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## HUNDREDS THROGGED TO HEAR THE WORD; MANY PROMISED TO ACCEPT CHRIST.

Many Stirring Services Marked The Third Sunday Of The  
Gospel Campaign In This  
City Yesterday.

## GRAND RALLY OF THE LOCAL SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

MEETINGS UNDER CHARGE OF EVANGELIST HALL AND  
LOCAL PASTORS.

Special Service For Men Only Held In First Baptist Church  
Last Evening—Other Evening Services—Mr.  
Hall Will Be Here Today  
And Tomorrow.

Cloudy skies and even rain failed to  
effect the success of yesterday's meet-  
ings in the Gospel campaign. Hun-  
dreds of people thronged the churches  
where the special services were held  
and all displayed great earnestness  
and interest in the efforts to save souls  
for Christ. The day saw even greater  
activity than had been seen previously  
in the campaign. Today and tomor-  
row will bring the meetings to a close.

Today's services will consist of a  
children's meeting at 3:30 o'clock in the  
Monroe Avenue church, led by Rev.  
T. S. Henderson, another meeting in  
the same church at 7:45 o'clock, ad-  
dressed by Rev. Mr. Henderson, and  
a service at the First Baptist church  
with Evangelist Hall in charge.

Tuesday will be the day of prayer.  
Rev. Mr. Henderson will conduct a  
morning service at 10:30 o'clock in the  
First Baptist church. A prayer  
service will be held in the same church  
at 3 o'clock to be followed at 3:30 by a  
meeting addressed by Mr. Hall. He  
will also speak at an evening meet-  
ing in that church at 7:45 o'clock,  
while Rev. T. S. Henderson will  
be in charge of overflow meet-  
ings at the First M. E. church.  
Some of the stores will close from 10  
until 1 o'clock and others at noon for  
the rest of the day.

### SATURDAY EVENING'S SERVICE.

As it had been decided to close the  
meetings one day earlier than was at  
first expected, a meeting was held in  
the First Baptist church Saturday eve-  
ning under the charge of Evangelist  
William Phillips Hall. The auditorium  
was well filled when the opening song  
service was concluded. Prayers were  
offered by Rev. Dr. George W. Smith  
and Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D.

Mr. Hall took his text from a por-  
tion of Luke xviii: 9. "And He spake  
this parable." The speaker took the  
story of the Pharisee who thanked  
God he was not like other men. It  
was this very class of men, he ex-  
plained, who were in grave danger al-  
though they did not know it. Many  
people were deceiving themselves,  
trusting in their own strength instead  
of placing confidence in the Lord. No  
one would get to Heaven, he declared,  
on a ladder built only of good deeds.  
Heaven must be in the heart as well.  
He entreated those in the congregation  
who were so self confident to carefully  
examine their own hearts and see the  
need of a Saviour to aid them to their  
Heavenly home. While E. H. Jacobs  
sang "Come, Sinner, Come," the  
pledge cards were passed and a num-  
ber were signed.

### AT HOPE CHAPEL.

Evangelist William Phillips Hall  
conducted the meeting held in Hope  
Memorial chapel yesterday morning.  
Mr. Hall was assisted by F. H. Jacobs,  
the evangelistic singer, and a very im-  
pressive part of the service was the  
solo, "My Ain Countree," sung by Mr.  
Jacobs.

Mr. Hall took for his text those fa-  
miliar words in John iii: 16: "For God  
so loved the world that He gave His  
only begotten son, that whosoever be-  
lieveth on Him should not perish but  
have everlasting life." He then sub-  
divided his text under three heads  
"Love of God the Father," "Love of  
the Son" and "Love of the Holy  
Spirit." Upon each of these he spoke  
earnestly. He described graphically  
the scene of great prosperity and then  
gave the other scene of great adversity.  
In the latter scene he pictured  
men dying of thirst for the Living

Water of Life. He spoke of men dy-  
ing in sin, and pointedly remarked  
that one sin, however small, ejected  
into a life is the seed of death to the  
soul unless there is repentance and  
forgiveness of God. He appealed to  
all to see the venom of sin before it is  
too late. At the close of the service  
the customary invitation was given  
and a great many took a stand for  
Christ.

### SUNDAY-SCHOOL RALLY.

"Onward Christian Soldiers" was  
the majestic hymn which began the  
monster evangelistic meeting of Sun-  
day-school children in the First Bap-  
tist church yesterday afternoon. Wm.  
Phillips Hall had charge of the ser-  
vices and assisting him were the pas-  
tors and Sunday-school superintend-  
ents of the evangelical churches. No  
more inspiring sight could be im-  
agined than the scene the services  
presented. The body of the church  
and the huge galleries as well were  
crowded with scholars, young and  
old, all anxious to hear the successful  
evangelist, whose fame as an eloquent  
and fearless advocate of Christ is well  
established in the Christian world.

The members of the Seventh Day  
Baptist school came first as an ad-  
vance guard of the young Christian  
soldiers and almost at their heels fol-  
lowed the pupils of Warren chapel.  
Then others came thick and fast and  
it seemed no time at all before the  
word was passed out to those still in  
front of the edifice that no more could  
be accommodated within.

In order that none be disappointed,  
an overflow meeting was arranged in  
the First M. E. church and to that  
house of God many of the Sunday-  
schools hastened.

After the echoes of "Onward, Chris-  
tian Soldiers," had died out, the  
special choir, which occupied the  
temporary large platform in the front  
of the church, sang "Rescue the Per-  
ishing," and the young people joined  
in the singing. Frederick H. An-  
drews, superintendent of Warren  
chapel Sunday school, invoked the  
blessing of God, and F. H. Jacobs,  
sang a sacred solo. Ecclesiastes xii:  
1, "Remember now thy Creator in the  
day of thy youth, while the evil days  
come not, nor the years draw nigh,  
when thou shalt say, I have no pleas-  
ure in them," was the text from which  
Mr. Hall drew many lessons for the  
young folk.

He first pictured the life of luxury  
which the great King Solomon lived  
and how after tasting of all the pleas-  
ures of the world, in his old age he  
was unhappy. Solomon then wrote  
those words which should be today a  
rule for all young people. Mr. Hall  
said that to be successful in life one  
must make a partnership with Jesus  
and this he implored should be done  
in the days of one's youth.

The evangelist related the experi-  
ences of many who had been success-  
ful as he, himself has been, in busi-  
ness. All success can be attributed,  
to doing one's level best and placing  
himself under the protection of the  
Saviour. The noblest, greatest and  
manliest act a person can do is to fear-  
lessly stand up for Christ, said he, and  
he then, at the conclusion of a short  
prayer, requested all Christians to  
stand up in recognition of their belief.

Then those who desired to seek God  
were asked to arise while Rev. Dr. D. J.  
Yerkes offered a fervent prayer. The  
meeting closed with the doxology.

At the short "after meeting" the  
musical programme was under the  
supervision of David E. Titworth of

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## DANTE'S PICTURE OF HELL.

DR. GRIGGS LECTURED ON THAT PART  
OF THE DIVINE COMEDY.

Third of Series of Lectures on "Dante"  
Given at Vincent Chapel Satur-  
day Afternoon.

Dr. Edward H. Griggs, of Brooklyn,  
delivered the third of his series of  
lectures on "Dante," in Vincent  
chapel Saturday afternoon. As on  
the previous occasions his discourse  
was fraught with intensely interesting  
descriptions of the literature of that  
great philosophical poet of the dark  
ages, of whose works the Doctor is an  
universally recognized scholar of no  
mean degree.

"Hell" was the particular part of  
"The Divine Comedy," upon which the  
lecturer confined himself to the  
discussion and in the course of the lec-  
ture he dwelt upon the scene in hell as  
vividly pictured by the Florentine  
poet. Professor Griggs said that  
Dante's effort is always to find the di-  
vine harmony in the universe and this  
was the purpose of his life's work.  
Everywhere he emphasized the fact  
that sin is death and that every free  
individual must choose between moral  
retrogression or eternal life. Existence  
means a struggle and one who does  
not struggle towards God must degen-  
erate. If the appetite supplants rea-  
son, moral as well as physical decay  
is the inevitable result. The punish-  
ment in hell for sin is being in that  
abode just what you have been in this  
world.

In defense of Dante's apparent vul-  
garity in his expressions, the lecturer  
declared that the language was used  
in a high sense in which art and truth  
comingle.

Dr. Griggs described Dante's  
conception of hell and of the  
ten circles in which dwell those who  
had been consigned to eternal punish-  
ment for sins in the flesh. He recited  
how Dante and Virgil went down into  
hell and faced the trees that confront-  
ed them representing the souls of sui-  
cides.

The ten circles of hell, in each of  
which were various classes of sinners,  
were minutely detailed.

Beginning with the first group,  
which were not in hell-proper but in  
a black air or limbo and in which  
were little children unconscious of  
wrong-doing, the lecturer depicted  
the groups contained in the entire ten  
circles. Those guilty of incontinuity,  
violence, fraud, avarice, treason and  
other base sins were described as was  
also the several sub-divisions of each  
of the cardinal mortal sins.

The subscribers to these instructive  
lectures have already been amply re-  
paid for the trifling outlay to hear Dr.  
Griggs, and it is fair to say that even  
those who had considerable knowl-  
edge of the poet's works have had new  
ideas and avenues of thought opened  
to them of which they never dreamt  
of before.

### Will Postpone Meetings.

The meetings begun yesterday in  
Reform Hall, by Rev. Gilbert L.  
Harney, of Maine, will be postponed  
until Wednesday evening. Mr. Harney  
believes that more good will be done  
by permitting his congregation to at-  
tend and participate in the union ser-  
vices until then. The special services  
will then be renewed. Much has al-  
ready been accomplished, and all are  
invited to be present Wednesday eve-  
ning at 7:30.

### Arrested in Westfield.

(Special to The Daily Press.)  
Westfield, March 11—Harry Barton  
and William Alberts, two young men  
from Plainfield, were arrested at this  
place last evening on a charge of dis-  
orderly conduct at the trolley office  
and for assault. They were held be-  
fore Justice Collins. The fine of the  
court was \$25 each or thirty days in  
the county jail. Barton was unable to  
pay his fine and was committed. Al-  
berts was more successful. He paid  
his fine and was released.

### Their Fault.

Despite the fact that an iron fence  
has been erected between the tracks  
at the North Avenue station, there are  
some people who persist in crossing  
the tracks and slipping through the  
gate. If perchance they should be in-  
jured by a passing train they would  
probably feel like suing the railroad  
company, when the entire blame  
would be on them.

### Rice out at Saginaw.

Warren H. Rice, formerly of Plain-  
field, is now with the Wm. Barle Dry  
Goods Company, at Saginaw, Mich.,  
and the company will have a grand  
opening of their new store March 18,  
19, 20.

To Continue Specials Tomorrow.  
Owing to the stormy weather on Sat-  
urday and Monday, Woodhull & Mar-  
tin will continue their basement spec-  
ials all day Tuesday.

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## LOST HER POSITION; THEN KILLED HERSELF

Unknown Suicide in Jersey City  
Identified by The Plainfield  
Police Saturday.

### BOUGHT SHOES HERE.

THAT WAS CLUE WHICH LED TO  
DISCOVERY OF WHO SHE WAS.

Was a Member of "The Dairy Farm"  
Company But Was Discharged Here  
For Intoxication—Remained Here  
Two Days—Name Was Kate Burns.

The police department of this city  
has established the fact that the  
woman who committed suicide by in-  
haling gas at Lubben's Hotel in Jer-  
sey City, some time between Friday  
evening and Saturday afternoon, was  
a member of "The Dairy Farm" com-  
pany which played in Music Hall  
Wednesday.

To the management of the theatric-  
al troupe she was known as Miss  
Kate Burns and she so registered at  
the Hotel Imperial on North avenue.  
Miss Burns together with another  
woman, occupied room 6 to the annex  
of the hotel. She was in an intoxicated  
condition that evening and did not  
appear at the performance.

Before the company left this city  
Thursday morning Miss Burns was  
discharged from her position which  
was that of wardrobe woman. She  
also played a minor role. All Thurs-  
day she remained in bed and during  
the course of the day destroyed a  
package of photographs which were in  
a small valise belonging to her.

Friday she breakfasted at the hotel  
and seemed to be particularly anxious  
to leave for New York on the earliest  
train. This was the last heard from  
her in this city until word was received  
of her self-destruction in Jersey City.

It was through the clue furnished  
by the Jersey City police, that the  
woman wore a pair of lace shoes con-  
taining the trademark of A. Willett &  
Sons, of Park avenue, that the woman's  
identity was discovered by the local  
police.

Herbert Willett had a clear recollec-  
tion of the woman having purchased  
the shoes and stated that she also left  
a pair of shoes for repairing. She gave  
the name of "Miss Burns" and re-  
quested that the shoes be sent to Music  
Hall.

The description furnished of "Mrs.  
Moore" tallied precisely with Mr.  
Willett's recollection of "Miss Burns"  
and there is no doubt that they are  
one and the same woman.

J. H. Wallick, the proprietor of "The  
Dairy Farm" company, which is now  
filling an engagement in Washington,  
D. C., says the woman was known to  
him as Miss Kate Burns and that her  
sister, Miss Ada Holland, is now star-  
ring with Rogers Brothers.

### BURGLAR WORKS.

Visited Residences in the Vicinity of Avon  
Park Friday With Some  
Success.

A very audacious burglar plied his  
vocation with considerable success  
Friday night, entering three houses  
in the vicinity of Avon Park and es-  
caping from all without detection.

