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ART PRINT EXHIBITION.

TO BE UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE CAMERA CLUB NEXT WEEK.

Arrangements are now completed for the Art-Prizes to be awarded for Best Exhibitors in the Various Classes. One of Plainfield's most enterprising organizations is the Plainfield Camera Club, an association of local amateur photographers. Last year the club held a very successful loan exhibition, which far exceeded anything of the kind ever held in the city. This year the Camera Club will give a photographic art prints exhibition in the club gallery in the Babcock building. The exhibition will begin next Monday and continue through the week. The exhibition is not for Plainfield alone; it has been opened to the amateurs of New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania, so as to assure plenty of entries and excellent work. Many of the members of the New York, Brooklyn and Philadelphia Camera Clubs have signified their intention to compete, besides others from smaller places. Many local photographers, who spend their spare time in that fascinating work, and are not yet members of the club, will also send in some of their work to compete for the prize.

After due consideration the committee in charge of the exhibition, of which Harold Serrell is chairman and J. Hervey Doane secretary, has decided upon the following classes: Landscapes, marines, interiors, groups, portraits, genre, lantern slides, hand camera work. In each class there will be a first award of a diploma and second award of honorable mention designated by a ribbon badge. A medal will be awarded to the owner of the best collection of photographs of six subjects. No entrance fee will be charged in any of the contests.

Single mounted prints must be framed and such single prints must have been made from plates not smaller than 7x5. Mounted prints of any size may be framed collectively, with or without glass, or arranged tastefully on foundation boards at the discretion of the exhibitor. To entitle an exhibitor to an award, the entire work must have been done by the exhibitor. There will be many prints exhibited, however, that will not be eligible for the awards.

The awards will all be made before the exhibition begins by a committee composed of an amateur and a professional photographer and an artist. The personal of the committee has not yet been announced. The committee will make the awards without any knowledge of the names of the exhibitors.

BOOKS FOR THE CHILDREN.

An Exhibit to be Made at the Public Library.

Friday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock, and all day Saturday, an exhibit of over 300 of the best books for children will be given at the Public Library. These comprise fairy tales, stories, books of travel, histories, etc., suited to children of all ages. Printed lists of the books exhibited will be sold for ten cents each. There will be no postponement on account of the weather as the books cannot be longer withheld from circulation.

Parents who are perplexed as to what books to buy for their children or recommend them to read, will be glad to know what competent authorities consider the best in this line. This list bears the endorsement of the American Library Association, and has been compiled by Miss Hewins, who has for the past fifteen years made a specialty of children's reading. Members of Sunday-school library committees, teachers, and all others who come in contact with children in an educational way, cannot fail to find this exhibit of much practical value. The exhibit will be held in the ladies' room. All interested are invited to be present and to examine the books exhibited.

Third Anniversary of Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hoagland, of West Front street, celebrated the third anniversary of their marriage last Monday evening in a very pleasant manner. There were about twenty relatives and friends present who joined in congratulating the bride and groom, and wishing them many happy returns of the day. The evening was well spent in music and song, and sociability was not the least of the many enjoyable features. A pleasing supper was served during the evening, and when the guests left for their homes they carried with them many delightful remembrances of the happy event.

Two orphans in the Industrial Home in New Brunswick are believed to be heirs to \$60,000, left by their grandmother in Austria.

ARRESTED THE 'POSSUM

THE VARMINT WAS MAKING A RAID IN A CHICKEN COOP.

Taken to the Borough Lockup and Found in a Cell By the Chief Marshal—He May Make a Dinner for the Policemen.

There was a surprise in store for Chief Marshal Wilson when he called at the borough lockup early this morning. On the blotter was recorded the arrest of a prisoner, whom, it was stated, was to be found in cell No. 1. The entry stated that the prisoner had been arrested during the night at the home of J. M. Bettman, on Willow avenue. The charge was that of stealing chickens. It stated further that the prisoner was to appear at 8 o'clock before Recorder Thomas for a hearing. The Chief looked into cell No. 1 and expected to see a man. To his surprise he found an unusually large opossum.

It seems that during the early morning hours Marshal Kliner was passing near Mr. Bettman's house and heard a great disturbance among the chickens. Knowing that Mr. Bettman had been troubled by thieves he thought he would investigate and possibly be able to solve the mystery. When he reached the chicken coop he was very much surprised to find an opossum who was playing havoc with the fowls.

The officer entered the coop and after much difficulty succeeded in catching the varmint. He was obliged to use his club to subdue the animal, after which it was an easy matter to get away with him. When the marshal went off duty he brought the 'possum to the lockup and placed him in cell No. 1.

Just what disposition will be made of him has not yet been decided. Chief Wilson placed the animal in a barrel for safe keeping. He is so large that he takes up all of the space in the bottom of the barrel. It has been suggested that the members of the police department have the 'possum cooked and enjoy a big dinner.

FAGOTS BURNED SOCIALLY.

PLEASANT EVENING SPENT BY MANY.

The Novel Event Held in Vincent Chapel—Names of Those Who Helped to Make an Entertaining Programme.

"A Fagot Social" was the novel name given to an entertainment held in Vincent chapel last evening under the auspices of the Reading Circle of the Home Mission Society of the First M. E. church. In spite of the disagreeable weather there was a goodly number of people present to enjoy the programme of the evening. The plan of the entertainment was that each person present was given a small bunch of fagots and also given a number. When their number was called they put the fagots on the fire, and while they were thus being consumed it devolved on the owner to entertain the audience. The plan worked to perfection and an entertaining programme was presented.

Among those who entertained were Mrs. L. M. French, Rev. and Mrs. Snodgrass, Mrs. Horne, Miss Bertha Davis, J. R. Joy, Miss Lucy Palmer Jenkins, J. C. Peck, Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, Mrs. Henry McGee and Frank MacDonald. Readings, recitations, vocal and instrumental solos were given. Every number was well received and heartily applauded.

Those in charge of the affair consisted of Mrs. J. H. McNaughton, Mrs. D. E. Davis, Mrs. N. W. Pike, Mrs. Charles Horne, Mrs. L. M. French, Mrs. P. M. French, Mrs. W. Jackson, Mrs. Temple, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Leveridge, Mrs. John Cory, Mrs. Crane, Miss Sadie Jackson and Mrs. I. L. McVoy. Nelson Y. Hull assisted at the door by receiving the admission fee. The proceeds will be devoted to the work of the Home Mission Society of the church, and the amount received was very gratifying to those in charge. After the entertainment, refreshments were served in abundance to all.

MUST PAY FOR THE SLATE ROOF.

Mrs. Hodge Couldn't Prove That Contract Had Not Been Filled.

The case of C. R. Graves, of this city, against Mrs. William Hodge, of Graceland, was tried before Justice Mosher yesterday afternoon, and judgment in full, with costs, was awarded to the plaintiff. About a month ago Graves was engaged to construct a slate roof upon the house of Mrs. Hodge, at Graceland. The work was completed some days ago, but Mrs. Hodge refused to pay, claiming that all the conditions of the contract had not been performed by Graves, and that she was justified in withholding payment. City Judge DeMeza represented the plaintiff and J. P. D. Kirch appeared for the defendant.

Charles Burnett, of Madison avenue, was in Easton, Pa., yesterday.

THE REPUBLICAN VIEW

A G. O. P-ITE WHO INDULGES IN SOME CAUSTIC COMMENTS.

He Looks at the Citizens' Movement as Representative of Spiteful and Backward Sentiment Among a Very Few.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—According to last night's Press the movement to organize a Citizens' ticket is fast materializing. It seems to be the "old fight" to be fought over again between the town proper and the commuters, or "rooters" as they were called a year ago.

There is to be a public meeting tomorrow night, I observe, of citizens, irrespective of party affiliation, opposed to the present administration, who demand a retrenchment in public expenditures.

When these disgruntled taxpayers meet let them pass resolutions denouncing our public spirited councilmen for improving and keeping clean the streets; for giving our city a sewer system to prevent sickness or pestilence; for granting a trolley franchise; for a water supply; for fine police and fire departments.

Let resolutions also be passed favoring the closing of the Public Library to put a stop to any more money being spent there so foolishly.

Let the townspeople rebuke the commuters so that their wives and daughters give no more Fetes to beautify our Park, or Spielkartenfests to support our Hospital. Let a strict line be drawn no matter who is hurt. No matter if shopkeepers lose trade, less work be given our wage earners, fewer buildings constructed or houses rented!

