

## BENEDICT-TO-BE GUEST OF HONOR

Friends of William A. Coddington Give Him a Complimentary Dinner.

## AT QUEEN CITY HOTEL

Congratulations Extended to Former City Judge on Eve of Marriage to Miss Elizabeth St. Ives—W. N. Runyon, Toastmaster.

Friends of William A. Coddington to the number of about thirty-five, gave him a complimentary dinner at the Queen City Hotel, last night, in honor of his approaching marriage to



William A. Coddington.

Elizabeth St. Ives. The guests included close, personal friends of Mr. Coddington, those who have been associated with him in a business and social way for many years, and in the speech-making which followed the excellent dinner, there were many complimentary things said about the guest of the evening.

Former City Judge William N. Runyon was the toastmaster of the evening, and after he had made a few brief remarks explaining the purpose of the dinner, he introduced the several speakers. These included, former Mayor Benjamin Arrowsmith Hegeman, Jr., for many years a resident of North Plainfield, but now of New York; Corporation Counsel Charles Arthur Reed, for sixteen years a law partner of Mr. Coddington; A. M. Beckman, Speaker of the Assembly; former Mayor Newton B. Small, former District Court Judge William Newcorn, George J. Tobin, John P. Owens, former Councilman Herbert Buxton, Hyman Adelberg, George Johnson, and former City Judge William R. Coddington. After the different speeches, Mr. Coddington himself was called upon and he made a happy response in which he thanked those present for all the nice things they had said about him. In all the remarks of the evening Mr. Coddington was the recipient of hearty congratulations and good wishes for a long, prosperous and happy life. The dinner was arranged by a committee of friends of which Hyman Adelberg was chairman, assisted by George J. Tobin, George Andrews and Newton B. Small.

Those present were William A. Coddington, Herbert Buxton, Councilman Theodore Martin, Julius Williams, Dr. Elmer Giddes, W. A. Latamore, M. F. Williams, William L. Small, A. E. Force, George Johnson, John P. Owens, J. M. Bower, Henry Pedefious, John Lauterette, William N. Runyon, William Newcorn, Charles A. Reed, Fred Ivamy, William R. Townsend, Newton B. Small, Robert L. Fitzsimmons, Morris C. VanArsdale, Amos E. Giddes, Assemblyman A. M. Beckman, John Kenworthy, H. P. Vosseller, Hyman Adelberg, Secretary of State, David S. Crater, Dr. A. H. Dandon, George Andrews, George J. Tobin, Benjamin A. Hegeman, Jr., Charles Ford, William R. Coddington, Louis St. Ives.

Mr. Coddington and Miss St. Ives will be married in New York on Wednesday, June 3, and they will immediately leave on an extended trip, after which they will make their home in Plainfield. Miss St. Ives for the past two years has been the soprano soloist at the First Baptist church, where she has made many friends. Mr. Coddington has been engaged in the practice of law here for many years. He is at present a member of the Union County Board of Taxation.

### Sale of Building Lots.

Free ride in auto bus or stage to circus ground sale of lots on Decoration Day afternoon, starting from Park and North avenues at 1 o'clock, or take Maine Line trolley to grounds.—Adv. 5 28 2\*\*\*

Neuman Brothers store will be closed all day Decoration Day, Saturday, May 30.—Adv. 5 26 4\*\*\*

Plainfield stores will be closed all day Saturday (Decoration Day). Do your shopping Friday when the stores will be open in the evening.—Adv. 5 25 5\*\*\*

## "WATCHFUL WAITING" FOR THE P. O. PLUM

Senator Martine's Continued Silence Causes Sleepless Nights.

The period of "watchful waiting" is not confined to the army and navy now stationed in the vicinity of Mexico, for there are at least "57" people in Plainfield who are experiencing that self-same thing, and will continue to do so until United States Senator James E. Martine names a successor to Postmaster E. H. Bird. The latest rumor in connection with the political plum is that the Senator's brother, D. W. Martine, is to draw the lucky prize.

When interviewed on the subject, today, Mr. Martine admitted that he had heard the rumor, but at once stamped it only as a "rumor," and he would not even say that he would accept the job if offered to him.

It was plainly evident that Mr. Martine would be the most surprised man in the world if he should receive the appointment.

While the consensus of opinion seems to be that Alvin E. Hoagland will get the office, friends of Patrick J. Reville are still working in his behalf and have been very busy circulating a petition to which a large number of signatures have been secured. The Plainfield Democratic Club even went so far as to adopt resolutions condemning the action of the postal authorities in sustaining the charges against Mr. Reville.

What is perhaps more puzzling than anything else to those interested in the appointment is the non-committal attitude of Senator Martine. He has turned a deaf ear to every inquirer on the subject. Even his brother has not been able to gain the slightest hint as to what he is likely to do, or even thinks, and he has given up trying. Direct questions are evaded with no answer at all. Just why there should be so much secrecy maintained is more than anyone has as yet been able to understand. In the meantime the faithful ones are keeping up a "watchful waiting" hoping that something will happen sooner or later.

## SNAKE VISITS CHURCH ONLY TO BE EJECTED

Charles Snowden's Appearance on the Scene Prevents a Miniature Riot.

Disturbed by the singing in the Wilson Memorial chapel in Watchung, Tuesday night, a small snake suddenly made its appearance in the center aisle and, but for the opportune appearance of a native who saw it the reptile would have created a miniature riot in the edifice. Wriggling along the carpeted aisle the snake marched proudly toward the pulpit apparently enchanted by the strains of the music being rendered in connection with the mid-week services. Although frightened at first the reptile gradually became accustomed to the voices and organ accompaniment and made its way unhindered up the pathway.

Many there were who saw the reptile in the midst of its maneuvering, but the congregation was composed largely of the fair sex and for a time none ventured to put an end to the innocent creature's explorations. Some women held their breath and others murmured in a terror stricken manner to their companions and those in adjoining pews.

All breathed a sigh of relief, however, when Charles Snowden, a native of the hamlet, appeared on the scene and recognized the snake as the one that has been making its abode for some time in the church yard, apparently preparing itself for its triumphal march down the aisle. Snowden attracted the attention of the creeper and had little trouble in ejecting it as an undesirable. Following this procedure the services were continued and upon assurances that the offender had been placed in solitary confinement, women went to their homes as they had come.

### MINSTREL SHOW.

The last of the amateur minstrel shows this season will be held at the Park Club, Tuesday night, June 12, under the auspices of the Warren Athletic Club. The proceeds of the entertainment will be used in defraying the expenses of the baseball team during the coming season. Rehearsals have been held for several weeks and a production of merit is expected from the young men.

### EVTRAVANGANCE NOTE.

The antiquated old lamps that have been doing service in the Clinton Avenue station since Bennett Britton was a boy, are being taken out today. Electric lights are being substituted.

—Try a Press want ad.

## HONOR GUARD FOR G. A. R. VETERANS

Boy Scouts Will Act as An Escort in Decoration Day Parade.

## ORDERS ARE ISSUED

Complete Information Regarding Regulations Set Forth by Scout Commissioner—Demonstration to Be An Imposing Event.

General orders were issued today by Commissioner Allen E. Beals, through Deputy Commissioner A. V. Searing, Jr., to leaders of Boy Scout patrols in the Plainfield jurisdiction governing their movements on Decoration Day when they will serve as a guard of honor to the G. A. R. veterans.

Leaders of all patrols will assemble their scouts at the rear of the First Presbyterian church, West Front street, opposite Church street, at 8:30 Saturday morning. Leaders will see that scouts report in full equipment including ponchos, haversacks, canteens, red bandana handkerchiefs about their necks and with staffs for use in forming cordons at the cemeteries.

Leaders will report for inspection to Assistant Scoutmasters of their respective troops. Patrols will then be turned over by Scoutmasters to Commissioner as General Scout Commander who will assign officers of march. The insignia officer detailed as mounted aid to the Commandant of the G. A. R. division will be Charles Eaton, Troop 5. Line officers will be Deputy Commissioner A. V. Searing, Jr., as First Assistant Scoutmaster Wendell C. Glover, Troop 5; Third Assistant Scoutmaster W. A. W. Thompson, of Troop 5; Scoutmaster A. E. Sprowl, Troop 11; Scoutmaster Charles R. Bostwick, Troops 9 and 10; Scoutmaster Joseph A. Garner, of Troop 7, and Assistant Scoutmaster Earl Victorson, Troop 12. Marching commands will be issued by the Deputy Commissioner for entire scout column through line officers.

Full pipe, drum and bugle corps will report all to be concentrated in one body at head of scout column. American, Troop, patrol, Red Cross flags and honor pennants will be carried in line.

Scout column will move from Scout Headquarters at 9 o'clock, immediately after inspection and a brief address by the Commissioner regarding new rules to be followed by scouts entitled to enjoy the privileges of Camp King, the Plainfield scout training quarters, column will move to point where procession will start, Second street and Central avenue.

The formation of Troops in line will be on a numerical basis as follows: Flags, music, squads; Troop 5, Troop 7, Troop 8; Troops 9 and 10, Troop 11, Troop 12 and Red Cross Patrol, Thomas P. Fitch, leader.

Scouts will bring up the rear of the entire column. At the cemeteries, however, they will march in columns of twos, dividing at point designated by mounted insignia officer Eaton, and forming a staff cordon around the veterans and soldiery to keep spectators from crowding the veterans during exercises. A flower detail, consisting of Lion, Dear and Tiger patrols of Troop 7 will hold themselves available for aiding the veterans in distributing flowers on graves of their comrades. Cordon scouts will hold their position until summoned to reform into line by bugle call "Assembly," again falling into rear of procession and after the ceremonies at the Plainfield avenue cemetery, scouts will march in a body, none being allowed to drop out of line, to point of disbandment, Central avenue and West 2nd street.

This will end the formal scout activities for the day. Many of the scout patrols plan to repair to their encampments at Camp King in the afternoon, there to officially stake out their claims and to complete the construction of their cabins, signal towers and to make surveys for bridges. The agricultural squads will clear their ground for planting and the engineering division will lay out the drainage and sanitary systems. Supper will be prepared by patrols and in the evening it is planned to have an inter-troop staking contest. The last scout will leave the camp not later than 8:30.

—The best in town—Force's shoe department for classy white shoes. See the white nu buck colonial.—Adv.

—Ice cream, second to none, "Kandy Shoppe," 139 East Front street on Saturday, opening day. Music in evening.—Adv.

—Among the fresh fruits and vegetables which will be offered tomorrow by Neuman Brothers for the holiday and Sunday table will be Maryland strawberries and asparagus, green and wax beans, green peas, Boston head lettuce, cucumbers and tomatoes.—Adv.

## COMPLETE PEACE PLAN THIS WEEK

That is Expectation at Washington and Niagara Falls as Outcome of Mediation.

## PRESIDENT IS PLEASED

He and Secretary Bryan Wearing "Smile That Won't Come Off" Over Mysterious Messages Received Regarding A. B. C. Conference.

(From Central News.) Washington, May 28.—Complete satisfaction with the progress of the Niagara Falls mediation conference was expressed at the White House today. Both President Wilson and Secretary Bryan declared themselves delighted with the trend of events, and both appeared to be in highly optimistic frame of mind. Neither at the White House nor the State Department could it be learned what news had so raised the spirits of the administration.

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 28.—It is not probable that the reports from Washington are correct in which it is rumored that a protocol for the settlement of the Mexican difficulty has been prepared and sent to President Wilson and Secretary Bryan, and is now being considered by them. Only one full conference has been held, that of last Saturday, and no definite proposition was submitted at that time.

The protocol can come only after a full conference of the mediators, Mexicans and Americans. Such will be held this afternoon if nothing occurs to change the plan formed last night.

This morning an attaché of the Mexicans said that he should not be surprised if the entire matter were settled today or at least arrangements made for a successful ending of the conferences within a week. On the other hand, it is known definitely that the Americans have no expectation of such a happy result. They expect every question to be carefully and fully considered, both here and at Washington before a settlement and that will consume much time. The Mexicans doubtless would like to reach an agreement with the United States as soon as possible, because then this country would be obliged to support Huerta and become active against Carranza.

The mediators and delegates were wearied this morning from the hard day yesterday. Suarez, subject to cordiness, has hardly recovered from an uncomfortable experience on the train.

Vera Cruz, May 28. (From A. J. Roike, Central News Correspondent.)—"La Opinion" states that Senor Lascruain and Don Luis Venzex are now most prominently mentioned for the Provisional Presidency of Mexico to succeed General Huerta. Both of these men are supporters of the Madero faction in Mexican politics.

Seven Americans, five nuns and a number of Spaniards, French and Germans were upon the refugee train which arrived today from Mexico City. Refugees reported that the Capitol is quiet and that hundreds of volunteers many of whom are government employees are being drilled daily.

Washington, May 28.—Awakening patriotism took a queer turn today when a local Armenian importer of rugs inserted in the morning newspapers the following advertisement: "We wish to advise all officers stationed in Washington, Fort Myer, Annapolis and Fort Monroe, that in the event of their absence we will store all their Oriental, domestic, Indian and fur rugs absolutely free of charge until their return. We will also pack and forward your rugs to any part of the world when requested."

The importer, whose name is a weird jumble of vowels and consonants, is pessimistic as to the peace outlook, and already has set aside a big part of his warehouse to care for the army and navy household goods.

### FUNERAL OF ROBERT HART.

The funeral services of the late Robert Hart, who died Tuesday evening at the Soldiers' Home, Kearney, will be held tomorrow morning from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles H. Burnett, 113 Washington street at 8:30, and from St. Mary's R. C. church at 9 o'clock, where a high mass of requiem will be offered. Interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery.

### NO PAPER SATURDAY.

Following its invariable custom there will be no edition of the Daily Press on Saturday, May 30, Decoration Day. 5 26 4

—Opening of the "Kandy Shoppe" on Decoration Day, 139 East Front street.—Adv.

## MYSTERIOUS FIRE ENTAILS BIG LOSS

Blaze in Slonim Home Discovered Last Night After Occupants Had Left.

## WATER DAMAGE GREAT

Flames Discovered in Butler's Pantry Assume Rapid Headway and Threaten Destruction of Dwelling—Loss Estimated at \$6,500.

Smoke and flames issuing from the side of Leo Slonim's house at 11 Prospect place shortly after 9 o'clock last night attracted the attention of neighbors who sent in a telephone call to fire headquarters. When the firemen arrived on the scene the house was a mass of flames and a call was sent in from box 151 bringing out the borough's entire fire fighting corps. The blaze assumed rapid headway and one portion of the structure appeared doomed when the apparatus arrived.

Starting in the butler's pantry on the first floor, the flames ate their way through the walls to the second floor and burned with an intense heat that made the firemen's work difficult. The blaze sent out a dense smoke that completely filled the interior of the house and did much damage to contents that were left untouched by fire and water.

The Slonim family was attending a motion picture entertainment in a West Front street theatre at the time and their home was locked up. To gain entrance the firemen had to cut their way through a door and once inside they were several times beaten back by the clouds of smoke that enveloped the building. Notified of the conflagration Mr. Slonim hurried to the Prospect avenue residence, arriving as the firemen were pouring streams of water on the threatening flames that shot in all directions. Considerable damage was experienced by Chief McCullough and his men in holding the fire to the side of the building where it started and considering the start the blaze got before it was discovered the result of their efforts was highly commendable. Water and smoke caused heavy damage to the house and furniture and an estimate furnished by the fire department this morning placed the loss at \$6,500.

Mr. Slonim and his wife left the house in charge of a servant at 8 o'clock, and when questioned by her employer she said that she had left the place to go to church at 8:15. The cause of the fire is a mystery, neither the fire authorities nor Mr. Slonim being able to assign a cause.

## HARRY GOLDSTEIN TAKES UNTO HIMSELF A BRIDE

Patrons of the West Fourth street trolley line, have just learned the cause of the ever-present smile and buoyant manner that have monopolized the actions of Harry Goldstein, the popular conductor, for the past five months. Somebody passed the word around yesterday that he has been married all that time, but had kept the fact secret. When questioned by a Daily Press reporter, last night, he smiled broader than ever and admitted his guilt.

The present Mrs. Goldstein was formerly Miss Jennie Seidman, of Newark, and the ceremony was performed in this city on December 17 last. The couple are now residing at 80 Chatham street. Mr. Goldstein is one of the best known public service railway men in the city and his many friends are beginning to shower him with belated congratulations.

