

Sun Rises 7:04 a. m.  
Sun Sets 5:23 p. m.  
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at  
6:23 p. m.

THE WEATHER.  
Fair and continued cold tonight;  
Thursday fair. Ther. 22.

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## MUCH ACTIVITY IN EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Convocation of New Brunswick  
Ended Last Evening in the  
Grace P. E. Church.

### DEFICIT WAS COVERED.

INTERESTING MISSIONARY AD-  
DRESSES AT EVENING SESSION.

Memorials to be prepared in honor  
of Memory of Two Rectors in the  
Diocese—Reports Received as to  
Mission Work—Other Business.

The Convocation of New Brunswick  
was continued yesterday afternoon at  
Grace P. E. church, Bishop Scarborough  
presiding. The report of the  
executive committee regarding the  
deficit was taken up, and all but \$150  
was subscribed. The Convocation  
then felt justified in making the cus-  
tomy appropriation of about \$500.

An interesting letter from the  
General Missionary Board of the Episco-  
pal church, signed by Bishops Doane,  
Potter and Sartorius, was read by  
Bishop Scarborough. The letter told  
what has been done in mission work  
and what is proposed. The reading  
of this letter was followed by a highly  
interesting address by Bishop Wells,  
of Spokane, Wash., who told of his  
work and the needs for the same. He  
held the close attention of all during  
his talk, so vivid did he present his  
claims before those in attendance.

In honor of the memory of the late  
Rev. Mr. Schwartz, of Lakewood, and  
Rev. Mr. Roche, of Easton, Bishop  
Scarborough appointed a committee  
of three to prepare a memorial to be  
published in "The Churchman," the  
denominational paper. Those appointed  
on the committee are Rev. E. M. Rod-  
man, of Grace church; Rev. H. H. P.  
Pearse, of South Amboy; Rev. S. H.  
Sleeper, of Elizabethport. Then fol-  
lowed reports from the various clergy-  
men who have charge of mission  
work. All reported excellent progress  
and good results.

In view of the financial condition  
of the Convocation the Bishop ap-  
pointed a committee whose duty it  
shall be to prepare a table of assess-  
ment whereby each parish may con-  
tribute a certain amount toward the  
total amount needed for the work.  
That committee consists of Rev. E. J.  
Knight, of Trenton; Rev. H. H. P.  
Pearse, of South Amboy; Augustus  
A. Devoe, of Spottwood.

One of the very interesting features  
of the afternoon programme was an  
essay by Rev. Dr. J. P. Taylor on  
"The Spiritual Body." The subject  
was treated in a clear manner and  
elicited the earnest attention of all.  
He devoted much to the question  
of the resurrection, both as to theory  
and fact. Following the presentation  
of the essay there was an informal  
discussion, during which Rev. Floyd  
Appleton made a few helpful remarks.

Before the afternoon session ad-  
journing it was decided to hold the  
next Convocation at Bernardsville,  
probably in June. Adjournment was  
then taken for supper.

Owing to the severe cold there was  
only a small audience present at the  
missionary meeting in the evening.  
Bishop Scarborough opened the meet-  
ing and gave a short talk on missions.  
He spoke of missions in general but  
did not dwell on any special place for  
the work. He thought that missionary  
work was something that everyone  
should be interested in and do all in  
their power to help along.

Rev. Mr. MacKellar, of Red Bank,  
gave a short talk on missions in  
general. Among the places that he  
mentioned was the United States, and  
he thought that the work could not be  
started in a better place than right  
here at home. He pointed out the  
need of all giving liberally to the sup-  
port of missions so that the work could  
be pushed along as fast as possible.

Rev. Mr. Fielding, of the Mission  
Home in Trenton, was the last speaker  
of the evening, and he talked at some  
length on the missionary work in  
Alaska among the Eskimoes. He  
said that of all the places that had  
missionaries, he thought that Alaska  
was the most in need of more mission-  
ary stations. "To think," he said,  
"that the Eskimoes learned all the  
popular songs of the day in about six  
months after they have been printed,  
and that it has been nineteen hundred  
years, and yet they have not heard of  
Christ."

He urged all to put their shoulder  
to the wheel and aid in the work of  
missions. He hoped that they would  
see it in the same light that he did  
and push forward the good work.

Those who had charge of serving

## FOR MOODY MEMORIAL DAY.

NEXT SUNDAY WILL BE GENERALLY  
OBSERVED THROUGHOUT LAND.

Plainfield Churches Will Probably Take  
Part—To Raise Funds to Continue  
Moody's Work.

The Moody Memorial Endowment  
committee has arranged to have next  
Sunday observed among the churches  
and religious societies throughout the  
country as a Moody Memorial Day  
and an effort will be made to secure  
funds toward the Memorial Endow-  
ment. This day will be observed in  
Plainfield.

The idea is to get funds to perpetu-  
ate the labors of the late Dwight L.  
Moody through the institutions he  
founded, namely, Northfield Seminary,  
Northfield Training School, Mount  
Heron School and the Moody Bible  
Institute. The first institution is for  
young women, the second for men and  
women, the third for young men and  
the fourth for men and women. It is  
proposed to raise a sufficient amount  
of money to insure the continuation of  
these institutions in all their present  
prosperity.

Curtis M. Thorpe, of this city, is the  
secretary of the executive committee,  
and any further information concern-  
ing the matter will be cheerfully given  
by him.

## SUNDAY-SCHOOL WANTS PIANO

MEETING OF OFFICERS AND TEACH-  
ERS OF TRINITY SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

Considered That Question and P. posed  
Change of System of Teaching—  
No Action Taken.

There was a very interesting meet-  
ing of the officers and teachers of  
Trinity Reformed church Sunday-  
school in the church parlors last even-  
ing.

Superintendent E. E. Anthony was  
chairman, and E. H. Bird acted as  
secretary. The main subjects taken  
up were a fund for a new piano and a  
new system to teach the international  
lessons.

W. D. W. Miller spoke at some  
length on the subject of a new piano.  
He said that the Sunday-school was  
surely in need of one, and thought  
that some steps should be taken to get  
one.

After considerable discussion a  
birthday box was thought to be best  
to start with, and that, with the other  
suggestions, was left in the hands of  
the music committee, to be settled at  
the next meeting.

The question of how to get more  
thoroughly acquainted with the Bible  
was also brought up and a number of  
useful suggestions were given by some  
of the teachers.

The intermediate class system was  
approved by some, but as the subject  
could not be decided upon at so short  
notice, it was referred to a commit-  
tee of five, composed of Robert Clark,  
Jr., chairman, Horace J. Martin, Mrs.  
Cornelius Schenck, O. W. Dunham  
and W. F. Oliver, to look into the sys-  
tem and report at the next meeting.

After this subject was settled for the  
present, all adjourned to the primary  
room, where a bountiful supper was  
served.

The Sunday-school committee of  
the Christian Endeavor Society had  
charge of the social part of the even-  
ing, and is composed of George  
Polsterle, chairman; Miss Helen H.  
Bogart, Miss Anna V. Fenner, Mrs.  
E. E. Anthony and Henry Seader.  
They were assisted by Miss Mabel  
Wilson, Miss Mabel Woodruff and  
Mrs. J. M. Tier, of the executive com-  
mittee of the Sunday-school.

Parish Year Book Issued.

The Parish year book has just been  
issued by Grace P. E. church. It is  
handsomely printed and the infor-  
mation therein concerning the church  
and the various societies is complete  
and interesting. The book also con-  
tains a list of the families of the  
Parish, and many other items of in-  
terest to every member.

From Pen of Mrs. Hall.  
"The Judgment of Minerva," a  
bright, sparkling comedy, written by  
Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of Madison  
avenue, is being produced in various  
parts of the country. The play treats  
in an amusing fashion of the women  
who oppose suffrage for women and is  
full of fun from beginning to end.

Twenty-two in Hospital.

Four new cases were admitted to  
Muhlenberg Hospital last Tuesday,  
making the total number about  
twenty-two. There are no serious  
cases, however.

Meeting of Legion.

A regular meeting of the Loyal  
Temperance Legion was held yester-  
day afternoon, when matters concern-  
ing the progress of the society were  
discussed.

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## BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR NEW SPEEDWAY.

Another Meeting of Plainfield  
Speedway Association Was  
Held Last Evening.

### SUBSCRIPTIONS PROMISED.

LITTLE DIFFICULTY ANTICIPATED IN  
SECURING CONSENTS.

Expected That All Interested Property  
Owners Will Willingly Agree to  
Building of Speedway—Sub-  
scriptions Needed.

Another large attendance was pres-  
ent at the second meeting of the Plain-  
field Speedway Association held in  
Reed & Coddington's office last even-  
ing and by the reports of the various  
committees it was shown that none of  
the members had in any way lost the  
degree of activity displayed at the  
previous meeting. In the absence of  
Secretary E. M. French, that office was  
filled for the time being by P. S. Day-  
ton. Mayor N. B. Smalley presided  
as chairman.

In behalf of the committee on con-  
sents Chairman Charles H. Hand re-  
ported that a written form of agree-  
ment had been drawn up and that the  
members of the committee were now  
in readiness to visit each property  
owner along the proposed speedway  
and if possible secure his signature to  
its contents. Several of the com-  
mittee had already performed a little  
preliminary work in the way of speak-  
ing to property owners and had met  
with a most gratifying reception  
most them declaring their willingness  
to sign.

Chairman L. M. French, of the com-  
mittee on subscriptions, reported ex-  
cellent progress and that a large  
number of citizens had signified their  
intention of contributing to the work  
of the association as soon as the sub-  
scription list was properly presented.  
In order to cover as much territory as  
possible and to make the committee's  
work more effective, a list of possible  
subscribers was given to each mem-  
ber and they will devote the time in-  
tervening between the next meeting  
in visiting the citizens named on the  
respective lists and secure their con-  
tribution or pledge for any amount.

