

## BP. TALBOT'S TALK

Noted Prelate Makes the First Lenten Address at Grace Church.

### MUST CONTROL MIND, HE SAYS

"Man's Happiness Demands the Right Attitude of Mind" He Says to Large Congregation.

A large congregation gathered in Grace Episcopal church last night to hear the first of a series of Lenten sermons which was preached by the Right Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, Bishop of Bethlehem. The prelate devoted himself to a discourse on the value of the mind in relation to all substantial facts of life, particularly referring to the application of these facts in the present Lenten season.

Bishop Talbot said that the mind is a great invisible world, the inner life upon which every man depends. Facts in everyday life are always showing the necessity of the control of the mind. "There are certain human factors," he said, "which control the realm of action, law, environment and the power of the press. The tongue, too must also be restrained. But the realm of man's mind is one of liberty. Constraint may seem to him the apotheosis of unhappiness, but this is not so.

"Many departments of life illustrate the necessity of mind making. Man's happiness demands the right attitude of mind. Wealth cannot purchase happiness. Health many contribute, but not buy it. Many of the best men who have been most happy have been the most afflicted. Happiness is peace with God and with our fellowman. It consists of not what we have but what we are.

"Again our influence among our fellows demands happiness. A man's mind, unless it is pure, cannot actuate pure thoughts and it is this quality of thought that is required for the execution of the right influence among your fellows. Maeterlinck says possibly in exaggeration that, 'A child on the street will recollect at the spoken word from an impure mind' I tell you that as a man thinks, so he is.

"Lent is a season of correction and man can never control this or that evil, if his mind is not first trained in right habits and thoughts. The Gospel contributions towards mind control are, first light, then love and finally life. Of the first God's light cheers in sorrow and in death shows ever hope. In the darkest periods of this life the Light of God's love is a beacon showing the way to eternal happiness. The contribution of love shows how the high ideals of men hold the greatest influence over life. The charm of love in the home and all those attributes which make for pure content. So it is with love of Christ. He firmly established in your life will remove the wrong ideals and prevent the destruction consequent upon the admittance of evil thoughts. Don't make a mistake in believing that in your own strength you can fight successfully against the forces of evil.

"The power of physical life is a wonderful thing. The activity of a man's life is in reality at all times a panacea for the evils he must meet. When a man is busy he has little time for the work of the devil. Be brave, courageous and active. Let your lives be epitomes of all that is good and remember the words of Jesus, 'I came that ye might have life and have it more abundantly.'"

The text was taken from Psalm 51-10.

—Neuman Bros. have received a large shipment of the finest butter, including Rockdale Print, Rockdale Creamery and Elgin Creamery. The prices are reasonable for such quality.

## PLAINFIELD ELKS ELECTED OFFICERS

Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., held its annual meeting last night and elected the following officers: Exalted Ruler, Lewis A. Bellis; esteemed leading knight, Thomas Hanna; esteemed loyal knight, William G. Smith; esteemed lecturing knight, A. A. Prudhon; secretary, William R. Townsend; treasurer, H. B. McDonald; tiler, E. C. Searing; trustee, S. P. T. Wilbur. Addresses were made by the new officers and by the retiring exalted ruler, Joseph Noonan. Refreshments were served in conclusion.

It was announced last night that the annual minstrel show would be held the week after Easter and may possibly be for two nights. Rehearsals will commence tonight under the direction of Harry Wetton.

## HOW MAYOR STOPS DISORDER AT DANCES

Mayor G. W. V. Moy has issued orders to the effect that in the future at all public dances in the city, patrons will not be allowed to go in and out from the dance on a return check. If a person desires to go out and return he must pay another admission fee. The reasons for this are that frequently at such affairs men leave to get drinks of liquor and returning are quite apt to cause a disturbance.

The Mayor in his order has given a warning in this matter and for violations permits for such dances will be refused.

### BROKE ANKLE WHILE ROLLER SKATING.

Roller skating has its drawbacks, especially when one is not sure whether the road ahead is level. Charlie Johnson, eight years old, of New Market, found this out yesterday morning while skating to school. His feet went from under him and in falling the little fellow's right ankle came in contact with the curb with sufficient force to break one of the bones.

Two companions, Everett Giles and Fred Tinsman, who were with Johnson helped him into a little express wagon and carried him to his home where Doctor Whitmore set the broken bone. Charlie will be confined to his bed for some time and his heart is broken. He loves his school and has a record of perfect attendance and ranks high in his class.

### Suggest Building Code Changes.

Chairman Duncan W. Taylor, of the councilmanic fire and building committee, and Chief T. O. Doane, met representatives of the gas department and of the Carpenters' Union in the Mayor's office last night relative to some changes desired in the new building code. It was originally intended to hold a meeting of the entire committee, but Mr. Taylor was the only one who could attend. The suggestions made by the representatives were noted and will be considered by the entire committee.

### In a New York Hospital.

Word was received by Chief of Police Kiely this morning that Milton Arensburg, of 135 Netherwood avenue, had been taken to the Hudson street hospital in New York, suffering from an illness which attacked him while he was crossing over the Brooklyn bridge at an early hour. The nature of the sickness was not stated in the despatch, but the man's family was immediately notified of the occurrence. Mr. Arensburg is in the insurance business in New York.

### First Wedding in Court House.

The first wedding performed in the Court House, Elizabeth, took place there this morning, when Miss Anna Knovicik and George Dohrn, both of Elizabeth, were made man and wife by Judge Owen P. Mahon. The ceremony was performed in the county clerk's office and employees of the office were witnesses.

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## TO PAY HIS FINE IN INSTALLMENTS

John Gensky, of South Plainfield, who was brought before Justice Smith of that place, and committed to the county jail at New Brunswick on a charge of attempting to shoot five of his fellow-countrymen, was arraigned before Judge Lyon, at New Brunswick, yesterday and fined \$50. The fine is to be paid in weekly installments of \$1. Gensky has been placed in charge of a probation officer to whom he must report once a week and pay his fine.

A similar sentence was imposed upon John Drate, who made an assault on a foreigner a few days ago at South Plainfield. The case of Clark Rogers against Butcher Vanderhoof for a \$15 feed bill has been postponed for two weeks by Justice Smith.

## ANXIOUS TO BUY GLOEKLER'S PROPERTY

The refusal of the Common Council to renew Christian Gloekler's saloon property has placed the property at Front and Somerset streets in the limelight as a possible bonanza for real estate speculation. Prospective buyers have figuratively been falling all over themselves in an effort to get an option on the place, but so far all offers have been refused. The owner has his own plans for the future of the place and will not consider any proposition.

"I never saw the like of it in all my life," said Mr. Gloekler to a Daily Press reporter today. "Without a bit of stretching I answered the telephone forty times yesterday to have offers made to buy me out. The Council refused the license at 10 o'clock Monday night and an hour later a man was pacing off the frontage of the building. Half a dozen others have been clambering the back fence to get the rear dimensions. If they keep up as they have started I'll have to barricade the place to keep them from tearing off the weather boards to sound the frame timbers.

In speaking of the refusal of a renewal of his license, Mr. Gloekler said he believed he had not been accorded fair treatment. He said he was given no chance to face his accusers or explain any of the alleged violations. If the appearance of the corner had anything to do with the refusal of his license, he said, he would gladly have conferred with the city officials relative to moving or replacing the present structure with an up-to-date building.

### MORE LAND NEEDED FOR POSTOFFICE SITE.

Condemnation proceedings have been begun for about sixty feet front of the property on Watchung avenue, adjoining the property of A. L. Force, to be used for a Federal building. The tract in question belongs to the Hicksite Friends. Judge John Rellstab, of the United States District court, on March 20, at Trenton, will appoint commissioners under which condemnation proceedings will be conducted, provided there are no objections and a time will be fixed for the filing of the commissioners' report.

Notice is given by advertisement in this issue.

### Demands Jury Trial.

The trial of Julius Reganti, who with John Consoli has been accused of violating the Sunday closing law, will come up before Judge William G. DeMeza on next Monday morning at 9 o'clock in the City Court. John Owens, counsel for the accused men, has demanded a jury trial and it has been granted. On Wednesday, Consoli will be arraigned on charges of permitting gambling in his store at 23 Somerset street.

### Weston, the Traveler Coming

Edward Payson Weston, the well-known pedestrian, will give a talk before the Brotherhood of the First M. E. church, on Tuesday night, March 9, telling of his long travels across the country.

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## RESPOND TO CALL

Two Volunteers to be Generals in the War Against White Plague.

### APPEAL MADE FOR TEN MORE.

Year and Day Campaign for Dollars—Fund Being Raised for the Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

Responding to the call to arms for the war against the great white plague, two are already enlisted as generals in the "The Year and the Day" campaign. Ten more generals are needed in order that the battle may be begun in deadly earnest. The sort of fighting that will be done is for the dollar and if a victory is won the Plainfield Anti-Tuberculosis Society's treasury will have approximately \$100 at its disposal to assist in furthering its work.

