure in another trial before City Judge DeMeza. This time, however, she is the prisoner instead of the complainant, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Helen Parsons, from Paradise alley, figuring as the latter.

Mrs. Helen Parsons is the wife of Jacob Parsons, and together they have lived in peace and quietude in the alley, undisturbed by family troubles. Paradise alley itself has been unusually good of late, and the police have had little to do there. This last trouble arose over an axe that belonged in the household of Mrs. Helen Parsons. Her dusky sister-in-law skipped over the other day from her home on East Fourth street and borrowed the axe, as she wanted to cut wood. The axe was loaned, but not returned. Late Tuesday afternoon Miss Dora went over to the Paradise alley household. The two women began to talk about the axe. Their words were cutting and grew sharper as the quarrel grew fiercer. Finally, Mrs. Parsons alleges that her sister-in-law grew so angry that she seized the former by the gown and began to tear it into fair-sized strips. She also claims that the angry Dora set her finger nails in Mrs. Parsons' throat leaving two ugly cuts that are still to be seen.

After Mrs. Parsons escaped, she hurried to City Judge DeMeza's office, showed the ragged condition of her garment and the cuts on her neck and made a complaint against Dora. A warrant was issued for the offending Miss Parsons, and Roundsman Fredrickson was put on her track yesterday afternoon. Before he found her, however, she came to Chief Grant and gave herself up.

She was brought before City Judge DeMeza and released to appear for trial Saturday morning, when the case will be investigated and the story of the trouble will be heard.

THE OLD LEADERS WON.

Not Fight in the Republican Primary in New Market Last Night.

The Republican primary at New Market last night to elect delegates to the Republican county convention was one of the most hotly contested held in years, the fight being between the old leaders and the new element who want to get control. For years the primary has been held in the afternoon, and when the call was made for the evening there was a great deal of surprise expressed, because it is inconvenient for some of the Republicans of the township to get there in the evening. But the fight was so hot that the attendance was large, notwithstanding the new order of things. A special train from South Plainfield brought a large crowd of voters from that section. The delegates representing the old faction were chosen as follows: Martin D. Nevius, 40; Wm. Drake, 39; J. P. Osmon, 43. The opposition delegates, who were defeated, were as follows: A. L. Storms, 35; John Sebring, 22; Wm. Fitz Randolph, 34. Thomas Brantingham, 1.

The Republican primary held last evening at Dunellen was a quiet affair and there was no opposition shown. Dr. Brakeley called the meeting to order and he was chosen chairman. Wilson Fredericks was made secretary. After the call for the meeting was read, Charles Coriell was elected delegate to attend the convention to be held at New Brunswick. As a second delegate, F. A. Gise was chosen in case he should be needed. The delegates were given the power to fill their own vacancies.

Their First Meeting of the Season

The Parliamentary Club held its first meeting of the season in the small hall of the Y. M. C. A. building at 10 o'clock this morning. About thirty members were present. The usual practice was held, and the president, Miss C. R. Yates, and Mrs. S. E. Krom were elected delegates to the State convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs, which meets in Camden on the 24th inst. Mrs. Elmer Krom and Mrs. A. V. D. Honeyman were elected to membership, and the meeting adjourned to the 25th, when the annual election of officers will be held.

Discussed License Question.

The philanthropic committee of the Society of Friends held a meeting in the meeting-house, on North avenue, last night. About twelve members were present, and the chief event of the meeting was a discussion of the coming election to decide the matter of liquor license.

ONLY A HORSE, BUT LOVED

TRADED OFF FOR A "BAG OF BONES" BY INEBRIATED HUSBAND.

Mrs. John Staats Insists That Her Husband Had No Right to Dispose of the Horse and Bring Suit to Recover the Equine.

Everybody loved "Toby," the children cried with glee when the good old equine appeared; the dogs barked joyfully before his forefeet; and his owner, Mrs. Sarah Staats, patted him on the nose and gave the faithful creature a lump of sugar that had been saved specially for him. "Toby" had grown up with the neighborhood and had become a recognized part of it. He belonged to Mrs. Staats, who used to drive him out every day until September 23d, when something dreadful happened. Since then the neighborhood has been mourning the loss of poor "Toby," and the courts have been called in to restore the animal to its original owner.

On that fateful day John Staats, husband of Mrs. Sarah Staats, took "Toby" and went out for a drive. It is said that he indulged too freely, for he has no remembrance of what happened on that afternoon except that he traded "Toby" for another horse that seemed at the time to be far superior to the faithful old equine. At any rate, when he returned Mrs. Staats found a strange horse in the shafts instead of her beloved "Toby." She says the new horse was scarcely more than a bag of bones and could nowhere equal dear old "Toby."

Mrs. Staats had no remembrance of what became of the old steed, but the neighbors were called in and finally decided that the horse belonged to Mahlon Mulford, of New Market. So Mrs. Staats hitched up the new addition to her stable and drove to see Mr. Mulford. Mulford admitted that he had "Toby" in his barn, but explained that he had secured the horse by a fair trade made on the road and what was more he intended to keep "Toby."

Mrs. Mulford left the other horse at Mulford's and went home. Now, while "Toby" was not such a valuable horse in the eyes of the world, she had long owned him and had grown greatly attached to him. So she determined to get him back. She consulted her lawyer, Francis J. Blatz, of Murphy & Blatz, and as a result, suit was started in Justice Nash's court, in tort, to recover possession of the departed "Toby." Yesterday summons were served on Mulford, and trial was set down for October 23d.

A CHURCH FAIR.

Women in Charge and Have Arranged Things in a Pretty Shape.

The women of the German Reformed church are holding a fair for the benefit of the church. It opened yesterday afternoon and will continue until this evening. Everything has been well arranged for sale in the basement of the church. The committee in charge, consisting of Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Mrs. Phillip Giese, Mrs. Phillip Bach, Mrs. Fred Conde, Mrs. N. B. Smalley, Mrs. Angerbauer, Mr. Doeringer, August Wolf and Mr. Schieff, made every preparation for a successful fair.

The fancy table is in charge of Mrs. Jacob Blimm and Mrs. Hook. Mrs. Angerbauer and Mrs. Fred Conde were in charge of the grocery table. The cake and candy table was under the supervision of Mrs. N. B. Smalley and Mrs. Phillip Giese, and Mrs. Phillip Bach looked after the refreshments.

An attraction is the contest for two prizes, a rocking-chair and a hand-some quilt. Those who are contesting for them are Mrs. Phillip Giese, Mrs. Angerbauer, Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Mrs. Fred Conde and Mrs. Phillip Bach.

Last evening a short musical and literary programme was presented by some of the young people of the church, and the large attendance found plenty of ways to pass an enjoyable evening.

County Doctors Met.

The Union County Medical Society held its regular meeting in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. About forty members were present, and the vice-president, Dr. Green, of Elizabeth, presided. After the routine business was transacted the association listened to an interesting paper read by Dr. William C. Boone, of this city.

State Endeavor Officers Coming.

The Christian Endeavorers of Plainfield will, at an early date, have an opportunity of meeting the State officers of the society. It is quite likely that the State board will hold a meeting in this city soon.

German Will Sing.

On the evening of November 9th, the singing section of the Gesang und Turn Verein will give a concert at the Spielkarnest, to be held in the Cycle Academy for the benefit of the hospital.

MENTIONED FOR OFFICE.

Union County Men Who Are Talked Of as Candidates.

NEITHER PARTY HAS A SLATE FIXED.

Both County Conventions Will Be Held Next Week—Roger F. Murray, of This City, Will Probably Get an Assembly Nomination—James E. Martine, of This City, Talked Of For the Surrogateship.

The Elizabeth Journal says: Next week will be convention week for both Republicans and Democrats, and nominations will be made for candidates for surrogate and assembly. In political circles there is considerable stir, but there have been no slates fixed up which are certain to be adopted by the conventions.

It is well understood that Hon. George T. Parrot will receive the nomination for a renewal of honors of surrogate, and so far as that office is concerned the Republicans will have no other candidate.

But who are to be the Republican nominees for the assembly no one can tell just yet. There are candidates aplenty, or at least a number who are talked of as likely to go before the convention.

Sometimes it looks as if the ticket of last fall will be renominated. Hon. J. Martin Roll, of Springfield, is said to be ambitious for a third term, and there has been considerable talk that Hon. W. R. Codington, of Plainfield, had the same desire. But yesterday it was stated that Mr. Codington had expressed himself as not in the race. If any of the former assemblymen are renominated, the convention will in all probability honor them all, Messrs. Roll, Codington and Claus.

In Mr. Codington's district there is a strong feeling favorable to the nomination of Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield. Former County Attorney Clarence M. Ward, of Rahway, has many supporters, and in this city, among the men who are mentioned as candidates are: Former Councilman George A. Squire, Councilman Robert L. Patterson and former Councilman Robert G. Houston.

The Democrats are as far from being settled upon their candidates as the Republicans, and more so in respect to the surrogate's nomination. The most probable opponent to Surrogate Parrot is former County Clerk John L. Crowell. His boom was launched at the Whitestone excursion, and it has been carefully nursed by his friends, with all the assistance that veteran in politics could himself give.

Jacob W. Sheppard, of this city, is talked of for the surrogate nomination, and his candidacy has grown in favor during the past week. There are others who hold to James E. Martine, the "farmer orator," although it is understood that Mr. Martine does not wish the nomination. It is also probable that some Democratic lawyer will get into the race as a dark horse.

For the assembly honor State Committeeman William D. Wolfkiel was regarded as slated for the nomination some months ago, but he is going to have a strong opponent in Councilman John J. Gardner, of the First ward.

Other candidates are: Samuel Schleimer, of the Tenth ward, Edward Nugent, of the Eighth ward, Frank Vosseller, of Plainfield, a son of the late County Clerk James S. Vosseller.

The Democratic primaries will be held on Friday evening and the convention on the 19th, at Turn Hall.

The Republican primaries will be held on Monday evening next, and the convention in Lyceum Theatre on Friday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock.

ELDERS AND DEACONS CHOSEN.

Annual Meeting of Trinity Reformed Church Held Last Night.

The annual meeting of the congregation of Trinity Reformed church for the election of elders and deacons was held last evening, at which time there was a good attendance of members. F. E. Smith, A. L. Force and H. J. Martin were chosen as elders, and R. A. Meeker, Curtis M. Thorp and E. E. Anthony were selected as deacons. This comprised all of the important business that was transacted.

Quarterly Meeting Held.

Next Sunday at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church will be held the quarterly meeting. In the morning, at 10 o'clock there will be a love-feast, and in the afternoon there will be preaching at 3 o'clock. The evening service will be devoted to communion. Visiting brothers are expected.