The man first made his appearance  
at the home of E. P. Kellogg on Park  
avenue near Evans' woods, shortly  
after 10 o'clock, when he was dis-  
covered peering through a window by  
Mr. Kellogg's daughter, Mrs. Ray-  
mond Randolph. He immediately  
fled but returned shortly after and  
made a second attempt and was  
chased away.

He then went to the Sprague re-  
sidence on the Stelle farm and entering  
by means of a skeleton key, appropri-  
ated a number of articles to the value  
of \$100. Following this the home of  
John I. Holly was visited and a quan-  
tity of silverware and an overcoat  
were taken.

The thief was afterward traced to a  
point near the golf grounds where he  
put on a pair of pointed shoes having  
walked the distance intervening in his  
stocking feet.

Statement From F. K. Clark.  
In a lengthy communication to The  
Press, Frederick K. Clark, of Scotch  
Plains, calls attention to the falsity of  
the reports to the effect that he has  
been receiving large sums from the  
township for the hire of his team, and  
also that the horses were incapable of  
performing a full day's work or of  
hauling an ordinary load. He claims  
to have received only what he was en-  
titled to and that the township was de-  
frauded in no manner whatever.

—Use Press Want Ads

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## MACHINISTS TO ORGANIZE.

PRELIMINARY MEETING WAS HELD  
HERE SATURDAY NIGHT.

Will Form Local Lodge of International  
Association of Machinists—Another  
Meeting Saturday Night.

In answer to a call about two hun-  
dred machinists met in Washington  
Hall Saturday evening for the purpose  
of considering the advisability of  
joining the International Association of  
Machinists and forming a local  
lodge. The association was repre-  
sented by H. E. Williams, of Newark,  
J. B. Wilson and Harry Smith, of  
New York, both business agents;  
C. W. Booth, treasurer of district 15,  
and O. F. Marshall, a member of the  
Governing Board, of the same district,  
of Brooklyn.

These men explained the objects of  
the association, stating that there are  
450 lodges, with a membership of  
60,000 in the United States, Canada,  
Mexico, Cape Breton, N. S., and other  
places. It was said that the associa-  
tion is intended for competent  
machinists and it is the purpose to  
protect the interests of such, to ad-  
vance morally, physically and finan-  
cially the interests of each member.

It is expected to inaugurate the  
nine-hour working rule on May 20  
next, among such manufactures that  
do not now observe this rule. The  
association was organized thirteen  
years ago at Atlanta, Ga., by five men.  
It is opposed to strikes and the rule  
is that all grievances that cannot be  
settled by the local lodge must be sent  
to the headquarters of the association  
on appeal for settlement. It is then  
considered and a vote is taken as to  
whether a strike shall be ordered,  
after all fair and honorable means are  
exhausted.

One feature objected to by some of  
those present was the fact that the  
rule of the association is that a ma-  
chinist must serve four years to be en-  
titled to full membership. This would  
work a hardship among men employed  
in shops where three years is the re-  
quired time. Just how this objection  
will be overcome remains to be seen.  
About thirty men signed the char-  
ter Saturday evening, and at the meet-  
ing next Saturday evening an organ-  
ization will be perfected and officers  
elected.

### DEATH OF J. W. VAN HORN.

Passed Away at His Home This Morning  
After a Lingering Illness.

John W. Van Horn, of 171 Duer  
street, died early this morning after a  
lingering illness with consumption.  
A wife, two daughters and a son sur-  
vive him. They are Mrs. Charles  
Greer, Miss Ada Van Horn and Wil-  
liam Van Horn, of Cranford, N. J.

Mr. Van Horn was in his sixty-third  
year and was prominent in G. A. R.  
circles. The funeral will be held from  
his late residence Wednesday after-  
noon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will  
be made in the soldiers' plot in Hill-  
side cemetery.

—Press want ads bring results.

## ON THE EVE OF BOROUGH ELECTION DAY BOTH PARTIES ARE READY FOR THE FIGHT.

Battle of The Ballots Will Centre About The Contests  
For The Mayoralty And  
Assessorship.

## POLITICAL RALLIES HELD SATURDAY NIGHT.

ISSUES OF THE CAMPAIGN ARE FAIRLY AND IMPARTIALLY  
STATED.

Just What Claims Two Parties Are Making To Win Votes  
For Their Tickets—Polls Open At Six o'Clock  
And Close At Seven—Beware Of  
Strange Tales.

The closing hours of the borough  
campaign in North Plainfield have



MAYOR N. B. SMALLEY.

arrived and the struggle at the polls  
now confronts the two political bodies.  
The period for electioneering while  
short has nevertheless been filled with  
no little interest. The small margin  
by which the Republicans obtained  
control of the borough two years ago  
has spurred the Democracy on with a  
renewed effort to reclaim the mayoral-  
ty and the minor offices. It will be  
recalled that the present incumbent of  
the mayor's chair defeated his oppo-  
nent by a baker's dozen of votes and  
though the administration is inclined  
to believe that the past two years has  
witnessed the strengthening of its

chance for the Democrats to over-  
throw the rival party is so far as the  
other elective officers are con-  
cerned. This, of course, is but the  
consensus of the public opinion as ex-  
pressed today but it should be re-  
membered that there is always the  
possibility of an unlooked-for land-  
slide.

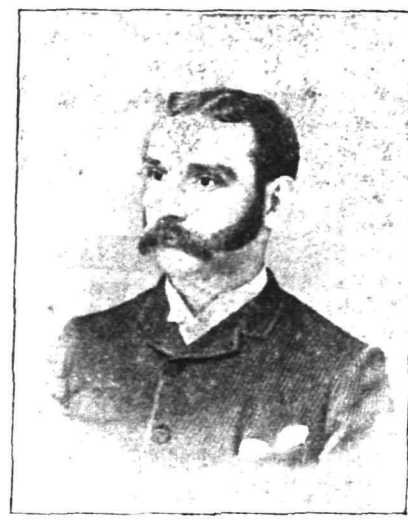
Today the political office seekers are  
practically resting on their oars. Sat-  
urday night the climax of the cam-  
paign was reached when the two par-  
ties held their final council of war in  
halls side by side on Somerset street.  
The Democratic workers, in pursu-  
ance of a call, gathered at the club  
headquarters in the Eggerding build-  
ing and the Republicans met at the  
U. S. Grant Club room in Spencer's  
hall.

At both meetings the respective can-  
didates were in attendance. The Dem-  
ocrats held an informal meeting for  
the purpose of making final arrange-  
ments and giving the necessary in-  
structions to the challengers.

A good sized crowd was present and  
it seemed to be in high spirits. Some  
of the more enthusiastic predicted a  
clean sweep for tomorrow but the more  
sober minded confined their claims to  
the mayoralty and assessorship.

The Republican meeting was in the  
shape of a jolly combination of a rally,  
musical and smoker. Mayor N. B.  
Smalley acted as chairman and as fun-  
maker for the occasion.

Speeches were made by Charles L.  
Nichols, candidate for Borough Coun-  
cil; Horace J. Martin, candidate for  
assessor, and by Mayor Newton B.  
Smalley, candidate for re-election to  
his present position. Andrew Lukins  
good naturedly remarked that there



HORACE J. MARTIN.

Candidates For Assessor.



ELSTON M. FRENCH.

hold on the people yet it is leaving no  
stone unturned to prevent the happen-  
ing of the unexpected.

The fight still centres on the mayor-  
alty and assessorship. The Republi-  
cans are endeavoring to win back the  
latter, while their opponents, feeling  
sanguine over the outcome of the as-  
sessorship contest are particularly an-  
xious to possess once again the execu-  
tive of the borough.

Elston M. French, the present as-  
sessor, was seated three years ago by  
a majority of two hundred, and the  
Republicans being cognizant of the  
fact that his popularity and the  
knowledge of his unquestioned ability  
have not waned one bit since then, are  
putting forth their best efforts to oust  
him tomorrow.

From what can be gathered in poli-  
tical circles there appears to be little

was no necessity for his getting on the  
stump as he felt he would be elected  
anyhow. The U. S. Grant Glee Club  
rendered some melodious tunes which  
had a good effect on the meeting. The  
meeting adjourned while all standing  
sang "America."

After the close of the entertainment  
a short session of the executive com-  
mittee was held for the purpose of dis-  
cussing matters peculiarly pertinent  
to the candidates alone.

The issues of the campaign are few.  
It falls upon the Democrats to pro-  
duce reasons why the present admin-  
istration should be withdrawn from  
power. The chief question is the tax  
rate. The Democrats demand a more  
economical government. They de-  
clare that, although the present ad-

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ordinary  
oatmeal  
is bitter—



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sweet

Hornby's Steam Cooked Oatmeal

## ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES FOR ALL CLASSES OF READERS.

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

—There will be an interesting meeting of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., this evening.

—See that you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. The genuine is a certain cure for piles, sores and skin diseases. L. W. Randolph.

—The contract case of Ameniano against Ameniano has been settled in Justice Huff's court by the defendant paying \$11 and costs.

—The lingering cough following grippe calls for One Minute Cough Cure. For all throat and lung troubles this is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Prevents consumption. L. W. Randolph.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leland, of West Second street, has recovered from a recent illness.

Night Was Her Terror.  
"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 25 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

—There will be initiation this evening at the meeting of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.

—Like Oliver Twist, children ask for more when given One Minute Cough Cure. Mothers endorse it highly for croup. It quickly cures all coughs and colds and every throat and lung trouble. It is a specific for grippe and asthma and has long been a well-known remedy for whooping cough. L. W. Randolph.

—Dr. Gaston, of West Front street, has purchased a handsome wagon to be used in his profession.

—Counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are liable to cause blood poisoning. Leave them alone. The original has the name DeWitt's upon the box and wrapper. It is a harmless and healing salve for skin diseases. Unequalled for piles. L. W. Randolph.

Miss Snyder, of Easton, has been the guest of Plainfield relatives for several days.

Mrs. L. J. Denton, of Washington avenue, returned Saturday from Williamsport, Pa., where she went as a witness in the Pangborn-Allen case.

A Horrible Outbreak.  
"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head," writes C. D. Isbill, of Morgantown, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 25 cents at L. W. Randolph's.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. Charles S. Lee, of East Ninth street, is greatly improved from a recent illness.

R. H. Stevens, of East Fifth street, has been visiting at Otham, N. Y., with his mother.

Miss Bertha Dreier, of Newark, spent Sunday with her parents on West Front street.

Mrs. Samuel Tunison, of West Fourth street, has been admitted to the hospital for treatment.

Lawyer Wm. Newcorn, of West Front street, has returned from an out-of-town business trip.

Mrs. Frederick Mead, of East Front street, who has been detained by illness for a few days, is much improved.

### 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. Jell-O—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocery today. 25c.



ASSESSOR FRENCH.

A Likeness Of The Man The North Plainfield Democrats Have Renominated For The Assessorship.

The Daily Press prints today a likeness of Assessor Elston M. French, of North Plainfield, who is a candidate for re-election in the borough. He is running on the Democratic ticket. Owing to an unavoidable delay, the cut did not arrive in time for publication Saturday when a sketch of Mr. French's career was published.

### AT THE THEATRES.

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

Down South when the papers announce the appearance of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company they usually preface the announcement with something like this: "That Label of the South," or something equally effective for the Southerner does not like to see himself so distorted and abused that he is no longer recognizable. "On the Suwannee River," which comes to Music Hall tonight, is a play that contains more in it than its title might at first glance lead a person to suppose. It is thoroughly southern in its actions and scenery, and the latter is entitled to considerable commendation. The plot revolves around a murder and an attempt to defraud a blind girl. Scheming relatives and guardians endeavor to marry the afflicted girl to a wretched old miser under the pretense that he is the son of a southern planter. All the wicked schemes are foiled and the story winds up happily for all who are deserving. The company producing "On the Suwannee River" is a good one. Stella Mayhew as "Aunt Lindy" portrays the character of the old southern aunty to perfection. Every action has that naturalness that comes to those to the manner born. Her presence is always the signal for a smile, and her good-natured and sarcastic sallies always bring forth laughter. Others in the cast are Willow Francis, Kate Weston Cherry, Lew A. Warner, Allen H. Bailey, Earl Atkinson, Fred Truesdell, Harrison Stedman and the Clover Leaf Quartette.

The great and only Herrmann comes to Music Hall Wednesday night in his magnificent exhibition of magic. The critical theatregoers of the United States have long since endorsed the marvelous work of the Great Herrmann and it is safe to say that as an entertainer in magic, occult phenomena and sensational illusions his standard is absolutely secure as being the foremost purveyor of this style of entertainment on the American stage. Novelties in magic are as essential to success as in the field of the drama and it is probably to this one fact that Herrmann always presents something new and startling, something that starts the tongues to wagging in the cities he visits, as well as to the marvelous exuberance with which these feats are performed that much of his phenomenal success is due.

Theatre-goers who attend the F. F. Proctor continuous performance theatres in New York city are kept in touch with the best form of amusement in the world. While Proctor prices never go up, the character of the show is ever increasing in merit. For instance, take that exquisite story of John Luther Long's, "Madame Butterfly," which David Belasco is now producing with such astonishing artistic and financial success at Proctor's Fifth Avenue Theatre, Broadway and Twenty-eighth street. It is admittedly the most superb feature ever introduced into a continuous performance programme. Pick out the house nearest to you—the Twenty-third Street Theatre, just west of Sixth avenue; the Fifth Avenue Theatre; the Palace, 58th street and Third avenue; or the Harlem house, on East 125th street—and witness the performance and all will assure you that you will see a good big show for such low prices; as 15c, 25c and 50c. At the Palace and the 125th Street Theatre, daily matinees are given at bargain prices; 25c for the best orchestra seats. Kindly remember that the performances are continuous every day from 12:30 to 10:45 p. m.

