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PASSING AWAY OF A BRIGHT YOUNG LIFE

Miss Gertrude Andrews Died at
Home of Her Parents Yester-
day Afternoon.

SHE WAS VERY POPULAR.

PASSED CRISIS OF ILLNESS BUT RE-
LAPSE PROVED FATAL.

Miss Andrews Was an Active Christian
Worker and Universally Beloved—
Was an Enthusiastic
Golf.

All the community has been greatly saddened by the death of Miss Mary Gertrude Andrews, who passed away at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Andrews, of Central avenue, yesterday afternoon. The news of her death came as a shock as it was generally believed that she had passed safely through the critical part of an attack of typhoid fever and was on the way toward recovery. She was taken ill several weeks ago, but her splendid constitution carried her safely through the crisis and she began to rally. Two days ago her condition grew worse and she passed quietly away at 5 o'clock after every possible effort had been made to preserve life. The best of medical attendance was secured but in vain.

Of the young women of Plainfield, there was none more universally popular and more generally beloved than Miss Andrews. She was born in Bryn Mawr, Pa., twenty-two years ago and came to this city with her parents fifteen years ago. After attending school in this city and New York, she spent two years in Miss Porter's School at Farmington, Conn. From a child, her bright and sunny temperament made her a great favorite with all those with whom she came in contact. She was the idol of her parents and was always very intimate with them. She leaves a younger sister, Louise.

Miss Andrews united with the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church when a young girl and always retained her interest in the church and its institutions. She was an active worker there and taught a class of young girls in Hope chapel for several years. She had recently spent several weeks at the Whitler House, a social settlement in Jersey City, and had brought good cheer into the lives of many, old and young, who came under the influence of that institution, greatly endearing herself to her fellow workers there. She was hoping to resume that work when this illness came to interrupt all such kindly purposes.

Although active in local social circles, Miss Andrews was particularly fond of an active outdoor life. She was one of the best and most enthusiastic players among the young women who were members of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club. Last summer she captained the team of young women who represented the Hillside Club in a series of matches with other clubs.

All who knew her, here and elsewhere, will remember long and tenderly that bright and gentle spirit, and the beauty of that Christian character. In this city, where she spent most of her life, there are a great host of friends and acquaintances who will mourn her death and will deeply sympathize with the sorrowing parents in their bereavement. Her death, coming as it did at the very opening of her life's career, is a particularly and one.

The funeral services will be held from the residence of her parents, 818 Central avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be at Hillside cemetery.

LUNCHEON AT CASINO.

Charming Affair Given by Mrs. Charles A. Reed and Mrs. George T. Rogers Yesterday.

A delightful luncheon was given by Mrs. Charles A. Reed and Mrs. George T. Rogers, of Myrtle avenue, yesterday in the Casino. Covers were laid for forty and the guests were from this city and the borough. The luncheon was given upstairs in the large and small rooms. In the large room, the tables were arranged to form a letter "T," and here there were thirty guests. In the small room ten guests were seated at the round table. The decorations were artistic and beautiful.

After the luncheon the guests adjourned to the rooms below, where a social time was enjoyed. Most of the guests brought their work along with them, and, while they chatted, made use of their time.

MANY HONORED HIS MEMORY.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT FUNERAL
OF HENRY B. VAN ALSTYNE.

Services Were Held From Residence
of His Parents Yesterday
Afternoon.

The funeral services of Henry Burhan VanAlstyne, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of the parents, 730 Watchung avenue. They were attended by a large number of relatives and friends, including members of Wetumpkah Tribe, No. 229, I. O. R. M., Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., and the Seneca Athletic Club, of which the deceased was a member.

Rev. Charles L. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated, and after reading appropriate Scripture selections, he made a few remarks in which he extended comforting words to the bereaved family, and impressed all with the importance of putting their trust in God, who alone can give comfort and peace, and an assurance of a continued life of happiness hereafter. During the service, E. E. Runyon sang two appropriate selections.

There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a pillow from Wetumpkah Tribe, of Red Men, and one from Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., a bunch of flowers from the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church and a broken column from the Seneca Athletic Club.

The interment took place in Hillside cemetery, and those who served as pall bearers were George Sterling and Clarence VanAlstyne, of New York; Frank Stover, Nathan R. Titworth, Albert Vail and Samuel Schuyler, of this city.

ADMITTED THEFT.

Trained Nurse Donohue Pleaded
Guilty of Stealing Two
Watches.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Trenton, Jan. 31.—It having been decided that Colonel Quincy O. M. Gilmore of the Second Regiment is to command the provisional New Jersey regiment that is to take part in the inaugural ceremonies at Washington, March 4, Colonel Shinn, of Camden, has designated for the second post of honor Lieutenant Colonel John A. Mather, of Camden. Colonel Shinn has also designated Battalion Adjutant Walter Edge, of Atlantic City, Assistant Surgeon James D. Blair, of Burlington, and Sergeant Major George W. Slack, of Burlington, for service in the provisional regiment.

The provisional regiment will be made up of three companies from each of the existing National Guard regiments. So far, Colonel Shinn is the only commanding officer to name the companies from his regiment that will take part. He has designated Company A, commanded by Captain E. B. Stone; the company at Woodbury, commanded by Captain O. W. Shivers, and company M, commanded by Captain James E. Mather.

ORGAN RECITAL.

Ward Stephens Will Give Fourth of a Series
at Crescent Avenue Church Sat-
urday Night.

The fourth organ recital of Ward Stephens will be given in the Crescent Avenue church Saturday evening, Feb. 2, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Stephens will be assisted by Miss Magdalena Perry, contralto. Following is the programme:

Prelude and Fugue..... Mendelssohn
"O Rest in the Lord"..... Mendelssohn
Sonata..... Miss Perry.
Pastorale from Sonata, in D minor..... Gullmunt
"Nuptial March"..... Chopin
"Polonaise," a major..... Chopin
"I Wearing Awa to the Land o' the Leal,"..... Hanscom
"Lullaby"..... Miss Perry.

"Faust Fantasia" (Stephens)..... Gounod
Gavotte from "Mignon"..... Thomas
"Ach. Mein Sohn (H. Pfaff)"..... Meyerbeer
"Lullaby"..... Miss Perry.

Alleluia, in D major..... Tours
"Festival March"..... Smart

Told of Life in Holy Land.
Mrs. M. H. Ailab, of Assyria, gave a delightful talk in the W. O. T. U. rooms yesterday afternoon, telling of her experiences in Jerusalem. There was a good attendance of the members and the speaker's talk was greatly enjoyed.

Tea and Cake Sale.
A tea and sale of cake will be held tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock under the auspices of the Benevolent Baud of King's Daughters, at the "Oscar Brook," Martine Homestead. A silver offering will be received.

Lincoln's Birthday.
Several social events are being arranged for Lincoln's Birthday evening, and a number of private dances will be held in the city and borough.

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INDICTED TWICE FOR STEALING BICYCLES.

But Horace B. Washington Has
Departed From Town Before
Warrants Arrived.

CONSTABLE IS AFTER HIM.

WANTED ON CHARGE OF STEALING
TWO BICYCLES.

Cases Were Considered By Grand Jury
and Two Indictments Brought—Re-
markable Way Wheel Num-
bers Were Found.

Horace B. Washington, who until one day last week was employed as butler at the residence of Stephen A. Ginn, of Watchung avenue, is wanted to answer to two indictments brought in by the Grand Jury of Union county. He is charged with stealing a Cleveland bicycle from Charles B. Morse, of Franklin place, May 21, 1900, and a Cleveland bicycle from Godwin Beard, of Hillside avenue, one night later that summer. Constable Peter V. Weaver was in town yesterday afternoon with two warrants in his pocket for Washington, but Washington had left town and failed to leave note of his destination behind.

The wheel, which was stolen from Charles B. Morse, was taken into the store of the F. L. O. Martin Cycle Company one day last December by Edward Terry, of Watchung avenue. It was immediately recognized by Geo. M. McIntyre, the manager of Martin's store. Terry claimed that he purchased the wheel of a colored man, named Washington, who was employed by Mr. Ginn as butler. The number was filed off, but so few changes had been made to it that it was easily identified by the owner. Terry had a witness to prove that he purchased the wheel of Washington.

Thomas Washington, janitor of the Stillman building but no relation to the other Washington, subsequently turned over to the police a Cleveland wheel which he claimed to have purchased from Horace Washington. The number was filed off. The wheel exactly resembled the one which had been stolen from Godwin Beard.

A warrant was issued in Justice Nash's court for Horace Washington on the charge of stealing Morse's wheel. He was arrested and arraigned before Justice Nash. He waived examination and was held under bonds to await the action of the Grand Jury. The case was subsequently reopened at the request of Mr. Ginn who was to have gone on Washington's bail. An examination was held but the complainant, by advice of his counsel, City Judge William N. Euyon, did not appear. Justice Nash discharged Washington.

The identity of the wheels owned by Beard and Morse was proved in a way entirely new to most people. Experiments made at the Western Wheel Works recently brought out the fact that when the number was stamped on the wheel it made a compression of the metal which remained after the number itself was filed off. A series of tests revealed the fact that a certain acid would eat its way around this compression and bring out the number even if they had been filed off. This acid was quite expensive and was only discovered after long experimentation.

F. L. O. Martin secured some of the acid from the Western Wheel Works and the two wheels, with the numbers filed off, were carefully treated. After being in the acid bath for over a week the numbers gradually appeared and were very easy to read. They proved, without the possibility of a doubt, that the wheels were those stolen from Beard and Morse.

A strong chain of evidence was collected and placed in the hands of Prosecutor English. The witnesses were then summoned before the Grand Jury one day last week. The police say that on the evening of that day, Washington collected his property and they have since been able to get no trace of him.