## INTERRUPTED SALE WILL BE CONTINUED TOMORROW

The fair and sale at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Sidney R. Titworth, at 926 Park avenue, yesterday afternoon, was interrupted by the storm which swept over the city during the middle of the afternoon. In consequence it was decided to continue the sale tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock at the same place.

The proceeds will be given to The Day Nursery, one of the city's most worthy charities. The articles offered for sale have been made by the Misses Dorothy and Stella Butler, Florence Alpaugh, Helen and Marion Titworth and Helen Patterson, who with Mrs. Titworth are in charge of the arrangements.

Decoration Day Shoe Needs at Van Arsdale's.

Cool summer shoes for the outings on that day—and the mid-summer weather that is to follow. Open tomorrow night until 11 o'clock, closed Saturday, May 30.—Adv.

## WOMAN WAS VICTIM OF MAN'S FRAME-UP

Mrs. Rabenold Arrested on Warrant Sworn out by Husband.

Chief Kiely, of the local police department, was notified by the chief of the Allentown police yesterday, to apprehend Mrs. Mary Rabenold who had been traced to this city following the swearing out of a warrant by the Allentown authorities. Jesse Rabenold, her husband, had secured a warrant for her arrest on a complaint charging her with a marital infraction and steps had accordingly been taken by the Allentown police to locate the woman.

Investigation brought out the fact that she had been living in this city for some time and was employed here. Chief Kiely had her arrested in accordance with the request of the Pennsylvania chief and she was arraigned in the city court this morning when her husband came here to bring her back. The woman related a story of marital trouble and abuse suffered at the hands of her husband and said that she had left him because of his cruelty. The straightforwardness with which she related her story appealed to the local chief and upon investigation he found that she had been employed here for some time as a clerk and could secure excellent recommendations from those with whom she has come in contact.

Quipped concerning his reasons for swearing out the warrant the husband classed it as a mistake and requested the court to order her back to her former home in his custody. Judge DeMeza, in disposing of the case, scored Rabenold for his action and ordered him out of town at once. Threatened with arrest and apparently resigning himself to his guilt the man made all possible haste to get away from the court room while the case against Mrs. Rabenold was dismissed.

## BOARD DISCUSSES NEED OF NEW SCHOOL

Matter Will Be Decided at a Meeting to Be Held June 9.

The immediate need of a new twelve-room school building for the city was informally discussed at a meeting of the Board of School Estimate held at the High School last night. Mayor Percy H. Stewart and Messrs. William S. Tyler, Floyd T. Woodhull and B. VanD. Hedges were present. No action was taken, but it is understood that the board will act definitely on the matter on Tuesday night, June 9.

In view of the fact that Councilmen Leighton Calkins and R. A. Claybrook could not attend last night's meeting, it was decided to adjourn it to June 9, when it is expected that there will be a full meeting. The Board of Education feel very strongly that a decision on the school question should be made by the Board of School Estimate at the earliest possible date. Otherwise it will be impossible to complete the proposed new building in time for its use at the beginning of the school year in the fall of 1915.

### EARTHQUAKES RECORDED.

London, May 28.—Reports have just reached here from Australia that the most severe earthquake ever recorded on Australian seismographs were registered today at the River-view Government Observatory. The tremors lasted fully three hours and disturbances are believed to have occurred in the neighborhood of Friendly Island in the South Pacific ocean.

### INSTALLING NEW SWITCH.

The Public Service Corporation is today installing an electric switch at Front and Somerset streets, similar to those in use throughout Newark and the suburbs. Heretofore motormen have been obliged to change the switch, thereby causing a delay oftentimes of several minutes. By the new arrangement there will be no delay.

### HOTEL IMPROVEMENTS.

William Kitchen, proprietor of the Hotel Kensington, is today making quite an improvement, by having a new door cut into the dining-room on North avenue, which will permit patrons to enter the room without going through the hotel proper.

—Plainfield stores will be closed all day Saturday (Decoration Day). Do your shopping Friday when the stores will be open in the evening.—Adv. 5 25 5\*\*\*

—The auction sale of household goods at 209 Grant avenue has been postponed until 2 p. m. tomorrow. All of the goods are in fine condition. See account of sale in another column.—Adv.

## JURY'S VERDICT AGAINST BROKAW

Lincoln Man Found Guilty of Atrocious Assault With Intent to Kill.

## BORE AN OLD GRUDGE

Employee of Dunellen Plant the Victim of His Wrath—Figured in Murder of John Rafferty Here Five Years Ago—Was Acquitted.

Clinton Brokaw, of Lincoln, was convicted of atrocious assault with intent to kill by a Middlesex county Petit Jury following a trial before Judge Daly in New Brunswick yesterday. Brokaw fired four shots at John J. Rafferty, an employee of the Lehigh Steel Works at Dunellen, near Lincoln on the night of April 14. He will be sentenced in New Brunswick tomorrow.

Testifying yesterday in his own behalf Brokaw stated that he had been drinking on the evening before the alleged crime and had awoke at 5 o'clock the day of the shooting. He said he then finished up a pint of whiskey and after having his breakfast went to Plainfield, had several more drinks, and returned to Lincoln at noon-time, in such shape that he could remember nothing more. Under cross-examination he admitted he remembered putting a pistol in his pocket on the day of the shooting, and explained this by saying that "dogs were so bad that you couldn't put your feet outdoors without running into danger."

John J. Rafferty, the victim, testified that he left his home about 7 o'clock the night of April 14 to go to the grocery store. He saw Brokaw on the other side of the street going in the opposite direction and said that the latter was slightly intoxicated. He declared that he kept his eye on Brokaw, explaining that he was in fear of the man, and when he saw him reach into his trousers' pocket, he fell to the ground and saw three or four flashes from a revolver in Brokaw's hands and heard the reports. There had been no argument, no words spoken.

Mrs. Marion Butler, a witness for the prosecution, testified that she was at the window in her home when she saw the defendant take out a pistol and fire across the street four times. She couldn't say that he had fired at Rafferty, but said that the latter was the only one in the immediate vicinity. Counsel for the defense moved for a direction of the verdict for the defendant on the ground that no intent had been shown, but the court denied this request.

Brokaw was tried for killing Rafferty's father five years ago, being arraigned for murder in the first degree. He secured an acquittal at that time on the ground of self-defense. The State's case rested largely upon the assumption that the defendant had harbored an ill-will against the Rafferty family since the time the elder Rafferty was killed, but Assistant Prosecutor Strickler was able to get the facts of the other shooting before the jury only indirectly.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL HOLD RECEPTION IN CLUB

Arrangements have been completed for the reception to be given by the house committee of Columbus Club, tomorrow night. Invitations have been sent to the Knights and their women friends of Westfield, Somerville, New Brunswick, Rahway, Elizabeth, Newark, Montclair and Summit. The committee wishes it understood that friends and members of the organization are cordially invited, and as in former affairs of this nature the women will be allowed to bowl, play pool and tables will be arranged in the parlors of the club for those who wish to pass the evening in playing cards.

The large auditorium will be given over to dancing, the music for which will be furnished by VanEps' banjo orchestra of four pieces and will be under the personal direction of Mr. VanEps. A large reception committee will act in conjunction with the house committee and an enjoyable evening is guaranteed all those who attend. During the evening refreshments will be served.

### MARTINE TO SPEAK.

Senator James E. Martine is scheduled as one of the speakers at the dinner and get-together gathering of the Middlesex county Democrats to be held on June 11, at the Hotel Kleine, New Brunswick.

—Music 8 to 11 p. m. Decoration Day. Opening of the "Kandy Shoppe," 139 East Front street.—Adv.

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Friday only, choice of our regular \$1.00 shirts, in all sizes, at only, each 79c

#### MEN'S HOSE 19c.

Regular 25c and 35c.

Friday only, men's hse and silk half hose in black and colors, at only, a pair 19c

#### WOMEN'S SILK HOSE 75c A PAIR.

Regular \$1.00.

Friday only, women's silk hose in black, tan, pink and blue, at only, a pair 75c

#### WOMEN'S WAISTS \$1.00.

Value \$1.25.

Included are voiles with lace ruffing, low neck and short sleeves; lawn with embroidered fronts with stiff organdie collars, etc.; all at 1.00

#### WHITE WASH SKIRTS 95c.

Value \$1.25 values.

White pique, reps, linen color, etc., in the latest styles; your choice Friday only, each 95c

#### LONG SILK GLOVES 95c.

Regular \$1.25.

Women's 16-button length silk gloves; with the new tucks; black and white; Friday only 95c

#### WOMEN'S WAISTS \$1.95.

Regular \$2.25 and \$2.50.

Made of fine voiles, embroidered fronts, lace inserts, cross bar trimmings, roll collars of net, etc., at only, each 1.95

#### POUND CAN OF TALCUM POWDER 10c.

Value 25c.

Fine borated Violet Talcum Powder; A-1 quality; at only, a can 10c

#### WOMEN'S DRESSES \$2.95.

Values up to \$7.50.

For Friday only, your choice of very latest style Wash Dresses; including all linen, at only, each 2.95

#### TABLE GLASSES 19c A DOZEN.

Regular 30c.

Friday only, good strong table or water glasses; limit 2 dozen to one customer, at only, a dozen 19c

## Friday Men's Shoe Special—All \$5 Shoes at \$4.45

This includes high and low shoes in black patent leather, black gun metal, black vici kid, tan Russia; rubber soles, white buck rubber soles—Friday at only \$4.45 a pair.

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in the chapel. A sketch, entitled "Then and Now," will be given by about thirty people.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spach and George Spach, of Brooklyn, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Oesterling, at Beechwood Heights, on Tuesday.

During fair week, June 20 to 27, the South Bound Brook Fire Company will award to the most popular fire company in Bound Brook a handsome silver trumpet.

Rural Carrier J. V. N. Polhemus was at New Brunswick yesterday attending the trial of Clinton Brokaw, of Lincoln.

Abraham D. Vander Veer, from Washington, D. C., is spending a few days with his sister, Miss Rebecca Vander Veer, of East Main street.

During the Summer months, Mr. Shafer, of the New Brunswick Theological Seminary, will have charge of the services at the East Somerville Reformed Chapel.

A man was found in the woods near Harlingen yesterday with his throat cut, and it is believed that he committed suicide. There was nothing on his person to identify, and he was unknown in that vicinity. County Physician Long was notified, and he took charge of the case. The man had been dead 18 hours when found.



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#### COMING EVENTS.

##### THURSDAY

Plainfield Council, K. A. lecture at the Babcock building.

##### FRIDAY

Reception at Columbus Club.

##### SATURDAY

C. A. R. services at cemeteries—A. M.

G. A. R. Memorial service at Reformed Hall—Afternoon.

P. H. S. Senior play at Theatre—Evening.

Memorial service at St. Mary's R. C. church, nine o'clock.

##### SUNDAY

Jr. O. U. A. M. Memorial Day.

G. A. R. at St. Mary's church at evening service.

#### BACK FROM THE COAST

Bartham Sherman, of Clinton, N. J., returned to Plainfield a few days ago after a three years' stay on the Pacific coast. Most of his time was spent in California, but he was also in Oregon and Alaska. Mr. Sherman says there are great opportunities for young men in Alaska and he will probably return there after a visit with his parents. The shows the effects of life in the open and says his health has never been better.

#### NO PAPER SATURDAY.

Following its invariable custom there will be no edition of the Daily Press on Saturday, May 30, Decoration Day.

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#### 'Plains & Farwood.

Exercises appropriate to Decoration Day will be held in the assembly room of Public School No. 1 at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Patriotic songs and recitations will be rendered by the pupils. Edward Willis and Henry E. Frazer, the latter a resident of the Plains, and both Civil War veterans, have been delegated by the G. A. R. to be present at the exercises. They will talk on some feature of the war that they were connected with. For the first time in many years the children will miss the presence of Captain Hand who will be absent.

The players in this place are planning to organize for Decoration Day under the name of the Farwood All-Stars and journey to Watchung where they will try to get the verdict over the strong Watchung A. C.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the All Saints' Episcopal church held at the home of Mrs. Albert Ribbet on Russell road yesterday afternoon and considerable work was accomplished.

Miss Emily Garda, of North avenue, who is a member of the graduating class at the Plainfield High School, takes the leading role in the annual senior play which will be given in the Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and Saturday evening. The play is entitled "If I Were King," and will be witnessed by many local people.

The Plainfield Board of Education has notified the Farwood Township Board of Education that the rate of tuition for local children attending the High School in that place will remain the same next year as it is this. The rate charged by the Westfield Board is the same as Plainfield.

An "Eight Social" is in progress at the Willow Grove chapel this afternoon and evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the chapel. A novel form of entertainment will also be presented this evening.

Miss Kye will give a reception to the two older classes of the All Saints' Episcopal Sunday-school, this evening.

Mrs. William Hillyer and daughter, Mrs. John Decker, of Poughkeepsie, are visiting Mrs. Hillyer's daughter, Mrs. Thomas Weller, of Park avenue.

The New York & New Jersey Telephone Company has just finished the stringing of a cable from Plainfield to this place in an endeavor to give better service to the rapidly increasing number of subscribers.

Camp Endeavor on the ridge of the first mountain will be opened in about ten days, for the summer. It is an open air camp that has been in existence for about five years and is operated under the supervision of a New York's children society in order to give some of the city's poor a chance to spend a few weeks in the country who would otherwise be obliged to stay at home. The youngsters are brought out in companies of twenty and remain two weeks.

The meetings of the Lincoln Social Club have been discontinued for the summer months.

#### Somerville

Mrs. Edward Mitchell has returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods, at North Branch.

The graduating exercises of the Class of 1914, Junior Choir of the First Reformed church, will be held in the church this evening. The members of the choir are Miss Geraldine Beavers, Miss Euphonia Cowen, Miss Isabel Edwards, Miss Elizabeth McBride, Miss Eleanor Sutphen and Niel Van Ness. They will be assisted in the evening's program by Miss Evelyn Evans Gebhardt, of the Class of 1911, of the Clinton Children's Choir, and by the Junior Choir of the Reformed church at Raritan. The director of the choir is Miss Elizabeth Van Fleet Vosseller, and the organists are Miss Laura E. Hoagland, Miss Evelyn Lindquist and Norman Langis. The honor students of the choir are Harold Packer and Raymond Sutphen.

The date of the Union excursion from this place to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove is July 28. This will comprise the First Reformed Baptist, Methodist, St. John's, Fourth Reformed, of this place, and the Reformed Sunday-school at Raritan.

The wedding of Miss Helen Matin, of Blackwell's Mills, and George Havestrife, of Somerville, will take place on Saturday.

The fine residence of the late Mrs. Elizabeth M. Cooke, on Altamont place, together with the contents, will be offered at public sale on Wednesday and Thursday, June 17 and 18.

#### Bound Brook.

Mrs. M. A. Balcon, of Chicago, Ill., is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bertram.

Jacob Teston, of Raritan, was a Sunday guest of his brother Jason. The pupils of Miss Phillips will give their annual musical recital in the Methodist church Friday evening, June 5.

Mrs. C. A. Barnes, of Quakertown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Gillespie.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will give an entertainment on Tuesday, June 2.

#### Dunellen & Vicinity

The monthly meeting of the Board of Stewards was held in the classroom of the Methodist church Monday evening.

Rev. D. W. C. Ramsey, pastor, will preach a Memorial Day sermon at the Methodist church, Sunday evening, to the resident veterans of the Civil and Spanish and American wars, and the members of the O. U. A. M., P. O. S. of A., and Daughters of Liberty, of the borough and New Market who have been invited to attend this service. Mayor Latham has consented to preside at this service. The church will be appropriately decorated and there will be special singing for the occasion.

The Men's Bible Class, of the Methodist church that was organized

a few Sabbath's ago is proving very successful. The membership has been increased and added interest has been shown. A formal organization of the class will take place next week. Miss Anna Wiedenhaupt and Miss Martha Kratzel are spending several days in Brooklyn as the guests of Mrs. Paul Schwartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ozmund, of New Market road, are the parents of a daughter.

T. D. Baerman, of Mountainview Terrace, was a visitor in New York yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Smith and Mrs. Joseph Weiner, of Center street, were guests of Mrs. Catharine Smith, of Raritan, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram VanArsdale are entertaining relatives from Summit.

Mrs. Firman H. Gise, of Front street, has returned from a week's visit with Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Jameson, at Asbury Park.

