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## TWO WOMEN HELD UP COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Judge and Jury Had to Wait  
For Important Witnesses  
in Criminal Case.

WAS HELD AT SOMERVILLE.

KNIFING AFFRAY BETWEEN COLORED  
MEN AT BOUND BROOK.

Verdict of Not Guilty in Case of Mooney.  
Bernardsville Policeman—Two Of-  
fenders Pleaded Non Vult and  
Will be Sentenced Soon.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Somerville, January 12.—Two young  
colored women of Bound Brook, Ella  
and Fanny Giles, delayed the whole  
machinery of the Somerset courts an  
hour yesterday morning and caused  
the county an expense of about \$100.  
They were the chief witnesses for the  
State in the case of Wm. Lupton, col-  
ored, indicted for atrocious assault  
upon Alfred Paniel, and the Prosecu-  
tor did not care to go on with the case  
until the witnesses arrived. So the  
court officers and jurors sat and wait-  
ed, while a constable was detailed to  
watch the trolley cars and hustle the  
tardy witnesses into court as soon as  
possible. They arrived on the trolley  
between 11 and 12, when the case was  
begun.

Sunday night, Oct. 7, it was alleged  
that Ella and Fanny Giles were walk-  
ing along Union avenue, Bound  
Brook, with Alfred Paniel, the latter  
pushing his wheel, when they met  
William Lupton, who asked the girls  
what they were doing with "that  
damned nigger." Lupton then pulled  
a knife from his pocket, it is said, and  
stabbed Paniel in the stomach and  
arm. Paniel pulled down a sign-board  
to defend himself, and ran, Lupton  
after him. Lupton caught up to  
Paniel and, according to the witnesses,  
stabbed him in the leg. Paniel was  
then arrested, taken to Dr. Robinson,  
who dressed his wounds, and then  
taken to the Somerville jail. He was  
subsequently removed to Muhlenberg  
Hospital, Plainfield, where he re-  
mained three weeks.

Wm. V. Steele was the defendant's  
counsel, and he attempted to prove  
that Paniel was the aggressor, and  
that Lupton was stabbed by Paniel  
and that the latter chased the former  
and out his coat several times. The  
claim was made that if Paniel was  
stabbed it was done in the tussle be-  
tween the two men by Paniel's own  
knife.

Mrs. Helen Herbert, of Plainfield,  
the present employer of Lupton, tes-  
tified to his good character, as did also  
J. J. Bach and L. O. Cook, of Bound  
Brook.

Lupton was put on the stand yester-  
day afternoon. He was at first very  
nervous, but soon became at ease. He  
was the last witness before court ad-  
journing.

The case was continued today.  
The jury in the case of the State  
against Wm. Mooney, indicted for as-  
sault and battery, rendered a verdict  
of not guilty.

Mrs. Reed, indicted for keeping a  
disorderly house in East Somerville,  
retracted her plea of not guilty and  
pleaded non vult.

Wm. Hahn, indicted for stealing  
coal, pleaded non vult.

Both of the above will be sentenced  
January 18.

Lectures on Dante.

Dr. Edward Howard Griggs, who  
gave several lectures in this city last  
year, has been engaged to give six  
lectures on "Dante of Medieval Lit-  
erature," in Vincent chapel. The dates  
for the lectures have not been decided  
upon, but will be announced as soon  
as they are selected. The patronesses  
are Mrs. Henry A. McGee, Mrs.  
Charles W. McCutchen, Mrs. James  
W. Jackson, Mrs. Frank Curtis, Mrs.  
J. Kirkland Myers, Mrs. Louis M.  
French, Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr.,  
Miss Lucella A. Crowther, Mrs. Wil-  
lam E. Lowe, Mrs. James E. Joy and  
Mrs. Weir Lewis.

Sons of Veterans to Install.  
The officers of John Hand Camp,  
No. 28, Sons of Veterans, will be in-  
stalled Tuesday evening. The G. A.  
R. and Woman's Relief Corps have  
been invited.

Anniversary of Dedication.  
The anniversary of the Grace M. E.  
church will take place on Sunday,  
February 24th. A committee is ar-  
ranging for the event.

Acting Manager.  
At present R. A. Frey is acting man-  
ager for D. O. Ivins at his coal and  
lumber yards on Watchung avenue.

—Use Press want ads.

## WERE INSTALLED IN PUBLIC.

COURT PLAINFIELD, I. O. F. HELD  
FORMAL EXERCISES LAST NIGHT.

Four Hundred People Assembled in  
Washington Hall For It—Followed  
by Entertainment and Dance.

In spite of the steady downpour or  
rain and the disagreeable weather,  
fully four hundred people assembled  
in Washington Hall last evening to  
witness the installation of officers and  
enjoy the hospitality of Court Plain-  
field, No. 1,144, I. O. F. Those who  
did brave the storm were amply re-  
warded as the affair was one of the most  
successful of its kind given in some  
time.

The early part of the evening was  
taken up with the installation of the  
recently elected officers. The presid-  
ing officers was Deputy High Chief  
Ranger A. G. Black, of Jersey City,  
who performed the work in a first-  
class manner. He was assisted by  
Past Chief Ranger W. J. O'Brien, also  
of Jersey City.

The officers installed were as follows:  
Court deputy, Francis Whiteley; chief  
ranger, William McCombe; vice  
ranger, Charles Jaeger; recording  
secretary, James Patterson; financial  
secretary, John F. Casey; treasurer,  
James McClinton; orator, William  
O'Connor; senior warden, George  
Whiteley; junior warden, Bernard  
Clark, Jr.; senior beadle, John Titus;  
junior beadle, Franklin Marsh; court  
physician, Dr. H. H. Lowrie.

After the installation the officers  
were escorted to their respective sta-  
tions and an excellent musical pro-  
gramme followed. It was opened with  
a well-rendered vocal solo, "Asleep  
in the Deep," by Wm. O'Connor. It was  
followed by an interesting address  
given by Deputy High Chief Ranger  
Black, in which he explained the pur-  
poses of the Foresters and furnished  
statistics concerning its development  
and present condition.

The remainder of the programme  
consisted of vocal solos by Thomas  
Roddy, Miss Christina Sorensen, Thos.  
Comford, Miss Annie Daley and  
Miss Smith. Every number was  
greeted with continued applause until  
the vocalists responded with an encore.  
An added feature was the pleasing se-  
lections by Naylor's full orchestra.  
Not a whit less pleasing was the colla-  
tion served by the members with the  
assistance of the women.

The ceremonies terminated with an  
informal dance to the members and  
their friends, which lasted until long  
after midnight. In addition to the in-  
stalling officers, delegations were pre-  
sent from courts at Elizabeth, Somer-  
ville, Dunellen, South Plainfield and  
Court Watchung, of this city.

## WILL WAS READ.

Bequeathed Property to His Family  
and Gave Case of Medals to  
Sons of Veterans.

After the funeral of the late George  
W. Moore, Thursday, the will of the  
deceased was read in the presence of  
the relatives. It bequeaths to the  
widow the use of the estate for life,  
after which it goes to Mr. Moore's  
brother, Edward Moore, of Newark;  
a sister living in Florida and the chil-  
dren of a deceased brother.

Mr. Moore gives a large and hand-  
some case of badges to the Sons of  
Veterans to be placed in the meeting  
room, and a gold watch to Charles  
Dodd, Jr., who was a favorite of the  
deceased. The store is to be closed  
for a period of ten days, after which  
the executors, Former Comptroller  
J. S. Gibson, of Newark, and James  
Atwood, of Trenton, are to sell the  
contents. No provision was made by  
the will for the continuance of the  
business which was conducted on  
East Front street for many years.

Excellent Likeness of Mr. Clark.  
The New Jersey Law Journal for  
this month, of which A. V. D. Honey-  
man, of this city, is the editor, con-  
tains an excellent half-tone engraving  
of ex-Congressman Alvah A. Clark,  
father-in-law of Senator Charles A.  
Reed. Mr. Clark is the candidate of  
the Democratic minority for United  
States Senator. He has many friends  
in Plainfield who will admire this ex-  
cellent likeness of him.

Big Black Bass.  
There is on exhibition at Harry  
Dreier's store on West Front street, a  
black bass that was caught by John  
James at Ten-Mile Run, near Bound  
Brook. The fish is stuffed and  
mounted in a handsome frame and at-  
tracts a great deal of attention.

Policemen Ill.  
Roundsmen William Mattox, who is  
seriously ill with typhoid fever at his  
home on Webster place, is doing as  
well as can be expected. All other  
members of the police force who have  
been ill are improving and will be on  
duty again in a few days.

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## HOBOS BUILT FIRE INSIDE OF FREIGHT CAR

Were Enjoying Its Warmth When  
Police Dropped In and  
Arrested the Crowd.

NEAR PARADISE ALLEY.

ONE MAN CAME TO TOWN TO SEE  
HIS BRIDE OF LAST SEPTEMBER.

But Mayor Jenkins Believed Them  
All Knights of the Road and  
Sent Them to the County  
Jail For Ten Days.

Patrolman Myers saw a bright light  
in a freight car at 1:30 o'clock this  
morning. The officer at first thought  
the car was on fire. Before sending in  
an alarm he looked up Patrolman  
Totton and an investigation was made.  
The car with others stood on the track  
near Paradise Alley. When the officers  
entered the car to extinguish the fire  
they were surprised to find two young  
men, seated around a good sized  
blaze, warming their shins.

The fire had been made from quan-  
tities of waste which the men said  
they had taken from the car boxes.  
The officers made their prisoners put  
out the fire and then marched them to  
the station house where they were  
locked up.

This morning they were arraigned  
before Mayor Jenkins. They gave  
their names as Charles Buschman and  
John Shimer and claimed to hail from  
Wilkesbarre, Pa. Shimer said he  
came to Plainfield to see his wife whom  
he married last September. He told  
Captain Kiely that he had married  
Maggie Killoran, who lived on West  
Third street. Shimer said he also had  
worked in this city about two months  
ago, being employed on the Hibbard-  
Rodman-Ely Safe Company's building.

Buschman said that he was on his  
way to New York, where he expected  
to secure employment as a coal passer.  
He fell in with Shimer a day or two  
ago. The accused said they had no  
intention of burning the car. They  
had simply started the fire to warm up.  
When searched at the station house,  
Shimer had a number of small photo-  
graphs and a few trinkets, including a  
pocketbook containing a quantity of  
bone collar buttons. Buschman had a  
mileage book on the Lehigh Valley  
Railroad, which he said had been  
loaned him by his uncle in Wilkes-  
barre, Pa.

The prisoners had every appearance  
of being typical hoboes. The police  
believe that there were others in the  
gang, who were out foraging when the  
officers arrested Buschman and Shi-  
mer. The Mayor sent the prisoners  
to jail for ten days.

## NO OPPOSITION.

Robert Davis Says That All the Dem-  
ocrats Will Vote For Alvah A.  
Clark.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Jersey City Jan. 12.—The recent  
developments in Trenton confirm the  
belief current among local Democratic  
politicians to the effect that there will  
be no serious opposition to Alvah A.  
Clark for the complimentary nomina-  
tion for U. S. Senator when the  
Senatorial caucus is held.

"The latest advices from Trenton,"  
said Collector Davis yesterday "show  
that while there may be one or two Dem-  
ocratic legislators who will not vote  
for Mr. Clark in caucus, they will  
abide by the caucus decision and not  
bolt. Gen. R. A. Donnelly will not  
out any figure in the caucus. No  
other Democrat but Mr. Clark will  
be named in joint session."

Officers For Crescent Division.  
Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R. K.  
of P., recently elected the following  
officers: Captain, J. E. Flannery;  
first lieutenant, Jacob Blinn; second  
lieutenant, J. S. Highm; recorder,  
Charles McGinley; treasurer, J. C.  
Blinn; chaplain, John Robison. The  
officers will be installed on Tuesday  
evening, February 12.

Nearly Completed an Automobile.  
Andrew Thompson, of West Front  
street, has about completed the auto-  
mobile which he has been constructing  
for his own use. The horseless wagon  
is thoroughly up-to-date and is com-  
plete in every detail. It will have  
electricity as a motive power and can  
be charged to run for a number of  
hours.

