

# THE DAILY PRESS.

PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1911.

## THE WEATHER.

Rain or snow, followed by clearing and cooler tonight; Tuesday fair and colder, north and northwest winds.

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## PRaise THE MAYO SCHOOL TEACHERS ENJOYED A DANCE

Presbyterian Minister Pays Tribute to a Catholic Institution.

### A HOSPITAL FOR SURGERY.

Rev. Dr. Herring Tells His Congregation of His Experience as a Patient at St. Mary's, Rochester, Minn.

Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring at the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning preached, after an absence of five weeks, taking for his text the story of the illness and recovery of King Hezekiah found in Second Kings, 20: 1-7.

"I have a great interest in hospitals today," the minister said, "for I have had my first experience as a patient in one. My good friends, physicians and others, strongly recommended my going to a hospital 1,300 miles from here, and today I appreciate the wisdom of their suggestion. The legend, 'The Mayo Brother,' means far more to me than it ever meant before. When I learned that Dr. Charles Mayo performed four or five operations on the neck every day for five days of the week with wonderful success I felt confidence in his wonderful experience and skill, and I can assure you he did not fail my confidence. It was a comfort, too, to know that the genial lady who gave the anesthetic had given it some seventeen thousand times, and had therefore had some experience in that line and knew how to give me just enough to keep me one hour and a half under its soothing influence. Another thing which gave me perfect confidence was their careful and thorough system of diagnosis, for no patient is taken to the operating table without a thorough knowledge of his trouble, so that the surgeon can proceed at once to the root of his trouble with very little loss of vitality.

"St. Mary's hospital is a Catholic institution, but like all other hospitals, its doors are open to all, regardless of creed. The head of the sisterhood is Sister Josephine, who for years has been Dr. William Mayo's assistant, and she is credited with being a most able surgeon herself. During my week's stay at the hospital, she would often stop at my door and ask me how I was getting on, and then I hoped the day was coming when all Christians would be one, and as one body, sanctified and earnest would move on to the conquest of the world.

"I have spoken of how I was helped by the skill of Dr. Mayo, but I would not forget another source of help. I know that my friends at home were praying for the success of the operation. I believe in prayer and your prayers helped me. Some of you have told me that they remembered me at the family altar night and morning. I am grateful for the remembrance and the Lord has heard your prayers.

"While in that little western town I appreciated the helpfulness of friendship and the expressions of your friendship, Rochester, Minn., where the hospital is, seemed very near Plainfield because of the expressions of your sympathy and comfort that came with every mail. And today I am glad for the opportunity to again preach the Gospel under better conditions. For several years I have been using one vocal cord. Something had gripped the other cord but now it has been released and there is the restoration of the 'lost cord' and now I hope that the preaching of the Gospel may be doubly effective."

### Studying Local Conditions.

Professor R. I. Ziv, an author who is touring New Jersey in quest of material for two books he is preparing, is spending a few days in this city, having arrived here today. He is visiting penal institutions and looking into the modes of living among various nationalities in this country to make substance for his proposed works of "Profit and Loss of Crime," and "Modern Jewish Life and Future." While here he will visit the city jail, almshouse and inquire into local conditions concerning these institutions.

### Injured by Slight Fall.

Cornack Caulfield, of West Front street, slipped on the ice, in the yard at his home, Friday, and sustained a severe fall. He was assisted to the house and Dr. Lufburrow, who was summoned, found he had sustained two fractured ribs beside numerous severe bruises.

### P. H. S. Alumni Meeting.

The Plainfield High School Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting at the High School, tomorrow night. The following have been chosen as judges for the prize speaking contest: Rev. Gabriel Reid McGuire, former Judge William N. Runyon and Mrs. Robert Lowry.

## REAL CHRISTIANITY MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR 'MAINE VICTIMS'

Infuse Religion into Everyday

Life Says Rev. Charles B. Fiske.

### AT RELIGIOUS CONFERENCE.

Sanctify Everything to God Says Clergyman at Grace Church— Meetings to Be Held Twice Daily.

Large congregations heard Rev. Charles B. Fiske, rector of St. Michael's and All Angels church, Baltimore, who inaugurated a week of Religious Conferences at Grace church yesterday. This distinguished clergyman, who was at one time rector of St. John's, Somerville, is an absorbingly interesting speaker and is considered one of the really big men in the Church. As a member of the staff of The Churchman, his writings are well known to all Episcopalians. His topic at yesterday morning's service was "A Plea for Everyday Religion or Nothing," his text being taken from Zachariah, 14-20.

"The golden age of every nation," the clergyman said, "is in the past. But Israel furnishes a marked exception. Her golden age was in the future. The prophets in the Old Testament dwelt on the coming of the great day—the coming of the Messiah. Secondly, they discoursed on the nature of His kingdom. When this would be accomplished, every thing in all life would be holy. This exactly, Christ brought to pass in common life. He sanctified all life—all conditions of life, all forces and all personalities. All were dedicated to God and His service. He lifted it from the common place and made it holy. The profane was made sacred. This was done by Him to human nature and every part of it by His incarnation effected in human nature.

"The cause of sanctification to holiness," Rev. Mr. Fiske said, "is the demand made upon us to realize that sanctification in our own lives, that is, to make the general ideal of sanctification a practical thing in the individual. Christ has sanctified everything in life and therefore it is a responsibility of Christ's followers to reproduce that sanctity in his own individual life. It means, therefore, that every man and woman must regard their daily work as God's particular vocation for them as their ministry of service for God, and therefore to idealize the ordinary concerns of our daily life in business and in the home, that is, a priesthood in the laity—Ye are a royal priesthood."

"Unless we have this conception of Christ's sanctification, everything in our religion is defective and abortive. This ideal of our daily work being God's particular vocation for us means that we must sanctify everything to God. The trouble with so many of us is that we have what may be called compartment religion. We separate life into various compartments, home, social, business and then religious. Into the three former, sanctification is not permitted to permeate, whereas if our religion is vital it must permeate and sanctify each one of these various forces of our daily existence.

"Because of these compartments of our life, our religion is too oft the kind of religion that the man in the street complains of—a marked contrast between profession and practice. The man in the street must be excused for sneering when the type of religion is that which is not real in our everyday life on week-days. In contrast, Christ's demand is that the very name Christian is a guarantee of character. The fact that one belongs to a certain church ought to mean that he is a man of honor in his every-day life—that men can see that he has been with Jesus. It is not necessary to preach it if you live it for your very life will win men to Christ. That is what Sunday is for. It is intended to equip you for every day of the week."

In the afternoon, Rev. Mr. Fiske spoke to the children, and again at night he addressed the congregation at Grace. This morning, he spoke on "The Expects of Jesus." The Religious Conferences will be continued twice daily through the week and the public is cordially invited. The general subject for the evening meetings will be "A Consideration of the Soul's Perils." Tonight the theme will be "The Peril of Unreality," and tomorrow night "The Peril of Respectability."

### E. E. Parvin To Lecture.

Emerson E. Parvin, of this city, who is secretary of the International Mercantile Marine, of New York city, will give an illustrated lecture at the Plainfield Business College, Thursday evening, February 23, at 8 o'clock, on the subject: "Over Seas and the Lure of Foreign Lands." Over one hundred views will be shown. The public is invited.

## CRUSADE AGAINST FAKE OSTEOPATHS

Two hundred members of the Osteopathic Society of New York city conferred at the Waldorf Saturday night on a campaign against "irresponsible and ignorant persons who pretend to be osteopaths without having the slightest qualifications and who bring the science of osteopathy into disrepute." It was said that Martin W. Littleton would draft a bill for submission at Albany which would provide proper punishment for the unlearned. Those who took part in the discussion seemed to think the public sufficiently aware of the fact that an osteopath before he can practise in this State has to pass the same Regents' examination as a regular physician.

Dr. Joseph H. Sullivan, of Chicago, read a paper and then, stripping a subject to the waist, showed the other osteopaths some new wrinkles in bone manipulation.

Among the diners was Dr. F. F. Wilcox, of Crescent avenue.

## CO. K'S ANNUAL FAIR NOW IN FULL SWING

Company K's annual fair opened Saturday night with one of the largest crowds yet seen in the West Front street armory. From early in the evening until nearly 12 o'clock the place had all the people it could conveniently hold "and then some."

The military boys were on hand in their new fatigue uniforms to look after the interests of the visitors and succeeded in making every one feel at home. The hall was profusely decorated with the national colors, while the booths were attractively arranged and covered with flags and bunting. None of the Company K features of other years are missing, plenty of diversions being in evidence.

The donation booth is the largest of all. It is piled high with all manner of fancy and useful articles to be offered at customary fair bargain rates. The local merchants have been very liberal with contributions, a matter of no small importance to the company.

Dancing was the big attraction Saturday night and will continue to be for all this week. Sergeant George L. Apper is in charge of the floor and aided by a competent corps of assistants keeps things going in a lively manner. The Imperial orchestra supplies the incentive for waltzes and two-tops. A delegation of the organization's women friends are assisting at the tables, while the Kolb Company has charge of the ice cream.

Captain Harry B. Kitchell is general chairman of the fair committee, while Corporal Konklis is secretary, and Lieutenant-elect Nathaniel Hort is treasurer. The various committees have the following chairman: Floor committee, Corporal G. L. Apper, assisted by Corporals Konklis and Sharp; refreshments, Corporal Archie Niles, Coler and Sergeant De Camp; decorating, Corporal James Niles, assisted by John Millwater; donations, Corporal Dow; door, Private H. Winter; mailing, Lieutenant Peterson and Corporal Konklis; advertising, Sergeant Tranchard and Corporal Konklis.

A roll call and short drill will be a feature tomorrow night.

### Successful Cake Sale.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Temple Baptist church held a successful cake, candy and pie sale at the home of Mrs. George Staats, 1016 East Front street, Saturday afternoon. Everything was disposed of and the society will net about \$20 for church work.

## AID THE HOSPITAL

Offertories in the Local Churches Yesterday for Muhlenberg.

### CONTRIBUTIONS ARE INCREASED

Crescent Avenue, \$560; Grace, \$253; First Baptist, \$228—Roman Catholics Make Special Contributions.

The various churches were generous in their annual contributions to Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday, when "Hospital Sunday" was observed in this city. In nearly every instance the contributions were largely increased over those of last year, and this fact is gratifying to the Board of Governors of the hospital.

In several cases the contributions were not completed yesterday, there being more to come. In addition cards were distributed in the churches and many will return these later with the amount they are willing to give to the hospital.

### HEBREW LADIES' SOCIETY OBSERVE THIRD ANNIVERSARY

Under the auspices of the Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society, the third anniversary was observed in the Y. M. H. A. auditorium on Grove street, last night. An interesting program was presented by the children of the members under the direction of Miss Sadie Rothberg and Miss Annie Moldecky. Mrs. M. Warren on behalf of the committee, presented Mrs. Kalman Rotheberg with a beautiful gold pin.

Short addresses were made by Dr. Lyon Kapelowitz, S. Seidel, Kalman Rothberg, M. Meyers and Henry Rosenbaum. Refreshments were served during the evening.

### Winter C. E. Mass Meeting.

The winter mass meeting of the Plainfield Christian Endeavor Local Union, will be held in the First Presbyterian church, Thursday evening, at 7:45 o'clock and Rev. J. Madison Hare, pastor of the Parly Memorial Baptist church, Jersey City, will be the speaker. His subject will be: "The Largest Loyalty." At that time the attendance banner held by the West End Tabernacle society will be awarded to the society having the highest percentage of active and associate members present. There will be a fine musical program under the direction of Nelson VanWinkle.

### Violated Sabbath Law.

Detective John Flynn and Patrolman Tobias Nolan yesterday purchased goods at the tobacco and fruit store conducted by Julius Rejanti, on Liberty street, and then arrested the proprietor for violating the Sunday observance law. John Owens appeared for the prisoner in court this morning and at his request Judge DeMeza fixed the hearing for two weeks from date with the provision that until then Rejanti discontinue selling on Sundays.

### Must Go to School.

His father, James Finnerty, admitting that the boy, Patrick Finnerty, aged fourteen, is incorrigible and won't attend school, Judge DeMeza in police court this morning at the parent's request gave the youth another chance to reform. If he fails to attend school punctually he will be held for the juvenile court and may be sent to a reform school.