Miss Katherine Samson, of New Market road, is visiting her aunt, Miss Christine Maag, of Plainfield.

Firman H. Gise has been awarded the mason contract of the new house that J. Newton Apgar is going to erect for Dr. T. H. Platt, Jr., on Dunellen avenue.

W. S. Frederick, of Philadelphia, was a visitor at his home on Dunellen avenue last evening.

Emil J. Zarr, of North avenue, will spend the week-end with friends in Brooklyn.

Mrs. D. K. A. Hamlin, of New Market road, received word yesterday morning that her father, John Meeker, had died Tuesday night.

While Mr. Meeker had been in very poor health since experiencing a paralytic stroke about five years ago, his death was very sudden and came as a great shock to the members of his family. Among those who survive Mr. Meeker is his mother, aged eighty-six years.

Mrs. W. H. Connors and two daughters, Alice and Irene, of Front street, sailed this morning on the White Star liner Celtic for Europe. They will be gone for at least two months. After spending a month in touring England they will go to Ireland, where they will spend the remaining portion of their time with Mrs. Connors' mother.

John C. Apgar, of German Valley, and Miss Lillian Sutton, of Cokesbury, were quietly married at Peapack yesterday. After spending their honeymoon at Niagara Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Apgar will take up their residence in the house that they recently purchased from Lind McVicker, on Dunellen avenue.

Miss Ida Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Strickland, of Second street, was tendered a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday evening by thirty-five of her friends from Brooklyn, Bloomfield, Plainfield, Bound Brook and this place, in honor of her approaching marriage to Robert W. Wright, of Brooklyn.

Many pretty and useful gifts were received by Miss Strickland. The evening was pleasantly passed with dancing and music. The serving of a collation was in charge of Mrs. Theodore W. Day and Mrs. S. R. Strickland.

Two baseball teams, one picked from the O. Z. T. fraternity and the other from the Crescent T-nuts Club, will cross bats on Maurer Oval at 10 o'clock on Memorial Day morning.

The O. Z. T.'s will lineup as follows: Vall, left field; Runyon, center field; Starker, right field; Benson, first base; Martin, second base; Cole, shortstop; Maurer, third base; Vliet, catcher; Dodwell, pitcher. Just who the Crescents will have has not been learned as yet, but it is thought that they will have some ringers.

Emmanuel Appert, of the Crescents, will in all probability do the umpiring. A good lively game is anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brayer, of Dunellen avenue, have received a visit from the stork.

Mrs. Frank Margentino took her daughter, Mabel, to the Roth Institute, Brooklyn, yesterday, to have the braces on her limbs realtered.

**Bargain Basement Spec.**  
Men's 50c French Balbriggan Underwear, 39c.

**Bargain Basement Spec.**  
Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts 79c

## Extra Specials for Friday

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For misses and ladies; actual honest values up to \$15.98; sizes 16 to 44; special for Friday, \$5.95 and 9.95

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Marked special for Friday at 1.79 98c and

Actual values up to \$3.00; excellent assortment of several very good and newest models in pique, French linen and ratine.

#### PARASOL SPECIAL FOR FRIDAY.

All newest dainty styles: Child's regular 50c Parasols, 39c \$1.98 and \$2.25 ladies' silk Parasols, \$1.49

#### LADIES' PANAMA HATS AT SPECIAL PRICES.

Excellent assortment of new styles; regular \$3 and \$3.50 value; special for Friday only 1.98

#### DAINTY WHITE COATS FOR CHILDREN FROM 1 TO 4.

Several dainty styles to select from; for little tots; sold regular up to \$2.98; marked special \$1.49 and 1.98

#### WHITE GOODS SPECIALS.

98c Fancy Crepe Night Gowns, 79c \$1.25 Misses' fine nainsook Princess Slips; sizes from 6 to 16, 79c 75c Low Neck Gowns, several styles, 49c 50c Ladies' Muslin Drawers, 39c

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## Special Values Will be Given in Apparel of Every Sort—Buy Your Needs for Decoration Day Here on Friday!

Since Decoration Day comes on Saturday, we shall make every effort to transact our usual Saturday's business on Friday. We're going to make it interesting for you to come here Friday and buy your Decoration Day requirements by offering special values in nearly every department of the store. So far as our business is concerned, Friday will be Friday in name only. In every other respect it will be Saturday for us—the end of the week, and the day upon which people buy their new apparel and other needs for the week-end holiday. Only this Friday will be an even bigger bargain day than Saturday with us.

### HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR—MANY SPECIAL VALUES!

Specials that you cannot afford to let pass. Come and get your share of them.



25c GAUZE WEIGHT SILK BOOT STOCKINGS 19c.

In black, melrose, white, tan, green and grey; specially priced for Friday at 19c

25c IPSWICH GAUZE LISLE HOSE AT 19c.

Have high spliced heels, double sole and toe, in black, white and tan; special for Friday at 19c

25c FULL FASHIONED SOCKS 15c.

Children's White Socks, colored tops; 4 to 8 1/2; regular 25c value, at pair 15c

OUR NO. 1200 THREAD SILK FULL FASHIONED BOOT STOCKING 43c.

It is the best 50c number sold anywhere; boot is pure thread silk; double sole, and high spliced heel, lisle top; Friday only, pr. 43c

#### GLOVES.

We now have in stock and offer at the lowest possible prices, a full line of sizes in all lengths and colors in silk and lisle, of the famous Kayser's Patent Double Finger-Tipped Gloves, at \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c and 50c a pair

#### STYLISH NECKWEAR.

In a variety of shapes and materials. In this department, you will find us well stocked with the newest neck pieces to be found anywhere; very moderately priced from—

25c to \$2.98 Each.

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Soft Shirts of Figured and White Soisette—plain neckbands and detachable collars; French cuffs; excellent workmanship, at... \$1

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Roxford-Otis-Lawrence Shirts, Drawers and Union Suits are among the different makes of summer underwear we have for men. In white and ecru; per garment... 50c and \$1.00



ALL-OVER SHADOW LACE WAIST \$2.98

Made over silk chiffon, shadow lace collar, cuffs and front; a very special value, at 2.98

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Made over net, shadow lace front and sleeves; silk tango cord; a special value at 2.98

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Has Gladstone collars and cuffs of organdie and tango tie of silk moire ribbon; a great value at 2.49

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In sailor blouse and Russians; good line of colors, both light and dark and a splendid assortment of all white in linen, rep, poplin and real linen; priced at per suit 98c to 2.98

ARE YOU GOING TO TAKE A TRIP DECORATION DAY? THEN SEE OUR SUIT CASES AND SATCHELS.

Of solid or split cowhide, rattan or matting, in a variety of sizes and shapes, in brown, russet and black; from 50c to \$10 Full line of trunks of all kinds and sizes.

NAZARETH WAIST UNION SUITS.

For boys and girls, are the coolest for summer wear, since the one garment answers for two. Economical because you save the price of the body waist; sizes 4 to 12; reg. 50c; special for Friday... 43c

WOMEN'S GENUINE LISLE UNION SUITS 39c.

Derby ribbed gauze weight; regularly 50c; on sale Friday, at, suit 39c

WOMEN'S GENUINE LISLE VESTS 19c.

Gauze weight lisle vests; very elastic; splendid quality regular 25c; Friday, each 19c

Boys' Khaki Pants—Made of standard quality government Khaki, in every desirable dark tan, splendidly tailored; sizes 6 to 17; a pair 59c

THE NEW 6-INCH PATENT LEATHER BELT.

Wide patent leather belts are not only very popular but scarce. We secured a special lot; 6 inches wide with large bow in front; regular 50c value, that go on sale today at, each 25c

WASHABLE FOUR-IN-HANDS

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OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF HIGH-CLASS COAT SUITS ARE NOW BEING OFFERED AT A QUICK CLEAN-UP PRICE. GET IN ON THIS AND YOU'LL NOT REGRET IT. CHOICE OF ANY COAT SUIT IN THE HOUSE, REGARDLESS OF FORMER PRICE; ALL THIS SEASON'S MODELS, AT 14.98

#### TWO SEPCIALS IN LINEN DUSTERS.

Next to the auto, a duster is most essential for your cross-country rides. We offer two special values:

Special No. 1—Made of good quality material, cut 56 inches long; sizes 34 to 44, at 1.98

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#### DECORATION DAY SPECIALS IN WHITE SKIRTS.

Lot No. 1—Consists of about 50 pique and linen skirts; nicely made, \$1.25 values, at 79c

Lot No. 2—White Skirts, made of good quality repp, trimmed with pearl buttons; the regular \$1.49 quality; at 98c

Others made of finest quality repp and French Linen—best tailoring and perfect fitting, at—\$1.98, \$3.98, \$4.98 and \$5.98.

#### GOOD QUALITY PANAMA HATS.

With wide silk band; a good looking summer hat, at 4.98

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### Bad Blood Always Has Existed Between Mexico and United States

NEVER since Mexico became an independent republic in 1821 has there been anything except "bad blood" between that nation and the United States. The history of their international intercourse is a continuous round of strained diplomatic relations, border squabbles, wars and warlike demonstrations. Mexicans today believe Uncle Sam covets an overlordship over their nation. Mexico when it won independence from Spain was twice its present area and equal in size to the United States of that day. Every foot of territory it has lost has gone to the United States. In recent years certain interests in the United States have clamored openly for further annexation—the states of Tamaulipas, Nuevo Leon, Coahuila, Chihuahua, Sonora and Lower California. Thus, Mexicans reason, Uncle Sam, having once halved their nation, seeks to do so again. In their eyes the "gringos" are land hungry, and history for 100 years seems to prove their statements.

After the purchase of Louisiana a picturesque adventure in the eyes of lively Americans was to buy Texas. Mexico refused. At length further colonization was forbidden. Americans, however, continually slipped across the border.

Mexico attempted to collect taxes in Texas by force. Texas, under Sam Houston and Colonel James Bowie, revolted. American youths flocked across the border to their aid.

The massacre of the Alamo aroused Texas. A republic was proclaimed, which the United States soon recognized, other nations following.

Santa Anna, the Mexican president, was captured and agreed to use his influence to their aid.

Broad Jump—Daniel Hyland, Big Tree, first; Arthur Bryan, Big Tree, second; distance 17 feet, 7 inches.

The Big Tree division men won the banner emblematic of the championship.

### P. S. C. FIELD DAY HALTED BY SHOWER

More Than 2,000 People Attend Annual Affair at Hilton.

The field day program under the auspices of the employees of the Public Service Railway Company at Hilton yesterday afternoon was brought to a sudden end by the thunder showers. The meet was attended by 2,000 people, the majority of whom were members of the employee's families, coming from various parts of the State including Essex, Hudson, Bergen, Passaic, Middlesex, Union and Camden counties. The first prize for each event was a gold watch and the second men, silver watches. The summaries of the events which had been run off prior to the rain are as follows:

100 yard dash—Elmer Gray, Orange and Passaic Valley, first; Wallace Pullam, Springfield, second; time 11 2-5 seconds.

220 yard dash—Lawrence Buckalew, West Hoboken, first; John Hoggins, Roseville, second; time 26 seconds.

300 yard run—Charles A. Markley, storehouse, first; John C. McFadden, time-table department, second; time 37 1-5 seconds.

440 yard run—Robert Reed, Harrison, first; Alfred Scott, Miller street, second; time 59 3-5 seconds.

880 yard run—Trainmen—Michael Tuche, Bergen street, first; Peter Hanley, Sixteenth avenue, second; time 2:19 15.

880 yard run—Departmental employees—Charles Walsha, maintenance of way, first; Charles Gallagher, accounting, second; time 2:19 2-5.

16-Pound Shot—Wallace Maxfield, time table, first; Peter Hunley, Sixteenth Avenue, second; distance 42 feet, 7 inches.

Broad Jump—Daniel Hyland, Big Tree, first; Arthur Bryan, Big Tree, second; distance 17 feet, 7 inches.

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### WANT NO REPETITION OF SLOCUM DISASTER

Washington, May 28.—Having in mind the General Slocum disaster, Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce, has ordered an immediate inspection of all vessels belonging to the New England Navigation Company, referred to as "lumber boxes" by Charles Mellen in his testimony before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Officials of the company declare that the vessels are in proper condition and that they have been regularly inspected and passed every year.

Captain Henry M. Seeley, supervising inspector at New York, has received the following instructions from Secretary Redfield:

"The secretary directs that you are not to consider whether the construction of the vessels with respect to fire danger complies with any existing laws or regulations. State or national, but that you are to consider solely whether a menace to safety exists. If it does it must be brought frankly to light, that due steps may be taken to safeguard the public."

### MRS. PANKHURST FREED.

Six Days in Holloway Leave Militant Very Weak.

London, May 28.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, militant suffragette leader, was again released from Holloway jail under the "cat and mouse" act.

As usual, Mrs. Pankhurst hunger struck immediately upon her release at the gates of Buckingham palace last Friday, and she is said to be very weak. She was taken away by suffragettes to recuperate.

The militant was arrested when she drove toward the palace in a taxicab with the avowed purpose of leading a militant army to harangue the king for the ballot.

Mrs. Pankhurst is under a three year jail sentence for instigating the bomb attack on the country home of Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George.

### Balloon Drops at Sea.

Swinemünde, Germany, May 28.—Several aerobats apparently aboard an unidentified balloon which descended to the sea several miles off this place. A boat has been sent to the rescue.

### T. R. SHOWS FATIGUE.

Oyster Bay, May 28.—The exertions of the past few days have apparently been a bit too strenuous for Col. Roosevelt in his weakened condition as his face plainly shows traces of fatigue. He also displayed nervousness in his conversation with the newspaper men. It is evident that the Colonel will have to take matters a little more quietly until he fully recovers his strength.

### BUILDING PAGE TOMORROW.

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**MAY 28TH IN HISTORY.**  
1765—Patrick Henry's resolutions  
against the Stamp Act passed the  
Virginia Assembly.  
1845—Large section of the city of  
Quebec destroyed by fire.  
1856—Attempted assassination of  
Queen Isabella II. of Spain by  
Fuentes.  
1860—Many vessels wrecked in a  
storm that swept the English  
coasts.  
1863—The gunboat Cincinnati sunk  
by Confederate batteries near  
Vicksburg.  
1878—Lord John Russell, English  
statesman, died. Born Aug. 18,  
1792.  
1898—Funeral of Mr. Gladstone at  
Westminster Abbey.  
1900—Annexation of Orange Free  
State to the British dominions.  
1905—Lewis and Clark Centennial  
Exposition opened at Portland,  
Ore.  
1913—Lord Avebury, distinguished  
English parliamentarian, banker  
and scientist, died. Born April  
30, 1834.

Plainfield, N. J., May 28, 1914.

## TEACHING PATRIOTISM.

The meaning of July Fourth may  
be lost in the spontaneous burst of  
fireworks, the origin of Christmas  
may be forgotten in the shower of  
gifts, the purpose of Thanksgiving  
day may be overlooked in the midst  
of feasting, the worship of national  
heroes on the birthdays of Lincoln  
and Washington may vanish in the  
busy race of life, but the impres-  
sion of Memorial Day with its drum  
beat, its martial music, its tramping  
veterans, ever kindles anew the  
smoldering coals of patriotism.

The observation of Decoration Day  
is a national patriotic privilege.

Decoration Day, dedicated to the  
veterans of all American wars, and  
so soon to be observed, is taps for  
the dead and reveille of the living.  
It is the call to patriotic thought and  
consideration. It is more than this,  
it is the day we teach American  
patriotism.

No less active than the old soldiers  
in the observation of Memorial Day,  
are the school children of Plainfield  
and every other American commu-  
nity. Exercises conducted in the  
schools, instill patriotism, and the  
veterans visit all the schools to aid  
in the work.

By their very eagerness to should-  
er the burdens and their jealous pro-  
tection of the sacredness of the day,  
the veterans are teaching patriotism  
every year with as much effect as  
when they shouldered guns and  
marched away to hardships. The  
children now beside them, bearing  
flowers or participating in the day's  
exercises, are learning their great-  
est lessons in patriotism. By giving  
them a part in the program, by hav-  
ing them co-operate with the old  
soldiers, the lesson takes hold upon  
the future men and women of the  
nation.

The lesson they are learning is  
being taught by them to their elders  
who are wont to forget their patri-  
otism in the rush of material af-  
fairs. This is a lesson the present  
generation should learn; we our-  
selves must be tutored by the old  
and the young on Decoration Day,  
in the principles of patriotism.

