

PATRONESSES ANNOUNCED

New York and Plainfield Society Women Sponsors for Theatrical Offering.

MRS. PAT CAMPBELL COMING.

Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Otto Kuhn and Princess Troubetskoy

Are Among the Patronesses.

The most noteworthy theatrical offering for Plainfield's amusement season is contained in the announcement that Mrs. Patrick Campbell and Effingham Pinto will appear at the Plainfield theatre, Thursday evening, February 9, in two plays by Princess Troubetskoy (Amelle Rives) entitled "The King's Garden" and "The Kid Fawn." Much interest is demonstrated in the event. It will be held under the patronage of Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Archer Huntington, Mrs. Benjamin Guinness and Prince and Princess Troubetskoy.

Seats may be engaged by mail when accompanied by check and will be filled in order received.

The patronesses are as follows: Princess Troubetskoy, Mrs. Benjamin Guinness, Mrs. Archer Huntington, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Otto Kahn, Miss Fannie Cottenet, Mrs. E. R. Ackerman, Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, Mrs. A. H. Atterbury, Mrs. E. T. Barrows, Mrs. E. H. Booth, Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, Mrs. Charles H. Brooks, Mrs. Frederic E. Butler, Mrs. W. A. Conner, Mrs. J. B. Dumont, Mrs. Chapman Flisk, Mrs. Howard Fleming, Mrs. Charles J. Flisk, Mrs. Daniel Ginn, Mrs. W. L. C. Glenney, Mrs. B. Van D. Hedges, Mrs. Augustus J. Heely.

Mrs. A. G. Hooley, Mrs. C. W. Holland, Mrs. H. C. Irons, Mrs. W. T. Kaufman, Mrs. W. C. Kinney, Mrs. E. H. Ladd, Mrs. C. W. McCutchen, Mrs. F. S. Martin, Mrs. J. D. Miller, Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mrs. A. L. Otterson, Mrs. Walter Righter, Mrs. Henry A. McGee, Mrs. Donald A. McGee, Mrs. Clifford W. McGee, Mrs. James C. Peck, Mrs. George D. Hall, Mrs. Samuel Townsend, Mrs. George T. Rogers, Mrs. William M. Clark, Mrs. Edward J. Patterson, Mrs. Samuel McCutchen, Mrs. Arthur Murphy, Mrs. J. S. Zelle.

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Mrs. George Wharton Edwards, Mrs. Howard McWilliams, Mrs. D. H. Rowland, Mrs. Robert Rushmore, Mrs. Maxwell Everts Perkins, Mrs. J. M. Shellabarger, Mrs. J. P. Stevens, Mrs. W. H. Stevens, Mrs. H. M. Stockton, Mrs. Percy H. Stewart, Mrs. Lewis Timpon, Mrs. Everts Tracy, Mrs. William B. Tyler, Mrs. W. S. Tyler, Mrs. L. E. Waring, Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., Mrs. Jabez Gilbert, Mrs. Josiah Brown, Mrs. William Gough.

IN COURT FOR SELLING CIGARETTES TO BOYS.

Francis J. Skinner, a store-keeper of West Third street, was arraigned before Judge DeMeza in the city court this morning charged with selling cigarette tobacco and papers to boys under the age of 18. Skinner was arrested by Detective Sergeant John Flynn after special warnings had been given against the practice.

It is Judge DeMeza's intention to break up the practice now obtaining among small shop keepers of selling cigarettes and tobacco to minors and the next prisoner convicted of the offense will be severely dealt with. Skinner was allowed to go with a warning.

COLORED YOUTH RELEASED: COURT GIVES COUNSEL.

James Coleman, the colored youth who with three others was suspected of attempting to rob the hen roost of Samuel Berkowitz, of East Third street, was arraigned this morning and discharged by Judge DeMeza. Coleman denied any attempt to steal the chickens declaring that he was leading an exemplary life and was steadily employed.

The court advised Coleman to keep away from bad company as it might lead him into doing things for which he would repent too late. Coleman is out on parole from the Rahway reformatory.

Mother's Association. The Plainfield Mothers' Association will meet with Mrs. J. Hervey Doane, 425 East Seventh street, on Friday afternoon, February 3 at 3 o'clock. An address, "The Value of Literature for Children," will be delivered by Mrs. Harriet D. Comstock.

Neuman Bros. will offer for tomorrow's trade an exceptionally fine assortment of fruits and vegetables, the pick of the market, at low prices.

DEMOCRATS SUPPORT THE MAYOR'S POLICY

Owing to the fact that several members, including officers, were unable to attend the meeting of the Democratic Club, last night, it was decided to adjourn the meeting to next Monday evening. There were eight or ten members out last night and there was an informal discussion regarding the action of Mayor G. W. V. Moy, relative to his appointments and the Sunday closing order, and while no action was taken the sentiment of those present was in favor of Mr. Moy's position on both matters.

Resolutions were prepared in advance endorsing the Mayor's appointment Monday night, when it is expected that they will be adopted. It was the opinion of those present last night that the Mayor's action in regard to Sunday closing was right, that he was simply following the provisions of the law and should be supported.

It will be recalled that, although Mr. Moy was always identified with the Republican party, being a member of the city executive committee, he accepted the nomination for the Mayoralty on the Democratic ticket, in his own primary for the nomination by B. Frank Coriell. The Democratic club has ever since been strong in its support of the Mayor.

PHYSICIAN'S PROMPT ACT TO PREVENT DIPHTHERIA

On Sunday, while the three children of W. Townley, of Scheelen road, were ill with diphtheria, an announcement was made to Overseer of the Poor, August Klemmer, of Scotch Plains, for relief for the family. Mr. Klemmer could not offer the relief unless instructed by Justice of the Peace, Joseph Clark. Therefore Justice Clark was consulted.

The Justice after mature thought, called upon Patrolman Rabin to produce Townley and an investigation would follow. The limb of the law went to Townley's house which, of course, was quarantined, and brought the unhappy man before the investigating committee where after the necessary interrogatories were answered the prayed for relief was granted.

But, here is the sorry part of the actions of the authorities: Townley was brought to the place of meeting which was a public building in Scotch Plains. The trip was made in a trolley car in which were as usual a large number of passengers. The hall is frequented by many people at times during the day and evening. How many of the people in the trolley car were exposed to the contagion and how many since have been in the danger zone at the public building.

When Dr. F. W. Westcott heard of the occurrence he had the hall fumigated, but no one knows whether this was done in time to prevent others taking diphtheria germs with them out of the building. Unfortunately the number of the trolley car was not taken so it was impossible to fumigate that. Some of the people who have heard the story are wondering how such a thing could happen in this enlightened age.

CONVOGATION MEETS AT NEW BRUNSWICK

The convocation of New Brunswick met this morning in St. John's church, New Brunswick. Holy communion was celebrated at 11 o'clock and an adjournment was taken at 1 o'clock for luncheon. The business session began this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with Dean Baker, of Princeton presiding. Bishop Scarborough was present.

Rev. John Harding, secretary of the second missionary department, was among the speakers and an essay was read by Rev. Henry Hale Gifford, of Elizabeth, on "The Missionary Opportunity." Reports from the various parishes and missions were presented, showing all to be in a flourishing condition. Among those who attended the meeting was Rev. C. H. Mallery, of the Church of the Heavenly Rest.

Parents and Teachers. The Franklin, Whittey, Stillman Parent-Teachers Association will meet this evening in the Franklin School and listen to an address by Rev. Franklin K. Mathews.

—Try a Daily Press want ad. —McIntyre Concert, Thursday evening, February 2, H. S. Auditorium. Two and assisting vocal artists. Tickets: \$1.50 at Armstrong's. 1 30 4 ***

MR. ATTERBURY'S LECTURE

Talk on Origin and Development of the Social and Religious Ceremonies.

TO MONDAY AFTERNOON CLUB.

An Absorbingly Interesting Address

Is Heard at the Hartridge School Auditorium.

The members of the Monday Afternoon Club and an equal number of invited guests listened with interest yesterday to an address given at the Hartridge School auditorium by their fellow townsman, Albert Hoffman Atterbury, on "The Origin and Development of Social and Religious Ceremonies." Ceremonial institutions, Mr. Atterbury said, are the earliest and most universal method of regulating human conduct, preceding law and political power as a regulating force. Similarity of ceremonies of races widely separated by time and space show that they must have grown out of the needs of human society and not from chance or imitation.

In treating of social ceremonies the lecturer gave the family as the unit, growing into communities, tribes and nations. As the result of warfare between these primitive people, the natural boast of the victor must have proof to be believed, and taking of trophies securing some part of the body, head, heart, etc., became universal. Slavery, he said, originated in the war for captives and was a great advance, mitigating trophy taking.

Obeisances of all kinds, Mr. Atterbury said, have arisen from prostration as an act of complete submission. Later prostration was abridged to crouching, kneeling, bowing and finally bowing the head as a mark of subordination, then of respect, and finally of courtesy. It was a long step from the prostrate savage to the modern bow, but the savage act was the origin of all salutations.

The removal of clothing from enemies, according to the lecturer, marked the victor's claim, and its voluntary surrender became a sign of submission, which later changed to respect and then to courtesy, symbolized by the present day custom of removing the hat, or touching it with the hand.

The giving of presents, Mr. Atterbury said, arose from the desire of the conquered to placate his victor by the means of gifts. It has changed into an act of courtesy between equals.

Shaking hands, he described as an abridged remnant of an act by which the victim raised the victor's hand to place it on his heart or to kiss it as a mark of submission. Between equals, the other party would seek to withdraw his hand, the oscillations finally developing into our present practice.