The matter of imposing a mem-  
ber ship fee for use in meeting current ex-  
penses was brought up and discussed  
in an informal manner, but no defi-  
nite action was taken. It will prob-  
ably be acted upon at some future  
meeting.

The secretary was instructed to pre-  
pare two minute books for use in  
recording minutes, the same to be  
paid for by the members. As there  
were no other matters of importance  
to discuss the meeting was adjourned  
until next Tuesday evening when  
further reports will be given.

Women Held Office in Jersey.

The women suffragists of New Jer-  
sey are greatly pleased with a recent  
report which states that there are  
twenty-seven women school trustees  
in this State. They consider this a  
most favorable sign of the times and  
they believe that the time is not far  
distant when more women will have  
charge or at least an equal vote in the  
management of the public school sys-  
tem. In the case of the twenty-seven  
mentioned good work is reported and  
many desirable changes have been in-  
augurated.

Sold Out Paint Works.

P. H. Latourette, the auctioneer,  
disposed of the contents of the Naylor  
Paint Works yesterday afternoon at  
the receivers' sale. The entire con-  
tents were sold at good prices, and  
New York parties were the principal  
buyers. The proceeds from the sale  
amounted to \$927. John Powers, of  
Elizabeth, is the attorney in the mat-  
ter, and in a short time the building  
will be sold.

Lockers in Fire House.

Carpenters are at work putting new  
lockers in the West Second street  
engine house. These will be a great  
convenience to the firemen stationed  
there, who had no available place to  
keep their clothes.

Recovering From Accident.

The veteran janitor, Stephen R.  
Hope, of the Bryant Public School, is  
much improved from his recent acci-  
dent. It is Dr. Probasco that is in at-  
tendance and not Dr. Jenkins, as pre-  
viously stated.

Bowling at Park Club.

There will be bowling for mixed  
doubles at the Park Club this evening  
and a very enjoyable time is antici-  
pated. Allan B. Laing will be in  
charge of the affair.

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## BRUNSWICK LADDIES WON PRIZE GAVEL.

"Firemen's Night" Brought Out  
a Lively Contest Between  
Visiting Companies.

### BIG CROWD LAST NIGHT.

BOXING BOUT AND COMPETITION  
CAKE WALK WERE GIVEN.

Phoenix Engine Company, of New  
Brunswick, Had Largest Attendance  
of Any Visiting Company—Dun-  
ellen Second; Bound Brook Third.

Saengerbund Hall, in which the  
North Plainfield firemen's fair is be-  
ing held, proved entirely inadequate  
for the large crowd which attended  
last evening. But for the efficient  
work of Floor Manager L. B. Bodine  
and a corps of assistants the crush  
would have proved uncomfortable.  
Through their efforts, the good  
natured crowd seemed not to mind the  
pushing and hauling in the least.

The unusually large attendance was  
due to the announcement that it  
would be "Firemen's Night" when  
visiting companies would contest for  
a prize. There were three companies  
entered for the contest, and a hand-  
some gavel was awarded to Phoenix  
Engine Company, No. 3, of New  
Brunswick, which brought forty-one  
members. They came in a special  
trolley car and were accompanied by a  
file and drum corps. The other com-  
panies present were Defender Engine  
Company, No. 1, of Dunellen, with  
twenty six members, and No. 3 Hose  
Company, of Bound Brook, with  
twenty-one members.

Small delegations were also present  
from Elizabeth, Somerville and other  
places.

Dancing was, as usual, the feature  
of the evening but an additional at-  
traction was a five round boxing  
match between William Mack, of  
Elizabethport, and John Ward, of  
Newark. The contest was a spirited  
one from the start both men showing  
a thorough understanding of the art  
of self defense. The referee declared  
the bout to be a draw. Another feature  
of the programme was a competition  
cake walk, between William Mc  
Kinley, of this city, and "Dusty," the  
mascot of the New Brunswick com-  
pany. The former gave a laughable  
exhibition and was awarded a hand-  
some cake.

The several contests progressed favor-  
ably and the booths also secured an  
excellent patronage during the even-  
ing, the members of the visiting com-  
panies purchasing numerous little  
trinkets for souvenirs.

This evening another excellent pro-  
gramme will be rendered and the var-  
ious committees are looking forward  
to another large attendance. The first  
two nights have proved beyond a doubt  
that the citizens of the city and bor-  
ough are anxious to assist the firemen  
in making the affair a success and at  
its close a handsome amount will be  
added to the company's treasury.

Played Quits.

The members of Protective Con-  
clave, Improved Order of Heptasopha,  
met last evening and after routine busi-  
ness, they enjoyed quite a J. P. D.  
Kirch was defeated by V. W. Nash by  
a score of 21 to 0. Dr. J. Hervey Bu-  
chanan and V. W. Nash defeated  
Samuel Boss and C. E. Hepburn two  
out of three games played, and Samuel  
Boss and V. W. Nash defeated J. P.  
D. Kirch and C. E. Hepburn three  
straight games.

Want Special Instruction.

Owing to the demands made at the  
Borough High School for tuition by  
those who are unable to be at the  
school at the regular sessions, arrange-  
ments have been made to accommo-  
date them. Applications should be  
made to at the school where hours  
and tuition rates will be arranged.

In Interest of Trolley Line.

There is a meeting scheduled for  
this evening at the Watchung school-  
house by those interested in the  
project of extending a trolley line to  
that place. It is requested by the  
promoters that all interested in the  
scheme will be present.

To Talk Trolley at Watchung.

A meeting of interested property-  
owners will be held at Watchung this  
evening to advance the scheme of a  
trolley through that section. It is  
said that most of the owners of the  
property-owners have been secured  
toward the project.

Endeavor Business Meeting.

The regular monthly business meet-  
ing of the Park Avenue Baptist  
church Christian Endeavor Society  
will be held tomorrow evening at the  
home of Miss Henrietta Cuming, 1013  
Putnam avenue.

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## HILLSIDE CLUB HELD ITS ANNUAL MEETING

Trustees and Other Officers Elec-  
ted for the Year—Changes  
to Constitution.

### GEO. A. CHAPMAN PRESIDENT

DECIDED NOT TO INCREASE THE IN-  
ITIATION FEE OF ACTIVE MEMBERS.

Limit of Non-Resident Membership In-  
creased to Fifty—A Few Resignations  
But Enough Applicants to Fill Active  
Membership of the Club.

The annual meeting of the Hillside  
Tennis and Golf Club was held last  
evening at the Casino with a very  
good attendance of members. George  
A. Chapman, president of the club,  
occupied the chair. Several amend-  
ments to the constitution were offered  
and with one exception all were  
adopted.

The first amendment changed the  
number from twenty five to fifty as  
the limit for non-resident members.  
The second amendment provided for  
a change in the wording in article 8,  
section 2, but there is no special  
significance to this change. The third  
amendment offered, which was not  
adopted, was to raise the entrance fee  
from \$15 to \$25. The last amendment  
changed the fee for non resident mem-  
bers from \$12 to \$15.

The committee on nominations pro-  
posed the following candidates for  
trustees to serve for three years,  
Ernest R. Ackerman, George P.  
Mellick, Lewis E. Waring; for the un-  
official members of the committee on  
nominations for 1901, John T. Baker,  
Townsend Bushmore and H. Reeve  
Stockton All were elected unani-  
mously.

It was stated that the active mem-  
bership limit, 250, had been reached.  
There are eight or nine resignations,  
however, to take effect March 31, but  
there are enough applicants, however,  
to bring the membership up the limit  
and fill the list.

The report of the treasurer, Jan van  
Herwerden, was presented, and it was  
received with a great deal of satisfac-  
tion by the members. The financial  
condition of the club is flourishing,  
which is a source of gratification to  
all. A synopsis of the report was re-  
cently published in The Daily Press.  
After the meeting the members of  
the Board of Trustees met and elected  
the following officers: President, Geo.  
A. Chapman; secretary, A. H. Atter-  
bury; treasurer, Jan van Herwerden,  
George P. Mellick was elected chair-  
man of the house committee and he  
will select the other members of his  
committee.

There are a number of details of  
more or less importance to be ar-  
ranged later. The opening of the  
course will depend entirely on the  
condition of the weather. It is prac-  
tically decided that the same help  
shall be employed at the club during  
the coming season, and a very pros-  
perous one is predicted by the officers  
and members of the club. As soon as  
other details are arranged the season's  
schedule will be arranged and made  
public.

ENTERTAINED CLUB.

Pleasant Evening Spent at Home of Mrs.  
Kelley, of East Second Street.

The East End Twentieth Century  
Euchre Club was entertained last  
evening by Mrs. Kelly, of East Second  
street, and a very pleasant time was  
had by the entire membership. Miss  
Lizzie Piker won the first prize for the  
women, while Miss Abby Graham won  
the second prize. For the men, Wil-  
liam Abbott won first prize and H. O.  
Correa the second prize. Horace Huff  
was awarded the booby prize.

After play an informal dance was  
enjoyed by the club and at a late hour  
refreshments were served. Mr. and  
Mrs. Frank Wilkof, of Watchung ave-  
nue, will entertain the club in two  
weeks.

Cooking Classes Started.

The cooking department of the bor-  
ough manual training school opened  
this afternoon. The sessions will be  
every Wednesday and Thursday from  
two until half past three o'clock. The  
grammar school will have their ses-  
sion every Thursday from 11:30 until  
1 o'clock.

To Attend Wedding.

Lawyer Clarence L. Murphy, of the  
firm of Murphy & Biaz, went to  
Easton, Pa., today, where he will at-  
tend this evening the marriage of Miss  
Rhoda B. Brakeley, niece of Dr.  
Brakeley, of Dunellen. Dr. Brakeley's  
daughter will be one of the bride-  
maids.