Burns Were Not Serious.  
The young son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Warren Townley, of Grandview ave-  
nue, who was severely burned on  
Thursday, is doing very well. At first  
it was thought the burns might prove  
serious, but the little fellow has ap-  
pearances of an early recovery.

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## WEEK AT MUSIC HALL.

ATTRACTIONS BOOKED FOR PLAIN-  
FIELD'S THEATRE NEXT WEEK.

"Fogg's Ferry," an Excellent Production.  
Will be the First—Other Plays  
in View.

Perhaps it was that there was a sur-  
feit of plays last week, that caused the  
light attendance at Music Hall last  
Monday night when "Hearts of the  
Blue Ridge" had its first presentation  
here, and the weather of course had  
great influence over the patronage ac-  
cording to "Jack and the Beanstalk"  
Thursday night. Better performances  
and dramatic entertainment however,  
could not be desired and it is to be re-  
gretted there was not better patron-  
age. "Jack and the Beanstalk" was a  
great show, one of the best seen here,  
complete in every detail, lots of pretty  
girls as chorus, funny comedians,  
operatic artists, beautiful scenery,  
accessories etc. Miss Underwood as  
"Jack," Miss Helene Sallinger as "Old  
Mother Hubbard" and Theodore  
Lytle as "Fairy Queen," were espe-  
cially good in their respective roles, and  
the incidental specialties were refresh-  
ing novelties.

Manager Maze Edwards had a good  
vaudeville company booked for ap-  
pearance tonight, but troubles beset  
the organization and they failed to  
send their printing matter, and, in  
consequence, there will be no per-  
formances until Tuesday night when  
there is announced something really  
good, in a revival of the popular  
comedy, "Fogg's Ferry," a play first  
brought out by Minnie Maddern, now  
Mrs. Fiske, at the (then) Park The-  
atre, New York, in the spring of 1882.

The theatre was destroyed by fire  
during the following fall, cutting off  
Mrs. Langtry's first American en-  
gagement, but the play has flourished  
ever since, still lives in the affections  
of the public, and bids fair to run on  
like the proverbial brook. This is be-  
cause it both interests and amuses, and  
because its pretty story is clean, whole-  
some and totally free of anything  
offensive. Beautiful new scenery  
makes the present production espe-  
cially attractive, and besides a  
splendid company there are carried  
as extra features a noted quartette  
and a troupe of clever dancers in a plan-  
tation scene said to be unrivalled.

The musical farce comedy, "Grimes'  
Cellar Door," with lots of new specia-  
ties and novelties, introducing  
"Grimesey, Me Boy," Jas. B. Mackie,  
for years with Hoyt's "A Bunch of  
Keys" as the original Bell Boy, will  
be seen next Thursday night. Mackie  
has achieved fame and fortune with  
his "Cellar Door." The cast includes  
Louise Sanford, who plays the lead-  
ing female role of Pandora, the mar-  
ble statue, and M. W. Douglass, the  
wonderful basso singer, who plays  
Josiah, also the celebrated Bernard  
Sisters, a strong team of singers and  
dancers, specially engaged by Mackie  
for this season's tour, and a host of  
pretty girls in all the latest songs,  
dances and costumes. Miss Louise  
Sanford heads a new specialty this  
season called Giesha, of Tokio.

The Nashville Students, a famous  
musical organization, make their first  
appearance here Tuesday, January  
23d, and then will follow Marie  
Correll's play, "The Sorrows of  
Satan," under direction of Wm. A.  
Brady, a new and beautiful Irish play,  
"The Game Keeper," Carl Haswin  
with "The Lion's Heart," Lincoln J.  
Carter's very latest play, "The  
Eleventh Hour," and Denman Thomp-  
son in the original "Old Homestead,"  
Saturday, February 9.

Evangelistic Service.  
The Christian Endeavor Society of  
the First Baptist church held an evan-  
gelistic service last evening and the  
society from the East Third Street  
chapel met with them. The leader of  
the service was L. W. Randolph, super-  
intendent of the chapel Sunday-school  
and he made some excellent remarks  
after which the members responded  
by giving testimonies and offering  
prayers. There was a large attend-  
ance, notwithstanding the disagree-  
able night.

At the Cycle Show.  
Victor Christofferson, of this city, is  
representing the Puritan Manufactur-  
ing Co. at the bicycle show, which  
opens tonight in Madison Square  
Garden, New York, where he is ex-  
hibiting an automatic gas lamp. Mr.  
Christofferson expects to travel in the  
interest of the firm after the close of  
the exhibition.

May be Two Months Before Opening.  
There is no apparent anxiety on the  
part of the Jersey Central to open their  
new station, and it may be two months  
before the building is completed and  
ready for use. This is no doubt due  
to the delay on the part of the con-  
tractors who have frequently been  
granted extension of time.

—Press want ads pay.

## GREAT SACHEM HAS CAPTURED TWO GOATS

He Arrived in Plainfield This  
Morning With One Under  
Each Arm.

CAPTURED AT KEYPORT.

WHILE RED MEN WENT TO FIRE  
THEIR COAT DISAPPEARED.

Great Sachem Newcorn Fed Him on  
Towels and Bedclothes to Keep  
Him Quiet—Ran for Train  
With Braves Pursuing.

When Great Sachem William New-  
corn arrived in Plainfield this morn-  
ing at an early hour, his friends were  
surprised to see him carrying two  
goats, a small one under one arm and  
a large one under the other, and then  
wondered why it was.

Mr. Newcorn paid an official visit  
to Chingarora Tribe at Keyport, last  
evening, and it seems that this tribe  
recently visited Narumunk Tribe at  
Oceanic. The latter tribe was the  
owner of the large goat until that eve-  
ning, when the Keyport Tribe suc-  
ceeded in stealing him and taking him  
home. He was chained in the lodge  
rooms and no one was allowed to go  
near him.

The Great Sachem thought he  
would like to have that goat in  
Plainfield, but other eyes were upon  
him and the Great Keeper of Records  
succeeded in spiriting the animal  
away. After a pleasant time in the  
lodge room, the Great Sachem retired  
to the hotel for the night. About  
midnight a fire broke out in Keyport  
and the fire alarm called all the Red  
Men, who are members of the depart-  
ment, to the scene of the fire. In the  
meantime, some one had located the  
goat and brought him to Mr. New-  
corn's room, asking if the animal be-  
longed to him. Mr. Newcorn promptly  
said yes, and he took good care of the  
goat for the night.

This morning he arose early to take  
the 6 o'clock train, and some of the  
Keyport braves saw him running for  
the train carrying the goat under his  
arm. He had too much of a start and  
managed to get away without being  
caught. A smaller goat he also  
captured and brought to Plainfield,  
and they are both now in Mr. New-  
corn's office. To prevent the large  
goat from crying out during the night  
and thus giving his presence away,  
Mr. Newcorn fed the animal on  
towels, soap, bed clothes, etc., and he  
is now expecting a bill from the land-  
lord of the hotel for the missing  
articles.

## MEDALS FOR VOLUNTEERS.

Dr. W. E. Probasco Received One From  
Delaware Sons of American  
Revolution.

Dr. Walter E. Probasco, of East  
Front street, has received a handsome  
bronze medal and a certificate, en-  
graved by Tiffany & Co., from the  
Sons of the American Revolution of  
the state of Delaware. Dr. Probasco  
enlisted as a member of the First  
Delaware Volunteers when the Spanish  
War began and served in that reg-  
iment until it was mustered out from  
service at the close of the active cam-  
paign.

The Sons of the American Revolution  
voted to present a certain number  
of bronze medals to members of the  
volunteer regiments of that State and  
a number were chosen from each reg-  
iment to receive them. Dr. Probasco  
was fortunate enough to be one of the  
number chosen. The medals, each ac-  
companied by a handsomely engraved  
certificate, were sent out a short time  
ago and Dr. Probasco had just recent-  
ly received his.

In Honor of Great Sachem.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ragen, of 28  
Hine street, South Paterson, have  
issued invitations for a dinner to be  
given by them in honor of Great  
Sachem William Newcorn. The dinner  
will be given Tuesday evening,  
January 23, when Mr. Newcorn holds  
a district session at Paterson.

Prudential's Annual Dinner.

It has been decided that the annual  
dinner for the employees of the Pru-  
dential Insurance Company in this  
district will be given at the Hotel  
Kensington Saturday evening, Jan-  
uary 26. Superintendent C. E. Ball  
has charge of arrangements.

Installation Will Be Private.  
The officers of the Women's Relief  
Corps will be installed next week Fri-  
day evening. The exercises will be  
private and not public as has been the  
custom for a few years past.

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## THE GRIP IS RESPONSIBLE.

MOST OF THE SICKNESS IN TOWN  
DUE TO THAT DISEASE.

Most Cases are Not Serious, But They  
Keep the Doctors on the Jump  
and the Pharmacists Busy.

The large number of people in this  
city who are ill is due largely to the  
prevalence of the grip, a disease which  
has invaded the towns and cities of  
every section of the Middle and East-  
ern States.

It is not definitely known just how  
many people are afflicted with the dis-  
ease in this vicinity, but the number  
will possibly run into the hundreds.  
Every physician in town has been on  
the jump for nearly two weeks and the  
drug stores have been doing a land  
office business in the line of quinine  
and other nostrums used to counteract  
the effects of the malady.

While the disease, generally speak-  
ing, is not considered serious, it never-  
theless sometimes assumes serious  
proportions and leaves the patient in  
a weakened condition.

There are said to be several reme-  
dies that can be taken with good re-  
sults and which will check if not en-  
tirely put the grip to rout.

But, perhaps, there is none better  
than the old fashioned remedy, in use  
in the "Days of Auld Lang Syne,"  
when the unfortunate would be put to  
bed and given an old fashioned sweat,  
often produced by taking a quantity of  
something hot, reinforced by a dose of  
quinine, herbs or boneset tea. Some  
physicians and nurses, however,  
recommend hot water and lemon  
juice, while others maintain that  
several grains of quinine washed down  
with liberal portions of rye whiskey,  
taken every hour, will effectually drive  
the disease from the system. In ex-  
treme cases, though, it may be neces-  
sary to call in a physician, who may  
advise a resort to something more  
stringent.

The condition of the patient has  
much to do with successful efforts to  
banish the grip. A strong, robust per-  
son is more able to withstand its in-  
roads than a weak person. In any  
event the grip is liable to leave one in  
a weakened condition and recovery is  
very slow as a rule.

## BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Charles H. Denman, of Westfield, Wants  
to Form One in Union County—Will  
Invite Plainfield.

Westfield, January 12.—Charles H.  
Denman, manager of the baseball  
team of the Westfield Baseball Asso-  
ciation, is perfecting plans for a Union  
County League for the coming season.  
It is proposed to invite Plainfield,  
Elizabeth, Rahway, Springfield, Cran-  
ford and Summit to organize baseball  
teams and enter the league. As soon  
as the arrangements are completed a  
meeting will be called for the pur-  
pose of electing officers and appointing  
managers, umpires, scorers, etc. It is  
proposed to play two games with each  
out of town team, one at home and the  
other away.

To Visit Local Red Men.  
Arrangements are now completed  
for the reception of Arasapha Tribe,  
I. O. R. M., of Atlantic City, which  
will visit Miantonomo Tribe in this  
city Friday evening, January 25. It  
has been arranged for the visiting  
tribe to work the natural adoption de-  
gree and as there is considerable in-  
terest manifested in this form of cere-  
mony no doubt a large number of Red  
Men will be attracted. So far as  
known, the south Jersey tribe is the  
only one in the State that uses this  
form.

Will Sue Traction Company.  
It is feared that Patsy Christman,  
who was knocked down by a trolley  
car Tuesday, is injured internally, as  
he suffers greatly from pains about the  
chest. He is now under the care of a  
physician. Unless the company makes  
a settlement Mr. Christman has an-  
nounced his intention of bringing suit  
for damages.