Keeper at An Asylum.  
Fred Leland, of West Second street, has secured a very lucrative position as a keeper in an insane asylum in New York State. His health, which was formerly very poor, is greatly improved.

Calico Hall.  
The fourth annual calico ball of the ladies section of the Plainfield Gessing and Turn Verein will be given in Sangerbund hall this evening. The committee of arrangements consists of Mrs. Rudolph Spiegel, chairman, Mrs. Charles Meyer, Mrs. M. Menzenback, Mrs. H. Kinsman, Mrs. H. Kreutzfeldt, Mrs. Peter Finger, Mrs. Henry Bergen, Mrs. Weigmann and Mrs. Charles Felber.

—Prof. Ivson, of Lonaconing, Md., suffered terribly from neuralgia of the stomach and indigestion for thirteen years and after the doctors failed to cure him they fed him on morphine. A friend advised the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and after taking a few bottles of it he says: "It has cured me entirely, I can't say too much for Kodol Dyspepsia Cure." It digests what you eat. L. W. Randolph.

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### CUBANS UNEASY.

Radicals Will Not Accept the Platt Amendment.

HAVANA, March 11.—Although the political demonstrations have ended, the radical element in the Cuban constitutional convention has not given up hope that the United States will recede from the position taken regarding the Platt amendment. The radical press is doing everything in its power to keep this view before the public. It attributes the action of the United States congress to the influence of the trusts, declaring that the American people "are in favor of giving Cuba absolute independence, and of rebuking the action of the administration." Articles from American papers which seem to sustain the attitude of the convention are given wide publicity.

Senor Gualberto Gomez says in La Patria: "Let us, the champions of our country's independence and sovereignty, preserve the calm, dignified attitude we have assumed. Do not let us lose our calm judgment. Let us maintain our energetic resolution to be free, but let us avoid furnishing the slightest pretext for the unhealthily imperialism which is corrupting the blood of a generous people and including them to trample upon our rights."

"Let us still have faith in the justice of our cause and in the honor of the country which produced Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln."

Thus far the radical members of the convention remain firm in their determination not to accept the Platt amendment. The committee on foreign relations will report today, but a final report is not expected for several days.

### A HOT WATER MOTOR.

Successful Test of Power From Superheated Water.

NEW YORK, March 11.—On the New York and Putnam railroad Saturday a demonstration was made of a new application of power for the purpose of propelling cars which experts present declared to be not only one of the greatest discoveries of the present age, but also one that was bound to revolutionize suburban traffic the world over.

What the experiment was meant to show was the possibility of feeding into an engine like the ordinary engine water heated to something like 500 degrees F. and converting that water into steam without interfering in any way with the proper action of the engine and then making it give up the heat power stored in it to propel the car of which the engine was a part.

That the experiment was a success every one who attended it was ready to attest.

**Wilson Memorial Fund Growing.**  
LEXINGTON, Va., March 11.—With each mail the William L. Wilson endowment fund grows slowly but surely. Since the last report by Treasurer Herbert Welsh of Philadelphia there was received in one day \$1,550 from various sources. Former President Grover Cleveland, the chairman of the committee fund, sent in a check for \$600 which was sent to him by a well known statesman whose name was requested to be withheld for the present. Professor Henry S. G. Tucker, acting president of Washington and Lee university, received from Dr. Hunter Powell of Cleveland a check for \$1,000, which was contributed by John H. Brown, a well known citizen of Cleveland.

**Mrs. Nation's Work Bears Fruit.**  
TOPEKA, March 11.—The result of Mrs. Nation's crusade was shown in 50 Kansas towns where Republican primaries were held for city officers. Without a single exception Kansas towns voted for "law and order" and against saloons and "joints." Four-fifths of this vote was for prohibition. In Topeka and other towns sleet, snow and finally rain did not deter them. Dispatches state that the women abandoned social functions and used their carriages in taking men who went to the polls who would agree to vote against saloons.

### A Railroad War.

SYRACUSE, March 11.—There is a merry war on between the Marcellus Electric railway and the village of Marcellus, this country. The railroad's franchise was recently rescinded, but at 3 o'clock yesterday morning the company started a gang of men laying tracks. The village officers ordered the work stopped, but were not obeyed. Trouble seemed near, but cooler heads finally prevailed. The courts will probably be asked to interfere.

### Roberts Returned Kaiser's Gift.

BERLIN, March 11.—It is rumored in court circles that Earl Roberts "thankfully returned" to Emperor William the insignia of the order of the Black Eagle conferred at the time of his departure to England after noticing the unfavorable comment in the German press upon the bestowal of the honor. This would explain the omission of the customary announcement in the Reichsanzeiger of the conferring of such a distinction.

### Glass Plant Destroyed.

GREENSBURG, Pa., March 11.—The Standard Glass company's plant, located near the County Home junction, south of here, has been totally destroyed by fire. The plant was recently leased from the National Glass company and was to be started up in full today with a large number of men. The cause of the fire is attributed to an explosion of gas. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

### Railway Collision in Belgium.

BRUSSELS, March 11.—A serious railway accident occurred yesterday at Heule, near Courtrai, Belgium. A passenger train going at full speed struck a freight train. The engineer of the former train and two passengers were killed, and many others were dangerously wounded. Several cars were literally reduced to splinters.

### President Diaz Gaining.

CITY OF MEXICO, March 11.—The Official Gazette, published by the government, announces that President Diaz will return here within a fortnight in order to preside over the cabinet session which will discuss his condition of health. All reports agree that the president is steadily gaining in strength.

### The Emperor's Wound Healing.

BERLIN, March 11.—Emperor William's wound is healing, the swelling of the eyelids is subsiding, and his majesty's general condition is satisfactory.

### The Manchester in Ireland.

DUBLIN, March 11.—The Duke and Duchess of Manchester arrived yesterday at Tanderagee castle.

## COMMISSIONERS SAIL

More Provincial Governments For Luzon Towns.

NATIVES GIVE THEM A SEND OFF.

Insurgents Surrender Five Hundred Rifles in Pampanga Province. Many Converts Reported—A Movement to Stop Smuggling.

MANILA, March 11.—Judge Taft and his associates of the United States Philippine commission, accompanied by their wives and a number of prominent Filipinos, embarked yesterday on the United States transport Sumner and sailed for Lucena, province of Tayalar, Luzon, where they will organize a provincial government. At the time of their departure the pier was thronged with natives, who cheered the commissioners and gave many other proofs of the popularity of the commission. The insurgents have surrendered 500 rifles in the provinces of Pampanga, Bulacan and Bataan during the last four weeks.

The Methodists report 120 converts in Manila last week, and the Philippine Evangelical church claims to have secured many new members. It is reported that the small steamers, the Oriente and the Carman, plying on the Pasig river and Laguna de Bay, have been seized, it being alleged that they were trading with the insurgents. Contraband articles were found aboard the steamers.

The Oriente had been seized previously, but had been released, the evidence against her not being sufficient to justify her being held.

This time, however, the evidence of illegal trading is stronger. The authorities are determined to stop smuggling on Laguna de Bay, and other arrests may follow.

Frank A. Brannigan, disbursing officer to the American Philippines commission, has been appointed treasurer of the Philippine archipelago at a yearly salary of \$6,000. Brannigan furnishes bonds in \$200,000.

The commission has passed a bill providing an additional \$1,000,000 in Mexican currency to the \$2,000,000 for the improvement of Manila harbor and an act empowering General MacArthur to organize municipal governments in those towns where none now exists.

Colonel Murray of the Forty-seventh United States volunteer infantry has received the surrender of 44 insurgent officers and men at the port of Tacloban, on Leyte island.

### Captain Gulick of the Forty-seventh

United States volunteer infantry has received the surrender of 40 insurgent officers and 200 men.

### Mitchell and the Mining Situation.

SCHANTON, Pa., March 11.—President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers spent yesterday here on his way to the Hazleton convention. He reiterated the statement made by him at Indianapolis that the posting of notices by the operators to the effect that the present terms of employment would be continued for another year was not satisfactory. "In my judgment," said Mr. Mitchell, "the proper way to adjust wages and insure uninterrupted employment is to have annual conferences between the operators and the employees, as is done in the soft coal region. There is no good reason why the operators should not confer with the organization. Last fall they claimed the organization did not represent the miners. The excuse cannot be put forward now. Practically speaking, every miner in the region is now enrolled in the organization."

### To Legalize Polygamy.

SALT LAKE CITY, March 11.—Polygamy may be practiced without fear of prosecution under a law which has passed the Utah senate. The new law grants immunity from prosecution except under the United States statute to all persons living in polygamy. The federal statute applies only to the celebration of a plural marriage. The passage of this act, which was passed at the dictation of the Mormon church, is to allow men now having several wives to live with them undisturbed. In consequence preparations are already being made to resume openly polygamous relations. The measure, which is known as the Evans bill, passed the senate Saturday. It will be put through the house probably under "gag" rule.

### Kicked to Death by a Horse.

TRENTON, March 11.—Thomas Applegate, a farmer living at Extonville, about ten miles from here, was found dead in his barn yesterday morning with his head crushed in. Owing to threats that had been made by white caps to punish Applegate for ill treating his family it was at first thought that he had been murdered. A thorough investigation was made by Coroner Bower and County Physician Rogers. Both are satisfied that Applegate was kicked to death by a horse.

### Ecuador Warned.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 11.—The government of Jamaica, acting on behalf of the British government, has sent a strong protest to the president of Ecuador against the employment of soldiers to compel thousands of laborers from Jamaica to work under the McDonald syndicate in the construction of the railroad from Guayaquil to Quito. The protest is almost an ultimatum, as it calls for an immediate discontinuance of the coercive measures.

### Old Stage Driver Dead.

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 11.—William Buckley, a pioneer stage driver and owner, is dead. He was born in Albany in 1828 and drove a stage in the Mohawk valley and along the old post road to New York city. He brought the first stagecoach across the continent from St. Louis to Salt Lake City in 1847.

### Vassar's Big Farm Enlarged.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., March 11.—Vassar College has leased the Boardman farm of 400 acres to give pasture for a herd of cattle, enlarged because of the growing student population. The college farm now embraces 1,000 acres of land.

### Neck Broken by a Fall.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., March 11.—An unknown man, evidently of Irish descent and about 30 years of age, supposed to be a tramp paper maker, fell from a railroad bridge while intoxicated. He struck on his head on a floating cake of ice and was taken from the water dead. His neck was broken.



## EARL LI IS VERY ILL.

Life Hangs by a Thread, Say Physicians.

## FALSE REPORTS OF COURT'S PLANS.

Generally Believed That the Empress Dowager Would Be Glad to Return to Peking Under Certain Assurances.

PEKING, March 11.—Li Hung Chang is again seriously ill, and his physicians say his life hangs by a thread.

Prince Ching and Earl Li seem to think that by spreading rumors of the court's unwillingness to return to Peking unless this or that is done they can influence the deliberations of the ministers of the powers. As a matter of fact, according to reliable reports from Sian-fu, the imperial personages are extremely uncomfortable at Sian-fu, where they live in the house of the governor, which is only a small structure. French missionaries who have just returned here from Sian-fu believe the empress dowager would bring the court back to Peking on the first offer of the allies, having as a basis the removal of the troops except the legion guards.

The foreign envoys will not hold a general meeting until tomorrow, owing to the absence of M. Pichon, the French minister at Pao-ting-fu.

The United States signal corps will be ready to leave in a week, according to instructions. No transport has been announced, however.

Gloom has been cast over the entire American command by the death of Captain Richard B. Paddock of the Sixth United States cavalry, who died at Tientsin of pneumonia. The funeral services will be held today.

## CHINESE HAVE SIGNED.

Manchuria Convention Assured by Russia's Gift.

LONDON, March 11.—"Chinese signature of the Manchurian convention is practically assured," says the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Mail, "because Russia last August sent to the empress dowager 7,500 pounds of bar silver."

The Japanese battleship Hatsuse, just completed in England, has been ordered to proceed hither with all possible speed," says the Yokohama correspondent of The Daily Mail. "Other orders given to the Japanese navy indicate the seriousness with which the Japanese government views the situation in the far east."

Well informed Japanese regard Russia's bluff in Manchuria as a gigantic bluff, inspired by the notion that England's hands are tied in South Africa, but as Germany is only half hearted in the maintenance of Chinese integrity a coalition with Japan is improbable, and Japan is too much embarrassed in her finances to do more than to protest and to endeavor to secure compensating advantages in Korea."

"It is not likely that the powers will oppose the scheme of Russia," says the Peking correspondent of The Morning Post, writing Saturday. "The situation is regarded as very gloomy. Even the Chinese plenipotentiaries declare openly that intervention by the powers is not desirable unless they are prepared to back up their protests."

There are reports from the province of Shansi that the Chinese are constructing extensive fortifications and mobilizing large bodies of troops to resist an advance of the allies."

General Chaffee refuses to allow the decapitation of several notorious Boxer chiefs, guilty of murder, whom a Chinese judge has condemned. The Americans are the only foreigners who have carried out no executions in Peking."

Chinese Leaders Will Resist. SHANGHAI, March 11.—Dispatches from Lan-chau assert that General Tung Fu Hsiang, with 20,000 men, and Prince Tuan, with 10,000 men, are at Nig-hsu, prepared to resist arrest. The China Gazette announces that Sheng, the tatal, has memorialized the throne in favor of the abolition of the Ili duties and that all the viceroys and governors support him.

Still Punishing China. BERLIN, March 11.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Count von Waldersee, dated Peking, March 10: "Colonel Ledebur's column stormed a gate of the Great wall 80 miles west of Pao-ting-fu Friday, March 8, capturing four guns."