Left Less One Leg.

Charles Manning, who sometime ago met with an accident which resulted in the amputation of a leg, was discharged from the hospital this morning.

JUMPED THE WRONG WAY

Senator Reed Seems to Be Outside the Breastworks.

HE COULDN'T BEAT LEW THOMPSON.

The "Tail Sycamore" Sought to Gain Control of the County Leadership Through the Surrogate Candidacy—Thompson on His Mettle—Did Reed Dig His Political Grave by Such Action?

The fight for the nomination of Surrogate in the Republican convention of Somerset county, held in Somerville yesterday, is evidently broader in results than the nomination of H. Newton Spencer, the old political war horse of "over the brook." While there were several other candidates contesting Mr. Spencer's claims with vigor, the fight in reality was between former Senator Thompson and Senator Reed for control of the county. The Surrogate candidacy was the cornucopia through which the issue was brought to a focus.

After the nomination of Mr. Spencer had been accomplished the political wisecracks immediately proclaimed that "Charlie Reed is politically dead." Before the convention Mr. Reed hadn't said that he was for Mr. Spencer. He hadn't said that he was against him either. His position might be described as that of a man on the fence. But Spencer's friends thought that when it came to a choice between the North Plainfielder and any of his opponents, he would jump off on the former's side. But he didn't. He wanted to play in the political backyard of George W. Cooper, the rotund Somervillian, who ached to have the place Mr. Spencer got, and that is how he came to fall outside of the breastworks.

That is mere detail, however. Lew Thompson—all politicians of Somerset address him familiarly by his abbreviated given name—was the man whose efforts Senator Reed wanted to compass. Thompson is what Senator Reed wanted to be—the leader in the county. Thompson was Spencer's sponsor. It naturally came about in the course of political events that Spencer stood in the way of Reed's aim. Sweep Spencer out of the way and Thompson's influence would have been impaired, the attitude of the Senator seemed to bespeak. Thus it was that the "Tail Sycamore of Somerset"—the sobriquet applied to the Senator in the Legislature—worked among the delegates yesterday seeking support for Cooper.

The bone of contention, it appeared, was the Warren delegation. A namesake—John C.—of Cooper, Spencer's rival, headed the delegation—they call him the uncrowned king of Warren—and he was persistent and steadfast in being the tail to the Spencer kite. Could he have been won over it was considered that Spencer's kite would have trailed in the dust of defeat. But Thompson had the string that guided the Spencer affair and he handled it so successfully as the political winds seemed to shift that there never was a break.

It remains to be seen what the effect will be on the future political aspirations of Senator Reed. Matters of a political trend are fraught with surprises. Spencer's friends say that Reed's public career is at an end. But the Senator has a way about him that may overcome any such general feeling. But whatever the outcome is the Senator will turn in and try to elct Spencer.

TO LEARN FIRST RUDIMENTS.

A Change in the Method of Instruction in Singing.

A change has been made in the method of instruction in singing at the Plainfield High School. Heretofore it has been the custom to have only one singing class composed of all the pupils in the High School. While some are well versed in music there is a certain proportion who have no knowledge of the principles of sight-reading, and now it is planned to start an elementary class for their benefit. The latter class will hold its lessons on Monday and Friday mornings under the instruction of Charles H. Lewis, the instructor in that branch. The advanced class will take up selections as of old and will hold a lesson on Monday mornings. They will be granted one extra study period on Fridays.

Attending Knights Field Day.

About fifty members of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., of this city, left this morning in a special car for Morristown, where they took part in the annual field day exercises of the order. At Elizabeth the commandery was met by Drake's Band who accompanied them to their destination and escorted them in the parade. The commandery made a very fine showing as they marched to the North Avenue station.

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LONG IN PUBLIC VIEW.

H. NEWTON SPENCER A RESIDENT OF NEW JERSEY ALL HIS LIFE.

Engaged in the Same Business and at the Same Location Since 1869—Of Revolutionary Stock—Active Temperance Advocate.

In nominating H. Newton Spencer for Surrogate in the Somerset county Republican convention yesterday, Former Mayor Hegeman said that five years ago when Mr. Spencer's friends rolled up 320 majority for him in the borough it was thought that he was surely elected. But in the rest of the county he was beaten. Mr. Hegeman said that it was then tacitly understood that when it came time for another nomination for Surrogate Mr. Spencer should be given another chance. Times had changed since then and Somerset was now a Republican county and there were other candidates in the field for the same honor. They were all good fellows, he said, but it was for the delegates to decide who was to have the nomination. It had been claimed that North Plainfield has the plum of the county offices. "We have and we are proud of it," said Mr. Hegeman, "and we might be content if we didn't have such a worthy son to present." Mr. Hegeman then formally nominated Mr. Spencer.

Henry Newton Spencer is the son of James L. and Caroline B. Spencer. He was born in Washington Valley, Essex (now Union) county, N. J., September 18, 1843, and graduated from Wallace's Business College, at Plainfield, in 1867, then entering the grocery business in the employ of his brother, Lewis Craig Spencer. At the outbreak of the war his brother entered the army, and his father conducted the business, with the assistance of H. N. Spencer, until 1866.

At that time Mr. Spencer opened business at Rahway. In 1869 he removed to North Plainfield, where he took charge of the store he now occupies at 76 and 78 Somerset street, and has continued there uninterruptedly to the present time. He cast his first vote for Abraham Lincoln for the presidency, and has been active in the Republican party ever since. During the past ten years he has represented his district on the Somerset county executive committee, and on the executive committee of the Republican State League during the past eight years. Mr. Spencer has held many responsible positions, both civil and political, having served several times as township and district clerk prior to 1886, and since then has been collector and treasurer for the borough and township of North Plainfield.

On January 12th, 1867, Mr. Spencer was married to Mary J. Gibby, daughter of Judge Gibby, of Rahway, and by them two sons and a daughter were born.

Mr. Spencer has been active in the management of the Reform Club for several years. He is a member of the Exempt Firemen's Association, the Royal Arcanum and a director of the American Fire Insurance Company. He is of French lineage, and has an ancestry not inconspicuous in the Revolutionary War. His great-grandfather is supposed to have been killed at the battle of Elizabeth in 1780. On the maternal side, William Line, his great-grandfather was a captain of militia in the Continental Army, and lived on a farm near Blue Brook, Washington Valley, Union county.

Mr. Spencer is a man that is well-thought of and liked by all who know him, and his many excellent qualities have won for him many friends, both Democrats and Republicans.

Both Offenders go to Jail.

Last evening Henry Morse, colored, a resident of Coontown, was arrested by Chief Wilson, of the borough, for being drunk and disorderly. Morse was found wandering about doorways in Washington Park, and he was promptly given the proper treatment, which was thirty days at Somerville, in default of the payment of a \$10 fine. Early this morning Marshal Schenck arrested Adam Martine, an old resident of the borough, for being in an intoxicated condition, as well as disorderly. Recorder Thomas gave him a choice between \$10 or thirty days. He took the latter.

Bride and Groom Gave a Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hughes gave a supper in the Catholic Club Lyceum, corner of Liberty and Sixth streets, last night. The attendance was very large, and a most pleasant evening was passed by those who showed their regard for Mr. and Mrs. Hughes by accepting their hospitality.

—A successful dance was held in T. A. B. Hall last evening, for the benefit of the Pastime Social Club.

—There are shoes, and there are shoes. VanArsdale calls your attention to his shoe advertisement today.

PLIGHT OF A GIRL TOURIST.

SEPARATED FROM HER BROTHER.

Miss Higgins Had Been in New York Sight-seeing—Started for Home and Unable to Find Her Brother.

The good residents of South Plainfield are quite excited over the fact that they have in their midst a stranded young woman. Separated from her brother as they boarded one of the Lehigh Valley trains at Jersey City, she is now at the South Plainfield hotel without funds or tickets, waiting to learn of his whereabouts.

Arthur B. Higgins and Miss Bertha Higgins are brother and sister. Their home is in Geneva, N. Y. Several weeks ago they came to New York on a sight-seeing trip, and after seeing all they wished prepared to return. They were to leave Jersey City yesterday afternoon on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. They arrived at the station and the sister went and took her seat in the train while her brother remained behind to purchase a cigar. He carried the money and tickets of the party.

The train pulled out of the station and started on its way, but Higgins did not appear. His sister thought at first that he had boarded another car and would soon join her, but as the minutes rolled by and he did not appear, she appealed to the conductor for help. Together they went through the train, but Higgins was nowhere to be found. Thoroughly alarmed for fear that her brother had met with some accident, Miss Higgins finally decided to leave the train at South Plainfield. She had no ticket nor money.

At South Plainfield she went to Fitzgerald's Hotel and told her story. She was taken in and given a room and her wants provided for. She was very anxious about her brother and feared that he was in trouble somewhere. The South Plainfielders became interested in the case and are now using their best efforts to locate the missing man.

JONES IS GUESSING.

Wondering if someone Took His Wheel Intentionally or by Mistake.

Jacob Jones is still guessing whether somebody stole his wheel, or made a mistake and took the wrong wheel. It happened yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Jones is an insurance agent and lives on Central avenue. He rode up to the City Hotel on his wheel, jumped off and went into the hotel, leaving the wheel standing at the curb. When he came out of the hotel a few moments later the wheel was gone. The missing wheel was a '96 Hartford that Mr. Jones has ridden for some time.

Mr. Jones began to look about for his wheel thinking that some friend had played a practical joke. In the place where he had left his wheel there was a lady's Richmond wheel. Nobody came to claim the latter. At last a man, who had stood on the opposite corner, came over and said that he had seen a man ride up on a lady's wheel, go into the hotel and come out again, and get on the man's wheel. He had ridden off on the latter.

The lady's wheel is now waiting in the City Hotel until its owner shall come back to claim it. Meanwhile Jones is walking and waiting to find whether it was a case of theft or mistaken identity.

Wesley Evangelists Coming.

The Wesley evangelists, of New York, who will be in this city next Sunday, are fast becoming noted for the impression which their work makes everywhere. They will have charge of the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and in the evening will assist in the services at the East Third Street mission, and at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The advanced class in mathematics meets at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

George Weeks Sanford, who is in charge of the shorthand course at the Y. M. C. A., is highly endorsed by the president of the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute and by the secretary of the Brooklyn Branch of the Y. M. C. A.

Miss Tomlinson gave the first of her series of readings in English literature to a class of ladies at the Y. M. C. A. building this morning. The class meets twice a week, on Thursday mornings and on Monday afternoons.