Bloodgood Mills Closed.  
(Special to The Daily Press.)

Westfield, Jan. 12.—The large felt  
mills, known as the Bloodgood Mills,  
at Picton are closed down and it is not  
known when they will reopen. Some  
time ago there was a rumor that the  
mills would be closed down by the  
Felt Trust but it was denied.

Operator Will Leave Soon.

Miss Laura Ayers, one of the obli-  
gating and efficient operators at the local  
office of the New York and New Jersey  
Telephone Company, will resign her  
position within a few days.

To Install Officers.

Grand Overseer V. W. Nash and  
other Grand Lodge officers of the A.  
O. U. W., will go to Eastside Lodge,  
at Newark, Monday evening and in-  
stall the officers-elect.

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## REGARDING FACTIONAL FIGHT IN COUNTY.

Elizabeth Journal Denounces  
Those Who Have Forced  
This Bitter Contest.

OTHER PAPERS COMMENT.

IF CONTINUED IT WILL RESULT IN  
REPUBLICAN DEFEAT.

Official Republican County Organ Pub-  
lishes a Strong Editorial Regard-  
ing the Factional Differences  
in Union County Banks.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, January 12.—All over the  
State newspapers are commenting on  
the fight between the rival Republican  
factions in Union county. The gen-  
eral consensus of opinion seems to be  
that the fight, if continued, is likely  
to disrupt the party in this county and  
give the Democrats a chance to win.

Even such an authority as the Eliz-  
abeth Journal, the official Republican  
organ of the county, points out the  
dangers to the Republican ascendancy  
if the present course of events is pur-  
sued much longer. In an editorial  
published yesterday, the Journal says:

"Twice the Republican factions in  
Union county have clashed within the  
past few weeks. Twice there have  
been contests which were marked by  
some ill-will and characterized by acts  
of an order not so high as should be  
credited to Republicans who have the  
party's interest in their keeping. It is  
now time this sort of thing should  
stop. There is no necessity for it.  
There is absolute danger to the Re-  
publican party in keeping it up. A  
rivalry is one thing; a continued,  
unremitting, ill-natured contest is  
another. Union county Republi-  
cans should not permit themselves to  
be divided into factions. There is no  
warrant for it. Union county Repub-  
licans have the United States Senator,  
the governor, the Member of Con-  
gress, the Chancellor of the State,  
besides many minor offices to divide  
among themselves. In all conscience,  
this should be enough to satisfy the  
ambitions of the leaders and the pride  
of the Republican constituency of the  
county."

"With such an award of political  
honors a struggle for supremacy and  
an incessant attempt to injure one  
official for the aggrandizement of  
others is wrong and should be frowned  
down. The Republicans have, to an  
extent, already taken the matter in  
hand. They have manifestly con-  
cluded that the men who keep up the  
contest, who are willing to split the  
party, who are determined to under-  
mine others, who are ever plotting and  
scheming, and pulling wires, and  
keeping up factional animosities shall  
be relegated to obscurity. The Re-  
publicans of Union county are wise if  
they act on their evident conclusion.  
If they do not, the time will come  
when the factional fights will result in  
Union county just as they have re-  
sulted time and again in Passaic  
county, that is, in the election of Dem-



## ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES FOR ALL CLASSES OF READERS.

**Flected Up Here and There and Recorded for the Benefit of Press Patrons.**

—Quality and not quantity makes DeWitt's Little Early Risers such valuable little liver pills. L. W. Randolph.

—Contractor W. T. Kirk, of this city, has about completed the work of erecting a new and substantial bridge over the Millstone river at Millstone.

—Such little pills as DeWitt's Little Early Risers are very easily taken, and they are wonderfully effective in cleansing the liver and bowels. L. W. Randolph.

—Mrs. L. J. Denton, the West Front street florist, had charge of the decorations at the reception given by Mrs. W. A. Garrigues, of Watchung avenue, Thursday afternoon.

—In Justice Huff's court the contract cases of Sternberg against F. S. Marston and F. E. Marston have been decided in favor of the plaintiff and judgment for the full amount given.

—When threatened by pneumonia or any other lung trouble, prompt relief is necessary, as it is dangerous to delay. We would suggest that One Minute Cough Cure be taken as soon as indications of having taken cold are noticed. It cures quickly and its early use prevents consumption. L. W. Randolph.

—There will be an important meeting of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, next Monday evening and every member is requested to be present.

—This season there is a large death rate among children from croup and lung troubles. Prompt action will save the little ones from these terrible diseases. We know of nothing so certain to give instant relief as One Minute Cough Cure. It can also be relied upon in grippe and all throat and lung troubles of adults. Pleasant to take. L. W. Randolph.

Miss Daisy Snyder, of West Front street, is entertaining her friend, Miss Mueller, of Easton, Pa., for a few days.

Mrs. Maurice McGrath, of New Brunswick, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shepherd, of West Fifth street.

**Thousands Sent Into Exile.**  
Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

—A regular communication of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will be held next Tuesday evening.

—Stone Square Lodge, No. 38, F. and A. M., will hold a communication Monday evening and a full attendance of members is desired.

—The officers of Iona Council, Degree of Poochontas, will be installed next week Wednesday evening, after which the members will have a good time.

—Pepsin preparations often fail to relieve indigestion because they can digest only albuminous foods. There is one preparation that digests all classes of food, that is Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It cures the worst cases of indigestion and gives instant relief for it digests what you eat. L. W. Randolph.

## PERSONAL.

William Spencer, of West Fourth street, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Miss Gertrude Frey, of East Third street, is critically ill with pneumonia.

Miss Bowers, of Basking Ridge, has been visiting borough friends for several days.

Miss Edna Thompson, of this city, has been visiting friends at Somerville for a few days.

Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, of Elmwood place, is confined to her bed with a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Ethel Lorton, of Watchung avenue, who has been visiting at Centerville, has returned home.

Mrs. Peter B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, has been detained at home with illness resembling the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davis, of Frankfort, Somerset county, have been guests of Plainfield friends.

David Adlemann, son of former Superintendent Adlemann, of the trolley company, has given up his position with the company.

## What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get packages at all grocery stores. 10 cts.

## IN THE REALM OF SOCIETY.

PERSONAL JOTTINGS COLLECTED IN CITY AND BOROUGH.

Daily Doings of Plainfielders and Their Guests Carefully Collected and Tactfully Told.

Mrs. Van Fleet, of East Third street, is much improved from a recent illness.

Mrs. Henry A. McGee, of Orchard place, is detained at her home by illness.

S. R. Struthers, of West Front street, has about recovered from an attack of the grip.

Dr. Rolland Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue, is greatly improved from a recent illness.

Miss Minnie Smith, of Watchung avenue, has recovered from a long and tedious illness.

William Pangborn, Jr., has opened a lunch room at 101 Somerset street in the borough.

Mrs. Henry Angleman, of East Fourth street, has been visiting her daughter in New York.

Mrs. Dietrich, wife of Col. Dietrich, of Arlington avenue, is detained at home with a severe illness.

James Atwood, of Trenton, has returned home after a visit of a few days with Plainfield friends.

Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, of Rockview Terrace, has been detained at home with a severe illness.

Mrs. George Morton, of Westfield, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. K. Case, of Central avenue.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Davis, of West Fifth street, is detained at home by illness.

Mrs. John Weinszeld, wife of Patrolman Weinszeld, is dangerously ill at her home on Lee place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Elderton, of East Front street, have been entertaining company from out of town.

**A Deep Mystery.**  
It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phoebe Cherley, of Pater son, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my household work." It overcomes Constipation, Improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

**OLD POINT COMFORT, RICHMOND AND WASHINGTON.**  
1st-Day Tour Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The first of the present series of personally conducted tours to Old Point Comfort, Richmond and Washington via the Pennsylvania Railroad will leave New York and Philadelphia on Saturday, February 9.

Tickets, including transportation, meals en route in both directions, transfers of passengers and baggage, hotel accommodations at Old Point Comfort, Richmond, and Washington, and carriage ride about Richmond—in fact, every necessary expense for a period of six days—will be sold at rate of \$34.00 from New York, Brooklyn and Newark; \$32.50 from Trenton; \$31.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other stations.

**OLD POINT COMFORT ONLY.**  
Tickets to Old Point Comfort only, including luncheon on going trip, one and three-fourths days' board at the Hygeia, and good to return direct by regular trains within six days, will be sold in connection with this tour at rate of \$15.00 from New York; \$13.50 from Trenton; \$12.50 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

For itineraries and full information apply to ticket agents: Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York; 4 Court street, Brooklyn; 789 Broad street, Newark, N. J.; or Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

—The most soothing, healing and antiseptic application ever devised is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It relieves at once and cures piles, sores, eczema and skin diseases. Beware of imitations. L. W. Randolph.

**Big Circuit Contemplated.**  
The Plainfield Automobile Company has in anticipation a most comprehensive circuit for their vehicles, which will afford great convenience to the public. It is anticipated that the automobiles will touch points not reached by the trolley. It is possible that in the summer months the buses will go as far as Johnston's Drive and Washington Rock and possibly to the Washington camp ground at Middle-bush.

To be Paid Every Week.  
(Special to The Daily Press.)  
Westfield, Jan. 12.—By a new rule, which went into effect yesterday, the employees of the Elizabeth, Plainfield and Central New Jersey Traction Company receive their pay each week instead of every two weeks as formerly. The men were paid Thursday.

## Simple Price Reasoning.



A dentist's office expenses are the same whether he serves few or many patients. If he serves few he wastes time and must charge higher prices to make good the waste. If he serves many he can divide a fair profit above expenses into much lower prices for all. That's what my practice enables me to do, and that's why my prices are so little for work that's best—GUARANTEED BEST.

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**PLAINFIELD COUNCIL NO. 711**

**ROYAL ARCANUM.**  
The regular meetings of this Council are  
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She had so many children  
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## TRADE CONDITIONS.

All Staple Products Continue Firm.

Structural Steel in Great Demand.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—R. G. Dun &

Co.'s weekly review of trade says:  
Only in the textiles is special hesita-

tion shown. Staple products are firm,  
iron and steel prices are held without

trouble, boots and shoes and wool are  
steady, and all with fair demand, so that

manufacturers are busy. In textiles,  
however, the improvement which seemed

to be



## ALL ON BOARD SAVED

Brave Fishermen Rescue the  
Russie's Passengers.

## FOUR DAYS IN DEADLY PERIL.

Thrilling Account of the Terrible  
Experiences on Board the  
Stranded Steamer Off the  
French Coast.

MARSEILLES, Jan. 12.—The passengers of the French steamer *Russie*, rescued off Faraman light after four days of terrible suffering and anxiety, arrived here by rail at half past 7 last evening. A great crowd was in waiting at the station to greet them. They were loudly cheered as they left the train, and many touching scenes ensued when the sufferers met their relatives. Admiral Besson, naval prefect of Marseilles, who was present, expressed his sympathy.

Lieutenant Guibout, tells the following story of the *Russie's* experiences: "The steamer ran ashore at 5 o'clock Monday morning. Only the watch was on deck at the time. The passengers rushed up undressed when they felt the shock, and a panic ensued. The captain and officers finally succeeded in calming the people, and the boats were prepared for launching.

"It was found, however, that the sea was too rough. A signal gun was fired, and Bengal lights were burned, which were perceived from the lighthouse. During the day people could be seen grazing boats along the shore, but no attempt was made to launch these.

"As night came on the *Russie* began to sink. The after hold and the engine room were inundated, and the vessel, which rolled badly, heeled to the starboard. The passengers took refuge in the first cabin and the smoking room.

"Tuesday morning a violent wave burst in the door of the saloon. The passengers, who were again stricken with a panic, rushed on deck. We reassured them and barricaded the doorway with mattresses. All day we were obliged helplessly to watch attempts to reach us with rockets and lifeboats from the shore and by tug.

"We passed the night in a state of the deepest anguish. The waves increased in fury and dashed over the vessel, which was thumping on her starboard side, until in the early morning the plates gave way, and the stern of the vessel went to pieces. The utmost consternation now prevailed among the passengers, who fled to the foredeck, clinging to the rails and stanchions. Again we witnessed desperate efforts all day long to rescue us.