## A Bloody Rain in Sicily.

PALERMO, March 11.—A strange phenomenon is now being witnessed here. For many hours a heavy red cloud has extended over the city, the sky being a deep red. The rain now falling resembles drops of congealed blood. This phenomenon, which is called "bloody rain," is attributed to dust from the African deserts, transported by the heavy south wind now blowing. A dispatch from Rome says the phenomenon now to be seen there extends also over southern Italy. At Rome the sky is yellow, and at Naples a rain of sand has fallen, the heavens being dark red.

## Would Check Balkan Outbreak.

LONDON, March 11.—"It is reported that Russia is seeking the support of the powers in a scheme to prevent a sudden outbreak in the Balkans," says the Vienna correspondent of The Morning Post. "She proposes that Serbia, Bulgaria and Greece should greatly reduce their armies on condition that the powers give a pledge to protect their independence. It is asserted that the assent of Great Britain and Austria has already been obtained."

## Telegraphers to Make Demands.

NEW YORK, March 11.—The telegraphers in the service of the Central Railroad of New Jersey will today, through their grievance committee, meet General Superintendent Olafsen and demand a minimum scale of wages of \$50 per month. Their wages now range from \$40 to \$65. They will also ask for annual passes and the customary trip passes as well as shorter hours for the townmen.

## Blooded Stock Burned.

SYRACUSE, March 11.—A special from Massena says the stock barns of the St. Lawrence Power company, near Massena Springs, were burned, and 14 blooded Jerseys were lost. The Exchange hotel at Colton was also burned. The loss was total.

## DE WET'S ESCAPE.

Almost Impossible to Trap Him Now. Few Boers in Cape Colony.

LONDON, March 11.—The Times publishes the following dispatch from Asavogel Kop: "General De Wet has escaped northward by a forced march with 400 men. His objective is believed to be the vicinity of Kroonstad."

"Four other Boer leaders are still in the southwestern part of Orange River Colony."

Now that General De Wet is back in his own country it will be almost impossible to operate against him. Just so soon as he is pressed his commando dissolves to meet again a few days later.

"Only a few bands of Boers are now left in Cape Colony."

No further news has been received concerning the negotiations between Lord Kitchener and General Botha. The Daily Express says it hears that Lord Kitchener declared the surrender must be unconditional, while the question of the future treatment of the Boers was referred to London.

It is asserted that Mr. Kruger through Dr. Leyds has sent a long telegram to Mr. Schalkburger, acting president of the South African Republic, asking for details regarding the negotiations.

## THE NEW STAR.

Marvelous Changes Since Its Discovery.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 11.—A report of photographic observations at Harvard college observatory of the new star in the constellation of Perseus just issued shows that this remarkable nova has been undergoing very rapid changes. It was discovered last month by the Rev. T. D. Anderson of Edinburgh, and the news of his discovery reached Harvard on Feb. 22, when an examination of photographs of Perseus taken on Feb. 19 proved that at that date the new star was invisible or fainter than a star of the eleventh magnitude.

Three days later Mr. Anderson observed its magnitude to be 2.7, and on Feb. 23 the Harvard observations showed that it was a star of the first magnitude, but it then began to diminish slowly in brightness. During the interval between the 19th and the 23d ult. the intensity of the Nova's light increased, according to the astronomical rule of computation, more than 10,000 times.

As this enormous, flaming, flashing world is so remote from us that the tremendous outburst of its light has taken nearly a century to reach the earth it is not surprising that no very definite theory of its sudden conflagration has yet been put forth.

## Former President Harrison Worse.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 11.—The condition of former President Benjamin Harrison is serious. Dr. Jameson states that the upper part of General Harrison's left lung is inflamed. "There is some danger of the congestion extending to the rest of the lung and to the right lung. The change for the worse came at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. General Harrison was resting easily, but at that time he became slightly worse, and Dr. Jameson was called. He said that he was certain nothing was to be apprehended for the next 48 hours, but the age of the patient renders all calculations uncertain. General Harrison is suffering some pain, but resting comparatively easy."

## Railway Station Burned.

NEW YORK, March 11.—The passenger station of the Harlem division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad at Willis avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street, in the borough of the Bronx, was destroyed by fire last evening. The firemen say that the low pressure of water was responsible. The fire department lost no time in getting to the fire; but, try as they would, the engines were unable to raise a stream that would carry more than 20 feet in the air. Nearly \$1,000,000 worth of freight records were destroyed. One of the engines of the road had valuable charts stored in a locker, and these also were destroyed.

## Cashier Still Missing.

NILES, Mich., March 11.—Cashier Charles A. Johnson of the First National bank, which closed its doors Friday, is still missing. The bank officials refuse to talk. The bank examiner worked on the books all day, but will divulge nothing. Johnson's friends still insist that he is deranged mentally as a result of the shock of the bank's suspension and is in Chicago. However, they do not give his address in that city.

## The Nation Verdict Sealed.

WICHITA, Kan., March 11.—A sealed verdict was returned last night in the case of the state versus Mrs. Carrie Nation, Lucy Wilhoite, Julia Evans and Lydia Muntz, charged with wrecking a saloon here on Jan. 21. The verdict will be read in the district court today. Eleven of the jurymen are said at first to have favored conviction. The jury deliberated 24 hours.

## Postoffice Robbed.

TOLEDO, March 11.—Six masked men secured tools from a blacksmith shop early yesterday morning and breaking into the West Toledo postoffice blew the safe open with nitroglycerin and secured \$700. The safe was demolished and the building wrecked. They fired several shots at citizens who were aroused by the explosion and drove away in a wagon.

## Spanish Gunboat Ashore.

MADRID, March 11.—The Spanish gunboat Ponce de Leon is ashore near Huelva, about 50 miles southwest of Seville. At the next council of the ministers the dates for the dissolution of parliament and the general election will be fixed. In official circles it is denied that two bands of Carlists have made their appearance in Catalonia.

## Fire in Great Barrington, Mass.

GREAT BARRINGTON, March 11.—The massive building, the largest business structure in town, was burned last night, causing a total loss of about \$65,000, of which \$25,000 is on the building and the balance distributed among the numerous tenants. The origin of the fire is unknown.

## Catholic Church Burned.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., March 11.—The Catholic church at Lyon Mountain, N. Y., 30 miles west of here, of which the Rev. Father Giquina Mars is pastor, was totally destroyed by fire at noon yesterday, entailing a loss of \$1,500, partially covered by insurance.

## Weather Probabilities.

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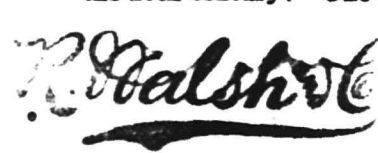
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## ADJOURNMENT IN SIGHT.

New York Legislature Will Close Early in April.

ALBANY, March 11.—With the Ramapo fight settled, the administration tax bills will on their way to final passage and the Brackett amendments to the corporation and stock law practically completed, ready for final debate, legislative leaders are beginning to guess a day of adjournment. Neither the governor nor the majority leaders Nixon and Ellis have definitely decided upon a date, but it is thought that the speaker's gavel will fall on the sine die session within the first ten days of April.

In the meantime the Stranahan mortgage tax and excise law amendment bills will come up for a great share of attention. The mortgage tax bill which was introduced last week is practically the same bill which Senator Stranahan introduced last year, but which he was compelled to abandon because of the heavy opposition to it. This year Senator Stranahan says he feels positive he can pass the bill, as it is a legislative tax year and everything bearing the label of tax is "looked to go through" despite all opposition.

Hearings will be given, it is expected, some time during the present week on both the mortgage tax bill and the excise law amendment.

Liquor dealers from all over the state will very likely put up a most vigorous fight at the hearing on the excise law bill. The bill proposes to make it absolutely impossible for a fake Raines law hotel to exist. It defines the guest of a hotel as a person whose intention in coming to the hotel is to procure bed or board. The hotel must beyond all doubt be engaged in the business of furnishing bed and board to permanent guests. Persons patronizing such hotel for meals alone must show that they have frequented the place at the time meals were served and not as a drinking resort. Raines law hotel keepers are already girding for the fray, and the hearing is likely to be one of the most exciting of the session.

Two of Governor Odell's tax bills, one taxing insurance companies and the other the surplus of savings banks, will be on the second reading calendar in the assembly for tonight.

## The Plague in Cape Town.

CAPE TOWN, March 11.—The official reports regarding the progress of the bubonic plague in Cape Town since the outbreak show a total of 22 deaths and 102 cases. The Malays gathered yesterday to oppose the removal of a Malay who had been attacked by the disease and of several persons who had come into contact with the victim. The police were overpowered, and the persons who had come into contact with the Malay made their escape. In the event of a repetition of this experience it will be necessary to employ an armed force, so that trouble is anticipated.

## Bolted Alive.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., March 11.—Howard Frost of Elizabeth, N. J., a mechanical engineer, received terrible scalds while at work in one of the large boilers at the Stanley works. Frost was inside the boiler when a steam gauge blew out and turned on the full pressure of steam and hot water. He was dragged out by workmen, but not until the entire upper part of his body had been practically parboiled. He is not expected to live.

## Private Bank Burglarized.

ARGONIA, Kan., March 11.—The private bank of J. P. Springer was burglarized here by three men and \$2,000 in cash and \$4,000 in registered government 3 per cent bonds secured. The robbers secured their tools from the Santa Fe section house near by. The vault was entered through the brick wall, and the safe was blown open with nitroglycerin. The robbery was not known until morning.

## Addition to Sibley College.

ITHACA, N. Y., March 11.—An addition to Sibley College of Mechanical Engineering, the gift of Hiram Sibley, Jr., of Rochester, son of the donor of Sibley college, is to be built at once. The building will cost \$85,000 and will be erected between the old Sibley and the new Sibley, joining them and giving the north end of the campus a building almost 400 feet long.

## A Ministerial Black Sheep.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., March 11.—Judge Seaman in the United States district court has ordered Rev. John S. Reynolds taken to Colorado to stand trial at Colorado Springs on the charge of embezzlement while acting as postmaster there. Mr. Reynolds has just concluded a two year term at the Chester (Ills.) penitentiary for bigamy.

## Heavy Snowfall in Missouri.

KANSAS CITY, March 11.—A snowstorm, one of the severest of the winter, has visited western Missouri and northern Kansas. While the fall was not heavy it drifted badly. The Missouri Pacific had a passenger train stuck in a drift for six hours near Jamestown, Kan. There are bad drifts on a number of Missouri Pacific branches.

## Countess Not Guilty.

BERLIN, March 11.—The trial of Countess von Schlieben, accused of having set fire to her own villa in order to obtain the insurance money, which began Friday in Berlin, ended at half past 2 Sunday morning in a verdict of acquittal. The countess was immediately liberated.

## Riot in Madrid.

MADRID, March 11.—During a riot against the city tax last evening the moted the municipal employees engaged in collecting the tax and set fire to ten sentry boxes. Four persons were injured, one of them seriously. Order was finally restored by the prefect.

## Alabama Did Not Sail.

PENSACOLA, Fla., March 11.—There was a severe storm on the gulf, and on account of the high seas the battleship Alabama did not sail on her trial trip. All the preparations were made for the trial, and the postponement is only to await favorable weather.

## Robber Breaks Jail.

DENISON, Ia., March 11.—John Storck, under indictment here for the daring express robbery committed at Manila last month, made his escape from the Crawford county jail at Denison last night.

## Moroccan Tribes in Revolt.

TLEMSEN, Algeria, March 11.—The Moroccan tribes in proximity to French territory are in full revolt, and reinforcements have been sent forward.

## FIERCE MARCH GALES

Many States Suffer Loss of Life and Property.

## HEAVY DAMAGE CAUSED IN CHICAGO.

Telephone and Telegraph Lines Badly Crippled Throughout the Middle West—Tornado Cuts Wide Swath in Texas.

CHICAGO, March 11.—One of the worst windstorms of the season struck Chicago early yesterday and during the two hours that it was at its height damaged property throughout the city to the extent of \$175,000. Many heavy plate glass windows were blown in. Telegraph and telephone companies were the worst sufferers, and it will be some time before order can be restored. Thousands of poles were blown down, and Chicago was practically isolated from the west and northwest by telephone and telegraph.

The long distance telephone service was crippled so badly that it was of little value. Up to a late hour last night neither Milwaukee nor Minneapolis could be reached by long distance telephone.

The storm is believed to have been most severe in southern Wisconsin. Along a short stretch of the Milwaukee road in southern Wisconsin 500 telegraph poles are down.

Reports from many points in Indiana and Kentucky also indicate heavy damage from the storm. The Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies suffered severely by fallen poles. It was estimated that there were not fewer than 5,000 poles in the city thrown down by the fury of the wind and storm. Service almost as far west as Omaha was stopped until late in the evening.

Trains entering Chicago were delayed all the way from ten minutes to one hour. The Burlington and Milwaukee and St. Paul companies were the worst sufferers in this respect. All the roads suffered damage to their tracks and switch yards. At the life saving station at the mouth of the Chicago river it was considered the worst gale which has struck Chicago harbor since 1894. The water, lashed into fury, came up to the life saving station and flooded the floor for the first time in 12 years. Most of the shipping was protected in winter quarters, so that the damage done to it was slight.