Plainfield today is a place of beautiful houses, filled with noble people who are proud of their city. Who are the men, and what amount of taxes do they pay, who will advertise to the world that they condemn the present administration for building up this beautiful city which is attracting here so many hundreds of people?

No! public improvements will go on; more buildings will be erected; more trade for shopkeepers and better times for all the working classes and wage earners. Dust cannot be thrown into the eyes of our voters and they will vote for men who will build up rather than overthrow! Republican.

MISSION WORK IN FRANCE.

An Interesting Lecture to be Given Under the Auspices of McAll Auxiliary.

An illustrated lecture on Paris and the McAll Mission will be given by Rev. J. F. Loba, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church next Saturday evening, Nov. 20th, under the auspices of the Plainfield McAll Auxiliary. The same lecture was given in New Haven last May at the annual meeting of the American McAll Association.

We quote a portion of an article of the evangelist of May 20th: "Last Wednesday evening Rev. J. F. Loba, D. D., of Evanston, who for a time was in the McAll work in Paris, gave a lecture on 'The Work in France,' illustrated with stereopticon views. The lecture first presented some of the historic buildings of the city, next gave some scenes of the commune, and then described the work carried on by the Mission in its halls and by its boat. Dr. Loba is an exceedingly winning speaker, and his intimate knowledge of the Mission lends authority to his opinion."

THE COUNTY TROLLEY LINE.

Committee to Present the Final Details of the Report They Have Prepared.

A meeting will be held at the court house in Elizabeth Tuesday evening, November 30th, to receive the report of the committee appointed at the meeting held last September to consider the matter of widening West field avenue and constructing a street rail road upon it by the county. The committee met last night and agreed on the final details of their report, and have requested Mr. West, chairman of the meeting held in September, to call a meeting for November 30th to hear and consider their report.

The Hornpipe Dance to be Repeated. This evening in Saengerbund Hall on Somerset street an entertainment will be given for the benefit of St. Joseph's church. A feature will be the repetition of the "Hornpipe Dance," which was given so successfully at the "Spiel" last week.

Odd Fellow Delegates. Joseph Sheppard, of Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., and Louis DeCamp, of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., went to Trenton today to attend the annual meeting of Odd Fellows to be held at that place.

—Enoch Berry, a mechanic living at Morristown, has at his home a device which, he claims, will revolutionize the motive generating machines of the world.

UNIFICATION OF ITALY.

PROF. WHEELER'S THIRD UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURE.

The Sunny Land of the Fascination For the Student of History, and the Lecturer Brought Out Interesting Points.

In spite of the extraordinarily sudden rainstorm which burst upon the city at about a quarter before eight last night, the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church was well filled with University Extension students, to listen to the lecture on "The Unification of Italy," delivered by Prof. Wheeler, of Yale.

Professor Wheeler began by speaking of the fascination which Italy has for the student of history, and then described her condition during the opening decades of our century, split up into small States or duchies, and under the domination of Austria. "Italy was divided on the map, but she had made up her mind to be one." Everywhere throughout the peninsula there were risings against the despotic rulers, forcing them to grant constitutions and institute reforms. The new Pope, Pius IX, having disappointed the hopes which his early espousal of the popular cause had awakened, the hopes of the Italian patriots were turned to Victor Emmanuel II, King of Piedmont.

Victor Emmanuel's great minister, Count Cavour, had as his single aim and purpose the independence and unification of Italy. The predominance of Austria in the peninsula had long awakened the jealousy of France. Cavour, having made a secret arrangement with Louis Napoleon, gave Austria to understand that unless she ceased to interfere in the affairs of Italy, war would be declared. France drove Austria out of Italy, with the exception of Venice, in the war which followed, and Victor Emmanuel had a population of 9,000,000 added to his subjects. One long step was taken in the way of Italian unity and freedom. A strong Italian kingdom was thus formed, and a firm basis laid for the national organization of the entire peninsula. The Neapolitans and Sicilians now voted almost unanimously for annexation to the kingdom, and in 1866 Venetia also was surrendered by Austria. Rome alone was now lacking to the complete unification of Italy.

Upon the overthrow of the French Monarchy and the establishment of the Republic, Victor Emmanuel was informed that France would no longer sustain the Papal power. The Italian Government at once gave notice to the Pope that Rome would henceforth be considered a portion of the kingdom of Italy, and forthwith an Italian army entered the city, which voted to join itself to the Italian Nation.

The family was now complete. The temporal power of the Pope was at an end, but Rome was the capital of a free and united Italy. In 1871 Victor Emmanuel entered the city and took up his residence there. "Reform and progress have since marked Italian affairs to such an extent that Italy, so recently the prey of foreign sovereigns, of petty native tyrants, and adventurers, is now justly regarded as one of the prominent powers of Europe."

SOCIAL SISTERS PLAYED WHIST.

Miss Jessie Hockridge Entertained—The Prize Winners.

The "Sixteen Social Sisters" whist club was entertained by Miss Jessie Hockridge, at her home on East Fifth street, last evening. The prizes were carried off by Miss Nellie Hockridge and Miss Lulu Young, Miss Hockridge winning first prize. The latter part of the evening was spent in dancing and several piano selections by Miss Mabel Force, also vocal solos by other members of the club. The "Sisters' Club" will next be entertained by Miss Eva Wilkins.

Anxious to Get Out of Town.

George Dwyer, of Bound Brook, was the only prisoner arraigned in the City Court this morning. He was caught stealing a ride upon an east-bound coal train, and when the train reached the North Avenue station, Dwyer was handed over to Policeman Myers by the crew. When arraigned before the Judge upon a charge of disorderly conduct, he was penitent. After treating him to a lecture His Honor suspended sentence, and Dwyer, upon being released, immediately commenced to run over the landscape to get without the city limits.

No Borough School.

The balance of this week will be devoted to the sessions of the Teachers' Institute in Somerset county. The meetings will be held at Somerville, and all of the borough teachers are in attendance. In consequence the borough school will be closed the rest of this week.

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TROLLEY FOR DUNELLEN

BOROUGH COUNCIL RECEIVE AN APPLICATION FOR A FRANCHISE.

Brunswick Traction Company Presented the Petition—Understood There is But One Serious Objection to the Road.

Last evening the Borough Council of Dunellen met for the purpose of receiving a petition from the Brunswick Traction Company asking for the franchise to operate a trolley system through the borough. Every member of the Council was present, and the first business was that of introducing a resolution which provided that the Council proceed at once to accept the petition and take steps toward granting a franchise. This resolution will have to be published for three weeks in the Dunellen Call, after which an ordinance will be drafted and published for five weeks.

In the meantime the Traction Company will endeavor to secure the consents of the property owners along the line which they desire to run. The Councilmen and Mayor seemed to be heartily in favor of the trolley and the resolution introduced last evening was unanimously adopted by them.

As far as can be learned there is little or no objection to the trolley, and so long as the Traction Company will abide by the agreements, which are considered only fair, there is not likely to be any trouble in their securing the right of way through the borough.

TO TALK ON TIMELY TOPICS.

FRIENDS' HALF-YEARLY MEETING.

Evening Session to be Devoted to Temperance With Special Reference to Liquor License in Plainfield.

A philanthropic session of Friends' half-yearly meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the meeting-house, Watchung avenue and Third street, at which a paper will be read by Mariana W. Chapman, of Brooklyn, upon "The Peace Movement in Europe and America."

Robert S. Haviland, of Chappaqua, N. Y., will read a paper upon "Confession Work Among Friends."

An evening session will be held at 8 o'clock to consider the subject of "Temperance," with special reference to the popular vote for or against the licensing of liquor saloons in Plainfield, as provided for by the Common Council, at the approaching municipal election.

Addresses will be delivered by Aaron M. Powell, Robert S. Haviland and others.

The public is cordially invited for both the afternoon and evening meetings.

NO DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

It is Stated That Democrats Will Unite With the Citizens.

It was definitely decided this morning that no regular Democratic ticket would be put in the field for the city election campaign. The following statement was furnished The Press for publication today:

The Democrats of the city of Plainfield deem it inexpedient and unwise to make a party ticket in the coming municipal election. While adhering to our political faith we feel that the best interests of the city should be paramount to partisan interest, and to that end we will not present a party ticket, thereby leaving the field open for a Citizens' movement irrespective of parties. We believe a change in the present administration is necessary for the best interests of our city.