"When night fell without relief and with the tempest still raging, the scene on board was frightful. The passengers seemed heartbroken, the women weeping convulsively.

"Thursday morning the cruiser *Galilee* hove in sight. Hope revived as she was seen approaching us with engines reversed. The lamentations of the passengers changed to rejoicings. The women cried 'Bravo!' and 'Long live the French sailors!' But suddenly the *Galilee* stopped. The water was too shallow, and the waves threatened to engulf her. She made for the open sea, and the passengers were again plunged into the deepest despair.

"The efforts on shore with lifeboats and rockets were renewed, but without success. A rain of small shot from the rockets fell on the deck, endangering the seamen. Finally the crew of a lifeboat got alongside and gave us a line. This we hauled in in order to drag the hawser attached to it, but the hawser broke. Toward evening a breeze swept all the boats except the forehold.

"Our provisions now were almost exhausted. We had only a few biscuits and tins of preserves, with wine and some artichokes and oranges, a portion of the cargo in the forehold. All our solids were consumed at the last meal, Thursday evening.

"We passed an atrocious night, but were rescued this morning. All the cargo was lost, and only a part of the mail and the passengers' baggage was saved. The accident was due to mistaking the Faraman light for the Planier light, a mistake which has caused the loss and wreck of more than 20 steamers and given to the coast the name of 'the mariners' graveyard.'"

## Baltimore's Hospital Horror.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 12.—The December grand jury in its report submitted to Judge Phelps, the present magistrate of the Female House of Refuge. It declares the institution a place of horrors, where inmates are outrageously treated and where the innocent are morally corrupted and ruined. An alleged instance is given where an inmate was knocked down by an enraged officer, dragged about by the hair and whipped with a horsewhip. She was afterwards gagged, put in a straitjacket and locked in a dark cell. Another instance is given where an inmate was driven insane by such treatment. It is recommended that state and city aid be taken from the institution, that the inmates be taken away.

## Tarrant Firm Held Responsible.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The corner's jury investigating the recent explosion in the building occupied by Tarrant & Co., wholesale druggists, returned a verdict holding the members of the company criminally responsible. The members of the firm, Thomas S. Main and William G. D., were ordered to be produced before the jury today to be admitted in bail of \$5,000 each for the action of the grand jury.

## New York Legislature.

ALBANY, Jan. 12.—The senate yesterday was in session for five minutes without a quorum and adjourned without doing any business except the introduction of six bills, three of which were previously introduced in the assembly. The assembly also adjourned very speedily, there being no quorum.

## Hanna Writes For London Paper.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The Daily Mail this morning publishes a two column article signed by Mr. Mark Hanna, discussing the aspects of the merchant shipping question in the United States and giving his reasons for supporting the bill now before the United States senate.

## Rebels Driven Back.

COLON, Colombia, Jan. 12.—The few rebels who were outside the town of Panama have been driven back to the bush by the government troops. There is no extensive revolutionary movement.

## LAST YEAR'S COINAGE.

## Government Mints Did a Record Breaking Business.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Mr. George E. Roberts, the director of the mint, in his annual report shows that the coinage of the past year was in excess of that executed in any previous year in the history of the service, aggregating \$141,351,990 as compared with \$138,855,676 in the last fiscal year. The value of the gold coinage was slightly below that of the previous year, being \$107,337,110 as compared with \$108,177,180. The coinage of silver dollars was \$18,244,984 as compared with \$18,254,709 in the previous year. The chief increase was in the output of subsidiary and minor coins, which surpassed all records and, it is stated, may doubtless be attributed to the extraordinary activity of retail trade throughout the country. The coinage of subsidiary silver amounted to \$17,114,270 pieces of the value of \$12,876,849 and of minor coins to the extraordinary total of \$101,303,753 pieces of the value of \$2,243,017. The seigniorage, or profit, on this coinage was \$5,477,525.

The deposits of gold bullion at the mints and assay offices of the United States during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1900, exclusive of redeposits, were of the value of \$133,020,119 against \$143,497,190 reported the previous year.

The total deposits of gold were not so great as in the previous year, the imports of bullion showing a decline, but the deposits of domestic bullion again surpassed all records, amounting to \$87,458,836 against \$76,252,487 last year.

The seigniorage on the coinage of silver dollars, subsidiary and minor coins during the year amounted to \$10,286,302. At the highest market price for silver during the year the commercial ratio of silver to gold was as 1 to 35.01, at the lowest price as 1 to 35.41, at the average price 1 to 34.44.

## FARMER FIGHTS RAILROAD.

An Indiana Line Tied Up in a Legal Tangle.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 12.—Traffic on the Chicago and Southeastern railroad is blocked southeast of this city, and government mails are at a standstill on the line. This is the result of a legal tangle, the outgrowth of an attempted condemnation proceedings against Wesley Grantham, a farmer. The fight has been in progress seven years.

Grantham obtained several years ago a writ of ejectment against the railroad company and, failing to secure a settlement, placed the writ in the hands of the sheriff, who at once took a force of men to the farm and tore up a lot of track. The company's representatives rushed into court and sought an ejectment, but this was denied.

Hundreds of farmers, sympathizing with Grantham in his fight, gathered and established an armed guard over the land. During the night two railroad bridges, one of them 60 feet long, were dynamited by unknown parties.

## CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Many east side bakers in New York city are reported to sleep on the dough they knead.

Pearson, the prohibitionist sheriff of Portland, Me., has begun a crusade against the pocket flask.

All New York hospitals are overcrowded with grip victims. Thirty-six deaths were recorded during the week.

The Crouse block, one of the largest apartment buildings in Syracuse, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$10,000.

Dr. H. H. McAuley of Chicago claims \$100,000 indemnity from Portugal for alleged false imprisonment at Lourenco Marques.

New York bowlers captured first and second honors in the bowling of the two men team championship of the United States at Chicago.

## Tramp Heir to a Fortune.

RELVINDER, N. J., Jan. 12.—After drifting over the world for many years as a tramp George Galloway, alias "Church" Galloway, who is now in the Warren county jail on a charge of vagrancy, has received word that he has fallen heir to an estate of \$75,000. The windfall has come too late, however, as Galloway is already reaping what he sowed during his years of "seeing the world." When arrested on his last charge, he was sick and was removed to the Easton hospital. Later on he was returned to the jail as incurable. His mind, once brilliant, now falls him altogether at times. He lies in a critical condition and may not live many days.

## Mormon Elders at Hudson.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Leander Robins, James A. Goulding and Delworth Woolen, Mormon elders from Utah, are in Hudson endeavoring to establish a church of the Mormon faith in that city, but disregarding the polygamy feature. It is said that they will visit other towns on the Hudson as for the purpose of their mission, they say, is to explain the faith and correct various erroneous ideas that the public entertains about it.

## Site For Philippine Naval Station.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Secretary Long has received a cable dispatch from Admiral Remy announcing that the board of officers convened to select the most suitable site in the Philippines for a permanent naval station has fixed upon Olanzap, on Subig bay. As a result of this recommendation Mr. Long has sent to congress a recommendation that \$1,000,000 be appropriated for beginning the work on the proposed new naval station.

## Burglars in Binghamton.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Jan. 12.—The number of burglaries in this city recently has been almost unprecedented. Thursday night three large business establishments were entered; and at one of these the miscreants were discovered. An alarm resulted in the capture of two of the men by the police after a hot chase, in which a fusillade of shots were exchanged.

## Cudaby Home on Fire.

OMAHA, Jan. 12.—Last night the residence of Edward A. Cudaby was found to be on fire. The flames were quickly extinguished. The fire chief is not yet satisfied as to whether the fire was of incendiary origin or spontaneous. It originated on the outside and might have been due to either cause. The incident has renewed the excitement over the famous Cudaby kidnapping case.

## Weather Probabilities.

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## COMING EVENTS

January 13—Rev. F. E. Taylor, of Brooklyn, will address the Y. M. C. A. rally at 4:15 p. m. Good music.  
January 14—Y. M. C. A. League and Missionary Bible study class at Y. M. C. A. 8 p. m.  
January 17—Annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. for the election of six directors for three years.

## Rural Free Delivery.

Judging from the report made of the work of the rural free delivery through Middlesex county, that innovation in the work of the postal service has proved a decided success. There are five carriers who leave New Brunswick daily and distribute mail matter through the rural districts of Middlesex county.

This plan was put in operation there beginning December 15. From that time up to January 1, nearly 2,800 pieces of mail were carried for distribution and over 400 were received. There was a very uneven distribution among the five routes, one carrying 870 pieces of mail matter while the other only amounted to 211.

It has, however, made it possible for the residents who live in the farming sections of the State to get their mail daily without a long drive or tramp to the postoffice. The small postoffices, like New Market, still continue on the old lines and the people of that immediate neighborhood go after their mail as usual, but the folk whose homes are scattered through the section some distance from any postoffice are the ones who receive the advantages of this new system.

No favorably has this plan been received that already the people of Hillsborough township, Somerset county, have prepared a petition with a long list of signers, asking that they be granted the benefits of a rural free delivery route. The petition was sent to Congressman Howell and has been filed by him with the postoffice department.

## Tax on Corporations.

Because so many of the great corporations of the country have taken advantage of the liberal incorporation terms offered by the statutes of New Jersey, this State has often been termed the home of the trusts. The income from the tax on these combinations of capital amounts to a large sum which is annually turned into the State treasury.

According to the annual report of the State Board of Assessors, which has just been submitted to the Legislature, this tax last year reached the sum of \$2,051,209. The corporation tax rate is one tenth of one per cent. on the paid-in capital stock of the corporations. The total paid-in capital of the New Jersey corporations would therefore amount to \$2,051,209,000, which is divided among 6,085 different corporations.

The estimate of the State Corporation department is that the paid up stock is but twenty per cent. of the authorized capital stock. That would make the authorized capital stock of these 6,085 corporations \$10,256,045,000.

It is evident that the citizens of Somerville have a problem before them which is going to trouble them considerably before it is answered. The present school house there is in very poor condition and is not adequate to accommodate the children who are entitled to attend it. The Board of Education wanted a new building, but the project was voted down at a meeting of the citizens. Now those people who defeated that project will have to find some substitute for the plan which they defeated. Something will have to be done very soon and it may be that the time will come when the citizens will see the wisdom of the Board and reconsider their action.

It has been predicted, says the Philadelphia Record, that in time the newspaper advertisement will be the universal and exclusive means of publicity, not only for business but for all other affairs. The existence of a tendency in that direction is proved by the appearance in the French newspapers in Canada of advertisements which offer thanks to the saints. In a recent number of the Montreal Journal were cards of thanks to St. Expedite for having aided the advertiser in so

curing a contract, and to other saints for various blessings.

The New Jersey Legislature will resume operations Monday evening. Now that the organization has been completed, the Legislators will begin to think about getting down to work. There are several important things that will be considered at this session.

One of the acts of the present Legislature will probably be to establish another Normal School in the northern part of the State.

Because the city has existed for several years without proper street signs is no reason why it should continue to do so.

Here it is well into January and not a real snow storm yet. Mr. Devore's predictions for this winter were sadly out of gear.

There is promise of a number of indictments when the Union county Grand Jury finishes its labors.

## WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Clippings From Other Newspapers Which May Be Of Interest to Plainfield and Its Citizens.

It is reported that Assemblyman Chester M. Smith, of this county, will introduce a bill at the present session of the Legislature to incorporate the townships of Fanwood, Westfield and Cranford, into a city, to be known as Westfield City. Cranford property owners, to whom the subject has been broached, are opposed to the consolidation plan.—Rahway Union Democrat.

The succession of Hamilton Kean to the chairmanship is looked upon as an ill omen by the leading Republicans. It has long been a saying among politicians that John Kean's money had made him more popular in every other county in New Jersey than anywhere he had ever done at home. Union county has suffered from his grasping tendencies and his unpopularity at home has been evinced on many occasions.