When the Grand Jury brought in the indictments Wednesday there were two against Washington for larceny. Warrants were then issued and given to Constable Weaver to serve but he is still looking for the colored man. The police say that Washington has left the State and they do not expect that he will return. If he should he will have to stand trial.

District Session.
The district session of Red Men will be held with Wetumpkah Tribe, No. 219, I. O. R. M., Thursday evening, February 7.

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WORK OF M'ALL MISSION.

DESCRIBED AT TEA GIVEN AT RESI-
DENCE OF MRS. G. A. STRONG.

Interesting Addresses Were Followed
by a Social Hour—Those
Who Assisted.

The "McAll Tea," given by Mrs. George A. Strong at her residence on Central avenue Wednesday afternoon, was, notwithstanding the snow storm, a perfect success. A large number responded by their presence to the cards of invitation sent out, and undoubtedly felt well repaid for venturing through the storm.

Dr. J. Balcom Shaw, pastor of the West End Presbyterian church, of New York, made a most interesting though brief address, on the work accomplished in France by the McAll Mission, urging its claims on all Christians. He was followed by Mrs. Henry Haines, the president of the Elizabeth Auxiliary, who spoke a few words of encouragement. Rev. Dr. William B. Richards then outlined the special results of the work at Limoges, to which the funds of the Plainfield society are devoted.

The capacious house was beautifully decorated with palms and flowers, the table color being red.

Mrs. Strong was assisted in receiving by the president of the Plainfield Auxiliary, Mrs. Frederick Meade, Mrs. Lawrence Myers, Mrs. George W. Van Boekerck, Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, Mrs. John Gray Foster, Mrs. Charles T. Lee, Mrs. Isaac N. Field, Mrs. Van-Sickle, Mrs. Wm. R. Richards, Mrs. Wm. M. Stillman and the Misses Strong, Schroeder, Haddock, Anna Miller, Ethel Bowen, Olapp.

SURPRISE BOTH NIGHTS.

Friends of Clancy F. Stout Arrived
When They Were Not Expected—A
Pleasant Evening Spent.

An enjoyable surprise was given to Clancy F. Stout, the popular manager of the circulation department of the Daily Press, at his home at Park place, last evening, in honor of the anniversary of his birthday. The anniversary occurred Wednesday, but Mrs. Stout, who arranged the affair, planned to have it last evening to ward off suspicion. The plan worked perfectly. Mr. Stout was completely surprised both evenings. He had expected a party at his home Wednesday evening, and last evening, when he did not expect anyone, the company arrived.

Mr. Stout went out early in the evening, and while away the guests gathered at his home and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin, on Duer street, and then proceeded to the home of the surprised. When Mr. Stout arrived home about 9 o'clock, he found the company all assembled, and he acknowledged his surprise. He soon joined heartily in the festivities, and an evening of genuine pleasure followed. There was dancing and playing of games. At a late hour supper was served, after which the guests departed, wishing Mr. Stout many happy returns of the day.

Returned From Philippines.
James Hewitt, of the borough, who for the past two years has been in the Philippines as a member of the Sixth Infantry band, has secured his discharge and arrived home yesterday. He returned overland by way of San Francisco. Mr. Hewitt is in excellent health, but has suffered greatly from the intense heat, which necessitated his going to the hospital several times. During his term of service he was promoted to rank of corporal.

Stumbled Over Fire Stone.
Michael Weber, the South Second street butcher, met with a painful accident while returning to his home on East Third street a few nights ago. It was at the corner of Arlington avenue and Fourth street, that he stumbled over a flag stone that projected above the others. His side was bruised and he sustained other injuries, which Dr. Clawson treated properly. He is now able to be out, but suffers some pain as a result of his fall.

Early Elementary Training.
Miss Geraldine O'Grady, of the faculty of the Teachers' College, of New York, will speak on "The Early Elementary Training and its Relation to Child's Later School Life," at the Randolph Cooley Collegiate School, 303 LaGrande avenue, Thursday evening, February 14, at 8 o'clock.

Is the Bible True?
"Is the Bible True?" will be the subject of a lecture to be given by Rev. W. L. Jones at Y. M. O. A. Hall Sunday at 4:15 p. m. Mr. Jones is a gifted speaker, and the discourse is spoken of as one of rare merit.

—Use Fresh waffles.
—The finest blend of coffee, the best butter and a full line of vegetables at Neuman Bros.

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PUBLIC SERVICE HELD IN MEMORY OF QUEEN

Many Assembled at Hope Chapel
Last Evening Where Memorial
Services Were Held.

TOLD OF HER TRUE WORTH.

ADDRESSES BY REVS. DR. RICHARDS,
FLOYD APPLETON AND MR. NEWELL.

Men, Women and Children of All Civilized Nations Mourned at Her Death—High Praise for England's Late Ruler.

The first public service to be held in this city in memory of England's late ruler, Queen Victoria, took place in Hope chapel last evening. At the hour of commencement practically every seat in the pretty little edifice was occupied by admirers of the departed sovereign, who took this means of expressing their regret at her demise.

Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, pastor of the chapel, was in charge of the service and was assisted by Rev. Dr. W. B. Richards, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, and Rev. Floyd Appleton, curate of Grace P. E. church, all of whom made remarks of an eulogistic character. The dead queen's virtues, as numerous as they were diverse, were extolled in a manner which greatly impressed those in attendance as to her true worth and nobleness.

In opening his remarks, Dr. Richards stated that on the death of William the Silent, children cried in the streets, but when the sad intelligence was sent broadcast over the land that Victoria's reign was at an end, not only children mourned but men and women in all civilized nations of the world did also. They did this, not because of her long reign, but for her exemplary private character. She not only ruled the nation and herself, but her influence was felt by everyone with whom she came in contact.

At the time of her ascension to the British throne, the government and royal court, in regard to morals, was in a state which defied belief and with which in comparison, the government of New York today is above reproach. Yet the young queen by her indomitable will, transformed the court and its surroundings from everything that was bad into a model government respected by all men. In addition to this she found time to be a model wife and mother and sought in many ways to prove worthy of the respect bestowed upon her. During his remarks Dr. Richards pointed out many details of her character which might be copied to personal advantage by those who admired all that was pure and noble.

Rev. Mr. Appleton, who was the second speaker, declared the Queen's object in life was to be, and to be felt to be, the mother of her country. That she succeeded in this self imposed task is beyond questioning. She was a mother in the true sense of the word to her own family, to the state and to the church. The latter in particular felt her wonderful influence, she always having its spiritual welfare at heart. With that wonderful tact possessed by a woman, she guided the Presbyterians of England and the Episcopalians of Scotland in peace and harmony never once allowing a conflict. In her death her subjects have lost a friend who took at extended interest in every part of their lives.

The closing address was made by Rev. Mr. Newell who is a few well chosen words further impressed his hearers with the great loss which the world had suffered but which might be partially atoned for by endeavoring to live up to the irreproachable example established by the departed.

All the Stock Sold.
The bidding at the auction of the Thorpe Mantel Company on Park avenue yesterday afternoon was lively enough to dispose of all the remaining articles which had been left over from previous sales during the past month. All the gas logs, mantels and the few pieces of tiling were sold. The amount realized will be in the neighborhood of \$125.

Off to South Africa.
Thomas Scott, a celebrated engineer, who resides in England, has been spending a short time at the home of Joseph Bogert, of West Sixth street. He left yesterday for New York and in a few days will go to Natal, S. A., where he has been sent by a large English company, which has possessions there.

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DEATH AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS.

MRS. J. C. POPE PASSED AWAY AT
HOSPITAL LAST NIGHT.

Went There For Operation For Ap-
pendicitis—Resided in This City For
Many Years—Consent to the Last.

Mrs. James C. Pope, of West Fourth street, died last evening at Muhlenberg Hospital, where Wednesday she underwent an operation for appendicitis. Last Monday Mrs. Pope went to New York, and that evening she attended the consecration service of the Christian Endeavor Society at Trinity Reformed church, taking part in the service. The following day she was taken ill and an examination showed that the trouble was appendicitis. Wednesday morning she was taken to the hospital for an operation. She survived this very well and was improving until yesterday morning, when there was a turn for the worse. After that she continued to fail and died about 11:30 o'clock last evening. She was conscious to the last. During the last hours she was surrounded by her relatives.

Mrs. Pope was the daughter of the late John King, of this city, and was born at Dunellen, where the family lived for some time. She had been a resident of Plainfield about twenty-five years. She was a woman of many excellent qualities and of a charitable disposition. Some few years ago she suffered with an illness which caused a partial helplessness of the lower limbs. She was, however, able to get about with the aid of a cane and she experienced little difficulty.

Mrs. Pope was an attendant at Trinity Reformed church for several years, and joined the church about a year ago on confession of faith. Since that time she has been one of the faithful attendants, never missing a service, if able to go. She was closely identified in the various departments of the church work, being a member of the Sunday school, and only recently she commenced teaching a class, last Sunday being her first. In the Christian Endeavor Society she was a faithful and zealous worker, as she was also in the Young Woman's Mission Band. In the former organization she was a member of the prayer-meeting committee, and in the latter she was a member of the missionary committee.

Besides a husband and one son, William Pope, Mrs. Pope leaves three sisters, Mrs. Belle Clark and Mrs. Della Cannon, of Newark; Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Duer street, in the borough, and two brothers, Robert King, of Asbury Park, and George King, of Newark.

The funeral services will be held from her late residence, 115 West West Fourth street, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

ALL PAID DIME.

First of Series of Socials Given by
Friendship Lodge, Degree
of Rebecca.

There were thirty present at the first of a series of dime socials given last evening by Friendship Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Rebecca, I. O. O. F., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Fleet, of East Third street.

A number of other socials are expected to be held by the members of this lodge in the near future, and every effort was exerted to make this, the first one, a complete success.

Everyone was expected to contribute a dime, which was to go into the funds for the benefit of the order. The Misses Gray, of Fanwood, and Miss Jackson, of this city, contributed greatly to the enjoyment of the evening by their vocal and instrumental selections.