James E. Martine,
Michael Flynn.

ONE RECRUIT MUSTERED.

Business Transacted by John Hand Camp Last Evening.

One recruit was mustered at the meeting of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, held last evening. The fair committee made a report and it is thought that about \$275 will be made as profit from the recent fair. It was announced that at the next meeting, November 30th, the Camp would be inspected. At the same time nomination for officers will be made. A communication was received from the Division officers asking the Camp to contest for a Division banner which is being offered to the Camp that makes the best showing during the year. The by-law committee made a final report and the Camp Council was instructed to have the same printed in pamphlet form.

An Approaching Marriage.

The marriage of Miss Georgia Fountain, daughter of Borough School Commissioner Fountain, of 73 Jackson avenue, to Lawyer Charles J. McNabb, of the firm of Clark & McNabb, of this city, will take place next Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride, at 5 o'clock.

TO FIGHT AT THE POLLS.

DISGRUNTLED REPUBLICANS WILL NOT GO TO SECOND WARD PRIMARY.

Councilman Frost's Opponents Will Let Him Get a Republican Nomination and Then Try to Defeat Him With Their Votes.

Two weeks ago there was every prospect of a lively time at the next Republican primary in the Second ward; now it looks as if the clouds that threatened its peace and quietude had dispersed and all will be unanimous. The Republican leaders had fixed upon Councilman Frost as their nominee for the ward ticket as Councilman and wished to renominate him. There was said to be a decided opposition against Frost on the part of some of the Republicans who were opposed to E. H. Ladd's candidacy last year. It was understood that the primary would be a hot fight when the two factions came together. Who the antagonist of the present Councilman would be was not announced. Now, however, it seems to be understood by those on the inside that the opponents of the present Councilman will not attend the primary at all but will throw their influence with the Citizens' movement. In fact, one of the leaders of this faction has said that it was the wish of his followers that Mr. Frost should be renominated as they considered him easier to defeat than many others whom might be nominated by the Republicans.

The Citizens' movement in the Second ward is going to be a union of forces. The Democrats, the Netherwood contingent and the dissatisfied ones from the G. O. P. ranks have about decided to unite and join issue on this coming election. With unity, they will be undoubtedly a strong power in the ward, but the exact strength will be unknown until more of the voters come out for one side or the other.

Judge Nash, who has been a prominent worker among the Republicans of this ward, will not remain with the party this year. To a Press reporter he said that he utterly refused to take any active part in the coming campaign, although importuned by the leaders of the Citizens' movement, but his sympathies would be with the Citizens' party and that he would give his advice to the counsels of that aggregation of voters. His reason for giving up politics this fall, he says, is on account of his health, which will not permit him any undue excitement. Two years ago nervous prostration resulted from overwork in political lines and he does not fancy a repetition of it.

IT MAY BE MANSLAUGHTER.

Investigation to be Made in Regard to the Death of William Neurowski.

Prosecutor Nelson Y. Dungan, of Somerset county, has ordered an autopsy to be made on the body of William Neurowski, a mill worker, who died at his home in Somerville Sunday night. The physician who attended Neurowski says that his death was caused by fever, while the wife of the dead man charges that he died from a stab wound in the side inflicted by some Poles a few weeks ago.

Neurowski, Chas. Reis, his brother William, Harry Nawak and Henry and Charles Barch, it is alleged, were drinking in a saloon at that time, and a quarrel arose, during which Neurowski was stabbed several times. All were arrested with the exception of Neurowski for assault on him, and were tried in the Somerset County Court. The jury acquitted the accused, regarding the matter in the light of a family row, as it came out that some of the accused men were related to Neurowski.

If the autopsy which Prosecutor Dungan has ordered shows that a stab wound, and not fever, caused the death of Neurowski, the men who were tried and acquitted for assault may be rearrested this time on a charge of manslaughter.

Help for a Western Minister.

The large box that was filled with clothing, canned goods, etc., by the members of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, this morning at the home of Mrs. M. L. Connelly, of Manning avenue, was sent to Rev. Frederick Schaefer, Appleton, Butler county, Ia.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The prayer meeting at the Y. M. C. A. last night in observance of the week of prayer for young men, was well attended considering the stormy weather. Robert Love acted as leader, and all present took part with prayer or testimony. Another meeting of a similar character will be held in the Association building tomorrow night.

In anticipation of the approach of winter, the storm doors have been erected at the Y. M. C. A. building.

Mrs. George Dunham spent today with friends in New York city.

MONEY COMMISSION

Full Report of the Conference Has Reached This Country.

VERY LENGTHY DOCUMENT

Negotiations Fell Through. Notwithstanding the Expressed Willingness of the French Government to Open Its Mints.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The official report of the correspondence in regard to bimetallic proposals of the United States Monetary Commission to the Government of Great Britain, together with the report of the proceedings at the conference of the British Premier, the Secretary of State for India, the First Lord of the Treasury and the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with the French ambassador and our commissioners, has reached this country.

The negotiations fell through notwithstanding the expressed willingness of the French Government to open its mints, owing to the rejection by the British Government of the proposition to again open the Indian mints to free coinage of silver. None of the other propositions was replied to because that one, the most important of the concessions requested of Great Britain, could not be conceded to.

The Government of Great Britain, in making her answer, deferred to the wishes of the Government of India, to which the proposal was referred, and the reply of the Government of India, therefore, is the most important communication in the correspondence. It is a lengthy document, in which the advantages, pro and con, to India are argued, and a very strong case from their standpoint is made out in favor of the rejection of the proposal.

BANK WRECKING LEADS TO RIOTING

A Mob at English, Ind., Waiting for a Fugitive Banker's Return.

Indianapolis, Nov. 17.—The excitement at English, Crawford County, was intense yesterday, and the town has been patrolled by fifty extra deputy sheriffs. The excitement grows out of the bank failures there and at Leavenworth and Marquette last week. The operations of President Weather's and Cashier Willett wrecked the three institutions and involved every business man in the two counties of Perry and Crawford.

Monday, after a partial investigation, the liabilities of the three institutions were roughly estimated at \$160,000, with the personal indebtedness of the two men something in excess of that amount, and word was received that Weather, who has been in hiding in Harrison County, was willing to return if protection were guaranteed. He said that he would settle up the affairs of the banks, and guarantee to pay seventy-five cents on the dollar. He was invited to return.

When the creditors heard of his intended return they began to assemble upon the streets, and by 10 o'clock Monday night English was in the hands of a mob. The angry men paraded the streets all night, and yesterday morning Sheriff Ballard tried to disperse them, but he was answered only by shouts of defiance. He then swore in a number of deputies, but the latter are in sympathy with the people and refused to do anything till a movement was made to demolish the brick building in which the bank's fixtures and a small amount of cash remain. This was prevented, and the Sheriff left for Harrison County to bring Weather back, leaving the town in charge of a deputy.

Some twenty of Weather's friends accompanied the Sheriff, and a crowd is now awaiting their return. It is not believed that Sheriff Ballard will dare to bring back the bank president, but if he does trouble is expected.

South Carolina Stirred Up.
Columbia, S. C., Nov. 17.—The State is stirred up over the recent murder of the Rev. J. H. Turner of Spartanburg, by Chief State Constable Newbold, and the subsequent events. Newbold escaped from Spartanburg when the killing occurred, last Wednesday. On Saturday the Governor offered a reward for his delivery to the Sheriff of Spartanburg. Since that time the police here have evidence that Newbold is in Columbia, that he was driven here by a friend from Winnsboro, and that he delivered himself to Gov. Elbert on condition that he would not be sent to Spartanburg till danger of lynching subsided. The Governor refused to talk. Some people think that Newbold was in hiding in the Governor's mansion.

New German Ambassador.
New York, Nov. 17.—Dr. Theodore von Holleben, the new German Ambassador to the United States, arrived yesterday on the North German Lloyd steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, and proceeded to Washington. The Ambassador's face is much scarred with the marks made by the swords of young men with whom he fought duels in the days when he was a student. He was formerly in the diplomatic service in China and Japan. He has traveled in many parts of the earth and speaks several languages.