A need for the sinews of war is the first fact which comes to light in starting a war. This need has been felt by the Anti-Tuberculosis League in Plainfield for years and the need has been met by a few generous friends. Last year the need was felt more keenly than ever before and the community in general awoke to a greater sense of responsibility than ever before. Two thousand people assisted in one way or another to carry on the crusade.

The time has come now when if the war is to be successful hundreds must join the ranks. The League needs funds not only to carry on its little camp, where eight patients are constantly being brought back to health, but the war must be carried into the places where the enemy is strongest. Through broadcast use of circulars and their educational methods the league wishes to educate every soul in this community on the subject of how to prevent and take care of tuberculosis.

Other even greater responsibilities await the league, when funds shall be responsible. Up to this time the greatness of the problem has prevented the league from taking any step to assist advanced cases in their homes, and there are no institutions where these may be sent. For the safety of the city such cases should be boarded in the country, where contagion may be controlled.

Then join the army. Telephone to the secretary of war, care of The Daily Press, that you will be one of twelve generals. Each general must secure four colonels and each four colonels seven captains. Generals, colonels and captains will send one dollar to the treasurer of the league to help kill the enemy.

April 30th has been set aside this year as "Tuberculosis Day," and will be observed in 20,000 churches in the country in a manner similar to that of "Tuberculosis Sunday" in 1910, when over 40,000 sermons were preached on the prevention of consumption. The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis hopes to enlist all of the 33,000,000 church members in the country in this movement.

In one respect Tuberculosis Day will differ from Tuberculosis Sunday of 1910. Instead of requesting the churches to give to the tuberculosis cause a special Sunday service, the plan is, to ask this year that meetings, at which the subject of tuberculosis and its prevention can be discussed, be held, on Sunday, April 30th, or on any other day near that date, either in the week preceding or the week following. What is desired is that the subject of tuberculosis be discussed in all of the 200,000 churches of the United States at as nearly the same time as possible. This does not demand that a stated service be given to this work, although that might be desirable, but that any minister, or other authority whom he may invite, may present the problem to his congregation before or after his regular service, or on any day within the week preceding or following April 30th.

The National Association is planning to gather statistics from thousands of ministers, showing how serious a problem tuberculosis is to every church. These figures will indicate among other things the number of deaths last year from tuberculosis in church congregations, and the extent to which clergymen are called upon to minister to sufferers from the disease. It is planned also to issue millions of circulars and pamphlets on the prevention of tuberculosis, both from the national office and from the headquarters of the 450 anti-tuberculosis associations who will co-operate in this movement.

### Mr. Carney's Kindness.

The pictures of Mt. St. Mary's College shown on this page were kindly loaned by David J. Carney, proprietor of the Monarch Printing Company, North avenue.

## COLLEGE OF MT. ST. MARY IN RUINS:

## FIRE LOSS \$200,000--INMATES ESCAPE

Students in Night Clothes March From Burning Building--Three Sisters of Mercy and Several Pupils Carried From Their Sick Beds--Cause of Blaze Unknown--Structure to be Rebuilt.

Mount St. Mary College, one of the handsomest and largest structures of an educational character in the State, occupying a picturesque site on the Watchung mountains in North Plainfield, was destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is estimated at \$200,000.

Sisters and Students Escape. There were approximately 140 students and Sisters in the building at the time, including seventy-seven

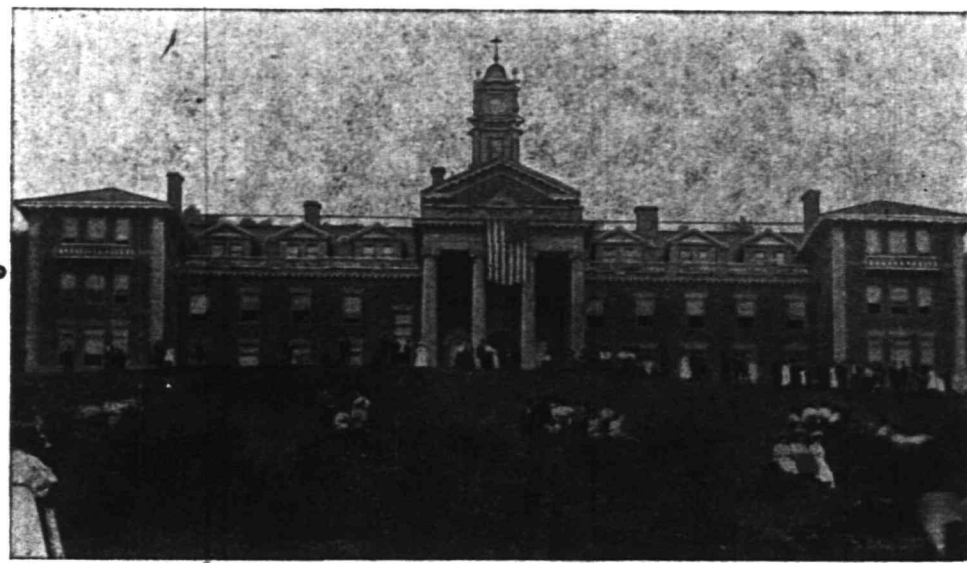
Chief William McCullough, of the borough department, were both there and their men rendered valuable assistance in carrying what few valuables they could get hold of from the college.

Holy Vessel Saved. Among the articles of greatest value saved were the holy vessels. They were carried out by Father Baldwin, chaplain at the college, who received a cut on the hand while

where after a conference with Father Miller, they went to the college.

To Rebuild College. Before leaving, Bishop McFaul told a reporter for The Daily Press that temporary accommodations would be secured at once and that the classes would be continued with as little delay as possible and that in the meantime steps will be taken to rebuild the college at once.

Partially Insured.



Mount St. Mary College as it Appeared Before the Fire This Morning.

boarding students, and under fire-order drill all left the building without the slightest injury. The students, even to the youngest retained great presence of mind and under the direction of Mother Gabriel, assisted by the Sisters of Mercy, were marched out of the building to a barn on the campus, where they were cared for until they could be removed to St. Joseph's church.

### Carried from Building.

Sister Ligouri, who has been critically ill for months and is now in a dying condition, was carried out of the burning structure by Chief of Police Kiely and taken to the rectory of St. Joseph's church. Her death is expected at any minute, so grave is her condition. Two other Sisters, who were also ill, were likewise carried from the structure as were several students.

The fire, which started in the frame tower on the top of the building, was first discovered by three Sisters, among them Sister Cecilia, who were aroused by the smell of smoke. Upon attempting to leave their room, they found the flames rapidly eating their way through the top floor of the structure and their passageway almost cut off.

### Presence of Mind.

With great difficulty they escaped from their room and descending to the next floor sounded the electric fire alarm, which in a few minutes aroused every person in the building. Mother Gabriel was among the first to appear in the main hall and quickly summoning the Sisters to her aid directed the assembling of the students.

By the time the flames were rapidly spreading to the lower floors and the students just had time to pick up blankets, comfortable, sheets, etc., to wrap about themselves in their flight. The personal effects were a complete loss. The order in which the Sisters and students left the burning building was remarkable.

### Firemen Summoned.

As soon as the fire alarm was sounded in the building, one of the Sisters directed by Mother Gabriel summoned the Plainfield and North Plainfield fire departments. Owing time elapsed before the firemen arrived with the apparatus. There was the Plainfield and North Plainfield steamers and a chemical engine from both departments.

Because of the inadequate supply of water, the firemen were handicapped in fighting the flames, which had completely enveloped the building and were rapidly consuming the interior. Water was drawn from a reservoir back of the college on the mountain, and from a spring in front of the building. The supply of water was quickly exhausted and the firemen were helpless. Chief T. O. Doane, of the city department, and

performing rescue work. As for the exact cause of the fire it will probably never be known. There was a rumor in circulation this morning that electric light wires running into the tower, where the blaze started, were responsible, but later Father Baldwin said that he did not think that there were any electric wires in that part of the structure. Chief Doane was at a loss to account for the cause.

### The Loss \$200,000.

The actual loss on the building proper will doubtless reach \$150,000, but the personal loss of the Sisters, students and furnishings, which include many valuable paintings, statuary, etc., will probably make the total loss easily \$200,000. Many of the things consumed by the fire it will be impossible to replace. They include curios and other articles brought from foreign lands and presented to the college.

Two large and valuable libraries, a new equipment in the laboratory for the classes in domestic economy, together with a finely equipped gymnasium in the basement, at least forty piano scattered about the building in various music rooms, all were destroyed, the loss being total.

### Image Unblemished.

A somewhat remarkable fact is that a small statue of the Virgin Mary, which occupied a place in a niche in the wall over the main entrance, remains intact with scarcely a blemish on it, while everything else about it is ruined.