The Kean forces will, of course, control the party machinery of the county for some time to come; but it is a common secret that they will be helpless when it comes to rendering the party any assistance at the polls. From all of which it will be seen that the bitter war in the Republican camp in Union is by no means at an end.—Trenton True American.

Mrs. Fingerhuth, the woman who shot a man who was attempting to force his way into her house, suffers innocently from the consequences of her act. She was tried, convicted, given a sentence of a few months, only because of all the mitigating circumstances, and was then released. She went to her home, near Plainfield, and a few days ago, constables were given papers to serve on her in a suit for rent. Acting under legal advice she refused to receive the papers, and the constables left. Instantly the story gets abroad that she raised a gun and threatened to fire on them, and all that. The papers took up the story and sent it broadcast, and editors with massive brains told what should be done with such a woman. There was no foundation whatever for the story, but Mrs. Fingerhuth, having been in trouble once, is remembered not for what she did, but for what was charged against her.—Elizabeth Journal.

## TEA TABLE TALK.

Short and Gossip Sketches That Are Not Always News, But Just as Interesting.

Addison H. Clark, tax collector of Westfield township, had an experience on New Year's night which will, hereafter, probably keep him at home on that holiday. Mr. Clark, with one of Westfield's most charming young women, went to New York on New Year's night to hear the chimes at old Trinity church. They were standing in the old grave yard with about ten thousand other "countrymen" shortly before the hour of midnight when men in the rear began to push forward. The Westfield young woman was pushed over a chain fence which guards a grave of one of New York's illustrious dead, and a policeman helped her up and then turned his attention to Mr. Clark who stood by. The officer thinking that the tax collector had caused the trouble began to have a little stick practice when the young woman, called out, "Please Mr. Policeman, he is with me, don't hit him." Mr. Clark and the young woman are keeping mum but like all good things it had to come out.

## Local News on Page 2.

Buchanan, Mich., May 22.  
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Gentlemen—My mamma has been a great coffee drinker and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your GRAIN-O, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package of Grain-O every week. I am ten years old.  
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"EGYPTIAN TISSUES," 32 in wide quite sheer, as name suggests, but woven in corded effects in such way as to add strength to softness. There are 38 perfect styles and we predict a large sale.

"SILK ZEPHYR," 27-inch wide. A mercerized fabric in wash silk effects, and one of striking beauty.  
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"CISMAROSA DIMITY," A wonderfully dainty fabric in the most exquisite colors, and marvelous designs, each pattern a dream of beauty.

This is a brief sketch outlining the character of our showing. We have not overdrawn the picture. Cold Type cannot do the subject justice. You are cordially invited to attend our "Opening" and if you can't attend—write for samples.

A WHITE GOODS SHOWING. At the same we shall display our advance styles in new white goods. Every body will be interested in white goods for they will be generally worn. Lace stripe lawn, satin stripe lawns, corded lawns, plisse stripes, plain lawns, piques, nainsooks, Persian lawns, swisses, organdies, etc. New, exclusive and fair priced.

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## LAMP CHIMNEYS, 9c

Large parlor lamp chimneys with fancy etching, a regular 10c chimney for Saturday only at above price.

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A solid oak, golden finish table, size of top 24 x 24 inches, with undershelf; a regular 1.50 table.

## PARLOR ROCKERS, 2.98

All of our regular 3.48 and 3.98 fine parlor rockers, in solid oak and mahogany. A line of chairs that are well worth 5.00.

## WASH BOARDS, 10c

Regular family size made of zinc, and if we said 18c they would be cheap at that.

## BERLIN KETTLES, 19c

Grey steel enameled ware, full two quart size with cover. A regular 35c kettle.

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White enameled bed with brass rails and vases, extra heavy, best quality woven wire springs and soft cotton top, blue and white striped mattress. regular price 13.98.

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## NEWS OF NEAR NEIGHBORS.

INTERESTING NOTES FROM PLAINFIELD'S SUBURBAN TOWNS.

Daily Budget Of News Gathered By The  
Daily Press' Corps of Special  
Correspondents.  
DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence.)

Dunellen, January 12.—From the number of victims that are being added to the list daily, it seems as though the grip, in proportion, is as prevalent in the borough as in other nearby places. It was estimated yesterday that from fifty to one hundred citizens of the borough are suffering from the malady, some of which are severe cases. So far, however, none of the cases have proved fatal.

The following is the list of the meritorious pupils of the Lincoln school, who have been present every day during the school month ending December 21, 1900: Guselle Brugger, Emma Conover, Lena Brugger, Ida Johnson, Annie Galuska, Lloyd Bragg, Samuel Johnston, Frank Brugger, Arthur Johnston, Ruby Rippard, Percy Allen, Florence Rippard and Bertie Bragg.

Henry Garretson went to Trenton today to attend the double wedding of Miss Dela Howell Maris to Elmer Blackford and Miss Elmer Howell Maris to Herbert Bonward which takes place this afternoon in the Trinity church.

About sixteen pupils were secured at the first meeting of the dancing class held Thursday and nearly as many more are expected to join before the next meeting. The afternoon class will probably be discontinued.

No prayer meeting is to be held this evening, but tomorrow evening a union service will be held in the Presbyterian church. It is expected that Rev. N. J. Spruill will be well enough to deliver the sermon.

The choir being formed for the

Local News on Page 2.

## CASTORIA

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Episcopal church will hold its first rehearsal with Miss Jennie Haynes at her home next Friday evening, beginning at 8:45 o'clock.

Miss Beidleman, teacher of the Greenbrook school, has gone to Trenton for a few days' visit with her parents.

Nathan Wade and family, of Bound Brook, have taken up their residence on Washington avenue.

The Whist Club will meet next Thursday evening with Mrs. A. W. Warden.

Alvah Gray has been confined to the house for the past few days by illness. Mrs. Elam TenEyck spent yesterday with New York friends.

Mrs. Margaret Sutphen is recovering from a severe illness.

## NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence.)

New Market, Jan. 12.—The following are the meritorious pupils of the school for the school month ending December 21, 1900: High School Department—Hazel Lord, Vera Nelson, Bessie Teppen, Frank Kelley, Ralph Eckert. Grammar Department—Emma Danz, Bessie Beetham, Mary Conover, Lena Becker, Grace Leompt, Iva Dayton, Carrie Brower, Eddie Johnson, Arvid Johnson, William Piddington, Zyrone Oline, Richard Meeker. Intermediate Department—Catharine Krause, Erna Siercke, Maud Rupell, Annie Winkler, Bertha Nelson, Annie Lund, Emma Elliott, Sadie Brower, Louise Schworer, Hilda Johnson, William Johnson, Lester Dutocher, Ethan Rogers, Claud Penrose, Alfred Becker, Leo Osborn, Lester Nelson, Edison Lord. Primary Department—Gertrude Giles, Annie Wingless, Grace Burdick, Joe Penrose, Ford Orben, Frank Coriell, Paul Whitford, George Coriell, Carrie Smith, Hannah Nelson, Ella Nelson, Raymond Whitford, Arthur Lutwiese, Herbert Casterline, Emma Nelson, Louise Musa.

The Lehigh section men have commenced relaying the tracks between this place and South Plainfield, using heavier rails, made necessary by the increased travel on the road.

A large number of young people who had intended playing hockey matches on the pond today are greatly disappointed over the poor condition of the ice.

A business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society connected with the First Baptist church will be held this evening.

Several loads of cinders have greatly improved the condition of the sidewalk in front of A. G. Nelson's store.

## 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence.)

Scotch Plains, Jan. 12.—Mrs. John Archibold, of Washington Valley, was taken suddenly ill, while on her way home from the village, Wednesday evening. The attack was very sudden, and, before she was able to reach a house to get assistance, she fell in the street near the fur mill. The family of Mr. Roll kindly took her in and summoned Dr. Westcott, who is still attending her at their home, as

she is too ill to be removed yet.

Rev. Mr. Bright will lead the last of the Week of Prayer meetings in the Methodist church tonight. The meetings have been well attended during the week and a most cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the final meeting this evening.

Mayor Henry L. Hall, of the borough, who has been seriously ill for the past two months with typhoid fever, is improving slowly, but it will be some time before he will be able to resume his mayoralty duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaloway have returned from their wedding tour, which was spent at Scranton, Pa., and are visiting at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Codrington, of Terrell road.

The Borough of Fanwood is still without a marshal, no successor having as yet been appointed to take the place of ex Marshal Tayner, who was removed by the Borough Council Saturday night last.

The work of painting the exterior of the Baptist church building is nearly completed. The much needed improvement adds greatly to the beauty of the building. Henry Keuhn has the contract for the work.

Rev. G. M. Shott is one of the latest to suffer from the grip. Mr. Shott has been confined to the house for several days but expects to be able to occupy his pulpit on Sunday.

The subject of Rev. G. M. Shott's sermons for Sunday will be in the morning: "Returning to the Almighty" in the evening, "Finding Water."

Owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. G. M. Shott, Wm. Van Valken, burg led the prayer meeting in the Baptist church last evening.

No change is noted in the condition of Stites M. Pares who is seriously ill at his home with a very severe attack of the grip.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

(Special Correspondence.)

South Plainfield, Jan. 12.—The following is a list of the meritorious pupils of the South Plainfield school who have been present every day during the school month ending December 21, 1900: Grammar Department—Mabel Arrowsmith, Edna Eckert, Mildred Soper, Nellie Gage, Eddie Horn, Kittie Monahan, Clarence Hoffman. Intermediate Department—Mabel Oubberley, Joseph Miller, George Gage, John Geary, John McDonough, Patrick McDonough, John Nelson, Carl Nelson, Nellie Geary, Euna Eckert, Katie Gano, Marguerite McDonough, Jennie Bohl, May Bohl, May Gage. Primary—John Miller, Albert Bernasky, Stanley Weaver, Willie Bohl, Michel Saverd, Andrew McDonough, Della Saverd, Norah McDonough, Nellie Hogan, Winnie Saverd, Henry Bernasky, John Reilly, Walter Polling, Joseph Horn, Leo Polling, Helen Bernasky, Rebecca Arrowsmith, Mary Phillips, Lillie Hogan, Annie Nelson, Gertrude Nelson.

Cormick McDonough has sworn out warrants against Harry J. Manning and Claude Oubberley who refused to

## GYPSY GIRL HAS ELOPED.

POSEY HARRISON, THE NEXT QUEEN, DISAPPEARED FROM HER HOME.

Supposed to Have Run Away With Her Cousin—Was Selected as Queen's Successor Near Plainfield Last Year. (Special to The Daily Press.)

Madison, Jan. 12.—Posey Harrison, daughter of Nallor Harrison, the gypsy king, left her home in this place at midnight Thursday night under circumstances which cause her father to believe she went away and was married to her cousin, Morris Harrison. During the evening Posey was engaged in her usual work about the house and at 11 o'clock retired with her sister Daisy. At midnight she had left the bed and all trace of her whereabouts was lost. The front door was partially opened and carpet placed upon the steps, evidently to prevent her footsteps being heard by her father. Several of her best dresses were taken and other wearing apparel. It is thought that one of the local liverymen was engaged to meet the couple and take them to the midnight train. The supposed groom had been with the gypsy king for several months as a guest, and not the least suspicion was aroused that he was an admirer of the daughter or a suitor for her hand. It seems, however, he has been more or less devoted to her for four years. She is seventeen years of age and will succeed her grandmother as queen of the united gypsy tribes of the United States upon her death.

Last summer she was selected by her grandmother as her successor and went through the ceremonies preliminary to the actual crowning when the tribe was encamped near Plainfield. Hundreds of people were attracted to the place by the announcement of the ceremonies and Posey figured prominently in the public eye for a short time.

It is the general custom of the gypsies to run away and get married. The mother of Morris Harrison is a leader of the tribes now traveling in Pennsylvania and is a sister of the wife of the gypsy king. His father, who is dead, was an uncle of the gypsy king. Posey is very dark and beautiful, and is always gaudily dressed and wears not less than a dozen rings on her fingers. She had just returned from a trip to Buffalo with her mother, where they spent a month in fortune telling and selecting their quarters for the Pan-American Exposition.

stop skating on McDonough's pond when ordered to. They are charged with malicious mischief and the destruction of ten tons of ice. The alleged damage is fixed at \$60. Ball has been furnished for their appearance before the Grand Jury in April.