### Will Print a Bulletin.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Netherwood Reformed church will meet tomorrow night. The society has purchased a small hand hereafter will print a weekly church bulletin under the direction of the pastor, Rev. Royal A. Stout.

### Miss Eliza Dufford Sang.

Miss Eliza Raybert, soprano soloist at Trinity Reformed church, was unable to sing yesterday, owing to a heavy cold and her place was taken at the services very acceptably by Miss Eliza Dufford.

Neuman Bros.' store will be closed all day Wednesday, Washington's Birthday.

## MEMORIAL PULPIT FOR HEAVENLY REST

Arrangements have been made to have the new pulpit dedicated by Bishop Scarborough, when he makes his official visit to the parish on Sunday, April 2. The pulpit is Gothic in design and in placing it in the church, several other changes have been made which have added to the attractiveness of the interior of the edifice.

Rev. C. H. Mallory, rector of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, has received as a gift from Rev. A. J. Miller, rector of St. Thomas church, of White Marsh, Pa., a handsome hand-carved pulpit of butternut wood, which was used at the church yesterday for the first time. It was greatly admired by the worshippers. The pulpit has been placed in the edifice as a memorial to Mr. Mallory's father, the late Henry Mallory, of New York.

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## MRS. ELIZA BOGART, AGED 83 YRS. DEAD

Mrs. Eliza J. Bogart, widow of Stephen Bogart, aged 83 years, died Saturday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Burroughs, 326 East Fifth street, following a two weeks' illness with pneumonia. Prior to that time she enjoyed good health and was very active, especially in Christian work at the First Presbyterian church, where she was a member.

Mrs. Bogart was born in New York city and had lived in Plainfield sixteen years. Besides being a member of the First Presbyterian church, she was also identified with the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society; also the sewing society of the church. Mr. Bogart died in 1865. Mrs. Bogart is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Anna Miller, of Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; also three sons, Benjamin Franklin Bogart, of Yonkers, N. Y.; Peter S. Bogart, of Elizabeth, and Robert O. Bogart, of Northport, L. I. The funeral will be held from the late home tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock and the burial will be in Woodlawn cemetery, New York.

## NEW JERSEY ELKS MAY BE ORGANIZED

Abe J. David, exalted ruler of the Elizabeth lodge of Elks, is working on a plan to form a State organization of the Elks, to hold State reunions and conventions for the greater convenience and benefit of the various local lodges. Such organizations are a prominent feature of Elksdom in the West, some twenty-eight of the Western States being so organized. The plan works favorably there and the movement is now coming east.

The national reunions are now the only ones held to which the Elks of New Jersey send delegates. While the big reunions of course keep New Jersey lodges in touch with their brother Elks throughout the country, they do not permit of the more intimate and more detailed knowledge among the State lodges which would result from a distinctly State reunion. The Elizabeth lodge is the pioneer in the movement in New Jersey.

Mr. David has communicated with the thirty-five lodges in the State, including Plainfield, No. 885, with a view of getting their opinion on the subject.

### SATURDAY NIGHT JAGS LANDED 'EM IN JUG.

The usual collection of drunk and disorderly persons on a Monday morning were arraigned before City Judge DeMeza in police court today. Amos Hetfield, of Fanwood, drunk on Front street Saturday night, was given a suspended sentence. The same leniency was shown Bethune Dunham, who was also picked up on Saturday night.

William Gray, colored, appeared for the third time since January 1. He was given the alternative of \$10 or thirty days and will likely choose the latter. He was warned that if found intoxicated again he will get sixty days. Patrick Grimes, likewise arrested Saturday night, was given until Wednesday to appear with a pledge not to take a drink in a year.

### Library to Close.

The circulating department of the Plainfield Public Library will be closed on Washington's birthday, February 22. The reading room will be open from 2 to 6 with an assistant in charge.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## MAYOR IS ALARMED

Borough's Executive Fears Influence Preventing Sewage Plant Installation.

### AN APPEAL TO CITIZENS.

He Urges That Taxpayers Write Senator Frelinghuysen Against Passage of a Vicious Bill.

Aroused because of political and other influences being brought to bear to rob North Plainfield of its right under existing statutes to locate its sewage disposal beds on the Zovolnck farm in the Greenbrook section of North Plainfield township, Mayor Smalley, of North Plainfield, issues an appeal to the people of that borough. He calls their attention to the grave injustice to be done the community if Senate bill, No. 52, introduced by Senator Frelinghuysen, of Somerset, becomes a law. His appeal follows:

"I would not be doing my duty if I failed to bring to your notice a grave menace to your welfare.

"Senate Bill No. 41 has been introduced at Bound Brook's request to destroy North Plainfield's work for the past 14 months under the existing laws, to construct a much needed sewerage system. With great care and with full notice to all, we have progressed to a point where we are ready to go ahead with construction.

"Consent to locate our disposal works at the Zovolnck farm was obtained from the Township on January 14, 1910, and the State Board of Health was at once notified of this fact, and no exception was taken.

"Consent of the property owners of our borough—the vote of its people—the ordinance published and passed—all provided for disposal works on the Zovolnck site and advertised our intentions.

"Plans of the type of purification plant to be used were filed with the State Board of Health on December 5, last, but a postponement of the Board's approval was obtained by Bound Brook on the statement that they wished to examine our plans. This delay was used to introduce the Bill wiping out all we have done in full conformity to the present laws of the State.

"At a hearing before the State Committee last Tuesday, Senator Johnson, from Bergen county, did not hesitate to say that he was absolutely opposed to anything that sought to undo our past proceedings and seemed to question the constitutionality of such an attempt.

"The site selected is the most out-of-the-way imaginable and affects no one outside of the Township. The plant will be 1,300 feet this side of the Township line and our engineers state positively that no odors would be noticeable 300 feet away.

"There is one old farm house and one small house half a mile east of the site and nothing nearer in the Bound Brook direction.

"The absurdity of Bound Brook's complaint will be seen when it is realized that its border it one and one-quarter miles away from the site; in addition, the prevailing summer winds are toward the Township.

"Bound Brook has persisted in pouring its raw sewage into the river, and now tries to prevent us from erecting an up-to-date purification plant.

"I am informed that Bound Brook is now proposing to place disposal works one-quarter mile from the very centre of the town on low lands, frequently flooded. In my opinion they had far better join with North Plainfield at the Zovolnck site over two miles to the leeward of their centre.

"The principal agitation against us, purchased some property on Bound Brook's borders last fall knowing of our intentions. It would be queer justice to allow him to now upset an improvement urgently needed by six thousand people.

"Our borough has shown itself unanimously anxious and impatient for this improvement. Political pressure is being exercised by Bound Brook, and while I do not believe that the Legislature will lend itself to such an unjust proposition, North Plainfield should be heard from in no uncertain words.

"Let each voter and property owner do his part by communicating his views at once—today—to Senator Frelinghuysen upon whom we must depend to kill this most unquitting bill."

In the Borough Court.

Edward Britton, of the city side of the brook, was arraigned before Recorder Dolliver in the borough court, Saturday, charged with disorderly conduct and resisting arrest at Saengerbund Hall, Friday night. The charge was made by Special Marshal Raymond Schenck. Britton pleaded not guilty and was released on bail for a hearing tonight.



## MEN'S HALF HOSE

Fast black half hose, fine seamless grade; regular 25c quality; sale price, 3 pair for ..... 50c

## LADIES' NECKWEAR

Magnificent range of ladies' fine neckwear; that sold from 25c to 50c, at **HALF PRICE.**

## LADIES' KID GLOVES

Splendid variety of fine kid gloves, staple colors, that sold for \$1 and \$1.25; sale price .79c

## LADIES' UMBRELLAS

Plain and fancy trimmed handles, 26-inch; these are \$2-50 values, sale price ..... \$1.50

## LACE CURTAINS

Special lot of odd lace curtains that we wish to close out. You can buy them at just **HALF PRICE.**

## OUTING FLANNEL

10c outings, in a big range of best colors, will be sold during the sale for ..... 6c



## A. E. FORCE &amp; CO.

Thursday, Feb. 23, Will Be Red Letter Day

## End of Month PROFIT SHARING SALE

This month of February has been a dull business month owing to weather circumstances and in order that we may not lag behind previous Februaries we have decided to stimulate business by offering you extra inducements in the way of sharing our profits with you by reducing the price on every article advertised here.

ON ACCOUNT OF WEDNESDAY BEING A HOLIDAY (WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY) THE STORE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY AND THE SALE WILL COMMENCE ON

**Thursday Morning, February 23,**

and continue every week day till the 1st of March

In connection with the profit sharing price we place on the merchandise during this sale

**We Will Also Give Double Green Trading Stamps on All Purchases**

between 8:30 a. m. and 10 forenoon and 12 to 2 p. m. afternoon.

An opportunity is here presented to you if you wish to take advantage of it, of buying staple merchandise at much below regular price, and at the same time gives you an opportunity of filling your stamp book quickly—and secure your premium.



## TABLE OILCLOTH

500 pieces of table oilcloth, new designs; regular 22c grade, sale price ..... 15c

## BED SPREADS

Full size pure white bed spreads, splendid line of good designs; \$1.25 grade for ..... 79c

## BLEACHED MUSLIN

Yard wide fine bleached muslin, smooth finish, no starch or stiffening; 12 1/2c grade for ..... 9c

## WOOL BLANKETS

All of our fine wool blankets, that sold from \$3.50 to \$8.50, will be sold at 25 per cent. off the price.

## DOMET FLANNEL

35 pieces of white domet flannel, extra good quality; value 10c, sale price ..... 6c

## CHAMBRAYS

One lot of chambrays. Splendid range of the best colors—10c value for 7c

SWIFT'S  
CLEANSER

The best and most effective cleanser on the market; sale price 3 for ..... 25c

## STOVNIC

Polishes the stove and nickel parts at the same time; regular value 10c, sale price ..... 6c

## TOILET PAPER

1,000 sheet rolls of fine toilet paper, regular value 5c, during sale, 7 for ..... 25c

## WRITING PAPER

London Court fine writing paper and envelopes; regularly 35c box, sale price ..... 22c

## PEROXIDE OF HYDROGEN

1-lb. bottle of Peroxide; regular value 10c, during the sale ..... 5c

## LADIES' HOSIERY

Black cotton hose, spliced heels and toes, sizes 8 1/2 to 9 1/2; reg. value 19c, sale price ..... 10c

## AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

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Dunellen, 140 Peters  
New Market, 100 Corlies  
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Scotch Plains, Frank Anso  
South Plainfield, Hamilton  
Fanwood, Frank Anso  
Netherwood, H. Olmstead

## PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The Choral Society of the Scotch Plains Baptist church will give a concert in the church tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock, when a fine program will be presented. Rev. Franklin K. Matthews, pastor, has been planning the affair, and Martin A. Korff, of this city, will have charge of the music. This program will be rendered:

Part I—Overture, Scotch Plains and Y. M. C. A. orchestra; "Soldiers' Chorus," from "Faust," Choral Society; cello solo, Miss Moffett; "Old Oaken Bucket," and "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," Choral Society; violin solo, "Theme and Variation," Martin A. Korff; "Sweet and Low," "Old Kentucky Home," and "In the Gloaming," Choral Society. Part II—Selection by orchestra; "I Have Sighed to Rest Me," from "Il Trovatore," Choral Society; trio, cornet, violin and piano, Miss Korff; Martin A. Korff and Arthur Korff; vocal solo, "Honey Chile," and "Brightly Gleams," Haydn, Choral Society; finale, orchestra.

Mrs. William Lee, Mrs. Frederick Smith and James Fitzgerald were called to Philadelphia last week by the death of their nephew, John Fitzgerald. The funeral was held Saturday.

George Stillger, who has been ill for several years, had a change for the worse on Saturday and his condition is now considered critical.

Lincoln and Washington's Birthday exercises will be held by the scholars of the public school tomorrow afternoon in the assembly room of the building.

An interesting meeting of the Epworth League was held last night in the class rooms of the Methodist church.

The weekly meeting of the B. Y. P. U. was held last night in the church parlors.

Harry Wade has returned from a

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

visit of several days with friends in New York State.

Frederick Clark, of Bartle avenue, has been visiting friends in New York.

## NEWS OF THE WORLD FOR THE BUSY MAN

Burglars blew open a safe in the Savoy Theatre building, New York, stole \$700 and escaped.