## HORSE DAY.

Under the auspices of the local So-  
ciety for the Prevention to Cruelty  
to Animals, a Horse Tag Day will be  
held in Plainfield on Monday, to se-  
cure funds to carry on the excellent  
work the organization is doing  
for the horses hereabouts. As the  
summer days approach everyone can  
do a little to make the lives of the  
animals more comfortable, and the  
tag day on Monday will draw the  
attention of thousands of our citi-  
zens to the proper treatment of dumb  
beasts of all kinds.

The Washington Star in a recent  
issue called attention to a suggestion  
that a horseman and horse-lover had  
made, saying "Now that the hot days  
of summer are drawing near, won't  
you kindly lend your assistance in an  
effort to discourage as far as possible  
the almost universal use of the nose-

bag as a means of feeding the work  
horses of this city? Most of these  
smothering abominations fit closely  
around the horse's head, admitting a  
very inadequate supply of air."

The work horse has more troubles  
than most men think of. His lunch  
time is one brief respite in his day  
of toil. The nosebag is a useful in-  
stitution in a way but it is not the  
most comfortable for a horse on a  
hot day. It may fit too tight, his  
muzzle may be jammed too far into  
the oats and other things may hop-  
pen. All approved nosebags have a  
little ventilator in them. That helps  
some, especially if it is turned to the  
front.

In the streets of Plainfield may  
often be seen nosebags reversed—put  
on hind part before, with the venti-  
lator exactly where it should not be.  
It is also not an unusual thing to see  
a poor horse standing patiently and  
abjectly with a nosebag on after hav-  
ing finished his midday oats or shell-  
ed corn. This is also a season when  
horse owners should know whether  
their animals are overdriven and over-  
loaded and whether they get enough  
water. Watering troughs are fre-  
quent enough so that there ought not  
to be a thirsty horse in the streets of  
Plainfield.

Because of the holiday on Satur-  
day, when no edition of the Daily  
Press will be published, the usual  
contributed editorial and other Sat-  
urday features will appear in tomor-  
row's Press. The editorial has been  
written by George P. Mellick, presi-  
dent of the Board of Governors of  
Muhlenberg Hospital, and he will  
have something to say regarding that  
splendid institution and its manage-  
ment, which will prove of interest to  
all readers of the Press.

S. B. HOWE DRAMATIZED  
P. H. S. CLASS PLAY

Members of the Plainfield High  
School senior class will appear in  
their first public production of their  
annual class play "If I were King,"  
in the Plainfield Theatre tomorrow  
afternoon. A final dress rehearsal  
is being conducted under the direc-  
tion of the coaches, Samuel B. Howe,  
H. F. Biddle and Miss Katherine  
Smilnick in the theatre this afternoon  
and the show bids fair to be one of  
the best ever produced by High  
School talent in this city.

"If I were King" has been drama-  
tized by Mr. Howe, formerly of the  
Plainfield High School, but now of



S. B. Howe.

the South Side High School in New-  
ark, and the parts are taken by  
fourth year classmen exclusively.  
Nothing has been left undone to  
make the finished product expected  
by those affiliated with the class and  
the coaches and participants in the  
various roles have put in many ses-  
sions of extra work to perfect their  
parts.

## WILL SELL BATTLESHIPS.

Washington, May 28.—The Sen-  
ate committee on naval affairs to-  
day drafted an amendment to the  
naval appropriation bill authorizing  
the President to sell two battleships,  
the Idaho and Mississippi, to a for-  
eign nation. It is understood that  
this nation is Greece and that a cash  
offer has been made for the vessels.

## WILL HOLD RECEPTION.

A reception and dance will be  
conducted by the Nonpareil Social Club,  
Saturday night. The committee in  
charge includes the following: Henry  
Lewis, Edward Yetman, William H.  
Jones, Bob Stevens and William  
Mayse.

## LOST A WHEEL.

E. F. Sheppard, of 52 Mountain  
avenue, reported to the police last  
night the disappearance of his son's  
Pierce, racing model 121 bicycle,  
from the rear porch of his house  
some time during the early evening.

## LIBRARY TO BE CLOSED.

The entire Library building will be  
closed on the morning of May 30,  
Decoration Day. The adult reading  
room and circulation department will  
be open in the afternoon from 2 un-  
til 6.

## APPROVE TREATY.

Bogota, Colombia, May 28.—By a  
vote of 23 to 8 the Senate has ap-  
proved the second reading of the  
treaty between Colombia and the U.  
S. in connection with the Panama  
Canal.

Your "situation wanted" ad will  
be read by your next employer.

CLOSED  
All Day Saturday—Decoration Day

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PROVIDE FOR TWO DAYS BAKERY NEEDS.

## A HOSIERY BARGAIN.

Here's a special in Ladies' Stock-  
ings that won't last long at the  
price. Fine guaze lisle thread in  
white, black and tan; full fashioned,  
have double sole and top and high  
spliced heels; special at.....25c

## SILK GLOVES.

Hall's & Kayser's well known  
makes in black, white and colors;  
the double tip guaranteed kind.  
Short Gloves .....50c, 75c, \$1.00  
Long Gloves at.....\$1.00 and \$1.50

## BOYS WASH SUITS.

TWO LOTS 49c AND 89c.

Russian and sailor styles, in-  
plain colors, stripes and white.

## SILK WAISTS AT \$1.00.

A special lot of fine Jap silk  
waists in plain white and fancy  
stripes; a big bargain.

## PANAMA HATS \$1.98 and \$3.98.

This is Panama hat time and we  
are ready with a splendid assort-  
ment of the newest shapes at the  
above prices.

## TOURIST CASES 25c TO \$2.00.

Holds sponge, brush, comb, soap,  
etc., rubber lined, made by "Klein-  
ert," the dress shield man.

## MIDDY BLOUSES 50c TO \$1.50.

A big assortment of those popu-  
lar outing blouses at the above  
prices; we have them in plain and  
white, white and blue and white  
and red.

## SHOW YOUR COLORS.

Here's a special—4x6 absolutely  
fast color flag, with polished hard  
wood pole, star bracket and rope;  
all complete for .....98c

Fast color cotton mounted flags,  
from .....5c up

A complete line of fast color cot-  
ton flags from 3x8 to 8x12; also  
genuine U. S. standard all wool  
bunting flags from 3x5 to 8x12.

## BIG MILLINERY BARGAINS.

AT 98c—Your choice of a lot of  
untrimmings and ready-to-  
wear hats; worth to buy regular  
from \$2.00 to \$3.00.

AT \$1.98—A splendid lot of the  
season's newest trimmed hats;  
worth up to \$5.00.

AT 98c—A lot of children's fine  
braid straw hats, neatly trimmed  
with ribbon; would sell reg. for \$2.

## TRUNKS, BAGS &amp; SUIT CASES.

The best kinds obtainable at the  
very lowest prices.

Steamer Trunks from.....\$3.98 up

Dress Trunks from.....\$4.98 up

Light weight fiber Suit Cases from  
79c up, and a complete line of the  
newest styles in Bags and Dress  
Suit Cases in genuine leather.

## LINGERIE WAISTS.

We are showing a beautiful line  
of these waists; all the newest mod-  
els in plain and embroidered voiles  
and crepes; neatly trimmed with  
hemstitching, lace and embroidery;  
the prices range from \$1.00 to \$5.00

## THE CANDY DEPARTMENT

has a fresh supply of the famous  
chocolate covered cherries and nuts  
at per lb.....29c

Also the well known "Mirror"  
hard candies in glass jars, at—  
10c, 25c and 50c.

## NOVELTY STRIPE RIBBON

The kind that's so popular for  
hat bands; 1 1/4 inches wide; all silk,  
per yard .....29c

Also a complete line of Roman  
stripe ribbons for girdles, at up to,  
per yard .....\$1.50

## BOYS' STRAW HATS

50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

A big assortment of little men's  
hats at these prices, in white and  
colors.

## NOW GOING ON

a demonstration of real Hair Goods  
under the supervision of an expert  
coiffure. Come in and have her  
show you the latest styles in hair  
dressing.

## POPULAR NEEDFULS.

Crepe Windsor Ties in all the  
new colors, at .....50c

Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs,  
extra special at .....25c

Silk Girdles in black and all the  
wanted shades, from .50c to \$1.50

## A BIG BARGAIN IN MEN'S

SHIRTS—89c INSTEAD OF \$1.50

Made of genuine 100x100 Gar-  
ner's percales; guaranteed fast col-  
ors, in a great variety of neat  
stripes; a chance to get two fine  
shirts at about the price of one.

## THE SHOE DEPT.

offers Oxfords and Pumps in gun  
metal and patent leather; \$3.00 and  
\$3.50 values at .....\$2.49

## If You Stay Home Decoration Day, be Comfortable

and enjoy the day. We'll help you. Here's Couch Hammocks, Lawn Swings, Porch Screens, Lawn Settees, Porch Chairs, Rockers and Settees, Palmer Hammocks, Ice Cream Freezers, and if you need exercise, may we suggest a Philadelphia Lawn Mower.

## THE BAKING DEPT.

Says leave your orders early in  
the week for over Decoration  
Day and Sunday, so as to se-  
cure prompt attention.

Woodhull & Martin Co.

You may still join the "New  
Era" Sewing Machine Club.  
The first payment is only Five  
Cents. Join today.

## CONAN DOYLE AND WIFE.

English Writer Visits America  
For First Time in Twenty Years.



Photos by American Press Association.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and Lady Doyle  
were passengers on the Olympic. They  
are visiting the United States for the first  
time in twenty years. They will spend a  
week in New York at the Plaza and will  
then go to Canada, where they contem-  
plate a camping trip in the wildest part of  
the Canadian Rockies. On this trip they  
will be accompanied by a friend of Sir  
Arthur's, a forester, who was at one time  
in the British army. William J. Burns,  
the detective, went down on the revenue  
cutter to meet the creator of the famous  
"Sherlock Holmes." He was asked if he  
was going to give the author some ideas  
for new stories, but he replied that he ex-  
pected it would be quite the other way—  
that Sir Arthur would give him ideas.

## INVESTMENT CO. INCORPORATE.

Elizabeth, May 28.—The articles  
of incorporation of the Marchant In-  
vestment Company, of 112 Watchung  
avenue, Plainfield, were filed at the  
county clerk's office today. Martin  
Marchant is named as the agent, and  
several Plainfielders are named as in-  
corporators. The company is capital-  
ized at \$100,000. The company will  
do a general contracting, building and  
developing business.

## COMPLAINT AGAINST CHILDREN.

A number of complaints have been  
filed with the local police regarding  
the conduct of school pupils coming  
from the Washington School. Resi-  
dents of the West End claim that the  
children break down hedges, spill  
lawns and commit other mischievous  
acts and Chief Kiely stated this morn-  
ing that arrests would follow short-  
ly.

## BARBER SHOPS TO CLOSE.

The union barber shops of the  
city will close at noon Saturday (Deco-  
ration Day), but will open tomorrow  
evening until twelve o'clock.

—Advertise in the Daily Press.

—If it would be "good business" for you to sell that real estate now, advertise it NOW.

MRS. EVERETT GORDON  
DIES IN HER 70TH YEAR

Mrs. Everett Gordon, aged seventy  
years, of New Market road, Dunellen,  
died at her home, last night, after a  
short illness. She had been a resi-  
dent of Dunellen for many years, and  
was a member of the First Presby-  
terian church of that place. Her hus-  
band, who survives was, at the time  
of his retirement a short time ago,  
one of the oldest engineers on the  
New Jersey Central.

The funeral service will be held at  
the late home at 8 o'clock tomorrow  
evening, and will be in charge of  
Rev. Ernest R. Brown, of the Dun-  
ellen Presbyterian church. The burial  
will be at Hampton on Saturday.

BOARD OF HEALTH OFFERS  
LIMITED SUPPLY OF SEEDS

The "clean-up week" program  
which was announced by Mayor Percy  
Hamilton Stewart, last week, is  
making excellent progress in all sec-  
tions of the city. Household, busi-  
ness men and merchants, profession-  
al men and city officials have all en-  
tered into the spirit of the occasion,  
and much is being accomplished in  
the way of cleaning and painting.  
Another inducement is being offered  
to those that are hesitating in caring  
for the looks of their rear yards.

The Board of Health has made ar-  
rangements with United States Sen-  
ator James E. Martine to forward a  
supply of garden seeds. A limited  
supply of these seeds have already  
been received, and are now ready for  
distribution to those who may not be  
able to purchase seeds for them-  
selves. The Board also desires to  
have it understood that any having  
seeds with which to supplement this  
limited supply, the Board would be  
more than pleased to act as a distrib-  
uting agent for them.

## KAISER INDISPOSED.

Potsdam, Germany, May 28 (Central  
News Cable)—The annual  
guards parade has been postponed  
because the Kaiser is indisposed.  
There are no details, but it is believed  
that his condition is not serious.  
He is suffering from a slight cold he  
contracted at an inauguration cere-  
mony on Tuesday last when the weath-  
er was bad. It was explained that  
the guards parade had been counter-  
manded because of inclement weath-  
er.

## MEETING IS POSTPONED.

Owing to the serious illness of  
Father William H. Miller, of St. Jo-  
seph's church, the monthly meeting  
of the Women's League of the church  
called for Monday night, has been in-  
definitely postponed.

## TEMPERATURE REPORT.

The temperature report from The  
State Trust Company today is as fol-  
lows: 9 a. m., 78 degrees; 11 a. m.,  
85 degrees; 1 p. m., 90 degrees.

## NO PAPER SATURDAY.

Following its invariable custom  
there will be no edition of the Daily  
Press on Saturday, May 30, Deco-  
ration Day.

—Advertise in the Daily Press.

WASHINGTON, N. J., TO START  
MOVEMENT FOR YOUNG MEN

Washington, N. J., May 28.—Charles  
R. Scott, of Newark, State secre-  
tary of boys' work of the Y. M. C. A.,  
of New Jersey, Tuesday night ad-  
dressed a meeting at the borough  
hall. The meeting was called for  
the purpose of starting some move-  
ment in the interests of the young  
men of Washington. Mr. Scott  
spoke on the community work and  
the plan of having united action on  
the part of the church bodies looking  
to the welfare of the boys.

The experiences of cities and coun-  
ties in having a general movement,  
as planned here, were told and fully  
explained. It was decided to have  
the pastors of the churches of the  
borough appoint committees of three  
laymen each, in addition to the pas-  
tors, to formulate plans. This com-  
mittee will meet in a couple of weeks  
and adopt some plan whereby they

can be united action by the churches  
of Washington. It is planned to in-  
augurate the work of providing ath-  
letic diversions, games, lectures, etc.,  
by next winter.

## CHINA'S BIG DISPLAY.

(From Central News.)

San Francisco, May 28.—That  
China will have the largest display  
at the Panama Pacific Exposition, was  
announced today. China has ap-  
propriated \$1,000,000 for its exhibit  
and has asked for 50 per cent. more  
floor space than could be given. The  
avenue of concessions will be offi-  
cially styled, "The Zone" and not El  
Camino, as at first agreed. The  
Zone House will have amusement fea-  
tures, such as made the Midway  
Plaisance famous at the Chicago  
World's fair in 1893.

Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., and family,  
of East Second street, left this aft-  
noon via the Fall River line for Wor-  
cester, Mass., where they will spend  
a few days with Mr. Hetfield's brother,  
Herbert Hetfield.

TOO LATE FOR  
CLASSIFICATION

DRESSMAKER desires a few cus-  
tomers. 47 Woodbine avenue.  
5 28 tr

## DIED.

HART—At Kearney, N. J., on Tues-  
day, May 26, 1914, Robert Hart,  
formerly of Plainfield.

Funeral at the residence of his  
daughter, Mrs. Charles H. Burnett,  
113 Washington street, Plainfield, on  
Friday, May 29, at 8:30 a. m., and  
St. Mary's Roman Catholic church at  
9 o'clock where high mass of requiem  
will be offered for the repose of his  
soul. Interment in St. Mary's cem-  
etery.

Those Burning  
Feet

Quickly relieved and walking  
made easy by sprinkling some of  
Nyal's EASEM into your shoes.

Rests tired feet, prevents  
sweating and relieves that exces-  
sive burning. Soothing—Cooling  
—Antiseptic.

PRICE 25c CAN

## SCHREINER BROS.

Prescription Druggists.