Esterhazy the Man.
Paris, Nov. 17.—M. Mathieu Dreyfus, brother of Capt. Alfred Dreyfus, who is now serving a sentence of life imprisonment under conviction by a court martial of having betrayed Government secrets to a foreign Government, has addressed a letter to Gen. Billot, Minister of War, accusing Count Walsingham Esterhazy of the crime of which Capt. Dreyfus was made the victim.

Count Esterhazy is a retired commander of the French army, and is now living in Italy.

His Umbrella Brought Death.
Philadelphia, Nov. 17.—Harry Potter, a negro, 37 years old, was looking in a store window last night at 1706 South street. He held an umbrella with steel rod in it over his head. Above him was an electric light.

The end of the umbrella rod touched the iron frame of the lamp and a current of electricity passed through his body to the iron covering of a coal shaft in the sidewalk, killing him instantly.

Bank in Colorado Closes.
Delta, Col., Nov. 17.—The Delta County Bank has closed its doors. The capital stock of the bank is \$50,000.

SETTLED AT A FEA. CO. T.

The Bribery Case Against Van Valkenburg Dropped.

Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 17.—A settlement was reached yesterday in the case of F. A. Van Valkenburg, who was charged with bribing Representative Weiss, of Northampton County, to vote for John Wanamaker for United States Senator last Winter. In making the settlement \$1,516.12 was handed over to the District Attorney in payment of the local court costs. The defendant and some of his principal witnesses and attorneys were present in court, and so were the District Attorney, Detective McWeeney and the local attorney of the prosecution. These court costs are only a small part of the entire bill of expenses. The money to pay them was furnished by the private secretary of one of Pennsylvania's leading Congressmen, a man very close to Senator Quay.

When Quay came home from Florida in September on his first visit to Philadelphia he met Secretary of the Commonwealth Martin, and among other points he insisted that Martin must have the Van Valkenburg case nolle prossed. Martin said that he had no connection with the case, and that anyhow the question of a settlement would rest with the prosecution; that the Quay people were the prosecutors; that the defendant insisted on a trial, and that the only way to reach the defendant was by going over his head to Thomas Dolan. The pressure for a settlement of the case was very strong, and the big independent vote for Swallow scared the leaders of the warring factions into an agreement that the case must positively be settled. As further disclosures of shady political transactions would result in the positive defeat of the Republican ticket next year, not only the candidate for Governor, but many of the statesmen of the State joined in the demand for a settlement.

The next question was, where was the money to come from, as it would require fully forty thousand dollars to pay all the detective and legal costs of both sides. The Quay people went to State Republican headquarters and wanted this to be made a State campaign debt, but the managers would not consent to this, because they had not enough money to run the campaign for themselves and were many thousands of dollars in debt. Congressman Connell, of Scranton, it has been repeatedly said and never denied, was willing to liquidate all indebtedness on consideration of his being made the next gubernatorial candidate. Finally it was decided that Quay should take care of the prosecution expenditures, and that Connell would pay the legitimate court costs. The Quay people are said to have paid, before this talk of settlement, nearly twenty thousand dollars to the detective agency that was used to try and entrap the Wanamaker people. In making the final settlement the Quay people said that they would take care of the detectives and attorneys, while Connell was to pay the rest of the bill, but Connell did not get any promise of the gubernatorial nomination.

The court costs run about fifteen hundred dollars, the detective agency's bill all told nearly thirty thousand dollars, and the attorneys' fees for the defense will run close onto ten thousand dollars, the principal counsel getting \$5,000, while the others get fees ranging from three hundred to one thousand dollars. There were eight lawyers in all acting for the defense. Of the prosecution, the leading lawyer, Mr. Lenahan, of Wilkesbarre, gets his fee out of the money paid to the detectives, and the detectives also paid the local attorneys for the prosecution.

KANSAS WILL FEED OUR POOR.

Farmers Will Spend Thanksgiving Killing Jack Rabbits.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 17.—Thanksgiving in western Kansas will be observed this year in a practical way. That entire country is swarming with jack rabbits, and farmers, to protect their young orchards, are anxious to get rid of them. Several counties offer a bounty of three cents a scalp on all that are killed.

Gov. Leedy's Thanksgiving proclamation suggested a way out, and to-day he was informed that the people in several of the jack-rabbit counties would devote the day to killing these pests, load them into the cars, and ship them to the poor of Chicago. New York. Jack-rabbit people is going to eat, and in this way, west Kansans say, they can render a valuable service to this section, and at the same time supply many poor hungry children in the big cities with strengthening food.

Convict Leases to Continue.

Atlanta, Nov. 17.—Unless present indications are trustworthy the old convict-lease system will be re-enacted in Georgia. The shocking disclosures of brutality in the camps a few months ago made it seem probable that reform legislation would be passed, but the present General Assembly, by several test votes, has demonstrated its opposition to the bill presented. An amendment to the reform bill was introduced yesterday providing for a return to the old system, and it will probably prevail.

Bear to Sail on Nov. 23.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The revenue cutter Bear will sail from Seattle on Nov. 23 on her trip to the North Pacific in aid of the imprisoned whalers off Point Barrow. Lieut. Dodge, of the Dexter, who has been selected to accompany the overland expedition from Norton Sound, or wherever it lands, to Point Barrow, will be compelled to leave New York to-day, on less than two days' notice, if he would make sure of reaching Seattle in time to leave on the Bear.

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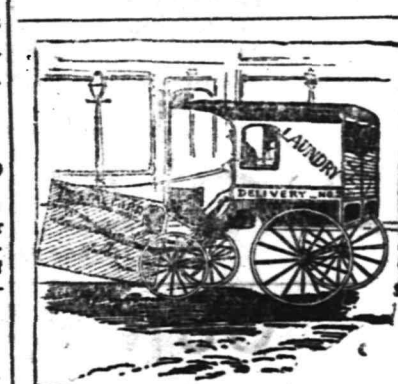
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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.
—Messrs. Doud, sons of Thomas Doud, of the borough, started the work of laying water pipes at Lincoln yesterday, for which they have the contract.

—The annual meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow evening. It will be a public meeting, and all interested are cordially invited.

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Mrs. Harry Becker, of Somerset street, is seriously ill at her home. Dr. Adams is in attendance.

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It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bowden, of the south, recently moved to Plainfield, where they are doing missionary work. Mr. Bowden is now preaching at Neshaun.

How to Cure Bilious Colic.
I suffered for weeks with colic and pains in my stomach caused by biliousness and had to take medicine all the while until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured me. I have since recommended it to a good many people. Mrs. F. Butler, Fairhaven, Conn. Persons who are subject to bilious colic can ward off the attack by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms appear. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner North and Park avenues.

William VanDeventer, of East Fifth street, is somewhat improved from his severe illness.

Household Goods.
The ancient Greeks believed that the Genates were the gods who attended to the welfare and prosperity of the family. They were worshipped as household gods in every home. The household god of today is Dr. King's New Discovery. For consumption, coughs, colds and for all affections of Throat, Chest and Lungs it is invaluable. It has been tried for a quarter of a century and is guaranteed to cure, or money returned. No household should be without this good angel. It is pleasant to take and a safe and sure remedy for old and young. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.

Patrolman Freleigh is confined to his home on West Fourth street with rheumatism.

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of croup. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros. of that place, and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of croup. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Mabelle Smith, of Westervelt avenue, has returned after a visit with relatives at Glen Cove, L. I.

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GART R THE CLEW.
The Body Found in the Hartford Reservoir Identified.

Hartford, Ct., Nov. 17.—The mystery surrounding the body of a handsome woman, richly dressed, which was found floating in the Garden street reservoir, has been partially solved. The unfortunate woman was Miss Alice I. Patton, residing on Capitol avenue, one of the most fashionable streets in this city. Whether her death was the result of murder or suicide is a question, and though the police say suicide they are evidently in doubt.

Though 40 years of age, Miss Patton was strikingly beautiful, and the fact that she had never married has for years caused no end of gossip in well circles.

Her beauty and her money, gossips said, were amply sufficient to attract scores of suitors, and many tales of a broken heart, long, long ago, have been freely discussed by almost every one who knew the woman who killed herself.

To all outward appearances Miss Patton had all that she could wish for. She was always full of life when with her friends, who were counted by scores, though some of these friends who knew her best intimated that she was not always as happy as she seemed to be.

Shortly before noon Monday Police-man Harris found her body floating in the reservoir. It was removed to the police station by order of the Coroner.