Late in the evening refreshments were served, and soon after the members departed.

The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. J. B. Higgins, Mrs. L. Bowman, Mrs. John Rittenhouse, Mrs. Peter Van Fleet and Jacob Hetterling.

Piano Agency Secured.
G. H. Kenyon, the piano and bicycle dealer at 315 West Front street, has just secured the agency for the celebrated McPhail piano, which is made in Boston. It is built on honor and sells on its merits. An inspection is asked. Mr. Kenyon also sells the well-known Kimball piano. Read the new advertisement in today's Press.

Talked on German Literature.
Mrs. Louis Fisher gave an instructive lecture yesterday afternoon in the guild room of Grace P. E. church on the subject of "German Literature." The audience was greatly interested in Mrs. Fisher's talk and it will be the means of taking a deeper interest in the literature.

—Fresh vegetables, the finest in market, are to be found at Neuman Bros. Also the finest coffee and butter.

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WORK TO BE DONE IN SUNDAY-SCHOOLS

Annual Meeting of Plainfield
Sunday-School Union Was
Held Last Evening.

ADDRESS BY MR. MEIGS.

WORK OF THE YEAR WAS BRIEFLY
REVIEWED.

C. D. Meigs, of Indianapolis, Was
Chief Speaker and Gave Instructive
Talk on Sunday-School
Work—Election of Officers Held.

The first annual meeting of the Plainfield Sunday-school Union was held last night in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, a large number of Sunday-school workers being present. Rev. Arthur E. Main, president of the Union, was in the chair.

The meeting began with a song service, and opening prayers by Robert Love and J. Henry Manning. The secretary of the Union, Joseph A. Robinson, then presented his annual report. He told briefly of the organization of the Union, and what had been accomplished during the year. There have been held a public meeting in the interest of Sunday school work, a meeting for superintendents and three practical and interesting Sunday-school institutes. House-to-house visitation is also being carried on. With regard to the finances of the Union, Mr. Robinson said that the expenses had been greater than the receipts for the year.

The chairman appointed as a committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year, William D. Murray, J. Henry Manning and Robert Love.

The speaker of the evening, C. D. Meigs, of Indianapolis, associate editor of the Sunday School Evangelist, and a practical Sunday-school worker, was then introduced. Miss Baldwin, the New Jersey State Secretary of Primary Work, who was also to deliver an address, was unable to be present.

Mr. Meigs' subject was "Needs of the Hour in Sunday-school Work," and he began by speaking of the necessity, in these stirring times, of Sunday-school methods being as thoroughly up-to-date as the methods of the week-day school.

The first need, he said, was more spiritual power. He appealed to every teacher present to look back over his past year's work, and see if he saw in it no need for more spiritual power. More earnest prayer, more careful, thoughtful study of the lessons, and a more truly Spirit-filled life, were some of the points he brought out as essentials for more successful Sunday-school work in the coming year. His ideal teacher would not only be a Bible teacher on Sunday, but on Monday and Tuesday as well. Let God, he said, take entire possession of you.

More physical power, the speaker considered the second need of the hour in Sunday-school work. In other words, more Christian activity. If Christianity is in the head, said he, it should be in the heels as well. Those who have plenty of Christian work to do are not those who are given to backsliding.

Third, more mental power. Rather a better use of the mental power already in the school; a more thorough training of workers by means of normal classes. Sunday-school leaders are mortal; they cannot hold their positions forever, and others must be prepared to take their places.

In closing, Mr. Meigs tackled up before his audience what he called the standard motto for a Sunday-school:

"I—Every member a Christian;
"II—Every Christian a Worker;
"III—Every Worker Trained;"

and expressed an earnest wish that this might be the ideal toward which every school in the Union might strive.

At the close of the address, the opportunity was given for those present to ask Mr. Meigs questions with regard to practical points in Sunday-school work and some interesting questions were discussed. Mr. Meigs advised teachers whose pupils did not study the lessons at home to make a strong effort to secure the co-operation of the parents and to give the pupils some interesting point in the lesson to look up at home. He strongly advocated the holding of regular teachers' meetings for the study of the lesson and spoke of schools which had found it helpful to have rules requiring regular attendance from teachers. Reports from teacher to school and from teacher

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ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES FOR ALL CLASSES OF READERS.

Picked Up Here and There and Recorded for the Benefit of From Patrons.

—Millions of people are familiar with DeWitt's Little Early Risers and those who use them find them to be famous little liver pills. Never gripe. L. W. Randolph.

—There will be preparatory services at Warren chapel this evening at 8 o'clock and on Sunday morning at 10:30 the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

—There is always danger in using counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The original is a safe and certain cure for piles. It is a soothing and healing salve for sores and all skin diseases. L. W. Randolph.

—On account of the absence from the city of Rev. Dr. Schenck of Trinity Reformed church, his pulpit will be occupied Sunday morning by Rev. Dr. Main. In the evening, Rev. W. L. Jones will preach.

—A powerful engine cannot be run with a weak boiler, and we can't keep up the strain of an active life with a weak stomach; neither can we stop the human machine to make repairs. If the stomach cannot digest enough food to keep the body strong, such a preparation as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure should be used. It digests what you eat and it simply can't help but do you good. L. W. Randolph.

LITERARY.

The Saturday Evening Post announces for early publication a twelve-part serial story of love and adventure by Morgan Robertson, "Masters of Men" is a powerful tale of the new Navy. The central figures in the story are a rich orphan, who has entered the navy as an apprentice, and a young ensign, fresh from the Naval Academy. The author leads his two heroes through a maze of adventures by land and sea. This romance may fairly be called the best work of the best writer of sea stories in the country.

—The inmates at the Children's Home, who have been ill with scarlet fever, are rapidly getting well. The quarantine will be raised in a short time.

—For the weakness and prostration following grippe there is nothing so prompt and effective as One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation is highly endorsed as an unfailing remedy for all throat and lung troubles and its early use prevents consumption. It was made to cure quickly. L. W. Randolph.

Harry Milligan, of West Fourth street, who has been visiting relatives at Soranton, Pa., has been spending a few days in this city. He will return to Soranton today.

A Fireman's Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes O. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from there, use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by L. W. Randolph. Price 50 cents.

Mrs. Seymour Smith, of Garlton avenue, is again quite ill.

Mrs. Joseph A. Blatz, of Somerset street, has recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

—Persons who can not take ordinary pills find it a pleasure to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They are the best little liver pills ever made. L. W. Randolph.

PERSONAL.

Fred VanLiew, of this city, has been spending a short time with Somerville friends.

Miss Morris, of Stelton, has been spending a short time in Plainfield with friends.

Mrs. John Abbott, of West Front street, who has been visiting in Philadelphia, has returned.

Miss Edna Bowers, of Basking Ridge, has been spending a few days with Plainfield friends.

Mrs. K. Rottberg, of West Third street, is detained at her home by illness. Dr. Ziegler is in attendance.

Miss Mary Seeds, of East Fifth street, who has been ill for about three weeks, is again able to be out.

Miss Anna E. MacCrady, of Baritan, who has been spending the past six weeks with her sister, Mrs. H. M. Johns, of Richmond street, is very much improved from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

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 get to eat. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get apothecary, at your grocer today. 10 cts.

AT THE THEATRES.

Something About the Attractions Which Plainfield Theatre-Goers May Care to Witness.

The latest of the intensely dramatic works of fiction to be utilized for stage purposes because of their great dramatic possibilities is Marie Corelli's "Sorrow of Satan," originally produced with great success at the Shaftesbury Theatre, London, now for the first time touring this country, and which will be at Music Hall Monday night. Its story is not only dramatic in the extreme; it is also audaciously novel and original. Certainly nothing has appeared in recent fiction more dramatic or unique than this figure of Satan, a distinct personality, living on the earth, scrupulously modern in his dress, received by men as a mortal like themselves, yet realizing himself that he is that "Son of the Morning" who once sat on the right hand of the Heavenly throne. And the character given him in the story and the play is equally revolutionary. He is pictured not as a fiend, gloating over the crimes of men and the fall of women, but as a former angel whose proud boast in Heaven condemns him to tempt men to evil while longing for the perfect purity of the whole race, knowing that when all men turn from evil, he, too, will be again admitted to his lost place.

The comedian Smith O'Brien will be seen at Music Hall next Thursday night in his new play by Con. T. Murphy "The Game Keeper." The play is a fascinating Irish drama of the romantic type and a wealth of beautiful scenery is used in the production. Mr. O'Brien who is a noted singer pleases immensely in his ballads "The Green Above the Red," "When You Were Sweet Sixteen," "The Holy City" and other songs. The latter is sung in the pretty chapel scene. In "The Game Keeper" there are pretty love scenes, thrilling climaxes, a rapid fire of ready Irish wit and plenty of good music.

"The Old Homestead," with Denman Thompson as "Uncle Josh," is announced as the attraction at Music Hall, Saturday, February 9. This familiar story of down east farm life is always welcome, and particularly so when Mr. Thompson plays "Uncle Josh," which is the most natural of all the stage creations. The entire play is nature itself, and that is why it continues to hold its place year after year. Reserved seat tickets are now on sale at box office.

Mary Manning's run in "Janice Meredith" at Wallack's Theatre, New York, will come to a close at the very height of her New York success. Owing to contracts made over a year ago, she will be forced to end her engagement at this house Saturday evening, February 23. Therefore, she will begin her last three weeks in New York next Monday evening. Special matinee performances will occur on Lincoln's birthday, Tuesday, February 12, and Washington's birthday, Friday, February 22. Miss Manning's 100th performance of "Janice Meredith" will occur Friday evening, February 15. Manager Frank McKee has arranged to present every woman present at this performance with a beautiful souvenir. Seats are now on sale for all Miss Manning's remaining metropolitan performances.