PARK AVE. cor. SECOND ST.

## Headquarters for

## GIBSON'S

RYE

E. C. WESCOTT.

115 East Front Street.



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## EFFICIENCY

is the aim of present day banking methods.

The City National Bank realizes the importance of system  
with this object in view, and has approved facilities for  
handling all banking business with accuracy and dispatch.

Checking Accounts are invited.

3% Interest on Checking Accounts of \$500.00 and above

4% Interest on Savings Accounts

## THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.



# Mayor Stewart

Asked our citizens to make "Clean-up Week" a success. The Business Men's Association is only too pleased to co-operate—and ask you to join in the work.

Clean Scrub Shine  
Polish Scour Paint  
Plant Sow Whitewash

If you help make Plainfield attractive you will help Plainfield grow.

## THE BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION

of Plainfield, N. J. P. O. Box 575

### MINOR LEAGUERS ON LOCAL BALL FIELD

Manager Dorfinger Has  
Scheduled Star Attraction  
for Decoration Day.

The attraction at Parker Field, Decoration Day, when the Plainfield team will play the Bronx Union Leaguers will be one of the best of the season. Among the Leaguers will be "Hank" Mathewson, brother of "Christy" Mathewson, who has been with several minor league clubs.

"Whitey" Wonder, who will do the catching, has been with the "Tica team of the New York State League. Perry Flynn, who has been with the Petersburg team of the Virginia State League, will also play.

Every player has been with some minor league team. Ruge, who played center field for Plainfield last Saturday, was formerly a teammate of "Rabbit" Maranville, the Boston National League shortstop, in Springfield, Mass. Ruge is a second baseman and will probably play short for the Pets Saturday.

### STINE AND TOWNLEY HOME, WILL PLAY IN BROOKLYN

Herbert Stein and George Townley of North Plainfield, students in the Y. M. C. A. Training College at Springfield, Mass., were in town this morning visiting their parents. The two North Plainfield High School graduates are members of the college baseball team which is at present enjoying an eastern trip.

The Springfield nine will lineup against the St. John's College team, of Brooklyn, this afternoon. Stein will do the catching for the Y. M. C. A. team and George Townley will be on the firing line. The boroughites have done some clever work for their alma mater during the season and expect to trim the Brooklynites this afternoon. Several of their friends in the borough will accompany them to the scene of the contest.

### BASEBALL NOTES

Christy Mathewson is still the one best bet on the firing line for the Giants.

Manager Connie Mack has released George Brickley to the Reading team of the Tri-State League.

Maisei, Packinpaugh and Sweeney of the New York Yankees, are among the ten leading base stealers in the American League.

Manager Griffith, of the Washington team, has signed Douglas Nott, captain and shortstop of the University of Virginia nine.

The Giants and Red Sox are great performers against leading teams. McGraw's men smothered the Pirates and the Sox beat the Tigers to a whit.

Harry Niles, the well-known parachute jumper, who used to perform at the big show, is doing some line work for the St. Paul American Association team.

If the attendance figures given out at Buffalo and Baltimore are correct, the Reds are drawing much better than the Internationals in those two cities.

Bombardier Wells has turned down an offer of \$6,500 to meet Georges Carpentier in another muss. Once was enough for Wells.

Young Shugrue produced the goods in his first fight in Australia. The New York lightweight knocked out Herb McCoy in 15 rounds.

Eddie Campi is considering an offer to go to London. If he decides to make the trip he will be matched with Digger Stanley or Charley Ledoux.

Gunboat Smith has gone to England in the hope of getting on a match with Carpentier. The proposed clash between these two has been on and off several times.

**GAME FOR N. P. H. S.**  
Manager Charles Beckman has secured the Kearney High School team to appear on Hyde Oval tomorrow afternoon. This is the only game of the week for the boroughites and they will be idle on Decoration Day. The local boys have defeated this aggregation once this year and they are out for another victory. This game will be played tomorrow instead of next Monday as it was first scheduled.

**BEATTY'S SQUAD DWINDLES.**  
Columbia's varsity track squad which is to compete in the intercollegiate championships at Cambridge tomorrow and Saturday, dwindled to three yesterday. Captain R. L. Beatty, formerly of this city; C. E. Olmstead and S. E. Graham will be Columbia's sole representatives in the stadium.

The way Charley Herzog's Cincinnati Birds have been slugging what are supposed to be regular ball teams is unfair to the other National Leaguers. Herzog knows well enough that the critics have placed the Reds down there somewhere and they should behave.

—Your "for sale" ad will be found and considered—probably investigated—by some of your "logical buyers."

—Try a Press want ad. It will bring results.

### SENATOR SHAFROTH.

Says That the New Banking Law Averted a Panic.



Photo by American Press Association.

Denial that passage of the new currency law was an "object surrender to Wall street and the banking interests" was made in the senate by Senator Shafroth of Colorado. The Western administration objected to the continuation of power in Wall street, he said. "It insisted that concentration of wealth should be divided. The effect of the banking and currency act was to put financial circles on the very edge of its power," said Senator Shafroth. "It surely averted a panic which was imminent. When the act was passed confidence in the banks was restored, and money became easy. In a few weeks all appearance of panic disappeared."

### HUERTA AT CAPITAL DESPITE ALL RUMORS

Dictator Attends Reception in Daughter's Honor.

Mexico City, May 28.—General Huerta has not deserted his post as the head of the provisional government.

He was at his private home in the suburbs of the city, with high government officials and prominent citizens, celebrating the saint's day of his young daughter, Maria de la Luz Huerta. He went to his home and later emerged from it to go publicly to the national palace, where he transacted routine business and then publicly returned for the festival.

Instead of showing the effects of the strain under which he has been laboring, General Huerta and his closest advisers appear to be in better spirits than they have been, as if the crisis were over. A spirit of confidence about internal and foreign affairs appears suddenly to have been engendered.

Reports of a battle won by General Zaragoza in the Tampico district have been received. General Gustavo Maas has been holding back the rebel advance against San Luis Potosi. Mazatlan is holding out, and dispatches from Niagara Falls are most favorable in the mind of the authorities.

While changes are taking place in the cabinet new men are easily found to take the places of those who go out. Senator Tamariz has retired to private life, abandoning the portfolio of agriculture.

### General Markets.

New York, May 28.  
WHEAT—Receipts, 12,000; shipments, 41,000; No. 2 red, elevator export, \$1.11; No. 2 red f. o. b. export, \$1.08; No. 1 North Duluth f. o. b. export, \$1.07. The wheat market was irregular, cash wheat was dull; May wheat advanced to a new high level with further evening up of shorts; July, \$2.25; September, \$2.35.  
BUTTER—Firm on top grades; receipts, 12,000 packages; creamery, extras, \$1.25; firsts, \$1.20; seconds, \$1.15; state dairy, finest, \$2.00; good to prime, \$1.95; common to fair, \$1.85; process, extras, \$1.25; firsts, \$1.20; lower grades, \$1.15; ladies, current make, firsts, \$1.15; second, \$1.10; lower grades, \$1.05; packing stock, current make, No. 2, \$1.15; lower grades, \$1.05.  
CHEESE—Firm; receipts, 2,721 boxes; Cheddar, whole milk, specials, white, fresh, \$1.15; colored, fresh, \$1.10; colored, average fancy, white, fresh, \$1.10; colored, fresh, \$1.05.  
EGGS—Irregular; receipts, 30,000 cases; fresh, gathered extras, doz., \$2.20; storage packed firsts to extra firsts, \$2.15; regular packed firsts, \$2.10; second, \$2.05; henry whites, \$2.10; gathered whites, \$2.05; henry browns, \$2.10; gathered browns and mixed colors, \$2.05.  
POTATOES—Weak; Bermuda, bbl., \$2.45; domestic, old, bag, \$2.15; southern, new, bbl., \$2.45; sweets, basket, \$2.45.  
Live Stock Market.  
Pittsburgh, May 28.  
CATTLE—Supply light; market steady; choice, \$8.75; prime, \$8.50; good, \$8.25; city butchers, \$8.15; fair, \$7.75; 120; common, \$6.50; fat heifers, \$5.50; common to good fat cows, \$3.50; fresh cows and springers, \$4.50.  
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply fair; market slow; prices lower; prime wethers, \$5.00; good mixed, \$4.50; fair mixed, \$4.00; culls and common, \$2.50; fat lambs, \$4.50; spring lambs, \$3.50; veal calves, \$10.00; heavy and thin calves, \$8.00.  
HOGS—Receipts, 10 double deck loads; market lower; prime heavy hogs, \$3.25; heavy mixed, \$3.00; medium, heavy Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs, \$2.45; roughs, fat, \$2.50; stags, \$2.50.

—DON'T MAKE DON'T YOUR CREED. If you have something to sell, some quest to pursue—do these tasks aggressively, through want-ads, verting!

### KIELY WILL PROTEST ELKS' LEAGUE GAME

Captain of Team No. 7 Files  
His Reasons for Claiming  
the Contest.

Kiely's team dropped the first two and copped the third of a series rolled in the Elks' Club Tournament last night, the final match being decided in favor of the double losers by a margin of sixty-two pins. Captain Kiely, of the losing side, has filed a protest with Secretary Nash against the opening contest claiming that it should be either rolled over again or given to his team.

His protest is filed on the grounds that Bennett should have received his average of 125 in the first game instead of being allowed to take his average up to the seventh frame and then rolling the eighth, ninth and tenth frames; that McCullough should receive sixty-seven as his total in the first game instead of 127 as at the end of the sixth frame when he was called away on account of a fire in the borough when he had but sixty-seven points to his credit. Bennett was tardy in arriving and Kiely claims that the excuse he offered was not sufficient to smooth over the affair satisfactorily.

The scores:  
TEAM No. 7—CAPT. KIELY.  
Pope ..... 155 155 155  
Shotwell ..... 125 125 125  
Neal ..... 142 162 164  
Nash, Sr. .... 143 159 131  
Kiely ..... 213 171 190  
778 772 765  
TEAM No. 8—CAPT. COSE.  
Bennett ..... 153 122 116  
Gow ..... 156 131 119  
Harold ..... 193 143 157  
McCullough ..... 127 153 155  
Cose ..... 152 227 156  
781 780 703

### LAWYERS DECIDE TO TRIM THE DOCTORS

Officially Accept the Challenge  
of the Pill Dispensers for  
a Ball Game.

An official acceptance of the doctors' challenge to participate in an assault on the national game of baseball was made at a meeting of the lawyers held this morning in the District Court and a resolution was passed to make the contest a lawyers' victory at all hazards. It was the sentiment of those present that the lawyers were rightfully entitled to a diamond verdict over the pill dispensers and Manager William G. DeMeza claims that he has an unbeatable herd of ball chasing colts to select a team from.

The disciples of Blackstone are doing a little side campaigning and promise much in the way of novelty for the event. Baseballically speaking the event will be a genuine regulation nine inning combat between forces that once handled and will handle again the illusive sphereoid of horseshoe. During the time intervening before June 20, when the program will be staged on Parker Field, the lawyers have decided to put in many sessions of real practice work and considerable rust will be loosened from old joints.

Paraphernalia of every description is beginning to arrive for the lawyers to get into trim with and every precaution is being taken to have the combatants in readiness for the all-important affair. Enthusiasm was rife at the meeting this morning and the legal lights who do not participate in the game itself will cavort about the grounds with peanut baskets and canteens of pink lemonade. Special uniforms, appropriate to the occasion and seriousness of the program, will be purchased by the committee having this matter in charge.

The various committees named today are as follows:  
Tickets—William Newcorn, Robert N. Crane, Arthur Murphy, Isaac P. Runyon, John H. VanWinkle, Jr., Charles I. Moffett.  
Program—William N. Runyon, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., J. P. Taylor, Martin B. Stutsman, W. A. Codington.  
Publicity—William G. DeMeza, R. P. von Minden, George Anderson, Reuben Knox, G. W. V. Moy.  
Uniforms—Francis J. Blatz, J. Henry Crane, George W. Bird, Asa F. Randolph, H. C. Suydam.  
Practice Field—John P. Owens, L. A. Clement, C. M. Dolliver, C. J. McNabb, George Ball.  
Arrangements for Photos—Judge W. L. Hetfield, Charles A. Reed, Wm. R. Codington, J. H. VanWinkle, Sr., Nelson Runyon.  
Entertainment and Stunts—V. W. Nash, Jr., Harry C. Runyon, Wm. Stillman, W. S. Angelman.  
Funmaking on Field—William N. Runyon.  
Manager—William G. DeMeza.

**GAME CALLED OFF.**  
The Leal-Columbia Grammar School baseball game scheduled to be played in New York yesterday afternoon, was postponed on account of rain.

### SPECIALS

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Thursday, Friday  
and Saturday

Granulated Sugar,	4 1/2c
per lb	
Very Best Butter,	30c
per lb	
Pullman Print Butter,	32c
per lb	
Swift's Butterine,	23c
per lb	
Fresh Jersey Eggs,	25c
dozen	
Fine Cooking Potatoes,	50c
16-quart basket	
Gold Medal, Pillsbury, Hookers	
and Ceresota Flour,	80c
per bag	
Best Rolled Oats,	25c
8 lbs for	
Magnolia Milk,	10c
per can	
Peerless Milk,	25c
3 tall cans	
Square Brand Milk,	25c
3 cans	
Messina Lemons,	15c
per dozen	
Fancy N. Y. State Pea Beans,	25c
5 lbs	
Standard Tomatoes, Peas	25c
and Corn, 3 cans	
Good Coffee,	22c
per lb	
Campbell's Soups and Beans,	25c
3 cans	
Best Head Rice,	25c
3 pkgs.	
Japan Rice,	25c
5 lbs	
New Lentils,	25c
5 lbs	
Red Alaska Salmon,	15c
tall can	
Columbia River Salmon,	10c
1/2-lb flat can	
Mueller Macaroni and Spag-	25c
ghetti, 3 pkgs.	
Blue Tip Matches,	25c
8 boxes	
Evaporated Peaches,	25c
3 lbs	
Shredded Coconut,	15c
per lb	
Norway Mackerel,	25c
6 for	
Broken Macaroni and Spag-	5c
ghetti, per lb	
Colorado Plums,	25c
2 cans	
California Apricots,	15c
per can	
Ginger Snaps,	5c
per lb	
Fig Bars,	25c
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**PROCTOR'S PICTURES.**  
A number of comedy films are scheduled for both performances at Proctor's today. Among the reels listed for both afternoon and evening are "Her Big Scoop," "In Spite of the Evidence," "Shultz, the Barber," "The Count's Infatuation," and "Beyond the City." The big feature for tomorrow is run under the title, "Hearts Adrift." A special program has been arranged for Saturday.

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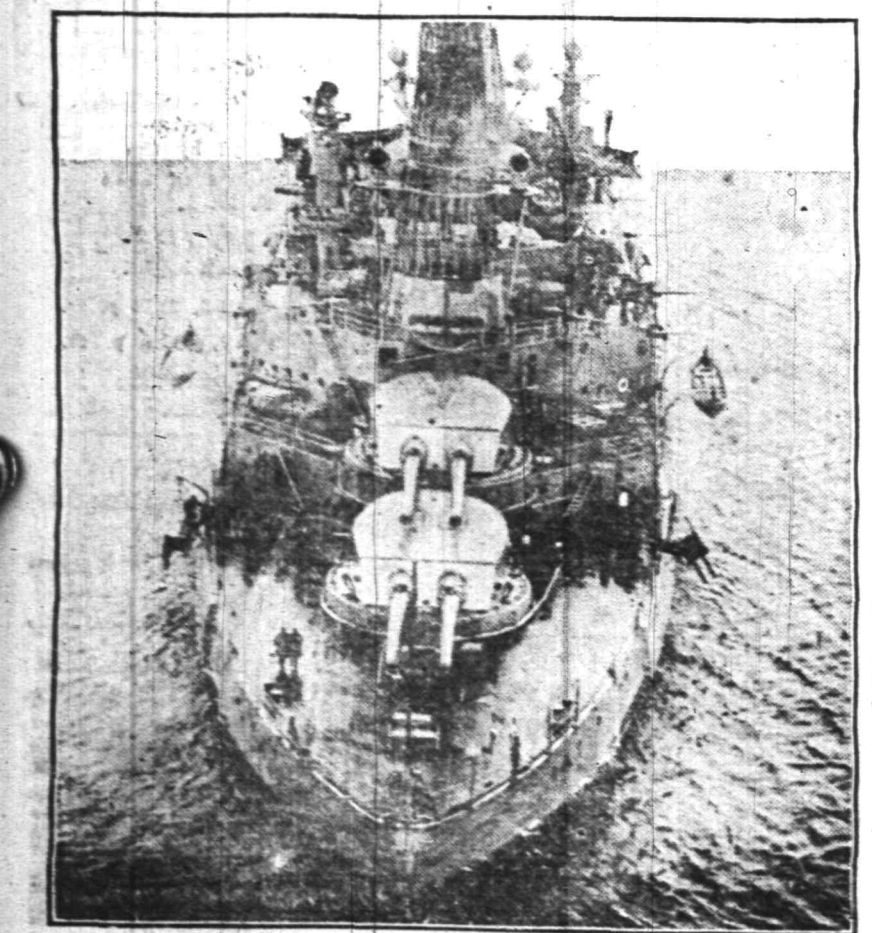


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### Michigan, Showing Ten-Inch Guns.