The old school building is to be sold this afternoon at auction to the highest responsible bidder. The sale is at 2 o'clock. The committee in charge is John Meeker, William Randolph and John Morris.

A local freight while passing the South Plainfield depot broke a break hanger which hung down and ripped up several feet of the platform, doing considerable damage.

Mrs. Wilsford has returned home after a week's visit with her parents in Easton.

Philip Smith will make a few days visit at his grandmother's.

Green Light Now.

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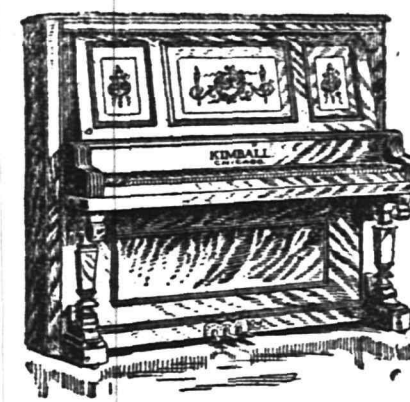
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**Bayern.** München. Im Jahre 1899 waren im Königreich Bayern im Ganzen 170,261 Kinder impflichtig. Von diesen wurden 153,958 geimpft und zwar 152,075 mit Erfolg. Unter den 16,303 ungeimpften Gebliebenen waren die Meisten auf Grund ärztlichen Zeugnisses vorläufig zurückgestellt. Vorschriften über die Impfung entzogen waren 1969 Impfpflichtige. Bei der jüngsten Volkszählung hatte Rosenheim 14,216 Einwohner, gegen 12,196 im Jahre 1895; Rindau 5862 Einwohner, gegen 5629; Weiden 9950, gegen 9969; Rühldorf 3510 Einwohner, gegen 3357 im Jahre 1895. Professor Dr. Bernhard Bierheimer, eine der ältesten Bewohner Münchens wohlbekannte Persönlichkeit, ist als Benediktiner von Ruzi Gries im Alter von 74 Jahren gestorben. Vor seinem Eintritt in's Kloster war Bierheimer Hofprediger bei St. Michael in München.

**Altona.** In der Nähe der Stadt hat ein wegen mehrfacher Einbrüche verfolgter Mann, Namens Speiß, den Gendarmen-Kommandanten erschossen und einen zweiten Gendarmen schwer verletzt. Zwei Tage vorher verlegte er durch einen Schuß einen ihn verfolgenden Dienstknecht.

**Amberg.** Das hiesige Bezirksamt hat folgende dreizehnteilige Verfügung erlassen: „Die Abhaltung von sogenannten ‚Leichenschmausen‘, sei es im Sterbhaus oder in anderen Privathäusern oder in Gastwirtschaften, ist verboten, wenn die Person, deren Abschied hierzu Anlass gibt, zur Zeit des Ablebens an Diphtherie, Masern, Scharlach, Difterie (eigentliche Ruhr), Unterleuchtyphus, Kindersieber, Lungenschwindsucht, Genickstarb oder Blattern erkrankt war.“

**Aschaffenburg.** Der berüchtigte, lange vergeblich gefuchte Einbrecher Döfner, welcher im September aus dem Zuchthaus Untermaßfeld, Schloß-Münningen, entsprungen war, wurde hier gefaßt.

**Bayreuth.** Dabier ist im Alter von 55 Jahren Freiherr Ludwig v. Jungen gestorben, der früher in Pilsen, Böh., lebte.

**Böhm.** In der Pappenbergsfabrik Augustenfeld geriet ein 20jähriger Arbeiter Namens Schmeißer in die Maschine. Es wurde dem Unglücklichen der Brustkorb eingequetscht und so sein sofortiger Tod herbeigeführt.

**Gern.** In Reutewindorf wurde der Halbesfelder Ulrich beim Rangieren von einem Güterzug todtgefahren.

**Laufen.** Die Arbeiter bei der Moorverlichtung nahen Bernau durch Straßlinge aus der Gefangenenanstalt Laufen sind für den Winter eingeliefert. Der Versuch ergab ein günstiges Resultat, weshalb im nächsten Frühjahr die Arbeiten wieder aufgenommen werden.

**Naumburg.** Der ehemalige Stadtschreiber Pfann, 24 Jahre alt, hatte in den Jahren 1899 und 1900 Gelder im Betrage von 1499 Mark, die er verheimlicht hatte, veruntreut. Er wurde neulich zu einem Jahr einem Monat Gefängnis verurtheilt.

**Würzburg.** Der Juwelier Riesing in Schweinfurt, früher in Würzburg, vermachte der Stadt Würzburg 50,000 Mark für Wohltätigkeitszwecke.

**Aus der Rheinpfalz.** Speyer. Während der Puffstunde ließ sich der Reutem 2. Pionierbataillon, Diehl, aus Ludwigshafen gehörig, eine Revolverkugel in die Schläfe. Der Verwundete wurde in's Lazareth gebracht, wo er verstarb. Gründe für die That waren nicht bekannt. Bei Petersbach gelang es dem Streik der Tagelöhner Bauer von Gehlig den Arbeiter Raab und Schöb sich dann selbst eine Kugel in den Kopf. Er war tödtlich verletzt.

**Kaiserlautern.** Der Geschäftsführer Peter Schild hatte etwa 12,000 Mark unterschlagen und die Flucht ergriffen. In einem Gasthause in Ludwigshafen beging er dann Selbstmord durch Erschießen.

**Zweibrücken.** In der sogenannten Franzosenkammer, etwa 15 Schritte von der Gasse, wurde die Leiche des Stadtbauheifers Scheyer gefunden. Er hatte sich einen Schuß in die Stirn beigebracht. Scheyer litt an Trübsinn.

**Stuttgart.** Der König und die Königin von Württemberg haben dem schwäbischen Ritter Christian Wagner eine Jahrespension von 400 Mark ausgesetzt. Die Gesellschaft zur Förderung der Luftschiffahrt, „Zeppelinballon“, hat sich durch Beschluß der Generalversammlung aufgelöst und ist in Liquidation getreten. Bei der jüngsten Landtagswahl wurde hier ein Stimmzettel abgegeben, der neben dem Namen des Kandidaten die Bemerkung trug: „Jesaja 41, 24.“ Der Zettel wurde beanstandet, denn die betreffende Bibelstelle lautet: „Siehe, Ihr seid aus nichts und Euer Thun ist auch aus nichts und Euch wählen ich ein Braut.“

**Heiden.** Der 40jährige Bauer Döfner wurde von dem 19 Jahre alten Fabrikarbeiter Nitting, dem Döfner 3 Mark geliehen hatte, erschlagen. Nitting war von Döfner einige Male um Rückzahlung des Darlehens angegangen worden. Der Thäter wurde verhaftet.

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## USES OF CLOTH.

Wraps, Wrap Linings and Elegant Costumes.

Wrap linings of lace or open embroidery are applied over silk of the same color as the cloth composing the wrap or else of a very delicate tint differing from it.

Cloth is extensively fashionable in pale tones as well as deeper ones, and very elegant costumes are made of it—white, ivory, pearl, gray and ecru, lavender and whity pink, with all the dainty pastel shades. In simple, clinging forms, with a decoration of incrustated gypure or silk embroidery, no gowns could be more charming. Heavy silk embroidery appears also on rich evening wraps of cloth, an example being of ivory cloth embroidered with immense peonies in delicate shades of the natural colors, the embroidery being in high relief. This is



CLOTH BACK.

a full length, loose mantle with large sleeves, lined with sky blue ottoman silk and having a capuchon of the same material. The medall collar is lined with sable.

The illustration shows a half length sack wrap of mastic cloth. The top is a short, closed bolero, ornamented with stitched bands of cloth and fastening with two buttons. The lower part is mounted on this bolero in stitched plaits which are left free toward the base. Below the waist the fronts are slightly scalloped, and the edges are finished with a stitched band. The sleeves have two stitched bands near the top and a border of mink at the flaring wrists. The stitched valois collar is lined with mink, and the body of the sack is lined with wadded silk. The draped hat is of turquoise panne, with a cluster of fancy plumes at the side.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## VARIOUS NOTES.

Details of This Season's Attractive House Gowns.

The wattleu plait at the back of princess house gowns and wrappers is being gradually dispensed with, as it tends to give the figure a thick appearance. A plain back is now usually preferred. A pretty way of making an empire gown is to mount it on a yoke which forms a little bolero or short bodice in front, while at the back it is cut upward in a sort of peak in the middle. The skirt, plaited or gathered to this yoke, follows the line of the point and has a wattleu effect.

Large, open oriental sleeves are much used on house gowns. They are plain, plaited or have a long end like what used to be called angel sleeves.

The cut illustrates a costume of black satin having a skirt laid in stitched plaits.



SATIN GOWN.

The bodice is plaited at the top and covered with a sort of cuirass of heavy ecru lace, forming a point in front and a short bolero at the back. The plaited sleeves of above length terminate in a double puff headed by a plaited drape and near the top is an encircling band of ecru lace. The hat of gray felt is of original form, having a double brim edged with black velvet. The trimming consists of black velvet, black plumes and a jeweled ornament.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## "SMOKED OUT."

SUN on the turn of the afternoon— Reaper a-hum on a high-keyed tune; Sob of a wood-dove, far and clear; Bob White's piccolo, shrill and clear; Song of the boy who "watches the gap," Woodpecker's telegraph—"tap, tap, tap!" Shout of a teamster, o'er and o'er; Song of a girl by the springhouse door; On the porch where the vines are summer ripe The Old Man smoking his corn-cob pipe.

TWILIGHT deep with the day's work done, Fields all empty of men and sun; Shadows gray on the vale and hill, Sigh of the evening soft and still; Laugh of a child by the vine-hid cot, Bleat of a lamb in the meadow lot; Up from the pasture a distant low Answers the milkmaid's "Co, boss—co!" The day is dying, and here by the door The Old Man sits with his pipe once more.

A GREAT bright star on the darkened hill Tremulous pliant of the whip-poor-will; Hoot of an owl in the wood-lot's gloom; A dog barks down in the orchard bloom; From meadow and forest the crickets shrill— All silent sounds, for the night is still. In the porch's shadow a faint light glows— Fades and then brightens—shadow and rose— Till the Old Man, dreaming in reverie deep, Knocks out the ashes and wakes to sleep.

## BOB BURDETTE Takes a Trip Abroad

He Visits Milan and Tells of Government-Made Cigars and Other Things

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ON THE way to Milan the train was crowded, and a gentleman who must have been the original diplomat who remarked that "language was given us to conceal thoughts"—for he spoke that kind of a language—came into our compartment, and producing what we thought was a dispatch box, but which turned out to be merely a cigar case—the dispatch box, we afterward learned, is much smaller—said something in an unknown tongue that sounded like a question, while he lifted his hat with a courteous glance toward madame. We unanimously supposed that he was asking if smoking would be disagreeable to us, whereupon we shouted in vociferous chorus: "We-we, moshoo! Yaw, mein herr! See-see, signory! Yes, indeed!"

Alas, it appeared that he had politely asked permission to smoke. So when the echoes of our reply had died away he said "Merci," and producing from the leather gripsack which he had extracted from his pocket, a long object, which looked like a section of a rawhide lariat, cut off one end, placed it in his mouth, and, creating an incendiary conflagration at the other end of the twist, began, with evident pleasure, to fumigate the land through which the train was passing. In a few stifling moments it dawned upon us that the man was smoking. This was clearly, or rather cloudily apparent. What was amaz-



"I LIKE TO SIT NEAR A MAN WHO IS SMOKING A GOOD CIGAR."

ing was that he referred to the article which he was slowly sucking into combustion as a "cigar." As is usually the case with slow combustion, the process was attended with the development and throwing off of numerous gases, the least malignant of which was harmful to vegetation.