Death of Mrs. Garretson's Mother.

Mrs. Jacob F. Sharp, mother of Mrs. J. F. Garretson, of this city, died at her home in Somerville today. She was an elderly woman, well known and beloved by many friends in this city and Somerville. The funeral will be held from her late residence on Main street, Somerville, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

I. M. Price, of Brooklyn, has returned to his former position as a clerk in the pharmacy of Horsley Barker, on West Front street.

THE CAMDEN TRAGEDY

Murderers of the Two Women Have Not Been Traced.

SON KNOWS BUT LITTLE

Suspicion Against Him Seems to Have No Foundation and Friends Discredit It—Bullets Not of the Same Size.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 14.—The murder of Mrs. Emma Zane and her daughter, Mrs. Sarah M. Shaw, is the only thing discussed here. There are several Philadelphia detectives, as well as the Camden police, at work on the case, and as far as known there does not seem to be any clue to the murderers.

The friends of the dead woman scout the idea that Eli Shaw, son of Mrs. Shaw, had anything to do with the crime. He is 19 years of age, a member of the Methodist Church of Camden, and of excellent reputation. He is the one who gave the alarm.

There were rumors that burglars did not kill the woman and hints that young Shaw committed the crime. It was pointed out that he had a 22-calibre revolver in his hand at the time the police were summoned, and that every one of the chambers had been discharged.

The autopsy held on the bodies of the murdered women showed that both had met death by being shot with 22-calibre revolvers. The 22-calibre pistol in the possession of Eli Shaw had nothing to do with the case.

It is the general opinion here that the double tragedy was committed by some one who was familiar with the Zane and Shaw families. They lived in a good portion of the city and were reported to be wealthy. This had led some to think that the double tragedy was committed by some resident of Camden.

The police were informed shortly after the commission of the crime, and it is argued by those holding that the murderers live here that should the murderers have attempted to leave the city the news sent to the police of surrounding places almost immediately would have headed them off.

The bodies of Mrs. Zane and her daughter are in their house at 242 Line street. The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed. Both women were widows, and the only man in the house was the son, Eli Shaw.

Two Arrests.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 13.—Two men—one tall, the other short—were arrested yesterday afternoon at Stockton district, a suburb of this city, in connection with the murder of Mrs. Zane and her daughter.

The men went into a Stockton saloon and asked the bartender to take care of a pistol for them until they should call for it last night. The bartender followed them until he met a policeman, who arrested them.

The prisoners answer the description of two men seen by Howard Ross, an engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at 4:30 Tuesday morning. He was walking on his way to the railroad yards when he was nearly knocked down by the men running against him. This was shortly after the murder and was within a few blocks of the Zane house.

TWO WOMEN DROWNED.

Carriage Bearing a Party Returning from a Wedding Upset.

Monticello, N. Y., Oct. 14.—John O'Neill, of Fallsburg, and Miss Rose Lynch were married Friday night at the bride's home at Mountandale. A company comprising William F. O'Neill, of the law firm of Reynard, Harris & O'Neill, of New York; his daughter Edna, and Archibald D. O'Neill, a hotel-keeper, of Fallsburg, and his wife and daughter Clara, attended the wedding. On their return home in a carriage, while attempting to cross the Never-sink River at Denniston's Ford, the harness broke and the horses took fright. The carriage was overturned and the occupants were thrown into the swift water. Lawyer O'Neill saved himself and daughter. Mrs. O'Neill and daughter were caught in the current and swept away. Mr. O'Neill saved himself by catching one of the horses by the tail, and was dragged to the opposite shore. The bodies have not been recovered.

Worse Than War.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Among the interesting data furnished by the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, just out for the year ending June 30, 1896, is the fact that 1,900 employees were killed and 30,000 injured during the year, an increase of 50 killed and 4,000 injured.

Besides these 181 passengers were killed and nearly three thousand injured. The number of persons other than employees and passengers killed was 4,406, and injured, 5,845. There were 886,000 railway employees.

Orphan Home to Be Investigated.

Poughkeepsie, Oct. 14.—The State Board of Charities will investigate the charges of cruelty in the De Puyster Orphan Home, at Tivoli. Mrs. Anita E. Flak, president of the New York Auxiliary of the Woman's Home Mission Society, which controls the home, is at Tivoli, and to-day will make a report on the charges to a meeting of the auxiliary, to be held in this city. Gen. De Puyster, of Tivoli, and the Methodist clergymen throughout the country are bringing pressure to bear to have a rigid and impartial investigation made.

A Silver Mayor Elected.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 14.—Thomas Taggart is re-elected Mayor of the city by a plurality of nearly 5,000. The entire Democratic ticket is elected. The money question was the main issue. The Democrats ignored the Chicago platform and combined with the free-silver Republicans on Taggart.

David Martin Wins the Ax.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 14.—Secretary of the Commonwealth Martin has asked for the resignation of Col. James E. Barnett, the Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth. Richard E. Cochran, of York, a son of a former Auditor-General, has been appointed his successor.

CANADA'S DEFENCES.

Mr. Dilke Thinks Canada Should Be Better Prepared to Protect Herself.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—Sir Charles Dilke, in a letter from England, touches upon the subject of the defense of Canada in the event of a war with the United States. He says:

"The statement of our military need made by the average man, neglects the defense of Canada. We yielded to pressure from the United States in the Venezuelan question. We are yielding to similar pressure again, and pressure somewhat ungraciously applied, in the sealing question. There is a war party or a jingo party, in the United States, which openly avows the intention to humiliate and weaken us, and ultimately to drive us into war. There are those who are to be hoped, and perhaps believe in the United States a majority of peace-loving citizens, who shrink with as much horror as we do from the prospect of a conflict between such powers; but, however anxious we may be for peace, and however much we may work to keep it, yet we cannot close our eyes to the obvious facts; and one of these facts is that circumstances might occur under which we should, by no fault of our own, find ourselves at war with the United States, with Canada calling upon us to defend her."

SENT LUTGERT'S CHILDREN OUT.

The Judge Wouldn't Have Them in the Courtroom During a Speech.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—The first plea to the jury on behalf of Adolph L. Luetgert was made yesterday by the junior counsel for the defense, Albert Phalen. Luetgert's two children were brought into court, and the prisoner held his youngest boy on his lap and fondled him ostentatiously. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen objected to the exhibition, and the children were ordered removed by the Court. Mr. Vincent objected to the Court's ruling.

"There can be but one object in the defendant's action," pursued the Judge, "and that is to excite sympathy."

"I except to the Court's remarks," said Mr. Vincent, and the incident was over, but the buzz of comment lasted some time longer. One of the jurors smiled when the sausage-maker caressed his children. Mr. Phalen's plea was not oratorical. He scored the State's witnesses and declared that perjury had been freely committed to convict Luetgert. He resumed his argument this morning.

10 TO 7 ON VAN WYCK.

Lots of Money to Wager at That Odds on the Tammany Candidate.

New York, Oct. 14.—Offers to bet upon Van Wyck, conditioned upon none of the candidates for the Mayorality of Greater New York withdrawing, aggregated a large amount yesterday on the New York Stock Exchange. E. B. Talcott offered \$15,000 at odds of 10 to 7 on Van Wyck. He wanted to bet it either in whole or in amounts of \$1,000 to \$700. He made one bet of \$1,000 to \$700, E. F. Patchen putting up the latter amount on the field. Later in the day E. L. Norton, of Henry Allen & Co., offered to bet \$5,000 against \$3,000 that Van Wyck would be elected. M. B. Mendham made a bet of \$500 to \$250 that Low would not be elected. E. J. Stachelberg, of M. Stachelberg & Co., offered in Wall street yesterday to bet \$10,000 to \$7,000 on Van Wyck, conditional on Tracy's non-withdrawal.

ENGLAND AND BIMETALLISM.

The British Cabinet Will Reply to American and French Proposals.

London, Oct. 14.—The Daily News says it understands that the Cabinet will, on Saturday, definitely reply to the American and French bimetallic proposals.

In anticipation of any action by the Government a strongly worded memorial is being signed by London bankers, discount brokers and merchants against the Bank of England holding one-fifth of its note reserve in silver.

The memorial earnestly deprecates any interference with the existing standard, and is especially emphatic against any change in the Indian currency without a full discussion in Parliament. The indications are that a memorial so extensively and influentially signed will check the tendency of the Cabinet to tamper with the monetary systems of Great Britain and India.

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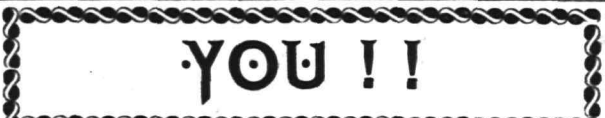
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1897 Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given to the taxpayers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said City for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation in and for the said City will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

4th Tuesday of November

next (November 23rd, 1897.) at two o'clock p.m. to hear complaints relating to assessments.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A meeting of the consistory of Trinity Reformed church will be held this evening.

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.

Fred Hughes, of Somerset street, has returned to Philadelphia, after his brief vacation at home, during which time he acted as an usher at the Keeley-Hughes wedding.

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.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

A. B. Wilson, of Rahway, secretary of the Union county union of Christian Endeavor Societies, was in Plainfield on Tuesday evening on business with other officers of the same organization in this city.

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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.

Miss Florence L. Spaulding, of Bound Brook, was the guest yesterday of Miss Luella Crowther, of Sanford avenue.

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.

—Harry Kearns has resigned his position in the store of Woodhull & Martin.

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C. Nichols, general secretary of the Rahway Y. M. C. A., visited the association building in this city yesterday.

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James C. Manning, Daniel Manning, Ira Randolph and Howard Randolph, of this city, left on Tuesday to spend a week on Barnegat Bay on the schooner of Captain Dorsey. Fishing and hunting will be the chief amusements of the party.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits."

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JUSTICE FIELD TO GO

His Retirement to be Followed by a Big Shake Up.

McKENNA HIS SUCCESSOR

Judge Goff May Enter the Cabins and Be Succeeded by Assistant Secretary of State Day as Attorney-General.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Associate Justice Stephen Johnson Field, of the United States Supreme Court, has made formal application to President McKinley to be retired from the Bench under the law allowing members of that court to be retired when 70 years old.

Attorney-General Joseph McKenna, of California, will most likely be nominated to succeed Justice Field on Dec. 6, when Congress convenes, five days after the retirement of Justice Field takes effect.

According to one story, the accuracy of which cannot be vouched for at present, Assistant Secretary of State William H. Day is to become Attorney-General, Secretary Sherman is to retire to private life, Secretary of the Navy Long is to be transferred to the State Department and Assistant Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt is to be advanced to the head of the Navy Department.