A soldier who returned from Manchuria was stricken with plague in the Nicholalevsk district.

The steamship Laurentic arrived with a tale of a passenger who went mad at sea and began firing about the vessel.

Further details of the suppression of the rising of natives at Pohna, Caroline Islands, were sent from Berlin.

Advices from Washington indicated that Jose Limantour might succeed Senor Creel as Minister of Foreign Relations.

The Secretary of State, Mr. Knox, made a strong plea for Canadian reciprocity before the Chamber of Commerce of Pittsburgh.

Several provinces of Italy were shaken by earthquakes; houses at Forli were damaged and a number of persons were injured.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad announced it would ask the New Jersey Legislature for permission to abandon the Morris Canal.

A dispatch from Washington stated that after three weeks' recess the United States Supreme Court will resume its sessions today.

Charles G. Gates, suffering from blood poisoning, arrived in New York for treatment on a train that broke all records from Yuma, Ariz.

A broken hydrant in New York, delayed the firemen and allowed a blaze in a factory building to spread, endangering two adjoining tenement houses.

Civil war is again feared in Portugal owing to the demand of naval officers, supported by the extremists, for the reinstatement of a former captain.

The long filibuster in the House of Representatives in Washington was brought to a temporary end by a truce entered into about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Many persons rushed from tenement houses and a man and his infant son were injured when a bomb exploded on the roof of a house in Baxter street, New York.

A part of a wall of St. Bartholomew's Protestant Episcopal church, in East 127th street, New York, gave way, causing much excitement among children gathered in the basement.

The Rev. Dr. Andrew Mowatt, a Presbyterian clergyman of Montreal, died from heart disease in his church just as he was about to preach from the text: "When I saw Him I fell at His feet as one dead."

Following an interview with the President, Representative McCall, of Massachusetts, announced that if the Senate fails to act upon the

## MATHUSHEK & SON PIANOS

### January Piano Sale

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This is the GREATEST FUR SALE ever held in Plainfield.

Now is your chance to secure FURS at a BIG SAVING.

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Canadian reciprocity agreement Congress will be convened in extra session.

Martin W. Littleton, the Congressman-elect, announced himself an aggressive candidate for the United States senatorship, issuing a statement of his reasons for entering the lists and of his views on the questions of the day.

## 17-YEAR LOCUST TO INFEST JERSEY

Washington, D. C., Feb. 20.—The seventeen-year locust is to be heard ripping open the quiet summer nights of 1911, in several counties of eastern Pennsylvania and all of New Jersey, with his strident, nerve-racking cry, according to a special circular issued by the department of agriculture.

The department entomologists have been keeping pretty close tabs on this insect with a buzz-saw voice, and they know just where he is going to appear in numbers during the coming summer. They announce an all-season engagement of continuous matinee and evening performances in eastern Pennsylvania and throughout New Jersey.

The scientists call this pest the periodical cicada, and state that it will appear in two broods this year, the seventeen-year race, which will disturb the territory along the Atlantic coast from eastern New York and Connecticut south to central North Carolina; the thirteen-year race to cover the lower half of the Mississippi valley.

The twelve-year race is called brood two and occupies territory immediately east of the other brood, the thirteen-year race. Brood two is one of the best recorded broods, since its almost exclusively eastern range bring it into the immediate vicinity of the larger towns and more populated districts of the Atlantic seaboard. It has been reported in Connecticut regularly every seventeen years since 1724, and in New Jersey since 1775.

At its last appearance in 1894 it was carefully studied to determine distribution, for New Jersey by Dr. John H. Smith, for New York by Dr. J. A. Lintner and for the other States covered by its range, with the aid of State entomologists and local observers. Some of the Southern records obtained in 1894 are doubtful, and this applies especially to localities in North Carolina, because of the appearance the same year of brood 19 of the thirteen-year race, which in North Carolina may touch or overlap this seventeen-year brood.

The periodical cicada, when it appears in great numbers, naturally causes considerable alarm and arouses fears for the safety of shade trees and orchards. The actual damage, however, is usually slight, except in the case of newly planted orchards, and even here by vigorous pruning back after the cicada has disappeared much of the injury caused by the egg punctures can be obviated.

Ordinary repellent substances, such as kerosene emulsion or carbolic-acid solutions, seem to have very little effect in preventing the egg deposits of these insects. Some more recent experience, however, indicates that trees thoroughly sprayed with bordeaux mixture or lime wash are apt to be avoided by the cicada, especially if there are other trees or woods in the neighborhood on which they can deposit eggs. The most reliable means of protecting nurseries and young orchards is by collecting the insects in bags or umbrellas from the trees in early morning or late evening, when they are somewhat torpid. Such collections should be undertaken at the first appearance of the cicada and repeated each day.

## "DAN" SLATTERY NOW A JERSEY COMMUTER.

Daniel V. Slattery, for years one of the star reporters of the New York Sun, and who achieved fame as "Slatts," Commissioner Bingham's secretary, has become a Jersey commuter. He has settled down in New Market. Slattery was known as the real police commissioner of New York, because of his intimacy with the system acquired as a news gatherer, and the tempestuous Bingham took his advice on everything. "Farmer" Slattery has received a flattering offer from a New York publishing house for his Bingham reminiscences.

## Y. W. C. A. Concert.

The Y. W. C. A. Glee Club will give a concert at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening, March 7. Mrs. C. E. Moore, of Cambridge, Mass., will be the piano soloist; Mr. Wirtz, of Baltimore, cellist, and S. Frederick Smith, club director, will be in charge. The club has a membership of forty.

—By a score of 58 to 18, the boys' team of the school defeated the "Commuters" five on the P. H. S. court Friday night.

—Chief Marshal Weiss, of the borough, continues to recover property stolen by John Polen. On Friday he located a revolver, a box of cartridges and a sword taken from the Charles Neier place. It was discovered at Somerville on information furnished by Chief Weiss, that Polen appeared in court in a suit of Neier's.





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By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on  
WEDNESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1911,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all that certain lot or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, and bounded and described as follows:  
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Fourth street with the northeasterly line of Clinton avenue; thence running along the northwesterly line of Fourth street north forty-nine degrees twenty-two minutes east three hundred and thirty-two feet and ninety-one hundredths of a foot to a corner, thence north forty-three degrees thirty-five minutes west five hundred and ninety-four feet and eighty-eight hundredths of a foot to a corner; thence south forty-seven degrees forty-six minutes west three hundred and forty-nine feet and forty-nine hundredths of a foot to a corner in the northeasterly line of Clinton avenue; thence along the northeasterly line of Clinton avenue south forty-five degrees fourteen minutes east five hundred and eighty-six feet and twenty-six hundredths of a foot to the point or place of beginning.

The above description is taken from a survey made by F. A. Dunham, C. E., Plainfield, N. J., April 1, 1908.  
Being the same premises conveyed to John Lavery by the following deeds: The first made by the First National Bank of Plainfield, dated January 15, 1887, and recorded January 22, 1887, in the Union County Clerk's office, in book 187 of deeds for said county, on page 187, etc.; the second made by Margaret E. McLaughlin, dated May 21, 1888, and recorded May 31, 1888, in the said Clerk's office, in book 200 of deeds for said county, on page 20, etc.

ROBERT G. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.  
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**SHERIFF'S SALE**—Union County Circuit Court. Colwell Lead Company vs. John W. Kilbuck, defendant. Pl. fa. de bono et ter. On Docketed Judgment.  
By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on  
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at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all that tract or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey.  
Beginning at a point in the southeasterly side line of St. Marks place, said point being three hundred and five (305) feet northeasterly from the intersection of said side line of St. Marks place with the northeasterly side line of Netherwood avenue, said beginning point being corner of lot number 13; thence southeasterly along line of lot number 13 one hundred and fifty-two and twenty-eight one hundredths (152.28) feet to a point in rear line of lots fronting on East Second street; thence northeasterly along rear line of lot number 11 forty-one (41) feet, more or less, to another corner of lot number 11; thence northeasterly and parallel with the first line herein described, or nearly so, one hundred and fifty-two and twenty-eight one hundredths (152.28) feet to a point in the southeasterly side line of St. Marks place aforesaid; thence southeasterly along said line of St. Marks place forty-one (41) feet to the point and place of beginning. Together with the land in front of said premises to the center of St. Marks place, subject to the easement of the public for the use of the highway. Being lot known and designated as lot number 12, in block "B," on map entitled "Map of property belonging to E. R. Pope and J. F. Hubbard, City of Plainfield, N. J., 1880."

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## SPORTS News and Notes

### GOLF.

The executive committee of the Metropolitan Golf Association has decided to hold the annual junior tournament on the course of the Plainfield Country Club, the coming season. The date will not be settled upon definitely until later. The junior affair will be open to boys under 18 years of age, who reside in the metropolitan district, and are either members of clubs belonging to the Metropolitan Golf Association or are members of families which are members of clubs of the association.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. Walter Beekman, of Watchung, is visiting friends in New York city.

William Alling and family, of this city, are registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Howard J. Vail and son, Lawrence J. Vail, of Roseville, have been visiting relatives here.

Miss Mamie M. C. Gee, of Warsaw, N. C., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. W. Bailey, of this city.

Miss Adele Kirby, of Grandview avenue, has returned from a sojourn at Atlantic City.

Mrs. George A. Schmidt, of Watchung, has returned from a visit with friends in Newark.

Mrs. Henri Chovel, of Paris, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Demarest, of the borough.

Mrs. Richard Moldenke, of Castle Elsinore, has returned from a visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. McGee, of Orchard place, who have been at Atlantic City, have returned home.

Miss Marie A. Texier, of New York, has returned after spending several days with her parents at Watchung.

Mrs. William Whittlesey, of Pittsfield, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Boardman Tyler, of West Seventh street.

Miss Margaret H. Schick, of New Brighton, S. I., has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. George A. Schmidt, of Watchung.

Mrs. G. W. Bailey, of this city, has returned from North Carolina, where she has been visiting her brother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. de LaR. Anderson have closed their summer home on the Valley road and gone to New York for the balance of the winter.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. William Trembath, of Chatham street, have recovered from an attack of scarlet fever and the quarantine has been raised.

Theodore T. Moldenke, eldest son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Moldenke, has returned to school at Allentown, Pa., after a short visit at his home.

Miss Elizabeth Randall, a senior nurse at Muhlenberg Hospital, has returned from New York, where she took a three months' special course in a hospital.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The annual birthday party of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will be held at the church, Thursday evening, February 23. An elaborate program has been prepared.

W. S. McGregor, of the Brooklyn Tabernacle, gave a Bible lecture yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at 333 Watchung avenue, second floor. The subject was "The Kingdom of God."

The Baraca and Philathea classes of the Temple Baptist church will hold a joint meeting in the church tomorrow night. The speaker will be S. S. Swackhamer and the subject, "1911."

### LOCAL REALTY TRANSFERS RECORDED AT ELIZABETH.

The following local realty transfers have been recorded in the office of County Registrar F. H. Smith, at Elizabeth.

Aida H. Salmon to James L. Arrowsmith, northeasterly side John street, 200 feet northeasterly of Union avenue, Plainfield, \$1; Chas. L. Hyde et ux to Emil J. Meissner, southerly side South avenue, corner Central street, Plainfield, \$1; Joshua D. Loizeaux et ux to Emil Beys, southerly side Laramie road, 560 feet of Park avenue, Plainfield, \$1; Mary A. Vail to Francis G. Crawford, Union street, 90 feet northerly of Manning Stelle, Plainfield, \$1; Annie M. Layton et al. to Le Roy Layton, northeasterly side Summer avenue, 342 feet southeasterly of East Front street, Plainfield, \$1; Lucy McVey to Carolyn P. McVey lots 11, 12, block A, 5, 6, 7, 8, block C, "Map of South End Park," Plainfield, \$1; Simon Roth et ux to Solomon Mann, northeasterly side South avenue, corner W. G. Morse, Plainfield, \$1.

Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will hold a regular meeting tomorrow night to consider plans for the observance of Memorial Day.

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## Feb. 20 in American History.