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## MUSICAL ARTISTS PLEASSED.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR BENEFIT OF  
PARK AVENUE BAPTIST SCHOOL.

Winans and Cassler, Musical and Comedy  
Artists, Were Chief Enter-  
tainers.

The first of a series of entertain-  
ments for the benefit of the Park Ave-  
nue Baptist church Sunday school was  
given in the Sunday school room last  
evening. Despite the extreme cold  
weather there was a large audience  
present.

There was no formal programme,  
but each number was announced by  
Joseph M. Hawkins. The first on the  
list was an overture by Winans and  
Cassler, the musical artists, who had  
been engaged for the evening. They  
played a duet on the banjo and xylo-  
phone, which was heartily received by  
the audience.

This was followed by Mr. Winans  
playing "The Holy City" on the bot-  
tles, which was loudly encored and re-  
peated. Following this selection Mrs.  
C. F. Dayton gave a very pleasing rec-  
itation. Miss Arline Brown followed  
with another recitation, which was  
well received.

NEW SIDEWALKS FOR FANWOOD

RESIDENTS DECLARE IN FAVOR OF  
CONCRETE WALKS AT A MEETING.

Fanwood Borough Council Plans to  
Replace Old Gravel and Crushed Stone  
Walks at Small Additional Cost.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Fanwood, Feb. 6.—A public meeting  
was held by the Borough Council  
Monday evening for the purpose of  
getting the opinions of the taxpayers  
regarding the plan of replacing the  
gravel and crushed stone walks  
through the borough with concrete.  
The Council have had several esti-  
mates upon the work and have  
brought the matter up at several of  
the Council meetings, but it was de-  
cided to give the taxpayers a chance  
to meet with them and discuss the  
proposed improvement before taking any  
decided action in the matter.

The meeting was well attended and  
while some few were opposed to the  
improvement the majority of the tax-  
payers favored the plan, and there is  
but little doubt but what in the near  
future the Council will decide to have  
the old walks replaced with a fine con-  
crete walk.

The plan proposed is to have the  
walks, of which there are over five  
miles, laid in slabs, four feet square  
and two inches thick. This will enable  
them to repair the walks at any time  
by simply replacing a broken slab  
with a new one or the slabs can be re-  
moved at any time and put down in  
another place.

The contract most favored by the  
committee gives the borough a five  
years' guarantee against frost or any  
other ordinary damage to the walk.  
If the work is started ten year bonds  
will probably be issued, and each tax-  
payer will bear his proportionate share  
of the improvement, having it added  
each year to his tax bill. This will  
make the improvement so cheap that  
the taxpayers will be enabled to enjoy  
good sidewalks at but a trifle more  
expense than the cost each year of  
keeping the old walks in a passable  
condition.

NEW MEN ON DUTY.

New Policemen Were Temporarily Assigned  
to Beats Last Evening—Uniforms  
Not Yet Arrived.

Charles P. Gamo and Charles Flynn,  
two of the new policemen appointed  
at the last meeting of the Common  
Council, were assigned to duty for the  
first time last night. Flynn patrolled  
West Seventh and West Eighth streets  
and the former was placed on Watch-  
ung avenue.

The beats were only temporary,  
however, as the regular monthly shift  
of all the patrolmen will take place  
this evening when they will be per-  
manently assigned. Herbert L. Over-  
baugh, the third officer will not begin  
his new duties until next week. All  
three of the officers will remain in  
civilian's clothes until their winter  
suits can be made.

Visited Knights Templar.

A delegation from Trinity Com-  
mandery, No. 17, K. T., went to Jer-  
sey City last evening to visit the Com-  
mandery at that place.

—Use Press want ads.

—The out prices at VanEmburgh's  
closing out sale are attracting large  
crowds. There are still plenty of bar-  
gains left.

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## PITNEY APPOINTED TO SUPREME COURT BENCH

Name Sent to Senate by Gover-  
nor Yesterday and Was Im-  
mediately Approved.

### SEVERAL BILLS PASSED.

SENATOR REED MAY BE APPOINTED  
VICE CHANCELLOR.

Senator Hupsbeth Introduced Bill Pro-  
viding for Appointment of Two Ad-  
ditional O. c.—Reed Introduced  
Constitutional Amendment.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Trenton, Feb. 6.—All possible doubts  
over State Senator Mahlon Pitney's  
appointment to the bench of the State  
Supreme Court were settled at the  
session of the State Legislature yester-  
day. Governor Voorhees sent Mr.  
Pitney's name to the Senate as his  
choice for Associate Justice of the Su-  
preme Court and the nomination was  
immediately confirmed. It will take  
effect November 16. Garret D. W.  
Vroom, of Trenton, was appointed to  
succeed Judge Hendrickson in the  
Court of Errors and Appeals. The  
Senate will report on it later.

Yesterday proved a busy day for the  
legislators. Beside the appointments  
which went to the Senate, both Houses  
considered a number of bills, passed  
several important ones, rejected others  
and received a number of new ones.  
Both Houses then adjourned for the  
week.

The constitutional amendments pro-  
posed by the New Jersey Bar Associa-  
tion were introduced in the Senate in  
the form of a concurrent resolution by  
Mr. Reed for the President. The es-  
sential features of the amendments  
are the creation of an independent  
Court of Errors, consisting of a chief  
judge and four associate judges; mak-  
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## POLICE PROTECT HER

**Mrs. Nation Wrecks Another Saloon in Topeka.**

## KEEPER OF THE "JOINT" ARRESTED.

**Mrs. Nation Taken to the Police Station, but is Immediately Released—Great Rush For Souvenirs.**

TOPEKA, Feb. 6.—Mrs. Carrie Nation and three followers yesterday wrought damage to the extent of \$1,500 in the "Senate," the finest equipped "joint" in Topeka. She did more, for she gained the first police protection given her since she started out on her saloon smashing career at Wichita a month ago. The police followed up her raid of yesterday and arrested the proprietor of the "Senate" and two men who were guarding the place. Mrs. Nation was arrested, but promptly released.

Mrs. Nation and her wreckers, each armed with a hatchet, sallied forth at daybreak. They forced their way past a negro who guarded the door of the "Senate" and in less than ten minutes had strewn the floor with broken mirrors, bottles, slot machines and splintered bar fixtures. The negro fired a shot of warning into the ceiling, but it had no effect. Presently a policeman stalked leisurely into the room and said, "Well, Sister Nation, I guess we'll have to arrest you again."

Mrs. Nation had just smashed the last bottle and was ready to go. "All right," she responded cheerily: "you came just when I wanted you." She turned back as she reached the door and inquired, "Everything cleaned up, ladies?"

The police judge was glad to release her when she appeared for trial and administered a rebuke to that official. Mrs. Nation soon walked down Kansas avenue free again.

During the afternoon two deputies from Sheriff Cooke's office arrested Wagner, Shep Little and two guards and took charge of the stock of liquors. Later Chief of Police Stahl, in an interview with a reporter, said: "I do not care if Mrs. Nation smashes every 'joint' in Topeka. I sympathize with her. I hope she will close up the saloons of the city. As an officer of the law, though, it is my duty to arrest her every time she creates a disturbance or destroys property. If we had the right kind of state officers, it would not be necessary for Mrs. Nation to do what she is doing."

After Mrs. Nation and her followers had departed from the wrecked "Senate" and the place had been reopened for business by the proprietor the crowd in the saloon soon became so large that it required four bartenders to wait on them. By 9 o'clock the crowd numbered nearly 200, and from the time the police raided the place it fluctuated between 200 and 250. Among those present were advocates of temperance who wished to see the work of the crusaders. The crowd around the bar demanded souvenirs, and the bartenders gathered up bits of glass from the broken mirror, giving away a small piece with every glass of beer. A man stationed himself at the front door and cried, "Souvenirs with each and every glass of beer." Those who did not drink begged for souvenirs. Small pieces of glass sold for 5 cents.

**Newfoundland Governors.**  
ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Feb. 6.—Sir Henry Edward McCallum, the retiring governor of Newfoundland, will sail March 4 for England, en route for Natal, to whose governorship he has been assigned. Sir Cavendish Boyle, governor elect of Newfoundland, will leave Demerara Feb. 23, visiting London about the middle of March and reaching here early in May. During the interim Chief Justice Little will be the acting governor of Newfoundland. An official proclamation just issued summons the legislature to meet Feb. 21 in special session to renew the French shore modus vivendi for the current year.

**Assay Office Superintendent Ill.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Andrew Mason is seriously ill with pneumonia at his residence in Orange, N. J. Mr. Mason has been connected with the assay department of the United States government for more than 30 years and for 17 years past has been superintendent of the assay office in Wall street, New York. Mr. Mason is over 70 years of age. As a result of the discovery of a cheaper method of separating gold and silver Mr. Mason has saved the United States hundreds of thousands of dollars.

**Bank Thief Arrested.**  
ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 6.—Charles A. Hinkley, alias Charles S. Morris, has been arrested in Concomely, a mining camp in Washington, just across the boundary line. Hinkley was the paying teller of the West Side bank, New York, from the time it started, in 1868, to May 14, 1881. On that day he disappeared and with him went \$97,000 of the bank's funds. It is claimed he went back in disguise when his wife died several years afterward and attended her funeral.

**Snowstorm in Northern New York.**  
ROUSE POINT, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The worst wind and snow storm of the season is raging throughout northern New York and the Adirondacks. Trains on all railroads are from 2 to 12 hours late. On the Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain division of the Rutland road no trains have been got through for 24 hours. The snow is drifting, and it is very cold. There have been 74 days of continuous sleighing so far this season.

**Colonel Dady Returns.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Among the passengers who arrived per Ward line steamer Mexico from Havana was Colonel M. C. Dady, who has been prosecuting his claim against the city of Havana in relation to the severance of the city's water supply. Colonel Dady brought home a check for \$250,000 and signed off all claims. However, this signing off does not prevent him from bidding for the work at the proper time.