All that remains of the college are the stone walls. The structure is completely gutted and looks as though a cyclone had passed through it sweeping everything in its path. The exterior is of Indiana lime-stone while the interior construction was of concrete, iron and wooden beams. The iron work is a twisted mass showing that it was not heavy enough to withstand the test to which it was put.

Chief Doane says that shortly after he arrived he heard what sounded like an explosion in the west end of the building. This he thinks was caused by the falling of the walls and floors.

### Priests Give Aid.

Soon after the fire was discovered Father W. H. Miller, of St. Joseph's church, as well as Fathers Hogan and Sciolia, of St. Mary's church, went to the scene of the conflagration and rendered such service as possible. Later in the morning Father B. M. Bogan also visited the scene and offered his aid.

### Bishop McFaul Here.

Among the first to be notified of the disaster was Rt. Rev. James L. McFaul, of Trenton, bishop of the Trenton diocese, and he accompanied by his secretary, Rev. Father Powers, arrived in Plainfield about 11 o'clock. They were taken at once to the rectory of St. Joseph's church,

The college was covered by insurance, there being more than \$100,000 placed on the building by companies represented by State Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen. Councilman Herbert Buxton, an adjuster in fire losses, is expected to arrive at the college this afternoon, when he will go over the loss carefully with Bishop McFaul and others who are connected with the management of the institution. Bishop McFaul expressed the opinion today that he thought the work of rebuilding could be started within a short time with a view to having the college ready for use by next fall.

### Students Clothed.

Students who live at any distance were provided with clothing and other necessities this morning so that they might return home, while other students who live near Plainfield were sent to their homes. In the case of the little children, their parents were notified and they came after them. A local shoe dealer had a busy time of it this morning fitting out the students and faculty with footwear, while other stores were sought for various articles of wearing apparel. Before noon all were thoroughly equipped so that they could leave the various homes to which they were taken as a temporary measure.

### Crowds Visit Scene.

During the day hundreds of people were attracted to the college grounds and all stood in amazement as they viewed the remains of what was a most pretentious structure.

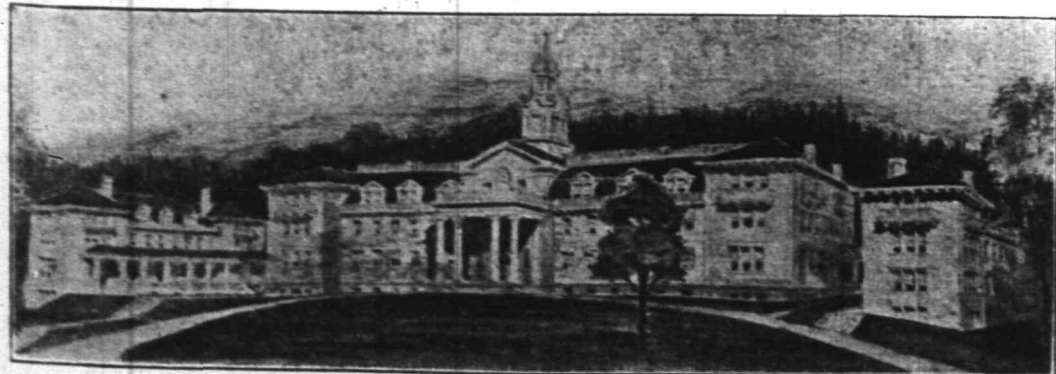
### Rescue Work.

The police took a prominent part in the work of assisting the inmates of the college to escape. Chief Kiely with Roundsman Higgins, and patrolmen Saffron, McCarthy, Kelly and Dobson did heroic work. Their first care was for the sick. Two sisters of the order confined to their beds were carried out and placed in the patrol wagon afterwards several of the children were brought out wrapped in blankets and the load was driven by Chief Kiely himself to St. Gabriel's Home, on Manning avenue. Returning at once another load was taken and by this time the policemen had harnessed the horses belonging to the convent to the stage used in trips to the city. Many of the pupils were scantily clad and this morning shoes and other necessities were brought to the scene through an early order to the stores in the city.

### Students Fire-Fighters

Splendid work was done by a corps of young women students, under the direction of Sister Cecilia, they manned the convent fire hose and with admirable courage attacked the flames never halting in their work of preventing the spread of the blaze until forced back by the fearful heat. The tower and west end

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Mt. St. Mary College as Planned by the Architect.





## BERLIN SAUCEPANS.

2 quart Berlin Saucepans that sell regularly for 20c, sale price .....15c  
 Berlin Saucepans, 4 quart size, regular value 30c, sale price .....20c  
 Berlin Saucepans, 6 qt. size, regular value 35c, sale price.....25c  
 Berlin Saucepans, 8 qt. size, regular 49c value for .....29c  
 Berlin Saucepans, 10 qt. size, regular value 65c, sale price.....40c

## CONVEX KETTLES.

12 quart Convex Kettles, regular 98c value, sale price.....59c



## COFFEE POTS

1 1/2 quart size, regular value 39c, sale price .....25c  
 2 quart size, regular value 45c, for .....29c  
 3 quart size, regular value 55c, for .....35c

## DISH PANS

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 14 quart size, regular value 49c, sale price .....30c  
 17 quart size, regular value 75c, for .....39c



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 The 40c grade for .....25c

## WASH BASINS

Regular 19c grade for .....10c

## WATER PAILS

12 quart, regular value 59c, sale price .....39c



## TEA POTS

1 quart size, regular value 30c, sale price .....20c  
 2 quart size, regular value 45c, sale price .....29c

## DISH PANS

14 quart size, regular 35c value, sale price .....10c

## BREAD BOXES

The 55c grade, sale price .....39c

## WASH KETTLES

24 quart tin, 35c value, for .....25c



## PRESERVING KETTLES

1 1/2 quart size, regular value 10c, sale price .....7c

2 quart kettles, regular value 12 1/2c, sale price .....8c

3 quart kettles, regular value 17c, during sale .....10c

5 quart size, regular value 22c, during the sale .....15c

8 quart size, regular value 30c, during sale .....20c

12 quart size, regular value 49c, during the sale .....28c



## SAUCEPANS

2 quart Saucepans, that sell regularly for 12 1/2c, sale price.....8c

Saucepans, 3 quart size, regular 17c value, for .....10c

Saucepans, 5 quart size, regular 22c value, sale price .....15c

Saucepans, 8 quart size, regular value 30c, sale price .....20c

Saucepans, 10 quart size, regular 39c value, sale price .....25c

## CHAMBERS

The 30c size will sell for .....19c  
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 A. D. Mallison, Fourth and Liberty Sts.  
 M. E. Hall, 115 Park Ave.  
 Debiele & Stahl, 112 Somerset St.  
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 T. A. Garthwaite, Cor. 4th & Watchung  
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 New Market, 14 Correll  
 Round Brook, Union News Co.  
 Somerville, Jacob Genert  
 Westfield, C. F. Wittke, A. E. Snyder  
 Westfield, L. L. Glusker  
 Scotch Plains, Frank Anson  
 South Plainfield, Hamilton  
 Fairwood, Frank Anson  
 Northwood, H. Olmstead

## AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

## SOMERVILLE.

The police committee of the borough has installed a green signal light near the postoffice for the purpose of calling the police when their assistance is needed in a hurry.

The engagement is announced of J. Harvey Wyckoff, of Raritan, and Miss Ruth Elliott, of Tarrytown. Mr. Miss Elliott is a teacher in the Raritan public school.

The members of Somerset Council, No. 1732, Knights of Columbus, gave a ladies' night in the council rooms Tuesday evening.

Dr. R. B. Rapelyea has been chosen to succeed the late Jacob Kline, Jr., as treasurer of the First Reformed church.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anderson, of East Orange, have been guests for several days of Mrs. E. J. Anderson, on Cliff street.

Miss Grace Kershaw, of Mercer street, is the guest of her uncle, Rev. E. W. Thompson, at Hastings-on-Hudson.

The engagement is announced of Nathan Weill, of Somerville, and Miss Irma Flesher, of New York city.

Peter A. Dumont has purchased the milk business of John S. Bunn and merged it with his own.

Mrs. Mary Sanborn, of West Main street, is spending two weeks in Maryland.

## BILLS AFFECTING CUPS AND TRAINED NURSES.

Two new bills were introduced Tuesday afternoon in the Assembly. They are as follows:

Dr. Ramsay provides for the abolition of common drinking cups in public places, and gives the State Board of Health power to make rules and regulations as to the kind of cups to be used in public places.

Mr. McCran, provides for the appointment of the Board of Examiners to examine and license graduate trained nurses.

Rev. J. W. Musson, of the Temple Baptist church, led the prayer-meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church last night.

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## STATE NEWS BRIEFS

While Mr. and Mrs. William Clement are in Cuba, their fine country home, Woodlea, near Shiloh, was entered by robbers and turned topsy turvy.

The United States Agricultural Department has had two experts at Vineland the past week investigating the experimental vineyard of a grape juice company. Cuttings of thirty different varieties were sent to the government experimental vineyard in California.