The President is seriously considering the appointment of Mr. Day as Attorney-General, and the succession to Attorney-General McKenna is believed to lie between Mr. Day and Col. J. J. McCook, of New York. Col. McCook having once declined the Interior Department portfolio, some doubt is expressed as to whether he would now accept the Attorney-Generalship, but it is known that he would prefer that office to any other in the Cabinet.

Justice Field has been eligible for retirement since Nov. 4, 1882. Efforts were made during the Cleveland Administration to induce Mr. Field to retire, but he was determined not to give President Cleveland an opportunity to appoint a Democrat to succeed him.

Field's Great Career.

Justice Field is 81 years old. When his retirement shall go into effect—Dec. 1—he will have served longer than any Justice on this Bench. His term of service will then be thirty-four years, seven months and twenty days. The law prescribes that he shall, when retired, receive the full Associate Justice's salary—\$10,000 a year—for life. Until Justice Field's advent to this Bench the record for length of service was held by Chief Justice Marshall. Field was appointed by President Lincoln.

FALSE INSURANCE RETURNS.

Startling Revelations from Investigation of a Life Association.

Hartford, Ct., Oct. 14.—The directors of the National Life Association have admitted to Insurance Commissioner Betts that millions of dollars of insurance had been kept on the books and reported to the directors when payments on this business had not been made since 1892; that President Dolphin S. Fletcher had been not once, but continually, a party to misrepresentation to the directors; that he had been responsible for systematic false statements as to the business of the company, and that he had compelled all under his direction in the company to do his bidding, and make the statements he ordered, or walk the plank.

No one was prepared for such a revelation. It is said that when an examination was determined upon twelve millions of alleged insurance reported in annual statements was marked off. President Fletcher, whose resignation, with that of Secretary H. T. Braman, has been accepted, was not present when the revelations were made. Mr. Braman, with tears in his eyes, told how he had to do the president's bidding or lose his \$5,000 position when he had a family dependent upon him. Commissioner Betts said the president had not been ignorant of the false returns, and must have known all about the two millions on the books, but not reported to the State Department. He also averred that policies have been shaved.

It is stated that Mr. Fletcher, who, though no longer connected with the company, has been at the office every day, will be requested to deliver his keys and refrain from interfering with the work in progress by even so much as being present to see what is going on.

Mr. Fletcher has endeavored to explain away some of the points made by the State officials. Steps have been taken towards a reorganization of the company, which is still on a firm financial basis. Mr. Fletcher and his family own a majority of the \$100,000 capital.

Bridegroom 87, Bride 90.

Rochester, Oct. 14.—Announcement has been received in this city of the approaching wedding of Benjamin F. Hunt, of Boston, formerly of Rochester, and Mrs. Julia A. Sherman, of Watertown. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride on Oct. 20. The prospective bridegroom is in his eighty-eighth year and the bride is 90 years old. Mrs. Sherman is reputed to be worth over \$1,000,000.

Oppose Feathers in Hats.

San Francisco, Oct. 14.—The Women's Parliament, which is in session at Los Angeles, has devoted itself principally to the discussion of extravagance in dress. The women passed a resolution condemning the use of feathers in the decoration of hats, on account of the slaughter of birds which the fashion causes.

Three Brothers Found to Be Insane.

Bridgeport, N. J., Oct. 14.—Antonio, Charles and Lewis Jorio, brothers, who clubbed their father to death at Vineland last Winter and have since been in Cumberland jail, were to-day ordered by the court to be sent to the insane asylum at Trenton. Antonio has twice tried to kill his keeper.

Scandal Broke and Five Men Killed.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 14.—Through the fall of a scaffold at the Baptist Church being built at Plano, Tex., five men were killed. The men fell a distance of thirty-five feet.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)
Fair Tonight; Probably Fair Friday;
Slightly Warmer.
At 3 o'clock the Thermometer at
Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 65 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

October 14—Borough Council meets to hear objections to Watching avenue report.
October 15—Shortland taught by George Weeks Sanford at the Y. M. C. A.
October 16—Advanced class in Mathematics at the Y. M. C. A.
October 17—Recital at Vincent chapel by Prof. Barbour.
October 18—Borough Democratic primary in schoolhouse, 8 p. m.
October 25—William Blaikie at the Y. M. C. A. "How to Get Strong."
October 26—Entertainment Plainfield Mando-lin and Guitar Club at Monroe Avenue church.

The bar associations in various localities of this State ought to see to it that the lawyer who practices unprofessional conduct in any manner is driven from his profession or exposed to public mortification. The only way to purify the bar is for those who honor their calling to require that those who dishonor it shall not have equal privileges with themselves before the courts.—New Jersey Law Journal.

For the benefit of affianced couples we impart the knowledge that there is a new way of getting married. It is modern—real up-to-date—and not according to old forms. In tying the nuptial knot the bride is not asked to obey the husband. In assuming the married state they merely bow their heads together in the affirmative. It makes woman the equal of man.

A costly joke was said in a New York court the other day. A man stole an umbrella and when the Judge asked the culprit what he got on it, (meaning in a pawnshop) the prisoner essayed to be funny and replied "rain." The Judge carried the joke a bit further by sentencing the thief to two years in State prison.

Was there ever a campaign within the memory of the oldest inhabitant but what James E. Martine was either mentioned or nominated for some office? At present the "farmer orator" is being talked of for the Democratic nomination of Surrogate.

Those who are engaged in driving nails in political casquets for other people must remember that the fickle-mindedness of present adherents is oftentimes the jimmy that pries off the coffin top at some future date.

This is distinctly not a year for new political bosses in old parties. If you disagree with the old dictator why start a new party—that's the New York fad in politics.

Senator Reed was one of the first to congratulate H. Newton Spencer after his nomination yesterday.

Miles Ross is in the saddle in Mid-dlesex Democracy again.

The Democratic primaries are to be held tomorrow night.

The glad hand is now in form with the politicians.

Thanksgiving is just six weeks away.

ENGINE BURIED UNDER COAL CARS.

Costly Collision on the Port Reading Railroad, But No One Hurt.

An engine drawing a coal train crashed into a light engine on a sharp curve on the Port Reading Railroad, four miles from Metuchen, yesterday morning. The road is a part of the Philadelphia and Reading system, and consists of a single track from Bound Brook to Port Reading, on Staten Island Sound.

The crash wrecked two engines, both of which were going to Bound Brook, and ten large coal cars were piled in a heap on top of one of them. No one was injured, although several of the crew of the train were badly shaken up.

Put Over the Term.
The \$3,000 damage suit of Keely against Callahan was put over the term in Circuit Court at Elizabeth this morning, owing to the absence of Marion Ackerman, one of the witnesses, who is in Washington.

Catarrh in the head, that troublesome and disgusting disease, may be entirely cured by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggists, 25c.

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.
Wm. Grogan, of Westfield, was a visitor in Plainfield yesterday.

Patrolman Saunders has about recovered from his recent illness.

Rev. Mr. Klonka, of Riverside, called on Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Conde, of New Street, is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Theophilus Bond, of East Front street, has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Elizabeth Cady, who has been spending the summer vacation in Ohio, returned yesterday.

Miss Mattie Merrill, of VanEmburgh & Son's dry goods store, is much improved from a recent slight illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Taylor, who have been visiting Plainfield friends, returned today to their home at Mt. Vernon, O.

William Newcorn left for Stamford, Conn., last evening, on a very important case. He will also stop at New Haven on his return.

Mrs. Eliza Greagory, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rouns-ville, of West Fourth street, left for her home in South Dakota yesterday.

Mrs. S. A. Cruikshank, of Belvidere avenue, has issued invitations to eight young ladies in this city to attend a birthday party to her daughter, Helen, Monday evening.

Claude Edwards and Frank Edwards, of LaGrande avenue, arrived at their Plainfield home Tuesday after driving their horse down from Carthage, N. Y., to this city.

William A. Kline, William Downes and Peter Robinson attended the State convention of the Knights of Pythias, held at Bordentown yesterday, as delegates from Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, of this city.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Everett Cady, of Madison avenue, arrived on the steamship Ems from Naples yesterday. They have been away three months, confining their travels this year to Germany, Switzerland and Italy.

Wm Kline, James Scott, Jos. Barrett, Chas. Jefferson, Lewis Peterson, Wm. Downs and Peter Robinson, delegates from Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., went to Bordentown today to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge officers of the State of New Jersey.

THE BATTLE OF YORKTOWN.

That Revolutionary Event to be Celebrated at the Wallace House.

The Revolutionary Memorial Society of New Jersey intend celebrating the anniversary of the battle of Yorktown at their headquarters, in the Wallace House, Somerville, Tuesday, October 19th, at 12 m., and cordially invite on that occasion all the citizens of Union county who take an interest in matters of this character to be present.

The exercises will be very interesting, as distinguished speakers have been invited and promised to attend. The interest of the occasion will be enhanced by the undoubted identification of the Wallace House as disclosed by the following paragraph taken from the Royal Gazette, a loyalist paper published in New York by James Livingston in 1778:

New York, Dec. 19th, 1778.—By late accounts from New Jersey we are informed that General Washington's headquarters were at Mrs. Wallace's about twelve miles from Brunswick; the Earl of Sterling's at Convent Hill, a seat of the jocund Philip Van Horn, Esq., about seven miles from Brunswick; Major General Green's at VanVechter's, on Raritan river; Brigadier-General Knox's with the artillery at Col. McDonald's, at Pluckamin about eighteen miles from Brunswick. With these four general officers there are about seven and twenty hundred Rebels; Brigadier-General Maxwell commands at Elizabethtown with his brigade consisting of 800 militia cantoned between Elizabethtown and Newark. Col. Stephen Moyock is marched, it is said, to Lancaster, in Pennsylvania. A southern brigade, commanded by Col. Woodruff, lately consisting of 900, rank and file, we are informed are now reduced by desertion to 300.

THE SCHOOL FRATERNITY.

The Kappa Delta Phi to be Started Again in the High School.

A meeting will probably be held in the Plainfield High School tomorrow afternoon to start up the Kappa Delta Phi for the coming season. The success of that secret and literary organization has already been proved by several years' trial, and the boys in the High School are now considering it an honor to be elected to membership of that fraternity. Among its alumni members are the brightest young men who have graduated from the High School for the last four years. At the meeting tomorrow the new officers will be elected and the plan for the year's work arranged. There are already a large list of applicants to fill the vacancies in the membership.

—The iron for the new bridge on Watching avenue has been placed in position on the Plainfield side of the brook, and the men are now erecting the iron on the borough side.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

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

—A regular meeting of the A. O. H., will be held this evening.