## Many Texas Towns Visited.

HOUSTON, March 11.—News from Saturday's storm is now coming from northeast Texas. The casualties were small considering the amount of territory visited, but there are four dead and five believed to be dying at Wills Point, where the property loss will reach \$100,000. Five persons were badly hurt at New Boston, though not fatally. A number of houses were wrecked. The property loss there will reach \$75,000. At Blossom no one was seriously injured, but the damage to residences was great. At and near Emory, Illinois county, one man was killed, and several persons were hurt, two seriously. The damage to property was heavy. The wind was accompanied by heavy rain, which, with hail, did considerable damage in the rural districts. The storm was first reported from Uvalde, on the Mexican border, where a church was wrecked. Several towns between Uvalde and Wills Point report small damage, but it was not until the last named place was reached that the tornado's effect was felt.

## Kentucky Storm Swept.

FULTON, Ky., March 11.—In the terrific storm that swept over the state the damage was greatest at Clinton and Hickman. At Clinton 20 negro cabins were demolished, two negroes being mortally hurt and many others badly bruised. Part of Marvin college was destroyed, and the waterworks plant was destroyed. Eight freight cars on the Illinois Central switch at the depot at Clinton were blown from the track. The Baptist church at Hickman was destroyed by the wind. A large number of tenant houses and barns were blown down in Fulton and Hickman counties, and the loss of property is large.

## Michigan Telephones Crippled.

DETROIT, March 11.—Over 10,000 telephones were rendered useless yesterday by the rain which fell and froze during the entire morning. The 30 mile an hour wind which accompanied the rain raised havoc with the wires, weighed down as they were by ice. Officials of the Michigan Telephone company estimate their total loss in the state at \$20,000. Street car service was greatly impaired during the morning by the ice. The storm was general throughout the southern part of the state, wires suffering everywhere.

## Cloudburst and Lightning.

ROCHESTER, March 11.—A severe thunder and lightning storm passed over Rochester between 9 and 10 o'clock last night. At Charlotte, seven miles from here, there was a cloudburst. The village was flooded, and considerable damage was done. At the same time lightning struck the barns on the stock farm of ex-congressman Halbert S. Greenleaf, and they were led to the ground, together with their contents, consisting of 43 blooded Jersey cows, 24 thoroughbred horses and 200 tons of hay and straw.

## Tornado in Indiana.

PRINCETON, Ind., March 11.—This city was struck by a tornado late Saturday night. One dwelling was wrecked, several others were moved from their foundations, and hundreds of outbuildings were demolished. No lives were lost. The courthouse and the high school building were much damaged. Hundreds of windows, many of plate glass, were blown in.

## Much Damage in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, March 11.—The heavy rain, wind and thunder storms which swept over Arkansas did great damage. At Conway 15 business houses were unroofed, three others were blown down and many stores flooded. Reports from Pine Prairie say that a tornado struck there, wrecking everything in its path. A boy named Turner was killed.

## Brutal Lisbon Police.

LISBON, March 11.—As the result of a manifestation against the Jesuits by students of the Polytechnic school the police entered the institution and struck many with words. Among the wounded are



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Assessor.	Assessor.
H. J. Martin.	E. M. French.
Collector.	Collector.
G. F. Brown.	W. J. Conroy.
Freeholder.	Freeholder.
A. L. Larkin.	J. A. Smith.
Councilmen.	Councilmen.
J. L. Northrup.	J. H. VanWinkle, Jr.
C. L. Nichols.	D. A. Mills.
Justices of Peace.	Justices of Peace.
H. S. Thomas.	D. D. Smalley.
E. J. Olsen.	

## COMING EVENTS

March 18—Last entertainment in Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

## The People's Paper.

Some borough politicians who believe in strict allegiance to party under all circumstances and who cannot understand the feelings of the independent voter or "mugwump," as they choose to call him, have criticised The Daily Press because it has not taken a stand in favor of one side or the other in the present campaign in North Plainfield. Being unable to take a fair and impartial view of the situation themselves, they are unable to see why anyone else should wish to do so.

As has been stated many times, The Daily Press is independent in politics and will continue to be so. Both sides will be treated fairly. While the political parties in city and borough maintain their present high standard and the rights and liberties of the citizens of the two municipalities are not menaced, The Daily Press will not enter into any partisan warfare. If it should ever happen that any municipal officials or political party should attempt any measure that will affect the welfare and good name of Plainfield and North Plainfield, The Daily Press will be found where it always is on such occasions, on the side of good government and the best interests of the people.

The Daily Press is the people's newspaper as it has often demonstrated and it will continue to oppose any plan or act which is not for their best interests. The people of Plainfield appreciate this fact as is shown by the steady increase in our circulation. The Daily Press gives the news of Plainfield and vicinity in fair impartial form and keeps its readers thoroughly in touch with the existing state of affairs in the community. Even the most partisan of its readers are glad to scan its columns as they know that there they will find the news of the day carefully and truthfully told.

While there are a number of prominent Republican newspapers in Union county the Democrats of this county have heretofore been without any representative daily journal in the field to defend their cause. There are several staunch Democratic weeklies published throughout the county but they fail to reach the bulk of the voters. So some of the leading Democrats have formed a company which will soon begin the publication of a Democratic daily in Elizabeth where they believe that their best opportunity exists. William W. St. John, who was for five years city editor of The Daily Press, will be editor and business manager of the new publication. Mr. St. John is a bright, energetic newspaperman and may be expected to devote his utmost efforts to make this new venture a success. He has the best wishes of his Plainfield friends in the new undertaking.

The adjourned meeting of the Common Council next week will practically be a public hearing on the proposed sewer ordinance. This ordinance provides for the changes at the sewage disposal beds as suggested by Engineer J. O. Osgood. Its full text has been already published in The Daily Press. If anybody has any strong objections against that plan or else has some other plan to suggest, he will do well to visit the Council chamber this evening or else forever after hold his peace.

It is no easy thing to successfully manage an amateur dramatic performance, particularly when it is given on the scale of the production of "The Private Secretary" which was given at Music Hall by local talent.

last month. Former Mayor W. L. Saunders was remarkably successful in his management of that play and has just made his final statement of the finances of the affair. The statement shows that \$473.80 was netted and will be divided among Plainfield's charities.

Tomorrow will bring to an end the series of evangelistic meetings which have been in progress in this city for the past two weeks. It can be truthfully said that these services have been the most far-reaching in their influence of any ever held in this city. While this Gospel campaign has already resulted in many conversions, the meetings have been entirely free from all sensationalism, although very earnest and impressive.

Are the voters of North Plainfield satisfied with the present administration of borough affairs? That is a question the answer to which a great many people would like to know. It will be answered tomorrow.

The teams from the Westfield Club and the Roselle Casino are still to meet in The Daily Press Bowling League. On that series of games the result of the League depends.

In North Plainfield township, one of the issues before the voters in tomorrow's election is the question of the extension of the trolley line to Watchung.

There will be an election of local officials in all the boroughs and townships of the State tomorrow.

It is the duty of every citizen of the borough to visit the polls tomorrow and cast his ballot.

## TWO INTERESTING CASES.

Plainfield Interested in Two Suits Decided By the Court of Errors.

In the present term of the Court of Errors and Appeals, two cases have been argued in which Plainfield people are interested. The one was the case of Annie M. Matthews against John Mullins & Sons, which was taken to the Court of Errors on a writ of error taking up the judgment which Mrs. Matthews had obtained against Mullins & Sons for \$1,500, obtained in the Union County Circuit Court, the object of the writ being to obtain a new trial if possible. Mrs. Matthews was represented by Codrington & Swackhamer, and Mullins & Sons by Vredenburg, Wall & VanWinkle, of Jersey City.

The other case was that of the city of Summit against August C. Hahr. This is a case in which August C. Hahr was convicted of violating the license ordinance of Summit. Hahr's attorneys, Codrington & Swackhamer, carried the case to the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court reversed the judgment of the police justice of Summit, and then Summit took the case to the highest court on writ of error. The Court of Errors on Friday last unanimously confirmed the decision Summit must necessarily pay all costs. O. N. Williams, of Summit, and Adams & McCarter, of Newark, appeared for Summit.

Strikes a Rich Find.  
"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by L. W. Randolph.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary.  
Friday afternoon and evening the Park Avenue Baptist church will observe its twenty-fifth anniversary. A very fine programme has been arranged which will be of great interest to all. Among the speakers will be Rev. Asa Reed Ditts, formerly pastor, and Rev. Harry Lowry, son of Dr. Lowry, first pastor of the church.

Is Not Employing Non-union Men.  
Mayor N. B. Smalley says a rumor has come to his ears which charges him with employing non-union men for work on the new building being constructed by Smalley Brothers on North avenue. The Mayor desires an emphatic denial to be recorded against this statement.

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## Local News on Page 2.

Richmann, N. J., May 22.  
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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, March 11.—Tonight will see the wind up of an interesting borough campaign, in which the respective political forces have spent so much effort and time in fostering the booms of the various nominees of the two parties. Tomorrow the citizens will be confronted with the necessity of having to choose those who are to govern and to fill the various offices for the ensuing terms. The offices that are to be voted for are Mayor, two members of the Council, an assessor to fill an expired term, a freeholder and a constable. The polls will be opened at 6 o'clock in the morning and close at 7 at night. The judges of election are Eugene Runyon and S. O. Stables and the clerks Harry Gaskill and George W. Day. The vote polled will no doubt be the heaviest in years as the campaign has been the most interesting the borough has seen in some time.

Although a quorum was present at the meeting of the Dunellen Gun Club held on the grounds Saturday afternoon, those who attended deemed it advisable to postpone the election of officers. A meeting will be held some evening this week at which time it will be decided when the election will take place. The weather Saturday was not at all conducive to good shooting but a number of the more enthusiastic members spent several hours at the traps.

Garretson & Gray have commenced filling spring orders from their reserve stock of stone and within a week or ten days will resume work at the old crusher.

The Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club will meet this evening at the residence of Miss Weatherwax at 7:30 o'clock for the regular rehearsal.

J. Y. Wilson returned Saturday after a three weeks visit with his daughter, Mrs. Cortez Clawson, of Salem, West Va.

Miss Martha Kratzel was the guest of relatives at Westfield Saturday.

## NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence.)

New Market, March 11.—For the second time Saturday, the Board of Education was unable to secure a quorum for the purpose of settling accounts in connection with the building of the South Plainfield school. A third attempt will be made tomorrow when the board will meet at Dr. Whitford's office at 10 o'clock.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church held their social Saturday evening at the residence of Mrs. A. H. Burdick. There was a very good attendance and all present enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

The Sunshin Mission Band of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will hold their anniversary on the evening of March 16.

The polls at the Hotel Nelson will be opened during the usual hours tomorrow for the township election.

Mrs. Samuel Pyatt is able to be out after a brief confinement to the house by illness.

Miss Florence Nelson has nearly recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

## 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence.)

Scotch Plains, March 11.—The ticket named at the borough primary Thursday evening may meet with opposition at the polls tomorrow, as it is said there will be an independent ticket in the field. The Citizens' ticket will be as follows: For mayor, Thomas F. Young; councilman, three years,

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## CASTORIA

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Wright Babcock, W. E. Collins, two years, Frank D. Warren; commissioner of appeal, Harry P. Robison. There will be a hot fight over the proposed plan of bonding the borough for the purpose of changing the present crushed stone walks to concrete.

The Saturday Night Club, of the borough, held another of their delightful Saturday night hops in the borough fire house Saturday evening. Dancing was the feature of the evening's enjoyment for the younger set, while those who did not care for this enjoyed the evening with cards and social talk.

The house committee, of the Public Library Association, will be able to turn into the Library treasury about \$20, as a result of their efforts at the rummage sale held Wednesday and Friday of last week in the Marsh building.

The township election held tomorrow in Excelsior Hall promises to bring out a large vote for a spring election, and both parties are working hard to get out as much of the vote as possible.

Edward Johnston led the weekly meeting of the Baptist Young Peoples' Union in the Baptist church last night. Subject, "A Castaway."

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Apper and children were the guests yesterday of relatives and friends in Plainfield.

George Snyder, of New York city, was the guest Saturday and Sunday of his father, Robert Snyder.

A number from town will witness the play "On the Suwanee" at Music Hall tonight.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

(Special Correspondence.)

South Plainfield, March 11.—Announcements were made at the Baptist church yesterday of an entertainment to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, in Washington Hall, Friday evening, and of the Farther Light meeting Saturday night at the home of Mrs. R. B. Manning.

Chas. Brantingham is unable to go to work today as expected, having contracted a slight attack of the grip.

Miss Gunther, of Metuchen, has returned home after a two days' visit with Nellie Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Smith have been entertaining out-of-town friends.

The P. O. of A. meets tonight in Washington Hall at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. William Manning is confined to the house by a slight illness.

## A. W. FISH DEAD.

Passed Away at the Home of His Brother in Chicago.

Andrew W. Fish, a former Plainfield resident, died Saturday at the home of his brother, Roswell P. Fish, of Chicago, after a lingering illness. At the time of his death he was approaching three score and ten and during the latter part of his life he had resided on Franklin place, leaving this city for the west but one year ago. He was a commission merchant for years, with a New York office.

In addition to the brother in Chicago he is survived by another brother, Frederick K. Fish, of Grant avenue, a sister, Miss Virginia Fish, of this city, and a daughter, Miss Emma V. Fish, of Brooklyn. He was a member of the Park Avenue Baptist church.

Mr. French Explains.  
Elaton M. French, the Democratic nominee for re-election to the assessor's office, states in explanation of the allegation that he assessed persons for poll tax in 1900 who were dead or had removed from the borough, that the list is made up May 30 and the names of all those who have died or removed are stricken from it. He adds that the names of those dying or removing subsequent to the compilation of the lists are not stricken off and that this no doubt has been the cause of the rumor.