Among minor ceremonies, were mentioned the monarch's sceptre and the gentleman's cane as an outgrowth of the sword and spear which were badges of the successful warrior.

In treating of the second part of his subject, Religious Ceremonies, Mr. Atterbury claimed not to deal with religious beliefs, but merely religious forms common to all people. He said they were evolved by man in a state of nature, surrounded by the mysterious wonders of nature teaching him to a notion of spirits, ghosts and jetties. All religious ceremonies, he said, have arisen from primitive funeral rites and Christianity took over these rites from paganism. Obeisances, mutilations, church, temples offerings, incense, sacrifices and other religious observances, according to Mr. Atterbury, had their origin in pagan minds.

The meeting, which was an informal one, occurring on the fifth Monday of the month, concluded with a tea, Mrs. Otis E. Hovey, of West Seventh street, and Mrs. Frederick W. Yates, of Kensington avenue, presiding.

Y. W. C. A. Elect Officers. The Board of Directors of the Young Women's Christian Association, at its regular meeting, yesterday, elected these officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Fredrick C. Mead; first vice-president, Mrs. Percy H. Stewart; second vice-president, Mrs. James R. Joy; secretary, Mrs. Frank W. French; treasurer, Mrs. Elliot T. Barrows. No other business was transacted.

Chamber of Commerce to Meet. The February meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Thursday night, when it is expected that the banquet committee of which former Mayor William L. Saunders is the chairman, will make a report on the progress of the arrangements for the affair and give the list of speakers and other details.

GAVE A NOVEL DINNER

Young Men's Bible Class at Park Ave. Baptist Church Prepare and Serve Menu.

W. N. RUNYON AS TOASTMASTER.

Excellent Addresses Given by Former

City Judge, Rev. G. R. Maguire and Others at the Feast.

For the purpose of promoting sociability among the members and making the newer ones better acquainted, the young men of Judge William N. Runyon's Bible class at the Park Avenue Baptist church gave a dinner in the Sunday school rooms last night. An excellent menu, prepared by the members themselves, was provided and a short, informal session of speech-making at the close, composed a most enjoyable evening. The attendance numbered sixty in all, comprising the class and invited guests.

The dinner itself was all that could be desired, demonstrating forcibly that the young women of the congregation have no monopoly in this respect. Delicious grape fruit headed the course; on the list and was closely followed by bouillon, tasty shired ham and mutton, crisp potatoes, beans a la Boston, ice cream and cake, coffee and all the "fixins," everything meeting with emphatic approval. A corps of waiters from the class gave commendable service. The tables were garnished with carnations and decorations of pink about the room enhanced the general appearance.

Judge Runyon opened the speech-making and afterward acted as toastmaster. In his address, he outlined the purpose of the gathering and stated it would probably be the predecessor of several others of a similar nature. The class, he said, has gotten to be one of the most important departments of the Sunday school and the young men are seeking to make it still more so. New members are being added all the time and the dinner served the double purpose of bringing all more closely together and interesting possible recruits in the church. The speaker paid a warm tribute to Rev. Gabriel Reid Maguire, the pastor, who has been working hand-in-hand with him to make the class second to none, and also to Superintendent George E. Hall, who he described as being one of the best posted and most capable Sunday school workers in the State.

Mr. Hall was the second speaker and beside praising the class for its support and activity related a number of anecdotes, one of which illustrated what it meant to a superintendent to have two such men as Mr. Maguire and Judge Runyon as co-operators. Mr. Maguire was called upon and spoke in his typical happy manner, mixing wholesome advice with breezy stories. Brief addresses were also made by George Place, Howard Mason, Thomas M. Muir and J. Henry Crane. When the last man had spoken, Judge Runyon said "mix," and his command was obeyed to the letter, an informal social session followed that lasted an hour and at its conclusion if anyone went away unacquainted it was his own fault.

The committee from the class which prepared and served the dinner was composed of Howard Mason, chairman; Aaron D. Thompson, Jr., E. F. Dorman, George Place, Jr., Chester A. Gaskill, Nelson Van Winkle and Charles Dalby. They were very ably assisted by Mrs. Howard Mason and Miss Marguerite Phillips in the kitchen; Harry Cumming, president of this class, was a very busy reception committee of one.

CYRUS KINSMAN WEDS MISS EDITH SHEPARD

Announcement is made of the marriage of Cyrus H. Kinsman, son of F. E. Kinsman, of Sherman avenue, and Miss Edith Shepard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Shepard, of Kansas City. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride in Kansas City on Wednesday, January 18, Rev. George Reynolds, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, of Kansas City.

Mr. Kinsman, who is well-known here, is a graduate of the Plainfield High School and Cornell University. He has been engaged in engineering work since leaving college and has been located in Kansas City. The couple will make their home in Braddock, Pa.

Rev. James Harvey, of Crossingville, Pa., has returned home after spending a few days with Philip T. Maguire, of Park avenue.

VETS AT A CAMP FIRE

Winfield Scott Post, G. A. R. Guest of Plainfield Council Jr. O. U. A. M.

GOOD SPEECHES AND MUSIC.

W. S. Angelman Presided—Presenta-

tion of a Badge to A. K. Fleming for Getting Member-

ship Candidates. The members of Plainfield Council, No. 294, Jr. O. U. A. M., provided the annual "camp fire" entertainment for Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., in their rooms, last night, and the affair proved to be an enjoyable one. The post was largely represented and the veterans not only were pleased with the entertainment, but also enjoyed the opportunity of giving short sketches of army life, which were interesting to the younger men present.

The council first held a short business meeting and then received the veterans. The stacks of muskets, the army tent and camp fire kindled the enthusiasm of the veterans. W. S. Angelman, who presided, gave the veterans a hearty welcome in a short address, adding that he hoped that as long as there was one single survivor of the Civil War the annual reception would be held.

Then followed brief responses by Comrade William C. Smith, H. C. Smith, Townley, Henry Drake S. R. Struthers, Isaac E. Houston and other veterans. W. C. I. Cubberly sang a solo, Joseph D. Moon gave a recitation and sang a solo and a quartet comprising W. C. I. Cubberly, J. G. Williams, Joseph D. Moon and Charles Mumford sang a patriotic selection.

An interesting feature was the presentation of a Jr. O. U. A. M. badge to A. K. Fleming, a member of the council, for securing the greatest number of members in Plainfield Council during the past year. The presentation was made by Col. Oakley, of Elizabeth, on behalf of the council. The badge came from the State Council which offers them as an incentive for greater effort. In responding and thanking the members, Mr. Fleming said that he would try and organize a uniform rank the coming year.

Col. Oakley also made a stirring address: which interested both young and old. During the rendition of the solo numbers and the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," Clarence Hoffman presided at the piano.

After the entertainment refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed. The committee in charge comprised Frank W. Downs, J. G. Williams and George Crasley.

ST. MARGARET'S GUILD AT ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

At a meeting of the women of St. Stephen's parish yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. K. Tetsuka, St. Margaret's Guild was organized with Mrs. Tetsuka president and Mrs. Louis Gears treasurer and Mrs. R. T. Letcher, secretary.

The organization will perform the duties of caring for the parish house and assisting the rector, Rev. Elory G. Bowers. There were about fifteen members of the church present and besides the officers mentioned included Mr. F. W. Carlyle, Mrs. Banks, Mrs. J. C. Haywood, Mrs. Robert McCready, Mrs. S. S. Schuyler, Mrs. Gardas.

It was announced by the rector that a kindergarten class will be added to the Sunday-school sessions of which will be held at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoons. This department will be in charge of Mrs. Bowers and the organist will be Mrs. Banks.

"An Evening of Wizardry." Prof. Henderson, a well-known magician from New York, will give "An Evening of Wizardry," at the parish house of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, tomorrow night, followed by his famous "Punch and Judy" show. After the entertainment there will be a dance and an enjoyable evening for both young and old is assured. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the church and the affair will be held under the auspices of the board of trustees.

W. T. Pelletier in the Cast. The character of Jules Faubert, the detective in the play, "The Money Spinner," which is to be given by the Park Comedy Club at the Park Club, Saturday evening, February 25, has been recast and will now be played by William T. Pelletier. The already "star cast" for the play will be greatly strengthened by this well-known amateur actor. Seats will go on sale Monday morning, February 6.

—Dr. Eaton lectures Thursday night. Park Avenue Baptist. Don't forget. 35 cents. 1 31 2***

NEGRO THREATENED TO CHOP UP HIS WIFE

For threatening to carve his wife with an axe, Charles Hawkins, colored, was given sixty days in the county jail this morning by City Judge William G. DeMeza. The complaint was made by Mrs. Hawkins who declared that since last Friday her spouse had been drunk and had made life for her and her boarders one continuous hades on earth.

When Hawkins was asked to explain his conduct he said "Judge I think this thing can be settled all right, I and my wife want a bill of separation from you and if you'll make it out we'll both sign it."

"I'll give you a separation, all right," declared the court, "it's sixty days for yours."

"Say, Judge," interrupted Mrs. Hawkins, "Ah don't lub dat man no mo', he done do to me all I'se goin' to stan' fo'. He tuk de axe an' brung hit up stairs and stood hit along side de do' and swah he gwine kill me an' de whole fambly. I sho' doan want tuh lib wif him no mo'."

"Maybe he'll behave himself better when he comes out," responded Judge DeMeza. "You'd better wait."

"That woman sure don't like me any more," ejaculated Hawkins as he was led away.