I enjoy my smoke second-hand. I like to sit near a man who is smoking a good cigar. I enjoy a good mixture of a pipe not over 25 years of age. In the open air, fairly to the windward and not too close, twisted plug, not overly green, giving itself forth from a black clay in the smacking lips of a laborer digging in an old gas ditch, isn't entirely disagreeable. In fact, a pipe has to have a record for "rankness" before it can make me move out of a comfortable seat.

"And Smelt So—Pah!"

But the European cigar outranks the offense of Hamlet's uncle. It may smell to heaven, but it smells like the other place. They have cigars of different brands on the continent, same as we have at home. They are

graded, not like our own, from the "twofer" up to the dollar, but from the worst down to the bottom of the list, which has, I think, never been reached.

The most popular brand is the brand of Cain, so called because it kills every other smell, good, indifferent and vile, with its zone. This is the kind the gentleman was smoking in our compartment. It is made of cowhide, I think, wrapped with the hair inside. The process of consumption is peculiar. The fire burrows into the center of the cigar for about an inch. Then it burns through on one side and glows hopefully, being revived by the fresh air, for a few minutes, while it eats a crooked little furrow along the outside of the "cigar," they call it. It then dives into the interior once more, burrows through to the other side, and reappears in a new and entirely unexpected place. A favorite method of gambling among European smokers is to bet where the fire will break out next. It beats American elections for general uncertainty.

There is another brand, much milder, for beginners. This, as analyzed by the nose, is made of woolen waste fitted with carpet rag wrappers, and is smoked with an india rubber mouth-piece. If you have a friend who is a slave to his cigar and is trying to break himself of the habit of smoking, persuade him to come to Europe for three months and not bring any cigars with him. He'll quit. Or if he doesn't he's incurable, that's all.

A suggestive thought in this connection is brought out by the fact that in the countries where these fearful and foul-smelling cigars are made the government has a monopoly of the manufacture of tobacco in all forms. There is no competition. A loving, wise, and paternal government manufactures these Focidistias, Stinkadoras and Effluviats in its own laboratories and sells them to its unhappy subjects to smoke. If the man who wants the government to own everything and make everything will come over here and blight himself with a government cigar, even if he does not experience a complete change of mind, he will bethink him of certain healthful restrictions to be laid down upon municipal control in some matters. Down with the trusts by all means. But down them by competition, not by monopoly. It seems to me that the legitimate and exclusive business of a government should be to govern, not to whittle shoe pegs or crochet lamp mats. And certainly not to manufacture cigars. However, we got to Milan alive, and that was a mercy for which to be grateful.

And the man who was smoking got there alive, too, which was a miracle for our everlasting wonder. Thus Providence supplies the children of His care with daily mercies and wonders for their unceasing delight.

Up Among the Stars.

Milan is the best place in the world in which to learn to fly. We went to the cathedral, hired a good guide, paid his fee in advance, then told him we'd kill him if he came within 100 feet of us while we stayed in Milan, and so were happily and cheaply rid of him. I don't object to guides; I like to see a man trying to earn an honest living, and I always like to help him. But to have one barking at your heels and dancing around you when you want to be quiet, getting incessantly in your



way when you want to see, telling you, in such composite polyglot as no human being on the earth, in the heavens above or the waters under the earth ever used save only a guide, all manner of misstatements about things you already know perfectly well yourself, and lapsing into the profoundest depths of an utterly incomprehensible language when you ask him about something which you do not know, is an affliction which could only be endured by the martyrs whose pictures and statues populate this land of Italy, and they are dead.

And if one may judge from the pictured faces of the saints in all the churches, the greater number of them died without hope in this world or the next. But that is probably a mistake of the painter. When we climbed to the top of the lofty tower which surmounts the cathedral we were not so dizzy as though we had gone up the tower of the Philadelphia city hall in an elevator, for we had toiled and panted up nearly 500 stone steps to get 360 feet above the pavement. But it seems a thousand. It impresses you as being further off the earth than the summit of the Eiffel Tower, which is 500 feet higher. For the air about you seems to be peopled with creatures not of the earth. A hundred turrets spring from the marble roof. Two thousand statues poised on the slenderest pinnacles bear you company in your airy habitation. They do not belong to the pinnacles which they grace; they have but alighted there, as you have lighted on the scanty platform of the tower, and when they circle upward for the flight again you may go with them if you will. It is not difficult as to look, this flying. The clouds above your head are really stationary—it is yourself and this cloud of marble witnesses that drift under the dome of blue sky and fleecy cloud. You could not fall if you tried.

Nevertheless, as you move about the platform in the clumsy walking way you used to do on the earth, if you strike your foot against a stone balustrade, you start and nervously clutch a railing that you couldn't climb over, lest you should fall over it. You see you are not used to flying yet, that is all. And if "jars" you—so the boys tell us, if you suddenly look down from the drifting statues and the white

still if he stood alone. The other heroes and the demi-gods and saints crowd him too much. The emperor canonized him here in this glorious sanctuary—Milan cathedral. It was consecrated in 1577 by St. Charles Borromeo and completed by Napoleon Bonaparte in 1805. So Saul also was among the prophets and Napoleon stands among the saints.

#### The Glory of Yesterday.

Every restless globe trotter whose god is St. Baedeker goes, as soon as he gets to Milan, to the cavalry barracks of Santa Maria Della Grazie. It used to be a monastery, full of monks, who toiled not, neither spun, but sat around and "contemplated," produced nothing, and bearing naught of the burdens of life, but rather adding to them, because some hard working men had to labor to feed and clothe these holy chimeras of the earth. But when Italy took her place among the nations this monastery was suppressed and turned into cavalry barracks. So that it is still full of men, who toil not, neither spin, and labor not to lighten the burdens of the world, but the rather add to them, for the overburdened peasant, having one fat monk lifted off his wearied shoulders, bowed with much hard labor, now bends under the weight of two soldiers, who climb thereon in place of the deposed monk, so the last state of that laborer is worse than the first. The church should be a savior to men, and the army should be a protector. Woe to the land when they are both burdens grievous to be borne. But the worshippers of St. Baedeker do not go to the barracks to see the soldiers, but to visit the old refectory of the monastery and see painted on the wall "The Last Supper," by Leonardo da Vinci. And they gaze upon the shadow of that picture. It has stood there 500 years. The plastering is broken, the painting scratched and marred by careless touch and profane usage. The countenances are faded, washed out, expressionless. The picture means to you whatever you think it does. Your mood may be reverent, sippant, skeptical, devout, sneering or prayerful. You may take the easiest and the more usual way of looking at the picture, which is to permit your guide book to color and phrase your emo-

#### Something to Play With.

A bachelor uncle asked a girl he knew what he should send his brother's baby for a birthday present. "I've never seen the chap," said the uncle, "because they live out west, but he's three years old. Not a rattle or a silver bowl, I suppose?"

"Oh, my, no," said the girl. "He's much too old for such things. Buy him something to play with." And being in a hurry, she dismissed the bewildered uncle and continued on her way. A few days later she met him. His distracted, wearied look was gone. He beamed with the beaming air of a man who feels that he has done his duty well.

"I bought it," he announced. The girl looked puzzled, and then she remembered.

"What did you buy?"

"I paid four dollars for it, and it's a beauty. All leather and celluloid and fits in a box."

"Soldiers?"

"No."

"Animals?"

"No."

"Blocks?"

"No, indeed. A checkerboard!" and the bachelor uncle drew himself up proudly.

Being a really nice girl, she smiled, but did not laugh.—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

#### Practical Joke.

The practical joke is a remnant of barbarism. Hunted back to its origin it is a survival of the methods of torture in vogue with savages the world over. The idea behind every practical joke is the infliction of pain, shame, fear or ridicule upon the victim. It is not often that tragic effects follow a joke, repeating the news chronicles of the daily press, but when one reflects that the real object of every alleged "joke" of the practical kind is simply to inflict physical or mental pain upon some one, it seems as if it must be time, by the clock of the ages, for the practice to end—at least among civilized and half-civilized people.—Ada C. Sweet, in Woman's Home Companion.

#### Wives Must Have Good Teeth.

Good teeth are one of the prime requisites of an Eskimo wife. She must be able to do the cooking, and to sew, and to chew hides. Furs are the only possible dress. Once dry, they are as stiff as boards, and before they can be made into garments the fibers must be broken. Accordingly, the women bend the hide double, making a crease through its length. Beginning then at one end they chew steadily to the other. Then, creating the hide a little farther on, they chew again and repeat the simple process until every inch of the surface has been chewed and, with the fiber broken, the skin is flexible.—N. Y. Herald.

#### Chinese High Graves.

Chinamen, with all their faults, revere the graves of their ancestors, and there is no greater crime than desecrating a graveyard. At one time all the resting places of the dead in China were flat. Confucius, the wise man of the empire, going on a journey once, and desiring to know his mother's grave when returned, moved it into a mound. Some believe that this act of the most revered man in China was the origin of high graves. Because graves are everywhere in the empire, the first railroad built there has to follow a very circuitous route in order to avoid them.—N. Y. Times.

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#### Beauty of the Past.

I once stood by the chair of a helpless old woman, saying good-by to her, for she was an old friend, my journey was a long one, and we never looked to see each other again. She was bent and withered with age and sickness; some touch of paralysis had drawn one side of her face but of the sweetness of proportion and line that even age might not have destroyed. Her hands were arched. Her skin was parchment-like in its faded color and many wrinkles. Her granddaughter stood beside her, in all the loveliness and comeliness of youth and health—a face "to launch a thousand ships." "You are beautiful," I thought, as I looked at her—and she was—but you will never be as beautiful as your grandmother was." And she never would be. No artist may ever paint such a picture as Da Vinci's "Last Supper." I don't know; I never saw it when it was perfect. But it isn't beautiful now.

ROBERT J. BURDETTE.



YOU START AND NERVOUSLY CATCH A RAILING.

clouds and see below the firm earth in her place, the churches, towers, and all the city fixed and still, and you find yourself motionless and a firm part of it. This irritates you a little, too. For it is so easy up here to lose all connection with the earth and its interests.

Plenty of higher places I have climbed unto, for, as you see, this isn't such an exceeding high place. But here, unlike the faraway main-trunk of the Eiffel or the peaceful "fighting top" of the Philadelphia city building the air is heavier. It is the marble populace that gives one the sense of existing in another sphere. Some of these people wear familiar countenances. They are heroes of mythology whose pictures we have often seen in paint and marble, but whom we never expected to meet in this airy mansion in the skies. Some of them are saints whom we had always hoped to meet in this land higher than the steeples, and among them, in classic robes, is our old friend, that demi-god Napoleon, whom we are a little surprised—I don't know just why—to meet among the saints. The pinnacle on which he stands is not nearly so high as the one he poised himself upon before he put on his marble immortality. And it isn't quite so wide as that "St. Helena," a little rocky islet, of which he wrote in his schoolboy copy book, when, for a summer morning task he listed the "islands belonging to England." The emperor—how little a place was the big world for all his greatness; small wonder that all the eagles on his hundred standards drooped and died when he pinned to death in his cage in the midst of the great lonely sea. And now he stands here pinnacled on a block of marble scarce larger than the foot that touches it, with the infinite sweep and stretch of air and sky around, above him, and all the world so far beneath him. This is well. It would be better

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## FORTUNE OF MANY MILLIONS

SAID TO BE AWAITING HEIRS IN BANK OF ENGLAND.

Many Plainfielders Are Interested in the Alleged Fortune Left By One Joseph Moore.

Many heirs to the estate of Joseph Moore, who died in England many years ago, leaving a large estate, are being importuned to subscribe towards a fund to pay the expenses of a New York attorney to Europe to investigate the matter.

There is said to be fully five hundred heirs living in this country. The money, if any, has accumulated to a vast amount, variously estimated at from \$2,000,000 to \$500,000,000. If all reports are to be believed, the estate was long since converted into cash and is on deposit and awaiting the rightful heirs in the Bank of England.