Within a few moments after he had been released Tuesday from Moyamensing Prison, where he had served a year for larceny, John T. Sandman, a Philadelphia jeweler, was taken into custody by Detective Barnshaw and taken to the county jail to answer a similar charge in Atlantic City.

A new record for real estate valuations on the lower Boardwalk, Atlantic City, where progress was retarded for years by concert gardens, has been established by the sale of 10 feet fronting the promenade below Arkansas avenue to Armand T. Nichols, a broker, for \$100,000. The property extends back nearly 600 feet to Pacific avenue.

Slipping from the second-story roof to the roof of a shed and then to the yard of a property where he was making repairs, Reinhardt Zimmer, forty years old, a tinsmith, of 1137 Mechanic street, Camden, was taken to the Homeopathic Hospital in a dazed condition Tuesday. It was found that he had sustained a fracture of two ribs. He is probably also injured internally.

While finishing up his day's work Tuesday afternoon, William Penn, a

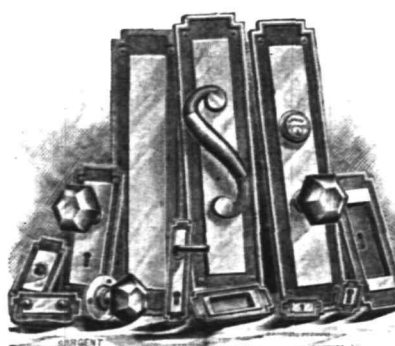
coremaker, employed in the Fair street plant of the John E. Thropp & Sons Co., Trenton, had a narrow escape from being killed. He was caught by a falling iron door and pinned fast, sustaining a long and deep laceration on the back of the head and bruises about one side of the face. He was taken to St. Francis's Hospital.

Through a somnambulistic tumble, Hiram Webb, forty-seven years old, of 202 Friends avenue, Camden, was injured about the arms and body early Tuesday morning. He was found on the sidewalk by Policeman Humes, who learned that the sleep-walker had arisen, dressed himself, walked downstairs, and as he was climbing out the window fell on the sidewalk. Webb is suffering also severely from the shock.

While gathering potatoes for market last autumn, Janvier Wolfe, of Clayton, carved his name and address on a large one. A young woman in Philadelphia discovered the tuber as it came from the grocer and a correspondence with Janvier was started, with a result that a meeting between the two young persons will take place Sunday next. Janvier refuses to divulge the young woman's name until he has seen her.

Boats will not in future be the only means of access to the Atlantic City clubhouse of the Higbee Fishing Club, a Philadelphia organization, as a result of a ruling by Vice-Chancellor Leaming that the Atlantic City Electric Company, which bought land on two sides of the club's property must provide an entrance. The company's railroad tracks bar entrance by land to the clubhouse. Vice-Chancellor Leaming held that the club, by more than twenty years' use established a means of entrance to its land.

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## PERSONAL.

Jared Kenyon, of West Seventh street, is in Chicago on a business trip.

Miss Helen Armstrong, of Duer street, is improving from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fitzer, of Larchmont, N. Y., have removed to 145 Westervelt avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shotwell, of Kensington avenue, have removed to West Sixth street and Clinton avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Musson, of East Second street, will leave tomorrow for Washington, where they will stay for several days.

Miss Mary L. Leahy, the tuberculosis visiting nurse, has returned from a three weeks stay at Atlantic City. She was accompanied by Mrs. Bert Ford.

**CHRISTIAN FIELD.**

Rev. Frank Fletcher, of this city, will occupy the pulpit at the Temple Baptist church will hold its annual evening.

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will hold its annual meeting tomorrow night.

Miss Constance Harris will lead the Junior Mission Band meeting at the First Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

In reply to our query: "Why was Gertrude?" a correspondent suggests that it was because she saw "Lohengrin."—London Globe.

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## SPORTS

### News and Notes

#### BASEBALL.

Bill Ebner, the umpire, known as a second edition of "His Highness," Silk O'Loughlin, at least in his movements on the field, has had enough wild experiences to fill a book.

Ebner worked in both the South Atlantic and Connecticut State Leagues last year. About the middle of the season a harrowing tale came out of the South telling how Bill was railroaded out of the South Atlantic. Here's his version of that affair:

"I had grown tired of working in the South. The climate was against me. The players tried every way to bluff me, but they couldn't bluff your Uncle Bill. I tried to get away several times, but the president of the league begged me to stay.

"Finally I handled a game at Columbus, Ga. The game was a tight one. With a runner on first, and one out the batter grounded to the short-

stop. He pegged to second and the second baseman threw to first. I waved the man out at second and motioned that the man on first was safe.

"The team in the field misunderstood my signal. They walked off the field, and the men on first continued around the bases and scored what proved to be the winning run. Well, you can only partly imagine the riot. There was a war. They were going to lynch me.

"A fellow named Fox followed me to the hotel, giving his opinion of me in burning terms. Later we took a train to go to one of the other cities on the circuit. I was in the smoker of the Pullman. He walked in and started to abuse me again. He was about six feet two and weighed about 200 pounds.

"After he talked himself hoarse, he bawled, 'I'd throw you off this train for a nickel.' I called the brakeman, had him ejected from the car, and immediately sent a wire to the president of the league, stating the case, and informing him that I was through with his league."

Walter Doane, of Coatesville, Pa., will leave today to join the Cleveland Americans on their Southern training trip. Cleveland purchased Doane from Roanoke, Va., in 1909, in which season he led the Virginia

League pitchers. Last year an attack of malaria put him out of the game for a considerable time, but in the latter part of the season he was loaned out to Roanoke, and won twelve out of thirteen games he pitched. He is a right-hand thrower and left-hand batter, very fast and an excellent hitter, which has caused McGuire to send him to the outfield.

Manager Hal Chase, of the Yankees, inaugurated the first move in the big campaign of the Yankees for a 1911 American League pennant when he set out yesterday afternoon with the nucleus of his veterans for Hot Springs, Va. Shortstop Jack Knight, Outfielder Bert Daniels and Pitcher Ray Fisher, accompanied the manager from Gotham. Thirteen other well known athletes will either join Manager Chase on the route, or meet him in Hot Springs.

#### GOLF.

It is said that the women in the South are planning to form a women's Southern golf association, with the idea of holding its first championship tournament in May at Atlanta. The formation of such an organization would doubtless go a long way toward helping the cause of women's golf in that part of the country.

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Club is planning to go ahead next season along more progressive lines. Several handsome cups have already been offered with a view to stimulating interest in the competitive end. The club will also apply for membership in the Metropolitan Golf Association. A booklet containing the bylaws, as well as the names of officers and committees, has been issued by the club.

The Country Club of Lakewood made all its arrangements to hold its annual spring invitation tournament on April 27, 28 and 29, but word has been received that a change is likely. Jasper Lynch is captain again this year.

## STATE SHADE TREE FEDERATION FORMED

The Shade Tree Federation of New Jersey has been selected as the title of a permanent organization effected Tuesday afternoon to further the care and preservation of shade trees throughout the State. The organization was accomplished at a meeting held in the office of State Forester Alfred Gaskill by the executive committee named by him in furtherance of a movement inaugurated last September. Charles G. Titsworth, of Summit, formerly president of the Newark Shade Tree Commission was elected president of the organization; William Chew, of Salem, vice-president, and William Solitaroff, of East Orange, secretary and treasurer. The other members of the executive committee are the State forester, ex-officio; James A. Berry, of Newark; Carl Bannwart, of Newark; Henry Crofut White, of this city; William Tallman, of Englewood; A. J. Rider, of Hammononton; Charles D. Ferry, of Summit; Professor John B. Smith, of New Brunswick; William D. Logue, of Princeton; E. W. Humphreys, of Woodstown; and George P. Rust, of Passaic.

Every shade tree commission in the State will be urged to join the Federation. To stimulate interest in the movement, the Federation will hold a public meeting at the State house, Friday, March 24. Two or three of the best qualified men obtainable will be invited to make addresses. Their talk will include suggestions as to what to do in the organization of shade tree commissions and how best to care for trees where there is no such organization. Treatment for the elm leaf beetle, the most dangerous pest of the present season, will be one of the particular topics of discussion.

President Titsworth has been authorized to appoint a committee on law and legislation which will take up the question of amending the law to meet the needs of several communities as they have been shown to exist. Jersey City, Paterson, Passaic and Trenton are among the more important municipalities requiring legislation to effectively carry on the work of caring for shade trees.

## JOURNALISTIC OPINIONS.

Public Duty and Personal Favor. Here is a streak of sunshine penetrating the surrounding mist: Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 2.—Angered that he should be offered free tickets when he had granted a license to Frank A. Robins' Circus to give performances here, Mayor Moy, today told the advance agent that not only would he not accept what he called graft but that if he heard of passes being given to the local officials or police he would cancel the license. It is not the incident itself that we desire to celebrate but that spirit which differentiates between the public service and a personal favor. There is not enough of that. The idea that personal consideration is a large and commodious part of the official position necessarily conflicts with public duty and this fact is the occasion of the personal consideration. A public agent has no right to be under obligations to a private enterprise, for if he is, the public is sure to be neglected.—Ohio State Journal.