1772—Isaac Chauncey, American com-  
modore, born; died 1840. Commo-  
dore Chauncey was one of the her-  
oes of the naval encounters on the  
lakes during the war of 1812.  
1829—Commodore Stephen Champlin,  
one of the heroes of Perry's victory  
on Lake Erie, died; born 1789.  
Joseph Jefferson, third actor of  
that name and most famous, born;  
died 1865.  
1803—General Pierre Gustave Toutant  
Beauregard, famous soldier and  
Confederate army leader, died;  
born 1818.  
1809—Mme. Ponisi, noted actress, con-  
temporary of Lester Wallack, died;  
born 1818.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 5:27; rises 6:41; moon rises  
1:22 a. m.; moon at apogee, farthest  
from earth, 10:50 p. m., eastern time  
moon at last quarter; sun's declina-  
tion, 10.7 degrees south of celestial  
equator.

Plainfield, N. J., February 20, 1911.

PLAINFIELD MOOSE  
AT BIG GATHERING

A delegation of fifty members  
from Plainfield lodge, No. 310, Loyal  
Order of Moose, attended a big gath-  
ering of the order at Elizabeth yester-  
day afternoon and evening. The  
occasion was the exemplification of  
the new ritual work by the degree  
team of Trenton lodge. The affair  
was held in Turn Hall and 1,100  
Moose from all parts of the State  
were present.

A class of 175 candidates from  
Elizabeth lodge was put through,  
making the membership of this or-  
ganization just 1,100.

Grand Vice-Dictator Arthur Jones,  
of Indianapolis, Ind., was present  
and made an address as did National  
Organizer Davis, of Chicago. Dic-  
tator John J. Carroll, of Plainfield  
Lodge, was called upon for remarks  
and spoke interestingly for five  
minutes on the aims and objects of  
the organization.

Refreshments of Moose milk and  
meat were served at the close of  
the meeting. The local contin-  
gent returned home at 10 o'clock.  
Lodges at Trenton, Camden, Atlantic  
City, Newark, Hoboken, Jersey City,  
Perth Amboy and New Brunswick  
as well as Plainfield were among  
those represented.

## "Daybreak in Turkey."

The Woman's Association of the  
Congregational church will hold a  
meeting at 3 o'clock tomorrow after-  
noon, the subject being "Daybreak  
in Turkey." Miss Alice Barlow will  
sub-division topic of "Turkish Peo-  
ple." Miss Searle will speak on the  
"Marvelous Growth of Islam."  
"What a Mohammedan Must Believe,"  
will be the subject assigned to Miss  
Lulu Fuller and there will be a  
monologue by a Mohammedan woman  
in costume. Oriental refreshments  
will be served at the close.

## Hope Chapel Supper.

A supper will be served at Hope  
chapel on Wednesday night under  
the auspices of the Men's Club, the  
Ladies Aid and the C. E. societies.  
The supper will be served from 6:30  
to 9:30 p. m.

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Universal Furniture Polish, 1/2 pint bottle	25c
Ching Fow Floor Polish, pint bottle	50c
Liquid Veneer Polish, 1/2 pint bottle	25c
Hartshorn Ammonia, full quart bottle	10c
Hartshorn Ammonia, extra strong	25c
Alro Metal Polish, large can	25c
Sparklene Silver Polish	25c-15c
The Craig Silver Polisher	25c
C-5-4 Lusta Stove Polish	25c
Flondike Bronze Paint	25c
Cap-a-Lac	80c-45c-25c-15c
Instant Crockery Menders	25c
Knit Broom Covers	25c-15c
Glass Towel Bars, 18 inches	29c

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Water Pails, 10-qt. size	69c
Slop Jars, uncovered	\$1.25
Slop Jars, covered and bail handle	\$1.48
Lipped Saucepans, all sizes	15c to 59c
Mixing Bowls, all sizes	15c to 50c
Padding Pans	25c, 30c, 35c
Straight Saucepans	35c, 42c, 49c, 55c

PATROLMAN MAY  
BE PUT ON TRIAL

It is reported that charges may be  
preferred against Patrolman Tobias  
Nolen for refusing to obey an order  
given him yesterday by Mayor Moy.  
His honor telephoned police head-  
quarters when Nolen was in charge  
and instructed him to release an of-  
fender until this morning. The po-  
liceman, it is said, asserted that he  
could not release a prisoner unless  
the city judge or mayor appeared at  
the station in person, but admitted  
that it was the mayor at the other  
end of the phone.

Later Mayor Moy was informed  
that no attention was paid to his or-  
der and he telephoned again to head-  
quarters. Nolen, it is related, not  
only refused to take the order over  
the telephone, but, it is alleged,  
talked impudently in a way which  
ended by the Mayor telling him that  
he was seriously considering prefer-  
ring charges for insubordination and  
impertinence. Some time later, at  
headquarters the Mayor was told by  
Chief Kiehl that the patrolman had  
acted according to his orders. Mr.  
Moy wanted to know who framed  
such an order and how long it had  
been in existence, citing the fact  
that but recently it had been cus-  
tomary to give such orders over the  
telephone.

When asked this afternoon, the  
Mayor declined to say whether he  
would prefer the charges, admitting  
that he was considering such a  
course.

**Agitating a New Trolley Line.**  
Residents of Bound Brook and  
vicinity are agitating the question of  
a trolley between that place and Mar-  
tinsville. A delegation of interested  
citizens attended the meeting of the  
Somerset Board of Freeholders, last  
week, to urge the improvement of  
the principal highway between the  
two points and the matter was laid  
over to the next meeting. It is be-  
lieved that a trolley would result in  
a big boom in property improve-  
ments.

**Held Successful Cake Sale.**  
Under the auspices of St. Ann's  
Guild, a successful cake sale and tea  
was held Saturday afternoon in the  
parish house of St. Stephen's church.  
The net proceeds were \$30. The af-  
fair was arranged by Mrs. Amelia  
Miller, assisted by Miss Miller, Mrs.  
Adam Hill, Mrs. Charles Sturtevant,  
Mrs. William R. Townsend, Mrs. Jo-  
seph Kmosko, Mrs. Drydenor, Mrs.  
Adelman and Mrs. Cole. Tea was  
served during the afternoon.

Russell Johnson, of Newark, spent  
Sunday with his father, A. W. John-  
son, of Duer street.

Mrs. Robert Scott, of Whitewood  
avenue, is very ill at the home of  
her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret  
Warwick, in Bound Brook.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. John VanEss, of Arabia, will  
preach at Trinity Reformed church,  
Sunday, March 12.

The Travel Club of the Congrega-  
tional church will meet at the  
church tonight, and "visit" the home  
of Shakespeare.

The improvement in the condition  
of Rev. John Y. Broek's mother is  
very slow. She is still confined to  
her bed and in a very weak state.

Rev. J. Y. Broek, pastor of Trin-  
ity Reformed church, acknowledges  
with thanks the gift of an extension  
drop light and head rest for the  
chair in his study.

The Men's Club of the Nether-  
wood Reformed church will hold its  
annual meeting for the election of  
officers this evening at the home of  
Mrs. Noel on Leland avenue.

St. Paul's Brotherhood of Trinity  
Reformed church is growing. They  
will soon need larger accommoda-  
tions. Last Sunday twenty-six men  
were present. All men of the church  
are invited to be present.

The members of Trinity Reformed  
church deeply appreciate the faith-  
ful work of Henry Seader and the  
Ladies' Christian Work Society did  
well to present him with a gift re-  
cently. Mr. Seader does important  
work and without his services the  
work of the church would suffer.

It was decided hereafter to hold  
the session of the school at 9:45  
o'clock in the morning, preceding  
the church service which is held at  
11 o'clock. This will be a perma-  
nent arrangement for the future.

The change was made at the request  
of the Consistory of the church.

The officers and teachers of the  
Sunday school of the Netherwood  
Reformed church, held a meeting  
yesterday, when Samuel O. Rush,  
resigned as superintendent of the  
Sunday school, owing to the fact that  
he is soon to remove to his former  
home at Glen Gardner. There were  
many expressions of regret over Mr.  
Rush's actions and appreciation for  
his faithful services. Mr. Rush was  
the first superintendent of the school  
and put it on a good basis. Claud  
Gonod, the assistant, was elected to  
succeed Mr. Rush.

## Borough Smoker Tonight.

The North Plainfield Association  
smoker and entertainment will be  
held in Debele Hall tonight. The  
committee has spared no pains to  
make the affair a big success and  
guarantees money-back to anyone  
not satisfied. Tommy Baker's vaude-  
ville company will provide amuse-  
ment, smokers will be supplied with  
pipes and tobacco and refreshments  
in abundance will be passed.

## Chosen Past Senior Counselor.

Frank W. Weed is now past senior  
counselor of Plainfield Council, No.  
402, United Commercial Travelers,  
having been raised to that office by  
Grand Counselor Percy at a meeting  
held Saturday night. A smoker fol-  
lowed. The meeting in March pro-  
mises to be a busy one, as the annual  
election will be held, and several  
candidates will be admitted.

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bring results.

## IN MEMORIAM.

HAROLD LAWRENCE BURLINGAME MULFORD.

1891-1910.

In loving memory of my only child and beloved son, who was noble  
in chivalry, brave, courageous and true.

His father Samuel Potter Mulford, passed to the life beyond when  
Harold was very young, but left him a rich heritage of sterling qualities.  
How proud he must be if he knows what great brilliancy and ability his  
son possessed, and how noble a record he has left standing as a memento  
to his respected name.

The unveiling of the tablet erected by the masters and  
boys, the beautiful and loving tribute paid to our dear boy at the  
Memorial services on Sunday, the 22nd of May, 1910, held in the Pawling  
school chapel, at Pawling, New York, by Doctor Frederick Luther  
Gamake, the faculty and the boys, with whom Harold spent the last six  
years of his life, will always be cherished and revered by his mother,  
his relatives and friends. While his precious son was on earth, there  
was always sweet companionship between us, we were not only mother  
and son but closest of chums, and now although he has left me in body,  
his spirit is always with me.

One year ago today, my dear good boy went away, through the val-  
ley, over the mountains, to a happier land, where 'tis said the sun shines  
always, and where peace and goodness abounds. I shall never forget  
his never failing courtesy to all whom he met and his constant love and  
devotion to me, through the nineteen years and twenty days of his brief  
life here, from childhood hours down to that fatal Sunday morning,  
February the twentieth, 1910, at Plainfield, New Jersey, this date a year  
ago, when his spirit passed through the valley of death and was freed  
from its earthly cares.

I firmly believe my boy is happy and safe in Paradise in the com-  
panionship of saints, in the presence of Christ and in His all embracing  
love.

HAROLD'S MOTHER.



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**VAUDEVILLE FOR HOLIDAY.**  
The "Soul Kiss" on Thursday Night and "Human Hearts" Saturday —"The Royal Mounted" on February 28.

To make up for the cancellation of "Homeward Bound" at the Plainfield theatre Saturday night, Manager Sanderson announced that local amusement seekers will not be denied the privilege of witnessing this stirring play as it will be presented at a later date. From now on until the close of the present season the playhouse will be the scene of greatly increased amusement activity as arrangements have been made to secure the pick of the Shubert attractions, as well as those booked in Klaw & Erlanger.

At the theatre tonight Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who started the world when he claimed to have discovered the North Pole, will tell his story at the Plainfield theatre tonight. His story will be illustrated by moving pictures. While the pictures throw no new light upon the famous controversy, they are of considerable interest as placing Doctor Cook on record for the first time as specifically charging unfair play on the part of certain people.

The various characters are represented by actors whose make-up reproduce with considerable fidelity the persons they are supposed to represent. The part of Dr. Cook is played by himself and those who witness the acting of the Doctor in this picture must admit that all reports to the contrary notwithstanding, he is the man who might be regarded as capable of playing a part.

"I have almost despaired of ever being able to have placed through the usual sources of publication any story retaining the exact statement or creating the impression intended," said Dr. Cook today. "One reason why I lent myself to the making of the chief picture is that despite a long continued unwillingness to believe in the existence of a conspiracy of which I have been made the victim, the proofs have been so forcibly and adequately presented to me that I can no longer doubt. I am satisfied at last that a body of supposedly reputable men have conspired from the beginning to discredit and dishonor me, resorting to means to this end only to be expected from creatures of the lowest type. My unwillingness to believe this has led me to maintain a silence and to pursue a course of action which, I regret to say, has played into the hands of the men seeking to accomplish my ruin.

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Dr. Cook arrived in town at noon and registered at the Hotel Kensington.