Had To Conquer Or Die. "I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C. "I had Consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wonderfully cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well." It's an unrivaled life-saver in Consumption, Pneumonia, La Grippe and Bronchitis; infallible for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Croup or Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Walter Hatfield, Jr., of East Front street, has recovered from an illness which detained him at home for several days.

Lewis Randolph and his daughter, Mrs. Weber, of Liberty street, have returned from a visit with Perth Amboy friends.

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Dr. Adams, of Grove street, who has been quite ill with quinsy sore throat, expects to resume his practice very soon.

Mrs. Spratt, of the West End, who has been in the New York Hospital under treatment for some time past, expects to return home soon.

Next Club Meeting. The next meeting of the Montaux Euchre Club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Cannon, on Somerset street. The date is Tuesday evening, February 12.

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Dated January 10th, 1901. IRVING L. BRADY.

FIRE FOLLOWS EXPLOSION.

Many Injured in an East Side New York Factory.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Fire last night laid in ashes nearly two city blocks on the east side. The area of total destruction lies between First avenue, the East river, Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets. Nearly half the block south of Thirty-first street was also destroyed, together with a vast expanse of lumber yards and coal and wood sheds extending southward from Thirty-second street and along the river front.

There had been an explosion in the afternoon in the cigar box factory of the William Wick company, on the north-east corner of Thirty-first street and First avenue. It was followed by a serious panic and the injury of a large number of the employees. The fire, however, was supposed to have been thoroughly extinguished, when shortly after 7 o'clock last night it burst forth from the ruin with such fury that firemen who had just arrived were forced to abandon water tower No. 3 and fire engine No. 21 and run for their lives. The fire engine was subsequently crushed under the falling wall of the Thirty-first street side of the building and remained there a shapeless mass of wrecked machinery.

Though the fire abounded in thrilling incidents none was more sensational than the gallant effort made by the men of engine 21 to save the splendid team of gray which had been caught under the terrific back draft of the fire before they could be detached from the engine. The effort was only partially successful. One of the horses had to be shot, and Chief Croker said the other would probably have to share the same fate.

The escape of Joseph W. Cody, a contractor, from the building, and the fact that he was at work with a wrecking crew of 30 men on the roof of the building, was marvelous.

Chief Croker of the fire department and Captain Patterson of the fire patrol roughly estimated the total loss at about \$1,500,000.

JOINT MEETING PLANNED.

Foreign Envoys and Chinese Ministers to Confer Next Week.

PEKING, Feb. 1.—A general meeting of the foreign envoys was held yesterday morning at which it was decided to hold a joint meeting of the envoys and the Chinese plenipotentiaries next week. Nothing has been definitely arranged regarding the punishments, and opinions are much divided, some favoring drastic measures, like beheading the majority of those considered especially responsible, particularly Prince Tuan, who, next to the empress dowager, is considered the principal culprit, but others, under instructions from their governments, advocate nominal punishments, like banishment.

It is generally recognized that all the foreign envoys, with the possible exception of M. de Giers, the Russian minister, personally believe leniency would be a great mistake, considering the interpretation the Chinese would put upon it. Li Hong Chang is anxious that the joint meeting should be held at his house owing to his state of health.

The Germans have sent an expedition, consisting of one battery of artillery and one regiment of infantry, to some point westward. They refuse all information and decline to allow correspondents to accompany the column.

It is reported that a massacre of many native Christians 70 miles west recently occurred, and the place of the massacre is the probable destination of the expedition.

Government Offices Burned.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The provisional government offices here have been totally destroyed by fire, says the Tien-tsin correspondent of The Standard. "The fire was obviously of incendiary origin. Chinese placards have lately been posted protesting against the taxes levied by the provisional government."

Joint Mining Conference.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 1.—The joint conference of the operators of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and western Pennsylvania, called to fix the price of mining for the scale year beginning April 1, 1901, convened here yesterday. The first session was brief, the conference adjourning until this morning immediately after the committees on credentials and rules and permanent organization had been appointed. The real work of the conference begins today with the appointment of the scale committee, to which the demands of the miners formulated at the Indianapolis convention will be submitted. The permanent chairman of the conference is Walter Mullen of Ohio, president of the Massillon Operators' association. The secretary is W. B. Wilson, secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers, and the assistant secretary is C. L. Scroggs of the Illinois coal commission. The operators and miners of Iowa and Michigan will not be admitted to the joint conference.

Impaled on Engine Pilot.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Feb. 1.—When Erie No. 5 from New York dashed into the Union station in this city at 10:15 o'clock last night, passengers who crowded the platform were horrified to see the mangled, bleeding bodies of two men impaled upon the engine pilot. A patrolman hurried to the engine cab to notify the engineer, but he was on the opposite side of the double track and did not learn of the double tragedy until he came around in front of the pilot to the other side. It is thought the men, who are unknown, were running across the tracks miles below the city. The ghastly figures were quickly covered with blankets, and a patrol wagon hurried them to the morgue. Many women at the station fainted at the sight.

A New Pipe Line.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—After a hard fight of many years the first successful competition to the Standard Oil company's pipe line has been completed. The new line, which is the United States Pipe line, is now finished from the oil-fields of McKean county to tidewater in Delaware bay. The line, which was made about 20 miles west of this city, whereby a direct line of 380 miles from Bradford, the northwestern terminus, to Marcus Hook, the southeastern terminal, is ready for business. There are double pipes laid along the entire line, one for crude and the other for refined oil. The pipes have a capacity of 20,000 barrels per day. The management of the company state that oil will be shipped by Feb. 15.

North Dakota Town Burned.

FARGO, N. D., Feb. 1.—The entire business portion of Aberdeen is reported destroyed by fire. Telegraph and telephone wires are down from this end.

VICTORIA'S FUNERAL.

All Business Will Halt In London Tomorrow.

TEN MILES OF WARSHIPS IN LINE.

Royal Yacht to Leave Cowes Late This Afternoon With Remains of the Queen—Long List of Royal Mourners.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The managers of the London afternoon papers have decided unanimously to suspend publication tomorrow, so that those who are not able to witness the funeral scenes will have to wait until Sunday for the description. Such a suspension, except on Good Friday, is almost without precedent. It will serve to emphasize the solemnity of a great occasion.

The Daily Mail this morning recalls that on the occasion of the funeral of Queen Elizabeth no foreigner followed the bier with the exception of the French ambassador, and it adds that "now all Europe will accompany the bier of the mother of sovereigns."

The naval display will be less striking than on the occasion of the diamond jubilee. It had been anticipated that more foreign men-of-war would be present. Moreover, several vessels of the channel squadron are now detained for repairs at their base ports. Yet the spectacle will be extremely majestic. The Spanish warship Empress Carlos V, which was ordered to Portsmouth, has been obliged to return to Ferrol, her engines being disabled.

The czarowitz and one or two other distinguished persons who are now crossing the channel to England will complete the list of foreign guests.

Tomorrow will be a day of complete national mourning not only in London, but throughout the provinces and the colonies. There will be a general closing of shops and a suspension of business as well as the holding of memorial services. The directors of the Northwestern railway system of England have ordered that at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow, the hour appointed for the funeral, all trains shall be brought to a standstill, and every servant of the company shall remain motionless for ten minutes.

The king has ordered that the same men who will carry the coffin tomorrow in the procession shall bear it to the mausoleum at Frogmore Monday.

The following is the list of royal mourners, with those invited to attend the funeral during their sojourn in England: The Duke of Aosta and Major General Slade, Archduke Ferdinand of Austria and Major General Sir A. Ellis, Prince Arnulf of Bavaria and Colonel Wardrop and the king of the Belgians and Earl Howe and Colonel D. Browne, Grand Duke Frederick of Baden and Hon. H. Stonor, regent of Coburg, Prince Philip of Coburg, crown prince of Denmark and Colonel Sir N. Kingscote, Prince Ibrahim of Egypt and Colonel Douglas Dawson, French mission, King George of Greece and the Earl of Gosford, Prince of Hohenzollern and Lieutenant Colonel A. Collins, Grand Duke of Hesse and Lord W. Cecil, Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse, Prince von Hohenlohe-Langenburg, Duke Adolphus Frederick of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Netherlands mission, Prince Henry of Prussia and Admiral Sir John E. Commerell, King Charles of Portugal and the Earl of Denbigh and Colonel J. Clerk, crown prince of Roumania, Prince Henry of Reuss, the czarowitz and Lord Suffolk, Duke of Saxe-Coburg, Prince Meinungen, Prince John of Saxony, Prince of Saxe-Altenburg, Duke of Sleswick-Holstein, crown prince of Siam, crown prince of Sweden and Norway, Prince and Princess of Schaumburg-Lippe, Turkish mission, Prince of Waldeck and Duke Albert of Wurttemberg.

President McKinley's wreath for the king is among the finest received. It is a simple wreath, 8 feet in diameter and 2 feet wide, all white. It is composed of lilies of the valley, white roses, camellias, lilacs and Arum lilies, which were specially selected because of their gigantic proportions. A covering one side is a magnificent spray of white orchids (cat-tayas and dendrobiums), mauve Alexanders, etc. Depending from the wreath is a broad silk ribbon inscribed in silver lettering, "From the President of the United States." It took six workmen two days to make the wreath, which will be sent to Windsor by special messenger.

Ten Miles of Warships.

COWES, Feb. 1.—A glittering crescent of light stretched last evening from Cowes to Portsmouth. It consisted of ten miles of warships, the pick of the British, French and German navies. These lay at anchor ready to take their part in today's ceremonies, when the navy will pay a last magnificent tribute to the sovereign whose reign was marked by the greatest naval progress in the history of the nation. Apart from these peaceful rows and rows of twinkling port lights, separated from each other by only a few cable lengths, one might fancy that the quiet towns of Cowes and Ryde might be nearly a blockade. It will probably be during 4 o'clock this afternoon before the Alberts will be ready to receive the royal remains. The royal yacht, the Victoria and Albert, will steam inside the single line and then enter the passage formed by the leviathans.