Most of the clothing was new and stylish, but there were no marks upon it which told of her identity. In fact, the only thing the police had to work upon was a heart-shaped garter buckle, with a monogram marked "A. P."

Subsequently a bag containing a pair of gloves, bought in New Britain; some silver money and a package, was found near the reservoir. Miss Patton usually carried a well-filled purse.

Detectives were sent out on the case, and finally yesterday identified the woman by the heart-shaped garter buckle, which was recognized by one of the servants at the late home of the suicide.

CUT UP ALIVE!
A Strange Story Reaches Ambassador Hay in London.

London, Nov. 17.—The American Embassy here is having some trouble in investigating a strange story of the alleged kidnapping of an American citizen, which, despite its improbability, compels inquiry. A respectable man, describing himself as John Garner, a schoolmaster, of Harrow road, brought to the Embassy yesterday a letter addressed to the American Ambassador and superscribed: "Will the finder deliver immediately, for God's sake?"

Mr. Garner said that he found the letter on the sidewalk in Harley street, which is mainly occupied by leading physicians. He knew nothing further about it.

Ambassador Hay opened the letter and found a lucid narrative, which was signed by Henry S. Clay. It declared that the writer was a resident of Boston, and that he had been decoyed some days ago into the house of a prominent physician, who is an ardent vivisectionist. Since his entry into the house he had been confined in a garret. A little food had been given to him, but opiates had been mixed with it. The writer said he was convinced that his captor intended to perform an operation on him, and he implored the ambassador to procure his release. The conclusion he said that he would throw the letter from a window in the hope that some one would find it and deliver it to Col. Hay.

The Ambassador was entirely incredulous concerning the truth of the story, but he nevertheless summoned Detective Frost, of Scotland Yard, who, with several assistants, has since been investigating the matter, thus far without success.

A Vivisectionist Fake.
London, Nov. 17.—The officials of the United States Embassy say that the story of the alleged kidnapping of "Henry S. Clay, of Boston, Mass.," by a "prominent physician who is an ardent vivisectionist," is a pure invention.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Prominent women have started a movement for a national university in Washington.

Resolutions in favor of Statehood for Oklahoma have been adopted by the Territorial Association.

The schooner Janet A. was wrecked off Fox Island, N. B., and three lives are known to have been lost.

It is reported in London that a movement for the annexation of the West Indies to the United States was in contemplation.

Justice Corliss, of the North Dakota Supreme Court, says that one of the men hung by lynchers at Williamsport was innocent.

Civil Service Test Case.
Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 17.—Maj. W. H. Smythe, the newly-appointed Postmaster, assumed the duties of his office yesterday afternoon, and informed Maj. Couper, the assistant postmaster, that E. F. Blodgett, a Republican, had been appointed in his place. Maj. Couper refused to retire, asserting that he was protected by the Civil Service law.

The new postmaster insisted. Couper went before the United States Court and obtained an injunction restraining Maj. Smythe from installing Blodgett until the Civil Service Commission renders an opinion.

THORN'S SAW IS FOUND

Imbedded in the Ground Near Where Mrs. Nack Indicated.

RESULT OF SUNDAY'S RIDE

The Instrument With Which Guldensuppe's Bones Were Disintegrated Found Near the Spot Pointed Out by Mrs. Nack.

New York, Nov. 17.—The saw with which Mrs. Augusta Nack says Martin Thorn severed the bones of William Guldensuppe's body in the Woodside cottage, was found yesterday within one hundred feet of where the woman said it was thrown by Thorn.

The saw was found at the bottom of an elevation known as College Point Hill and known also as Stratton's Hill. This place is about a mile outside of Flushing, on the way to College Point.

The find was made by Anton Tastenski, a Pole, who was working in the employ of District Attorney Youngs. Tastenski had swung a scythe vigorously over the ground in the neighborhood from early Monday morning until nightfall, mowing down the meadow grass and underbrush with which it was covered and had started in again at daylight yesterday morning by direction of the District Attorney. A little before 10 o'clock the point of the scythe struck an obstacle only a little above the surface of the ground, which stubbornly impeded its motion. Tastenski found the end of the steel blade firmly imbedded in the wooden handle of a saw, and immediately notified the District Attorney of his find by telephone.

Police Captain William Methven was dispatched to secure the new link in the chain of evidence, and at a little before noon he returned to Youngs' office with the trophy. The blade of the saw had been buried in the earth, being pressed down vertically and only a small part of the handle being left exposed. It is a brand new saw and very fine, and is similar to those generally used by surgeons in sawing bones. It is partly covered with rust, but there were no blood stains on it.

Result of the Search in the Coach.

After Mrs. Nack's dramatic recital of details of the murder of Guldensuppe in court last week, District Attorney Youngs had a long talk with her in her cell, and while he was reticent about the result of the conference, it is said that it was productive of revelations which might prove valuable in completing the chain of evidence needed to corroborate Mrs. Nack's confession. It is certain that early on Sunday morning the woman was taken away from the prison in a coach, in which rode also the District Attorney, Capt. Methven and Detective Denis Sullivan, of the District Attorney's staff. The object of the trip was to give Mrs. Nack an opportunity to point out the spot where she said Thorn had hidden the saw.

Mrs. Nack gave the directions to the driver of the coach, but for a long time the search was fruitless. The route was changed, after further questioning, and when the point above named, where the saw was found yesterday, was reached, she indicated it to the District Attorney. The ground is of a marshy character, and was at that time so covered by meadow grass and underbrush as to render the search the party was able then to make necessarily inadequate.

District Attorney Youngs was not satisfied, and while his faith in the woman's story was not shaken, he decided upon the measures which have since resulted in the finding of the saw. That the instrument was imbedded in the earth, within one hundred feet of where Thorn's accomplice declared it to be, is regarded as strong proof of the genuineness of her pretensions to knowledge of its whereabouts, for she is admittedly unfamiliar with the territory.

New Search for Guldensuppe's Head.

It is said that still further efforts to discover the head of the murdered man will be made by the authorities between now and next Monday. This will be done with the aid of information furnished to the District Attorney by Mrs. Nack. On the witness stand the latter made the statement that Thorn had thrown the head containing the head from a ferryboat during a trip across the river. Mrs. Nack here again pleaded her ignorance of the ground over which she traveled with Thorn, declaring that she could not tell by what ferry line the couple went to New York. The programme now is to take her from the jail in the custody of officers and traverse the route over which she and Thorn probably passed when the head was disposed of.

Man and the Mastodon.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 17.—A committee from Kentucky University has returned from Blue Lick Springs, where it went to examine the bones of a mastodon which was recently unearthed there. The remains of an old roadway well paved with stone were found many feet below the surface of the earth, and below the stratum of gravel in which the mastodon bones were found. The committee believes that the workmen who are excavating there are on the eve of important discoveries, which will show this country to have been inhabited by an enlightened people at a time when mastodons roamed the forests.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.
Fair Tonight; Partly Cloudy Thursday; Low Temperature Tonight; Slightly Warmer Thursday.
At 3 o'clock the Thermometer at Loggett's Pharmacy Registered 44 Degrees.

Instead of bothering themselves and other people exploiting prudish notions in this modern age, the progressive women of Newark, represented in the Women's Municipal Improvement Association, have turned their attention to more practical objects, the undertaking and accomplishment of which merits commendation at the very start. Their plan is to use their endeavors in keeping the streets of Newark in better condition than they are now, and to that end they have invoked a definite and systematic plan of action.

It is statistically related that since the establishment of the Pekin Gazette 1,800 Chinese editors of that paper have lost their heads. A Chicago humorist remarks that "With us one editor has been known to lose his head 1,800 times, which is a great saving of raw material as compared with the Chinese system." The humorist must have been reading Editor Runyon's paper.

Fatal accidents to hunters are very numerous just now, the deadly coal gas is beginning to get in its work again and thin ice will soon be here, writes an observing man.

The ears of the regular Republicans ought to burn all the time now—there is enough talk about them.

The weather came in over the F. R. & F. line yesterday—fog, rain and frost.

These are fattening days for the turkey.

ILLNESS LAID TO BICYCLING.

Aged Former Judge Alward in a Critical Condition at His Elizabeth Home.

Former Judge Joseph Alward, the oldest member but one of the Union County Bar, is lying very low at his home in Elizabeth, and his recovery is not expected. He has heart trouble, brought on, it is said, by riding the bicycle for the past six months.