—The new residence of James R. Joy, on Myrtle avenue, is rapidly nearing completion.

—A new piazza is being built to the front of the residence of Mrs. E. F. DuBois, of Park avenue.

—Important business will come before Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., at the meeting this evening.

—There will be a communication of Jerusalem Chapter, R. A. M., this evening in the Masonic Hall.

—The North Plainfield fire department bell tower has been painted, as will be the custom hereafter.

—While they last there will be a special bargain sale of plant stands at Packer's at 49 cents. Former price \$1.

—Councilman Serrell's new house on Sycamore avenue is nearly completed, and will be occupied in a short time.

—Next Tuesday evening the Sons of Veterans will hold an important meeting, and every member is urged to attend.

—It is understood that Lawyer H. C. Runyon will be a candidate for Councilman at-Large at the December election.

—This evening a cobweb social will be given in Warren chapel under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

—Brook avenue has just been macadamized and will soon be a fine thoroughfare for wheeling and driving.

—A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held tomorrow evening, when business of importance will be considered.

—The Synod of the Presbyterian churches of New Jersey will meet in this city next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

—The local lodges of the A. O. U. W. will hold an entertainment and public meeting in Reform Hall on Friday evening, October 22d, at 8 o'clock.

—On the afternoon of October 22d the Children's Aid to the Town Improvement Association will meet and elect officers for the ensuing year.

—Randolph, the front street druggist, has introduced a trolley cash system in his up-to-date store and many steps are thus saved by the clerks.

—An earnest invitation is extended to all interested to attend the meeting to be held at Reform Hall this evening. An excellent programme has been arranged.

—A primary meeting for the Democrats of the borough and township will be held Saturday night in the basement of the North Plainfield Public School.

—George Bedford, of the Walter Scott Printing Machine Company, is doing most of the work on the horseless truck which is being built according to Mr. Scott's own patents.

—Attention is called to the advertisement in today's Press of S. Scheuer & Co., and by looking it over you will find many things that you need and which can be secured for the least possible money.

—Twenty members of the Y. M. C. A. physical department, nearly all of whom are newly-elected, have undergone physical examinations. The evening gymnasium class promises to be larger this year than last.

—"An Evening in Toronto" will be the title of a very pleasant evening's diversion which will be held in Vincent chapel this evening under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church. The delegates at the recent National convention will relate their experience in that Canadian city.

—Before making out your shopping list read over the many good things that Edward White tells about in his advertisement. At that store you will find every article just as advertised, and you are perfectly safe in sending for any article you wish, as their policy is, that if goods are not satisfactory they refund your money.

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. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The true composition of Cleveland's baking powder is plainly printed on every can. That's honest; that's fair.

You know what you are eating when you use Cleveland's.

Guarantee.

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

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N. Y.

COUNTY COMMITTEEMEN

Vacancies Filled by the Somerset Republican County Convention.

The final business brought before the Republican convention at Somerville yesterday was the appointment of members of the county executive committee to fill vacancies. They were as follows: North Plainfield borough, First district, B. A. Hegeman, Jr.; North Plainfield township, Charles P. Sebring; Bedminster, James Rodenbaugh; Bernards, Second district, William Conkling; Bound Brook, W. B. R. Mason; Bridgewater, Second district, William Stryker; Fourth district, J. L. Griggs; Sixth district, Augustus Campbell; Hillsboro, Second district, P. V. D. Van Doren; Montgomery, J. H. Schomb; Warren, John C. Cooper. The committee will meet in a few days to organize for active campaign work.

A Pleasant Time.

The third of the series of free-will socials given under the auspices of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew K. Mattis, 301 Madison avenue, last evening. There was a large number present, including members of the various secret organizations in the city. Games and dancing were the principal features of the evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

DEMOCRATS ATTENTION!

The Democratic voters of the City of Plainfield, are requested to meet at the following places, Friday evening, at 7:30, to elect delegates to the County Convention to be held at Elizabeth, October 19th.

Delegates
First Ward—Hoagland's express office 1
Second Ward—Bryant school 2
Third Ward—Revere House 2
Fourth Ward—Blum's Hotel 6
J. E. MARTINE, Pres.
Dem. Association.
MICHAEL FLYNN, Sec.

PIANOS

We are now closing out at a sacrifice several odd styles of new pianos, and a great variety of slightly used organs and pianos to make room for new stock.

ORGANS

Catalogues, full particulars and terms sent upon application.

SOLD ON INSTALLMENTS, IF DESIRED.

Mason & Hamlin Co.

3 and 5 WEST 18th STREET, NEW YORK.

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, Gables, 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.

FIVE TIMES LARGER STOCK OF PIANOS THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE STATE.

Lauter Co.

657-659 Broad Street,
Newark, N. J.

Just Notice
Ladies Hands

and see if there are any that look as well as those covered with Kid Gloves from

Peck's.

The Klondyke at Home.

THE LINCOLN STEEL TOOL WORKS.
THE FRANKLIN COMPANY.
THE STAR INCUBATOR CO.

Factories are now being built at

"L-I-N-C-O-L-N"

and all will open with many American mechanics, on or before October 1, 1897. For applications for 75 to 100 dwelling houses. Here is a chance for BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS and INVESTORS. This property is only to be seen to satisfy the most skeptical of its merits. Sewers, water, electric lights, telephone, &c.

New Jersey Mutual Realty Co.,
S. D. DRAKE, President and Manager.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

We have just received our new

Fall Suitings and Trouserings.

Trousers to order, \$5, \$6 and \$7.

Business Suits to order, \$15 and \$20.

SEBRING'S, 202 West Front Street.

THE USE OF
REYNOLDS' PETROLEUM HAIR TONIC

Means healthy scalp, natural growth of hair, no falling out, no dandruff. 50c bottle. PREPARED ONLY BY

T. S. ARMSTRONG, The Apothecary,
CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

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. Making a saving of 50 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 garment was 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 clay-diagonal heavy-weight suits, silk-lined, worth \$22.00, at \$7.50. Men's suit lined dress suits in cutaway, worth \$22.75, at \$8.50. We offer 600 dark colored good suits in mixed chevrons 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 chevrons and cassimer pants at 95c, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.50, worth double. Fine double breasted heavy black cheviot 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 chevrons and cords, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.90 and \$2.25, worth from \$3.75 to \$5.50.

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, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.24, worth three times as much. Men's fine covert cloth fall overcoats, in light and dark shades, silk-lined, worth \$16.00, at \$5.00, latest styles. Men's heavy diagonal fall overcoat, fine finish, worth \$20.00 to \$25.00, at \$5.50. Men's fine black medium overcoat, blue or black, elegantly made, at \$6.50, worth \$12.00. Men's imported kersey overcoats silk lined, French facing, worth \$22.00, at \$8.25. Men's dress overcoats at \$3.25, worth 10.00. Buy your overcoat now and you will save sixty cents on every dollar. Men's ulsters, dark blue, all wool, waterproof cloth, worth 18.00, at \$6.50. Very fine ulsters at \$5.50 and \$6.50, worth double. A good ulster for drivers at \$2.50 and \$3.00, worth from 6.00 to 8.00. Extra fine dress suit for young men and boys, long pants actually valued at 12.00 to 15.00, sale price at \$4.50. Young men's single or double-breasted blue or black cheviot suit at \$3.50, regular price 10.00. A good youth's suit at \$2.50, worth 7.50. Bring anything back within fifteen days, that is not entirely satisfactory. Men's extra fine brown plaid suits at \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00, worth from \$9.00 to 15.00. Men's winter bicycle suits at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, worth from 5.00 to 12.00. Remember, no other store in Plainfield can sell you such fine clothing for less than three times these prices. We have over three thousand suits to choose from. All wool clay diagonal sack suit at \$5.90, worth from 12.00 to 15.00. Over one thousand woolen knee pants from 15c to 60c. Everybody living within twenty-five miles of Plainfield should visit this great sheriff sale.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, at 7:30 A. M.

New York Clothing Co.,

Next door to Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER, Manager. Car fare paid to all out of town buyers. Don't miss this sale, it will pay you to come at once. Sale takes place rain or shine. Don't forget the place; it is 214 West Front Street, next door to Music Hall. Look for New York Clothing Co.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

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

Mrs. W. H. Terry is visiting friends in Brooklyn for a few days.

A class meeting will be held this evening at the M. E. church.

Mrs. Harman has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Miss Conklin, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with friends in the borough.

Miss Lige, of North Plainfield, was the guest of borough friends yesterday.

Some additional improvements are being made about the postoffice building.

A young son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Griggs, of North avenue.

Mrs. Anna Abbott was the guest yesterday of New York friends. She returned today.

Among the Plainfielders in the borough yesterday were Miss Radin and Miss Higgins.

There will be bowling on the green at the residence of Mr. Schepflin next Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John VanMiddlesworth spent yesterday with Mrs. Henry VanMiddlesworth, of Plainfield.

Mrs. J. P. Homan and her daughter, Mrs. Clark, of Plainfield, were guests in town yesterday.

Victor Tull, of Elizabeth, has returned home after a very pleasant visit with Miss Minnie Dinneen.

Mrs. Charles Conover and son, Ernest, of Plainfield, were guests of relatives in the borough yesterday.

Miss Dellmore and Mrs. Squires, of New York, who have been visiting Mrs. W. H. Thompson, have returned home.

On Thursday evening, October 21st, the members of the Building and Loan Association will hold an important business meeting.

Mrs. Anna Dunham, who has been very ill for some time past, is now much improved. Dr. Gaston is now the attending physician.

Isaac Laing, who is now in Colorado, seems to be much improved in health and writes home that he is doing nicely. Mr. Laing has been away from home about seven months.

Michael Flynn, of the shoe firm of Flynn Bros., of Plainfield, rode a wheel to the borough and home yesterday, calling on some friends on the way. Mr. Flynn is a novice and he did remarkably well.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Frank H. Wilcox is out with a new horse and buggy.

Miss Anna McGuire has recovered from her recent sickness.

Miss Maggie Fitzgerald has returned from a visit in Metuchen.

Miss Emma Clark will leave on Saturday to spend a week at Lincoln.

The Scotch Plains football team will play the Westfield Junior team at Scotch Plains on Saturday.

The Dierck Concert Company will give an entertainment in Excelsior Hall on Monday evening, the 18th.

Mrs. J. S. Braker lost a valuable silk centre-piece, embroidered with floral designs, on last Monday. It was dropped in the street.

The Democratic voters of Scotch Plains will hold their primary in Excelsior Hall on Friday evening, to elect delegates to the county convention to be held in Elizabeth next Tuesday.