WILLIAM M. STILLMAN IS SADLY MISINFORMED

The attention of Frank Bergen, president of the Plainfield-Union Water company, was called today to the letter of William M. Stillman relating to the water question and published in this paper yesterday. Mr. Bergen read the letter, and then said: "It is hard to understand how Mr. Stillman managed to get so many mis-statements in less than half a column. What I said at the meeting," he continued, "was taken down by the official stenographer of the city, and I am quite willing that my remarks shall be written out and published. If that is done it will appear that Mr. Stillman has not only mis-stated the facts, but has ascribed to me at least one important statement which I did not make, and which is exactly the reverse of what I said repeatedly."

Referring to the pressure in the hydrants, Mr. Bergen said: "The contract between the company and the city provides the following test for hydrants: 'Five streams shall be thrown, each eighty feet high to extreme drops, at one and the same time, each through fifty feet of two and a half inch hose, with one and one-eighth inch straight conical nozzles, from any five hydrants on the mains of the company within that part of the city bounded by Richmond street, Green brook, Grant avenue and Ninth street, to be designated by the Common Council, or committee, or chief.' This test was prescribed by the city, and is a fair one."

"There has never been a moment during the period of nearly nineteen years since the contract was made when the hydrants would not stand that test and more, except two or three evenings last summer when, on account of the excessive heat and drought, water was being taken, mostly for irrigation purposes, at the rate of 168 gallons per capita per day; and so soon as that misuse of the water works was stopped the pressure was restored. There are two recording pressure gauges in Plainfield which show the pressure on the mains constantly, and there is no excuse for any reckless misstatement on the subject."

"The losses by fire in Plainfield, compared with the losses in similar cities, is very creditable to the efficiency of the fire department and of the water company."

Dog Kills Deer. A couple of stray dogs invaded the premises of Louis McIntosh, on Arlington avenue near Arlington place, on Sunday evening and killed a buck deer. One of the dogs was shot but the other escaped by jumping the fence. A close watch will be kept for the other dog, which according to all precedents should return for another chance at the quarry.

Strayed from Narrow Path. Willis Waller, colored, fell from grace yesterday owing, as he said, to a slight injury sustained early in the morning. He resorted to the universal "cure" whiskey and was unable to steer a straight course for home. He was lectured by Judge DeMeza and let go with a suspended sentence.

Lotus Concert Tonight. The Lotus Glee Club will give its annual concert in Plainfield in Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening.

—Try a Press Want Ad. —Light smoked finnan haddies at Roth & Co's, 12 1/2 c a pound. ***

WILL DEFEY MAYOR MOY

Some Storekeepers Resolve to Ignore Sabbath Ordinance and Open Their Places

HIS HONOR UNCONCERNED.

Determination to Rigidly Enforce

the Law is Unaltered—"It is My Duty," He Says.

Notwithstanding Mayor Moy's edict concerning the observance of the Sabbath, there are a few of the smaller shop-keepers who are determined to take the matter into their own hands and disregard the Mayor's order. At a meeting held last night about twenty of the Hebrew retailers declared their belief that the city's chief executive's act was unconstitutional and that they had for their authority the definition of day which means a solar period and not one confined to the limits of the twenty-four hours between midnight and midnight.

These men base their opinion on the dictionary as well as the Bible and it is their belief that the Supreme court will uphold their views. They propose to close their places of business at sundown on Friday and re-open at sundown on Saturday. In closing during these hours they claim to have complied with the law and having done so are entitled to keep open for regular business hours on the day commonly observed by Christians as Sunday.

When seen this morning Mayor Moy was apprised of the contemplated action of the men referred to. His Honor replied that he was not at all surprised, and that perhaps they would open, but that did not alter his determination in the least to see that the laws were complied with in every detail.

"I am not the arbiter of the beliefs of those who observe the Sabbath in different religious manners," he said, "what I am here for is too see that the laws are enforced and this I propose to do without fear or favor."

One law as it stands spread upon the statute books since March 24, 1874, reads in part as follows:

Section 13, of the Vice and Immorality Act of 1874. Page 3711 of General Statutes. That no transportation of freight, excepting milk, on any public highway, railroad, or canal, shall be done or allowed by any person or persons, within this State, on the first day of the week commonly called the "Christian Sabbath," provided that nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the transportation of the United States Mails, or regular trips of ferriesboats.

Section 1. "After prohibiting all sorts of worldly employment or businesses and sports of all kinds and traveling" says as follows: "That no person or persons going to or returning from any church or place of worship, within the distance of twenty miles, or going to call a physician, surgeon, or midwife, or carrying mails to or from any postoffice, or by order of any public officer shall be construed as traveling within the meaning of this act, and provided also that nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit the dressing of victuals, in private families or any lodging houses, inns and other houses of entertainment for the use of sojourners, travellers or strangers, and provided further that it shall and may be lawful for any railroad company in this State to run one passenger train each way over the roads on Sunday for the accommodation of the citizens of this State."

It would look from careful perusal of the law mentioned above that the closing of small stores is not the only thing that Mayor Moy will have to do if he carries out his intention of enforcing all the laws relating to the Sabbath.

Signers for License. It appears that there is some question as to the necessity for holders of liquor licenses to procure signers for renewal petitions. Some of the members of the Councilmanic excise committee hold to the view that it is not essential that the present licenses be put to the trouble and expense of getting the signatures of ten freeholders.

Fire Dep't Budget. A meeting of the Councilmanic fire committee was held last night for the purpose of fixing up the fire department budget for the coming year. It was agreed to make the budget approximately \$26,500, which is a \$1,500 increase over the expense for the present year.

McAll Auxiliary Meeting. The McAll Auxiliary will meet at the Public Library building tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

—Try a Press Want Ad.

Doing things and making them right the popular shopping centre.

THE WHITE STORE

A. E. FORCE & CO.

WE GIVE 24 GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

THE WHITE STORE

The 'White Store' will turn the usually dull month of February into a bristling one of activity.

A Blanket Sale Of Merit

These are MANUFACTURERS' SAMPLES, bought at one-third less than regular price. Not one soiled or damaged, in fact samples are always a little better than the regular line. This is an unusual opportunity to buy now at the low prices.

Several pairs of sample bed blankets, plain white and white with colored border; good size; regular value 75c, sale price **55c**

11-4 full size Cotton Blankets, white, grey and tan; good and heavy; regular value \$1.69, sale price **\$1.19**

11-4 large White Blankets, pink and blue borders; this is an exceptional good blanket at \$2.98; sale price **\$1.98**

11-4 Grey Wool Blankets, extra good quality; spec'l value \$2.98, sale price **\$2.25**

11-4 Grey Fine Wool Blankets; extra size; special value at \$3.98, sale price **\$2.98**

11-4 Strictly All Wool Blankets; grey, with pink, blue and brown border; special value at \$4.25, sale price **\$3.25**

11-4 Single Blankets, grey, with black borders; all wool; special value at \$2.50, sale price **\$1.98**

10-4 Fine Wool Blankets, grey, with pink and blue borders; special value at \$3.25, sale price **\$2.49**

Wonderful Bargain Values In Ladies' and Misses' Tailored Coats

200 COATS.

Manufacturers' Samples. This season's up-to-date styles in plain colors, mixtures and blacks. These Coats go on sale tomorrow morning, and we don't think there will be one garment left at closing time Wednesday. There is not a Coat in the lot worth less than \$12.00. **WHILE THEY LAST**

None Sold to Dealers **\$7.50** See Our Show Window

SALE OF BLANKETS.

10-4 Wool Blankets, with pink borders; special value at \$4.98, sale price **\$3.98**

11-4 All Wool Blankets, white with blue borders; spec. value \$5.98, sale price **\$4.98**

11-4 Strictly All Wool extra good size Blankets; pink and blue borders; special value \$6.98, sale price **\$5.98**

11-4 Fine All Wool Blankets, white and grey, pink, with pink and blue borders; \$7.98 value for **\$6.50**

EXTRA SPECIAL BLANKETS---11-4, the finest wool; special value \$8.98 and \$9.98, for \$6.98 and **\$8.25**

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Netherwood, W. H. Olmstead

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

WESTFIELD.

Westfield Police Department is starting a crusade against those places in town where beer is sold without a license. Out-of-town detectives have been working in the town for a couple of weeks and have completed their work, placing the facts in the hands of the officers. Out-of-town wholesalers who drive in town and deliver the goods and make a quick getaway have also been watched and the names of several conducting that business have been turned over to the police.

Andrew Carnegie has notified the trustees of the Westfield Methodist church that he will donate \$1,500 toward the new organ that is to be installed in the new church when completed. The instrument will cost \$7,500. The money will be paid when the balance of the amount required has been subscribed.

SOMERVILLE.

The third lecture of the Public Education Society will be held in the assembly room of the High School on February 9, and the lecturer will be Rev. Henry M. Ferry, of Brooklyn, his subject being "Wales, Her People, Songs and Dialects."

Narratcong Council, No. 53, D. of P., held a social and entertainment at the residence of Frank A. Dunster, corner of East High street and Gaston avenue, last night.

Mrs. Sylvanus Ayers, Jr., of Bound Brook, will entertain the General Frelinghuysen Chapter, D. A. R., at her home on High street, Friday afternoon of this week.

Dr. Raven, of New Brunswick, addressed the Bible Fellowship Club Sunday afternoon in the Second Reformed church, his subject being "The Four Gospels."

The Somerset branch of the State Charities Aid Society will meet today at the home of Mrs. H. V. Voorhees, on West Cliff street.

Mrs. A. A. Lawton, of West End avenue, returned on Saturday from New York, where she spent the week with relatives.

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PLAINFIELD AND FANWOOD.