## MAGAZINE POSTAL RATE INCREASE TO GO OVER.

Magazine publishers, who have been encamped around the capitol at Washington during the last few weeks, yesterday folded their tents, secure in the knowledge that the Taft-Hitchcock-Penrose plan to force an increased postal rate on their publications is dead. To obviate any further filibuster in the Senate, agreement has been reached not to include the "rider" in the postoffice appropriation bill, to tax publishers four cents a pound on that portion of magazines which contains advertising. Publishers now have time to prepare for a further battle at the next session of Congress. President Taft, it is well known, will recommend such a provision in the next postoffice bill.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist church, and Rev. J. W. Musson, of the Temple Baptist church, will exchange pulpits Sunday morning, March 12.

The annual meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Thomas C. Hall, of Union Theological Seminary, will make the address.







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## PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The public schools have an excellent record for punctuality for the month of February. Four classes had but one case of tardiness and the kindergarten class had a perfect record for the month, and won the school pennant, which was offered several months ago by Supervising Principal S. Dana Townsend, to the class having the best percentage in attendance for the month. The class winning, having the privilege of flying the pennant during the following month or until some other class was able to win the flag from them. The little "kiddies" are the proud possessors of the coveted prize for the present month, although as can be seen by the record, they had to have a perfect score to win out. When one considers the fact that this perfect record was made in one of the worst of the winter months, deserve a great deal of praise for winning the honor. The offering of the pennant has practically done away with the work of the truancy officer. The school has taken a pride in keeping their individual room attendance up to the full enrollment. A number of the pupils have not been absent or tardy during the school year. The enrollment for the month being 283 pupils.

An arm from a towel rack, which was projecting from the kitchen wall came near costing Mrs. Augusta Miller, of Front street, the loss of an eye. Mrs. Miller, while working about the stove, struck her head on the rack, the projecting arm striking the upper part of the eyelid, painfully injuring the optic. Dr. Munger was called and dressed the injury and it is not believed that she will lose the sight of the eye.

Supervising Principal S. Dana Townsend was in Roselle Park yesterday, attending the all day session of the Union County Principals' Association.

The baseball team is arranging to hold a drawing for a \$5 gold piece, the proceeds will be applied toward putting the club's grounds in condition.

The weekly teachers meeting of School No. 1, was held yesterday afternoon at the close of the school session in the school parlor.

Yesterday being Ash-Wednesday, special services was held at All Saint's Episcopal church at 10:45 a. m.

Mrs. George McVoy, of Plainfield, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John H. Coles, of Park avenue.

## DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Farther Lights of the First Baptist church will hold the annual meeting at the home of Miss Ethel Garretson, Saturday night. Officers will be elected and other important matters considered. A social time will be held in conclusion.

An Ash-Wednesday service was held in St. John's church, last night. Another service will be held tomorrow night and also each Wednesday and Friday night during Lent.

A large number of new pupils several of them from Plainfield; were added to Miss Ramsey's dancing class, which met in Junior Hall, last night.

A. J. Hurley, cashier at the Dunellen National Bank, has been detained at home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Denman, of Bordentown, have been visiting relatives in the borough.

The G. E. Club was entertained Tuesday night at the home of Miss Alice Pearce.

Postmaster H. S. Garretson was in Somerville on business yesterday.

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The general subject of the lecture is "Obedience." The topic for tomorrow will be "Jimmie, James and Jim, or The Problem Stated from the View-point of the Boy." The synopsis follows:

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2. How good environment corrects bad heredity when the mind is "wax to receive and marble to retain." The will of the child a trust to be administered. Parents must compel what children will later wish to compel themselves to do. The way of the transgressor is hard" but there is no easy way to righteousness—this law is for the child as well as the man.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

A rehearsal took place last evening at Mrs. P. C. Johnstons for a play called "Oak Farm," to be given by the young people of the Baptist church in Washington Hall about the middle of this month.

## Jim's Way.

"Yes, Jim's way. He sent \$5 to a New York concern for their infallible method of getting rid of cockroaches and they advised him to burn down the house."

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## A Desperate Game

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### CHAPTER XX.

#### AN UNWILLING CATPAW.

Having reached his office, Mr. Foscombe struck the hand bell on his desk.

"Tell Pring to make out Isaac Pepperday's account," he said, and the clerk vanished. A few minutes later a tall, cadaverous looking man in a rusty black frock coat handed him a slip of blue paper, from which it appeared that Mr. Isaac Pepperday was indebted to the executors of the late Reuben Foscombe in the sum of £46 2s. 11d. With a nod Mr. Foscombe dismissed the clerk, and then, folding up the slip of blue paper, he placed it in his pocketbook.

"That ought to reason," he whispered to himself. Then he sent for a hansom and had himself driven to the Temple. After climbing two pairs of stairs Mr. Foscombe found himself opposite a white painted door upon which, among three or four others, was the name of Mr. Ashton Brooke.

The door was swiftly opened by Mr. Brooke's clerk, a queer, thin, half-starved looking man with iron gray hair standing straight up from his forehead so as to give him a look of being continually surprised. His eyes were red and weak; they blinked at the solicitor as if they were limelights. When he saw who the visitor was he seemed to shrink back a little.

"Mr. Ashton Brooke is not in chambers, sir. He is on the continent at present. I don't expect him back for a fortnight, sir."

"I scarcely expected to find Mr. Brooke at home," said the solicitor, who had kept his eyes fixed steadily on the clerk's face. "It was you I came to see."

"Me, sir?" faltered Pepperday, falling back a step.

"Yes, only a little matter of business. Can I come in?"

"Certainly, sir. Will you walk this way?"

He ushered the solicitor into a large, handsomely furnished room, the tenant of which was just then in Switzerland. "I have been going over my late father's accounts," said Mr. Foscombe, with a quiet, businesslike air, "and I found your name among the list of debtors. The money should have been collected two years ago, so I hope you will settle the amount without delay." As he spoke he handed the unhappy clerk the slip of blue paper.

Pepperday looked at the figures and groaned.

"Believe me, Mr. Foscombe, sir, I can no more pay off this than I could buy up the city of London."

"Oh, nonsense, Pepperday," said the lawyer brusquely.

"I am telling you the truth, sir. My post here is a very comfortable one for a man of my years, but I married, sir, rather late in life, and I find children a great expense. My poor wife is not very strong."

"What on earth is all that to me?" said Foscombe in a voice which he made purposely hard. "People have no business to marry if they can't pay their debts. All I know is you will have to pay this"—he reached out his hand and gave the slip of blue paper a vicious flip as he spoke—"or be turned into the street. I suppose you have some furniture?"

"Yes, sir—of course, sir. A little, sir. But surely you wouldn't touch that? You wouldn't break up my home?"

"I told you before that I am here to talk business, not sentiment," said the lawyer sharply.

"Sentiment!" echoed the clerk. And something seemed to give him fresh courage, for he drew himself up a little and took a step nearer to his persecutor.

"Do you know how I came to begin this?" he said, shaking the slip of blue paper in the lawyer's face. And without waiting for an answer he went on: "I was a junior clerk in your father's office, and I had charge of the petty cash. I was £1 short in my accounts—"

"You embezzled that amount, you mean?"

"Call it embezzlement if you like, sir. Your father didn't prosecute me. He knew a trick worth two of that. Nor he didn't deduct a sovereign from my wages. He lent me a sovereign to pay him with and charged me a shilling a month interest. When the shilling a month wasn't paid it was added to the sovereign. By degrees the debt amounted up till I owed your father more than £10, and then I saw it was hopeless for me ever to think of getting free. It's been like a millstone round my neck all these years. It's been growing all the time, though I've paid off pounds and pounds; and now, just when I thought that the balance of the old debt would be forgiven me and I had got my little home together, you come down on me like this!"

"I suppose this affair means ruin to you," Foscombe said, looking up suddenly.

"It does, sir; complete, total ruin."

"Well, a way has just struck me by which it may be averted. I think it possible that you may be able to render

me a service, in return for which I would hand you a receipt in full."

"Oh, sir," cried the clerk, clasping his hands, while his eyes filled with tears, "I would do anything! I would work till I couldn't see to write another line. Only tell me what I can do for you."

The solicitor fell into a silence. Pepperday heaved a sigh.

"Mr. Lorimer is a great friend of your Mr. Ashton Brooke, and has been inquiring for him lately."

"Yes, sir, only a few days ago."

"It would be a very easy matter, I should say, for an intelligent person to slip into Mr. Ashton Brooke's bedroom and hold the door leading into the sitting room slightly ajar, so as to hear any conversation that was going on."