A number of the members of the local W. C. T. U. attended the State convention, which was held at Trenton this week.

A musical and illustrated song concert will be given in Mt. Zion A. M. E. church on the evening of October 28th.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Dr. J. C. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

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

The first night of the fair given by Holy Trinity church, in Etta Hall, last evening, was a brilliant affair, attracting a large number of the members and friends of the church.

There were a number of tables among which was the variety table, presided over by Miss Mary Miller, Mrs. Fogerty and Mrs. J. T. Burke, and the refreshment table, in charge of Mrs. Versen, Mrs. McCue and Miss Mary Michaels. A number of guessing contests formed an interesting feature of the evening's fun. Tomorrow night those who have come the nearest to guessing the number of grains of corn in the different jars on exhibition will be awarded prizes.

During the evening the young people enjoyed a number of dances, the music for which was furnished by Prof. O'Reilly, of Plainfield. Nearly all the articles of the fair have been donated by liberal friends of the church. The general committee in charge of the affair consists of Rev. Father Smith, James English, James McCarthy, Richard Batchford and John T. Burke. Tonight will be the closing night of the fair, and a large attendance is expected.

The annual inspection of the Westfield fire department was held last evening. The firemen assembled at the department headquarters at 8 o'clock and, headed by Lincoln Fife and Drum Corps, marched to the corner of Broad and Elm streets with their apparatus and halted for inspection. The companies lined up were: Empire Engine Company, Bucket and Engine Company and Hook and Ladder Company. Chief Dennis, with his assistants, personally inspected the uniform of each fireman, finding very little to criticize. The apparatus, consisting of the chemical engine, the hook and ladder truck and the hose carriage, were inspected and found to be in good order. After the inspection was finished the companies fell into marching order again and made a short parade about the town, returning to the headquarters at about 9 o'clock.

A delegation from Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Westfield, paid a fraternal visit to Cranford Council, No. 62, at Cranford, last night.

Rev. J. A. Owen, of Elizabeth, addressed the prayer meeting in the Methodist church last evening on the subject of missions.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church held a meeting in the lecture room at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

A number of Westfield people will attend the musicale given by Mrs. J. T. Dewey, at Greenville, tonight.

The Mission Band of the Presbyterian church will give an entertainment next Monday evening.

Contractor Felix Sterpone is rapidly pushing the work of cleaning and widening the brook.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church holds an all-day meeting today.

Elizabeth B. Woodruff has sold her lot on Washington street to Mrs. Littlefield.

E. C. Winter is about to build two houses on Downer street for Mr. Tully.

Firewise Council, No. 715, Royal Arcanum, holds a meeting tonight.

The Advance Club will meet at Ira T. Bull's tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Charles D. Reese is visiting relatives in New York city.

Mrs. A. H. Schofield is visiting in Washington, D. C.

THE FOURTH ANNIVERSARY.

A Junior Christian Endeavor Society in a Prosperous Condition.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church held a meeting in observance of its fourth anniversary in the church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. After a short devotional service, led by Miss Martha Kline, there was a committee exercise in which each committee recited a selection descriptive of its work, and all then went upon the platform and sang an appropriate song. The eight graduates from the junior society, who are to be promoted into the intermediate society, were addressed upon the nature of the work required in the intermediate society by its secretary, Mrs. William L. Remsen. The pastor, Rev. Charles E. Herring, delivered an interesting address and the meeting closed with a reading by Leah Hammond, entitled "Grandmother Grey and Grandmother Brown."

A meeting of the Knights of the Ancient Essenic Order was held last evening and plans were made for the institution of the Plainfield Senate of that order in this city on the evening of Wednesday, October 27th.

It Reflects Our Methods.

There are two notable points about the sale of

Henry's Electric Liniment

that are worth notice. First, we guarantee it. If it fails to give satisfaction in any respect your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Second, it is a remedy that can be guaranteed; it would be folly to sell an inferior remedy that way.

The price is 25 cents. It cures bruises, strains, backache or deep seated pains anywhere.

Our proposition on this remedy applies to all the preparations we make. Our aim is to make satisfaction the basis of every transaction. We believe that such methods appeal to thinking people more than plausible promises of something for nothing; more than the use of schemes which in the end must prove a delusion.

FRANK ROWLEY, DRUGGIST,

45 SOMERSET ST. TEL. 213 A.

BACK TO ITS OLD HOME.

SILVER WHIST TROPHY CAPTURED BY THE PARK CLUB FOUR.

Defeated the Elizabeth Team Last Night—The Trophy Presented to State Association a Year Ago by the Present Holders.

After many wanderings, the handsome silver trophy, which was offered by the Park Club, of North Plainfield, to the New Jersey Whist Association, has returned to the clubhouse from which it started. Last evening the twelfth whistie battle for the cup was fought at the clubhouse of the Elizabeth Athletic Club, and the Park Club four, who were the challengers in the match, succeeded in defeating the Elizabeth Athletic Club four.

The Park Club trophy was offered last year after the Parks won the trophy which had been offered by the association itself. All the other clubs in the association were given a chance to play for the trophy at first, and the cup has been traveling about northern New Jersey from place to place as the different clubs won it. Last evening it was the turn of the Park Club to play for the trophy, and they went to Elizabeth, who held the trophy, to meet the well known four from the Athletic Club of that city.

The Park Club was represented by its regular four, Messrs. McCutchen, Howell, Townsend and Rogers. The players for the E. A. C. were Messrs. Maxfield, Lane, Saltonstall and Weeks.

The first round was won easily by the visitors by a score of 11 tricks to 1. The second was more vigorously contested, the Parks winning 7 tricks to 4. In the third round they were also victorious, 8 to 5. The total score was 26 to 10 in favor of the Plainfielders.

The trophy was brought to Plainfield last night, and is now on exhibition in the Park clubhouse. The next game for the trophy will be played next week when the North End Club, of Newark, the old rivals of the Parks, will be the challengers.

PLAYS POPULAR MUSIC.

Brooke and the Chicago Marine Band in Music Hall Tonight.

Brooke and his band will be in Music Hall tonight, and this means much to all lovers of popular music. With his famous Chicago Marine Band he plays all kinds of music superbly, but makes a specialty of playing popular music for people in such a way that there seems to be a never-ending delight to all who hear the concerts. Conductor Brooke is the most cosmopolitan of all leaders, and he gives everybody a chance to have a taste of his own favorite style, and



rushes along so briskly with kaleidoscopic changes and mixtures of classic, standard and popular airs, that no one in the audience has a chance to get impatient waiting a morsel of his own particular favorite. Brooke is a young man, but by no means an experiment or an unknown quantity. It has been widely recognized that he has a genius for handling a military band, second not even to Gilmore.

Ernest R. Ackerman, of West Seventh street, has returned from a short trip to Kingston, N. Y.

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DIED.

SHARP—At Somerville, N. J., Thursday October 14, 1897, Mrs. Jacob F. Sharp, mother of Mrs. J. F. Garrett, of this city.

Funeral services on Saturday, Oct. 16, at 3 o'clock from her late residence, 50 Main street, Somerville, N. J. Friends respectfully invited to attend.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

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

STRAWBERRY plants by 100 75c. or 1,000 \$3; Lovett, Greenville and Brandywine. For sale by W. H. Rogers. Washingtonville, N. J. 10 11 tf

MILK for sale; 20 qts daily. Address V. care Press. 10 12 3

TO RENT—Small store, 12x24, 113 Madison avenue, near Front street. Rent \$9. 10 12 3

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FOR SALE—Road wagon, station wagon and harness. 334 Carlton avenue. 10 12 3

FOR SALE—1896 Cleveland tandem with 1897 wheels, perfect order; \$65. Mellow, Hillsdale Ave. 10 14eod2

FOR SALE—Boiler outfit, brooder house; rent or sell. Opportunity, care Press. 10 12 3

WANTED—Experienced waitress, not colored. Call between 2 and 3 p. m. at 10 Rockview Terrace, North Plainfield. 10 14 2

LOST—October 11th, a diamond finger ring. Liberal reward to finder at Press office. 10 14 3

LOST—Last evening, on Watchung, Park or North avenues, a stick pin; two rubies and a diamond. Suitable reward on return to Press office. 10 14 2

WANTED—An energetic young man or woman desiring immediate employment, for position paying large compensation. Address Energy, care Press. 10 14 3

SELF-feeder for sale. 323 East Second street. 10 14 3

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Men's Underwear. Heavy wool shirts. 29c. " Natural wool shirts. 25c. Extra fine wool shirts \$1 quality. 69c.

Men's Furnishings. Good strong suspenders. 13c pr. Fine colored half hose. 10c. Extra fine black " 13c. All linen collars. 10c. 50c neckwear. 25c. Fine C. S. handkerchiefs. 10c. " Cambric. 5c.

Sale of Canton Flannel. Fine unbleached canton. 5c. Extra heavy " 8c. Fine dovet flannel. 5c. Colored outing. 6c.

Sale of Lace Curtains. Lot of odds and ends. Were \$1.25 and \$2 pr, now. 49c ea. 50 in Lace curtains. 98c pr. Fine " 1.25 pr. Curtain nets. 12c yd.

Sale of Ladies' Winter Underwear. Fine ribbed vests and pants. 25c. Natural wool " 50c. Heavy fleeced " 48c.

Sale of Hosiery. Ladies' seamless hose. 10c. " extra fine " 13c. 25c quality " 18c.

Sale of Corsets. Satteen corsets, heavily boned. 50c pr. White, black and drab.

Sale of Blankets. 10-4 Cotton Blankets 49c pair, white or grey. 10-4 Grey Wool Blankets. \$1.15. 10-4 All Wool Blankets. 2.98. Fine Crib Blankets. 1.37.

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Ribbon Sale. 2,000 yards of fine fancy Silk Ribbon worth 50 and 60c, go for. 19c yd.

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Sale of Turkish Towels. Unbleached Towels. 7c ea. Heavy Unbleached Towels. 10c ea. Fine Bleached Towels. 13c ea. Extra Large " 25c ea.

Sale of Linens. All Linen Crash. 6c. All Linen Glass Toweling. 8c. 6 in Cream Damask. 25c. Turkey red Linen. 25c. Extra Heavy Damask Towels, tied fringe. \$1.15 doz.

All Linen Dinner Napkins. \$1.15 doz.

Sale of Corset Covers. Fine Corset Covers. 9c ea. Trimmed " 19c. " Cambric " 25c. " Lace trimmed " 25c. Ladies' fleeced lined Corset Covers. 25c ea.