THE Michigan has eight ten-inch guns in her main battery. She is in the Second division of the Atlantic fleet. She is commanded by Captain Albert N. Black. She is of 16,000 tons, 16,500 horsepower and has twin screws. Her sister ship is the South Carolina.

## HUERTA GETS WAR SUPPLIES

### Arms Once Held Up Are Finally Landed.

### SEE NO REASON TO PROTEST

Badger Has to Look on Inactive, as Washington Contents Tampico Is an Open Port—Munitions Landed From German Ship.

Vera Cruz, May 28.—The cargo of arms of the Hamburg-American steamship Ypiranga, to prevent the landing of which Rear Admiral Fletcher seized Vera Cruz more than a month ago, was landed at Puerto Mexico, 120 miles down the coast. From the same official source it is known that the Hamburg-American steamship Bavaria, with a smaller shipment of arms, effected a landing at the same port two or three days ago. Both shipments are billed to President Huerta at Mexico City and, so far as this government is aware, will encounter no further obstacles on their way to the federal capital.

From the Ypiranga, 20,000 high power modern rifles, 250 machine guns of French make and 15,000,000 rounds of ammunition.

From the Bavaria, 1,800,000 rounds of ammunition, a great number of cases of small arms and 3,300 rolls of barbed wire.

Full information of the cargo of the Bavaria is not obtainable. Her captain said his manifest and other papers were confiscated by the authorities at Puerto Mexico.

The cargo of the Bavaria has reached Cordoba, and the authorities in Vera Cruz have authentic information that the ammunition is being distributed to the Mexican federal soldiers along the railroad.

There seems to be no doubt these war supplies have been landed. The captain of the Bavaria admitted his part in the affair, and General Funston, with Admiral Badger, it is said here, received advance notice of her cases in time to cable to Washington for instructions. The answers received have not been revealed.

The administration is severely criticised here by Americans of all classes.

The Bavaria, from Hamburg, an Antwerp, left Havana May 17 for Progreso, Yucatan, with a general cargo according to her manifest. She appeared at Puerto Mexico on Sunday and an American there learned she had a consignment of ammunition. He communicated with a warship, which in turn sent the news by wireless to Admiral Badger. The report was transmitted to Washington for instructions.

Men acquainted with international law said that the German ships were well within their rights in landing the arms, but they wonder what has become of the semi-official agreement between the United States and Germany and the steamship line several weeks ago, in which, it was said, the ships would not embarrass the United States at this time by delivering their consignments.

**No Cause For Protest.**

Washington, May 28.—Huerta has finally succeeded in obtaining for his forces several million rounds of ammunition and a large consignment of machine guns and rifles.

Officials of both the state and navy departments declare that the United States would have taken no steps to prevent these additions to Huerta's war supplies being landed. Officials of the state department acknowledged that the Hamburg-American officials were clearly within their rights in landing the cargoes and that the only course this government could have taken to prevent the landing of the shipments would be the seizure of Puerto Mexico. This would have constituted a violation of the armistice with Huerta and would have threatened the success of the mediation proceedings. It would have been practically an act of war.

The United States was embarrassed also by the stand it has taken in regard to the importation of arms at Tampico. This government has declared that it intended to keep Tampico an open port and that no step would be taken to prevent the exportation of arms from American ports to that city. For this government to have taken action against the shipments to Huerta would have meant as a matter of consistency that an embargo would have to be laid on shipments from this country to the Constitutionalist port.

### YOUTH WON \$20,000 ON DERBY

International Cable Pool Falls to Operator in Nova Scotia.

North Sydney, N. S., May 28.—The \$20,000 international cable pool on the Epsom downs Derby was won by William C. Townsend, twenty-three years old, a cable operator here.

Townsend was born in Sydney. Annually the cable operators all over the world make a pool on the Derby.

**No Confirmation Hamel Is Safe.**

South Shields, England, May 28.—There was no confirmation here that fishermen rescued Gustav Hamel, the aviator, supposedly lost. The report was published "with great reserve" by the Newcastle Evening Mail.

—You may have an immediate task for a want ad—and yet not act wisely in failing to read them day by day.

### GENERAL FUNSTON.

Ordered to Rescue Huerta Should Dictator Flee From the Capital.

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## FIND BURGLAR DEAD IN BRISBANE HOME

### Man Believed to Be Pal Is Being Held.

Point Pleasant, N. J., May 28.—Stretched at full length upon the floor of a blood spattered bedroom in the unoccupied Riverside home of Arthur Brisbane, editor of the New York Evening Journal, the body of a murdered man was found. The victim has not been identified, but a man who had been seen in his company and who sought to escape across the river in a rowboat is locked up in the local jail pending his removal to the county prison at Toms River. Prosecutor Harry E. Newman, after seven hours of terrific grilling, announced that he was confident the prisoner had committed the crime.

In a pocket of a vest found in the room with the body was a little note book in which the name of John R. Hafer was written upon a page inserted for identification. Beneath it was the address, "1749 Rose street, Reading, Pa." and following were written the names, "Mrs. Rose Hafer, Raymond, Henry, Edna and Hilda Hafer."

It is believed that Hafer is the man who was murdered, as the description upon the identification page tallies more nearly with his person than with that of the suspected man.

The Brisbane cottage stands along a dense grove of cedars, near the river shore. Michael Whelan, a boy who lives near by, while passing through the grounds Wednesday heard men quarrelling on the second floor. He thought at first they were workmen sent there by Mr. Brisbane and later spoke to Edward Erickson, a boy chum, and the latter's mother of the affair. The three went to the cottage and called upstairs, but received no answer. The two young men then hid among the trees and watched the entrance to the building. About ten minutes later the man who is now a prisoner emerged cautiously and started off in the direction of the river bank. Whelan followed him to the river, where he engaged him in conversation.

This man, who is about six feet two inches in height, was rubbing something from the blade of a knife as Whelan drew near and trying to induce two little boys to row him across the river to Monmouth county. Whelan heard him tell the boys he wanted to get away because "they were after him."

## COLORADO MINERS INDICTED.

### Charged With Murder as Result of Battle at Chandler.

Denver, Colo., May 28.—One hundred strikers and organizers were indicted by the grand jury at Canon City on charges of murder and the destruction of property as a result of the battle at Chandler, where one nonunion miner was killed. Caplases were issued, and arrests were begun immediately.

Mrs. Alma Lafferty and John R. Lawson, Colorado head of the United Mine Workers, announced that they will testify before the court martial. It was decided not to resist the authority of the commission to demand their presence.

**To Deepen Gowanus Bay.**

Washington, May 28.—Senator O'Gorman introduced a bill looking to the improvement of Gowanus bay by removing the shoals and opening a channel depth equal to that in the Bay Ridge channel.

—Your "furnished rooms to rent" ad will probably afford "opportunity news" to some dissatisfied—yet not over-critical—roomer.

## PEACE ENVOYS REACH AGREEMENT

### Only Wording of Protocol Remains at Niagara.

### FINAL POINTS ADJUSTED.

Bulletin From Conference Shows That Their Work is Very Near an End. Terms, However, Are Very Closely Guarded.

Washington, May 28.—A complete plan for the settlement of Mexico's troubles has been submitted to the Washington government by the American peace commissioners at Niagara Falls.

This plan has been agreed to by the Mexican and American representatives at the conference and awaits the approval of President Wilson and Secretary Bryan.

Details of the plan of settlement arranged by the parties to the negotiations in Canada are not obtainable.

The plan has also been telegraphed to Mexico City for the approval of General Huerta.

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 28.—Substantial agreement on all the essential points of issue in the negotiations under the guidance of the peace envoys appeared to have been reached by the American and the Mexican delegates. From now on the envoys and the two sets of commissioners will devote themselves to the work of whipping into shape the details of the arrangements for a settlement. Several full conferences will be held for that purpose.

It is believed that the details of the complete agreement will be drafted in three or four days. After that the final agreement must be approved by the governments in Washington and Mexico City.

**Internal Problems.**

With the negotiations approaching the end all the officials concerned are taking extra care to guard what is taking place between them. It is evident that a firm intention exists to prevent disclosure of the terms of agreement until after the protocol has been signed by the American and Mexican delegates.

The points yet to be taken up, it is understood, relate chiefly to internal problems, and it is known to be the disposition of the envoys, if it is decided to seek an agreement upon them at all, to treat them only in the broadest manner and in the form of recommendations for the guidance of the new provisional government it is hoped to establish in Mexico.

Answering reports of differences of opinion between the Mexican and American delegates on the land problem, it was stated on the highest authority that this question is among the least of the troubles faced by the mediators.

It is accepted that land reforms must be enacted in Mexico; otherwise pacification of the country will be impossible. It is realized that the establishment of any new government in the republic without land reforms would only mean another revolution.

**Must Be Pledged to Land Reforms.**

Any provisional government that may be established would be pledged to land reforms, including a plan for the redistribution for which the revolutionists have been fighting. Just how the conference will handle the matter is apparently the only question involved, however. The Mexican delegates admit such reforms should be a part of the pacification plan.

The Mexicans feel that it is not the duty of the mediation conference to write laws for Mexico. The land problem has run through generations, and they do not believe it can be solved here with one stroke of the pen. The mediators may only take up such matters as the delegates propose, and it will rest with the American representatives to suggest some move toward removing this fundamental cause of all revolutionary movements.

### STRATHCONA LEFT \$27,928,000

Will of Scotchman Admitted to Probate in London.

London, May 28.—Lord Strathcona, former high commissioner for Canada, left an estate valued at \$27,928,000. His will was admitted to probate.

The exact value of the real estate left by the testator was not made public, but it was announced that the duty paid amounted to \$4,180,150. From this the total value of the estate was deduced. Lord Strathcona died in London Jan. 21.

### Weather Forecast.

Partly cloudy today and tomorrow; light to moderate west winds.

### WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

Temp.	Weather.
Albany . . . . . 74	Cloudy
Atlantic City . . . . . 64	Cloudy
Boston . . . . . 80	Cloudy
Buffalo . . . . . 58	Clear
Chicago . . . . . 70	Cloudy
New Orleans . . . . . 76	Cloudy
New York . . . . . 71	Cloudy
St. Louis . . . . . 86	Clear
Washington . . . . . 72	Cloudy

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Fresh Caught Haddock, lb . . . . . 6c  
Fresh Caught Butter Fish, lb . . . . . 6c  
Long Branch Weak Fish, lb . . . . . 7c  
Blue Fish, King Fish, lb . . . . . 10c  
Fresh Boston Mackerel, lb . . . . . 10c

**NORTH RIVER SHAD** Soft Shell Crabs, doz. . . . . 45c  
Roe Shad, each . . . . . 90c  
Buck Shad, each . . . . . 45c & 50c  
Live Lobsters  
Chicken Halibut, lb . . . . . 12½c  
Boston Cod Fish, lb . . . . . 12½c

Legs of Mutton, Legs of Canada Lamb, lb . . . . . 16½c  
Hindquarters of Mutton, lb . . . . . 16½c

**SPRING LAMB**—Forequarters of Spring Lamb, lb . . . . . 15c  
Hindquarters of Spring Lamb, lb . . . . . 22c

**POULTRY.**

Soup and Boiling Chicken, lb . . . . . 18½c  
Fricassee Chicken, lb . . . . . 20c  
Broilers—Spring Chickens, lb . . . . . 22c  
Fryers—Small Roasting Chickens, lb . . . . . 22c

**VEGETABLES.**

Extra Large Grape Fruit, each . . . . . 10c  
Fancy California Oranges, dozen . . . . . 30c  
Large Pineapples, each . . . . . 15c  
Large Fancy Lemons, dozen . . . . . 15c  
Finest Florida Oranges, dozen . . . . . 35c & 40c

**DELICATESSEN DEPT.**

Beef Loaf, lb . . . . . 16c  
Roast Chicken, ea. 65c to 85c  
Veal Loaf, lb . . . . . 20c  
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Vegetable Salad, lb . . . . . 16c  
Cabbage Salad, lb . . . . . 10c

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### High Bridge-Califon.

Vernon Hoffman, of Pottersville, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter B. Hoffman, of Califon.

Frank Moore, of the Taylor-Wharton Iron and Steel Company of High Bridge, is on a two-weeks' vacation. Leonard Clauson, of Vernon, is recovering from injuries sustained last week at the Vernon limestone quarries. Mr. Clauson fell down an embankment of twenty-five feet and was injured on the face and shoulders.

Mrs. Harry Hahn and Clarence Hahn have returned to Califon after a visit to the family of Manhus II. Hahn, of Dover.

The two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Emmons, of Califon, is ill from pneumonia.

Mrs. Harmon Beavers, of Lebanon, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. David W. Apgar, of Califon.

Mrs. Frank Hawkins, of Califon, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Barker, of Chester.

Mrs. Ann Beavers, of Califon, is the guest of Mrs. Lambert K. Sharpe, of Clinton.

Benjamin Robinson, is making improvements to his residence in Academy street, Califon. Apgar & Youngs have the contract.

### Hunterdon County.

Mrs. Lydia Eick, of Plainfield, is spending some time with relatives in Annandale.

William Todd, of New York, is spending a few days with his mother, in Annandale.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hunt, of Lebanon have been visiting relatives in Annandale.

Mrs. Floyd Bossard, of Easton, Pa., is visiting Mrs. Harry Bossard, in Hampton.

Rev. J. L. Gordon, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, of Hampton, is ill at his home.

### Flemington.

of the Presbyterian, Methodist Episcopal and Baptist churches who will graduate in the adult choirs of the different churches next month, gave

a recital in the Presbyterian church last evening.

Dr. Samuel D. Batten, of Philadelphia, will address the Men's Club of the Baptist church tonight on "What Flemington Might Be."

### North Branch.

Mrs. Edward Mitchell, of Somerville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood, of North Branch.

Mrs. Edward Brown has returned to Somerville after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Staats, at the Riverview Hotel in North Branch.

Robert Haver, of Somerville, was a guest Tuesday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Haver, of North Branch Depot.

Herman Henning has gone to Kingston, N. Y., to visit relatives.

Charles Hahn has returned to Rahway after a visit to his sister, Mrs. C. V. Bergen, of North Branch. Miss Sarah Holman is spending a week on Staten Island.

Miss Frances Reimer, of Elizabeth, is a guest of her cousin, Miss Alberta Dunn, near here.

Terrence McGowan, of New York, is spending a few days at his former home at North Branch Depot.

John Haver, of Whitehouse, is spending a week with his son, James L. Haver.

Robert Lindner, of Bound Brook, has returned home after a visit to John Teisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kline, of Elizabeth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Dunn, of North Branch Depot.

Mrs. Charles White has returned to Elizabeth after a visit to Mrs. Stoddard, near Pluckemin.

Miss Carrie Henry, of Brooklyn, is spending a week with relatives at Neshaic Station.

### Whitehouse.

Mrs. Peter S. LaTourette, of Whitehouse Station, who underwent an operation in Trenton last week, expects to be able to return home in about three weeks.

Miss Belle Pidecock has returned to her home in Whitehouse Station, after spending the winter in Moultrie, Ga.

Charles Rogers and family, of New York, have rented the Burdette bungalow in East Whitehouse for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Romine have returned to Newark after a visit to Mrs. Romine's mother, Mrs. Rebecca Apgar, of New Germantown.

Adam B. Pickell, an aged resident of Whitehouse Station, who was taken ill Sunday, is better.