## Endorsed Mahil.

Nearly every member of the local branch of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers was present at the meeting held Saturday evening in Washington Hall for the purpose of nominating a representative to the conference to be held at Manchester, England, the coming summer. The members endorsed the nomination of William Mahil, of Brooklyn, who was present and addressed the meeting, informing the society as to what were his intentions if sent as a delegate.

Entered Wrong House.

Oscar Waldron, a youth hardly out of his teens, attempted to enter a wrong house by mistake Saturday evening and was placed under arrest. This morning at the hearing City Judge Runyon, being satisfied that the young man's error had been unintentional, suspended sentence on Waldron.

(Studied Sunday-school Lesson.)  
The Sunday school teachers of the Park Avenue Baptist church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Runyon, of East Ninth street, Saturday evening, for the study of yesterday's lesson.

## HUNDREDS THROGGED TO HEAR THE WORD

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.)

The Seventh-Day Baptist church. A stirring address was made by F. H. Andrews, of Warren chapel, and the seekers for Christ, for whose benefit the meeting was held, were dismissed after a benediction had been said by the pastor of the First Baptist church of the borough.

AN OVERFLOW MEETING.  
Most of the members of three Sunday schools were unable to gain admittance to the First Baptist church for the Sunday school rally in the afternoon and an overflow meeting was held for them in the First M. E. church. They were from the Trinity Reformed, Park Avenue Baptist and Crescent Avenue churches, and well filled the church.

The first part of the service was given over to song and prayer, the musical part being in charge of Horace J. Martin. As soon as Mr. Hall's address at the First Baptist church was over he took charge of the overflow service. Immediately upon his arrival Mr. Jacobs sang in a very impressive way, "What will you do with Jesus?"

Mr. Hall's address was substantially the same as the one he gave in the First Baptist church, his text being the same. He closed with an earnest appeal to the young people to start a Christian career at once.

A short after meeting was held in which many of the young people were told of the importance of the step to be taken.

## MEETING AT Y. M. C. A.

Fully as interesting and as greatly enjoyed as is his singing, was the address which F. H. Jacobs gave in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at the afternoon rally yesterday before an audience of men which completely filled the hall. Mr. Jacobs did not confine himself to one text but took three and from them drew a heartfelt talk.

His only purpose in speaking, he said, was to bring men to Christ, and they had the privilege of accepting or rejecting Him. His remarks were presented in such a way that at the close twenty of his hearers raised their hands, indicating their acceptance of the Saviour and a desire to lead a better life.

In addition to Mr. Jacobs' talk, the meeting included singing by the Jubilee Singers who are favorites at the Y. M. C. A. rallies. E. M. Honeyman led the chorus singing.

## TALK TO MEN.

One thousand men sat and listened to the stirring and convincing argument for Christ made by Wm. Phillips Hall in the First Baptist church last evening. The service was for men only. The meeting was commenced with a song service. Prayers were offered by Rev. J. O. McKelvey and Rev. C. L. Goodrich, and before Mr. Hall began his plea F. H. Jacobs sang one of his sermons in song with telling effect.

"Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all things will be added unto you," was the biblical quotation upon which the evangelist based his appeal. He recited numerous cases to show how men who first made it their duty to seek God were prosperous in their worldly life. If one takes care of God's business, God will take care of his, said Mr. Hall. Hardships endured for the cause of Christ are rewarded by blessings bestowed by Almighty God and the sinner will find that it pays to yield himself body and soul to the Lord Jesus Christ.

It is safe to say that at least a score registered themselves as desiring to live a Christian life by signing the cards supplied by the ushers.

Rev. A. E. Main pronounced the benediction.

## WOMEN'S MEETING.

The meeting for women, which was held in the First M. E. church at the same hour as the men's meeting, was also very well attended. The pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. W. O. Snodgrass, presided, but the sermon of the evening was preached by Rev. Dr. William R. Richards, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church. Charles L. Lewis acted as musical conductor.

The meeting opened with a song service, after which prayer was offered by Dr. Snodgrass, and Mr. Lewis sang a very impressive solo, "Eternity." The sermon followed immediately. Dr. Richards using as his text, St. Luke ix, 25: "Whoever shall be ashamed of Me and of My words, of him shall the Son of man be ashamed."

The speaker said that in some things a feeling of shame was an advantage to a person. Because a man would be ashamed to be caught in a lie, or to run away from a post of duty,

he would be far less likely to commit those sins than if he were without that incentive to keep away from them.

But there was another side to the matter, Dr. Richards proceeded. Besides keeping a man from the lowest things, a feeling of shame may also keep him from the highest. It is the best things that a person is usually most ashamed of. He cited as instances of this the fact that men usually would rather be seen reading any other book than the Bible, and would rather be heard to swear than to pray.

The penalty of being ashamed of Jesus, the speaker went on to say, was to bring sorrow to Him; to force Him to be ashamed of His disciple. But, he hastened to show, it is also a joy to Him when a child of His is willing to confess belief in Him.

In closing, Dr. Richards asked all present who were not ashamed to acknowledge their faith in Christ, to rise. The greater part of the audience responded. Then he asked those who were not acknowledged Christians, but who were not ashamed to say that they wanted to become followers of Christ, to rise also; and to this there was an encouraging response. Cards to be signed by those desiring to begin a Christian life were circulated and the benediction was pronounced by Dr. Richards.

## EVENING OVERFLOW MEETING.

The overflow meeting held in Vincent chapel last evening was well attended. A short song service was conducted by City Judge Wm. N. Runyon. Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist church, was in charge of the service and he delivered a powerful discourse on the Bible, showing how it has stood for two thousand years and is today just as strong as ever. He showed that it had withstood all the attacks, criticism of the most pronounced skeptics, and despite every effort to tear the Word to pieces, it still stands as the Book for the sole guidance of the world.

After Mr. Richardson made a strong appeal to those present to identify themselves with Christ, he called upon Judge Runyon to make a few remarks. Mr. Runyon bore sincere and earnest testimony of the preciousness of Christ to him, especially during the past few weeks. He realized, he said, that he had failed to receive many blessings and live as close to Christ as he should as a church member, but he prayed that he might live closer to Christ and be the means of helping others to do so.

Before the meeting closed Judge Runyon sang very tenderly and effectively "Will There Be Any Stars in My Crown." The workers then passed the invitation cards, and after they were collected the benediction was pronounced by Mr. Richardson.

## WEST END CAMPAIGN.

The evangelistic campaign in the West End, was continued in the evening at the Monroe Avenue church. The speaker of the evening was Rev. G. W. Smith, presiding elder of the Elizabeth district in the Newark conference. The fore part of the evening was taken up with a brief song service led by W. S. Weeden and at its close Mr. Smith announced his text as being found in Luke xiv 17, "A certain man made a great supper and bade many; and sent his servant at supper time to say to them that were bidden, 'Come for all things are now ready.'"

In the course of his remarks, the speaker said that man is composed of two natures, a physical and spiritual, and that each has its wants. God provides for his hunger and thirst and gives him shelter while all his other physical requirements are supplied by nature. It would be considered a queer thing if men were unable to gratify these tastes yet the spiritual nature is just as vital and it would seem equally as strange if there were no appeasement. The cost of any supper today prepared by the greatest men in the realm cannot compare with this gospel supper which cost the life of Jesus Christ. A man receiving an invitation to the former would feel under an obligation to the inviter and could settle with him by accepting or rejecting, but an invitation to accept the Gospel must be settled between he and God, not with the servants who present it, whoever they may be.

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## DID NOT STAY LONG.

Unpleasant Sensation of a Boston Man in New York.

Mistook the City Morgue for a Hotel and Sought Lodging on a Ship—Joke Very Nearly Drove Him Insane.

It was one a. m. and eight doctors from Bellevue hospital and a dozen newspaper reporters sat in the office of the morgue, says the New York Sun, awaiting the arrival of the body of a woman who had shot herself. The massive door suddenly swung open and a well-dressed man entered. He was about 25.

"Will you let me have a room for the night?" he said, approaching the morgue keeper.

The crowd in the office tittered. "Certainly," replied the man behind the desk. "What priced room would you like?"

"About two dollars," said the visitor.

The doctors nudged the reporters and the reporters smiled. Then some one told a young man to go into the adjoining room and get a big key for the purpose of personating a hotel bellboy. The morgue keeper picked up a big book resembling a hotel register, the identification book they call it at the morgue. Shoving the book toward the visitor he handed over a pen, and said in a businesslike way: "Register there, please."

In a full round hand the man wrote: "C. O. Cooper, Boston, Mass." Then he dug a roll of bank notes from his pocket and was peeling one off when the morgue keeper said: "Never mind, pay your bill in the morning." Going toward the door



THE BOSTON MAN STAGGERED.

that led to the morgue proper, the keeper shouted: "Hey, Front!"

A dapper young man immediately appeared. He had a key with a tag attached to it.

"Room 66," said the morgue keeper "Show this gentleman to his room."

"This way, please," shouted the bogus bellboy, opening the door leading to the main room of the morgue building. "This way, follow me."

The stranger was led past an ice box with a body, but he did not seem to notice it. They brought him to the room set apart for children. When the bogus bellboy opened the door a chilly blast came through the doorway.

"Oh-h-h! Its awfully cold here," said the man from Boston. "I want a room that is heated."

Just then they turned up the electric lights which threw yellow rays on a dozen dead faces. The man from Boston staggered. He grabbed hold of the door casing and said, in trembling tones: "Please-ese-ese-take-take-ese me out."

Dr. Mourning, one of the surgeons attached to Bellevue, arrived about this time. He caught hold of the stranger in time to prevent the man from falling.

"This has gone too far," said the doctor. "Quick! Get this man out or he will collapse."

The stranger was assisted back to the morgue office. There he was assured that he was in safe hands. Dr. Mourning explained that he was in the city morgue and not in a hotel.

"Some of the boys have carried the joke too far," said the doctor, "but you're all right now, and we'll send somebody with you to a warmer hotel. But how the devil did you fetch up at the morgue?"

The stranger explained that he came from Boston in a late train and walked about a mile "to look around a little." He was not a drinking man and had never tasted intoxicating liquor in his life. But he had never been in New York before, and after reaching Twenty-sixth street and Third avenue he asked the first man he met: "Where can I stop for the night?"

The man evidently believed that Mr. Cooper, of Boston, was looking for the city lodging houses. He told Mr. Cooper to walk to the foot of Twenty-sixth street. When Cooper got there he saw a big, new brick building with two artistic street lamps at the entrance. Believing he was at a hotel he went in. After getting in, he said, he saw men sitting around smoking cigars. Some had uniforms and caps. They were the Bellevue doctors, but Cooper believed they were baggage handlers. When led to the room his brain whirled and he got dizzy and he believed that he had suddenly become insane. And when he was going he said: "You bet I'll never come back again. It was nothing funny for me."

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## Kokal-Nachrichten aus der allen Heimat.

### Preußen.

#### Provinz Brandenburg.

Berlin. Laut dem kürzlich veröffentlichten Ergebnisse der am 1. Dezember 1900 vorgenommenen Volkszählung beträgt die Einwohnerzahl des Reiches 56,345,018. Hier von sind 27,731,067 Personen männlichen Geschlechts. Seit 1895 betrug der Bevölkerungszuwachs in Deutschland ungefähr 4,000,000 Seelen, die größte Zunahme für eine fünfjährige Periode während der letzten 30 Jahre. Preußen hat 34,463,377 Einwohner, oder 2,608,154 mehr als in 1895. Am meisten gewachsen ist die Einwohnerzahl in Westfalen und den Rheinlanden. Die Berliner Polizei erstellte eine Bekanntmachung, daß in Folge unlangst erfolgter gerichtlicher Entscheidung ausländische Klerger strafbar sind, wenn sie in Deutschland einen außerhalb des Reiches erworbenen Dokortitel führen. Das neue Budget der Stadt Berlin weist eine Ausgabe von 114,000,000 Mark auf. Der Zimmermann Wilhelm Biffert wurde auf einem Grundstück in der Friedrichs-felderstraße, mit den Aebtern an den eisernen Spitzen der Hofmauer hängend, tot aufgefunden. Er war bei dem Versuch, in der Nacht durch die Werkleiter der Mauer in sein verschlossenes Wohnhaus zu gelangen, hängen geblieben und dabei erstickt. Charlottenburg. Ein Regat von 100,000 Mark ist der Stadtgemeinde Charlottenburg ausgeschrieben worden. Der Baron George Kill-Mar, der im Jahre 1887 starb, hatte in seinem Testament bestimmt, daß aus seinem Vermögen ein Betrag von 100,000 Mark der Stadt Charlottenburg zur Errichtung einer Stiftung überwiesen werde, aus welcher mittellose alte Frauen, ausnahmsweise auch Männer mit Unterhaltungen von 50 bis 150 Mark bestritten werden sollen. Die Zahlung des Regats an die Stadt-gemeinde sollte jedoch erst nach dem Tode der Universitätsbibliothek des Barons erfolgen. Diese, Frau von Ida v. Blücher, ist kürzlich gestorben.

#### Provinz Hannover.

Hilbesheim. Nach dem dieser Tage bekannt gegebenen Resultate der am 1. Dezember 1900 vorgenommenen Volkszählung hat Hilbesheim 42,977 Einwohner, genau 4000 mehr als 1895. Der Konfession nach wurden gezählt 27,702 Protestanten, 14,186 Katholiken, 332 Reformierte, 589 Juden und 168 Personen, die einer anderen oder keiner Konfession angehören. Wilhelmshaven. Angier erlag einem Blinddarmlleiden der erst kürzlich aus China heimgekehrte Ober-Leutnant J. S. May Peggel. Er hatte aus China zurückgekehrt deutsche Truppen heimgebracht.