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Sale of Wrappers. Cambric wrappers. 69c. Outing flannel wrappers. 98c. Black brilliantine skirts. 98c.

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BIG FIGHTING CARNIVAL.

New Orleans Club Arranging to Bring the Boxers Together.

New Orleans, Oct. 14.—The Tulane Athletic Club has authorized Matchmaker Ryan to arrange a carnival of events for the month of December. It is the wish of the Board of Directors to give a series of contests representing the middle, heavy, light and bantam weights. The carnival, according to the present programme, is to open on Dec. 12 or 13, and run three nights. Steve O'Donnell and Choyinski have already been offered a guarantee of \$5,000. The winner of the Everard-McPartland contest, which is to be held next Monday night, will make one of the contestants in a fight with "Kid" Lavigne. For the last of the series Ryan has in view Solly Smith, who recently gained a decision over Dixon, and Johnny Van Hoost.

Three Rounds the Limit.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Mayor Harrison has dealt the boxing game in Chicago a hard blow. Instead of allowing twenty-round bouts, as had been anticipated, he says decidedly that three rounds will be the limit, and the police must see that there is no roughing. The Mayor will not grant a permit for a twenty-round go between Frank Garrard and Young Griffo, which has been announced to take place Oct. 23 at Tattersalls.

CUBANS NEAR HAVANA.

They Win Two Brilliant Victories. One Within Sight of the Capital.

Havana, via Key West, Oct. 14.—Gen. Molina confesses his defeat near Aquacate, Havana, in the big battle fought by his column there against the Cubans led by Cols. Arango and Aranguren.

The Spanish Colonel, Rogers, who was wounded, has died, and so has Col. Alfau, one of Gen. Molina's favorite officers, whose body was terribly torn by a shot from a Cuban rapid-fire cannon that was landed by one of the recent expeditions.

The official report of Gen. Molina, in spite of its bombastic praise of the courage of the Spanish soldiers, acknowledges the death of these officers and admits that the Cubans won the day.

The sensation in Havana over this news is intense. It has been increased by the report that a strong Spanish column, which tried to dislodge the insurgents under Castillo from their position in the hills of Calvario, has been repulsed with heavy losses. The Calvario hills are within sight of the capital. The attack lasted six hours. The Spaniards charged several times with their bayonets, but each time were compelled to retreat, leaving their dead in front of the trenches of the Cubans.

AID FOR GEORGE.

Money from Kansas with an Excuse for the Smallness of the Amount.

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 14.—Populists in a dozen towns in Kansas are subscribing to a fund to be sent to the Henry George Campaign Committee. Concert of action is apparent, for this preamble precedes all signatures on the petition:

"We believe that Henry George stands for principle, for freedom, for equal rights to all men, not only for the city of New York, or the State of New York, or the United States, but of all the world. Our contributions are small from the fact that during our struggle for existence we have been compelled to give one-third of our total production to the landlord or speculator holding land idle; one-third to railroad, telegraph lords, coal lords, oil lords, mineral lords, and a large part of what was left has been taken for taxes and tribute to trusts and syndicates.

LIVING BURIALS IN RUSSIA.

More Bodies of the Fanatics Discovered Beyond Ural Mountains.

(Cable Dispatch to the New York Sun.) Odessa, Oct. 14.—Further cases of living burials by members of the fanatical religious sect known as the Raskolnik have been discovered in the Trans-Ural region.

A series of small mounds excited the curiosity of the authorities, and an investigation of them was ordered. When the mounds were opened it was discovered that they contained corpses of persons who had apparently been buried alive.

In some instances the mounds had been provided with air passages, which prevented the suffocation of the victims, who had met a lingering death from starvation. The commission of inquiry found that a 15-year-old girl, who had consented to be buried, had broken out of her sepulchre under the pangs of hunger.

Big Beet Sugar Manufactories.

Denver, Col., Oct. 14.—Plans contemplating the investment of from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 by Eastern capitalists in sugar factories and refineries have been consummated here, and an agreement has been signed by 100 farmers pledging themselves to the cultivation of 1,000 acres of sugar beets for the purpose of supplying the material to these factories and refineries.

It is expected that a sugar refining business amounting to \$1,500,000 will be established in this State.

Boy Killed by a Playmate's Blow.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 14.—Fitzsimmons' famous solar plexus blow was the cause of a death at the State Industrial School for Boys yesterday. John Carson, 16 years old, drew a long breath and asked one of his dormitory mates to strike him in the chest. Frank Martin responded with a back-hand blow over the heart, and Carson dropped dead. The institution physician says the blow produced paralysis Martin, who is but 14 years old, is held blameless.

Ex-Gov. Altgeld Seriously Ill.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Ex-Gov. John P. Altgeld has been seriously ill for several days and is confined at his home, 1886 Diversy avenue. He was a little better last evening. At Mr. Altgeld's office in the Unity building it was said that the worst seemed to be over.

Check for \$20,000 Found.

New York, Oct. 14.—A certified check for \$20,000, drawn by Adams, Kellogg & Mason on the Manhattan Company to the order of P. P. Freeman & Co., was picked up in Wall street yesterday afternoon. It had been dropped by a clerk.

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Men's heavy scotch mixed shirts and drawers, fleece lined, extra weight, the 65c kind, at 50c. Men's natural wool half hose, in sizes from 9 to 11, at 15c. The dollar scarlet medicated shirts and drawers, at 85c. Ladies' fleece lined Swiss ribbed vests at 25c.

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You and each of you are hereby notified that it is the intention of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to take a part of your lands or real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey, within twenty-five feet on each side of the center line of Westerville avenue, and between the Northwest side line of East Front street and a point one hundred and eighty-six feet one hundredths (186.66) feet Southeast of Orange place, pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance of the City of Plainfield, entitled "An Ordinance to widen Westerville avenue from the Northwest side line of East Front street to a point 186.66 feet Southeast of Orange place," approved July 12, 1897, to which ordinance and the map in said ordinance referred to, both said map and said ordinance being on file in the City Clerk's office of the City of Plainfield, you are referred to for a more particular description of the lands or real estate, with the appurtenances necessary to be taken as aforesaid.

You are further notified that a meeting of the Common Council will be held in the Council Chamber, No. 100 Park Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday, the first day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, at eight o'clock p.m., at which time and place you and each of you will please be present, then and there to treat with the said Common Council for said lands or real estate with the appurtenances.

By order of the Common Council,
James T. MacMurray, City Clerk,
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 6, 1897. 107 2

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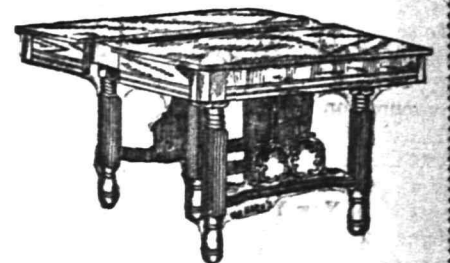


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PASSING COMMENT.

There is at present a desire on the part of the motormen on the street railway to wear full beards. A few of the motormen have the adornment already, but those who are now endeavoring to grow whiskers are Mark Hipp, Michael McCarty, Samuel Bower, John Mowen and Christopher Wise.

A curious sight is presented on East Fifth street, near Watchung avenue, where a number of large trees are growing directly in the middle of the sidewalk, making it necessary for pedestrians to wend their way carefully around them. It is probable that the trees were in their present position before the street was cut through, and were spared for the sake of the shade which they afford.

A Plainfield young man who entered Lehigh University this fall, writes home to his friends that the trials of a freshman in college are great. He tells how the sophomores captured him one night and compelled him to carry a large pail of paste until five o'clock in the morning while they panted up bills about the town telling of the verandah and other childish trials of his class.

It is strange that more people do not appreciate the delightful bicycle riding that is to be enjoyed at this season of the year. The air is bracing and puts new life into the rider, while the country scenery is magnificent with all its varied colorings. Where it was green, it is now a variegated mass of green, red, orange and yellow all blended harmoniously together.

One of the clerks at Neuman's grocery store has used a novel method for repairing punctures. There was a small puncture in the tire and the young man, tired of trying to find it, pumped a quantity of molasses into the tire. All went well after that, and the molasses filled up the hole in the tire. A week later, the tire exploded after being left in the sun, and the friends of the owner of the wheel were surprised to see a dark colored liquid flowing out of the hole in the tire. It was the molasses.

A well-known Plainfield man, in conversation with the writer this week, spoke in terms of high praise of the bravery and vigilance of the police of this city. The incident which the man related as illustrating this assertion happened a few nights ago. The teller of the story was awakened at about 2 a. m. by the barking of a dog in the alley at the rear of his house. While looking he saw a policeman rush down the street and into the alley and make a thorough search, dark lantern in hand, of all the nooks and corners. The officer continued his search for several minutes, and when satisfied that no intruders were about, went quietly away upon his rounds, unconscious of the fact that there had been a watcher near.

Harry Dreier, of this city, witnessed a rather remarkable exhibition of feeling and intelligence from a member of the snake family one day this week. While out walking he killed a black snake five feet long and brought the reptiles body back home with him, arriving after dark. Upon going out of the house the following morning, Dreier was surprised to find another black snake, closely resembling the one killed by him the day before. The reptile had been killed during the night. It is supposed that the second snake was the mate of the one killed and that it had followed its mate's body from the swamp to the house where it was placed by Dreier.

SPORTS

Sun Rises 6:10 a. m.
Sun Sets 5:22 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 6:22 p. m.

GOSSIP FROM GRIDIRON.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE LOCAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Games That are to be Played and Points About Teams and Individual Players That May Prove Interesting to Cranks.

William Lawrence, of Sherman avenue, who fractured his ankle while playing football about one week ago, is now improving rapidly.

George Cathcart, the well known full-back of the Plainfield team, will appear on the gridiron again next Saturday when he will play his old position behind the line, Darling going to half.

The Crescent football team of this city will play its first game at home on Saturday in the Journal League. The game will start at 4 o'clock on the field at the corner of Giraud and Myrtle avenues.

Harry Lovell will appear with the Plainfield eleven again on Saturday at his old place at tackle. His experience at Yale has made him a valuable man for the team, and the excellent work he did last year showed that he has not forgotten the game since he graduated.

The Plainfield Athletic Association is about to inaugurate a new policy which, it is hoped, will make the football games of that association more popular than usual. Beginning on Saturday afternoon of this week, all the fair sex will be admitted to all games of the club free of charge. Not only will they be admitted free, but the Plainfield A. A. will extend a hearty invitation to all of them to come and bring their friends. It is one of the standing rules of the field that no improper language shall be used on the gridiron, and the fair sex need not fear any trouble on that score.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. VanEps, of Park avenue, and Miss Laura J. Runyon, of East Fifth street, rode their wheels to Orange yesterday.