The story is in effect that years ago three brothers named Moore went to England. Two of the brothers died, and by industry accumulated a vast fortune. Something less than a quarter of a century ago he died without issue. It is this money which Joseph Moore left and which has grown like a snow ball that is now claiming the attention of the numerous heirs, many of whom live in this vicinity.

It is understood that some of the heirs to this vast fortune are sanguine that all information they have been able to glean regarding the matter is authentic. The parties who have been for several years gathering information regarding the heirs, are firm in the belief that the money is in the Bank of England and all that is necessary is for them to establish their claims.

Among those in this city who are direct descendants of the Joseph Moore who died in England many years ago are the Pops, the Bunyons, Charles H. Hand; Mrs. Martha Giddis; of Harris Lane, living near Bound Brook; Jonathan Fitz Randolph Clawson and his children of Dunellen. Then there are many others.

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## SPORTING.

### BASKET BALL.

The game of basket ball at the Y. M. C. A. last evening between the W. W. W. and Wasserpachter teams proved very interesting and was witnessed by a large number of enthusiasts. It was a clean and even game throughout. The majority of the goals were made from the field. The Wasserpachters were defeated by a score of 14 to 12. The teams:

W. W. W. Wasserpachters.  
Smith.....forward.....Denton  
Moore.....forward.....Lucky  
Bentley.....centre.....George  
Mull.....guard.....Hicks  
Brokaw.....guard.....Kitsen

### KLONDYKERS WON.

Defeated Bowlers of Pond Tool Works in Two Games on Conover's Alleys: Last Night.

Two successive bowling games were played on Conover's alleys last evening between the "Klondyke" and Pond teams, both of which ended in defeat for the latter. Neither side showed any exceptional good form and the individual scores were lower than the average. The games were exciting, however, as the scores were somewhat close, the Pond men making every effort to win.

A large number of rooters witnessed the matches and the series is attracting a great deal of attention. Another and perhaps two games will be played next Friday night.

Following are the bowlers and the scores:

KLONDYKE		POND.	
First game.	Second game	First game.	Second game
Martin.....124	111	Snyder.....112	111
Ouse.....105	100	Conolly.....120	111
Meyer.....103	100	Waters.....90	97
Grayne.....92	100	Wagner.....99	104
Whelan.....146	108	Evans.....99	92
Butthead.....146	108	Overbaugh.....156	116
	640		570

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### Death of Miss Maguire.

The death of Miss Ellen T. Maguire, aged 27 years, occurred this morning at her home, 325 Central avenue, after an illness lasting about one year. She was the daughter of Phillip Maguire, of South Plainfield, and had many friends in this city. The funeral services will be held from the late residence Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock and at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock.

### Rain Kept Many Away.

The Week of Prayer meeting at Grace M. E. church last evening, under the auspices of the local M. E. churches, was not as largely attended as expected owing to the disagreeable weather. The meeting was led by Henry A. Gee. It was a Sunday-school rally.

### Installed Elizabeth Officers.

District Deputy J. W. A. Bauer, saabs, Henry Nitschewitz, Edward Mosher, and O. R. Pierson, Jr., of the A. O. U. W., visited Elizabeth Lodge, No. 29, A. O. U. W., last evening and installed the officers. They also assisted in the initiation of seven candidates.

—Press want ads bring results.

## PLAINFIELD PULPIT SUBJECTS.

SERVICES IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES TOMORROW.

What Plainfield Ministers Will Talk About for Elevation of the Minds and Morals of Their Congregations.

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

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

Religious Society of Friends' meeting held in their meeting-house, corner of Watchung avenue and Third street. First-day (Sunday) and Fourth-day (Wednesday) at 11 a. m. First-day school at 10 a. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, Lay Readers.—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service; 4, evening prayer.

St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran church, Rev. William Trebert, pastor.—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, German preaching; 7:45, preaching in English.

Wilson Memorial chapel.—2:30, Sunday-school; 8, Mr. Tugwell will speak and Mrs. Tugwell will sing.

Church of the Holy Cross, Rev. W. W. Montgomery Downey, rector.—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning prayer and sermon; 4:30, evening prayer.

Park Avenue Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor.—10:30 and 7:45, preaching by Rev. Dr. DeWolf, of Newark; 2:45, Sunday-school.

Bethel chapel, Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor.—11, devotional services; 3, Sunday-school; 8, Lord's Supper.

Grace P. E. church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, Rev. F. Appleton, curate.—7:30, Holy Communion; 9:45, business men's class; 10:30, morning prayer and sermon; 2:45, young men's class; 3, Sunday-school; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon.

Hope chapel, Rev. G. K. Newell, pastor.—10:30, preaching service; 3, Sunday-school; 8, Communion of the Lord's Supper.

Trinity Reformed church, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Pa. D., pastor.—Morning subject, "Christian Unity;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7, prayer-meeting; evening theme, "A Question of Profit and Loss."

Marconier chapel.—Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; Rev. A. E. Main will lead the evening service at 8 o'clock.

First M. E. church, Rev. W. O. Snodgrass, D. D., pastor.—10:30, preaching by the pastor; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, praise service with short sermon on "The Last Breakfast Talk," the closing sermon of the series on "The Table-talk of Jesus."

Monroe Avenue M. E. church, Rev. John McMurray, pastor.—11, sermon, subject, "The Great Commission, Its Authority;" 3, Sunday-school; 7:15, Epworth League prayer-meeting; 8, sermon, subject, "Whither Bound?"

### MCCARTER DEAD.

Thos. N. McCarter, Sr., Passed Quickly Away at His Home at Newark Last Night.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Newark, January 12.—Thomas N. McCarter, a prominent lawyer of New Jersey, died in this city last night. He was born in Morristown on January 31, 1824, and was a son of Judge Thomas N. McCarter, of the Court of Common Pleas in Sussex county. He practised law in Newton until 1885 and then moved to Newark where he devoted his attention to commercial law.

He was at one time or another counsel for or a member of the directory of all of the original railroad and canal companies of New Jersey and fought many winning battles in the courts. He was also identified with many insurance companies. He was for many years chief advocate for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. He was graduated from Princeton in 1842, and all of his sons were graduated from the same college.

He leaves three sons, all prominent in financial and political circles, and three daughters. His youngest son, Thomas N. McCarter, Jr., is State Senator from Essex county, having served from 1900.

### A Former Plainfielder.

Among those who took part in the Forester's entertainment in Washington Hall last evening, was Chris. Sorensen, Jr., formerly of this city, who is now a professional trombonist for the O. G. Conn Company at New York. Mr. Sorensen has been residing in New York for the past year and has made rapid strides in the musical profession. His playing last evening was greatly enjoyed.

### It Girdles the Globe.

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## DEATH CAME SUDDENLY.

T. H. VAN INWAGEN STRICKEN WHILE WINDING A CLOCK.

Sank Into a Chair and Passed Away Within an Hour—Was Fifty Years Old.

While apparently enjoying the best of health, Theron H. Van Inwagen, of Franklin and Brook avenues, was stricken with a spasm as he was winding a clock at his home last evening, preparatory to retiring. He sank into a nearby chair and made an effort to speak to his wife but in vain. The latter summoned Dr. Jenkins, but ten minutes after his arrival and in less than an hour from the time he was stricken, Mr. Van Inwagen was dead.

The real cause of death was heart trouble. The case is a remarkable one as Mr. Van Inwagen was an exceptionally healthy man, his only illness for a long time being an attack of the grip Christmas week. About 9 o'clock last evening he played for some time with his little child and did not mind the exertion in the least.

The deceased was fifty years old and came to this city a year ago from Ithaca, N. Y. He purchased the business of the Plainfield Art Company in the Y. M. C. A. building and had built up an excellent trade. He was greatly pleased with his Christmas patronage and had several plans under consideration for his future business career in Plainfield which was ended by his untimely death.

Outside of a few business friends and his fellow members in the order of Odd Fellows he was but little known locally. During his residence here Mr. Van Inwagen and his family, which consists of a wife and one son, were regular attendants at Trinity Reformed church. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

### RAISED UP CHIEFS.

District Deputy Holstein and Staff Present at Miantonomo's Meeting.

District Deputy Sachem Charles Holstein and staff were present at the meeting of Miantonomo Tribe of Red Men last evening and raised up the chiefs recently elected.

Those raised were as follows: Prophet, Foster Johnson; sachem, Frank Van Pelt; senior sagamore, Charles McKinley; junior sagamore, Frederick Bowe; chief of records, Charles Holstein; keeper of wampum, Andrew Stiglitz; collector of wampum, Norman Mague; guard of wigwam, Frank Burke; guard of forest, Patrick Fay.

After the raising up was completed the members listened to addresses made by Messrs. Holstein, Humphrey, Huff, Batz and Johnson. A collation and smoker brought the evening's exercises to a close. Next Tuesday night District Deputy Holstein and staff will go to South Plainfield and raise up the recently elected chiefs of Manawah Tribe, of that place.

### CITY JOTTINGS.

—Rev. F. E. Taylor, of Brooklyn, will address the meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at 4:15 o'clock. The subject of the address will be "The Touch of Christ." Singing by male quartette.

—Persons who suffer from indigestion can not expect to live long, because they cannot eat the food required to nourish the body and the products of the undigested foods they do eat poison the blood. It is important to cure indigestion as soon as possible, and the best method of doing this is to use the preparation known as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and restores all the digestive organs to perfect health. L. W. Randolph.

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—Suits on Contract. Wikoff & Stiglitz, through their counsel, Murphy & Batz, have brought suit on contract against C. M. Fowler in Justice Huff's court. The papers are returnable Saturday morning, January 19, at 10 o'clock.

—Will Play at Jersey City. John Daly, of this city, who is manager of the company playing "Court-ing on the Green," stopped off last evening on his way from Columbus, O., to Jersey City. His many friends were glad to see him.

—Twelve Candidates. Twelve candidates were initiated last night into the mysteries of the second degree by Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias.

## PERSONAL.

The infant child of Letter-carrier Demarest, of the borough, is very ill. Elder B. W. Hand, the stationer and newsdealer, is able to be out again after an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton, of Johnson avenue, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby daughter.

W. W. St. John is now reporting for the News while Reporters Whiteside and Elderton are on the sick list.

E. Maxwell Honeyman, of Grove street, was able to go out today for the first time after a week's illness.

A young son is now the centre of attraction at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Shirley, of Netherwood avenue.

—Rev. Dr. W. C. Nelson will lead the meeting at the East Third Street chapel tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

—There will be Gospel temperance meetings at Reform Hall tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock and tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

—The merited reputation for curing piles, sores and skin diseases acquired by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, has led to the making of worthless counterfeits. Be sure to get only DeWitt's Salve. L. W. Randolph.

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## DIED.

MAQUIRE—In this city, January 12, 1901, Ellen T. Maguire, aged 27 years, 3 months and 8 days.

Funeral services from the late residence, 325 Central avenue, Monday morning, January 14, at 9 o'clock, and at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock, where requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul.

VAN INWAGEN—Suddenly, on Friday, Jan. 11, 1901, Theron H. Van Inwagen, aged 49 years. Services at his late residence, Franklin and Brook avenues, North Plainfield, on Sunday, Jan. 13, at 4 p. m. Interment at chappa, N. Y.

## WANTS AND OFFERS.

A MARRIED man would like a position as coachman, or groom. Address Coachman, Press office. 111 3

WANTED—A first class chambermaid and laundress with good reference. Apply 830 Central Ave. 112 tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress. Apply 437 Belvidere Ave.

WANTED at once, experienced white waitress. Mrs. Jno. Leal, 949 Central Ave. 112 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; Plainfield reference. 229 East Fifth St. 112 2

FOR SALE—Brick house, 9 rooms; improvements, fine location; greater part of purchase money may remain. Address Brick House, Press office. 112 2aw

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FIVE per cent loans negotiated. E. Elston M. French. 11 26 tf

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TO LET—Flat, 3 rooms, 432 Watchung Ave. 110 3

FOR SALE—Team of carriage horses; will be sold single or together; sound, good drivers, gentle; no reasonable offer refused. 59 Jackson Ave. 19 6

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