Rev. William J. Lonsdale, pastor of the Reformed church at Lebanon, will preach a Memorial Day sermon Sunday. There is but one veteran of the Civil War living at Lebanon. Children's Day services will be held June 14. The Woman's Missionary Society will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. John Hunt.

Rev. Dr. John S. Gardner, of Somerville, will preach in the Presbyterian church at Lamington, Sunday morning, owing to the absence of the pastor.

Mrs. Ruth Hall has taken a position in the postoffice at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Rachel Smith and family, of Lamington, are guests of John G. TenEyck, in Westfield.

### Warrenville.

The State examinations for entrance to High School will be given this year at the Warrenville school from June 1 to 5, under the direction of G. F. Kipsey. It is expected that there will be eighteen candidates. The grades will be excused for a week. The examinations for the grammar grades will be held from June 8 to 10.

Mrs. Randolph Steffens, of Mt. Bethel road, has returned home after a week's visit with friends in Jersey City.

The stone crusher purchased by Warren township has arrived at Somerville and is being unloaded under the direction of the Township Committee.

Miss Laura VanBuren, of Brooklyn, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz, of Mt. Bethel.

Annie Albert, of Bound Brook, visited her parents in Coontown, Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Wood, of Plainfield, visited friends at Hill Top farm, Monday.

George Flushman, who recently purchased five acres of land, is building a house.

Ethel Allgor, who was recently severely bitten by a dog owned by Henry Albert, of Coontown, is able to walk again.

William Cooper lost a valuable horse last week with a sprained foot. Benjamin Harrison, of Coontown, is detained at home by illness.

The children who are to take part in the Children's Day exercises of Mt. Bethel church practiced yesterday afternoon. Miss Lillian Crabb and Ida Cooper were in charge.

Michael King, of Liberty Corner,

has been awarded the contract for the building of a new barn in Springfield for Philip Mundy. The foundation is completed and the carpenter work will start shortly.

David Levitz, who has been attending a dental college in New York, has returned to his home for a few months.

### Watchung.

The Misses Silk and Buckley, of New York City are occupying the McKenzie Cottage on Sterling road.

Elaborate plans are being made by the Watchung Athletic Association for its reception and dance Friday evening in the Improvement Society's hall. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Improvement Society will act as patronesses.

Judge Hiram O'Hance has returned to Hight on another business trip.

The Pleasant Word Workers were entertained last evening at the home of Mrs. Harry B. MacDonald on Valley road. Miss Theresa E. Schmidt, the president, presided at the meeting. Plans were discussed for the summer's program. George W. Minans, the counsellor, gave an outline on the Sunday-school lessons for the coming month. After the usual business all enjoyed a "story-telling hour" after which refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Nora Kuntz.

Harold W. Schenck, of Plainfield, will preach Sunday morning and evening in the Mary Wilson Memorial Union church.

Mrs. Charles Child Wheeler, of Woodledge road, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. S. Packard, in Providence R. I.

### THE FORUM

Editor Plainfield Daily Press:

The Saturday half-holiday plan for August continues to meet with general approval. A large majority of the stores have agreed to adopt the plan under certain conditions, and it is the consensus of opinion that the movement is one that will make Plainfield clearly in line with modern movements for civic and social betterment.

Letters being received daily from firms which employ a smaller number of men than the big factories, showing that they are heartily in sympathy with the plan, and will follow the lead of the factories in making pay-day earlier in the week. The following are typical letters:

Yours received. We will be glad to assist you by paying our men on Friday instead of Saturday during the month of August.

Yours very truly,  
MARTIN AUTOMOBILE CO.

Paying on some other day than Saturday has long been one of my ideas. I agree with every thing you say about it and will start paying my men off on Friday of this week. I heartily agree with every thing you have said and if there is any way in which I can help this movement along let me know.

Yours truly,  
JOSEPH HARRIGAN.

If the men that would be affected by not having their money on Friday find that it is a serious handicap to them, we will be glad to work out some plan to overcome the difficulty.

Yours truly,  
WADLEY & GOODNOUGH.

It has been our custom ever since we were in business to pay on Saturday, but it would really make no difference that I know of to change the routine at least for a month and pay on Friday. You can count on our doing what we can to assist in anything that is for the mutual good.

Very respectfully,  
J. D. LOIZEAUX LUMBER CO.

Favorable replies have also been received from Laing Auto Garage, Allen Pharmacal Co., Independent Ice Co., while many other concerns have agreed to co-operate in whatever way they can.

There is a growing conviction that half holidays during the summer which bring relief to almost all classes of employees should include those who work in the stores. Can't the citizens of Plainfield see to it that this beneficent plan may be carried out without involving any loss to the merchants?

Thanking you for allowing me the privilege of bringing this subject again to the attention of your readers, I am,

Very truly,  
KATHERINE F. BALL.

Mrs. William Emmons is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stevens, of Portland, Pa.

Miss Mildred Tier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Tier, of East Front street, has been detained at home for the last month with illness.

Nathan Boylan, of Regent street, who has been detained at his home for the past five weeks with scarlet fever, is doing well and expects to be out on Friday.

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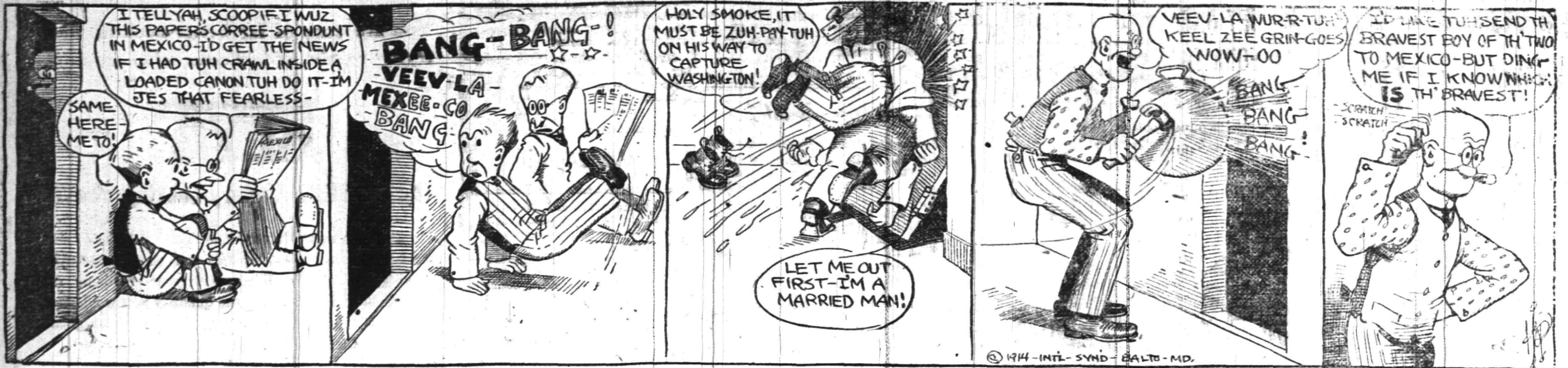
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## HARD TO JUDGE BETWEEN THE TWO HEROES



## Queries, Comment and Answers

**Sporting Editor:**  
Query—To settle an argument kindly tell me how many people attend the English Derby races?—H. J. Y.

**Answer**—The last one attracted 250,000 persons.

**Sporting Editor:**  
Query—Does the chief of police assign a night policeman to the territory of West Front street and Madison avenue; if so why are there so many night hawks permitted to congregate in front of Dreier's store and also in front of entrance of the J. A. Smith store until 1 a. m. every night, disturbing the peace and quietness of persons living in that neighborhood?—L. R. S.

**Answer**—If you have a complaint to lodge visit the chief at headquarters.

ters. He will take steps to abolish the nuisance at once.

**Sporting Editor:**  
Query—To whom should I send my entry for the Parker Field athletic meet July 4. Is it necessary that I should be a member of the A. A. U.?—C. D.

**Answer**—Mail your entry to George W. Wriston. You will have to take out a registration in the A. A. U.

**Sporting Editor:**  
Query—When will a new Mayor be elected in Plainfield?—N. G. T.  
**Answer**—That is a question which is unanswerable. Mayor Percy H. Stewart's term expires January 3 next, but whether or not he will be re-elected at the fall elections we do not know.

## BOB FITZSIMMONS TAKES A CRACK AT THE PRESENT DAY WHITE-HOPE GALLERY

"Old Bob" Fitzsimmons comes along and utters some harsh, cruel words in the general direction of the present day punching persons. Not only does Bob verbally hammer the "white hopes," of whom Bob thinks damned little, but he also takes a poke at the entries in all other divisions.

"The boxers of the present day are a menace to the sport," asserts Fitz, with much gusto. "They are money mad. They ask too much for their services and the exhibitions some of them give are flimsy."

"Think of Ritchie demanding—and getting—a \$10,000 guarantee for 10 rounds—exactly 30 minutes work. Why, it's absurd. Those fellows ought to be made to fight on a percentage basis like we did in the old days, the winner receiving the major portion of the purse."

"The reason that the fights of the present day are jokes and farces in connection with those in the old days is because of that guarantee business. When a fighter knows that he'll get a certain amount, no matter how the battle ends, he doesn't extend himself. He just stales along and defrauds the public, for he is taking their money under the pretense of fighting."

"But ten and twenty years ago, before the guarantee idea became a vogue, there were real fights. A fighter knew that winning made a difference of from 20 to 30 per cent. in his divvy, according to whether the purse was split 60-40 or 70-30, and you can bet on it that he humped himself some to grab off the big end."

"It's too bad that some of the old time fighters who gave the fans an honest run for their money, aren't in their prime today, so that they could grab down some of the big money."

They were the boys who gave the crowd the very best exhibition possible. They fought every minute they were on their feet. Stalling and performing a marathon in the ring wasn't in their line. Yet they got pitifully little money for it.

"Some persons are of the opinion that I got a fortune for my fights with Corbett and Jeffries. The amount that I got for winning the championship was \$5,000—a sum that the second raters in this day would sneeze at. For my fight with Jeffries I drew down only a little more than \$4,000. And they were championship bouts, mind you. So you can guess what I used to get for fighting the second raters. It was hardly enough to buy chewing tobacco for the fighters of today."

While on the subject of Fitz, it might be mentioned that a great grief has come into his old age. He has a son, a namesake, who is regarded by all who have seen him as a wonderful fighting machine and a possible champion in the heavyweight division.

But the boy cares not for the resined arena, he cares not for fame, as a pugilist, and he recently told his stunned papa that he won't adopt prize fighting as a profession. Young Fitz hates fighting as much as old Fitz loves it, and the grand old man of the prize ring, who carefully groomed his son to bring the championship back to the family, cannot understand the amazing attitude of the son.

Fitz's offspring is under twenty. He weighs around 260, is about 6 feet tall and has a superb physique. He is faster on his feet than any of the present day "white hopes," has a reach longer than his dad's, an assortment of terrible punches and a

defense that is nearly perfect.

Ever since he was a little shaver, Father Fitz has been showing him all he knows of the ring game. For years in his odd moments the father has trained the son. And now, just at a time when he is ripe for the work of fighting his way to the kingly place his father once held, young Fitz has decided that he does not care to go about punching other persons.

It isn't cowardice that causes this change of mind on the part of Fitz Junior. He's as game and as brave as his dad—which speaks volumes. It's simply because young Fitz doesn't care for the prize fighting game. He'd rather be a farmer or learn some trade than don the mitts.

This comes as a severe blow to Old Fitz. The ambition of his later years has been to see his son the champion. He has devoted more than ten years to training his boy and working him up to that point, and now to have the boy break through the traces, to have him decide that he won't be a fighter, is a pretty hard blow to the father.

But Old Fitz isn't exactly in despair. He is humoring the boy now, hoping that in a few months he will alter his present determination and go into the ring after all.

Bob, Sr., at present dividing his time between his farm in Dundell, the stage in New York and Plainfield. He is fulfilling a theatrical engagement at the present time and commutes back and forth to the city of the Great White Way.

## BASEBALL

Results of Games Played in National, American and Federal Leagues.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
At Pittsburgh—Brooklyn and Pittsburgh game postponed on account of rain.

At Chicago—New York, 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 2 6 0  
Chicago, 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 6 2  
Batteries—Mathewson and Meyers; Zabel and Bresnahan. Umpires—Orth and Byron.

At Cincinnati—Philadelphia, 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 1 2 6 12 3  
Cincinnati, 0 2 1 0 2 0 1 1 2 8 10 1  
Batteries—Marshall, Chalmers, Oeschger, Doolin and Burns; Ames, Benton, Clark and Gonzales. Umpires—Klemp and Hart.

At St. Louis—Boston, 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 11 4  
St. Louis, 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 4 11 1  
Batteries—Rudolph and Gowdy; Saltee, Steele, Hageman, Wingo and O'Connor.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

Pittsburgh, 21 9 709 St. Louis, 15 20 474  
New York, 18 11 621 Chicago, 15 21 437  
Cincinnati, 21 15 583 Philadelphia, 12 17 414  
Brooklyn, 14 15 482 Boston, 9 19 316

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
At New York—Chicago and New York game postponed on account of rain.

At Boston—Cleveland, 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 4 8 1  
Boston, 0 2 1 0 1 0 0 1 2 6 11 3  
Batteries—Hall, Maines, Reynolds and Senner; Ayers, Bentley and Henry. Umpires—Hildebrand and O'Loughlin.

At Philadelphia—St. Louis, 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 3 2  
Philadelphia, 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2 1  
Game called end of fifth inning; rain.

Batteries—Weisman and Agnew; Shawkey and Schang. Umpires—Connolly and Dineen.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

Washington, 21 12 628 Boston, 15 16 484  
Philadelphia, 17 12 586 New York, 14 16 467  
Detroit, 21 15 583 Chicago, 15 20 444  
St. Louis, 16 17 456 Cleveland, 11 23 324

**FEDERAL LEAGUE.**  
At Baltimore—St. Louis, 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 4 8 2  
Baltimore, 0 2 0 1 0 1 0 1 4 8 2  
Game called end of sixth inning; rain.

Batteries—Willett and Simon; Sugars and Jacklitch. Umpires—Mannasau and Bush.

Chicago—Brooklyn, Indianapolis—Pittsburgh and Kansas City—Buffalo games postponed on account of rain.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

Baltimore, 22 11 750 Kan. City, 15 18 473  
Chicago, 15 16 500 Ind.apolis, 14 16 467  
Brooklyn, 13 17 599 Buffalo, 12 15 444  
St. Louis, 15 18 421 Pittsburg, 12 18 400

## TWO MORE FOR JACK

The Boston Braves defeated St. Louis yesterday afternoon by a score of 7 to 4. Maranville's home run with the bases full being responsible for the verdict. Jack Martin, performing at third base, added another brace

of safeties to his growing list and also scored a run for the winning side.

## K. OF C. PLAYERS TO HAVE STRONG TEAM

Will Play Independent Baseball With Other Fraternity Nines in the State.

Joe Green, who has been appointed by the Columbus Club members, to look after their baseball interests in a managerial way, is planning a busy season of diamond work for the local Knights and has some good talent ready to take part in the schedule of games he is arranging with some of the most formidable club and fraternity nines in the Metropolitan district.

In an interview last night, Green stated positively that the local Knights would not enter the State Knights of Columbus League, but would play independent baseball on their home grounds on Elizabeth street. The Knights are arranging for the purchase of baseball regalia and other equipment and as soon as this arrives the first games will be scheduled.

Considerable sentiment has been expressed for and against the Plainfielders entrance into the proposed State league following an invitation which has been extended them, but it was decided not to join the circuit this year. Bayley Council, of Elizabeth, is another holdout in the plan and it is probable that an independent series will be arranged between Plainfield and the Union county best aggregation.

## NEARLY 3,000 HITS.

Honus Wagner is crowding close on the mark of 3,000 base hits as a big leaguer. Including last Monday's game the incomparable Dutchman had a grand harvest of 2,987 hits made since he entered the National League arena in Louisville in 1897. He had 2,951 hits at the close of last season, and unofficial records give him 36, including last Monday. Since then he has made three hits, making a total of 2,990, and needs only ten more to have 3,000. Also he has 704 stolen bases and 1,569 runs.

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## ST. ANTHONY'S NEXT

## IN LINE FOR LOCALS

Plainfield Sunday Baseball Team Will Lineup Against Strong Club.