As a Washington's Birthday attraction, Manager Sanderson will present vaudeville and high class moving pictures. The program will be on the same plan as that at the Proctor house, with entirely different acts. Tickets sold at either place will be redeemed at the other, that is, patrons who buy a ticket for one and find it crowded can go to the other and present it. The prices will be the same.

Thursday night is the date announced for Mifflin Brothers' big production of the great scenic musical comedy, "The Soul Kiss." Sixty people are required for its presentation while the stage settings are among the heaviest of the season. One scene, New York as seen by night from the Singer building tower, is declared to be a marvel of scenic and electrical art. The comedy is replete with fine dancing numbers and catchy song hits.

Saturday afternoon and night, February 25, the always popular "Human Hearts" will be seen. It is a high class comedy drama, intermingling humor and pathos in even proportions. It will be acted by a special cast.

The date for the appearance of Ethel Barrymore at the Plainfield theatre has been announced as Saturday, April 1. She will be offered in the double bill she is now presenting in the Empire theatre, New York, "Alice Sit by the Fire," and the one act play, "The Twelve-Pound Look." This attraction will be one of the dramatic events of the season.

Among the recent bookings announced by Manager Sanderson are Cyril Scott former star of "The Prince Chap," and "The Royal Mounted," who comes on February 28 in his latest success, "The Lottery Man," "The Volunteer Organist" on March 11, and "Black Patti" on March 3.

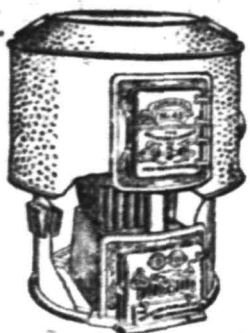
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## DIED.

**BOGART**—On Saturday, February 18, 1911, Eliza J. widow of Stephen Bogart, in her 83d year. Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Burroughs, 326 East Fifth street, on Tuesday, February 21, at eight P. M.

## Classified Advertisements

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## Help Wanted Male.

WANTED—Compositor at once. Apply Review office. 2 17 3

**FLORIST WANTED**—Outdoor work, must be thoroughly familiar with care of young fruit trees; permanent position. Address B. care Daily Press. 2 20 3

**SALESMAN** wanted, experienced in wash goods department. Woodhull & Martin Co. 2 15 tf

## Situations Wanted—Male.

WHITE young man wishes position as chauffeur or coachman; good references. 619 South Second street. 2 14 6

## Situations Wanted—Female.

GIRL wishes position as chambermaid and waitress and light housework. Call 35 Manning avenue. 2 20 3

TWO girls wish positions, one as cook and the other as waitress and chambermaid. 206 Duer street. 2 18 2

DRESSMAKER would like a few more customers; good style and good reference. 424 West Front street, side door, Mrs. Hubbard. 2 20 6

EXPERIENCED laundress wants washing to do at home. Address L. B. care Press. 2 20 2

WOMAN wants fine washing at home. 643 West Third street. 2 18 3

POSITION wanted by young girl, care of children and upstairs work or waiting. Address K., care of Press. 2 17 3

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THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers 136 Park Avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44.

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## Lost and Found.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, on West Fourth street, a black velvet bag. Finder may keep change in bag and also receive additional reward if it is returned to 352 East Front St. 2 20 3

LOST—Near Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield, half grown kitten, white, with yellow markings. Reward if returned to 46 Myrtle Ave. 2 20 2

LOST—On Friday, caracol neck-piece. Reward if returned to Press. 2 17 3

## Help Wanted Male and Female.

YOU ARE WANTED for Government position; \$80 month; write for list of positions open. Franklin Institute, Dep't. 212-D, Rochester, N. Y. 2 11 1mo

## Help Wanted—Female.

GIRL (white) for general housework; small house, small family. Call H. A. Adams, 1253 Denmark road. 2 16 6

WANTED—A young girl to assist with light housework and care of children, from 2 to 6; reference required. Apply Mrs. Jenkins, 143 DeLacy avenue. 2 11 tf

WANTED—Experienced lady, cashier, who has a practical knowledge of bookkeeping; one who has had experience in the grocery business preferred; must be a good penman and accountant. Apply by mail in own handwriting, stating experience, J. A. Smith & Bro. 2 20 2

WANTED—Young girl (white) about 15 years of age, bright and neat; wishing to learn to become good waitress and chambermaid with family of three; pleasant home; wages to start ten dollars a month. Address R. A. H., care Press. 2 18 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework; good wages. 1211 Denmark road. 2 17 3

MILLINERS WANTED—WE REQUIRE COMPETENT MILLINERS, IMPROVERS & MAKERS. BONN'S, 130 WEST FRONT ST. 2 17 3

WANTED—Competent chambermaid and waitress (colored). 717 Watchung avenue. 2 17 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 832 Webster place. 2 15 tf

## Real Estate for Sale.

FOR SALE—The Spencer property corner of Park avenue and Seventh street; will divide to suit purchaser. For full information apply to Armstrong Mulford's Real Estate Office, North Avenue, opposite depot. 2 3 tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain, corner of East Front street and Westerville avenue, size of lot 100 feet front by 120 feet in depth; ten room house in good order; must be sold. For full particulars apply to Mulford's Real Estate Agency, North Avenue, opposite depot. 2 20 tf

\$15,000, 4 acres, gentleman's residence. J. Manley, East Ninth street. 2 20 3

CHOICE LOT for sale—Berkley Ave., Netherwood; 95 ft. front by about 235 deep. R. L. Richardson, Westfield, N. J. Phone 66-J. 10 8 tf eod

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street, convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

## Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Munford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Chas. J. McNabb, 209 North Avenue. 2 18 tf

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MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Doane & Van Syckel. 2 1 tfwsm

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 u

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 4 9 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

\$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North Avenue. 9 19 tf

## Wanted to Rent.

HOUSE wanted, about \$75 month; West Seventh street preferred. Address M. W., care Press. 2 15 3wsm

WANTED—Two connecting rooms unfurnished; central. Address J. L., care Daily Press. 2 18 3

WANTED—To rent eight room house, central location; all improvements. Address R. A., care Press. 2 18 3

**For Rent**  
APARTMENT to let Jackson building. Inquire Fred Endress or Janitor. 12 17 tf  
THREE connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished; suitable for light housekeeping. Apply 602 Washington street. 12 13 tf  
OFFICES to let in the City National Bank Building. Apply at Bank. 12 13 tf

TO LET—3 rooms, central; \$10. LaRue, 152 North Avenue. 2 4 tf  
HOUSES TO LET—Madison Avenue, 9 rooms, \$35; 120 Watchung Avenue, 14 rooms, \$40; Martine Avenue, 12 rooms, \$65; Franklin Avenue, 12 rooms, \$65; South Avenue, 7 rooms, \$19; South Avenue, 8 rooms, \$25. Charles Hand. 2 16 6

TO LET—Six-room apartment, with improvements, from April 1st. Inquire Alex. Thorn, 15 Craig place. 2 11 tf

TO LET—Cement house, new and in perfect order, all improvements; six rooms and bath; 713 Midway Avenue, near corner of Berckman; twenty-two dollars. L. V. F. Randolph. 2 13 tf

FOR RENT—Six room house, all improvements. 724 West Third St. 2 17 6

FOR RENT—5-room apartment in borough. Address Apartment, care Press. 2 18 6

APARTMENT to let in "The Lincoln," all improvements. Apply 307 Park Avenue. 2 18 tf

TO LET—Furnished house, from May until October. Address Y. W., care Press. 2 20 6

THREE rooms to let, improvements; also barn. 1139 South Second street. 2 17 6

STORE TO LET—122 North Avenue. Inquire 311 East Third St. 2 17 3

FOR RENT—From March first, 8-room house, all latest improvements, hot water heat, \$32.50; also 10-room house, all improvements, large grounds, \$45; apartments to rent; also houses, \$22 and \$19; lots for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 2 20 2

FOR RENT—Apartments, five rooms; central; 10-room house on Madison Avenue, near Ninth street. William D. Thickstun, 197 North Avenue. 2 20 5

TO LET—Two apartments, 6 and 7 rooms; all modern improvements; Woodland Ave., 8 minutes from station. Call at new buildings, near Putnam Ave. 10 25 tf eod

TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements; also barn. Apply 729 Watchung Avenue. 2 17 3

TEN-ROOM house to rent, 418 East Second street; all improvements. Apply Wm. Newcorn, 119 West Front street. 2 15 tf

TO LET—202 Manson place, house, stable and small store; 248 East Fourth street, 5 rooms; 1217 West Third street, 227 Pond place. Apply J. Sachar, 731 West Third street. 1 30 tf

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APARTMENT to let; six rooms and bath; all improvements with steam heat. Inquire R. H. Keenan, 441 East Fifth street. 2 2 tf

TO LET—Ten-room house, all improvements; five minutes from North Avenue station; family of adults. Call 402 Park Avenue. 1 24 tf

FLAT TO LET—All improvements, gas, electric light and hot water. Apply 409 East Sixth street. 1 5 tf

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FOR SALE—Sorrel mare, good size, suitable for road or delivery wagon; also depot carriage, Stanhope, sleigh and harness. Can be seen at Blair's Livery, 114 West Sixth street. 2 3 tf

FOR SALE—Portable china kiln, suitable for home use; price ten dollars. Apply 822 Second place. 2 9 tf

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## FROCKS FOR CHILDREN

Ideas May Be Used For Late Winter and Early Spring.

A Wide Range of Material For the Home Dressmaker to Avail Himself of For Children From Six to Sixteen Years Old.

Here are a few Paris suggestions for dressing young girls from six to sixteen years of age.

These ideas are given for winter frocks, but if you belong to a provident class why not plan an early spring outfit?

There is, to begin with, a blue serge. A band of dark blue velvet is inserted on the skirt, and straps are used to hold the double bib effect over the shoulders. The yoke and sleeves are of lace or embroidery. Stitching gives a tailored finish at the bodice and hem of the skirt. This one piece frock is



simple and appropriate, and the idea can be worked up in heavy linen, in silk or in voile.

For a little girl another suggestion is a simple velvet frock made in one piece. There is a panel of striped corded silk in the front outlined on each side with silk covered buttons. The half sleeves are bell shaped and are lined with white silk. They are slashed up at the outer seams and trimmed with buttons. A straight line is attained by plaiting in the fullness of the skirt at each side seam and holding the folds by buttons. These velvet dresses for little tots are very elegant and rely on their simplicity for their attractive style. This dress will also look well in rajah or coarse linen.

Cotton voile will be one of the most generally worn materials for children during the coming spring. It makes up well in combination with coarse lace. Cluny or Irish is suggested. The extended yoke has a straight line across the top, from which hand run tucks are placed in clusters at the side. Three tucks appear lower down on the skirt also.

The sleeves are of the kimono type, edged with a band, and the lace again appears on the bottom of the skirt.

The young girl's frock in our illustration is of blue serge trimmed with black soutache and bands of black satin. The plain satin is used as a hem and as trimming in Russian lines, for the bodice. Braid and buttons give a military finish. The gimpes is of fine linen and is adjustable.

A child's coat for spring is suggested—exploiting a few new lines. It is of tapestry blue ribbon ottoman silk and is trimmed with cord and an Irish lace collar and cuffs. The sleeves are regular coat sleeves, and the double row of crocheted buttons serve as fastenings for the corded loops at the front. An inverted side plait is held in place by buttons and cords, while a lace strap over silk holds in the back.

This little coat can also be made in green ratine striped with white, with dark green collar and cuffs and round mother-of-pearl buttons. For a summer coat heavy linen with an embroidered collar and cuffs would be a smart adaptation of these lines.

And finally we come to the last idea, which is dark blue serge with a circular collar, broad revers and cuffs of light blue ratine. The sleeves are full, the lines loose, and the style is suited to a little girl from five to fourteen years old.

Two materials for one frock are certainly less expensive when the clever shopper can combine colors and fabrics with little or no hesitation. Fashion is kindly disposed toward the home dressmaker these days. It is her opportunity, and now is the best time to take advantage of it.

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For Newark—5.36, 6.27, (7.05 through train to Newark), 7.46, 8.36, 9.29, 10.11, 11.00 a. m., 12.00, 12.36, 1.25, 2.35, 3.11, 4.12, 4.40, 5.45, 6.29, (7.10 through train to Newark), 7.23, 8.27, 9.29, 10.36 p. m. Sunday—1.23, 8.52, 9.34, 10.37 a. m., 12.40, 2.01, 2.41, 3.24, 4.29, 5.41, 6.48, 8.12, 9.42, 10.36 p. m.