**Scandinavian Queen Ill.**  
LONDON, Feb. 6.—"The queen of Sweden and Norway is suffering from a dangerous affection of the throat," says the Copenhagen correspondent of The Daily Telegraph. "Her strength is much reduced and her condition very serious."

**The Black Eagle For Roberts.**  
LONDON, Feb. 6.—Emperor William has conferred upon Earl Roberts the Order of the Black Eagle, the highest German decoration.

## WATCHING THE COAST.

## Cape Colonists on a Sharp Lookout

**British Loss at Modderfontein.**  
CAPE TOWN, Feb. 6.—Officials have been dispatched to watch all the bays along the west coast of Cape Colony against the landing of mercenaries or arms.

With the exception of one all the guns of the British cruiser Sybille, wrecked last month near Lambert's bay, have been recovered. The Boers captured 200 British when they rushed Modderfontein Jan. 30. The prisoners were subsequently released. Thirty British were killed or wounded. An order has been gazetted permitting the importation of goods into the Transvaal, subject to a military permit. The newly formed guard for Johannesburg last Wednesday. The island of Reunion has been declared infected with bubonic plague.

**Want War Stopped.**  
FRANKFORT, Feb. 6.—At a meeting of Boer sympathizers here attended by some 5,000 people a resolution was adopted appealing to Great Britain to stop the war in South Africa. Christian De Wet, a nephew of the Boer commander, who was present, was carried around the hall on the shoulders of the promoters of the meeting.

**Boers Driven From Vanrhynsdorp.**  
CLANWILLIAM, Feb. 6.—Colonel Brander drove the Boers out of Vanrhynsdorp, capturing a number of wagons and a quantity of merchandise. "All the farms in this region are deserted. The only being found except armed Boers was an English governess on one of the farms."

**De Wet's Intentions.**  
LONDON, Feb. 6.—A special dispatch from Cape Town says that General De Wet, according to Cape Town reports, intends to annex various districts of Cape Colony and then to commandeer men and supplies, although he is now urging the colonists not to join him.

## PRENUPTIAL FESTIVITIES.

**The Hague in Gala Attire—Light and Mirth Everywhere.**

THE HAGUE, Feb. 6.—Yesterday was marked by further receptions in connection with the forthcoming marriage of Queen Wilhelmina and Prince Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin. Additional guests arrived at the palace, and there were more choral serenades. Everybody is wearing a rosette or other favor. In the evening a state banquet was given at the palace in honor of the foreign envoys. Earlier in the day there was a reception at the German legation.

The gala performance at the theater presented a brilliant spectacle. The house was draped in pale blue and beautifully illuminated by electric light. Flowers were everywhere in profusion. The city was magnificently illuminated last night, and the streets were crowded.

## CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Masonic temple at Toledo was burned. Loss, \$150,000.

Sarah Bernhardt took out insurance policy for \$100,000.

Chicago saloon keepers were arrested for violating Sunday law.

Rail communication with Europe via Bering strait is predicted.

Transport McPherson went ashore on Cuban coast eight miles west of Matanzas.

Governor Voorhees of New Jersey nominated Senator Pittney for supreme court justice.

Exposition hotel, Binghamton, N. Y., was burned. Two dead and three fatally injured.

Arrest was made in Philadelphia in connection with robbery of Adams Express car.

McPherson Going to Pieces.

HAVANA, Feb. 6.—A heavy easterly wind swung the United States transport McPherson broadside to the shore last night. She pounded a large hole amidships, her fires are under water, the engines have shifted, and the shaft has sprung. There is no hope of saving her, as she will sink if she is pulled off. She is rolling in the heavy seas and pounding badly, and she will go to pieces if the wind increases. The McPherson struck on a reef eight miles west of Matanzas in a fog while on her way from New York to Matanzas. She ran up on the reef about half her length. All the passengers were transferred in the ship's boats.

**Youtsey Sentenced.**

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Feb. 6.—Henry E. Youtsey, stenographer to Governor Taylor during his incumbency and who was tried as a principal in the shooting of Governor William Goebel and found guilty, was arraigned before Judge Cantrell late yesterday and sentenced to life imprisonment. When sentence was pronounced, Youtsey exclaimed: "I am innocent. I have been convicted by base and infamous subornation of perjury." No appeal will be taken, and the prisoner will be taken to state prison shortly.

**Home and Children Burned.**

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Feb. 6.—A fire, supposed to have been started by tramps, destroyed the residence and farm buildings of Guy Whiteside of Tynehead and burned to death his two children, who were asleep when the flames broke out. Whiteside rescued his wife with difficulty, and the two made frantic efforts to save the children, but were driven back by the smoke. Search is being made for the supposed incendiaries.

**Colliery to Start Up.**

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Feb. 6.—Work has been resumed on the Scott shaft, owned by the Union Coal company. Five years ago the shaft, after being sunk, was allowed to fill with water owing to the then poor coal trade. Tunnels and gangways are being driven, and when the colliery is put in operation employment will be given to 800 men and boys.

**Martinelli to Be a Cardinal.**

PARIS, Feb. 6.—The Rome correspondent of the Temps says a letter from the Vatican has been posted to Archbishop Martinelli, the apostolic delegate in the United States, notifying him that he will be created a cardinal.

**Must Wear Patent Leathers.**

BERLIN, Feb. 6.—The young women of Toltete, in Westphalia, and other towns of that district have notified the young men of their intention to dance with them hereafter only when they wear patent leather shoes.

**Weather Probabilities.**

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## CHEERS FOR THE KAISER.

London Gives William of Germany a Rousing Send Off.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—London's voice, which had been pent up for a fortnight in the presence of the dead, resounded yesterday with shouts of good will for Emperor William during his progress through the city. Flags were run mast high, and many stands which were covered with purple on Saturday were decked in red and gold.

The hour of the kaiser's arrival at Paddington was such that business people of the West End were enabled to curtail their lunch time and see the bright cavalcade. The king's wish that the people of the capital should have an opportunity to show their appreciation of Emperor William's devotion was only answered Tuesday morning, yet over 100,000 persons gathered between Paddington and Marlborough House.

King Edward, the kaiser and the German crown prince arrived at Paddington station from Windsor at 1:28 o'clock. A troop of the Royal Horse guards, with shining helmets and cuirasses and wearing their white breeches, preceded an easy trot the open landau from which the kaiser gravely saluted in response to the uninterrupted cheering.

The royal party that took part in the luncheon at Marlborough House included the king, the kaiser, the Duke of Connaught, Prince Christian and the Marquis of Lansdowne, secretary of state for foreign affairs.</



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## COMING EVENTS

February 10.—Dr. F. Nico, the talented violinist from Salva in Army headquarters, will relate his experiences and render violin solos at the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.

**Chance For Improvement.**  
Now that the bridge over Green brook, connecting Madison avenue and Duer street, has been completed, the public is given a new and not particularly beautiful view of the brook and the property which borders directly on that stream. When the brook and the adjacent property was hidden behind the business blocks which border Front street and the residences on Craig place, the public cared little how the place looked. Now, however, that it has been opened up to public view, the present unsightliness should be remedied.

From Washington avenue east to the city limits, some care has been taken to keep the banks of Green brook in presentable condition. When properly cared for, that stream of water can be made to give a slightly appearance and become even an ornament to the vicinity through which it passes. A glimpse at the stream from the Duer street Madison avenue bridge, is far from that, however.

It is not necessary to build a park along the banks of the brook but a general cleaning up would do a world of good. City and borough might combine at very little expense to clean out and keep in proper condition the bed of the stream. There are a number of unsightly sheds which could either be torn down or placed in presentable condition.

Now that the bridge has opened up that section, it is in strict accordance with the policy of Plainfield to improve its appearance. Plainfield is noted for its beautiful appearance and that reputation has brought many home-seekers here. And so, when such an unsightly place comes into public view, the property owners should take enough interest in the welfare of the city to remedy it at once.

"If day in and day out the public have the name of any article pressed conspicuously upon their attention," says an authority on advertising, "that name is unconsciously fixed in the mind like a household word." This statement remarks the Philadelphia Record is as applicable to the name of a marketable commodity. The merchant who keeps his name on the tip of everybody's tongue by advertising regularly in the newspapers is the one whom people will seek out when they have purchases to make.

The action of the Elizabeth, Plainfield and Central Jersey Street Railway Company, in raising the wages of its employees will tend to make the new management of that company much more popular with the men than before. Superintendent Smith says that they want good men and are willing to pay for them. The position of motorman, particularly, is one of responsibility, and the man who is constantly in charge of so much human freight is deserving of good pay.

Many people are wondering why it is that the Common Council neglects to provide proper street signs for the city. It cannot be that they do not see the need for them as the street committee, in its annual report presented last December, recommended that the signs be provided as soon as possible.

Now that the Fall-side Commission has been presented by Governor Voorhees, it is the duty of the State Senate to approve it as soon as possible and then it will devolve upon both Houses of the State Legislature to provide the necessary funds to save that natural wonder of which New Jersey should be so proud.

Thomas N. McCarter, of Newark, who has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the governorship on the Republican side has definitely announced that he is out for Franklin Murphy for Governor and for no other man. Thus ends another gubernatorial boom.

As the Plainfield Relief Association

is such an important factor in providing for the poor and needy of the city, it would seem but proper that the wishes of the officials of that organization should be consulted, at least, in the appointment of a city overseer of the poor.

Winter has not forgotten this section altogether and the sound of the merry sleigh bells is heard once more. Sleighbells in Plainfield, however, rarely continue very long.

The Boards of Health of city and borough are both preparing to take more stringent methods in looking after the milk supply.

Assemblyman Meeker is again coming to the fore with a bill which promises to cause considerable discussion.

New Jersey is one of the first of the states to take official cognizance of the evils of hazing.