A special meeting of the Board of Health was held last night in Excelsior Hall for the purpose of taking action towards preventing a spread of diphtheritic sore throat which is prevalent in town at the present time, a number of cases being reported. The malady is not confined to any particular section of the town. All the cases are being looked after by the board and the houses quarantined and there is no fear of an epidemic as all the cases are light. The Library rooms have been quarantined by order of the board of account of Charles Townley, of Grace-land, one of whose children has the disease, being summoned to appear before Judge Clark Saturday in an over-seer of the poor case. On account of the rooms being public the board took this action in order not to run any risk.

The condition of George Henry, who has been ill for several weeks at his home on Park avenue, Fanwood, remains about the same, no improvement being noticed.

Miss Anna Buchanan, who is a nurse in one of the Elizabeth hospitals, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Buchanan, of Mountain avenue.

Mrs. Edward D. Johnston, of Westfield avenue, has been entertaining relatives from Plainfield.

Mrs. M. A. Corrona, of Stanbury avenue, is spending several days with relatives in New York.

Daniel Dean, of Park avenue, has been entertaining friends from out of town over Sunday.

Thomas Sellers has returned from a visit with friends in Newark.

CHRISTIAN FIELD.

At the February meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, the mite boxes will be brought in and opened.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church is planning to support an orphan child in Sona Bata, Congo Free State.

On Sunday, March 19, Rev. John Y. Brook, pastor, will deliver a special sermon to the Home department of the Sunday-school of Trinity Reformed church.

The Junior C. E. Society of Trinity Reformed church will give a missionary entertainment in the church, March 10, entitled "Ye are the Light of the World."

Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church, will resume his talks on the Apostles' Creed at the prayer-meeting in Vincent chapel, tomorrow night.

The members of the First M. E. church have invited Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor, to return next year, and the Bishop of the forthcoming conference will probably concur.

The cries of a girl in a taxicab with four Italians led the chauffeur to summon policemen in New York, and arrests followed on charge of abduction.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD

FOR THE BUSY MAN

Stocks were strong yesterday

Eight men were hurt by the collapse of a scaffold at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York.

General Duron, with nine hundred insurgents, is said to have invaded Choluteca and to be marching on Tegucigalpa, the Honduran capital.

The University of Cracow was ordered closed, owing to a strike of students because of the appointment of a German professor.

William Henry Schuchard, professor of comparative literature at Harvard, will give a series of lectures in French at the Sorbonne.

Bishop Burgess decided that Rev. Dr. Ackley could not be "discharged" by his vestry, and intimated that he had grounds for damages.

"Charley Boston," called by the federal authorities the ringleader of the opium smugglers, was arrested in Chinatown by Marshal Henkel.

Americans organized a peace society in Yokohama; Ambassador O'Brien said that all districts of Papan were friendly to Americans.

Advices from Manila say that three hundred persons lost their lives in the tidal wave which followed an eruption of Mount Taal, in Batangas, Luzon.

A letter from Theodore Roosevelt read at the dinner of the Jersey Progressive Republicans was hailed as a message from the leader of the movement.

Reports from the 7,200 national banks of the United States showed a decrease in deposits of \$13,568,488 between November 10, 1910, and January 7, 1911.

Proof was obtained that Miss Dorothy Arnold was not in a store near Central Park after dark on the day she disappeared, as the family had been led to believe.

On the eve of his marriage, Dr. Daniel A. Casella, of New York, was shot, and died two hours later and Madalina Bacigalupo was held on the charge of homicide.

Mexican insurgents who captured the border town of Mexicali sent a warning to Americans not to attempt to rescue prisoners; the rebels in Chihuahua are attempting to capture the force of Colonel Rabago.

Ex-Judge Alton B. Parker, in the Supreme Court in Washington, presented the cases of Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, in their appeal from sentences to jail for contempt of the courts of the District of Columbia.

J. A. D. McCurdy flew from Key West to a point ten miles from Havana, being forced to alight in the sea, owing to loss of lubricating oil, he was picked up by a boat from the Terry, and he and his machine were landed by the Paulding in Havana.

John O. Dodsworth, managing editor of "The Journal of Commerce," before the House ship subsidy investigating committee, in Washington, contradicted his brother, who testified last week that he had heard \$100,000 offered for the paper's support of ship subsidies.

Congress—Senate: Senator Stone, of Missouri, spoke in favor of the reciprocity agreement with Canada, and Senator Davis advocated the election of Senators by direct vote of the people. House: The bill forbidding the construction of a reformatory within a radius of ten miles of the tomb of Washington was passed; there was a long debate on the bill creating a permanent Tariff Board of five members, and the indications were that it would be passed.

SEEKING LIGHT AS TO BLOCK SIGNALS

The Board of Public Utility Commissioners has determined to make a systematic inquiry into the operation of railways by block signals. With this end in view notices have been sent to each railroad operating in the State requiring it to furnish data showing the total mileage of railways operated in New Jersey, mileage operated by block signals, and the proportion of mileage, so protected, and operated by automatic block signals.

The railroads have been given thirty days within which to furnish this data. When it has been collected the board will take up for consideration the question of requiring the installation of block signals upon all lines. The railroads will be given an opportunity to present such arguments as they desire in favor of or against the block signal system.

Kipling's Father Dead.

Cable dispatches received in New York city announce the death at Tisbury, England, of John Lockwood Kipling, father of Rudyard Kipling. The elder Kipling won considerable renown in his profession as architectural sculptor and illustrator. He illustrated a number of his son's books. Most of his illustrations were done in bas-relief on clay and then photographed for reproduction. He was seventy-four years old and had spent most of his life in India, where he established several schools of art and museums. Mrs. Kipling, mother of the author, to whom, as "the wildest woman in India," he dedicated "Plain Tales from the Hills," died only a few weeks ago.

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SPORTS

News and Notes

BASEBALL.

Lewis McCarty, of Danville, Pa., the young giant secured by Manager Joe McGinnity to do the receiving act the coming season, is touted as being well qualified to earn a berth in the Eastern League. The new backstop of the Indians worked behind the bat for Floyd Kroh, the Chicago Cubs' twirler, in the Keystone State before the big hurler landed with the Windy City nine. Kroh recommended McCarty to Manager Frank Chance and the great leader had a man looking the young receiver over. Cy Parkin was doing scout duty for Newark at the same time, and he succeeded in getting McCarty to accept terms with the Braves.

McCarty is twenty-two years old and stands five feet eleven and a half inches in his stocking feet. He weighs 192 pounds. McCarty started out with the Benton team in the Susquehanna League in 1909. Last year he worked half of the season for the Huntington professionals and finished the season with the Danville club in the Susquehanna League.

Manager Joe McGinnity believes that he has secured a star in McCarty. The "Iron Man" said yesterday that he considered Cy Parkin a great judge of ballplayers. When the Hudson hurler flashed word to Newark from the wilds of Pennsylvania last season that he believed he had uncovered a catching marvel, the leader of the Redskins wired him to close the deal. McCarty is also rated to be a good slugger.

The report that Henry, the star fielder of the Bloomsburg team of the Susquehanna League last season, has been signed by Baltimore, of the Eastern League, for \$350 a month, is surprising news to Manager Clymer, of the Wilkes-Barre team of the New York State League, as he says that Henry accepted Wilkes-Barre's terms several weeks ago and is the property of Wilkes-Barre.

Pittsburg fans believe the Pirates have landed a first-class man in Hunter, of Kansas City, who will play first base. Since the release of Bransfield to Philadelphia the Pirates have been weak at this corner of the diamond. Hunter made a fine record last year, both in batting and fielding, according to the official averages of the American Association.

Those in touch with National League affairs seem to think that President Lynch will appoint the veteran Jack Doyle to the umpire staff. Doyle will be remembered as first baseman of the Giants, Baltimore, Brooklyn, Washington and other teams.

Clark Griffith, manager of the Cincinnati National League team, has been indulging in a little specu-

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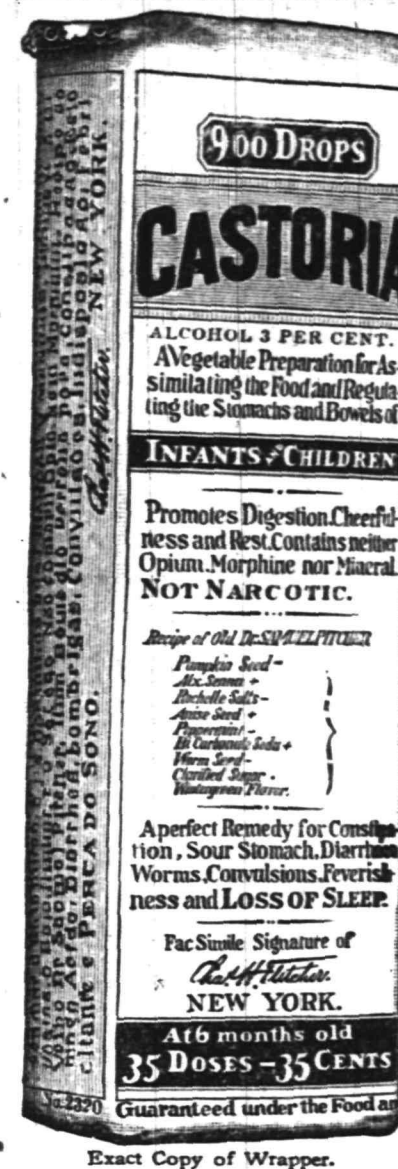
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lation as to the order in which the
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coming season. He says Chicago and
Cincinnati will fight it out for first
place, New York will finish third and
Pittsburg fourth.

Art Brown, a former Newark play-
er, will cover first base for Albany
next season again, according to
Manager Clarke, who turned down
offers of trade from several New
York State League managers. Brown
went from Newark to Detroit but
was sold later to the Montreal club.