For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.18, 8.37, 9.43, 11.19 a. m., 2.00, 5.21, 5.44, (6.38 p. m., Easton only), Sunday—5.45, 10.26 a. m., 1.58, 5.44, 7.05 p. m.

For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—5.18, 8.37 a. m., 5.44 p. m. Sunday—5.45, 10.29 a. m., 5.44 p. m.

For Long Branch and Asbury Park, etc.—3.41, 8.12, 11.0 a. m. (12.36 Saturdays only), 3.11, 4.40, 5.45, 8.27, 11.23 p. m. Sunday—2.41, 8.52 a. m., 3.24, 8.12 p. m.

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For Philadelphia—7.02, 7.39, 8.45, 9.02, 10.42, 11.48 a. m., 12.42, 2.17, 2.45, 6.13, 6.44, 7.42, 8.50, 9.46, 10.48 p. m., 1.20 night.

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Proposal to Abandon a Waterway That Has Been Useless for Half a Century—Canal Boat Can Haul Only Seventy Tons of Coal Across New Jersey in Five Days, While Steam Locomotive Hauls Two Thousand Tons in Five Hours—Lessee Offers to Abandon Operation of Property and Convey to State All Rights It May Have to Divert Water From Lakes and Streams, Free of Cost.

## Statement by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company

The recent communication of Mr. Thomas N. McCarter, President of the Public Service Corporation, to the Mayor of Newark, suggesting the use of the bed of the Morris Canal through Newark for a subway for street railway purposes, was a surprise to the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, Lessee of the Canal.

The publication of Mr. McCarter's communication has led to much extravagant comment, similar to that which appeared six years ago when the report of the Commission, consisting of Ex-Governors Werts, Griggs and Voorhees, which favored and suggested legislation authorizing the abandonment of navigation on the Canal, was published.

It is alleged "That the Canal Company controls three-fourths of the portable waters of North Jersey and desires to keep them after abandonment of navigation; that the property at stake is worth more than \$50,000,000; that the water rights at Hopatcong alone are worth more than \$5,000,000; the old Jersey City Tide-water Basin \$20,000,000; etc."

The fact is the entire property and rights of the Canal from the Delaware to the Hudson are valued by the State Board of Assessors at \$3,379,823, which the Company thinks excessive, especially in view of the fact that upon its entire issue of securities, which are only \$2,747,237.50, not one single dollar of interest or dividends is earned.

In its operation during the last twenty years the gross losses have been \$4,934,099.29, and in the last thirty-four years of its operation not one single dollar has been earned upon the outstanding securities, the contract obligations of which have been kept inviolate at the expense of the Lessee.

The expenditure of this sum of money is clearly an economic waste; a waste which the State of New Jersey ought not to permit to continue, as in its final result it injures all and benefits none. Surely it would have been of greater benefit to the citizens of New Jersey to have received some value than to have insisted upon the continuance of so useless a waste.

The water rights, which amounts to a right to divert a few million gallons a day for eight (8) months a year from the Pompton River, a small amount from the Rockaway, and enough from Lake Hopatcong to keep up the summit level and feed both ways therefrom, and some from the Musconetcong will all vanish on abandonment of the Canal, and the waters will flow down their ancient channels as they did before the opening of the Canal in 1831. The basin in Jersey City (the only one in which the Canal Company has any interest) and the other lands in Jersey City are valued by the State Assessors at \$400,000. Of the 106 miles of the right of way of the Canal four-fifths will immediately revert to the former owners on abandonment of navigation. All the Canal Company will have left of its original investment of more than \$5,000,000 will be the Jersey City basin, disjointed parts of the right of way which it owns absolutely, dams and lands at Lake Hopatcong and Greenwood Lake, Cranberry Lake and one or two other points, some miles and canals and a few parcels of land not used for Canal purposes. With these it must pay a bonded debt of \$500,000, satisfy stockholders holding \$2,247,237.50 of stock and scrip, and the claims of the State to which the Canal, by the terms of the charter, is to go absolutely in 1974.

The old cry is raised that the Railroad Company has ruined the Canal by diverting business from it. The fact is the Railroad Company for nearly thirty years after taking the lease of 1871 deliberately diverted to the Canal from 250,000 to 300,000 tons of coal per year to give it something to do.

The subject is important, and the facts, owing to the lapse of years are not as clearly before the minds of the people as they should be, although they were made perfectly plain by the Governors' Report in 1905, which shows the desirability of presenting these facts anew in order that many of the misstatements to which reference is made above may be corrected and the subject made clear to the people of the State.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company believes the public is entitled to the facts, and an opportunity to verify them, and has authorized this statement, desiring to withhold absolutely nothing, and willing to add any information that may be needed for a correct understanding.

It respectfully asks a hearing for the truth from the State authorities, the newspapers and all others legitimately interested. To be reasonably brief, it is necessary to condense, but sources of further information will be indicated. The Legislative Concurrent Resolution of 1903, the report of the Commission of Governors thereunder in 1905 and Statement of Facts laid before them by the Canal Company, the numerous briefs by counsel of special interests along the Canal (such as Jersey City, Newark, Hopatcong, Greenwood Lake, etc.), and the Bill reported by the Commissioners will give any inquirer all the essential facts.

and it is with the hope of giving briefly the facts, so that all may be informed, that this statement is submitted.

### EARLY HISTORY OF THE CANAL

The Morris Canal and Banking Company was chartered in 1824. In 1824, P. L. 135, to construct a public waterway from the Delaware River (near Easton) to the tidewaters of the Passaic at Newark. The Act related that the construction of such a Canal would "be of great public benefit and advantage to the people of New Jersey" and "for the encouragement of so great an undertaking as the erection of said Canal and in some measure to induce capitalists and others to subscribe to the same," banking powers were given to the Company for 31 years. The waterway of the Canal was perpetually exempted from taxation and broad powers were given to the Company, which was to provide and keep open a waterway, which any person might use for his boats on paying certain tolls, the amount of which the Legislature kept within its own control. It was provided that the State might take the Canal at an appraised value in 1824; and if that should not be done, the charter should continue "for the further term of fifty years, when it shall cease and the said Canal with its appurtenances become the sole property of this State."

It was a difficult work. Boats had to be lifted 900 feet, to the ridge on which Hopatcong is located, and again let down to the sea level. Many inclined planes and locks were used for this purpose. Shortly before the granting of the charter Anthracite coal had been discovered on the Lehigh River in Pennsylvania and its value was beginning to be understood. There was no steam railroad on the globe. The Erie Canal was only half built. Other canals were being designed or built in Pennsylvania, Virginia, Massachusetts and Ohio as the best known method of overland freight transportation.

In 1828 the charter was amended allowing the Company to extend the Canal through to Jersey City. The Canal was actually opened for business from the Delaware to the Passaic in 1831, and the extension to Jersey City was opened in 1836. The scheme contemplated that the Canal Company by 31 years' use of special banking powers and by about 135 years' use of canal powers would be able to recoup its capital with profits and to turn the Canal over to the State. The plan was similar to the plan later adopted by the City of New York in giving a corporation power to build and operate the subway. The Company had a very small income at first; failed in 1841; was reorganized in 1844, and the Canal enlarged and deepened to five feet in 1856. Its total cost was over five million dollars. As enlarged it was leased by the engineers to have a carrying capacity of one million tons per year each way. Its business increased gradually until 1866, in which year it carried 889,220 tons—the greatest amount it ever carried—its gross earnings in that year being \$616,350. Thereafter its tonnage rapidly fell off and its earnings still more rapidly. Freight rates having decreased, so that in 1870 its tonnage was 707,572 and its earnings only \$391,549. In 1877 its gross revenues failed to pay operating expenses, and the business has ever since dwindled in tonnage and still more in revenue until the total amount is only nominal. It has never paid cost of operation since 1876.

The reasons for this decline are thus stated in the report of Governors Werts, Griggs and Voorhees made in 1905:

"The competition by rail appears to have about entirely eliminated the revenue received from the transportation of ores, which was formerly a large and profitable portion of the business of the Canal, and has also practically eliminated the carriage of miscellaneous freight and has left nothing for the Canal to do, except to carry such coal as may be trans-shipped into its boats at Phillipsburg. . . . Practically of late years the Canal has done no business of any consequence except the transportation of such coal as the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company has reshipped from its cars to the boats at Phillipsburg." (Report, pp. 35, 36.)

### The Commission adds:

"Ownership of the canal as a canal would be of no value to the State."

The Canal Company's power and duty, as contained in its charter, were to provide a waterway precisely as a toll road is provided, that others might move their vehicles thereon; but not to provide or operate boats, and for a time the Canal Company owned a boats whatever. But no freight boats of any other persons or corporations have offered to go through the Canal for about sixteen years, so that not a ton of freight would move on the Canal to-day but

for the fact that the Canal Company built boats and bought mules and began itself to conduct transportation on the Canal.

### RUIN OF CANAL BY RAILROAD COMPETITION.

The Canal was never financially successful, except for a few years from about 1850 to about 1866. It paid dividends during that period but some of those were not cash but scrip dividends, the scrip becoming a debt of the Canal Company which had to be paid by the Lessee long afterwards. The reason is quite plain. While the charter was being passed, George Stephenson was perfecting the invention of a locomotive, and the Stockton & Darlington railroad in England was opened, with steam transportation nine months after the Canal was chartered. Railroad development thereupon became so rapid that in 1830, a year before the Canal was opened for use, the State of New Jersey had chartered the Camden & Amboy Railroad Company, and thereupon proceeded quickly to charter several others. The Morris & Essex Railroad, paralleling the Canal from Easton to Jersey City, was chartered in 1825, one year before the Canal was opened to Jersey City. Within ten years after the chartering of the Canal the bright expectations with which the charter had been taken began to be disappointed by this new and better method of transportation. The Directors' annual reports show the constantly growing stress of this competition. After steel rails were invented and put in use in the sixties, and the Lackawanna Railroad completed through to tidewater, and the Central Railroad of New Jersey built, freights fell to a point which made navigation on the Canal perfectly hopeless.

When it is remembered that the largest boat on the Canal carries but seventy tons and consists of two sections, which must be separated at twenty-two different inclined planes and pass through more than thirty locks to get over the mountains from the Delaware to the Hudson, and that the journey occupies five days, while a single locomotive will take two thousand tons of coal over the same trip in five hours—the result of such competition is perfectly obvious. Moreover, the Canal Company has to receive and trans-ship the coal at the Delaware River from cars, and the coal has to be again lifted out of the Canal boats and put into cars and wagons when it reaches tide-water, adding another costly burden. The three railroads directly competing with the Canal—the Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Lackawanna Railroad and the Lehigh Valley Railroad of New Jersey—have each a carrying capacity of not less than ten million tons annually. So low have freights fallen that the tolls on the Canal will scarcely pay the wages of boatmen necessary to conduct the boats through the Canal. The Governors' Commission in their report of 1905 (p. 36) stated that the method of canal transportation, "while ingenious and unique and in its time useful, is at present obsolete and unprofitable. Apparently the Canal cannot be operated either by the Company itself or by its Lessee or by the State without a large annual loss."

### DESCRIPTION OF THE CANAL

The Canal from Phillipsburg to Jersey City has a length of 106.5 miles and two miles and, including the navigable feeder from Mountain View to Pompton, an aggregate length of 106.69 miles. It passes from Phillipsburg through Stanhope, Hopatcong, Dover, Boonton, Paterson, Bloomfield and Newark to Jersey City. The waters feeding it on the west or Delaware side of the divide end of the Musconetcong River and its tributaries and its source, Lake Hopatcong, Lake Hopatcong, being at the summit, also feeds some waters eastward therefrom to the Canal. The easterly or Hudson River side of the Canal is fed also from the Rockaway River at Boonton and the Pompton River at Mountain View. The chief reservoir for the western part of the Canal is Lake Hopatcong, and that for the eastern part is the Lake at Greenwood Lake. Both of these lakes are expressly mentioned in the charter and supplements thereto, and the Company is given express authority to impound and use their waters. The State of New York by Act 1855 also gave the Canal Company express authority to use the waters of Greenwood Lake so far as they lay in the State of New York, on the making of compensation to the owners of the land flooded.