The Pope Sends Envoys.

ROME, Feb. 1.—Leo XIII has designated Mgr. Granito de Belmonte, papal nuncio in Brussels, to proceed to London and to present to King Edward the condolences of his holiness upon the death of Queen Victoria and felicitations upon his coming to the throne.

READY TO BE SIGNED

Conference Report on Army Bill Adopted.

SHIPPING SUBSIDY BILL DISCUSSED.

Night Sessions Announced For the Senate to Hasten the Measure. The House Passed the Fortifications Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—After an eventful legislative experience, beginning with the present session of congress and covering about two months, the bill for the reorganization of the United States army yesterday passed its last stage in congress and now goes to the president for his signature. The final step was taken in the senate, where by a vote of 35 to 25 the conference report on the bill was agreed to. The house of representatives already had agreed to the report. The conference report was kept before the senate constantly yesterday, even the shipping bill giving way.

Opposition to the bill continued to be vigorously expressed, Mr. Teller making an extended speech in criticism of the war department and of the measure in general. An opposition developed on the Republican side to the report, based on the alleged freedom with which the conferees had taken in introducing new provisions. On the final vote several Republican senators voted with the Democrats against the report.

The shipping bill was discussed during the latter part of the day, and some progress was made on amendments. A speech by Mr. Hawkins of Utah against the bill was in progress at the close of the day. Mr. Chandler announced that a night session would be moved today to advance the bill to its final stages.

The house passed the fortifications bill and made fair progress with the post-office appropriation bill. During the general debate upon the former bill Mr. Latham of Texas delivered a notable speech on the future of the Democratic party, in which he made a strong plea for the necessity of a united Democracy and counseled the burial of the hatchet and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party. Many amendments were offered to the postoffice appropriation bill in the interest of various classes of postoffice employees, but they all went down before points of order raised by Mr. Loud, the chairman of the postoffice committee, who was in charge of the bill.

May Talk the Bill to Death.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The Democratic senators and their coworkers in the senate who are opposed to the ship subsidy bill did not hold a formal conference yesterday to decide upon a course to be pursued with reference to that measure as had been announced they would do, the explanation being made that it had been discovered that the opposition was still so determined as to render a formal meeting unnecessary. While there was no caucus, however, there was a general exchange of views of the minority senators which enabled the leaders to form a quite definite opinion at the close of the day of the position of the opposition as a whole. The decision reached is to continue the debate upon the bill for the present with the hope of being able to keep it going until it will become necessary for the Republican majority to take up the appropriation bills and other measures which should pass before the 4th of March. They say that they have speeches assured for eight or ten days and that there are probably other senators who will prepare speeches within that time.

Christian Endeavorers Meet.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 1.—A steady snowstorm prevailed yesterday and interfered somewhat with the plans made by the reception committee for the entertainment of the delegates to the national Christian Endeavor convention, as it necessitated the abandonment of plans to visit many points of interest in the city. However, the day was passed pleasantly at the various headquarters where the leaders in the movement were assembled. Secretary John Willis Baer said: "The convention promises to be a great success, and I haven't the least doubt it will be as important as any the society ever has held. This convention is to take place not only to review the past, but also to lay some important plans for the future." Secretary Baer submitted a statistical report showing the enrollment of the society on its twentieth birthday. There are in the United States 43,799 societies, in Canada 3,397, in foreign lands 12,899 and 123 floating societies. The total membership is 3,649,080.

A Negro Colony.

CAPE MAY, N. J., Feb. 1.—The Afro-American Equitable association, an organization of negroes who propose to found an industrial colony on 1,400 acres of land about ten miles north of here, are meeting with much success in the beginning of their efforts. They have an option on the land and now lack but \$400 to make up the amount necessary to have the land pass title to them. Over \$500 is also in hand to begin work with in the way of starting an industrial school and a plant for light manufacturing purposes. Each colonist will be apportioned a certain amount of land and necessary farming implements and stock. No one will be allowed to work or reside in the colony except members of the negro race. The first lot of colonists will come from New Jersey, Virginia and North Carolina.

Would Die in Place of Hill.

TRENTON, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Storey, an aged spiritualist of Camden, came to Trenton to see Governor Voorhees for the purpose of offering herself to be executed in the place of Hill, who is sentenced to be hanged at Camden Feb. 5. Governor Voorhees was not here, and the woman left the statehouse saying she would go to the governor's home at Elizabeth.

To Be Buried With Honors.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Feb. 1.—The remains of Private James E. O'Neil, Ninth United States infantry, killed at Tientsin, have arrived here, and the body of Private James E. McConkey, United States Marines, killed at the same place, is expected in a few days. Both will be buried with military honors.

Judge Cantrell's Residence Burned.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Feb. 1.—Theodore Cantrell, the handsome residence of Judge James E. Cantrell, has been destroyed by fire. The building had 50 rooms or more filled with fine furniture and curios. Loss, \$30,000.

FEDERATED AUSTRALIA.

Edmund Barton, Famous New South Wales Statesman, to Be Its First Premier.

Edmund Barton has accepted the earl of Hopetoun's offer to form the first cabinet of the Federation of Australia. A writer in the Review of Reviews in 1895, speaking of Edmund Barton, said: "Next, perhaps, to Sir Henry Parkes, Edmund Barton is, among New South Wales politicians, best entitled to be called a statesman. Intellectually he is, speaking comparatively, a giant. I have met many people of importance, but I have never met a man who could say finer things



HON. EDMUND BARTON. (Prime Minister of the Recently-Formed Australian Federation.)

on the spur of the moment than Edmund Barton. 'I would be ready at any time to play second fiddle to Barton,' said Sir George Dibbs to me; and, he added, 'if I had Barton's intellect with my own energy, I could rule Australia.' At 21 he was an M. A. of the Sydney university, and he is one of the best types of the highly educated native-born Australian. In a legislature which, with all its faults, is singularly sensitive about the dignity of the speaker's office, the most honorable under the constitution, he is recognized as perhaps the best speaker we have ever had in New South Wales. He occupied that position for over five years, and it is something to win distinction in an office which had been held by Sir Daniel Cooper, Sir Terence Aubrey Murray, Sir John Hay, William Munnings Arnold, Sir George Wigram Allen, and the dignity of which is now supported by Sir Joseph Abbott. He was one of the few who grasped at the convention the great difficulties surrounding federation, and one of the three who, in what Sir George Dibbs describes as the 'whisky and paste' excursion up the Hawkesbury river in the Lucinda, drafted the commonwealth bill."

CLEVER YOUNG MAN.

George Wyndham, New Chief Secretary for Ireland, Has a Bright Future Before Him.

George Wyndham, the new chief secretary for Ireland, is one of the foremost of the younger set of British politicians. He was private secretary to Mr. Arthur Balfour when the latter was secretary for Ireland, and in the last cabinet he was an under secretary of



RT. HON. GEORGE WYNDHAM. (Her Majesty's New Chief Secretary for Ireland.)

war, where he did much important work in connection with forwarding Lord Roberts' big army. His ability was recognized by assigning him to the difficult post at Dublin, where much tact and firmness, a ready tongue and pleasing personality are required. Mr. Wyndham has much Irish wit which he comes by through his descent from the Sheridan family. He is, however, an English aristocrat of the deepest dye. His wife was the widow of the duke of Westminster's eldest son, and she still calls herself, as English usage permits, Countess Grosvenor, although married to Mr. Wyndham.

Sample of Boston Thrift.

Just before his death, which occurred in 1790, Benjamin Franklin left \$5,000 to the city of Boston, and an equal sum to Philadelphia, with instructions that the money was to be invested for 100 years, and then devoted to certain public objects. The Boston legacy now amounts to \$366,889, and that of Philadelphia to a little over \$100,000. The Boston managers have certainly been much more wise and thrifty than those of the Quaker city.

Children Are Fond of Red.

It has been noticed by the matrons of infant asylums that a baby will be cross all day if dressed in a gray frock, but contented and happy if dressed in a bright red garment. Children from two to four years old are much less affected by the color of their dress. It is commonly observed in kindergartens that the younger children prefer the red playthings, while the older children prefer the blue.

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THE VENEZUELAN TROUBLES.
Guerrilla Warfare Continues—Decisive Battle Reported.
WILLEMSTADT, Island of Curacao, Feb. 1.—Guerrilla warfare continues in the eastern districts of Venezuela, but the reports of the victory of the government troops near Carupano, in the state of Bermudez, are amply confirmed. The victory seems to have been decisive, and the fighting was heavy. The papers also report that 250 government troops and a large number of insurgents were killed in the battle near Las Cuevas, and it is rumored that the government troops committed great atrocities.

A Philadelphia firm of high standing has negotiated for the purchase of Paloma, the largest coffee estate in Venezuela, for \$400,000. The belief that the United States government has resolved to protect American citizens from unjust official extortion is largely responsible for this transaction, as well as for other recent important investments in Venezuela.

Another French cruiser has arrived at Carupano.

Venezuelan Gunboat's Hard Luck.
SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Feb. 1.—The Venezuelan gunboat Restaurador, formerly the Atalanta, Mr. George Gould's yacht, which left Brooklyn Jan. 24 for La Guayra, Venezuela, has arrived. Her commander, Captain Jeremiah Merithew, reports that the gunboat struck a fearful gale off Bermuda last Sunday. This continued for three days. Coal and water were exhausted, and the mahogany deckwork was burned as fuel. The waves ran mountain high. The boats were stove in, and the jibboom, bowsprit and spare spars were lost. For 48 hours Captain Merithew was on the bridge. Finally the gunboat floors were burned, but this scarcely served to keep up steam, and the last available fuel had gone into the furnace when the Restaurador sighted El Morro. Captain Merithew had to burn his last barrel of pork to get the gunboat into port, and he was unable to stop to pick up a pilot. The Restaurador, however, suffered no serious injury. The necessary repairs can be made in a week, and the gunboat will then proceed for La Guayra.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.
Venezuelan revolution is considered ended.
British ambassador at Berlin has been summoned to England.
Hostilities are threatened between Nicaragua and Costa Rica.
Fire caused \$100,000 damage at Reade and West streets, New York city.
The deadlock continues in the Nebraska, Oregon and Montana senatorial contests.
After rejecting various amendments the Paris chamber adopted by 353 to 93 the first article of the law of associations.