GOLF.

After enduring the putter contro-
versy in silence for several weeks
some of the long suffering golfers,
unable to stand it any longer has
risen to make a few remarks. He
would like to know when a mallet
is not a mallet? The anonymous one
then draws an interesting parable, as
may be seen by the following:

"We have been told by St. Andrews
or as near as we can get in this coun-
try to that august body, that a cer-
tain 'note or interpretation' regard-
ing mallet headed clubs is a part of
the rules. Then a later and more
elaborate manifesto tells us it isn't
a part of the rules. From the same
source we also learn that a mallet is
a mallet and also that a mallet is not
a mallet—that, if we like, we can
call it one or the other, or any old
thing we prefer, even a Schenectady
putter, provided, we sail under St.
Andrews flag. Which somehow re-
calls the story of the farmer who had
a herd of cows, and very fine cows
they were, nice, gentle things, ex-
cepting one, which bellowed and
rampaged to beat the band just
about milking time. But when the
bars were let down and the cows
were milked the farmer noticed that
the more this particular cow bellowed
the less milk she gave."

SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Sheriff Payne, of Millville, whose
life has been almost despaired of by
the physicians, continues to improve
slowly.

Despite the wretched weather, a
total of 388 persons went on the dol-
lar excursion to Five-Mile Beach re-
sorts Sunday.

Struck in the head with a brick,
Jacob Lamb, forty years old, of 717
Baxter street, Camden, sustained a
lacerated scalp, which was dressed
at Cooper Hospital Sunday.

The annual convention of the
American Ceramic Society will take
place in Trenton February 14, 15
and 16, and there will be a display
of the pottery products of the city,
including ceramic ware.

There are many applicants for
positions at the new immigrant sta-
tion at Gloucester, who look with
anxiety upon the operation of pre-
paring the old Thompson home for
the administration building.

Thomas C. French, a Camden law-
yer, acting for Joseph Thompson,
Clarence L. Cole and Maud Emily
Frick, made the old bid Saturday
when a large section of Inlet front
property, Atlantic City, was sold by
Judge Allen B. Endicott, master in
chancery, for \$25,000.

The candidacy for sheriff of two
more Cumberland county men has
been announced, making ten pos-
sibilities upon the Republican ticket.
The two last to be announced are
former Postmaster Joseph D. Troth,
of Millville, and Game Warden
George Phifer, of Cumberland.

Former Governor Edward C.
Stokes was the speaker Sunday eve-
ning in Trenton at the First Bap-
tist church services, which were at-
tended by the members of the Free
and Accepted Masons representing
the third Masonic District. Mr.
Stokes delivered an eloquent talk on
"What Masonry Stands For."

In Ewing James M. Donald, a
New York banker, has equipped his
country place with a searchlight for
protection against chicken thieves.
He has also armed his employees with
rifles and instructed them to shoot
invaders. The wiring system is ar-
ranged so that any movement of
doors or windows will turn on the
light.

Andes E. Budd, one of the leading
farmers and dairymen of the Wood-
bury section, has been a patient suf-
ferer for a long time from rheuma-
tism. Since Saturday the plans have
all left him and he attributes his re-
lief to the fact that in taking a seat
in a chair he sat on a needle. He
jumped several feet instantly and his
rheumatic pains have not been felt
since.

Elsie Sigel Case Clue.
The police department has received
evidence which, the officers say,
may go to help in clearing up the
mystery surrounding the murder of
Elsie Sigel, whose body was found
in a trunk in the room of Leon Ling,
a young Chinaman, who has been
missing since the finding of the body,
in June 1909. The new evidence is
said to be contained in letters and
other data, written in Chinese char-
acters, which were found in one of
the opium dens raided by custom in-
spectors last week. The police say
that the letters are likely to afford
important clues to the whereabouts
of Leon Ling. Evidence in other
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Jan. 31 In American History.
1752—Gouverneur Morris, statesman in the Revolution, born; died 1834.
1830—Hon. James Gillespie Blaine, statesman and presidential candidate, born; died 1893.
1895—Judge Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar, noted jurist, died; born 1816.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
(From noon today to noon tomorrow)
Sun sets 5:12, rises 7:06; moon set 6:41 p. m.; moon at greatest libration east; planet Mercury visible.

Plainfield, N. J., January 31, 1911.

THE FORUM.

UPHOLDS THE MAYOR.

Editor, The Daily Press:—
The action of Mayor Moy in stopping a lot of needless traffic on Sunday seems to me should be commended by every good thinking person. If a few shall disregard the Sabbath and are allowed to do business, why not let every one open up. The cigar and candy stores and others of like nature are not a necessity and a supply can be had on a Saturday. Just the same as a family buying provisions, there are, of course, other branches seems to be useless also.

Some say that those renting property cannot pay these rents if made to close on Sunday. If Sunday opening is necessary in order to keep in business, then the sooner they are closed the better. There is a lot of inconsistent theories advanced all ways by some people if things don't go their way. There are branches of business which are a direct necessity, milk, there is hardly a supply to meet this demand and failure to supply this community on Sunday would result disastrous to little ones, whose only existence depends entirely upon the supply and to deprive them would be a crime as death would probably ensue upon such failure. When the public good is depending, then such matters should have due consideration.

The running of trolley and steam cars are a necessity—not particularly to everyone—but thousands depend upon them as their only means of travel either to reach some for aff destination or the only conveyance in order to attend public worship. And then I cannot see where a municipal government has any power to regulate them, both have their franchises and no restriction upon them operate. Can you say what anyone would gain or any good be derived in trying to place certain restrictions upon them, let us confine our restriction to our own city government and there will be time for other considerations.

J. TRIMMER.

Borough Board of Education.
The borough Board of Education held a regular meeting last night, but beyond routine business transacted little of importance. Bills to the amount of \$18,000, of which \$12,500 was on notes, were ordered paid.

Preparatory services will be held at Warren chapel, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock and the Lord's Supper will be celebrated Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

A meeting of unusual interest will be held at the Salvation Army Hall this evening by the young people. A floral bower drill will be given by the children and stereopticon views of "The Pilgrim's Progress." Admission free and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

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The new Spring Laces and Embroideries are now on sale. You'll be pleased with their freshness and beauty and the marvellous variety, which gives a choice never before offered. The prices are most reasonable.

LUMBAR TALKS BEFORE LEAVING

As an echo to the controversy which led to the severance of his pastoral relations with the church, came a formal statement yesterday from Rev. W. T. Sherman Lumbar, former pastor of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist church, Newark.

Mr. Lumbar, who will leave Newark for Canada today, explained that his statement was prompted by the fact that he had learned more fully, on his return to the city the latter part of last week, of the misconstruction of his attitude during the recent agitation. That, he added, was his excuse for appearing before the public at this late day. Continuing, he said:

"I sent a request to the permanent council December 27, for a committee to be appointed to confer with me about the whole matter under dispute. The request was not granted. Had it been I feel sure a satisfactory conclusion would have been reached. "It was, perhaps, unfortunate that I had my name dropped from the church roll during the recent trouble. The decision was not a sudden one, though it came unexpectedly at most. It had long been known to some of my brethren in the ministry that because of changing religious views, I contemplated leaving the ministry. It had been even longer known to some of my church members that for the same reason I expected to leave both the ministry and denomination. Notwithstanding this, had my request for the appointment of a committee been granted by the council, I would have remained in the church until the controversy was settled.

"I have purposely refrained from a denial of the many charges made, because I am convinced that those who need a denial would not and do not accept one when made. That is human nature.

"These few words are not written in any spirit of criticism, but merely to state to the public my past attitude and some of its reasons."

EVENING CIRCULATION AT PUBLIC LIBRARY.

In order to extend the library's service toward the commuter and those engaged in local business, books will be circulated every evening from 7:30 to 8:30 on and after February 1. For the present the Saturday evening circulating hours will remain the same, namely from 7 until 9 o'clock.

It is expected that those heretofore prevented from using the library on account of the lack of evening circulation, will avail themselves at once of this new privilege.

Revised Vision.
Little drops of water
From a practised hand
Makes a corporation
Grow to beat the band.

TYLER AGAIN HEADS WHITE PLAGUE SOCIETY

Officers were elected and reports presented at the annual meeting of the trustees of the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Plainfield and North Plainfield, held in the rooms of the Charity Organization Society in the Babcock building, last night. The reports all showed that the league has been making excellent progress and has much cause for gratification.

The treasurer, James P. Murray, reported a balance of \$200, and the Red Cross Stamp committee reported the gross receipts from the sale were \$435.72. The State and National Red Cross societies received 18 per cent. of that amount leaving the local league \$357.29. This is \$100 more than last year.

These officers were chosen, all being re-elected, except George L. Babcock, who succeeded Charles Dutcher, who retired on account of illness; President, William S. Tyler; first vice-president, George L. Babcock; second vice-president, Leigh-ton Calkins; secretary, Dr. F. E. DuBois; treasurer, James P. Murray. Dr. Edward Krams reported for the tuberculosis chas., stating that three meetings and socials have been held, with an average attendance of fourteen. Miss Kathleen Ryder attends to the social features at these meetings.

The Park Comedy Club has promised to give one and possibly two plays after Easter for the benefit of the league and this will be a great help in carrying on the work during the coming year.

THE SHADES OF BLUE.

Blue, that color that both blonde and brunette can wear with becoming results, is a color that will be continued into the early spring.

A peculiar green blue, named for the sea, is being shown in Paris. It is iridescent and therefore friendly when the question of alliance with other shades is considered.

Gendarme blue has a greenish cast and shows up well under artificial light. It is the color of the uniforms of the French soldier.