Under these powers the Canal Company acquired a considerable amount of land at the outlet of Lake Hopatcong, constructed a dam eleven feet high, thereby flooding forty-five acres of its own land and 415 acres of the lands of Riparian owners, acquiring this latter right through condemnation. At the outlet of Greenwood Lake, the Company acquired 663 acres of land, built a dam 16 feet high, which flooded its own land and the lands of others to the extent of about 800 acres, greatly enlarging Greenwood Lake. From Lake Hopatcong

water is drawn to the extent necessary to keep up the Canal, the draught usually being from four to seven feet in the summer, and the water passing down through a feeder a mile long to the summit level of the Canal. From Greenwood Lake water is drawn in like manner to about the same extent, and passes down the Wanauque River and Pompton feeder to Mountain View, where it enters the Canal. Formerly, boats coming into the Canal at Phillipsburg came across the Delaware River and could pass up the Lehigh River by the Canal and slack water navigation therein provided by the State of Pennsylvania, but floods destroyed the dams and the Canal along the Lehigh River, and that connection has been entirely cut off for some years.

### STATE GRANTS TO THE CANAL COMPANY.

By the Act of 1828 the Legislature authorized the Company to continue the Canal "to the waters of the Hudson River at or near the City of Jersey." The City of Jersey was then what was called the Town of Jersey, and chiefly owned by the Associates of the Jersey Company which the Legislature had incorporated in 1804 and who had laid out old Powles Hook into lots and streets and had taken in a considerable portion of the Communipaw Bay in their map, so that the State had granted (P. L. 1804, p. 267) the privilege of erecting or building docks, wharves, and piers in Hudson's River and the bays thereof so far as necessary for the improvement of their property or the benefit of commerce and to appropriate the same to their own use. From them the Canal Company bought by Warranty Deeds tracts of land in Communipaw Bay reaching out to the Hudson River front, whereon they constructed the Canal basin now commonly called the "Big Basin," which remains practically as it was constructed seventy-five years ago. It is a plot of about four hundred feet wide on the Hudson River front and about thirteen hundred feet long. It is the terminus of the Canal.

In 1867 (P. L. 251) the State granted to the Canal Company what is known as the "Big Basin," immediately to the south of the Old Basin, being a tract of 960 feet wide on the Hudson River with a depth of 1,765 feet extending back to Washington Street. The width was reduced by the terms of the grant to 810 feet, the requirements being that a passageway through the grant from east to west should always be kept open at least 150 feet wide. This grant provided for a rental of \$25,000 a year to be paid to the State, which at any time might be commuted on a seven per cent. basis on making one payment of \$357,142. This was an enormous rental, by far the highest price ever inserted in any grant made by the State up to that time. The Canal Company practically made no use of this land, but paid the rent thereon until 1871, after which the Lessee, the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, paid the rent. This rent was to continue during the continuance of the charter of the Morris Canal Company, after which the lands granted, with the improvements thereon, should revert to the State on the same terms provided in the original charter.

In 1869 the General Riparian Act was passed, creating a Board of Commissioners with power to lease and sell the State's interest in riparian lands. In 1888 the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company applied to that Board for a grant of the State's reserved right in the Big Basin, and on July 12th, 1889, the Commissioners made a grant in fee simple to that Company for the reserved right in the Big Basin. That Company paid said sum of \$357,142, and the further sum of \$48,000, being \$50 per front foot fixed under the statute by the Commissioners for the reversionary interest of the State, the total payment being \$405,142. The Company also paid to the Canal Company \$500,000 which was immediately applied in part payment of its debts, and the Canal Company deeded its interest in the Basin to the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. The said sum of \$48,000 was the "present value" in 1889, if computed at 4 per cent. compound annually, of \$1,294,320 if paid in 1974, the year when the State was to take the Canal; or if compounded at the rate of 5 per cent., it was the present value of \$2,891,627; or, is compounded at the rate of 6 per cent., was the present value of \$6,411,120.

On this terminal tract and the mud flat to the west of it known as the New Jersey West Line Grant, for which the Railroad Company paid the State \$250,000, the Company proceeded to build the terminal of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, which has been used and operated, and taxed by the State as such, for the past twenty-two years. During the hearing before the Governors in 1903, after this property had been occupied as a terminal railroad yard for nearly fifteen years, the representatives of Jersey City raised the question that the Riparian Commissioners had no power to make the grant of July 12, 1889. The Board of Governors reported that that was a legal question for the courts and not for them.

In April, 1907, the Legislature passed a bill (P. L. p. 96) authorizing the Attorney General to attack the grant in Chancery, which he did in October, 1907. The case was tried at length and argued before Vice-Chancellor Stevens, June, 1910, and is awaiting his decision. The State does not in this attack attempt to disturb the present possession of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, but to have it now declared that, on repayment by the State of a fair sum to that Company for its expenditures (or on other equitable terms), the land shall revert to the State in 1974. The Morris Canal and Banking Company appears to have no further interest in any case and is not made a party to the suit, but the State claims that it should ultimately have back this land on terms. The State will be protected by the pending suit, whatever its rights may be; and it seems unnecessary to discuss this Basin of 1867 further in this connection. It has been thus far discussed to correct the misapprehension about it which appears to be very common. The subject has, however, been brought forward by both sides in the efforts made to reach a basis of abandonment of navigation. The State of officers, as well as the Railroad Company, recognize the desirability of settling all questions that are in dispute.

### THE LEASE OF 1871 TO THE LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.

In 1855 the Legislature had passed an Act allowing the Canal Company to lay rails at Phillipsburg and connect its Canal with the Lehigh Valley Railroad, which was done. In 1871 the Legislature passed an Act authorizing the Canal Company to lease the Canal to any person "perpetually or for a shorter time," and it was accordingly leased perpetually on May 4th, 1871, to the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, a Pennsylvania corporation. The Court of Errors and Appeals afterwards approved this lease and held that the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company was a proper corporation to take the lease. Stewart vs. Lehigh Valley R. R. Co., 9 Vt. 505. The Lessee took over the property in 1871, agreeing to pay a rental amounting to Ten per cent. per Annum on \$1,175,000 of Preferred stock, and Four per cent. per Annum on \$1,025,000 of Common stock.

It should be remembered that at the time the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company made this lease its line terminated at Easton, Pa.; it owned no railroad in the State of New Jersey and did not begin the construction of any until some time in 1872, more than a year after it acquired the lease of the Morris Canal. Its object in making the lease was to afford it protection from and parity with the Central Railroad of New Jersey, which then controlled the route across the State of New Jersey from the Delaware River at Phillipsburg to tidewater. That company itself largely interested in the transportation of anthracite coal, made it especially difficult for the Lehigh Valley, a Pennsylvania corporation with its railroad terminating in the middle of the Delaware River between Easton and Phillipsburg, to secure fair treatment in the transaction of its business. It was believed that this lease would act as a regulator and enable the Lehigh Valley to secure equitable treatment from its competitors upon its own business. It soon became apparent, however, that the canal was inadequate, either for the volume of business or for the purpose of controlling competition, especially as at this time came the discovery of steel rails resulting in lower rates of transportation and the concurrent rapid development of railroads. The result was that to protect itself the Lehigh Valley was compelled to construct the route for the Lehigh River from Phillipsburg to Perth Amboy in the State of New Jersey. The construction of that line was begun in 1872 and formally opened for business in 1875. Subsequent to that the road was extended from South Plainfield to tidewater on the Hudson River at Jersey City.

Instead of the object of leasing the canal having been to do away with competition, the reverse was the condition. It was leased for the purpose of creating competition and protection to the lessee. The changed conditions surrounding the business of the country proved this to be an error, and in order to protect its tonnage from competing railroads the Lehigh Valley was compelled to construct its own road to tidewater.

### WATER RIGHTS OF THE CANAL COMPANY.

By the charter the Company had power to take from the Musconetcong River and Lake Hopatcong and from the Pompton River and from Greenwood Lake and other places the amount necessary for navigation. By the Act authorizing the lease passed in 1871 (P. L. p. 44), it is made lawful for the Lessee

"to use the surplus waters of the canal of said Company, or any of its feeders, not needed for purposes of navigation, in furnishing and supplying the inhabitants of any city,

town or village along the line of said canal or in the vicinity thereof, with a sufficient quantity of pure and wholesome water for manufacturing or domestic or other uses; and to make contracts with the corporate authorities of any such city, town or village, or with individuals, for such supply of water. . . . Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be held to authorize the diversion of the said canal from the purposes of navigation."

Just what was meant by "surplus waters" may be a matter of debate. The subject of water rights in New Jersey was not as well understood in 1871 as it now is; but it was thought that in some way the Canal Company might be authorized to use and sell the superabundance of water which was noticeable in the streams where it was taking water. Probably the scheme could not have been carried out without making compensation to the riparian owners below for this diversion for a new purpose, but this was never brought up as a test, for the scheme was never carried out. Paterson and Passaic were taking their water from the Passaic River below the Canal Company's intake, as were also Jersey City, Newark and other towns; and the question did not come up for settlement at all until 1888, when Newark, by reason of the pollution of its supply of Passaic water taken at Belleville, determined to go further up stream. It was then thought that the Morris Canal was an important factor in the problem because of this provision of the Act of 1871. In 1888 Newark caused to be passed the General Water Act (P. L. 1888, p. 366), enabling municipalities to contract for a water supply. The Legislature simultaneously passed (P. L. p. 300) an Act authorizing canal companies to abandon navigation on the canals. This was undoubtedly intended to enable the Morris Canal Company to abandon navigation, the uselessness of the Canal having been already demonstrated; and this Act was passed for the further reason that the Canal Company with its water rights and its right-of-way could assist in solving the problem of getting the water for Newark and other towns. So important were the people having to do with water matters of that day with the necessity of obtaining the Morris Canal rights that the Newark contract, which was made September 24, 1889, was made with the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, Lessee of the Canal, and the East Jersey Water Company, a corporation formed for the purpose of carrying out the contract. The first article in the contract was an assignment by the railroad company to the East Jersey Water Company of so much of the waters as might be necessary to enable it to supply Newark. The East Jersey Water Company proceeded to construct works, but it was soon found that the Canal Company had little or nothing which was really available for the work. An independent right of way was acquired and waters were taken from the Pequannock River in a way which really not at all materially interfered with the canal operation.

The Canal Company's right to divert waters from the streams was doubtless nothing more than a right to divert for canal navigation purposes. The upon the abandonment of the Canal they will flow back down their ancient channels, the Musconetcong, the Rockaway, the Pompton and the Passaic Rivers, and will flow down the same as they flowed in 1831, before the Canal commenced to use them. The mere abandonment of the canal would eliminate all water right question so far as diversion is concerned.

At Lake Hopatcong and Greenwood Lake a somewhat singular situation arises. The Canal Company owns the dam and a large tract of land at the outlet of Lake Hopatcong in fee simple, and owns a good many acres of the land under the waters of the Lake. It has flowage rights, certainly for canal purposes if not for other purposes, around the shore of the Lake. The owners have built cottages and do not want the dam taken down when the Canal is abandoned, but want it forever kept up so that the water will stand higher. The Canal Company has been accustomed to draw down the Lake about four to six feet each summer, according to the dryness of the season, and the owners prefer to have it so rather than have the dam torn down and the Lake permanently drawn down to its old level.

At Greenwood Lake a similar situation exists. The Canal Company owns the dam, about six hundred acres of the flowed land, and the right to flow as against many, if not all, of the shore owners. The draught on this Lake rarely exceeds six feet in any season. The owners around the Lake likewise want this dam kept up.

In both cases the absolute title of the Canal Company to its dams is unquestionable and its right to take down the dams is undoubted. Probably its right to keep them up will be found to be equally clear. The dams ought not to be taken down, but maintained as desired by the

shore owners of the lakes, and for the other value they have, which it would be folly to waste and throw away. Hopatcong is less valuable than Greenwood Lake. The reasonable maintenance of the water of Hopatcong for the protection of the cottage owners is desirable, and the stored water has some (but not very great) value for the use of mill and power plants which may be built along the Musconetcong River. The amount of storage which might be drawn for power would of course be limited if the level of the water in the lake is to be reasonably maintained for the advantage of the cottage owners. The value of the Canal Company's property rights and dam thus limited would possibly be worth two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

At Greenwood Lake the storage has value for equalizing the flow to the existing mills and to the power plants which might be built on the Wanauque or Passaic Rivers. At present the only one is the plant at Little Falls supplying Paterson, Passaic, Bayonne, Harrison, Montclair, etc. a total of some twenty-two million gallons of water per day. Doubtless other plants will be ultimately established by the State or by municipalities. It is difficult to say what the Lake will be worth for these purposes, but with a reasonably limited draught such as would protect the cottage owners around the Lake, the value would perhaps be five hundred thousand dollars.