Lawyer Alward is seventy years of age and was the first Judge of the Elizabeth District Court. He also served as a member of the Elizabeth City Council, was City Attorney and also Superintendent of Public Schools. He is one of the deacons of the First Presbyterian church, and in politics has always been a Democrat. He has been a member of the Union County Bar over forty years. Thomas Shafer, of Rahway, is the only member who antedates him.

WILD ENGINE'S RAPID RUN.

Out Loose from Train by Collision, It Sped at Fifty Miles an Hour.

There was another accident on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, at Landsdown, Monday evening. The fast east bound freight struck east bound passenger train No. 50, knocking the engine loose from the train.

The engineer could not control his engine and, with the firemen, escaped injury by jumping. Word was quickly telegraphed along the line to look out for the runaway engine. It soon reached the rate of about fifty miles an hour, but by the time it reached Flemington Junction its speed had been greatly reduced, so that it was only running at about thirty miles an hour.

The engine was derailed near Neshaun, where it lies, badly wrecked. No one was injured. Traffic was delayed for a short time.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

Justice Newcorn yesterday issued summons in the following cases on contract: William C. Boone against Patrick Loughlin, T. H. Tomlinson against James Dawe, Tomlinson against Peter McDonough, J. Sternberg against John Ward, William C. Boone against Charles Lewis, Boone against John Whitehead, J. Sternberg against Robert Wood, Marc L. Clawson against R. Wood, Clawson against J. Pike, Clawson against M. Finnerly, Clawson against Edgar McCray, and Clawson against Frederick Mills. The cases will all be tried on Friday, the 26th.

The Thursday Night Euchre Club will hold its first meeting of the season at the home of Miss Mabelle Force, on Watchung avenue, tomorrow evening.

JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Rogers will sell oysters for turkey dressing next week for 30 cents a quart.

—A meeting of Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will be held this evening.

—Articles lost at the Spielkartenfest can be secured this week only at Hall's pharmacy.

—Thomas Doud, of the borough, has just completed the laying of 300 feet of gas pipe at Linden.

—Former Judge W. A. Coddington has moved from the City Hotel to his house on East Second street.

—Questions of interest to business men will be answered at the meeting at the Congregational church this evening.

—Edward Campbell, of Park avenue, has captured the raccoon "Corbett" that escaped from him nearly a year ago.

—A special rehearsal of Grace P. E. church choir will be held this evening to practice Thanksgiving Day music.

—Cards containing all the game laws of the State of New Jersey can be had at the office of this paper for the asking.

—There will be two propositions to be acted upon at the meeting of Queen City Lodge of Odd Fellows next Monday evening.

—Rev. Arthur Crane, of this city, is now holding successful revival meetings in the 50th Baptist church, Philadelphia.

—A sociable will be given by the Women's Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-Day Baptist church in the church parlors this evening.

—The large show window in front of MacDonald's grocery store presented a beautiful appearance yesterday, filled with vegetables and fruits.

—There will be no session at the Plainfield public schools Friday. The Union County Teachers' convention will be held at Elizabeth Friday and Saturday.

—Iona Council, Degree of Pocahontas, will give an entertainment and dance in Red Men's Hall, West Front street, this evening. The music will be furnished by O'Reilly.

—At the Palace shoe store hand-made worsted shoes for the babies. An excellent house shoe for these cold days. Every baby should have a pair. Soft, warm and comfortable.

—The Slape house, purchased by the city, has at last been placed on the new foundations in the rear of the City Industrial Home, and will now be made ready for occupancy.

—The American Sheet Iron Works at Phillipsburg, which have been idle since last spring on account of a strike, resumed operations yesterday, the employees having agreed to return at a slight advance in wages.

—Miss Jennie Rose, an accomplished young woman, has charge of an exhibit of the American Brand Extract of Beef at Randolph's pharmacy this week, and she will dispense this delightful beverage free to all who call.

—There was a strange coincidence regarding the breaking of the large plate glass window in Armstrong's pharmacy which has just been replaced. The glass was insured up to a day a month ago at noon. At 5 o'clock of that same day the glass was broken through an accident.

—A bright, well-dressed, smooth-tongued man thoroughly canvassed Glassboro about four weeks ago and took many orders for pounds of tea at 60 cents a pound. His great attraction was a fine eight day clock which was to be delivered subsequently. The purchasers, still looking for their clocks, have just begun to realize that they were victimized.

—This evening in the rooms over the Misses Gorsline's store on West Front street, the members of Class No. 1, of Trinity Reformed church Sunday school, will serve a delightful Klondike supper to their friends for twenty-five cents. The object is to raise funds to furnish the new Sunday school rooms, and the supper should be well patronized.

—In the accounts of the Spielkartenfest, The Press neglected to give more than passing notice to the orchestra, which was furnished by George Rogers, of this city. It was very satisfactory to all and received much commendation for the excellent manner in which the different selections were rendered. Mr. Rogers proved himself a good leader and he was ably assisted by competent artists.

Weak Nerves indicate deficient blood. Nervous people find relief by purifying and enriching their blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great nerve tonic.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Ernest Swartz, of Crescent avenue, has gone to Washington to join his parents.

Mrs. Edward F. Randolph, of West Front street, is entertaining company from out of town.

Miss Sadie Rockefeller, of West Front street, has returned from a visit at Bridgeport, Conn.

William Day, of the First National Bank, spent yesterday in Somerset county hunting game.

F. L. C. Martin, the bicycle dealer, has gone to Westfield, Mass., to visit the Cleveland bicycle factory.

Alexander Sergeant went to Trenton, yesterday, as delegate from Noah Dove Encampment, I. O. O. F., to the Grand Encampment which was held in that city.

George Condit, lieutenant of the cadet corps at the Montclair Military Academy, was the guest of his school chum, George F. Coard, of the Revere House, for over Sunday.

Mrs. John Kitchen, of Somerset street, was suddenly stricken with oedema of the lungs Saturday evening, and for a time it seemed as though the attack would prove fatal. Dr. Jenkins was summoned and succeeded in stopping the progress of the disease. Today she is much improved.

Good cake can be made in half a dozen ways; the best cake only by using Cleveland's baking powder.

If you can make good cake, you are the one to appreciate Cleveland's baking powder.

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Mrs. Ida Hunt and daughter, wife of Prof. Fred M. Hunt, of Spring Lake, returned home Monday, after spending a few days with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ira G. Hulbert, of West Front street.

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\$12,000 Worth of Clothing for Men and Boys.

consisting of suits, overcoats and trousers, now being sold at 33c on the dollar. A great purchase and a great sale of the entire stock of a very widely known clothing manufacturer. Cash is King, and the money on the table enables us to sell this extraordinary purchase at less than 33c on the dollar. This sale would prove the greatest sensation of the day if maker's name could be published, but owing to the fact that nearly every retailer of prominence has a stock on hand from these manufacturers, the latter to protect the former, stipulated that their name must not appear in advertisements. The name, however, appears on every garment, which is an absolute guarantee of perfect satisfaction.

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A refined and refreshing entertainment. See the big street parade at 11:45.

Prices.....25, 35, 50 and 75c.

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as dramatized by Frank Mayo. The original supporting company of high-class players with MR. EDWIN MAYO in the title role. A play that has taken its place among the classics, enlivened with

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We have just received our new

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Ladies' Kersey Jackets, a fine grade in black only, at.....\$3.75
Plain black Beaver Coats, box front, half silk lined at.....5.00
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Black Cloth Capes, full sweep, the \$3.50 grade, at.....2.98
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15 inch 19c.	16 inch 25c.	17 inch 29c.
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Fire shovels, short handle, 3c Fire shovel, very long handle, 10c. Fire Shovel, nickel plated 15c. Hard wood ash sieves, all sizes, 10c. All wire Barrel sieves, 19c. Stove lifters 3c. Pokers 3c. Kindly compare prices. Our line of lamps is worthy of inspection

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and terse observations gathered by alert from reporters to be perused at the supper table at your leisure DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mr. Apgar was the guest of friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Mrs. J. Y. Wilson is entertaining company from Rhode Island.

Miss L. Hunt has been entertaining friends from New York.

Mrs. Mundy, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with borough friends.

Jacob Johnson captured four rabbits on a hunting trip yesterday.

Mr. Marsh, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

Mr. Jennings is erecting a large barn on his property on Front street.

Mrs. Ann Dunham, after a long illness, was able to go out yesterday for the first.