Pepperday gave a great start, and again the tears sprang to the watery eyes.

"Oh, sir," he cried, trembling all over, "I can't do anything like that, not to save my life, sir! Except that sovereign I told you of, I have always acted square, and Mr. Ashton Brooke has been a good master to me, sir!"

"Who is asking you to do anything to hurt Mr. Ashton Brooke?" cried the solicitor angrily. "He is nothing to me. My business is not with him at all. But I expect that very soon after he returns to town he will have a call from Mr. Guy Lorimer. Mr. Lorimer will most likely come to consult him about some affairs of his own, and I want to know exactly what he says to him and what course he decides upon. Don't you see that if you tell me the gist of the conversation you do no harm either to your master or yourself or to any one else? You only provide me with a little information, which may be useful or may not, and which I am willing to pay for very handsomely."

"God help me!" exclaimed the clerk, turning his head aside. "What must I do?"

"Do?" echoed the lawyer, giving him a slap on the shoulder. "Use your chance of getting free while you can. One would think that I had been asking you to commit murder. I am only asking you to repeat a conversation, a thing that is done every day. Will you do it or will you not?"

"I must, sir, if there's no other way."

"There's no other way to save your wife and children from beggary," said the lawyer, emphatically nodding his head, "and you may be thankful that you have such an easy way of escape offered to you. Once more, will you do it?"

"Yes, sir. There seems to be no help for it. I'll do it."

"Then see that you don't lose a word of what passes between your master and Mr. Lorimer. Write down immediately afterward as much of it as you can remember and come at once to see me. If you do the work satisfactorily I will give you a stamped receipt for all you owed to my father and a sovereign for yourself as well."

And having thus enlisted on his behalf the two great allies of fear and avarice, Mr. Foscombe quitted the chambers.

### CHAPTER XXI.

#### IN A HOSPITAL WARD.

The kindness and consideration with which Eva found herself treated on her first night in London were continued day after day. Two of the best rooms in the house were placed at her disposal, and her maid had a large room that served both as bedroom and sitting room. The mistress of the house never intruded on her guest.

The girl saw plainly enough that for all her comfort she was indebted to the kindness of her host. He did his best to cheer her and prevent the time from hanging too heavily on her hands. Every night after dinner he would follow her up to her sitting room and stand an hour chatting with her or persuade her to stay in the large drawing room downstairs and play or sing a little. And sometimes he would stay at home of a morning and persuade her to take a drive, and once or twice he came in the afternoon and induced her to go with him to a picture gallery.

Twice a day she had news of her lover by telegraph. Sometimes the telegrams were signed "Guy," sometimes they were from his clerk. But Eva could not understand how it was that her lover did not write. Even a line or two scrawled in pencil would have been a treasure to her. She had to be content with Mr. Foscombe's assurance that the doctor would not allow him the use even of a pencil.

Once Mr. Foscombe took her in a hansom to the Temple, and she waited outside in the cab while he ran upstairs and pretended to come down with messages from her absent lover.

She longed to go up and see him, and she could not understand why Mr. Foscombe seemed to think the idea inadmissible. But she knew that her position was a strange one, and she was anxious to keep within the limits of convention when she called.

On their way home from the Temple, when the horse was going at a swift pace along a wide street, they were startled by loud cries of terror and confusion. Something was happening behind them—a street accident most likely.

Instinctively the driver slackened speed, and both the man and the girl rose and attempted by peering out round the corner of the cab window to find out what had happened. But Foscombe was first. His additional height gave him an advantage, and, besides, he was on the right side of the cab. What he saw was this: Guy Lorimer, running straight for their hansom, was being knocked down by a two horse van.

The lawyer turned very pale. For the moment he could not speak. Was he killed? That was his first thought. And the second was, Had the girl at his side seen what he had seen?

A glance at her face reassured him on this point. Her expression was that of a sensitive and kind hearted girl who is grieved and shocked when she is brought near to suffering of any

# CAUGHT?

Have you been caught in the web of prejudice and habit like the fly in the spider's web? There are some people who are so foolish that they actually turn away from a store where they can get articles at a reasonable price, and hunt up places where they know they are paying, not for the goods, but for the sake of being seen in those places, and to have certain high-toned delivery wagons stand at their door. If you have been so foolish as to get into that habit, try to get out of it. Hunt up the place where you can get the best goods at the lowest prices. THE BIG GREENE STORE is the place to buy the finest Furniture and Housefurnishings in town, and just now your savings will average from 30 to 40 per cent.

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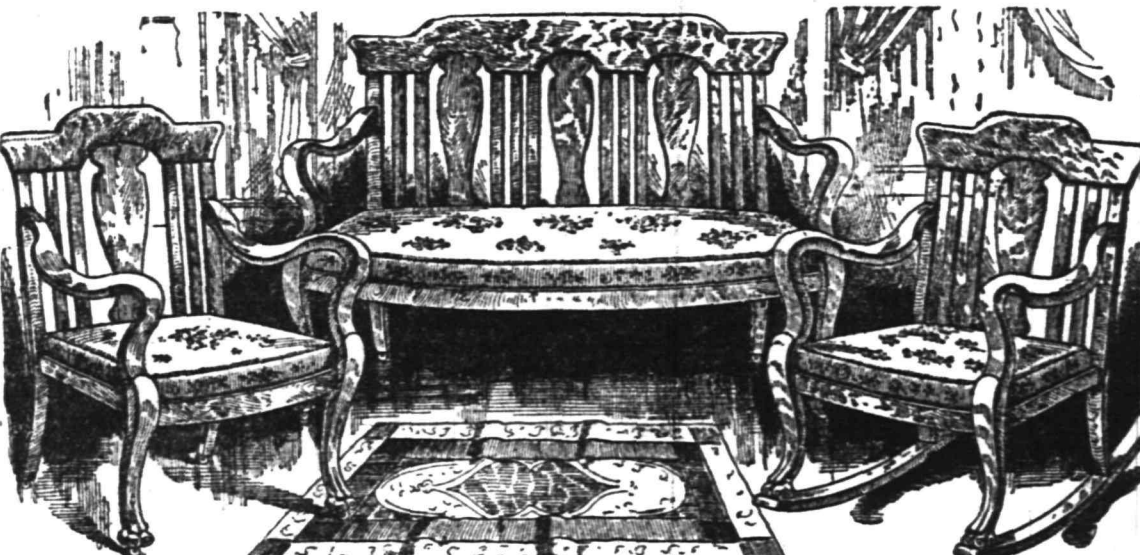
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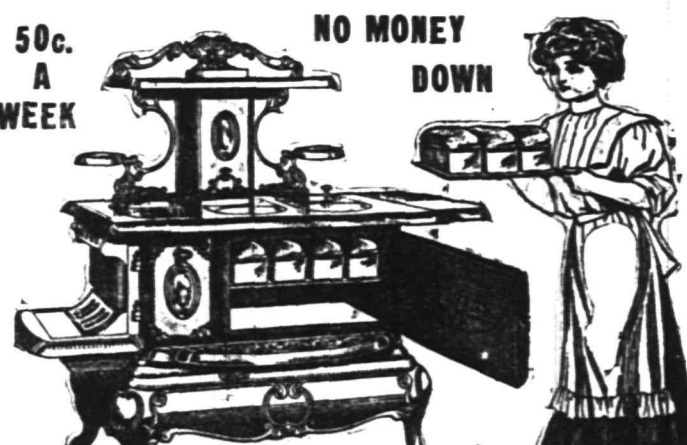


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kind, but there was no trace of any special anxiety in her look.

"I am afraid there has been an accident," he said, trying to steady his voice as well as he could. "We had better drive on."

"Oh, you would not drive away till we hear who has been hurt, and whether he is much injured? Couldn't we be of some use?"

"My dear Miss Fitzgerald," said Foscombe, with a smile, "the police are on the spot, and there is a hospital close by. We would not be allowed to interfere even if we wished to do so, and there is nothing we could possibly do. But we might wait round the corner till we can learn some particulars."

"Yes, we might as well do that," said Eva. And Foscombe jumped out of the cab and, telling the cabman to wait, went back to see what he could glean of the affair.

There was a dense crowd in the middle of the street, but Foscombe pushed and elbowed his way till he reached the innermost ring. Yes, there could be no doubt of it—that white face lying on the asphalt was the face of Guy Lorimer.

"Is he dead?" he whispered in a shaking voice to the nearest policeman. "We don't think he is dead," said the man, "but we have sent for a stretcher, and they will soon find out at the hospital what is wrong. Do you know the gentleman, sir?" he asked, noticing the expression of the lawyer's face.

Foscombe shook his head and pushed his way out of the crowd.

"A man has been knocked down, but he is not killed," he said to Eva, with affected cheerfulness. They are going to take him to the hospital. Shall I tell the cabman to drive on?"

"I suppose you may as well," said the girl, with a little sigh.