The Company's right to divert water will ipso facto cease upon the abandonment of the Canal and its only water rights remaining of any value will be its rights at the two Lakes. Indeed, it has no other water rights except as it owns the land covered by Cranberry Lake and such ponds, which may be sold for mill ponds and like purposes, but have no other value. To solve the problem of Greenwood Lake and Lake Hopatcong, the managers of the Canal propose that upon abandonment the property owned at these two lakes shall be conveyed directly to the State of New Jersey, including the lands, dams and all water rights of every nature. The State will then be in the position to dispose of them or utilize them in any way the Legislature may see fit. They are valuable and can be made much more valuable.

### SALE OF WATER RIGHTS BY CANAL COMPANY.

On November 30, 1894, the Morris Canal and Banking Company, as Lessor of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, contracted to sell to the New Jersey General Security Company, upon the abandonment of the canal, all the surplus waters which it might then have for the sum of \$400,000, which has been paid. In view of the present development of affairs, the Railroad Company has made a contract with the Security Company, whereby the latter is to relinquish any rights which it obtained by virtue of that contract and the Railroad Company is to pay back the consideration therefor to the Security Company, so that the Canal Company and its Lessee will be at liberty to convey to the State its remaining water rights, if any, without hindrance upon the abandonment of the Canal.

The amount of water which the Canal Company has heretofore used has been variously estimated and frequently greatly exaggerated. The most important point of intake is at Mountain View where it is supplied by the Pompton feeder. The amount taken there is probably from eleven to twelve million gallons per day during the summer months.

### LANDS OF THE CANAL COMPANY.

The Canal Company owns the land constituting the 106.59 miles of right of way; 85.66 miles were acquired by condemnation or by deeds containing reversionary clauses, which, upon abandonment of navigation, will forthwith revert to the former owners. 7.82 miles were acquired by gift, occupation or adverse user, and 13.21 by absolute deed. Of this last item, 1.54 miles are in Jersey City and 1.53 are in Newark. In Jersey City the Canal Company has the Old Basin and several other parcels of land, all of which are assessed by the State Board of Assessors at \$400,000. It has other small parcels along the line, the principal ones being at Stanhope reservoir, Cranberry Lake, Bear Swamp and Phillipsburg. These, with small parcels here and there, comprise all the real estate of the Canal Company.

### PERSONAL PROPERTY OF THE CANAL COMPANY.

There is no personal property except a small number of boats, with mules, tools, harness, etc. The whole has an indefinite but small value.

### WINDING UP THE CANAL COMPANY.

Upon the abandonment of navigation the Canal Company will have the disjointed pieces of right of way which they own absolutely and therefore will

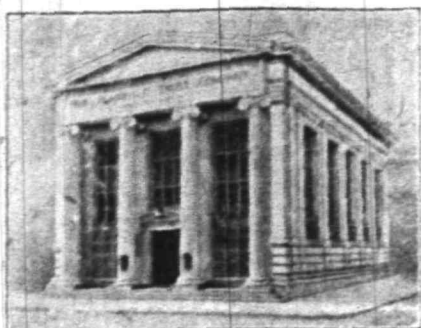
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## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS.

"The Soul Kiss," which comes to the Plainfield theatre on Thursday, is said to be in the hands of a very capable organization, which has scored heavily with both the public and press. Its presentation in our city is awaited with much interest. This delightful musical comedy by Harry B. Smith and Maurice Levi, which has to its credit a run of 300 consecutive performances in New York, six months in Chicago, and four months in Boston, tells better than words how "The Soul Kiss" pleased Metropolitan playgoers. The story is vivacious, overflowing with rich humor and hitherto untouched ideas.

Till we have reflected on it, we are scarcely aware how much the sum of human happiness is indebted to the stage. We acquire cheerfulness and vigor from mere association with our fellow men in the theatre, and from the looks of happy expectancy radiating from our neighbor's countenance, inspired by anticipation of Plainfield's prospective enjoyment of good, clean, wholesome drama, well acted and properly presented. The great success of "Human Hearts" is made possible by its interesting story of humanity and human feelings and the skillful manner in which it is told. It touches our heart strings, rouses our latent better instincts and makes us feel kinder towards our fellow men for having witnessed it. "Human Hearts" will be presented this season with an especially strong company of players, and the same fidelity to scenic and mechanical detail that made its former visit notable. The engagement is for Saturday, matinee and night.

Rev. G. B. Robinson, of New York, preached two strong sermons at Hope chapel yesterday morning and evening.

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THE MORRIS CANAL  
AN ECONOMIC WASTE

and the State of New York is now expending one hundred million dollars to increase its depth to twelve feet, in the desperate effort to attempt freights to use it—an experiment still exceedingly doubtful. The Morris Canal, a trivial affair in size, one hundred miles in length, climbing over great hills and reaching nowhere, is an utterly hopeless proposition. No amount of expenditure can be conceived of to make it anything but a dead loss. Its only value is its salvage value, which may be obtained by judicious sale of its fragments for other uses. Its owners ask nothing from the State of New Jersey but the power to abandon what everybody in the State wants abandoned—this useless, outgrown ditch.

The State has not in the past approached this question from the viewpoint of meeting its contract obligations, but has, notwithstanding the exemption from taxation provided by the charter, assessed taxes against the property since 1884, amounting to \$865,102.48, the right of which the Lessee has been compelled to litigate, and the question is now before the Supreme Court of the United States. And notwithstanding the fact that the Railroad Company fully complied with all legal requirements and received from the State a deed, under the Great Seal of the State, of the Big Basin, it has been compelled to defend its rights in the Court and the matter is still in abeyance. This, however, does not enter into the question of the abandonment of navigation on the Morris Canal, but is simply quoted as an example of the injustice that in many instances has attended the present attack upon corporations. The public mind has been confused by misleading statements and sensational publications.

The Railroad Company has held back nothing with respect to the property, and it has nothing to conceal with respect to it. It is to be regretted that agitation of the subject by certain parties in newspapers, without a full understanding of the facts, has heretofore served to mislead the public in regard to what is merely a simple business proposition, and has rendered it practically impossible to obtain a fair hearing, although everything above stated was developed by a serious report over the signatures of three ex-Governors of the State six years ago; but the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company still believes that a hearing may be had and that the Legislature, when they fully understand the matter, will rise above the senseless clamor that has been raised and permit the passage of a bill in the interests of the State, of its water supply and of the stockholders of the Canal Company, to whom the State owes at least good faith. The investors in the canal project contributed first and last fully six million dollars to the enterprise. They received return for a few years only. On the first failure, their holdings were cut down to half of the former amount. The losses of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company under its lease are still more grievous. These losses grow primarily out of the profound change in methods of transportation involved in the invention of steam railroads, a change which none could have foreseen. The investors must bear their loss, but there is no propriety in their losses being exaggerated and increased by the continued listening to the silly cries of persons uninformed as to the facts and having no good purpose to serve in the interests of the public or any legitimate interest. The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company asks that the Legislature pass a bill substantially as recommended by the Commission of Governors, permitting the abandonment of navigation on the Canal and the sale of the remaining fragments of property for the payment of the debts of the Canal Company and the stockholders, as far as the money will extend, and if other conditions are made satisfactory, offers to convey all land and water rights at Lake Hopatcong and Greenwood Lake to the State of New Jersey; and if desired, expressly by deed and covenant to relinquish to the State all its rights to divert waters from any streams or sources whatever in this State.

## EXEMPTION FROM TAXATION.

By the charter the State waived all taxation on the waterway and necessary appurtenances of the Canal, and stood by its contract until 1886, when it began to assess this property under the new Railroad and Canal Tax Act. The Canal Company protested from year to year, but the Board never gave any relief, and for many years the Canal Company paid one-half of one per cent. upon about three million two hundred thousand dollars, the value of the Canal. During the last three years the Board has continued to assess the property at about three million two hundred thousand dollars. The tax rate is now the average rate of taxation of the State, or about \$1.80, making a total tax of about fifty thousand dollars. The Canal Company has appealed from this tax, but it has been sustained by the State Courts and the question is now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States. The State does not deny the contract, but claims that because the tax is to be paid by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company instead of by the Morris Canal Company, the privilege of exemption is gone, and yet the State claims full benefits on its side, to wit the reverter of the property in 1974. It even claims the right to reverter to the Big Basin. There certainly is no fairness in this. That the Lessee should be compelled to keep up the obsolete canal, which is not only useless but to many people offensive and objectionable, and to pay taxes upon it contrary to its contract, besides spending a vast sum each year in maintaining this worthless property, is truly a great hardship and one which the managers believe the people of the State, when they understand the facts, will not justify. The economic waste of such a course is positively wrong. The Lessee in the forty years since 1871 has paid out \$10,578,670.21 in excess of all that it has received from the earnings of the Canal, and it has done its best to make the Canal pay. It cannot be made to pay unless railroads are abandoned. While it reaches the waters of the sea at the east, it reaches no navigable waters at the west. It covers but a short haul, and its capacity is so small as to be positively ridiculous at the present day. The managers understand perfectly well that certain great ship canals connecting important waters may be made profitable, although even the Erie Canal, three hundred miles long, and connecting the Lakes with the Hudson River, became so unprofitable that the State abandoned all tolls upon it, and it has been maintained at enormous annual loss for the last twenty-five years. The freight upon it have dwindled from more than thirteen million tons to about four million tons per annum.

## The Decorative Art

Mr. Alberto Buccini, of New York, announces that he wishes to see or inspect of those who artistically decorated home to give them the benefit of his ideas and to personally execute any interior decoration that they may desire. Artists are born not made and Mr. Buccini, whose work has received the encomium of the press and his patrons will gladly submit references and credentials from art connoisseurs and patrons by permission be called attention to his most recent decorative work in this city, that done at the card and some new residence of Mr. Robert Meeker, in Belvidere avenue.

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The Plainfield Y. M. C. A. basketball team was defeated by the Orange association five at Orange on Saturday night by a score of 59 to 29. The locals were short two men and Reilly and Wilhelm, of the Orange High School team, were substituted, playing a good game. Austin, at centre, played a sensational game for Orange, caging the ball nine times. Despite the handicaps, Plainfield put up a good game. The lineup:

Orange—Forwards: Leimer, McElnea; centre, Austin; guards, Shorter, Patten. Plainfield—Forwards: Davette, Neumiller; centre, Reilly; guards, Wilhelm, Naylor.

In a preliminary contest the Royal F. C. defeated the Triangles, 16 to 10.

ATHLETIC CONTESTS  
OF THE Y.M.C.A. BOYS

The athletic "intercollegiate" contest for the boys' department attracted a large number of entries at the Y. M. C. A., on Saturday. The contests were exciting and resulted as follows:

Putting eight-pound shot—Goldsmith, 29; Leighs, 27; 10; Blair, 26.7; running hop, step and jump—Leighs, 31.10; Blair, 29; Pearsall, 29.10. First five boys, points to date: J. McNamee, 639; G. Leighs, 623; F. Dickerson, 535; C. Blair, 501; R. Manley, 457; Hetfield, 418; Huelson, 383.

Team standing to date—athletics: Penn., 1697; Columbia, 1651; Cornell, 1432; Yale, 1376; Harvard, 1369; Fairview, 1164; Princeton, 974. Basketball team standing to date: Princeton, 777; Penn., 713; Harvard, 625; Fairview, 625; Cornell, 500; Yale, 425; Columbia, 400. The next athletic events will be the dive for form and the 46-yard swim.

S. S. Swackhamer Will Speak.  
Under the auspices of the Baraca and Philathea classes of the Temple Baptist church an evening of music and sociability will be enjoyed by the members and friends, tomorrow night. There will be a short business meeting at 8 o'clock, which will be followed with an address by S. S. Swackhamer on the subject, "1911." The Baraca orchestra will render musical selections.

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