A PEACE ENVOY SHOT

General De Wet Orders Flogging and Execution.

BOER LEADER EVADES PURSUERS.

Lord Kitchener Reports Many Small Engagements—Nines at Johannesburg Threatened—The British Situation Difficult.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—A dispatch from Bloemfontein says: "The commissioner at Kroonstad wires the military governor here that Andries Wessels, one of the Boers who came here as a member of the peace committee, was shot by order of General De Wet at Kiptfontein on Monday." He was flogged at the time the committee first arrived.

The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, Jan. 31:

"Knox engaged De Wet south of Welcom Jan. 29, and there was continuous fighting for some hours. Pilcher buried five Boers and took three prisoners. Our losses were one officer and one man killed and 13 men wounded.

"Last evening De Wet crossed the Bloemfontein-Ladybrand line near Israelpoort. Bruce Hamilton, who was at the waterworks, was unable to get in touch with him.

"French engaged 2,000 Boers in the Wilge valley. The enemy had four killed and nine wounded. Our casualties were one killed and seven wounded."

A dispatch from Pretoria, dated Jan. 30, says:

"After General French left The Springs, near Johannesburg, yesterday, 500 Boers crossed from Nigel and did some damage to mine property at Elansfontein. From there they proceeded toward Rietfontein and in passing threatened the east Rand mines.

"The British garrison repulsed them and captured Commandant Marais, who had been wounded. Some other prisoners were also taken.

"An armored train also fired on the Boers with pom-poms from Rietfontein station, causing further loss to the burghers.

"Another commando is reported to have gone westward along the Gats Rand, southwest of Johannesburg, in the Potchefstroom district.

"General De Wet's force consists of 1,500 men and two guns," says the Cape Town correspondent of The Daily Mail.

"It is unofficially confirmed that he has entered Cape Colony, but definite news is impatiently awaited."

"It is understood here," says the Durban correspondent of The Standard, "that operations in the field will soon be revived on a large scale, and the policy of hunting out and capturing the Boers with mounted troops will be pursued."

The Daily News this morning editorially urges that an endeavor should be made to utilize the presence in England of numerous sovereigns and representatives of European states on the occasion when the whole world is mourning the death of a peace loving queen to secure the cessation of the "unhappy war in South Africa."

Tried to Destroy the Mines.
JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 1.—Four or five hundred Boers recently evaded the British patrols, reached Benoni and attempted to destroy the mines. Some fighting resulted, and the Boers were beaten off, carrying away most of their wounded and leaving two wounded behind them. The British captured three prisoners. One Briton was wounded.

British in a Bad Plight.
BRUSSELS, Feb. 1.—A special dispatch from Rome says: "In a letter to Archbishop Sogaro, dated Jan. 15, Lord Kitchener admits that the situation of the British is very difficult and that the Boers are still hoping for European intervention. He declares, however, that it is not true that the British have committed cruelties."

President Hill at Home.
ST. PAUL, Feb. 1.—President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern returned from New York yesterday. In answer to a question about the reported St. Paul deal Mr. Hill said: "I told the correspondents in New York frankly and honestly that my errand in New York had been magnified out of all proportion to its real importance and that there was really no foundation for the stories printed. There seems to be no end to the human imagination." Regarding the Crow's Nest coal matter he said: "I have nothing to tell except that we are going to build up toward the Canadian border to meet the people on the other side who will build down toward us."

Big Cut in Rubber Prices.
BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Telegrams received from the west announce the receipt of a new circular from the United States Rubber company informing the wholesale dealers of a cut in prices of 35 per cent and 10 per cent from list on first class goods and of 35.10 and 10 per cent on second, making a flat 18 per cent reduction from present quotations. The new prices go into effect today.

A Bear Creates Terror.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Feb. 1.—A black bear which escaped from its cage in Ross park, this city, terrorized the neighborhood for a time and was only captured after a desperate struggle. The animal chased half a dozen boys out of the park, and one narrowly escaped with his life. Bruin was lassoed by the keeper and carried back to his cage.

Michigan Legislation.
LANSING, Mich., Feb. 1.—A bill prohibiting the coloring of oleomargarine has been passed by the senate and agreed to by the house in committee of the whole. A bill was introduced in the house fixing the franchise tax on corporations at one mill per \$1 of authorized capital, which is double the present rate.

Louhet Honors Italy's King.
ROME, Feb. 1.—It is announced in official circles that King Victor Emmanuel has received from President Loubet the Grand Cordons of the Legion of Honor, a compliment which is regarded as calculated to strengthen the cordial relations already existing between Italy and France.

Opera House Burned.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 1.—The Coates Opera House, the principal theater of this city, is totally destroyed. Walker White, the "Heart of the Lion" last night, and the audience was dismissed before the fire broke out. The loss will be at least \$100,000.

Weather Probabilities.
Fair; northwesterly winds, becoming southerly.

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COMING EVENTS

February 1—Social at the Congregational church.
February 2—Coke sale at "Cedar Brook."
February 3—Organ recital at Crescent Avenue church.
Feb. 3—W. L. Trues will address the Y. M. C. A. at 4 p. m. Subject: "Is the Bible True?" Good music.
February 4—Volunteer League and Missionary study class of the Y. M. C. A.
February 4—Basket Ball, Fagwood against Business Men of Y. M. C. A.
February 5—Union Bible class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns, at Y. M. C. A. Hall, 1200 p. m.

Jersey's Good Roads.

New Jersey has achieved a wonderful reputation throughout the country for its fine system of good roads and every act to advance that reputation is deserving of the support of every good Jerseyman. The fame of the Jersey roads has caused many who are desirous of following that lead to send to the authorities of this State for plans and specifications. Heretofore each county has followed its own ideas and no two have been alike. A new state of things has since come into effect.

A few weeks ago, a meeting of the county engineers of the State was called at Trenton with the object of preparing uniform specifications. It was also decided to form a permanent organization.

A set of uniform specifications have been prepared which will hereafter be followed in the building of all macadam roads under State or county aid. It will also be possible for other States to take advantage of these plans and follow the example of New Jersey.

There are at present several bills before the State Legislature which provide for increased appropriations for State aid to road building. The universal sentiment throughout the State in favor of good roads will doubtless result in some amendments to the present State road law which will devote more of the State's funds toward that object. The proper legislative committee will probably weed out the needless provisions and have the proper bill ready before the end of the session.

Former Judge Beasley's ideas that the entrance examinations for the New Jersey Bar should be made more exacting will undoubtedly find many supporters through the state. Every year a large batch of young lawyers are turned out. Wholesome may consider it hard on the poor boy who is struggling along and desires to follow the legal profession, the duties of a lawyer are such that it is necessary for him to be well educated in other lines beside the mere text of Blackstone and the statutes.

The Borough Board of Health is waging bitter warfare against the offenders of the health ordinances within the limits of that municipality. Monday night the Board will meet again and probably act on the report of the State authorities concerning the samples of milk secured from local milk dealers. If they were not up to the standard and there were any evidences of illegal action, prompt measures will doubtless be taken.

With all this talk about the new manual training department of the borough public schools, the citizens of the borough should not forget the man whose generosity has made all this possible. If it had not been for Charles W. McCutchen, North Plainfield would not now possess a manual training department in its public school system.

When the Common Council meets Monday evening, the Councilmen should see that something is done to start the movement to secure proper street signs for the city. No body argues that there is not a need of them while the street committee has recommended that they be provided at once.

After the trolley is built through to Watchung, the next step will be a continuation over the second mountain and a connection with the Passaic Valley. Such a line would open up much valuable property.

With the Madison Avenue-Duer street bridge opened and Somerset street properly widened, the borough-

ites will be able to rejoice over two long wished for improvements.

There was not much snow but some enterprising drivers managed to get a brief sleigh ride out of it. It was certainly the first sleighing of the season.

"Jumbo" Lewis admits his fondness for chickens and so it is likely that he will visit in Trenton again shortly.

The first real snow storm of the season wasn't a howling success as far as snow storms go.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

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

As there were practically only two candidates for the Republican nomination for Governor—Franklin Murphy, of Essex, and Senator Pitney, of Morris—the latter's appointment to the Supreme Bench will, it is believed, change the whole face of New Jersey politics. It is generally conceded that Mr. Murphy will now receive the nomination, practically without opposition. Some astute politicians, however, are not ready to concede that. They think the dissatisfaction with the deal now not unlikely materialize in the thing into the field of some strong and popular Republican leader as he representative of this feeling of anger to contest the nomination with Mr. Murphy. Already two or three names which would undoubtedly serve to confound by have been mentioned in this connection; but these statesmen, it is said by their closest friends, would not consent to enter the list against Franklin Murphy. Foremost among the names thus mentioned is that of the Senator from Cumberland, Edward G. Stokes. —New York Herald.