Gobelin blue bids fair to have a tremendous adoption. It is soft and combines with nearly every other shade.

Sapphire blue, especially in satin and velvet, will be a favorite in trimmings. Jewels of this shade will be extensively used.

There is the king's blue, or "bleu de roi," as you have perhaps seen it. It is between a sapphire blue and sky blue and is a delightful compromise. It is particularly good for trimming in pipings, bands, bows or braiding.

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MINISTER'S ADDRESS ON PARENTHOOD TRAINING

An enjoyable session was spent at the Franklin School last evening by the Parent-Teachers Association of that school when nearly 150 members and friends of the association gathered to hear an address by Rev. Franklin K. Mathews, pastor of the Scotch Plains Baptist church. A program of vocal and instrumental music was rendered and a social hour was spent and refreshments served.

Rev. Mr. Mathews spoke on "Training for Parenthood" giving views on the necessity of parents understanding their children. He said that boys would be boys no matter what their environment, and it is the duty of parents to study their offspring with a view to learning more about the real nature of the boy. The father should represent the sterner part of the household, but his sternness should not be of the kind that frightens, but rather the kind that reveals dignity with love. The mother's duty is naturally of the tenderest nature and a careful study and admonishment will do much more toward building up her children's character than will nagging.

During the evening Charles L. Lewis sang as did Mrs. Charles Shreve. Miss Slight rendered piano solos.

Modern Possibilities.
"Doing well, young man, I see."
"No, just struggling along."
"But that fine adding machine?"
"A demonstrator left it for trial."
"That new typewriter?"
"An agent forced it on me for a month."

"At least those expensive cigars denote ready money."
"No, I smoke ten and return the rest."

Universal Activity.
Everybody does his best,
Human life is void of rest,
Some strive to do some simple thing,
And they who shun endeavoring,
E'en though they strike a restful pose.

Are very busy, heaven knows,
From early morn to set of sun,
Still knocking what the rest have done.

Advice.
"That man always seems willing to give advice."
"Yes. He's one of those people that you esteem much more highly for the kind of advice they give than for the kind they take."

Husband—I hear that Miss Burton has made up her mind to go in the chorus.

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MEASURES INTRODUCED IN SENATE AND HOUSE

The Assembly held only a brief session yesterday at Trenton, the principal business being the introduction of a big batch of bills, including sixteen measures put in by the majority leader, Mr. Matthews, for all kinds of fish and game reforms.

Assemblyman Meyer, of Sussex, put in a bill appropriating \$15,000 for the survey of an automobile road along the Delaware River from Trenton to the New York State line. This would be an ideal route to Delaware Water Gap and other mountain resorts.

State Controller West sent to the Senate and House a statement showing that the State will need for the fiscal year, beginning November 1, 1911, \$5,370,917.03, with a supplemental appropriation of \$1,592,151.05 for the current year, ending October 31 next.

The House received from the Senate a message asking for the naming of a committee to confer on the subject of cutting off the introduction of bills several days before the end of the session, with final adjournment at the exact hour agreed upon. This is a move to end the night long sessions of recent years, when bills have been rushed through without the proper attention from sleepy lawmakers. The House filed the message, but is expected to act upon it favorably when the right time arrives.

In the Senate the Republicans took another big stride toward "progressivism," when the majority received from committee bills providing for direct primary nomination of candidates for Governor and Congress. These measures are in line with Governor Wilson, and the Republicans are determined to snatch the glory for them from the Democrats.

Senator Nichols put in the direct primary act for the election of United States Senator, as now in force in Oregon. It abolishes party lines, and only one candidate's name will go before the Legislature.

The Finance Committee favorably reported the bill introduced by Senator Nichols to ratify an act of Congress to provide for an income tax amendment to the constitution.

A resolution protesting against the admitting of non-resident automobiles for fifteen days each year without payment of a fee was offered by Senator Gaunt, of Gloucester. Senator Leavitt introduced a joint resolution reciting the fact that at the deeper waterways conference a committee, consisting of David Baird, of Camden; Samuel Hellner, of Spring Lake; Peter Campbell, of Newark; Benjamin F. Brown, of Matawan, and F. W. Donnelly, of Trenton, was named to present to the Legislature a plan for a deep waterway across the State to be free to the commerce of the world, when dug by the federal government, and urging the Legislature to approve the scheme and appropriate up to \$500,000 for buying of the site, which is to be presented to the government on the pledge that no tolls shall be exacted by any one when the canal is built.

The majority leader, Dr. Prince, put in an honest weights and measure bill, providing for the creation of a State department to prevent the use of short weights by food dealers.

Senator Fielder introduced a bill providing for the abandonment of the Morris and Essex Canal within the boundaries of Jersey City. Similar bills for the abandonment of the whole canal have been defeated in

several recent Legislatures.

A joint session will be held on February 7 for the election of a State Controller and several hundred Commissioners of Deeds. Edward I. Edwards, a Jersey City banker, will be chosen as Controller.

DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

George Meyer, an employee at the bakery in the Goth building, was arrested by Marshal Benson, on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct by the proprietor. Meyer became decidedly abusive to the complainant's wife and, it is alleged, struck her several times. The defendant was arraigned before Recorder Campbell and after promising to behave himself in the future was fined \$3.

Dunellen residents who were inconvenienced by the enforcement of the Sunday closing laws are now laughing in their sleeves at Plainfield's plight. Through the ruling of Mayor Moy, the same condition of affairs prevails there only a little worse, and the Dunellen people are beginning to believe they are not so bad off after all.

The heavy wind of the past few days almost wrecked a large plate glass window in the McVey store of the W. G. Runyon building. It bulged so badly that a support had to be placed about it. The glass catches the full force of the wind because of an eddy caused by swirling in a deep entrance.

Harry Piddington, of New Market, has returned to work at the J. D. Loizeaux plant on Rock avenue, after several weeks detention because of an injury to his hand.

Dunbar Brothers, proprietors of the local car service, have added a six-cylinder automobile to their equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nonnumacker, of the borough, were guests of friends in Elizabeth Sunday.

CALVIN B. ORCUTT DIES.

Death Comes Unexpectedly to An Elizabethan.

Elizabeth, Jan. 31.—Calvin B. Orcutt, president of the Newport News Ship-Building Company and of the Baltimore and Ohio Coal Company, died yesterday afternoon at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, where he had gone for an operation. His death was unexpected. Word of his demise reached Elizabeth last night and W. W. Willett, a relative, went at once to Baltimore to make arrangements for the funeral.

Mr. Orcutt had been ailing for some time, having recently been confined to a New York institution. He had lived in Elizabeth all his life and rose to a position of wealth and prominence through sheer ability. He was president for many years of the local Y. M. C. A., an elder in the Second Presbyterian church and also Sunday-school superintendent.

His home was at 1019 East Jersey street. A wife and two daughters survive him. One of the daughters is Mrs. Washburn, wife of a flour manufacturer. Mr. Orcutt was considered an expert in the ship-building line and his advice was often sought by naval architects. He was noted for his philanthropy, having given a building for use of the nurses at the Elizabeth General Hospital. He was the donor of a yearly gold medal to the nurse who most excelled at her work.

BROCADE MUFFS, FUR EDGED.

Some of the quiet patterned brocades when just trimmed with a narrow edging of fur are being used with much success as wraps and muff, and are, moreover, rather pleasantly novel when worn with tailor-made suits. The tailored suits grow more informal every week—it seems a long cry from the severe suit of masculine cut whose correct accompaniments were a linen collar and a severe hat, to the time.

Added to these advantages we are now permitted by fashion to drape any and every variety of scarf upon our costumes, except, of course, those of lace and filmy materials; this is doubtless due this season in some measure to the reign of the long coat and cloak, which takes the place of the tailor suit for outdoor wear, and allow of much latitude in one's general dress. Some of the results have already proved different from the general costumes of winter.

The flannel shirt blouse is not to be seen very much, the graceful long coats being sufficiently cosy to permit of dainty frocks and blouses being worn with comfort beneath them. This has had the effect of encouraging hats of a much less heavy and wintry type; the dull felt hat at times takes some quite astonishingly skittish forms; as, for example, when a knob crown has several frilly brims of silver and white lace hanging in lamp shade fashion around the face.

NOTES OF INTEREST TO COLLEGE GRADUATES

The University of Michigan claims a larger alumni delegation in Congress than any other university. Twenty-seven former students of the university, four of whom are Senators and members of the present Congress.

Harvard has sixteen of its alumni in Congress and Yale and the University of Virginia have fifteen each. Ten members of the alumni of the University of Iowa are in Congress; the University of Wisconsin and Cumberland University have nine each; Georgetown University eight; Columbia University and the University of Georgia, seven each; Washington and Lee University, six; University of Pennsylvania, a Vanderbilt University, University of Missouri and Cincinnati Law School, five each; Princeton, Amherst, Trinity, University of South Carolina, Dartmouth, University of the South, University of Arkansas, Tulane University, Bowdoin, Albany Law School and the University of Texas have each four members of their alumni in Congress.

The University of Pennsylvania has 5,389 students and 499 officers of instruction. This is a gain in students over last year of 356. The proofs of the catalogue, from which these figures have been taken, show that the men come from every State in the United States with the exception of Oklahoma, and from forty-five foreign countries. Philadelphia contributes 2,240 students, and Pennsylvania, outside of Philadelphia, 1,497. This makes the total for the whole State 3,737, which is a little more than two-thirds of the entire registration. The registration of the college is 3,730, a gain of 443 over last year. New Jersey contributes 477 students and New York State 283.