#### Belgien.

Hans Hinrich Ranje, bekannt unter dem Namen Dr. Wer, ist im Alter von 66 Jahren gestorben. Mit ihm schwand wieder ein Unikum unserer kleinen Insel, das sich durch Humor stets auszeichnete.

#### Provinz Hessen-Nassau.

Frankfurt. Die Erben des kürzlich verstorbenen Chefs des Frankfurter Kaufes der Rothschilds, Barons Willy v. Rothschild, haben den Wohlthätigkeitsstiftungen der Stadt die Summe von 1,000,000 Mark überwiesen. Der verstorbene Frankfurter Verleger Franz Jügel hat der Stadt 2,000,000 Mark für alte und frische Bedürfnisse vermacht.

Hannau. Wegen Unterschlagung wurde hier der Oberpostsekretär Kämpf verhaftet.

Melsungen. Der Minister Thelen hat die Erbauung einer Lungenheilanstalt für die im Westen Deutschlands befindlichen Eisenbahn-beamten in der Nähe der Stadt Melsungen genehmigt. Die Anstalt soll für 100 bis 130 Pflöglinge eingerichtet werden. Der Kostenbetrag wird sich auf etwa 750,000 Mark belaufen.

#### Hohenollern.

Sigmaringen. Hier ist Professor a. D. Sauerland im Alter von 83 Jahren gestorben.

#### Provinz Pommern.

Greifenhagen. In Langen-hagen erkrankte die Bäuerin Kell nebst ihren drei Kindern an Kohlenbrenn. Stollp. Der Primaner Paul Schimmelpfennig rettete unter eigener Lebensgefahr den bereits bewußtlosen siebenjährigen Schüler Erich Fischer, der in den Strom gefallen und unter das Eis gerathen war. Es gelang dem mühtigen jungen Manne, sich 25 Meter unterhalb der Stelle, an der er in's Wasser gesprungen war, mit dem Stab durch das Treibeis an's Ufer durchzuarbeiten.

#### Provinz Posen.

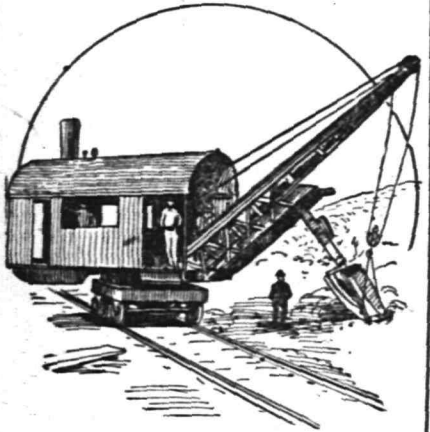
Posen. Eine hier abgehaltene Generalversammlung des Provinzial-vereins zur Bekämpfung der Tuberkulose beauftragte den Vorstand, die Errichtung einer Lungenheilstätte für weibliche Kranke aus der Provinz in der Nähe der Stadt Bromberg anzustreben. Die Landesversicherungs-kasse errichtet eine Heilstätte für männliche Tuberkulose im Regierungsbezirk Posen.

## BIG STEAM SHOVELS.

With a Single One as Much as 6,000 Tons Have Been Loaded in About Nine Hours.

Much of the ore from the Lake Superior region is loaded into railroad cars at the mines by steam shovels. A good deal is transferred at lake docks from steamers into freight cars in the same way. The shovels are also used to dig and load ore directly from mines of the "open pit" kind.

The machine shown in the picture not only shovels, says the Little Chronicle, but is a kind of locomotive and takes itself wherever it is needed. It consists of a dipper which will hold



AUTOMATIC STEAM SHOVEL. (Shoveling Ore from Stock Pile in Lake Superior Country.)

several tons of ore; a steel I-beam nearly 30 feet long which helps to hoist and swing the dipper; a boiler and several pairs of engines; all mounted on a turntable on a stout, four-wheeled railroad truck. One pair of engines thrusts the dipper into the ore pile; another hoists it, and another can swing the boom and bucket through about 200 degrees of a circle. There is a draw bar at each end of the machine, so that it can be coupled into freight trains and hauled as an ordinary car. The shovel can scoop up its load from a considerable depth below the track on which it stands, and hoist it about 13 feet above the rails. The dipper is made of steel plate and forgings, and has hardened, chisel-pointed teeth. It is fastened to the dipper arm in such a way that it turns a little when striking obstructions and this lessens the strain.

In "open pit" work a whole train of empty cars is switched into the mine at once. The shovel scoops up the ore, which may first have to be loosened by blasting, and loads the cars. Sometimes a gang of men loosens the ore and keeps it sliding down into the big bucket. It takes eight or ten people to work a machine of medium size. However, one man controls all the motions of the dipper by means of levers. With a steam shovel as much as 6,000 tons of ore has been loaded in a little over nine hours. As fast as the cars are loaded they are drawn out of the mine and shipped.

A large shovel of this kind is about 40 feet long, ten feet wide, weighs 100 tons and costs from \$7,000 to \$10,000.

### ROBERT S. McCORMICK.

Prospective American Minister to the Austrian Court is a Native of Chicago.

Robert S. McCormick, the prospective American minister plenipotentiary to the Austrian court, has been living in Washington for about two months, and has made an excellent impression on the society of the capital, which has been brilliantly entertained by him and his family. Mr. McCormick is conceded to possess the qualifications of a "plen-



ROBERT S. McCORMICK. (Prospective American Minister to the Austrian Court.)

ipo" in more than a usually high degree. He has ample fortune to maintain the state of a first-class diplomat, his culture is of a high order, and his experience of the world and his suavity are all that could be desired in one of Uncle Sam's ministers at a foreign court. Mr. McCormick is noted for his love of books, and his excellent collection is the delight and despair, at once, of less fortunate bibliophiles. He has visited every noted collection in America and abroad. His friends believe he would make a very acceptable head for the Austrian mission.

### Woman Lands a Big Shark.

At Palm Beach, Fla., one of the most exciting sports of the season is shark fishing. The ravenous monsters are plentiful in the waters roundabout, and many of the transient residents have had "the fun of their lives" in hooking and landing them. The other day Charles Dana Gibson, the well-known sketch artist of New York, and his wife were on the pier. The couple are enthusiastic over the sport, but Mr. Gibson had caught all the fish. This time Mrs. Gibson held the line, and when the shark took the bait she had great difficulty in holding on, but with the assistance of her husband the fish was landed. It proved to be of the shovel-nose variety, and weighed 550 pounds.

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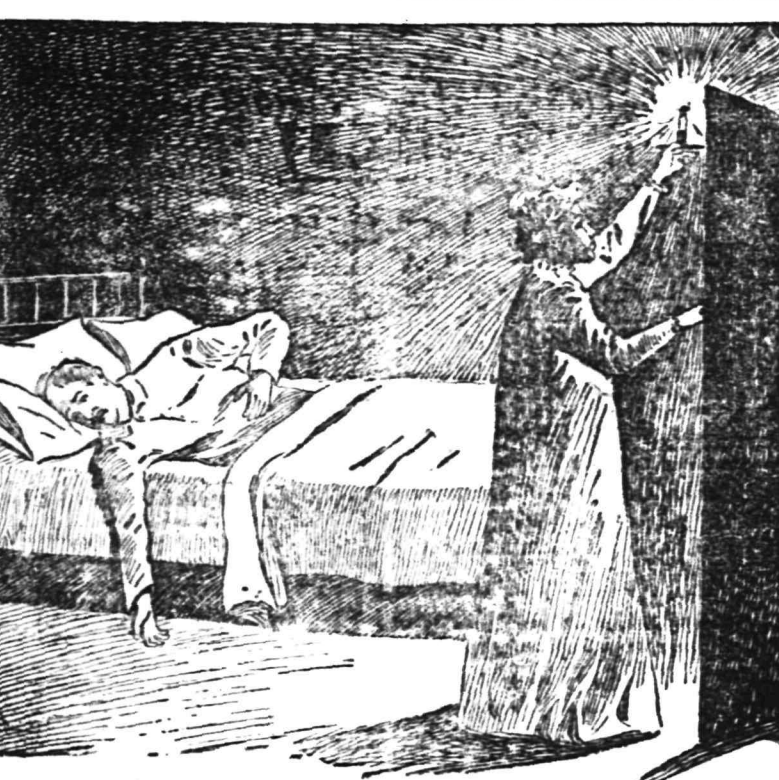
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## Some Materials for Tailor Gowns of Coming Spring

Broadcloths Will Lead in Popularity—Other Gossip of Dame Fashion

### Popular Materials for the Coming Spring

**B**ROADCLOTH will lead as a popular material for tailor gowns during the coming spring season, but at the present time, and in fact all through the winter, it has been a favorite for dinner gowns. The wealthy women seem never to tire of the handsome material, no matter how many novelties are offered them, and the fashionable dress-makers have made a number of the handsomest gowns of the season of it. For ordinary purposes, such as street gowns, chevrons, serge, soles and cashmeres have been used to a great extent, but few of these have been used in the more elaborate costumes.

For dinner wear the pastel shades have been the popular colors, and for the spring street wear the light shades will be the favorites. One of these elaborate afternoon dinner gowns of broadcloth is a striking affair in a deep shade of mauve. The bodice is tucked up and down, and opens over an inner vest of mauve velvet. The velvet vest is also opened so as to reveal a white silk vest and stock. The sleeves are of the cloth and plain, with white silk tucked under sleeves. Above this is a gantlet cuff of velvet, with a finish at the wrist of a velvet band. The skirt has a deep shaped flounce headed and edged with clusters of tiny tucks.

A fascinating dinner gown is of black broadcloth, piped with white broadcloth. The graceful skirt has a stitched black taffeta band two inches wide eight inches from the bottom. This band has pipings of the white broadcloth on each side. The jacket is made just to the waistline and is of three pieces, having the effect of three jackets. The first has straps of cloth, with small white crocheted buttons to finish, while the

collar and revers of fur, and lace undersleeves are the usual accompaniment.

Many and curious are the long chains that are being worn. I saw one woman at a recent fashionable ball adorned with multitudinous loops of chain, chiefly coral, fixed so as to dangle row under row across her figure at the waist. Five long chains also surrounded her neck, and were



OF BROADCLOTH IN DEEP SHADE OF MAUVE.

looped and disposed below the waist and on the bust in various fashions. Another pretty chain was of small black beads with a large round onyx bead at frequent intervals. Still another was composed of blue beads, twisted together, and unitedly passing through a large gold bead every three inches.

### Will the Queen's Death Change the Styles?

**M**ERCHANTS, manufacturers and wondering what effect the death of Queen Victoria will have upon the spring and summer styles. Merchants who have already filled their shelves with the accepted spring and summer novelties showing the most brilliant of colorings are wondering if eccentric womankind will now take it into her head to follow the English style and go into mourning for the dead monarch. If they do the merchants have thousands of dollars invested that will be almost a total loss to them.

Manufacturers are watching the trend of fashionable opinion to see if it will demand the starting of their mills on a new line of goods to meet a new demand. They are willing the change should come, it would mean many thousands of dollars in new orders to them.

The fashionable woman, too, is waiting. She looks with longing eyes



IN A LIGHT SHADE OF TAN BROADCLOTH.

upon the charming spring and summer materials with which the merchants are tempting her to buy, but she looks only. She is anxious to first hear from Paris, and while she does not like to miss the first choice from the array of new novelties that are offered, she does not like to spend her surplus of dollars for that which the turn of a card may make undesirable. Should Paris as well as London take advantage of the grief in England to don dark colors for the coming season New York will quickly follow. But I believe that the New York woman really hopes the bright colors may remain in style.

SARAH DAVIDSON.

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IT HAS always been a singular thing that the idealists have pictured the Madonna as standing for the sacred Motherhood of the Human Race, and yet they have never placed an Indian mother among the favored ones in the gallery of the Madonnas. Surely, if tenderness, gentleness, careful training of their children, according to the highest and best knowledge they possess, go for anything, it has been most unfair to leave out the Indian mother from the Madonna category. In my 20 years of personal experience with the Indi-



HOPI MOTHER AND CHILDREN.

ans of the American southwest, I have seldom seen any but the highest type of mothers among the Indians; using the word "highest type," of course, in its comparative sense. Long years of pre-natal culture was made a scientific study by civilized peoples, the Indians believed in it, knew its potency and practiced it. What Oliver Wendell Holmes sagely advised the quack who wished to know how early she should begin to train her child, viz.: "A thousand years before it is born," the savage Indian has done in a measure, without his advice. Among the Hopi, the young man must make himself swift and athletic and strong ere he marries, and the woman must be able to do her work with ease and skill—work that would tax the muscles of many a hardy, strong American laboring man—before she is deemed worthy of marriage.

Figure 1 is a picture of a Hopi mother and child, and though the mere casual observer would see nothing attractive either in mother or babe, they are both remarkably interesting and worthy of note. For I have before described how the Hopi babe is cared for as soon as it is born, and watched to keep all evil from it. I have described the ceremony of baptism and the prayers that accompany it. Here is one I heard a few weeks ago when fortunate enough to witness the ceremony of baptizing a boy: "May you have much corn. May you never be sick, but always be well and strong. May you never die, but may you grow old, and then gently fall asleep!"

As the boy grows older his mother trains him in honesty, sobriety, reverence and labor. Whatever may be the ordinary conception of the white person as to the working capacities of the Indian man, certain it is that the Hopi man works as hard as any day laborer in the United States. He is trained to it from the earliest years by his mother. Honesty, too, is one of the car-



A PAINTED DESERT MADONNA.

dinal virtues of a Hopi. "You are a thief, like a Navajo and an Apache," is the worst kind of a taunt and insult that can be offered to a Hopi man or youth. And I never yet saw a drunken or partially drunken Hopi. To shun the white man's whisky, the pulque of the Mexican, el vino of the Rio Grande Pueblo Indians, and the smalatoga of the Navajos, is the earnest warning of the Hopi mother to her son. And, better even than this training, in my estimation, are the Hopi mother's instructions to both her sons and daughters in reverence. Among the civilized Americans boys, nowadays, have no reverence.