The appointment by Gov. Voorhees of ex-Mayor John C. Rankin, of Elizabeth, to the important position of member of the State Board of Assessors is a further acknowledgment of the abilities of one of Somerset's sons. Mr. Rankin has all the necessary qualifications, and will be an honor to the board. In this connection it is interesting to note the part played in the development of Elizabeth by natives and former residents of Somerset. Among the names that can be mentioned are ex-Judge Alward, ex-Mayor Rankin, Nicholas and James English, Editor McBride, ex-Prosecutor Bergen and E. W. Lindsay; and ex-Judge Gilhooly undoubtedly inhaled the germs of his greatness while a temporary resident of Basking Ridge. In addition, ex-Mayor Mack, Gov. Voorhees and Senator Croes came from just over the line in Hunterdon and Morris counties, and owe their prominence to their Somerset associations. We wonder what Elizabeth would have amounted to, anyway, if we had not furnished it with the brains to run thing?—Somerville Messenger.

SPECIAL SERVICE.

Companies of State Militia to go in—auguration Are: Being Selected.

(Special to The Daily Press.) Elizabeth, Feb. 1.—At a brief session of circuit court yesterday morning, Thomas W. Donohue, who was indicted during the October term of court for the larceny of three watches, was arraigned and entered a plea of guilty. His sentence was set down for Wednesday next.

The watches stolen were taken from the residence of Robert B. Garberry, of Westfield, where Donohue was employed as a trained nurse.

Donohue was arrested in New York about ten days ago on a capias. The necessary requisition papers were promptly procured and on Tuesday he was brought to this city and lodged in jail.

JANUARY'S COAL OUTPUT.

5,000,000 Tons, but still Unequal to the Demand.

The anthracite production for the month closing yesterday is expected to aggregate fully 5,000,000 tons, which is the largest January production for some years. Despite this great production, together with that of the preceding month, the market appears to be still short of coal. This is especially the case in chestnut and stove sizes, the demand for which has been unusually large. The big companies have been unable to gain any headway in the matter of accumulating surplus stocks and the storage yards are still comparatively bare.

—Like bad dollars, all counterfeiters of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are worthless. The original quickly cures piles, sores and all skin diseases. L. W. Rand. lph.

Local News on Page 2.

Washington, D. C. Gentlemen—Our family realize so much from the use of GRAIN-O that I feel I must say a word to induce others to use it. If people are interested in their health and the welfare of their children they will use no other beverage. I have used them all but GRAIN-O I have found superior to any, for the reason that it is solid grain. Yours for health, C. F. MYERS.

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At 1.00	At 75c	At 50c	At 35c
Fine Broadcloths 52 inches wide, excellent quality, great line of colors, Special value.	French Challies Solid colors, with satin stripes, exquisite colorings, more beautiful than silk.	Figured French Challies Dainty patterns, fine soft fabrics, and very durable.	Domestic Challies that are very stylish, quite as effective as goods costing double.

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7,000 Yards; pieces runs from 1 yard to 6 yards and will not be cut. Prices just one-half	Fine new printed denims	15c
Lot No 1—20c Lawn for	All 10c Outing flannels	8c
Lot No 2—23c Lawn for	Best Amoskeag apron	5 1/2c
Lot No 3—30c Lawn for	Ginghams	5c
Sold only by the piece.	Best Merrimack prints	5c
	All 18c Dimities	15c

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Extension Tables.	Glass Specials.	Galvanized Ware.
Now 4.98 usually 6.75 Now 5.75 usually 6.9 Now 6.75 usually 7.98 Now 7.98 usually 9.98 Now 9.25 usually 10.98	Deep glass bowls 9c Pretty vinegar cruets 10c Large footed dishes 15c Large water jugs 25c Q art water bottles 29c Bohemian water sets 79c Large Bohemian vases 19c	Large, heavy chamber pails 25c Heavy commode pails 59c Large, heavy ash cans 1.25 16 qt heavy water pails 25c 5 gallon oil cans 39c Covered garbage pails 59c Funnel coal hods 29c
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Finest Full Cream Cheese, per lb.	15c
Molasses and Syrup, per gal.	35c
Fancy Stock Potatoes, per basket	35c
Fillbury Best Flour, per bag	70c
Fancy Corn and Tomatoes, 3 cans for	25c
Rosebud Peas, per can	7c
Nic-Macs and Ginger Snaps, per lb.	50c
Soda and Lemon Crackers, per lb.	5c
California Prunes, 4 lbs.	25c
N. Y. State Evaporated Apples, per lb 10c, 3 lbs for	25c
3 lb package Buckwheat, per pkg.	100c
Good Coffee, per lb.	90c
Best Macaroni, per pkg.	100c

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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, Feb. 1.—The new Dunellen directory, which the Wand Company has issued in connection with the Plainfield directory this year, is regarded by most borough citizens as filling a long felt want. There were some Dunellen residents however who objected strenuously against having their name inserted in the new book, though for what purpose is not known. Their objections proved of no avail as the directory is complete in every particular and embodies some excellent features in regard to street names.

A number of members of Court Dunellen, I. O. O. F., visited Court Bound Brook last evening and participated in an enjoyable smoker. The local court is making arrangements for a general good time next month in which the members will be assisted by visiting brothers from other courts.

The members of the W. O. T. U. are arranging for an entertainment to be given in Aggar's Hall, Saturday evening, February 9. In addition to the Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club other talent consisting of vocalists and elocutionists has been engaged to assist in the programme.

Miss Clara Beideman, teacher of the Greenbrook school, has succumbed to an attack of the grip and has gone to her home in Trenton until she recovers. The school has been closed temporarily.

Arthur Parker, son of A. A. Parker, is critically ill with pneumonia and his recovery is regarded as being doubtful. A trained nurse is in constant attendance.

Arthur Vall has been appointed sexton of the Methodist church in the place made vacant by the resignation of E. G. Lewis.

Benjamin Wahl, of Martinville, has taken up his residence in the borough in the brick building near Taylor's Hotel.

Rev. Frank Fletcher was able to be out yesterday for the first since his recent attack of illness.

Postmaster Adam Dealman has been a victim of the grip for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Douglass are entertaining Everett Smith, of Newark.

Miss Emma Stelle has recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Annie Strisky, of Baritan, is the guest of borough relatives.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence.)

New Market, Feb. 1.—Following are the meritorious pupils of the New Market school who have been present every day during the school month ending January 31, 1901: High School Department—Zella Kelly, Kittle Bays, Vera Nelson, Lyrantia Nelson, Beale Tappen, Grammar—Emma Danz, Beale Beetham, Mary Conover, Lona Becker, Grace LeCompte, Carrie Brower, Alice Orben, Arvid Johnson, Parker Morris, Jerome Cline, Paul Meyer, Willie Danz. Intermediate—Eina Burdick, Catherine Krause, Bertha Nelson, Mabel Whitford, Hilda Johnson, Rose Siegal, Willie Johnson, Ethan Rogers, Claude Penrose, Leo Osborn, Josie Hughes, Irving Mundy, Edison Lord, Herbert Dunham, Frank Burdick, George Beller, Harris Siegal. Primary—Gertrude Giles, Marguerite Coriell, Hannah Nelson, Barbara Beller, Grace Burdick, Pauline Ingham, Lina Siegal, Joe Penrose, Raymond Whitford, Frank Coriell, Herbert Osterline, Paul Whitford, Carl Beller, Emilie Nelson, Edwin Johnson, George Coriell, Clifford Emery, Willie Gallagher, Sam Levine.

The dates held in Friendship Hall last evening was a great success. Quite a number came from Clinton avenue and vicinity and dancing was

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continued until the small hours of the morning.

Albert Johnston, of Brooklyn, is stopping at the Lake House during the illness of his aunt, Mrs. L. H. Danz.

J. Y. Wilson has filled his new ice house and commenced clearing the snow off preparatory to filling the old one.

Wm. Heymel, of Columbus, is the guest of relatives in town.

Mrs. Herbert Taylor has a severe attack of the grip.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence.)

Scotch Plains, Feb. 1.—The members of the entertainment committee of Fanwood Council, R. A., met last evening to arrange plans for the entertainment of the grand officers, who will pay an official visit to Fanwood, February 12. A delegation from Roselle Council, of Roselle, and Fireside Council, of Westfield, are expected and a very pleasant evening is anticipated by the members of Fanwood.

The members of Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., held a large and interesting meeting in their rooms last evening. During the good of the order the council members were entertained by a number of selections on the council phonograph.

The condition of Stiles M. Parse, who has been seriously ill for two weeks, remains about the same. Mr. Parse's advanced age, he being eighty-one years of age, together with his serious illness, makes his recovery doubtful.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Young, who have been the guests for several weeks of Mr. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Young, of Fanwood, has returned to their home in New York.

The work of remodeling the Ackerman house on Front street, occupied by Jesse Ryno, is completed and the improvement is more than noticeable.

The Bon Ton Stock Company at Music Hall this week is being well patronized by the residents of the village.

The Township Committee will meet in the town rooms this evening.

Miss Susie L. Parse was the guest of friends in Newark yesterday.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

(Special Correspondence.)

South Plainfield, Feb. 1.—Lillie Wynans, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wynans, of this place, died Wednesday morning. Two doctors were in attendance, but failed to decide the nature of the disease which took the little girl away. She leaves a twin brother. The funeral will be held at the house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment will be at Hillside cemetery, Plainfield.

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 January, 1901: Grammar—Mabel Arrowsmith, Edna Eckert, Lillie Gage, Nellie Gage, Mildred Soper, John Johnson, Elsa Steengrafe, Walter Connors, Eddie Horn, Eddie Maher, Intermediate—Heber Cubberley, John Arrowsmith, George Gage, John Garry, John McDonough, Patrick McDonough, John Nelson, Jennie Bohl, Mary Gage, Majorie Soper, Marguerite McDonough. Primary—Michael Saverd, John Reilly, John Miller, Bernard Fay, Henry Bernasky, Albert Bernasky, Joseph Horn, Della Saverd, Mary Phillips, Helen Bernasky, Marion Geary, Nora McDonough, Annie Nelson, Gertrude Nelson, Lulu Weaver.

A large attendance is expected at the "Poverty Social" tonight. Admission is free, but the better a person is dressed the more it will cost him to get away. The affair is to be held at the parsonage.