An informal dance will be given at the home of Arthur Vail tomorrow evening.

Harry Pangborn, of North Plainfield, was in the borough on business yesterday.

Randolph Runyon, who has been quite ill, was able to go out for a short time yesterday.

A business meeting of the Building and Loan Association will be held tomorrow evening.

A new stained-glass window was placed in the Presbyterian church yesterday by a man from Westfield.

There is a possibility that commencing with next Friday evening a series of revival meetings will be held in the borough and New Market.

The entertainment to be given in Friendship Hall next month, by the members of the Ladies' Orchestra, will be one of the best ever given by the women.

Charles H. Hand, of Plainfield, has sold to Dr. W. J. Nelson, of New Market, a desirable piece of property on Prospect avenue, Dunellen, upon which a house will be erected.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Sara Drake is ill at her home on Westfield avenue.

Harry Flannery is now able to be out after his recent severe illness.

The Knights of Pythias hold a meeting in the lodge rooms tomorrow night.

At the meeting of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, held in Excelsior Hall Monday evening, the question of the purchase of a fire engine by the company was discussed, and a report was received from the committee appointed by the company at its last meeting to investigate the subject. No definite action was taken, however, and the committee was instructed to bring in another report at the next meeting. The action of the company in the matter is in response to a feeling in the township that better fire protection is needed than can be afforded by the Hook and Ladder truck, which now composes the entire fire apparatus of the village.

Advisory Committee Elected.

An advisory committee, according to the provisions of the new constitution of the Plainfield High School Athletic Association, was elected at a meeting of the association held yesterday afternoon. Carroll L. Runyon, president of the association, presided. Prof. A. E. Meredith was elected as the faculty member of the advisory committee, and Thomas A. Cumming and Charles Burdette Moore as the alumni members of the committee.

Blocked the Trolley.

A wagon belonging to Rushmore & Co., the lumber dealers, and laden with shingles, was passing along Fourth street, between Park and Watchung avenues, late yesterday afternoon, when the load toppled over and fell across the trolley tracks. It took some little time to remove the shingles, and until this was accomplished the trolley line was blocked effectually.

Pythians to Pay a Visit.

A delegation from Perseverance Lodge, 74, K. of P., will be the guests of Ashton Lodge, 178, of New York, tomorrow night. The members will take the 6:40 express in place of the 7:00, as first intended.

The work on the Watchung avenue bridge was resumed yesterday.

WESTFIELD

SPRING STREET FRACAS.

LANDLORD AND TENANT COME TO BLOWS.

The Latter Was Worsted and Camped Out of Doors—Death of Bernard Williams—Court News and Other Items.

A lively fracas occurred between a landlord and tenant on Spring street, last evening. Mrs. Mary Holmes rented a house some time ago of Julia Kane and got in arrears for her rent. Yesterday she decided to vacate the house, but Mrs. Kane would not at first allow her to remove the furniture until the rent was paid. Mrs. Holmes sought a Justice to obtain relief. While she was gone her landlord experienced a change of heart and began removing the furniture to the side walk. Mrs. Holmes returned as it was growing dark and found her chattels standing on the sidewalk in the rain. In this unexpected plight she changed her mind and attempted to move her furniture back into the house. The two women came to hot words and then to blows, and Constable Marsh had to be summoned to quell the disturbance. The tenant was not able to regain possession of the house, however, and kept a lonely vigil over her furniture throughout the night. Both parties declare that they will carry the matter to the courts.

Justice Collins yesterday issued a summons in the contract case of Dr. Theodore Smith, of Westfield, against Daniel M. Anderson, of Springfield, and Dayton Baldwin, of New Providence. The trouble arose over a horse trade, the plaintiff claiming that the defendants violated their agreement. The case will be heard next Wednesday.

The Westfield Club football team, the champions of this year's Journal Trophy League, will play the last game in the league series Saturday with the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. team, on the North Broad street grounds, Westfield.

Thieves forced an entrance to the barn of Charles H. French Monday night and stole thirty heads of cabbage and other produce which was stored there. The deed was not discovered until yesterday morning.

Bernard Williams, an employee at the Westfield Hotel, died suddenly of rheumatism of the heart at his home in Tottenville, Staten Island, Monday.

Fred P. Condit, of Elm street, is now employed in the office of the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, in New York city.

William Winter has lost one of a flock of valuable homing pigeons which he recently imported from Venezuela.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The I. O. S. will hold its monthly meeting at the residence of Walter I. Neale, on Park street, tomorrow evening.

The Westfield Building and Loan Association held a meeting in the Public Library rooms last evening.

L. E. Nichols, a former resident of Westfield, has opened a barber shop at Garwood.

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., meets in its lodge rooms tonight.

Charles Kimball, of Cumberland street, is on the sick list.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

A meeting of the city Republican executive committee will be held this evening.

George Hoffman will shortly remove his barber shop from Liberty street to Grant avenue.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a meeting Friday, November 19th, from 2 until 5 o'clock p. m.

The War Department requests Senator Sewell to furnish the name for the new fortification at Finn's Point, Salem county. It must be the name of some distinguished soldier of this State.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet at the W. C. T. U. rooms, corner of Fourth street and Watchung avenue, for prayer and praise tomorrow at 7:45 p. m. All are invited.

If your eyesight is defective the correct spectacles may open to you a new world. We will tell you without charge whether glasses will improve your vision. Leech, Stiles & Co., will be at 107 East Front street every Thursday.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal. This cold left me with a cough and I was expectorating all the time. The Remedy cured me, and I want all of my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do them good. Sold by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner of Park and North avenues.

Mr. N. N. Osburn, well-known at Woodstock, Mich., was troubled with a lame back. He was persuaded to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It gave him relief in one night. This remedy is also famous for its cures of rheumatism. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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THEATRICAL.

For November 8th, the management of Music Hall have a real novelty to offer to their patrons, when the rollicking, roaring musical comedy "A Trip to Coontown" will be seen for the first time in Plainfield. Cole and Johnson, the well-known authors, comedian and producers, who were the stars of Black Patti's Troubadours last season, have written this clever farce, and have surrounded themselves with the very best colored talent available. From curtain to curtain the audience is compelled to yell, roar and scream at the many ludicrous situations that occur with amazing frequency. Interspersed through the comedy are many original features in songs, dances and clever specialties.

"October is one of the peculiarly dangerous months in which to speculate in stocks. The others are July, January, September, April, November, May, March, June, December, August and February," says Pudd'nhead Wilson. The months in which it will please you to meet "Pudd'nhead Wilson" are twelve in number, beginning with January and ending with December. "The Latch String is Always Out" at Dawson's Landing, Missouri, and the folks Mark Twain has introduced to the world as citizens of that village on the Mississippi, and who Edwin Mayo and his excellent company of players will make you personally acquainted with, will be as glad to see you as you will be to see them. The coming of this play with its Missouri flavor will no doubt make its appearance at Music Hall Saturday night one of the most enjoyable theatrical events of the season.

Hoyt's "A Stranger in New York," having passed its fiftieth performance at the Garrick Theatre, has now been transferred to Mr. Hoyt's own playhouse, called "Hoyt's," the scene of the long run of "A Trip to Chinatown," which Messrs. Hoyt and McKee say the new piece will eclipse. As "A Trip to Chinatown" made the greatest hit since Dixey in "Adonia," "A Stranger in New York" has a long career in store at Hoyt and McKee's home theatre. The mirth provoking complications of the jolly people involved, who go to the French ball and entertain there Harry Conner as the Stranger, are among the most ingenious the author of "A Milk White Flag" and "A Black Sheep" has yet devised. The cast is really brilliant in its personalities. There is, as has been mentioned, Harry Conner, the funniest farceur on the stage today. Then there is Sadie Martinot, the French heroine of comic opera comedy, and in fact of almost every kind of theatrical output. Harry Gilfoil has made a hit. There are many other well known comedians of the Hoyt school in this piece.

Hotel Man Dead.

C. A. Moore, aged fifty-three years, proprietor of the Washington House, at Basking Ridge, died last week after an illness of about six weeks. Mr. Moore was stricken with apoplexy about six weeks ago. He had nearly recovered from that stroke and was able to sit up in his room when he was taken with another stroke and died in about five hours. Mr. Moore was an active member of the Masons, Knights Templar, and of several other orders. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at his late home.

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TELEPHONE CALL 109.