The firemen of the borough are meeting with much success in their present fair.

## WHAT OTHERS SAY.

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

The horrible trolley octopus in Union county has just raised the wages of its motormen and conductors from \$1.50 to \$1.85 and \$2 a day. The increase has followed closely the consolidation of the various Union county lines into the Elizabeth, Plainfield and Central Jersey Railway Company.—Jersey City Journal.

One by one the heavy guns of the Republican party of New Jersey are being brought forward by their enthusiastic friends for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. These introductions have not yet seriously affected the Murphy boom, but they have shown what a fine lot of gubernatorial timber there is in the Republican ranks.—Jersey City Journal.

Bounteous crops of prospective Republican gubernatorial candidates have sprung up all over New Jersey since the serious damage which Franklin Murphy's lightning rod is supposed to have suffered from the Pitney episode. Among the names which have been mentioned are those of Senator Stokes, of Cumberland; Representative John J. Gardner, of Atlantic; First Assistant Postmaster General Johnson, of Bergen; Senator Charles A. Reed, of Somerset; Judge Gilbert Collins, of the Supreme Court; Senator Thos. N. McCarter, of Essex; Colonel William Barbour, of Passaic; Representative Benjamin F. Howell, of Middlesex, and Representative Charles N. Fowler, of Union. Some of these are regarded as very strong names, but the availability of several is doubted. It is known that Senator McCarter would not accept the nomination. He has positively declared himself for Franklin Murphy. It is not believed that Judge Collins would consent to run. Nor is it likely that either Representatives Howell or Fowler would permit the use of their names as against Mr. Murphy. The three strongest men in the list are Stokes, Gardner and Johnson. Senator Stokes, however, is a zealous advocate of Murphy's nomination.—New York Herald.

## CITY JOTTINGS.

—Noah Dove Encampment will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

—Justice Nash has issued papers in the landlord and tenant case of Young against Sneediker.

—Miss Strong, of Central avenue, will give a dance at her home Tuesday evening, Feb. 12.

—There will be a business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the East Third Street chapel tomorrow evening after the prayer-meeting.

—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. Randolph.

—John Wirth, the baker and confectioner at 201 203 West Front street, is making a specialty this week of bread, cake and pies. He delivers orders early enough for breakfast.

—Miss Carney, of Woodhull & Martin's store will have her vacation next week.

Bishop Scarborough was the guest last evening of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brooks, of West Eighth street.

—Alex. Manning, of 317 Park avenue, is detained at home with a severe cold and sore throat. Dr. Probasco is in attendance.

## 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.  
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At 1.00	At 75c	At 50c	At 35c
<b>Fine Broadcloths</b> 52 inches wide, excellent quality, great line of colors, Special value.	<b>French Challies</b> Solid colors, with satin stripes, exquisite colorings, more beautiful than silk.	<b>Figured French Challies</b> Dainty patterns, fine soft fabrics, and very durable.	<b>Domestic Challies</b> That are very stylish, quite as effective as goods costing double.
Black Cheviot.	Golf Suitings.	Cape Cloth.	
Very Heavy Black Cheviot 52 inches wide; sponged and shrunken. Value 90c. Limited quantity, at 75c.	1.25 Goods for 98c 1.50 " " 1.19 1.75 " " 1.25 2.25 " " 1.75 2.75 " " 2.00	2.98 Goods for 2.25 3.95 " " 2.98 4.48 " " 3.75 3.25 " " 2.98	
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<b>Mill Remnants of White Lawn.</b> 7,000 Yards; pieces runs from 1 yard to 6 yards and will not be cut. Prices just one-half. Lot No. 1—20c Lawn for 10c yd Lot No. 2—23c Lawn for 12c yd Lot No. 3—30c Lawn for 15c yd Sold only by the piece.	Special lot of fine waist flannels in checks, stripes, etc., 50c to 1.00 75c French Flannels for 59c All Solid Color French Flannels, 48c

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Short lengths of Moquettes, Axminsters, Savonneries, Body Brussels and Tapes, pieces of 8 yds to 20 yds at about 1/2 price. Bargains for halls, small bedrooms, etc. A large shipment of new Mattings opened this week comprising many choice patterns. Large invoice of new Carpets received this week. Old work done over by competent men. Shades made to order. New Trunks in variety in basement.

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Sideboards.	Grey Enameled Ware.	Tin Ware Bargains.
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The 10 98 kind now..... 8.98 The 13 50 kind now..... 10.98 The 14 25 kind now..... 11.98 The 14 75 kind now..... 12.98 The 15 98 kind now..... 13.98 The 17 50 kind now..... 14.98 The 18 75 kind now..... 15.98 The 19 45 kind now..... 16.98 The 20 75 kind now..... 17.98 The 25 00 kind now..... 19.98	2 1/2 qt. Saucepans..... 19c 4 qt. Saucepans..... 25c 6 qt. Saucepans..... 35c 4 qt. Pudding Pans..... 9c 6 qt. Pudding Pans..... 15c 2 qt. Tea and Coffee Pots..... 19c Large Roasting Pans..... 35c Small Frying Pans..... 10c 2 1/2 qt. Covered Saucepans..... 25c	Wooden Ware Specials. Zinc wash boards..... 10c 5 arm towel racks..... 5c Good pastry boards..... 10c Strong snow shovels..... 25c Large turkey dusters..... 25c Willow clothes hampers..... 85c Bristle shoe brushes..... 19c Q art bottles ammonia..... 8c Fine parlor brooms..... 35c Small cedar tubs..... 49c Roll toilet paper..... 5c Willow clothes baskets..... 45c
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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. 6.—For the past week or two one of the local coal dealers has noticed a pile of coal in one of his bins gradually dwindling away without any apparent cause, as he was not using it himself. A watch was set on the yard and to the dealers' astonishment, a well known borough resident was detected a few mornings ago helping himself to the coal which he was carrying away in pails. While no formal complaint was made against the man a repetition of the offense will lead to his arrest.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education held last evening, the only business of importance transacted was the formal acceptance of the Whittier school heating and ventilating system and the making up of the yearly budget. The latter will be about the same as last year which was about \$3,800.

Monday, February 11, has been definitely decided upon as the date on which Court Dunellen I. O. O. F. will hold its entertainment. A pleasing programme has already been arranged and the affair will terminate with a dance.

The funeral services of Mrs. David Taylor were held from her late residence at Bound Brook yesterday afternoon. They were attended by a number of borough residents. Interment was made in the Bound Brook cemetery.

Defender Fire Company turned out twenty-six strong at the North Plainfield firemen's fair last evening, but they failed to secure the prize. It was awarded to Phoenix Company No. 3, of New Brunswick.

There are letters remaining unopened at the postoffice addressed to Mrs. George T. Carter, Miss Lizzie Lane and Jacob Gilliland.

T. J. Ronayne was unable to attend to his duties at the station yesterday, owing to an attack of illness.

Mrs. Daniel Randolph, of South Plainfield, visited friends in the borough yesterday.

Ernest Peck, of Millington, has taken up his residence in the borough.

Mrs. Annie Abbott was the guest of Westfield relatives yesterday.

Augustus Todd spent yesterday with friends at Bound Brook.

John Wagner has returned from a brief visit to New York.

## NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence.)

New Market, Feb. 6.—On account of the funeral services of Arthur Parker which were held this afternoon there was no afternoon session of the New Market school. The members of the deceased's class attended the services and sang several selections.

The regular monthly meeting of the Township Committee was held at the Hotel Nelson yesterday afternoon. Beyond the settling of accounts no other matters of importance were brought up.

There are letters remaining in the postoffice for the month of January for Mrs. Daisy Booth, Nathan Howard, Mrs. Romauld Provost and the Linwood Rabbits.

J. Y. Wilson's men are still harvesting ice and within a short time both houses will be filled.

Stanley Day is greatly improved from his recent severe attack of rheumatism.

## 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence.)

Scotch Plains, Feb. 6.—The service rendered by the trolley company during the past few days, since the bad weather began, has been fully appreciated, especially by the early morning commuters.

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## PAST MASTER'S JEWEL GIVEN.

PRESENTED TO STEPHEN BEECHING AT MEETING OF JERUSALEM LODGE.

Gift Was a Complete Surprise—Presentation Speech Made by C. W. Eoff.

A regular communication of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., was held last evening at which time a genuine surprise was given to Stephen Beeching, a past master of the lodge. Mr. Beeching was invited to attend the communication and deliver a lecture. He consented and gave a highly interesting declamation.

At the conclusion, Charles W. Eoff stepped forward and on behalf of the members, presented Mr. Beeching with a handsome solid gold past master's jewel. Mr. Eoff made a few remarks of a happy nature in which he complimented Mr. Beeching for the excellent work he had done for the lodge and for his faithfulness.

Mr. Beeching was completely taken by surprise, not having the slightest intimation concerning the presentation. He heartily thanked the members and renewed his allegiance to the cause of Masonry, which is so dear to his heart.

ing patrons of the road who are employed in the factories at Plainfield and Garwood. The cars have been kept up to schedule time and all have been enabled to arrive at their work at the usual hours.

The body of Hattie Wilcox, who died at the Brooklyn Hospital Monday, was brought to the home of her mother, Mrs. Nancy Wilcox, last night. Funeral services will be held from the house this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. G. M. Short, of the Baptist church, officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in the cemetery.

Another meeting of the Township Committee was held in the town rooms last evening. Business relating to the annual township report, which will be ready about February 10, was transacted.

Spencer's hill, which has been a favorite place for coasting for years, is in a fine condition, and the young people in town are enjoying their first coasting on this hill in several years.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fanwood Bucket and Engine Company will be held in the company rooms tonight.

The Epworth Literary Society will meet for reading and study in the class rooms of the Methodist church this evening.

Mrs. John Flannery, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is improving very nicely.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

(Special Correspondence.)