"Young Americanism" is almost synonymous with rudeness to the aged, and scoffing insult at everything that was once held sacred. To see an American boy rise and give his seat to an aged man or woman is a rare sight (thank God, it is sometimes seen), but for a Hopi boy to even sit in the presence of his elders without their permission is a thing utterly unthought of,

and for a young man to speak in council until all the old men have had their say, or until he is invited, would be to subject himself to the certain rejection of his counsel, however good it might be.

Fig. 2 is a Madonna and child I found on the great painted desert of northern Arizona. A pretty, cunning, smiling baby, and a happy, proud, kindly mother. When I assured her it would do her child no harm to be photographed, she hesitated awhile before consenting, and then, when I motioned to her that I had finished the task, she hugged the little one to her breast as if to ward off any possible evil that might have hovered near her loved one.

Fig. 3 is a fine representation of a Wallapai Madonna. Triumphant pride in her maternity is clearly shown in the face of the mother. The great masters of the past 2,000 years have sought to depict the faces of their Madonnas all the virtues and graces of womanhood, and the special qualities the Christ Mother is supposed to have been possessed of. The greatest pictures clearly portray the holiness and sanctity of maternity; the triumphant joy in its blessedness; and in the case of the Christ Madonna the recognition of the greatness and dignity of the career of her Holy Son, her own pride in that grandeur of His calling, and yet her recognition of the woe and anguish that were sure to fall to His lot; and in one or two pictures the Madonna face shows all these things with the added expression of clear foreboding of the cruel and agonizing death that was awaiting Him.

Of course, it could not be expected that these things would be seen in the face of this ignorant Wallapai woman, but tenderness, gentleness, kindness, motherly pride and care are all as well manifested in this picture as are the other graces in the ideal pictures of the master artists.

And yet the Wallapai women are generally regarded as notoriously bad mothers, and not without some cause. Yet there is a reason for this, which again and again Wallapai mothers—very old women—have given to me. Said one of them not long ago: "When I had my first baby I lived with my husband at Pine Springs. Often he went away hunting for seven days, for ten days, for twelve days, and all those weary days and nights I was alone. The Apaches often used to come up into our country and steal our cattle and sheep, and rob us of our corn. They would kill our little children and steal the women and girls to take as wives for themselves. One day I saw



A WALLAPAI MADONNA.

the warning smoke signal on the mountains to the south that told me that the Apaches were fast coming this way. What could I do? If I tried to escape by carrying my babe on my back I knew I should be captured, and either killed or compelled to become the wife of my Apache captor. I knew my baby would either be killed now or later, so I told the 'shadow people' how it was and I shut his little mouth and nose with a blanket and he soon died. Then I was able to get into the Canyon of the Havasupais and hide until the danger was past."

And there is no doubt but that this is the real explanation for much of the so-called Wallapai cruelty to their children. But as the fear of the Apaches dies away, owing to the protection afforded by the United States government, the natural instincts of maternity again begin to assert themselves, and in the case of the mother here pictured it seems to me it would be impossible to find anywhere a prouder or more satisfied creature than this so-called rude savage now that Those Above have given to her a man child. Anyhow, I should be pleased indeed to see in the bringing up of many American civilized children the same care and thought and sense of responsibility that are manifested by many an ignorant savage out in the deserts of the far-away west.

G. WHARTON JAMES.

Beyond the Pale.  
"Of course, you quite understand that I shall call upon Mrs. Whiffler for your character," remarked Mrs. Taggerty to the girl she had just engaged.

"Certainly, m'm," replied the girl, "although I would rather you didn't, for Mrs. Whiffler is so eccentric that she is not always to be relied upon."

"In what way is she eccentric?"  
"She insists that her husband is quite a model father and husband, and that her children have never caused her a moment's anxiety."

"H'm, not much in that."

"Then she says that she is perfectly content with one new dress and one new hat each season."

"H'm, she is eccentric, then!"  
"And, finally, she has never attended a bargain sale, and says that the only things sold at them are the women who buy!"

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## SPORTING.

## POOL

This week's schedule of games in the pool tournament at Krewson's parlors is as follows: Monday, Greaser 75 against Sutterlein 75, Beekman 60 against Walsh 60; Tuesday, Ammons 55 against Pope 45, McCann 45 against Kingston 45; Wednesday, Sutterlein 75 against Smith 60, Beekman 60 against Smith 60; Thursday, Greaser 75 against Walsh 60, Smith 60 against Melvin 60; Friday, Walsh 60 against Ammons 55, Melvin 60 against McLaughlin 45.

## PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, of the West End, have returned from their honeymoon, which was spent in New York State.

William G. Illsley, of South Second street, left this morning for an extended business trip through the western states.

Robert M. Clark, of Grove street, and J. O. Martin, of Duer street, sang very acceptably in the choir of Trinity Reformed church, yesterday morning.

Helen Louise Woolley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Woolley, of West Front street, was baptized in Trinity Reformed church yesterday morning by Dr. Schenck.

Funeral of Isaac LaRue. The remains of Isaac LaRue, the aged engineer who passed away at his home on East Ninth street last Thursday, were held yesterday from the Baptist church at South River. The edifice was crowded with relatives and friends. Rev. L. B. Wheeler, of New Brunswick, was the officiating clergyman. Two solos were sung by Mrs. John Manley, of this city. Interment was made in the South River cemetery. Those who acted as pall bearers were three sons, Ira, James F. and William O. LaRue and John Manley, all of this city.

Funeral of Mrs. Fisher. (Special to The Daily Press.) Bound Brook, March 11.—A short funeral service was held over the remains of Mrs. Catherine Fisher at the residence of her son, Dr. C. P. R. Fisher, this morning. It was conducted by Rev. J. O. Jones, of this place, in the presence of a large number of friends, many of whom were from Plainfield. A further service was held at the Hopewell Baptist church in charge of Elder Francis Chick. Interment was made at the latter place.

Charged With Assault and Battery. Jacob Sachar, of this city, appeared in Justice Huff's court this morning and made a complaint of assault and battery against Charles E. Williams, of Westfield. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Williams and Constable Mattox went to Westfield to find the accused. Wm. Newcorn represents Mr. Sachar.

Trolley Car Stalled. A deep pool of water on the roadway in the vicinity of the "Eight Row" was the cause of a fuse burning out in one of the front street cars early this morning. The car was delayed for an hour and twenty minutes.

Heavy Rain Fall. According to Weather Observer Neagle, the rainfall for the twelve hours previous to 8 o'clock this morning was 2.20 inches. For this evening fair weather is promised.

## Local News on Page 2.

DO YOUR FEET ACHE AND BURN? Snake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cools the feet and makes tight or new shoes feel easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Smarting, Hot, Itching, Sore and Sweating Feet. Allen's Foot-Ease relieves all pain and gives rest and comfort. We have over 30,000 testimonials. It cures while you walk. Try it today. All druggists and shoe stores sell it. 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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## MARRIED AT HIGH NOON.

MISS MARGARET COE WEDDED TO ARTHUR BOSTWICK TODAY.

Ceremony Took Place in Grace P. E. Church—Wedding Luncheon at Bride's Home Followed.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Coe, daughter of Mrs. Mary O. Coe, of 827 Third place, to Arthur Bostwick, of Pittsburg, Pa., took place today at high noon at Grace P. E. church. Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, performed the ceremony, which was made very pretty and impressive with the full choral service by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Freeman, organist.

The choir preceded the wedding party to the altar, then followed the six ushers and the flower girl, Miss Cerito Coe, a niece of the bride, who was gowned in white and carried a basket of flowers. The maid-of-honor, Miss Rachel Coe, a sister of the bride, came next. She was gowned in blue silk, trimmed with lace, and carried a bouquet of choice flowers. She also wore a hat to match her costume.

The bride then followed, accompanied by her brother, George J. Coe, who gave her away in marriage. Miss Coe's gown was of beautiful white satin. She wore a long veil, and she carried a large bouquet of violets. At the altar the bride parlay met the groom and his brother, who was the best man.

Following the ceremony the party retired from the church while the Lohengrin wedding march was being rendered on the organ. A reception and wedding luncheon followed at the home of the bride's mother, where a few intimate friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Bostwick will soon sail for Europe, where Mr. Bostwick goes on important business for the Carnegie Steel Company, with which he is associated.

## TO SEE NEW SCHOOL.

Manual Training Department of Borough to be Opened to Public.

The new manual training department of the North Plainfield public schools will be open to the general public Thursday afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock and from 7:30 to 9 o'clock on the same evening. The members of the Board of Education as well as Superintendent Wightman and his corps of teachers will be present.

The pupils have volunteered to take part in a practical demonstration of the work now being conducted in the new department. There will be classes at work in cooking, sewing, physics, chemistry and woodworking and the public will then have the opportunity of observing just what is meant by practical manual training.

The building will be lighted by electricity. Superintendent Wightman extends an invitation to all to come and inspect the new branch of school work inaugurated by the Board of Education.

## New Store.

The Star clothing and furnishing goods house will be opened in the near future by Preger & Unger at 207 West Front street. These people have eight stores distributed over New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, and have their own manufacturers in the city. Mr. Unger will manage the Plainfield store.

## Tried to Catch a Train.

Eugene Chamberlain was discharged from the hospital today. [Last January he fell off a bridge at Whitehouse while trying to catch a train and sustained painful injuries.

## Saw Lots of Smoke.

A still alarm was sent into fire headquarters last evening at 8 from the Rink building. The smoke proved to be from a new fire in a stove in the skirt factory.

## Death of James R. Phillips.

James R. Phillips died at his home on West Front street this noon. He has been ill for the past ten months. He leaves a wife, one son and five daughters.

## Saloon Will Close.

Most of the local saloons have agreed to close tomorrow for certain hours on account of the special evangelistic meetings.

## Well, Rather!

Papa—Claudia, is the young man industrious to whom you are engaged?

Claudia—Industrious! Why, papa, he said he intended to propose to me a month ago, but was too busy.

## Not a Birth.

Briggs—Well, we had an addition to our family yesterday.

Briggs—You don't say so? Boy or girl?

"Neither. It was my wife's mother."

## It Sounded Favorable.

She—Has the widow given you any encouragement?

He—She asked me if I snored in my sleep. The smart set.

## A Good Definition.

A few years after marriage, it develops that the definition of affinity is "both pulling one way."—Atchison Globe.

## How Men Are Ruined.

Prosperity has ruined more men than poverty.—Chicago Daily News.

## BOLD JESSE JAMES.

Incidents in the Life of the Bandit King Recalled.

How the Young Wife of a St. Joseph Traveling Man Came to Hold the Secret of the Train Robber's Life.

A New York Journal correspondent writing from St. Joseph, Mo., says that a few days ago when a brakeman, on a train rolling into the station, opened the door and called out "St. Joe," two men, sitting near each other in the smoker, hastily threw up the windows and, forcing themselves half-way out, looked up and down wisely and excitedly, and, drawing in from the frosty air, simultaneously exclaimed: "This is where Jesse James lived!"

On the high ground that stretches southward from the beautiful convent grounds to the old, historic Patee house, where "Gene" Field, in his early literary career, courted the muse, stands a house, once cut and defaced by relic hunters, and saved only by the vigilance of a special patrol. Thousands and thousands of the city's strangers have stood before it with mingled awe and curiosity, trying to peek into the room in which was enacted one of the most cold-blooded tragedies of the century.

The man who lived in that house on the hill was known as Mr. Howard, and his wife, a retiring, modest woman, was a member of the church and deeply religious. He was, seemingly, domestic, dressed plainly, gave no sign of having either occupation or profession, and went and came at his pleasure. He was gentle, kind, liked by his neighbors, was extremely fond of little children, whom on all his walks he would pet and caress; while all who ever looked into his eyes thought them



KILLED BY HIS COMPANION.

expression so kind and charming as to be almost angelic.

One day this man, who always kept people in front of his wonderful eyes, and who, to use the words of the sport, "never gave one an opportunity to get the drop on him," was hanging a picture in one of the rooms of his house, when he fell dead, from the chair on which he was standing, shot through the heart, from behind; and his slayer, holding a pistol from which the smoke was still creeping, looked down upon the body of a man whose name had been a household word on two continents, a terror to the people of Missouri and the west.

Yes, Jesse James was dead at last! Killed by his companion and friend! Killed by Bob Ford, the only man whom he ever trusted.

There was only one person in St. Joseph, a young woman, the wife of a prominent traveling man, to whom the news of Jesse James' death came like a benediction, for it unsealed lips that had been closed for a year.

One night, when the shadows were cut here and there by the flickering lights of the tower, she entered the drug store about three blocks from her home to get something for her husband who had just come home with a high fever, when she overheard two men talking about a rumor that Jesse James was in town, the papers of that day having contained full particulars of another of his celebrated raids and "train hold-ups."

She grew alarmed and had just said to the druggist that she was afraid to go home alone, when who should step in but Mr. Howard. She knew him well, was a near neighbor of his, and, stepping up to him said: "Mr. Howard, will you take me home?" to which he nodded assent.

Outside the door she lost no time in telling him of her fright; how she had just read about Jesse James' last raid and the conversation she had heard in the drug store as to his being in the city; the awful fear she had of perhaps meeting that terrible man, and the possibility of her husband's being on the same train that he might hold up.

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