Country boys make better students than their city cousins. If one may judge from an analysis of the fellows working under the Harrison Foundation at the university. This shows that out of thirty-two persons holding fellowships or scholarships, sixteen come from towns of less than 6,000 inhabitants, four from towns of less than 15,000, three from cities under 50,000, four from cities of more than 100,000, four from Philadelphia and one from a suburb of Baltimore. The men holding these fellowships are representative of the best students not only at the university but also in the United States. Each of the four Philadelphians who are holding fellowships was graduated from the university, and for this reason gives his residence as Philadelphia. One of these, however, has only adopted Philadelphia as his home. This makes the total number of Harrison fellows coming from large cities seven, as against a total of twenty for towns under 15,000.

Dean George E. Fisher, in discussing this matter, said that, while he had made no analysis of his records, he had noticed that as a general rule the men from the smaller towns were good students. "This is probably due to the fact that the boy in a country town is more observant than his brother in the city," he said. "Furthermore, the boy from the country comes to the university to study, whereas in many cases the Philadelphians attend the university simply for the sake of going to college. One thing is certain. The country schools do not offer as great opportunities as the city schools. But perhaps it is for this very reason that the country boy appreciates opportunity when he finds it and studies the harder."

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Of course, if you wish to be a little more elaborate, embroidery and hand-painting are in order; and then there are the little pockets inside for powder puffs, mirror, theatre tickets, etc. But the bag is certainly most easily made, and a very pretty and dainty one it is.

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Funeral to be held Wednesday, February 1, at 2:30 p. m. at her late residence, 20 West Cliff street, Somerville, N. J. Friends are invited to attend. Newark Evening News please copy. 1 30 2

Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one cent a word for each additional insertion after the first. (Words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

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\$25 REWARD for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who poisoned my English fox hound on Friday night. Charles Meyer, Scotch Plains. 1 30 3

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COOK and chambermaid want positions together. Address 71 Mountain avenue. 1 30 3

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WANTED—Night fireman for factory; give experience, wages, references. Address Permanent, care Daily Press. 1 30 3

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Under a fur coat or a separate coat the one piece frock is charming and satisfactory, but there are many days in New York's changeable weather



when a fur coat is too warm for comfort, and the coat and skirt suit is as desirable as it ever was. This winter it is even more popular than ever, for the vogue of the velvet coat and skirt makes such a costume suitable for occasions when one might not consider the less dressy cloth tailored costume appropriate.

Many of the smartest tailored models in velvet are of the three piece type, a misnomer since the model is usually a one piece frock with coat. To avoid uncomfortable warmth all the upper part of the bodice is made of chiffon lace or other sheer stuff.

More thoroughly practical is a real three piece model with coat, skirt and separate blouse, for with such an arrangement the degree of elaborateness in the costume may be adjusted to a sliding scale. As a rule, however, the blouse of today is not what people once understood by a separate blouse. It must match the costume or at least harmonize with it so admirably that it seems an integral part of it. All of which does not mean that the suit material or trimming must enter into the composition of the blouse, though this arrangement is popular, and where the three pieces are turned out by one maker one is likely to find this note.

The designers have taken up this problem of the chic blouse so earnestly that it is now possible to obtain ready made things of the kind in almost any modish color and in all degrees of elegance, and of course these models, while harmonizing with the coat and skirt, do not repeat their materials.

Chiffon is the most important of the blouse materials, with marquisette and nets, tulle, and the various exquisite supple silken stuffs helping in the good work.

There are many good blouse models in combinations of satin and chiffon, the satin being of the very supple, light crape kind. A good blouse of this class is illustrated here and may easily be copied.

In this as in almost all the season's blouses the sleeve and body or yoke are cut together.

Occasionally one sees a hemstitched sailor collar or soft revers of chiffon in brilliant color upon a dark chiffon or crape blouse, and hemstitched bands, or, rather, bands of contrasting color, may be the only trimmings upon a dark or neutral toned blouse.

The collarless neck is seen in these models as in many other blouse models, but when this is not desired a high collar of the material may be used, or a transparent collar of plain white chiffon or net is in order. One good black model has the satin running to the base of the throat, where it is finished by a turndown collar three inches wide at back and sides and running to rather deep points in front.

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The Great Conservation
Novel

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It was hardly more than sunrise as they mounted their ponies and started on their trail, which led sharply upward after they left the canyon. The wind was strong and stinging cold.

Taking pity on Edwards, who was shivering, Cavanagh turned off the trail into a sheltered nook behind some pine trees.

"How do you happen to be reduced to herding sheep?" he asked. "You look like a man who has seen better days."

Edwards, chafing his thin fingers to warm them, made reluctant answer. "It's a long story, Mr. Ranger, and it concerns a whole lot of other people—some of them decent folks—so I'd rather not go into it."

"John Barleycorn was involved, I reckon."

"Sure thing. He's generally always in it."

"You'd better take my gloves. It's likely to snow in half an hour. Go ahead. I'm a younger man than you are."

The other made a decent show of resistance, but finally accepted the offer, saying: "You certainly are white to me. I want to apologize for making that attempt to sneak away that night. I had a powerful good reason for not staying any longer."

Ross smiled a little. "You showed bad judgment—as it turned out."

"I sure did. That girl can shoot. Her gun was steady as a doorknob. She filled the door. Where did she learn to hold a gun like that?"

"Her father taught her, so she said."

"She wouldn't remember me—an old cuss like me—but I've seen her with Wetherford when she was a kidlet. I never thought she'd grow up into such a queen. She's a wonder. Lize looked sick to me. She ought to send her girl away or get out. As you say, the Fork is no kind of a place for such a girl."

He spoke with a good deal of feeling, and the ranger studied him with deepening interest. He had taken on dignity in the heat of his protest, and in his eyes blazed something that was both manly and admirable.

"You're just the kind of a figure to catch a girl's eye. She likes you. I could see that, but you've got a good opinion of yourself. You're an educated man. Do you intend to marry her?"

"See here, Mr. Sheep Herder, you better turn on up to your camp." And Ross turned to mount his horse.

"Wait a minute," called the other man, and his voice surprised the ranger with a note of authority. "I was terribly taken with that girl, and I owe you a whole lot, but I've got to know one thing. I can see you're full of her and jealous as a bear of any other suitor. Now, I want to know whether you intend to marry her or whether you're just playing with her."

Ross was angry now. "What I intend to do is none of your business."

The other man was suddenly ablaze with passion. His form had lost its stoop. His voice was firm. "I merely want to say that if you fool that girl I'll kill you."

Ross stared at him, quite convinced that he had gone entirely mad. "That's mighty chivalrous of you, Mr. Sheep Herder," he replied cuttingly. "But I'm at a loss to understand this sudden indignation on your part."

"You needn't be. I'm her father!" Cavanagh fairly reeled before this retort. His head rang as if he had been struck with a club. He perceived the truth of the man's words instantly. He gasped. "Good God, man, are you Ed Wetherford?"

The answer was quick. "That's who I am!" Then his voice changed. "But I don't want the women to know I'm alive. I didn't intend to let anybody know it. All the same, I mean it. If you or any man tries to abuse her I'll kill him!"

"I've loaded her up with trouble, as you say, but I'm going to do what I can to protect her now that I'm in the country again."

Ross, confused by this new complication in the life of the girl he was beginning to love, stared at his companion in silence. Was it not enough that

Ed Wetherford was old and wasted and thin blooded, but he had never been coward, and in his heart there st

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Virginia's mother should be a slattern and a termagant? At last he spoke. "Where have you been all these years?"

"In the Texas 'pen.' I served nine years there."

"What for?"

"Shooting a man. It was a case of self defense, but his family had more money and influence than I did, so I went down the road. As soon as I got out I started north—just the way a dog will point toward home. I didn't intend to come here, but some way I couldn't keep away. I shied around the outskirts of the Fork, picking up odd jobs of sheep herding just to have time to turn things over. I know what you're thinking about—you're saying to yourself, 'Well, here's a nice father-in-law.' Well, now, I don't know anything about your people, but the Wetherfords are as good as anybody. If I hadn't come out into this cursed country, where even women go shooting wild, I would have been in congress; but, being hot headed, I must mix in. I'm not excusing myself, you understand, I'm not a desirable addition to any man's collection of friends, but I can promise you this—no one but yourself shall ever know who I am. At the same time, you can't deceive my girl without my being named in the funeral that will follow."

"You are only a distant and romantic figure to Lee—a part of the dead past," said Cavanagh. "She remembers you as a bold rider and a wondrously brave and chivalrous father."

"She must never know," Cavanagh said, and Edwards went on:

"If I could bring something to her—prove to her I'm still a man—it might do to tell her, but I'm a branded man now and an old man, and there's no hope for me. I worked in one of the machine shops down there, and it took the life out of me. Then, too, I left a bad name here in the Fork. I know that. Those big cattlemen fooled me into taking their side of the war. I staked everything I had on them, and then they railroaded me out of the county. So, you see, I'm double crossed, no matter where I turn."

Every word he uttered made more apparent to Cavanagh that Lee Virginia would derive nothing but pain and disheartenment from a knowledge that her father lived. "She must be spared this added burden of shameful inheritance," he decided.

The other man seemed to understand something of the ranger's indignant pity, for he repeated: "I want you to swear not to let Lee know I'm alive, no matter what comes. She must not be saddled with my record. Let her go on thinking well of me. Give me your word." He held out an insistent palm.

Ross yielded his hand, and in spite of himself his tenderness for the broken man deepened. The sky was darkening in the west, and with a glance upward, he said, "I reckon we'd better make your camp soon or you'll be chilled to the bone."