On the way home the lawyer's active brain was at work trying to find out how he might fit in this accident with the plot in which he was engaged. And in the end an idea suggested itself to him, bold and hazardous, but one that promised to dispel forever the doubts which he could see, sometimes haunted the mind of the girl he was deceiving.

In the morning he went to the hospital and was told that Guy was still unconscious and that the doctors feared he might remain in an unconscious or semiconscious state for some time, but that it was quite possible that he might recover. Foscombe saw his opportunity and began operations at once. His first step was to send a telegram to Eva, purporting to come from Guy's clerk, to say that Mr. Lorimer seemed rather worse, and as it was impossible to be properly nursed in chambers he had decided to go to a hospital. He then sat down and wrote a short obituary notice suitable for a newspaper paragraph. This he took to a news agent in the Strand and arranged for its appearance in an obscure paper in the north of England.

When he reached home that evening Eva was waiting for him in the hall. Her eyes showed traces of tears, and she was palpitating with excitement.

"Oh, Mr. Foscombe," she cried, "Mr. Lorimer is worse and has been taken to a hospital! Don't you think I could go there and see him?"

"Now I am glad he has had the sense to do that," exclaimed the lawyer, with an air of relief. "I have been preaching to him all this time that he would never get well cooped up in his little bedroom without proper nursing. He will be all right now, take my word for it."

"But the telegram says he is worse."

"Not seriously worse, I think," said Foscombe after looking at the telegram. "I think it means only that he was not feeling so well as yesterday. At any rate, the advantage of being in hospital under proper treatment will more than make up for that."

"Oh, you have given me comfort—great comfort, Mr. Foscombe! But you always do that," cried Eva, her cheeks flushed and her eyes shining. The scoundrel turned away his head. For the moment it was rather more than he could bear.

Eva wondered why he turned away and did not answer her. Perhaps, she thought, he was one of those people who cannot bear to be praised.

She led the way upstairs. "Don't you think that as he is in the hospital I might try to see him to-morrow?" she asked when she had reached the landing.

"Certainly. I will go down to-morrow morning and find out the hour when you can be admitted."

"Oh, thank you—thank you a thousand times. You are so good to me. What in the world should I have done without you?"

Again the stab of his accusing conscience was sharper than a knife in his heart. He turned awkwardly round, muttered something that the girl could scarcely hear and ran upstairs to his own room.

Foscombe had fallen in love with her, and he now asked himself why he should allow the baronet to carry off the prize. Since Eva was to be deceived why should he not reap the reward himself? Why not marry her and secure her fortune and leave the baronet out altogether? He knew, indeed, that Sir Rufus had some strong power over the girl's mother, but that, he told himself, was not his affair. Let Lady Roscommon look out for herself.

Of course it would be an easy matter for Sir Rufus to ruin his chances of wedded happiness by telling Eva that Guy still lived and that he had only succeeded in injuring her by practicing on her the basest and cruelest deception. But even this did not move him from his purpose. He had determined to make Eva his own at any cost—any cost to her happiness or his own interests.

Next morning he sent for a hansom and proposed to Eva that she should drive to the hospital with him and wait in the cab while he ascertained

whether she would be allowed to see Guy. Of course she eagerly consented, and they drove off together.

On the way Eva mentioned that her maid Virginia had left her that morning. "She has been very impertinent lately," said Eva, "and I think she must have been really trying to get me to dismiss her."

"We must get you another maid," he said.

"Oh, please don't! I don't want to be bothered with a maid at present. She would only be an incumbrance."

"But you must have a companion of some kind."

"No," said Eva, "I would rather be alone." And her tone was so full of sadness that he thought it better to drop the subject.

When they reached the hospital Foscombe alighted and went in. He was gone some time, and when he came out Eva saw that his face was very grave. Her heart sank.

"Is he worse?" she breathed.

"Yes; I am sorry to say he is rather worse. I am afraid he delayed being taken to the hospital too long."

"Can I see him?"

"Yes; there would be no objection to that. But I am afraid it would be very painful to you. The fact is he is unconscious."

"Oh, I ought to have insisted on seeing him before!" She buried her face in her hands and her whole body shook with her sobs. "I must see him at once."

He helped her out of the cab and together they passed into the hospital. One of the nurses came up to them and Foscombe said something to her in a whisper. She turned and led them half way up the ward. Suddenly Eva caught sight of her lover. She darted forward and in a moment was kneeling by his side. His head was bandaged, his face was white as death, his eyes were open and they had a fixed, meaningless stare. One long look at the loved face and Eva's head sank into her hands.

"She must not make a scene," the nurse said to Foscombe. "Low as the words were spoken Eva heard them."

"No, no," she gasped, "I will be very quiet just in a moment."

She rose to her feet, took off her glove and laid her hand on his cheek. But he took no notice except that his eyes wandered till they fixed themselves on her face.

"Do you know me, Guy? It is I—Eva. Don't you know me? I speak to me." An inarticulate murmur came from his lips. "He knows me!" cried the girl. "Guy, dear!" and she bent down and kissed him.

Foscombe questioned the nurse with his eyes and she shook her head. But Eva was right. When he came back to consciousness Guy believed that he had seen Eva in a dream, for it seemed impossible to him that she should have been kneeling at his side.

She waited a few minutes and Eva was obliged to own that Guy had given no other sign of consciousness.

"What is the bandage for?" she asked, and the nurse answered, "For."

There were many questions she wanted to ask, but the nurse was impatient that she should be gone, and Foscombe hurried her away. The only question to which she got an answer was, "Do the doctors think he will recover?"

"It is quite possible, they say," answered the nurse, "but no doubt it is a dangerous case." Eva's eyes were fixed on the nurse's face, and she did not see Foscombe give a slight frown and shake of the head which the nurse interpreted to mean that he did not think it was wise to give her any further information. She turned to attend to another patient, and Foscombe, taking Eva's hand, gently placed it on his arm and led her out of the ward.

That evening Eva received a telegram from Mr. Foscombe. It read: "Have inquired at the hospital. Sorry to say no improvement. Doctors fear for the worst. Shall be detained here tonight on business, but you shall hear from me in the morning."

The girl spent a night of miserable anxiety. In the morning a second telegram was put into her hands. She had scarcely strength to tear it open, and when she read it she sank on her knees with a moan, for the message was this: "Deeply grieved to say Guy much worse. Died at 4 o'clock this morning."

(To be Continued.)

### TALK OF A SUCCESSOR

#### TO COL. NELSON DUNGAN.

There are already signs of a sharp contest over the selection of a commander of the Second Regiment to succeed Colonel Nelson Y. Dungan, whose appointment to the Circuit Court bench will, it is expected in Trenton, be followed by his resignation from the National Guard.

Lieutenant-Colonel George L. Forman, of Trenton, who is naturally in line for the place, would like to have the colonelcy for a year at least, but he is not likely to get it without a contest. Booms have already been launched by officers of the regiment in favor of Horace M. Reading, of Lambertville, the senior major, and Major William B. Martin, of Elizabethtown.

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### COLLEGE BURNS

(Continued from page 1.)

of the building had become a roaring furnace and the flames were mounting skyward 150 feet when the first detail of the firemen arrived on the scene. Chief Doane and Captain Jennings saw at once that the main building was doomed and bent their efforts at saving the east wing. Here are located the engine room, kitchen and laundry. These parts were saved.

#### Priest Saves Vessels.

Father Baldwin, the priest in charge, labored hard to save some of the contents and when assistance arrived helped in directing the movements of the police, in getting out what could be reached in the way of furniture. He saved the holy vessels of the chapel, but was severely cut in attempting to get out with other pieces of furniture.

The admirable discipline of the pupils was marvelously displayed when the fire alarm was sounded by Sister Cecilia. They gathered quickly in what clothing was nearest and following their usual fire drill without a tremor of fear followed their preceptress out of the building, taking refuge temporarily in the barn farthest removed from the blazing building.

#### A Neighbor's Kindness.

Mrs. J. A. Staats aided the work of the firemen and police by preparing a boiler full of hot coffee which was given out as required and appreciated more than is easily told. Mr. Staats carried the steaming coffee to the scene of the conflagration in his automobile and he did yeoman service with his car in bringing children to the refuge in North Plainfield. Howard Woolston likewise came in for praise from the sisters for his gallant work. Mr. Woolston was here, there and everywhere directing, pulling out furniture and otherwise encouraging the fight against flames.

#### Fire Apparatus.

The fire apparatus sent in answer to the alarm consisted of the chemical engine and steamer, but their usefulness as fire extinguishers was practically nil in view of the fact that there was no water to pump and that the roaring furnace would simply have absorbed the chemical like a hungry cat would a fish. However, they rendered valuable help in saving the other buildings adjacent to those burned.

Viewed from the city the blaze was a spectacular one. From the top of the tower there issued a pillar of flame reaching high into the heavens, illuminating the surrounding country for miles in many directions. A newspaper might have been read with ease at a distance of half a mile from the fire.