Lawyer Powers was called to Trenton today on business.

W. H. Burke, who was visiting Miss Kitty Muldowney, of West Third street, has returned home.

Mrs. Lewis B. Doane and her son, L. B. Doane, Jr., of Cape Cod, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Taylor, of Fairview avenue.

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These values should interest you. Children's fast black double sole and knee hose, usual price 12c pair, sizes 5 to 9.

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25 doz. Empire night-ropes, handsomely trimmed, real value \$1.

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100 dozen all linen dinner napkins, real value \$1.50 dozen.

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A rare chance for good linen. 500 yards of 72-in. cream damask, usual price 60c.

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ENTOMBED 13 DAYS.**THE PLUCKY FIGHT FOR LIFE OF MINER STEVENS.****His Rescuers Dug Through 127 Feet of Rock to Save Him—He Tapped with His Hammer Now and Then to Let the Boys Know He Was There.**

A remarkable instance of physical endurance has been brought to notice in Arizona, where a miner was entombed for thirteen days in the Mammoth mine by a cave-in, and his rescuers dug through 127 feet of hard porphyritic rock to save his life. James Stevens, the miner, stopped in Denver on his way to his family in Central City, and told his story. Stevens is a man of medium size. An Englishman by birth, he has lived in the mines of Colorado for eighteen years, during which time his habits were of the most regular nature. It was due to his pluck and his sturdy constitution that he survived the ordeal of existing in a narrow drift underground without food or water in dense darkness for thirteen days. Men have survived a longer fast than that he was forced to undergo, but not under such discouraging conditions.

"I am feeling pretty well now," he said, "though kind of weak here"—rubbing his hand across his stomach—"and my legs are still shaky. I've quit gaining in flesh now, though I still lack ten or twelve pounds of weighing what I did before the cave-in. But you should have seen me grow the first days after I was out. I could feel the flesh coming on just the same as I felt it leaving me in the mine. I weighed 156 pounds before, and when they pulled me out I weighed only 112 pounds. I lost that weight in just thirteen days and ten hours."

"When I went to work on Sunday night, the old timbers in the worked-out portion of the mine were creaking at a great rate and the dirt was flying. That was nothing unusual, for it had been going on for a long time. We all knew that the cave-in must come some time, but nobody was looking for it quite so soon. Preparations had been made to fill in the stopes with dirt from the new extensions in order to make that old part safe. I was working alone in the second level extension into new ground, away from the old workings."

"As I stood in the drift, thinking what it was best to do, there came a fearful roar, the ground about me trembled, and I knew it was all up with me. I could hear the old timbers crashing as they broke under the weight of the mass of rock above them and the thud of the rock and dirt falling down into the lower drifts and stopes. I jumped back and ran toward the breast of the drift. The air blew in strong, puffed out my candle, and filled my throat with dust."

"Then I lay down and tried to think it all out. I was penned in good and tight, and there was nothing to do but to wait, and, maybe, die. As soon as I had made up my mind to the situation I began to take account of stock. I found I had a piece of cake and two pieces of pie in my dinner bucket, and about two quarts of water. I had two candles and fifteen matches. My tobacco I threw away, thinking that it might cause me more harm than good. I decided not to eat excepting when the pangs of hunger grew too severe and then only to take a small nibble of the pie or the cake. I might as well have eaten the food all at one time, for the nibbles seemed only to make the pains more severe."

"About three hours after the cave-in I heard sounds of rescue work. First it was a rapping on the air box, and I knew that the men must be down in the third level near the main working shaft, for the airbox came up to the new extension from there. I took my hammer and rapped back, and then they knew that I was alive. Then they began to sink near the prospect shaft. I listened to their working when I was not sleeping, until on Wednesday all sound ceased. I listened and waited, and wondered what had happened. Not a blow was struck for five hours. It was then that I began to give up all hope. If they could not reach me that way, how was I to escape? That was the toughest day of the whole time. I was in intense pain from hunger and thirst. My throat hurt me very much. It was hot, and stinging pains chased each other right along. Sometimes the stomach pains were so severe that I was helpless and after they would die away I lay back exhausted. The last bit of food had disappeared on Tuesday noon. It was just as well that no other man was left in the drift with me, for one of us would have certainly eaten the other."

"There was not a drop of water in the drift after my canteen was exhausted, and my throat pains were frightful. After that awful silence of five hours on Wednesday I heard sounds in a new place. I located them up in new ground and then I knew that they were going to sink for me through the rock. I was doubtful about it. I sized up my strength and decided that I might hold out nine or ten days altogether. Three days were already gone and they had to blast through 127 feet of solid rock."

"The pains now eased up, and the spasms occurred only once or twice a day. I realized I was getting weaker rapidly, and I felt as though my flesh was dropping off. My knees grew so weak that I could hardly stand. I wondered if, after all, I should die easy, with no horrible pangs of thirst or hunger. I slept all I could, and the only exertion I made was to knock with my hammer once or twice a day to let them know that I was still alive. The last day was the hardest

to bear. I was afraid that they might give up and conclude that I was dead. The pains increased and I was in constant agony. My mind was beginning to weaken, but I tried to think rationally. I hammered and scraped every little while to assure them that I was alive. This made them think I was crazy, I afterward learned.

"On Saturday morning, about 7 o'clock I saw light and the glister of adrift point. I jumped up and shouted, 'Is that you Joe?'

"That you, Jim?" came back to me.

"For God's sake give me water," I called.

"Can't do it, old fellow," the answer came, and then the men worked away faster than ever.

"In a few moments they had made a hole and I was pulled through. They would give me no water, but some medicine, and then they put me back in the drift to wait until the sun went down. They said the mercury was 105 degrees and that I could not stand the heat and light. After sundown I was hauled out in a bucket and the men cheered. They wanted to carry me to the reading room, but I would not have it, and I walked a hundred yards. Then I went to bed. For three days more they made me do without water, giving me only medicine. I had to live on chicken broth for two days and still without water. Then I drank and ate a smashing dinner. The first three days I gained fifteen pounds and I mended rapidly after that. The boys got up a benefit ball for me and the company paid me full wages for the time I was underground and did not charge me a cent for my board."

JENNY LIND'S MARRIAGE.**It occurred at Boston and Her Honeymoon Was Spent at Northampton.**

Of all those who took part in the concerts of Jenny Lind in this country nearly fifty years ago, the least distinguished of them all was the pianist, Otto Goldschmidt, but he distinguished himself sufficiently shortly afterward by marrying her.

This last event was foreshadowed by a quiet visit to Northampton in Jan. 1852, when she engaged a suite of rooms at Round Hill hotel. A little later Otto Goldschmidt, of Hamburg, Germany, and Jenny Lind, of Stockholm, Sweden, were married at the residence of Samuel G. Ward, of Boston.

The utmost secrecy was observed regarding the marriage, and in fact, nothing was known of it until Mr. Goldschmidt went for the certificate on the morning of the wedding. As she said, she "cheated the people nicely." Her silver was marked with an O enclosing a J, which were afterwards found out to mean Otto and Jenny. She said she was nothing but a cipher anyway.

Her life in Northampton was passed

**JENNY LIND AND HER HUSBAND.**

In much the same way that a cultured American woman would pass her time in Sweden. The manners and customs of our countrymen and women were as interesting and amusing to her as those of Sweden would be to us. She wanted no society, but simply to enjoy her honeymoon quietly and in her own way. She was welcome everywhere, and she made use of her freedom by paying visits wherever her fancy led her. She was not generous in the large sense; her larger gifts in this country at first being part of Mr. Barnum's advertising scheme, but she delighted in distributing small sums just as an American traveler with plenty of money would do in Europe, and these she placed where they would do the most good.

Before leaving Northampton in May, 1852, Mr. and Mrs. Goldschmidt gave a farewell private charity concert in the new town hall, which netted nearly \$1,000. Of this sum \$700 was given to the library of the "Young Men's Institute," the nucleus of the present Clarke library, and the remainder placed in the hands of Dr. Wm. Allen for private charities.

The illustration herewith is from a daguerrotype of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Goldschmidt, taken soon after their marriage. The pose is characteristically foreign. You may see just such groups in any gallery where the young people go who have not been long on our shores. Their affection is always frank. We were always grateful to Jenny Lind for looking the camera and us straight in the eye, and glad Mr. Goldschmidt did not. It would have spoiled the charm.—*Northampton News.*

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