They mounted hastily and rode away, each feeling that his relationship to the other had completely changed. Wetherford marveled over the evident culture and refinement of the ranger. "He's none too good for her, no matter who he is," he said.

CHAPTER XIV.
PLAGUE AND MURDER.

UPON leaving timber line Cavanagh and Wetherford entered upon a wide and sterile slope high on the rocky breast of the great peak whose splintered crest loomed the range. Snow fields lay all about, and a few feet higher up the canyons were filled with ice. It was a savage and tempest swept spot in which to pitch a tent, but there among the rocks shivered the minute canvas home of the shepherd, and close beside it, guarded by a lone dog and lying like a thick spread flock of rimy bowlders (almost unnoticeable in their silent immobility) huddled the sheep.

"There's your house," shouted Ross to Wetherford.

The older man, with white face of dismay, looked about him, unable to make reply.

"Hello, there!" shouted Ross, wondering at the absence of human life about the camp. "Hello, the house!"

Receiving no answer to his hail, he turned to Wetherford. "Looks as if Ambro has pulled out and left the collier to tend the flock. He's been kind of seedy for some days."

Dismounting, he approached the tent. The collier, who knew him, seemed to understand his errand, for he leaped upon him as if to kiss his cheek. Ross put him down gently. "You're almost too glad to see me, old fellow. I wonder how long you've been left here alone."

Thereupon he opened the tied flap, but started back with instant perception of something wrong, for there, on his pile of ragged quilts, lay the Basque herder, with flushed face and rolling eyes, crazed with fever and entirely helpless. "You'd better not come in here, Wetherford," Ross warned. "Joe is here, horribly sick, and I'm afraid it's something contagious. It may be smallpox."

Wetherford recoiled a step. "Smallpox! What makes you think that?"

"Well, these Basques have been having it over in their settlement, and, besides, it smells like it." He listened a moment. "I'm afraid Joe's in for it. He's crazy with it. But he's a humane being, and we can't let him die here alone. You rustle some wood for the stove, and I'll see what I can do for him."

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reckless, generous daring. Pushing Cavanagh one side, he said with firm decision: "You keep out of there. I'm the one to play nurse. This is my job."

"Nonsense! I am younger and stronger than you."

"Get away!" shouted the older man. "Gregg hired me to do this work, and it don't matter whether I live or die. But you've got something to do in the world. M. girl needs you, and she don't need me, so get out of here and stay out. Go bring me that wood and I'll go in and see what's the matter."

Cavanagh looked him in the face an instant. "Very well," said he, "I'll do as you say." There's no use of our both taking chances."

It was beginning to rain, and the tent was dark and desolate, but as the fire in the little stove commenced to snarl and the smoke to pour out of the pipe the small domicile took on cheer. Wetherford knew how to care for the sick, and in the shelter of the canvas wall enveloped unforeseen vigor and decision. It was amazing to Cavanagh to witness his change of manner.

Soon a pan of water was steaming, and some hot stones were at the sufferer's feet, and when Wetherford appeared at the door of the tent his face was almost happy. "Kill a sheep. There isn't a thing but a beel of bacon and a little flour in the place."

Twenty miles of most difficult trail lay between Cavanagh's cabin and this spot. To carry the sick man on his horse would not only be painful to the sufferer, but dangerous to the rescuer, for if the Basque were really ill of smallpox contagion would surely follow. On the other hand, to leave him to die here unaided seemed inhuman, impossible.

"There is only one thing to do," he called to Wetherford, "and that is for me to ride back to the station and bring up some extra bedding and my own tent and so camp down beside you."

"All right, but remember I've established a quarantine. I'll crack your head if you break over the line an inch."

There was no longer any feeling of reaching up or reaching down between the two men—they were equals. Wetherford, altogether admirable, seemed to have regained his manhood as he stood in the door of the tent confronting the ranger. "This Basque ain't much of a find; but, as you say, he's human, and we can't let him die here and die. I'll stay with him till you can find a doctor or till he dies."

"I take off my hat to you," responded Cavanagh. "You are a man."

Once back at his cabin after leaving Wetherford, Cavanagh set himself to cooking some food to take back with him to the peak. He brought in his pack horse and burdened him with camp outfit and utensils and extra clothing. He filled his pockets with such medicines as he possessed, and so at last, just as night was falling, he started back over his difficult trail.

Wetherford met him at the door, no longer the poor old tramp, but a priest, one who has devoted himself to Christ's service.

"How is he?" asked the ranger.

"Delirious," replied the herder. "I've had to hold him to his bed. I'm glad you've come. It's lonesome up here. Don't come too near. Set your tent down there by the trees. I can't have you infected. Keep clear of me and this camp."

"I've got some food and some extra clothing for you."

"Put 'em down here, and in the morning drive these sheep away. That noise disturbs the dago, and I don't like it myself; they sound lonesome and helpless. That dog took 'em away for awhile, but brought 'em back again. Poor devil, he don't know what to think of it all."

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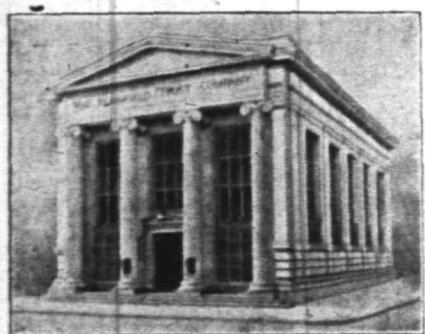
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Prison for contempt of court may be the fate of those who were instrumental in making public charges against the administration of justice in Bergen county. Justice Parker, sitting with County Judge Demarest, at Hackensack, held an informal investigation of the charges made by the Rev. E. A. Montgomery of Tenafly, and forwarded to the Governor and given to the press. Governor Wilson has turned the charges over to the Attorney General for investigation, but any action by that officer will be in addition to that which may be taken by Justice Parker. If the Justice remains in the same mind as he was today, it is likely it will be many days before such charges are again hurled at the administration of justice in that county.

Before opening court Justice Parker directed that the Rev. Mr. Montgomery and Recorder Maughan of Tenafly be in court yesterday afternoon. They were on hand, and the Supreme Court and County Judges took their places on the bench, while Prosecutor Wendell Wright took his place before the bar. Dr. Montgomery said he had no personal information about the three cases to which he referred as instances of the failure of justice. He based his assertions on hearsay information. Much of this was given to him by Recorder Vaughan. He did not know that the case of the man accused of attacking his niece occurred seven years ago nor that the case of a man stealing lumber was three years old, while Wright had been in office since September, 1909.

Recorder Maughan said he firmly believed personal and political influence caused miscarriages of justice in Bergen county. He said he never sent cases to Hackensack for adjudication when he could dispose of them himself. He did this because he did not want to burden the Grand Jury with small cases and because he believed the system of drawing grand juries was wrong, and that the jurymen, being politicians, were susceptible to influence.

Justice Parker said Judge Demarest agreed with him that the whole matter savors strongly of contempt of court. He regretted that Montgomery, who was supposed to preach justice and charity, should have been the one to voice such charges, when there was no adequate basis for them. He was also inclined to hold the recorder and those responsible for the circulation and publication of the charges for contempt. He would leave the institution of proceedings with Prosecutor Wright. Wright took the ground that as he was concerned he would rather the court would order him to take action, and the court made such an order.

THE COLONEL DECLARES HE IS A 'PROGRESSIVE'

Much enthusiasm was stirred up at the fifth annual dinner of the Progressive Republicans of Hudson county, at Grand View Hall, at Jersey City, last night, by a message from Colonel Roosevelt. The message was in the form of a letter to Colonel George L. Record, and 600 Progressives made a big noise when it was read. The colonel wrote as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Record: 'I am sorry not to be able to accept your invitation to speak to the Progressive Republican league of Hudson county, at your dinner next Monday night. As I have said elsewhere, 'I am a Progressive; I could not be anything else.' For the Progressives are those who really believe in the people, who stand for the fundamentals of popular rule. 'We must work and we must fight for the restoration of popular rule, striving to secure the adoption of such instruments of popular rule as the direct primary, strict election laws, and corrupt practices acts, the popular election of United States Senators, the direct nomination of delegates to presidential conventions, and, with careful limitations and safeguard, the referendum and initiative, where they are shown to be needed.'"

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ton avenue, 175 feet north of Prospect avenue. Mr. Schlittenhart has also purchased the 100 foot plot adjoining from A. D. Cook, and another 72 foot plot adjoining from James C. Manning, giving him a total frontage on Kensington avenue of 222 feet by an average depth of 310 feet. It is intimated that a large dwelling will be constructed on these properties in the near future.

The total amount involved in the above transactions was in the neighborhood of \$68,000. Ernest Sharp and Charles Matt are president and secretary-treasurer of both the above companies.

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The First Baptist, New Market, Scotch Plains and Temple Baptist churches will unite with the Park Avenue Baptist church, in an all-day prayer service on Friday. There will be a basket lunch at the noon hour.

The Sunday-school of the Park Avenue Baptist church will have charge of the prayer-meeting at the church, Wednesday evening, February 15. George E. Hall has charge of the program now in preparation, and it will be especially attractive.

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in part, with politics and corporations. Mr. Lackaye is conceded to be one of the very best actors on the contemporary stage; convincing evidence of this having been demonstrated by his portrayals of Sevengali in "Trilby," "The Baron Chevalier," the Rabbi in "The Children of The Ghetto," "The Pit," "The Law and the Man," and "The Battle." It was his success in each of these plays that

gained him the reputation he enjoys among the local theatre-goers and in "The Stranger," he sustains his reputation for clever impersonation of character studies, by portraying a physically strong and rugged American, typical of the men who force their way to recognition by untiring energy.