The old school building is being moved to its new foundation, and a system of drainage is being introduced into the cellar of the new one.

Miss Ellenore Dennis left today for her home in Tarrytown. She has been spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. T. H. Brantingham.

Thomas Brantingham was appointed as one of a committee of ten to secure funds for the proposed new speedway near Plainfield.

Harry Coulter has been under the doctor's care for the past week. He is suffering from the rheumatism.

William Hogan has recovered from the grip, with which he has been suffering for the past week.

A number of the young people from here attended the party at New Market last night.

Mr. Osterline, a former resident, was here renewing old acquaintances last night.

Miss Carrie VanNest has returned home from a visit with friends in Perth Amboy.

Joel Manning is improving from a serious attack of the grip.

Peter G. Emmons was visiting friends in town last night.

John Tingley is suffering with an attack of the grip.

R. G. Payne has recovered from his recent illness.

TEA TABLE TALK.

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

A few days ago Miss Florence Hawkins, of LeGrande avenue, was making her usual morning trip to New York, and while en route the conductor punched her commutation ticket which she took from her pocketbook. She thought nothing more about it until she was on the train in the evening on her way home.

She then discovered that she had lost her pocketbook. She did not know whether she had left it on the train in the morning or dropped it outside.

She then paid her fare home, intending to go to the Jersey Central's office the next day to explain the matter and secure a new ticket. The next morning while she was eating her breakfast the postman came to the house, and her mother, answering the doorbell, learned that there was a letter for her daughter. Upon opening the envelope she was greatly astonished to find her commutation ticket inside.

The letter was addressed to "Mrs." Florence Hawkins, and upon examination the ticket showed the same "Mrs." The party who had found the ticket must have had an idea of using it and had tried to make it read "Mr."

This being a failure he placed an "s" after the "r," and then mailed it to Miss Hawkins so that she received it the next morning after she lost it. The pocketbook, containing a valuable coin, was not returned, but Miss Hawkins was glad to get her ticket back. The little piece of pasteboard reads "Mrs. Florence Hawkins," but the owner does not care. She is known to the conductors and no further trouble is experienced.

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WORK TO BE DONE IN SUNDAY-SCHOOLS

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.)

er to parents would, he said, assist in securing good work from teachers, showing in black and white what had been done and what neglected. He would have every child in the Sunday-school directed to bring a Bible to class with him and would make a regular use of the book in which all could join.

After the offering, which was for the benefit of the Union's treasury, had been received, the nominating committee made their report, officers for the coming year being elected as follows: President, G. E. Hall; vice-president, Rev. A. E. Main; secretary and treasurer, Miss Elith Cairns; additional members of executive committee, James R. Joy, F. E. Smith, Andrew Wilson, Charles S. Cook.

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Burned by Molten Iron. Joseph Sheppard, of West Fifth street, who is employed in the foundry at the Pond Tool Works, met with a painful accident Wednesday afternoon while at work. A quantity of molten iron splashed up against his chest burning him severely. Proper treatment was secured at once and Mr. Sheppard is able to continue at work.

Fractured Shoulder Blade. Mrs. Edward Brokaw, of the Ebbcock building, fell Wednesday afternoon, while doing some work about her home, and fractured her shoulder blade. Dr. Buchanan was called and made the woman comfortable.

Installed at Red Bank. John V. E. VanDerhoef, deputy supreme archon of the Improved Order Heptasophs, went to Red Bank last night, and installed two officers of Monmouth Obelave, No. 410, of that place.

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Lea & Perins Sauce, per bot 19c

Canton Ginger, bot 19c

French Cherries, Marasquin, bot 25c, 35c, 65c

Cook's Flake Rice, pkg 11c

Fresh Eggs, doz 23c

Fancy Creamery Butter, lb 23c

Large Salt Herring, doz 15c

Choice Fat Mackerel, each 7c

Codfish, snow white, lb 7c

English Bloaters, doz 25c

Uneda Biscuits, 4c pkg

Boss Fig Bars, 12c lb

New Year's Cakes, 10c lb

Fancy Mixed Cakes, lb 10c

Kennedy's Oysterettes, pkg 4c

Boss Lunch Milk Crackers, 1 lb pkg 9c

Fresh Graham Wafers, 1 lb pkg 12c

Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.

Fresh Cut Spinach 15c 1/2 peck

Crisp Celery 10c bunch

Best White Potatoes 33c basket

California Oranges, dozen 12c

Extra Large California Oranges, doz 18c

Extra California Naval Oranges, doz 35c

Extra Florida Oranges, Golden Russets, doz 35c

Fancy Sweet Potatoes, pony basket 25c

Table Apples, pony basket 30c

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Kokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Oldenburg.

Oldenburg. Vom Volkshausbauverein ward beschlossen, in Gatten für unser Herzogthum eine Heilanstalt für Lungentranke zu bauen. Da der Ort Gatten ganz protestantisch ist, so haben sich die Einwohner des südlichen Theiles, der vorwiegend katholisch ist, veranlaßt, einen Volkshausbauverein für das oldenburgische Münsterland zu gründen.

Mecklenburg.

Lübbeken. Bei dem Gute Meßhof ist der Graf Konrad Erich Rudolf v. Ranip, ein Bruder des bekannten Agrars v. Ranip, durch einen Unfall auf der Jagd um's Leben gekommen. Waren. Ein von vertriebenen Staatsanwälten seit längerer Zeit gesuchter Hochflapler, der Kaufmann Ernst Holder-Egger aus Marienwerder, ist endlich dahier verhaftet worden. Der Gauner pflegte insonderheit Hotels und Gasthöfe zu brandstiftigen und führte nicht weniger als 217 gefälschte, auf verschiedene Namen lautende Legitimationspapiere bei sich.

Braunschweig.

Braunschweig. Der Export aus dem Konsumatbegirt Braunschweig nach dem Ver. Staaten betrug im vierten Quartal 1900 an Werth 2,901,399 Mark, gegen 1,938,118 Mark im vierten Quartal 1899. Das bedeutende Mehr entfällt ausschließlich auf Dünge-salze mit 2,269,900 Mark (gegen 1,057,185 Mark). Hauptposten waren ferner: Chemikalien 358,548 Mark (540,020 Mark), Glas- und optische Waaren 75,041 Mark (65,672 Mark), Lederhandschuhe 28,830 Mark (91,073 Mark). Im ganzen Jahr 1900 betrug die Ausfuhr 6,604,810 Mark, gegen 5,798,398 Mark im 1899.

Großherzogthum Hessen.

Darmstadt. Das erst im vorigen Jahre ergangene heftige Ueberschlag über die Hundesteuer hat jetzt schon eine Abänderung bedingt. Die neue Fällung bestimmt, daß von der Steuer solche Hundebesitzer befreit sein sollen, die in ihres Berufs oder Gewerbes Einkommen und ein Einkommen von weniger als 2600 Mark bezeichnen. Die Stadtverordneten bewilligen der Bürgermeisterei einen Kredit von 9400 Mark zur Befriedigung Arbeitslocher. In Betracht kommen hauptsächlich Planierungen und Gassenführungen. Im Vorjahr wurden für denselben Zweck 6300 Mark verbraucht.

Algen. Der 25jährige Weintom-missionär Max Nied erkrankte sich, als er wegen Unterschlupfung von etwa 500 Mark befristet werden sollte.

Münch. In einer Nacht verunfete in einer Wirthschaft die Zunderbinderin Debnast den Schiedbuden-Schneider Michael Schuster durch einen Schlag mit einem Weinglas derart am Kopf, daß der Geflagene, ein 55jähriger Mann, an den Folgen der Verwundung starb.

Bayer.

München. Aus Anlaß des Offen-bader Eisenbahnunglücks wurden auch in Bayern Anordnungen getroffen, die beim Ueberfahren eines Blodsignals maßgebend sein sollen. Der Blodwärtler darf demnach die Straße nach rückwärts erst dann freigegeben, wenn er Gewißheit erlangt hat, daß der über das Haltsignal hinausgefahrte Zug die Fahrt fortgesetzt hat. Andernfalls hat sich der Zugführer zum Blodwärtler zurückzubegeben und von diesem die Erlaubnis zur Fortsetzung der Fahrt zu erhalten. In einem Münchener Ver-gnügungsbetriebe wurde der von Nürnberg aus wegen Diebstahls ver-folgte Heisterlofer Kaufmann Wilhelm Dier aus Augsburg festgenommen. Er hatte am Bahnhofspostamt in Nürn-berg dem Lehrling eines Bantgasthofes 2300 Mark abgenommen.

Ansbach. Im Referendats des landwirtschaftlichen Kreditvereins in Mittelfranken hatte sich ein Defizit von 300,000 Mark herausgestellt. Der Kontrollleur des Kreditvereins, Adolf Greiner in Ansbach, hat sich in Folge dessen erkrankt, der Direktor des Insti-tuts, Georg Schneider, und der Vor-sitzende des Aufsichtsraths und Ansbacher Gemeindebevollmächtigter Dorn sind verkränkt.

Bayreuth. Der verheiratete Haber-termeister Hans Vogl, Vater von Wolf, der wegen verheerender Verbrechen seinerzeit zu 15 Jahren Zuchthaus verurtheilt wurde, ist dieser Tage als Bader in St. Georgen bei Bayreuth ge-fahren.

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February 1, 1901.

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Notice of Order to Limit Creditors.

Somerset County Surrogate's Office.

Estate of Margaret Emily McLaughlin, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1900, on the application of the undersigned, as Executor of Margaret Emily McLaughlin, deceased; an order was made by H. N. Spencer, Surrogate, requiring the creditors of Margaret Emily McLaughlin, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the Surrogate within nine months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor should be forever barred of his or her action against the subscriber.

JOHN G. McLAUGHLIN, Executor.

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