#### Sisters' Colleges.

Mount St. Mary's College was situated on the southern slope of the picturesque Watchung mountains, above the intersection of Mountain avenue and Terrill road, in the township of North Plainfield. It represented an expenditure of \$150,000 and was erected by the State order of the Sisters of Mercy, who in 1873 opened their first institution at Bordentown, later opening institutions at Princeton in 1878, Louisville in 1883, Camden 1885, South Amboy 1885, Burlington 1886, Cape May 1886, Phillipsburg 1887, Red Bank 1888, Rahitlan 1889, Perth Amboy 1890, Woodbridge 1890, Keyport 1890, Bound Brook 1891, Sayreville 1895, St. Joseph's, North Plainfield

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#### Mt. St. Mary's

The beautiful college building destroyed this morning was designed by architect William A. Boring, of New York. The corner stone was laid on Sunday, May 26, by the Rt. Rev. Bishop McFaul, assisted by Mgr. J. H. Fox, who, after the laying of the stone delivered an address upon "The Influence of Christian Womanhood," which those who were present will remember for many days to come. The ceremonies were conducted during a heavy downpour of rain but thousands of people stood patiently by. The dedication ceremonies were held on Sunday, October 18, 1900, when Bishop McFaul again presided and church dignitaries, men prominent in State affairs and societies from all the surrounding towns witnessed the ceremonies. The college was first opened for classes on October 1, 1908.

#### Building Described.

The institution was an impressive looking structure of brick and limestone, with a facade of 200 feet. It commanded a superb view of the famous "Picture Lands" of New Jersey. Accommodations were provided for 200 pupils and nearly the same number of sister as instructors. The building was three stories in height and contained ninety-eight rooms. The length was 200 feet and depth eighty-two. A single story addition was afterward erected on the east end, where were situated the kitchen, heating plant, supply rooms and laundry. In the main building, there were eleven music rooms, two physical and chemical laboratories, four dormitories, sixty private rooms and one of the best equipped gymnasiums in the country. The Sisters of Mercy were assisted in their huge undertaking by David T. Kenney, of North Plainfield, who donated the forty acres of land on which the building stood, half a mile up the slope from Mountain avenue. The Bordentown institution was abandoned on the completion of Mount St. Mary's and all students were transferred here.

#### SALARY OF POLICE CLERK TO BE \$1,000.

Elizabeth, March 2.—The City Council last night passed on second reading the ordinance appropriating \$20,000 for a bond issue to be used to defray the expenses of acquiring the new library site at South Broad street and Rahway avenue. This decision was reached after a lengthy conference.

The ordinance which failed of passage at the last meeting and which fixed the salary of Police Court Clerk James F. Brown was passed last night on first and second reading. It provided a salary of \$600 per annum. To this was added an amendment making the salary \$1,000 yearly, and the ordinance was supported unanimously. At the last meeting the \$600 salary proposition, as well as a \$1,200 proposition, were defeated, as was an amendment fixing the salary at \$900 per year. The law provides that the maximum salary be \$1,200. In Camden, Hoboken and Trenton, the other cities affected by the law, the maximum sum is paid.

In answer to a question Comptroller Sauer explained that work on the public dock shed had not been begun because difficulty was found in disposing of the bonds advantageously. It was only through an older agreement that the \$20,000 river bonds were disposed of so readily, he said. Dr. Frank P. Warncke was appointed city physician in the downtown wards and Dr. Thomas F. Higgins in the upper section of the city.

#### State Fire Marshal Plan.

In the House yesterday, Mr. McGowan offered a bill to create the office of State fire marshal. He would gather statistics of fires and a permit from him would be required for the storage, sale and transportation of explosives, except in municipalities, where such supervision is provided by ordinance. He would also have the right to investigate suspicious fires. It is the same as a bill offered last year by Mr. Goldingay.

Rev. Thomas Francis, of Jersey City, will continue his series of Bible lessons under the auspices of the Woman's Christian and Missionary Alliance in the church at Duer street and Craig place, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Irving Mahley will sing a solo.

### FOREIGN MISSIONARY SEMI-CENTENNIAL

The fiftieth anniversary of the inception of organized work in the foreign missionary field will be celebrated this month in New York. Mrs. W. A. Montgomery, one of the leaders in the missionary field, has consented to present the cause before the great gatherings on March 27-30. The Women's Union Missionary Society, the first of its kind, was organized in New York in 1860 by Mrs. T. C. Doremus and it is believed fitting that this semi-centennial should therefore take the form partly as a memorial to her.

Local societies connected with the movement to stimulate foreign missionary work will take an active part in the coming celebration. They include members of the Congregational, Baptist, Presbyterian and Episcopal churches. The schedule of events as prepared by the New York committee of which Mrs. Samuel J. Broadwell, is chairman, is as follows:

March 27, a. m. Quiet day. Central committee, New York executive, speakers, chairmen of jubilee meetings, to spend the day at Murray Hill Hotel in prayer and consultation. P. M., pageant and young people's meeting, Metropolitan Opera House.

March 28, a. m. Praise and prayer, with definite objects. Calvary Baptist church, Fifty-seventh street, New York. P. M., to meet the pioneers. Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, Fifty-fifth street. Evening, with the authors of the study books. Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, Fifty-fifth street.

March 29, a. m. Conference of workers, Calvary Baptist church. Drawing-room meetings.

1 p. m. Luncheon and addresses, at Hotel Astor.

Evening, Missionary prayer meeting in all churches.

March 30, a. m. Denominational rallies. Places to be announced. P. M., Reports from all meetings and outline of future advance.

Evening, Jubilee climax, Carnegie Hall.

### TRENTON EFFORT TO CENTRALIZE CHARITY

Trenton, March 2.—To further the plan proposed by the charity committee of the Inter-church Federation, of centralizing the investigation of charity cases, a joint committee composed of representatives of the Inter-church Federation, the Chamber of Commerce and the Know-Your-City week committee met last week and appointed a sub-committee, to outline a plan for a bureau of associated charities. The joint session was the result of an invitation of the charity committee of the Inter-church Federation. This committee will prepare its report and will submit it within a week to the general committee. A number of suggestions for the central bureau were made and it is the aim of the organizers of the new bureau to make it one that will be far in advance of any charity bureau now in existence.

The plan suggested by the Inter-church Federation's committee was that all church and other charitable agencies including the city's department, co-operate and establish a central office, where reports of aid extended shall be kept and where investigations of reported cases of destitution shall be kept on file for the mutual information of all charitable organizations and individuals.

It is planned to entirely eliminate religious lines in this central bureau. Under such a bureau reported cases of need would be investigated and then reports made to the organizations or individuals seeking the information, leaving the work of giving aid to the various organizations and individuals as at present. In this way there would be no conflict between the aiding mediums, because when the investigations are completed the work of the central bureau will cease, except in special cases, where the necessity of combined assistance is shown.

The Men's Association of Warren chapel will hold its monthly meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the chapel.

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### CARE OF DRINKING WATER.

Neglect of Wells is One of the Greatest Aids to the Spread of Diseases.

In dry seasons, when wells, cisterns and country sources of water supply run low and are liable to be tainted, there is need for taking extra care to secure pure drinking water, thus avoiding serious and often fatal illnesses.

It is now well known that germ-infested water is the chief source of the dreaded typhoid fever, diphtheria and various intestinal disorders, and it cannot therefore be too cautiously guarded against.

The germs cannot in most cases be detected by the color or odor of the liquid. It may even have passed through a filter and appear clear and sparkling and yet be poisonous.

For washing and even cooking purposes absolutely pure water, though desirable, is not essential, as the heating in the preparation of food and often of coffee renders it innocuous, and in bathing there is not sufficient absorption by the skin to do injury. But drinking water is nowadays scarcely ever safe until after it has been boiled. This is somewhat troublesome, especially for the supply of a large and thirsty family, but it is a precaution that may save weeks and months of far more arduous nursing, to say nothing of the attendant suffering and anxiety.

The "finess" of boiled water may be to a certain extent overcome by pouring it back and forth from one vessel to another in the open air for a few minutes.

It is safest also to avoid cooling any beverages by putting into them lumps of ice, even that which is professionally made of distilled water, as any housekeeper will comprehend when she examines the "drip" from her refrigerator.

Water or even lemonade or frappe can be sufficiently cooled by standing it in jars surrounded by ice, but where lemons and similar acids are used these neutralize most of the dangerous disease germs. The latter may also be destroyed by the addition of three or four drops of tincture of iodine in a glass of water, which will not be perceptible to the taste.

Persons of delicate digestion should accustom themselves to drinking moderately hot water instead of that which is icy cold, as the latter for a time checks the action of stomach solvents and prevents assimilation of food.



To trap muskrats set a barrel in their run submerged for two-thirds of its height in earth or water and put an apple six inches above the center of barrel for bait.

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