South Plainfield, Feb. 6.—Joseph Harrison, of Piscataway, has brought suit, through Lawyer R. M. Clark, for the recovery of \$800 alleged to have been lost because of a bond transaction. The defendant's name is John Dolin, of New York.

Miss Emma Faulk has finished her course in an Elizabeth business school and will accept a position in New York as stenographer. Her new duties will be assumed Monday.

The Piscataway Township Committee is holding meetings this week. The business at hand is the auditing and settling of all accounts.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad surveyors are in this vicinity taking new measurements for the making of a new road map.

The Woman's Missionary Society will be entertained tomorrow at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Manning.

Mrs. Manning Randolph is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. N. Randolph, of Dunellen.

## HOSPITAL DONATIONS.

List of What Has Been Given to Muhlenberg Hospital During January.

The donations for Muhlenberg Hospital during the month of January were as follows:

Mrs. Hawkins, potted jelly; Mrs. Joel Gladie, glass of jelly; Miss H. Cummings, glass of jelly; Miss Laura Randolph, fancy cards; Hope chapel, 5 loaves bread; O. T. Waring, 25 lbs. vaseline; Mrs. Geo. H. Babcock, 4 qts. maple syrup; Mrs. A. H. Atterbury, 36 bottles Port wine; Mrs. G. H. Frost, 2 doz. oranges; Mrs. A. C. Vail, large quantity quilting; Mrs. H. B. Newhall, 2 doz. oranges, old linen, dressing sacque; Mrs. Duncan, 6 pairs woolen wristlets; Mulford Estil, 28 calendars; Trinity Reformed church, 2 scrap books; Miss Walduck, 4 doz. oranges; Mrs. Honeyman, celery, turnips; Mrs. S. S. Gulon, 3 wrappers; Mrs. Benson, books; A. Friend, 1 doz. bananas, 2 lbs. grapes, 5 lbs. apricots, 4 cans asparagus, 2 boxes cocoa nut, 7 packages Uneda's; Mrs. R. G. Silvers, old linen; Mrs. Hendrickson, flowers; Mrs. F. O. Herring, old linen; Mrs. Peterson, 6 towels.

A. B. Saurman and family, of Norwood avenue, expect to leave the latter part of this week for Boston where Mr. Saurman's business interests will be in the future.

## IN DEFENSE OF UNIONISM.

"OLD MECHANIC" WRITES REGARDING BUILDING TRADES' COUNCIL.

Explains What The Council Wishes to Do and How It Aims to Aid the City of Plainfield.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—There has been considerable comment made regarding the workings of the Plainfield Building Trades' Council; how if they continue to enforce their rules it is going to stop people who contemplate building from doing so. Now, Mr. Editor, people do not seem to know what they are talking about. The council is to help not only union mechanics, but to help the contractors and merchants.

Consider the new station for instance. By rights it should have gone to Plainfield contractors. As it was the merchants of this city had to suffer as well as the mechanics of this city, because all the work was done by outside contractors who brought their mechanics with them, made them work long hours, and then gave them free transportation to their homes to spend their money there. The council claim it is unjust for the people to allow such a state of affairs when many dollars from this town go to the railroad company.

The Hibbard Rodman-Ely Safe Works did the same thing, and the contractor from Wilkesbarre figured on the eight hour schedule, yet worked nine or ten hours per day paying the wages prevailing in this town, the contractor reaping the benefit and going to Wilkesbarre to spend it. Is that just? Is it fair? The Council desires to stop just such cases. To give the work to the taxpayers of this city, and not to outsiders, is what the Council desires.

I do not say that all the contractors live up to union principles but those who do not, do work for some of our business men who want the four hundred mechanics represented in this council to patronize them. I do not think any fair minded person would consider this just. The members of the Council do not make any demands on their employers but simply go to them and ask them if they are willing to do as they state.

I have watched the workings of the Council since it started. It has tried to set fairly with all and has given all the bosses ample notice of what it was going to do.

The most important and the most binding rule of this council is that no union mechanic can work on any building where a non-union mechanic is or has been employed, be he either carpenter, painter, mason, tin or sheet iron worker, plumber, steam or gas fitter. That rule must be strictly adhered to.

I have been given to understand that there are not many mechanics outside of the union in this town and am pleased that such is the case, but if they were all united and would work hand in hand with the contractors as that is the object of the council, it would not be long before people would realize what a benefit union is. What we want is to have Plainfield the banner city of the state and if the people will co-operate with the mechanics of this city and help them in their endeavors to do what is just to all, it would not be long before both banker, merchant and mechanic would be proud of the name, "Plainfield."

## CO-OPERATION GROCERY.

Several Local Men Interested in New Company Just Incorporated at Trenton.

The Aspell Co-operative Grocery Company with a capital stock of \$100,000, has filed articles of incorporation at Trenton. The head of the concern is Captain Aspell, of New York, who has been in business since 1858. The formation of the company was done by him in order to keep up the name of Aspell in connection with the grocery business in which he takes great pride. It will be conducted on the same plan as the Army and Navy Club of London. Every shareholder participates in the earnings of the company and by depositing his share of the stock has credit to the par value of that stock for any provisions that he may buy of the company at the same time getting his goods at wholesale prices. The Army and Navy Club pays 60 per cent. dividends each year. The business is located on West Broadway, New York. Ira La Rue, of this city, has charge of the stock, \$50,000 of which has already been paid in. The attorney of the concern is R. M. Clark, of Park avenue.

John Kelley, of East Third street, has been unable to attend to his business for the past two weeks owing to the severe attack of the grip.

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## FOR ENDEAVORERS.

Interesting Side of the Work Being Carried on by Young Christians.

(Conducted by Press Department Union County C. E. Union.)

An unheard-of feature of the New Mexico Christian Endeavor convention was the paroling of a prisoner from the penitentiary to attend a session on prison Endeavor held outside the walls of his prison. Sessions of Christian Endeavor conventions have often been held with the prisoners within the walls.

The Nagasaki, Japan, Christian Endeavor Home for Seamen has received donations of an upright piano and a soda fountain (the only one in Japan) during the past year. There is some prospect of opening a branch home in Manila, where Superintendent Makins is now investigating. A soda fountain has already been offered for Manila by the donors of the other one. Offerings for the work should go to Treasurer Antoinette P. Jones, Falmouth, Mass.

Among the prominent speakers at Christian Endeavor's twentieth birthday celebrated at Portland, Me., recently, were Dr. and Mrs. Clark, Treasurer Shaw, General Secretary Baer, Managing Editor R. Wells, of The Christian Endeavor World, Bishop Walters, Bishop Arnett, Rev. C. H. Daniels, D. D., Wayland Hoyt, D. D., William Patterson, David James Burrell, D. D., President John Henry Barrows, D. D., of Oberlin College, and State presidents and others representing almost all the religious denominations.

Spare moments, and change that couldn't be spared without missing it, were the ingredients out of which the missionary committee of the Polo III, Presbyterian Endeavorers made a delightful holiday surprise for the Snow Hill Mission, Alabama. They sent a barrel of clothing. A box of games and dolls also went to destitute children of Chicago. The Endeavor girls paid the freight.

The last payment on a \$4,000 organ for their church was recently made by the Trinity Endeavor Society of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

A comfortable reading room, with a piano, circulating library, periodicals and daily papers, has been provided at Spring Forge, Penn., by the Lutheran Christian Endeavorers.

From a wretched hovel to a comfortable bed in the hospital a poor, sick girl in Topeka, Kan., was taken by the missionary committee of the First Congregational Endeavorers. The society raised \$100 for her comfort, and she is now convalescing in a private home, where the Endeavorers meet her once a week.

Seventeen hundred letters were written by Kentucky Endeavorers as New Year's greeting to the prisoners in the State penitentiaries.

Of timely interest in connection with Christian Endeavor's twentieth birthday celebration in Portland, Me., January 31—February 3, is the statement made by Secretary Baer at the Detroit Convention, 1899, that over a million and a half of church members had come out of the ranks of Christian Endeavor in the last ten years. It has also been shown by carefully tabulated statistics that the denominations that keep records of missionary offerings of Christian Endeavor societies received, in 1898, over \$300,000 from that source.

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Will Preach Tonight. By request, Rev. W. L. Jones, of Westervelt avenue, will preach a sermon at the Park Avenue Baptist church this evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Dinner to Rev. Floyd Appleton. Rev. Floyd Appleton was entertained at dinner last evening by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Finch, of Park avenue.

## IN THE REALM OF SOCIETY.

PERSONAL JOTTINGS COLLECTED IN CITY AND BOROUGH.

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

Miss Grace McKee, of Brooklyn, is visiting her mother on First place.

Mrs. Fred G. Bach, of Somerset street, has recovered from a long serious illness.

Miss Mullen, of Woodhull & Martin's store, is enjoying her mid-winter vacation this week.

William G. Tisley, of South Second street, has returned home from a two months' business trip through the western states.

Mrs. H. W. Workman, of East Front street, goes to Albany, N. Y., tomorrow to join her husband, who has a position as clerk in the New York Central railroad shops at that place.

Miss Harriet Seward, of Cranford, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Anna Seward, of Chester, Morris county, spent yesterday at the home of Miss Lillian A. Force, 82 Duer street.

## WAITING FOR FORTUNE.

But Meanwhile Joseph Moore of Rahway Has Decided to Continue His Present Occupation.

The claims for the Moore millions are again being agitated by the heirs in New Jersey. Joseph C. Moore, of Rahway, who has the same name as the famous Joseph Moore, of England, is the one who has lately been brought into notoriety by claiming that he is the great grandson of the famous Joseph Moore, of England.

Mr. Moore is a carpenter by trade and seems sure that he will soon get the fortune that is awaiting him in England. He will not give up his trade, however, until he has the fortune in his grasp.