Three thousand and thirty seven new members have joined the New Jersey Division of the L. A. W. from Dec. 1st, 1896, to Sept. 24th, 1897, ten months. Essex county stands first in line with 857 members. Hudson is next and Camden third. Union county comes fifth in line with 191 new members, of which Elizabeth furnishes 68; Summit, 22; Plainfield, 21; Union Hill, 17; Cranford, 15; Rahway, 14, and Westfield 10. Middlesex is tenth in line with 105 new members, of whom 64 come from New Brunswick. Somerset county is clear down to fifteenth, with only 32 new members.

BASKET BALL.

The Y. M. C. A. officers of Summit and this city are making an effort to have a trophy cup offered in the basket ball tournament. The cup, if put up, will probably be awarded to the team winning three out of five games. Young men wishing to present their names for membership in the basket ball team should signify their intention at once, as games are now being scheduled. The team will meet for practice on Friday night.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The managers of the Y. M. C. A. bowling teams of Summit and Plainfield are arranging to offer a trophy cup to be competed for in a series of games between the two teams.

REHEARSING FOR THE 'FEST.

REIGNING NOVELTY A FIGURE DANCE.

Those in Charge Are Bending Every Energy to Make of It a Successful Affair.

The Speilartenfest is now occupying the minds of a great many people of the city and borough and frequent rehearsals which are held in the Cycle Academy are bringing forth good results.

This entertainment will be given in aid of Muhlenberg Hospital from November 8th to November 15th, inclusive, at the Cycle Academy.

Miss L. A. Stewart is directing the rehearsals and is well satisfied with the progress being made. Several dances were rehearsed last evening.

The entertainment will embrace the best features of the Kirmess, and the reigning novelty in the way of figure dances, the Speilartenfest, or playing card festival. A game of whist is played by living cards who are dressed as kings and queens, jacks and tens, aces and every other card in the pack. They are dressed to represent diamonds, hearts, clubs, spades and special characters. Four players will indicate the cards they wish to play and the game proceeds. During the progress of the game enlivening dances are given. There are usually the dance of the court cards, of the aces, and joker, a cut for deal, shuffle, and tableaux.

Preparations are being made to accommodate the large number of people who are expected to be in attendance. W. R. Cook, W. L. Saunders and H. P. Reynolds are in charge of the arrangements and are giving every detail personal supervision. Every one thus far has shown a remarkable inclination to help to make the affair the most successful yet given.

It is said that there is not a tedious moment in the play and everyone in the audience can readily follow the game. Decorations will show which side is winning.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church, of Craig place, will continue its fair in the basement of the church this afternoon and evening. The proceeds will go into the church treasury.

10,000 Kisses in 10 Hours.

Berlin, Oct. 14.—The Munchener Nachrichten records the experience of a young German who undertook to establish a kissing record. He gained his sweetheart's consent, the terms being that he should take ten thousand kisses from her lips in ten hours, with a brief interval for refreshment every half hour. Umpires were appointed and the attempt to make the record began.

The young man scored 2,000 kisses in the first hour and 1,000 in the second. He had reached 750 in the third hour when his lips were paralyzed and he became unconscious.

Package Containing \$14,000 Missing.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—A package containing \$14,000 has been lost between Omaha and Denver. The money was sent by registered package by a bank in Chicago to a financial institution in the West. The Postoffice authorities are hard at work on the case, but have traced the money westward from Chicago only as far as Omaha.

At that point all record of the small fortune is lost. The authorities refuse to give either the name of the bank sending the money or the one to which the package is consigned.

Secretary Bliss Must Move.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Secretary Bliss has discovered that his lease of a residence at Sixteenth and K streets is invalid, and though he caused his household effects to be moved into the premises on Sept. 1, he will have to look for another house. The house is in a fashionable part of the city, opposite the homes of Secretary Alger and Senator Hale.

Joaquin Miller to Become an Actor.

New York, Oct. 14.—A contract was made yesterday by Davis & Keogh by which they have secured the services of Joaquin Miller, the poet of the Sierras, to make his debut as an actor in the coming production of Scott Marble's drama, "The Heart of the Klondike." The play will be put on at the Star Theatre, Nov. 8.

Deceived by Appearance.

An old dorky was arrested for stealing a silver dollar. The dollar was found on his person and produced in court.

"You stole this money?" asked the judge.

"Dat's what dey says, suh!"

"Well, what have you to say for yourself?"

"Well, suh, nuttin' much, 'ceptin' dat I wuz driv ter it."

"Driven to it?"

"Yes, suh. You see, jedge, dat dollar had a bird on it, en it look so much like a game chicken dat I thought it wuz in a hen roos' en des nachally bagged it!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Reliable.

"Yez know Casey, the contractor," said Mr. Dolan.

"O! do," replied Rafferty.

"Is he what yed call reliable?"

"He is the most reliable man Oi iver knew. Whiniver he tells yez anythin' ye kin depind an it's not bein' so."

A LAY OF THE SUMMER.

Oh! I'd like to go with Nansen
To the Pole,
Where the grizzly bears are dancin'
And they roll
In a chilly, trapped ocean
With a rhythmic sort of mot on
That is droll!
Where Mrs. Seal cawing
Wears her furs,
And Mr. Seal though sporting,
N'er demurs;
Where the wind is wild, and freely
O'er the country found by Greely
Ever stirs—
O'er the country found by Greely
Ever stirs!

Oh! I'd like to be a blooming
Equinox,
All his frozen airs assuming,
Don't you know!
Then farewell to moods so melting,
With a snowball I'd be pelting
Every woe!
All of Greenland's icy mountains
Drinking drinks that frozen fountains
Only brew.
There I know they'd n'er be troin'
Out that query, "Is it hot en-
OUGH for you?"
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OUGH for you?"
—Baltimore News

The entertainment to be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church October 18th under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band will consist of tableaux and readings from Jane Austen's book "Emma."

AN ORDINANCE

To establish the grade on Central Avenue from Randolph Road to Elizabeth Street. The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. That the grade on Central Avenue, from Randolph Road to Elizabeth Street, be established as follows:
Beginning at the southerly curb line of Randolph Road at an elevation above the City base of 31.00 feet on the Southwesterly corner, and 32.15 feet on the Southeastern corner; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 150 feet, elevation 31.45 West, 31.20 East; thence with a descending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 650 feet to the location of a proposed street, elevation 31.50 West, 31.25 East; thence with an ascending grade of 0.30 per 100, a distance of 315 feet on the Westerly curb line, elevation 31.45 and a distance of 325 feet on the Easterly curb line, elevation 32.35 feet; thence a descending grade of 0.30 per 100, to the Northerly curb line of Elizabeth Street, elevation 32.35 on the Northwesterly curb corner, and 31.08 on the Southeastern curb corner.

Sec. 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances, so far as they conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 4, 1897; approved by the Mayor Oct. 6, 1897.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

Trusses!

Rupture!

Trusses!

Dr. Marley has opened a branch office at No. 325 West Second street, corner Central Avenue, Plainfield, for the treatment of rupture 20 years experience and the most modern appliances, warrants satisfactory results. No occasion to go to New York for what you can get better at home. Irreducible, difficult and complicated cases solicited. The treatment of rupture, whether mechanical or otherwise, most properly belongs to a surgeon of long experience in that particular line. No charge for examination or advice. Hours 9-12 a. m., 1-4 p. m. and evenings.

SUGAR'S CENT-SPEN; POUND

is no comparison to the bargains in the August Real Estate and Insurance Review—a postage stamp will bring it to you. Subscription 25c. per year. Mrs. L. LaBue, Real Estate and Insurance, corner Park Avenue and Second street.

Oak Dining Tables, \$4.50 up.
Oak Sideboards, \$9 up.
Oak Dining Chairs, 95c. each up.

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Choice Jersey Chickens	14c lb
Legs of Choice Lamb	12c lb
Fresh Hams	10c lb
Best Sugar Cured Hams	10c lb
Fresh Shoulders	8c lb
Fresh Sausage, our own make	10c lb
Corn Beef	10c lb
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Plate Pieces	4c lb

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Executor's Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, Executor of Deborah W. Brant deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of December next.

MARY ALICEMASON.

Dated, October 13th, 1897. 10 14 o a w 10 th

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CURTIS MALARIA

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FORCED SALE OF CLOTHING!

The entire stock of CLOTHING, consisting of MEN'S OVERCOATS, MEN'S SUITS, MEN'S PANTS, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS, CHILDREN'S PANTS, also MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS and HATS, formerly the elegant stock of HARRY M. JAQUETT, must be sold in the NEXT 60 DAYS to close the ENTIRE BUSINESS. Owing to the depression of business for the PAST YEAR he has been OBLIGED to ASSIGN the entire stock to me, and it is NOW OFFERED at UNHEARD OF PRICES. Samuel T. Jaquett. The following are A FEW of the bargains that are offered:

	Were	Now		Were	Now		Were	Now
Men's Overcoats and Ulsters	\$5.50	\$3.98	Children's Overcoats	6.00	3.98	Men's Suits	9.50	5.48
" " " "	8.00	5.00	Children's Suits	4.00	2.98	" " " "	8.00	3.80
" " " "	8.75	6.50	" " " "	2.98	.98	" " " "	9.00	6.98
Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters	9.50	6.50	" " " "	4.75	3.37	" " " "	8.00	5.00
" " " "	4.50	2.75	" " " "	4.87	3.37	" " " "	5.50	2.98
" " " "	6.00	3.90	" " " "	2.75	1.98	Men's Working Shirts	.50	.29
" " " "	4.50	3.00	" " " "	2.75	.98	" Shirts and Drawers	.50	.39
Children's Knee Pants	1.50	1.00	" " " "	8.00	4.25	" Neckwear	.50	.18
" " " "	1.00	.60	" " " "	6.00	3.87	" Sweaters	.50	.18
" " " "	.75	.40	Men's Pants	1.75	.98	Men's Derby Hats (large assortment)	2.00	1.30
" " " "	.50	.30	" " " "	2.75	1.12	" " " (a large assortment)	3.00	1.90
" " " "	.35	.20	" " " "	1.50	1.00	" " " "	1.50	1.00
Children's Overcoats	4.50	2.18	" " " "	1.37	.75	Soft Hats		38c up
" " " "	3.25	1.98	" " " "	2.50	1.48	Large assortment of Gloves		25c up

THIS IS ONLY A FEW BARGAINS WE OFFER, COME AND SEE THE REST.

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