The old Joseph Moore settled in New Jersey many years ago, and when he died there was considerable wealth left in England, which has been increasing since with the advance in property, until now, it is claimed, there is about one hundred million dollars.

There is a large number of heirs in this city who patiently are awaiting the problem of the family history to be solved. There are a number of lawyers who are working on the case, and they all tell the same story, that there is a large fortune in England, and it will only be a matter of time when the heirs will get it.

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6.75	" " "	12.50
7.50	" " "	15.00
10.00	" " "	20.00
12.50	" " "	25.00
15.00	" " "	30.00

## Children's and Misses' Winter Coats and Jackets.

1.50	for jackets that were	3.00
2.50	" " "	5.00
3.75	" " "	7.50
5.00	" " "	10.00
6.75	" " "	12.50

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3.75	" " "	7.50
5.00	" " "	10.00
6.75	" " "	12.50
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Butter Fish	10c lb	Oysters	30c qt
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## Provinz Westpreußen.

Wormditt. Sein 50jähriges Jubiläum feierte der 74 Jahre alte Schulpfarrer Herr Anton Ruhnau.

Danzig. Eine Gergierische, ähnlich den in anderen großen Städten bereits bestehenden, ist in Danzig in's Leben gerufen worden. Eine Anzahl Knaben soll auch im Sanitäts- und Samariterdienst ausgebildet werden. Die Leitung der Schule liegt in den Händen eines Beamten der kaiserlichen Werfte.

Marientburg. Neulich spielte eine Schaar Jungen auf der noch dünnen Eisdecke an der Ziegelgasse. Die beiden Brüder Pehle, 13 und 7 Jahre alt, brachen ein. Während der jüngere gerettet werden konnte, fand der 13jährige Knabe seinen Tod in den Wellen.

Stuhm. Der Mühlenseliger Obmann-Bischof befand sich mit einem Freunde auf der Heimfahrt von Bofitz. Unterwegs fiel dem Freunde die Woge vom Kopf, und er stieg dem Wagen, um dieselbe zu fassen. Unterwegs war das Pferd abgelenkt worden und mit dem Wagen davon gelaufen. Später fand man Obmann und das Pferd in einem Morast erstickt auf.

## Rheinprovinz.

Köln. Der Rheinische Verein für landwirtschaftliche Arbeiterkolonien hat in der Gemeinde Dormagen bei Neß einen Grundbesitz erworben, auf dem eine Kolonie für solche minderjährige Knaben und Jünglinge errichtet wird, deren häusliche Erziehung gefährdet ist.

Köln. Der verheiratete Rentner Albert Hoffen vermachte der Stadt Aachen 100,000 Mark. Von den Zinsen des Kapitals sollen jährlich 12 arme Mädchen, die in die Ehe treten wollen, eine Aussteuer erhalten. Ferner vermachte der Verheiratete 63,000 Mark an wohltätige Vereine.

Duisburg. Jüngsthin verlegte der Fuhrmann August Kummel in der Wohnung seiner Braut und deren Eltern in Neudorf auf seine Braut und Johann deren Mutter mittels eines Beiles und eines Brodmessers lebensgefährlich. Der Fuhrmann tödelt darauf sich selbst, indem er sich mit einem Rasirmesser die Kehle durchschlägt.

Düsseldorf. Der Senior der Düsseldorf-Verkehrsvereins, Herr a. D. Georg Kellermann, ist, 82 Jahre alt, gestorben.

## Provinz Sachsen.

Halle. Lepthm erfolgte die feierliche Eröffnung unserer neuen Handwerkerhalle. Für den Bau standen im Ganzen 405,900 Mark zur Verfügung, welche Summe trotz der während der Bauezeit eingetretenen erheblichen Steigerung der Materialpreise und Arbeitslöhne, nicht überschritten wurde.

Köln. In der hiesigen Zementfabrik kam der Arbeiter Bachmann mit dem Kopf in eine Walzrolle, so daß der Tod auf der Stelle eintrat.

Merseburg. Der Oberbürgermeister Reinefarth ist als Bürgermeister unserer Stadt auf Lebenszeit befristet worden.

Querfurt. Lepthm wurde der pensionierte Gendarm Bopel ermordet und beraubt vorgefunden. Bopel lebte als Einflieger in einem Gefolge außerhalb der Stadt.

## Provinz Schlesien.

Breslau. Die Universität Breslau ist im laufenden Wintersemester von 1638 immatrikulierten Studierenden besucht. Hierzu kommen noch 165 nicht immatrikulationsfähige Hospitanten, einschließlich 67 Damen.—Das Schwurgericht verurteilte den Arbeiter Dmowski, der seinen Mitarbeiter Weiß erschossen hatte, zu 12 Jahren Zuchthaus und zehn Jahren Ehrverlust.

Zabrze. In der Königin Luise-grube begannen mehrere Bergarbeiter ihren Kollegen Waskulla, während dieser schlief, mit Petroleum und zündeten dasselbe an. Waskulla erlitt furchtbare Brandwunden und starb bald nach seiner Einlieferung im Lazarett. Die Täter wurden verhaftet.

Zerbau. Ein Gnabengescheit von 21,500 Mark hat der Kaiser aus seinem Dispositionsfonds der evangelischen Gemeinde zu Zerbau zum Baue eines neuen dreistöckigen Schulhauses mit drei Lehrerwohnungen überlassen lassen.

Provinz Schleswig-Holstein. Schleswig. Der Postmeister a. D. Broderick hat zur Ehrung seiner verstorbenen Frau der Kirche zu Borby 25,000 Mark und der Stadt Schleswig 20,000 Mark zu wohltätigen Zwecken überwiesen.

Wismar. Der hier wohnhafte Schiffszimmermann Widmann geriet, als er in Wismar einen Eisenbahnzug bestiegen wollte, auf den falschen Eingang, wurde von einem Zuge überfahren und augenblicklich getötet.

## Provinz Westfalen.

Münster. Ihren 100. Geburtstag feierte die in Westerböden bei ihrem Sohne, einem Weichenheller, lebende Landwirtschwinn Weichsel. Die Greisin ist noch rüstig und hat noch vor Jahresfrist auf der Hochzeit ihrer Enkelin getanzt. Ein über 100 Jahre alter Bürger, der sich noch im vollen Alter seiner geistigen und körperlichen Kräfte befindet, lebt ferner in dem Flecken Levern. Es ist dies der ehemalige Bäckermeister Johann Jakob Wietmann, der am 17. Oktober 1800 geboren wurde.

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## UNLIKE HIS FATHER.

Personality of J. Ogden Armour,  
Son of the Great P. D.

He is Deliberate, Cautious and Resolved—Few Changes Looked for in the Management of the Great Armour Interests.

J. Ogden Armour, who succeeds to the management of his father's vast business interests, is physically if not mentally wholly unlike his father, says the Chicago Record. Slim of form and face, deliberate if not slow in his motions, hesitating if not studied in his utterances, he has none of the personal characteristics which distinguished his father. The late head of the Armour house was square of stature, "bullet-headed," strong-jawed, round-faced, quick of movement, alert in repose, impulsive, positive, aggressive and relentless in the pursuit of an idea.

J. Ogden Armour has a long, narrow head, a chin pointed like his mother's, a refined rather than a strong contour. He is as calm in action as at rest. He lacks impulsiveness to the verge of coldness. He is cautious, modest, evasive as opposed to aggressive, conciliatory, generous and always well-poised. Nobody who knows him believes that he absolutely approves of his father's almost slavish adherence to early hours, hard work, devotion to detail and personal supervision of a business so perfectly organized and officered that, like a great railroad or a good government it can almost "run itself."

Those who are nearest to the young head of the great packing business agree that he will introduce no startling changes in the affairs of the company. He is notoriously averse to changes, opposed to revolutionary methods and fearful of "scenes." He has always shown a disposition to "take up" with the men who assisted and advised his father and to let well enough alone.

Innocent of any of the combative qualities of his sire, it is probable that he will never engage in those fierce speculative combats that seemed to delight and almost inspire the founder of the house. Yet withal, conciliatory, gentle and deliberate as he is, the young president of Armour & Co. is said to be possessed of a spirit as stubborn and self-reliant as that of his father.

Arthur Meeker is perhaps the dean of the late millionaire's advisers, and there is every reason to believe that J. Ogden will lean confidently upon him and his associates. The young man has not thus far departed from the routine hours set forth and observed by his father. He knows every detail of the business even better than Phil, his brother, knew them at the time he was taken ill. But he does not take business details as seriously as the others. He seems content to know rather than to do.

Already most of his well-conceived and well-digested ideas have been profitably used by the company. There is no reason to suppose that he will abate any of the great projects that may become feasible for the business. There are some who believe that his cool, quiet, deliberate ways are even better suited to the altered conditions of trade than were the swift—almost headlong—methods of his father in the days when commercial victories were won by wit and audacity rather than by diplomacy, finesse and cold calculation.

J. Ogden Armour was born 37 years ago. He spent two years in the public schools and was later sent to Yale, graduating in the class of '89. After an extended European tour he returned to Chicago, and the second day after his arrival was invited by his father to accompany him to the yards. From that time he has worked steadily.

Mr. Armour is a member of the Chicago club, Union league, Chicago Athletic club and various other associations. At least twice a year Mr. Armour, accompanied by his wife, makes a trip to London, where he visits the big markets. They are usually gone from four to eight weeks.

Genuine Chicago Enterprise. Chicago footpads are audacious and ingenious. Two of them despoiled a helpless woman of her purse and fled, pursued by a dozen citizens. When the highwaymen had lured the pursuers to a comparatively deserted street, they turned at bay, and held up the entire dozen, not leaving a nickel in any of their pockets.

Progress in the Far West. Seoul, Corea, has successfully inaugurated an electric tramway. This city boasts of the largest electric plant in the far east, with the exception of that at Tokio, Japan.

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We give a Bonus Prize of 250 dollars, independent of all others, to the person who sends in the list gotten up in the best and handsomest manner. Our committee will decide and award prize daily, but the special 250 dollar prize will be awarded in September, 1901. All birds name found in the dictionaries accepted.

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#### LAW STUDENT SWEENEY FINED.

NUMBER OF OFFENDERS SENTENCED BY JUDGE VAIL THIS MORNING.

Newman and King, Assaultants of W. J. Dodd, Pleaded Guilty and will be sentenced next week. (Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Feb. 6.—Sentence was imposed by Judge Vail, in the Union County Court this morning, on the following prisoners indicted by the recent Grand Jury:

William Sweeney, the Plainfield law student, indicted for drawing a revolver and threatening to shoot Mrs. Frederick Lancaster and her father, William Barber, received a fine of \$25, and stands committed until the fine is paid.

Timothy McCarthy, the traveling sewing machine agent who stole \$10 from Mrs. O'Reilly, of West Fifth street, Plainfield was given 60 days in the county jail.

T. W. D'Nabue, the professional nurse who was sent out from the Hudson Street hospital, New York, to attend Robert Garberry, of Westfield, and who while intoxicated, stole three watches from his patient, was sentenced to four months in the county jail.

Lawyer Wm. Newcorn, of Plainfield, entered a plea of non vult in behalf of John Newman and John King, indicted for assault on Wm. J. Dodd. The defendants will be notified to appear in court next Wednesday, when they will be sentenced.

Dennis Kane, also of Plainfield, indicted on a charge of highway robbery in stealing a pocketbook from Mary Irby, a colored girl, will be tried tomorrow.

#### MUCH ACTIVITY IN EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.)

Lunch and supper in the parish house included the following: Miss Elizabeth Cook, Mrs. Mason W. Tyler, Mrs. E. M. Siner, Mrs. E. M. Riddman, Mrs. Charles I. Ames, Mrs. J. W. Reinhardt, Mrs. D. T. VanBuren, Mrs. E. Craft, Mrs. E. H. Lapsley, Mrs. E. L. Finch and Mrs. H. M. Stockton. They were assisted by the following young women: the Misses Rodman, Reinhardt, Lapsley, Hebert, Waring, Holley, Lowe, Lee, McClure, Plender, Mrs. Charles Stover and Mrs. Edward M. VanBuren.

#### CITY JOTTINGS.

VanEmbargh is selling Utopia wool at 14 cents a hank; gent's linen handkerchiefs, 15 cents were 20 cents; ladies' fine ribbed vests and pants, 19 cents. Prices are cut in every department.

When you drop a penny in a blind man's hat do you ever stop to consider how much care you should give your own eyes. Take no chances with them. Stiles & Co., eye specialists, at 107 East Front street, tomorrow, hours, 11:15 to 4:30.

Recent experiments show that all diseases of foods may be completely digested by a preparation called Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which absolutely digests what you eat. As it is the only combination of all the natural digestants ever devised the demand for it has become enormous. It has never failed to cure the very worst cases of indigestion and it always gives instant relief. L. W. Randolph.

#### Local News on Page 2.

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**IF you feel shaky about letting the laundress handle your silk, challie or delicate lawn dresses, suppose you see what our always successful dry cleansing process does. We ought to be better fitted to do the work and we are.**

Men's Flannel and Serge Suits cleaned.

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#### WILL NOT SOLICIT TAXES.

CITY COLLECTOR SMITH OBJECTS TO GOING AFTER DELINQUENTS.

Proposed to Either Have a Comptroller Appointed by Mayor or Appoint Deputy Collector.

A rather unique and peculiar state of affairs exists in the office of Tax Collector F. H. Smith regarding the collection of taxes. It will be remembered that Mayor Jenkins said in his message to the Council that he favored a method whereby everyone who owes the city taxes shall pay the same promptly. Mr. Smith is perfectly willing to receive all taxes that come to his office, but he will not go outside of his office to collect taxes as some people believe he should. Furthermore, it is said, Mr. Smith is supported in his position by the law, which plainly infers that he is not compelled to do so.

The reason why Collector Smith refuses absolutely to leave his office to collect taxes is that, while his office is an elective one, he does not propose to jeopardize his own interests and gain the ill will of the people, only to have the head cut off, figuratively speaking, at the next election, by people who have been forced to pay their taxes under such circumstances.

Mr. Smith has the sympathy of many friends in support of his position, and he is determined to strictly adhere to the law in the matter. Mr. Smith believes that if the Mayor or Council want taxes collected under such procedure they should at least take the office out of the hands of the people and make it an appointive one. Then without fear or favor he will do as he is bid by the higher officials.

In Elizabeth there is a comptroller and the same is true of Newark. In both cities the office is appointive and no trouble is experienced in enforcing the collection of taxes. There is one way in which Plainfield could escape the appointive feature, and that is by selecting a deputy whose duty it would be to go outside of the office and collect delinquent taxes.

It is true that many Councilmen favor Mr. Smith's plan in the matter and would like to see his office made appointive. It is now a question as to whether a sufficient amount of support can be secured to change the manner of securing a collector, and to take advantage of the law which permits the change.

#### HUNDRED MEN FOR COMPANY.

ANOTHER MEETING OF COMMITTEE OF TEN LAST NIGHT.

Sub-Committee Appointed to Circulate Petition Formally Asking for Location of Militia Company Here.

The militia company committee of ten held a meeting last evening in the parlors of the Hotel Kensington, to further the interests of the proposed company. The resignation of City Judge Wm. N. Runyon, as chairman and a member of the committee, was received and accepted, and John P. Mosher was elected chairman pro tem. Several names were added to the list, making in all about one hundred names.

A committee of five, consisting of Dr. W. Kempton Browning, John P. Mosher, John M. Lewis, Fred M. Letson and Charles Peterson, was appointed to circulate five duplicate petitions for signatures. This is in accordance with the usual form and petitions Col. Collins to locate a militia company in this city.

A preliminary meeting will be held soon when officers will be selected, to be elected at the meeting to be held Wednesday evening, February 12, at the Hotel Kensington. It is quite likely that the company will be mustered in two weeks from last evening. There is still a great deal of enthusiasm manifested on the part of the members and a first-class company will soon be a fact.

#### PERSONAL.

Calvin Neighbour, of Somerset street, is detained at home with a severe attack of the grip.

H. M. Davis and family, of La-Grande avenue, have taken up their residence at Yonkers, N. Y.

#### DIED AT HOSPITAL.

Miss Ethel Terwilliger [Died. This noon After a Long Illness.

Miss Ethel Terwilliger, aged 14 years, of 217 Lee place, died today noon at Muhlenberg Hospital, where she had been since January 15 for treatment.

She was the victim of a wasting disease that had attacked nearly all of the vital organs of the body, causing death.

Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, one of the staff on duty at present, will conduct an examination into the case today.

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Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

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#### MANY TURNED OUT TO ENJOY SLEIGHING.

Low Temperature and High Winds Did Not Chill the Ardor of Young Folks.

ROADS IN GOOD CONDITION.

LOTS OF SLEIGHING PARTIES WERE OUT LAST NIGHT.

Prospect of a Continuation of the Good Sleighb—Some Speeding of Fast Horses on East Front Street.

Although the mercury kept close to the lower end of the thermometer and the north wind raged and roared, there were many who turned out last evening to enjoy the sleighing. It was good, particularly when the small amount of snow was considered. Where there had been plenty of light traffic the going was fine and there were many who were glad to take advantage of it.

Yesterday's sun did not injure the sleighing. The rough spots disappeared during the day under the constant traffic and many of the streets were in fine condition as evening approached. There were many out during the afternoon despite the bitter cold wind. All of the livery stables did a thriving business and could not accommodate all who desired to enjoy the sleighing while it lasted.

Straw rides and sleighing parties were arranged for the evening as it was generally supposed that the wind would disappear with the sun. But it didn't. It blew harder than ever but the young people ventured out despite the chilliness and the night air was merry with the sound of the sleigh bells. It was very cold, particularly in the open stretches where the wind had a chance to get a full sweep, but the jolly parties managed to keep warm by bundling up and the evening was a lively one.

Owners of fast horses were out with their cutters yesterday afternoon. They found East Front street the best place for speeding and several lively little brushes occurred between local trotters and pacers.

East Front street, South avenue and Park avenue attracted most of those who braved the cold for a good sleigh ride. They were all in good condition and will probably remain so until tomorrow and perhaps longer. The reports of the weather bureau say that the cold weather and high winds will continue today and tomorrow, moderating on Friday, when another storm may be expected. If it happens to be snow it will make the sleighing better than ever.

Many pleasure parties are arranging for straw rides this evening, and the local truckmen have a greater demand for their big box sleighs than they can meet.

One of the pleasant parties of last evening was arranged by a number of the young people who live in Washington Park. Twenty of them occupied a big box sleigh with Mr. and Mrs. George D. Hallock as chaperones. They enjoyed a ride out Park avenue to Pumpstown and return. Among the pleasant sleighing parties last evening was one for young folks given by Miss Marjorie Fleming, of Park avenue. The party included about twenty young people and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the fine sleighing. After the ride they all returned to Miss Fleming's home, where refreshments were served.

An old-fashioned box sleigh, filled with straw and twenty-one laughing young people, arrived in Plainfield shortly after ten o'clock last evening. The party was composed of members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Summit Presbyterian church. They stopped at the Hotel Imperial, where they enjoyed a supper.

During supper one of the young women suggested taking up a collection for the missionary box of their church. The suggestion was at once carried out and \$1.40 was collected for that cause.

The party left for home shortly before midnight. One of Wm. Hand & Son's big box sleighs with four horses attached, carried a party of young people out for a straw ride last night. The party was largely composed of young people who attend the Plainfield High School.

#### Rough on Piles.

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**Just So.**  
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