The St. Anthony's of Perth Amboy will be the attraction at South Plainfield next Sunday when they will lineup against Tommy Mullin's Plainfield B. B. C. The Amboy team has quite a reputation as one of the best semi-pro teams in their section of the State and the Plainfield team will have to go some to hold them. Last Sunday the St. Anthony's defeated the Franklins at Perth Amboy by a score of 10 to 9 in the second game of a series to decide the city championship of Amboy. The prize for the team winning the series is \$100 in gold and a cup. Next Sunday the new grandstand will be ready for the fans and the playing field will be in first-class condition. Manager McDonough of the Plainfield team has some of the fastest teams in this locality booked, among them being Jimmy Montross' Dunellen B. B. C., the Somerville Club and the Milford from Easton, Pa. The Auto Transit Co. will have a new 75-passenger car running in a week or ten days and Manager Campbell claims that he can then transport from four to five hundred fans from this city to South Plainfield and return.

## LOCAL BOY HELPS TIGERS DEFEAT YALE TENNIS TEAM

The Princeton tennis team, of which Ludlow Vandeventer, of Woodland avenue, is a member, made a clean sweep in the series against Yale on the Tiger's court yesterday afternoon, taking six matches after which the rain prevented further competition. Vandeventer was the central figure in one of the hardest fought matches of the series.

The former Plainfield High School champion defeated Lockwood, of Yale, 11-9, 6-4, asserting his superiority in straight sets. Vandeventer played last year with the Tiger team and is recognized as a mainstay in this line of sport. Since entering the New Jersey college he has developed wonderfully as a tennis player and his friends look forward to some good reports from his racket work this season.

## AMERICAN HORSE WINS

London, May 28.—H. B. Duff's magnificent bay colt, Durbar II, ridden by the American jockey, McGeer, won the classic Derby at Epsom yesterday in a common canter. The official distance separating him from Hapsburg, who finished second, and who belongs to Sir Ernest Cassell, the banker, was given as three lengths, but this conveys no idea of the ease with which the race was won. Peter the Hermit, a 100 to 1 shot, owned by H. J. King, a South African millionaire, was third.

## FORTUNES WON ON DERRY

London, May 28.—The winner of the first prize of \$275,000 in the great Calcutta Sweepstakes, of yesterday's Derby, was a bank clerk named Comely, of Simla, India. The second prize of \$125,000 was divided between two partners, Arthur Morris and W. B. Wilson, American cotton brokers of Manchester.

## TITLE FOR AMERICA.

Versailles, May 28.—Two Americans, Francis Quimet and Henry J. Topping, were left to fight out the final round for the French amateur golf championship to be played off here today. Topping beat Jerome Travers, American amateur champion, in the semi-finals.

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All these goods are pasteurized to insure absolute purity.  
We regret to state that we can not deliver goods in Plainfield, but if you consider quality and prices you will find it will pay you to send for them. We call for empty bottles.



## TRENTON WHIPPED BETWEEN SHOWER

Plainfield High School Players Score Notable Verdict Over Rivals.

## HARD HITTING RULES

Many Star Plays Pulled by Men on Both Sides—Game Called in the Seventh to Allow Visitors to Catch Train.

After being interrupted several times by heavy showers, the Plainfield High School baseball team finally handed out a beating to the Trenton High School baseball team, in a seven inning game played at Trenton yesterday afternoon. The game was one of the best played by the local team this year, being marked by heavy hitting and fast fielding. The final score was 5 to 2. Dunham and VanDeventer started with the stick. Dunham smashed out a three bagger and a two bagger out of three trips to bat, while VanDeventer knocked a two bagger and two singles out of four times up. The local team outdid its opponents by two to one.

The locals also played well in the field, making but one misplay. Brick pitched one of the best games of the year, holding his opponents well in hand at all times. Keeping out of tight holes and scoring ten strikeouts to H. Walsh's seven. VanDeventer was robbed of a hair-raising putout on McCabe's line drive in the seventh inning. The ball was hit on a line to left field. VanDeventer ran forward, reached out and caught the ball about an inch from the ground. He then fell and rolled over several times, but held on to the ball. The umpire would not allow the catch, however, saying that the ball touched the ground before VanDeventer caught it.

The game was delayed ten minutes in the opening inning by a heavy shower. It was also stopped in the second because of rain.

### PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL.

R. H. P. O. A. E.					
Dunham, 2b	2	2	1	3	0
Hetfield, 3b	0	1	0	1	0
Rosenson, ss	1	2	0	1	0
Butler, cf	1	1	1	0	1
Peacock, rf	0	1	0	0	0
VanDeventer, cf	1	3	2	0	0
Apgar, c	0	1	0	0	0
Victorson, 1b	0	1	0	0	0
Brick, p	0	2	1	0	0

### TRENTON HIGH SCHOOL.

R. H. P. O. A. E.					
McCabe, 3b	0	1	0	1	1
J. Walsh, ss	0	0	0	1	0
Hackett, lf	0	1	2	0	0
H. Walsh, p	1	1	2	1	0
Westenberger, 1b	0	0	6	0	2
Mealy, 2b	0	1	2	0	0
Harrison, cf	1	1	0	0	0
Groff, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Heller, c	0	0	8	1	1

### Score by innings:

P. H. S.	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	5
T. H. S.	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2

Summary—Three-base hit, Dunham; two-base hits, Dunham, VanDeventer; sacrifice hit, Brick; stolen bases, VanDeventer, Rosenson, McCabe (3), Mealy (2); struck out, by H. Walsh, 7; by Brick, 10; base on balls, off Brick, 3; off H. Walsh, 1. Umpire, VanSycle; scorer, O'Leary.

## DAY'S OUTING FOR HOPE AND ROOTERS SATURDAY

Special trolley cars have been chartered to take the Hope Chapel baseball team and a large crowd of rooters to Bound Brook, Saturday, where Manager Leighs has arranged two games with the Y. M. A. combination of that place. The Hope team will be idle in the Sunday-school League race Saturday and it is expected that a score or more of rooters will take advantage of the day's outing to that town.

One contest will be played in the morning and another in the afternoon. Between the games the team and its friends will inspect the town and visit the banks of the Raritan. Special arrangements have been made to make the outing as attractive as possible to the supporters of the local Sunday-school team and a large number of rooters have already signified their intention of going.

### NEW AUTO RECORD.

Indianapolis, May 28—After three days of the fastest automobile racing ever seen on the Indianapolis motor speedway, the thirty drivers who will start in the annual 500-mile race here next Saturday were selected last night. George Boillot, the French driver, who yesterday set a new United States record on the 2½ mile track, circling it in 1:30:13, led the list of successful drivers. Boillot drove his car around the course at a rate of a fraction less than 100 miles an hour.

—If you have a really desirable home or apartment to rent, your "ad" will constitute GOOD NEWS to some anxious people in this city.

## MISS WILDEY ONE OF FOUR TO PLAY

Local Tennis Player Reaches the Semi-final Round for State Championship.

Miss Edna Wilder vanquished Miss Elsie Jewett in the women's invitation lawn tennis tournament at the Essex County Country Club yesterday afternoon, winning her single's match by scores of 6-2, 6-0. Only four of the original thirty-two starters are still in the running as the result of elimination work yesterday and this quarter moved out to the semi-final round.

In the top half of the draw, Mrs. S. F. Weaver, formerly of Central avenue, and former New Jersey State champion, and Mrs. Alfred G. Niles, came through, while in the lower half Mrs. Marshall, McLean, Jersey State and Metropolitan title holder, and Miss Edna Wilder advanced. In the event of Miss Wilder defeating her renowned opponent she will be entitled to meet the winner of the top half for the championship. Mrs. Weaver progressed to the semi-finals yesterday by defeating Miss Jane Rowson, 6-0, 6-2.

In the first round of the women's invitation doubles Mrs. Weaver and Miss Clare Cassell won from Mrs. Gordon Grand and partner by default.

## JAKE DAUBERT HAS HAD GREAT CAREER

Players Who Have Birthdays in May—Brooklyn Captain Has Been a Star.

Had the Superbas played at home May 15 instead of in Chicago, Colonel Ebbets could have had a Jake Daubert Day, for the Brooklyn captain then was celebrating his twenty-ninth birthday. If Jake keeps up his present gait at the bat and in the field, he stands an excellent chance of again being voted the player most valuable to his team in the National League and consequently in line to get another Chalmers car. In his first sixteen games, Robinson's first lieutenant amassed a batting average of .424, going without a safety only in one-fourth of these contests. Daubert has been bunting his wallop this year, having made one hit in each of three games, two hits in each of five games and three hits in each of four games. Jake reached the quarter century pole in base hits in Chicago on Wednesday. Of his 25 safeties three have been doubles, three triplets and two home runs.

Figures show that Daubert has been getting more than his proportion of Brooklyn's hits and runs. The Superbas have crossed the plate 75 times, Daubert having made 14 trips or almost twenty per cent. of the Robins' tallies. The figures as to base hits show that the Robins have to their credit 152, of which Daubert claims 25—or about sixteen per cent. If Daubert had been content to make just one-ninth of his team's runs and hits he would have been credited at the present time with a trifle more than eight tallies and a trifle more than sixteen swats.

Daubert is fielding this year at a .994 clip, making only one error in the first sixteen games he played. This bobbie did not come up until after he had handled 126 chances without a break. Daubert has taken a hand in ten duplex killings, though he hasn't started any.

Daubert played his first game in the National League on April 14, 1910, in Philadelphia. Then batting against George Washington McQuillan, now with the pirates, Jake went hitless. The next day Daubert jarred Lew Maron, the Milwaukee kid, for a brace of singles. He failed to get a hit on the day he made his debut locally, which was April 20, 1910. McQuillan pitching for the enemy, and he also failed to do any damage to Lew Maron's delivery on April 21. Moving over to the Polo Grounds, Daubert hit like a fiend, paying particular attention to the manufacturing of triples, and soon the talk about his not being as good as Tim Jordan died.

Another able athlete who had a birthday May 15 was Tony Smith, former Superba shortstop, now with Sioux City. Tony then was thirty years old. Secretary Herman Nickerson, of the Boston Braves, is today celebrating his forty-fourth birthday and business manager Charley William, of the Chicago Cubs, is celebrating his forty-third.

### CHAMPION DEFEATED.

While developments yesterday make another titleholder certain in the fifteenth annual Women's Metropolitan Golf Championship tournament at the Essex County Country Club's links, it is not likely that the honor will perch upon untied shoulders. Semi-finals today now lie between Miss Lillian Hyde, of Brooklyn, vs. Mrs. W. J. Faith, of Wykagyl, and Miss Georgianna Bishop, of Bridgeport, and Mrs. M. H. Frayne, of Danwode.

OTHER SPORTING NEWS ON PAGE FIVE.

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Bulgarian and Norfolk suits for boys of 7 to 17 years—that most stores ask \$7.00 for. They are of good wearing serges, with wide, full bloomer knickerbockers and patch pockets on the coat.

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Great ties for the money—the same grade that most stores ask at least 50c and 75c for. Silk scarfs with large, wide flowing ends, and in a fine range of summer colorings.

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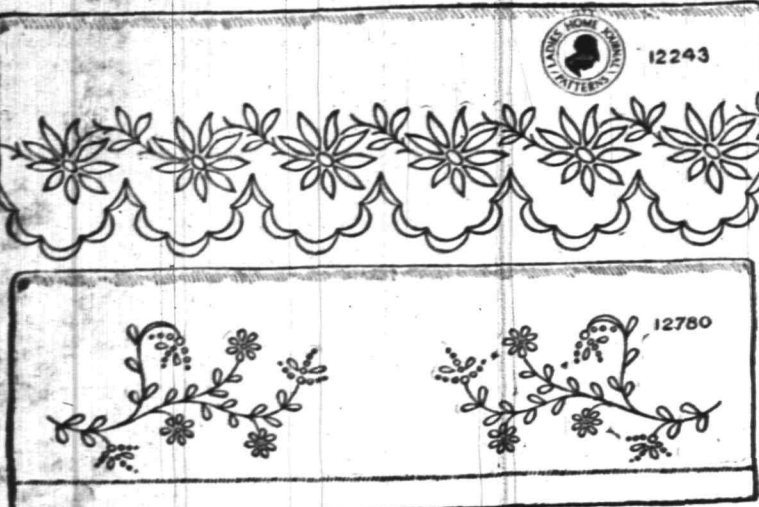


## Of Interest to Women and the Home

## NEEDLEWORK

By MARGARET LAWRENCE

TWO EMBROIDERY DESIGNS SUITABLE FOR USE ON TOWELS



Towels are used so frequently that one can never have too many, either of the large or guest size. These designs, shown in the illustrations, are suitable for use on towels of buckram or damask. Pattern No. 12243 is a border 2 1/2 inches wide and 3 yards are contained in this pattern for 10 cents. The flowers should be developed in heavily padded solid work and the leaves in solid work or eyelets. The scalloped edge should be firmly padded with chain or running-stitches. When using the running-stitch for padding, take a large stitch on the top and a small one on the under side, so as to make the padding high on the

right side and flat on the reverse. The sprays in the lower illustration are from pattern No. 12750, which contains four sprays, each 1 1/4 by 6 inches, for 15 cents. They are suitable for use on towels, pillow-cases, sheets, bureau-scarfs and lingerie pillows, and should be developed in solid work and eyelets with white mercerized cotton. An initial or monogram may be placed in the space between the two sprays on this towel, and the hem may be finished with a hemstitched hem or a plain scalloped edge. Guaranteed, hot-iron transfer patterns will be supplied to readers upon receipt of price.

## MOTHERS' WORK

Conducted by the Plainfield Mothers' Association. Every Thursday

## Contributing Staff.

Mrs. H. E. Parker, chairman; Mrs. Joseph Smith and Mrs. J. L. Evans.

The Daily Press for Thursdays containing the column on Mothers' Work will be sent by mail for one dollar a year, in advance.

MODERN METHODS.  
(Grace Stone Field.)

When grandpa was a tiny boy Oh, awful long ago! He was his parents' pride and joy. For grandma told me so. But when he was a naughty child They "used a switch on him," "Subdued his spirits, rash and wild." My little grandpa Jim.

When father was a little lad He laughs about it now. If he was very, very bad They spanked him, this is how: His mother laid him "cross her knee." And put her hand down flat. Then smacked it with the other, Gee! What do you think of that?

But as for me now, I am small, I do "bout as I please; They dasset punish me at all For reasons such as these: My "free development" assailed, And "Nature's planning foiled," It's strange that Grandpa Jim was whaled, And yet he wasn't spoiled!

The annual meeting of the Franklin-Stillman-Whittier Parent-Teacher Association will be held this afternoon on the lawn of the president's home. Mrs. G. Stuart Simons will give a report of the Congress of Mothers held recently in Washington. Mrs. William Sandford will give an outline of the work in New Jersey and Miss Bullock, principal of the Franklin School and vice-president of the association, will give a humorous monologue entitled "Selma Morrows to-home."

The borough schools are receiving great commendation for the work sent to the county exhibit at Somerville. Among the articles exhibited are tables, large and small, desks, Indian clubs, hard-wood serving tray, bookshelves and baskets.

The Principals' Association, of Middlesex county have declared for vocational schools. At a meeting held this week in New Brunswick, County Superintendent Willis said that in the last two years over one thousand pupils had left school to go to work which would not have happened had the county provided vocational schools.

In the March number of the Parents' Review, L. A. Lowe writes the following in an article on "Discipline and Individuality."

"I believe that concentration is fostered by giving the child work which is really hard, even occasionally over hard work, which requires the putting forth of all his mental energy, rather than by giving him work which he can easily master. We always row our best against the stream. Then again, though it may seem rather a hard counsel I believe it is very frequently advisable that the child should work on in spite of physical discomfort—a slight headache or toothache provided always the hours of work are not prolonged, and the child is not really ill. One knows from one's own experience, that often a headache passes with extreme interest in one's work, and only increases with too ready sympathy and insufficient occupation.

"In order to gain concentration; perseverance and doggedness, it is, I believe, of importance to provide more or less ordered occupation at an early age, whether in the nursery or in the kindergarten, for a portion of the day, though a child should be left to amuse himself for the greater part, so that his efforts towards self-realization may not be unduly checked, but there can be little doubt that impatience and desultory mental habits are often inculcated very young from a child's not having regular occupation for his mind."

BODY OF NEGRO IN CANAL  
WITH HIS HEAD BATTERED

Bound Brook, May 28.—With his head badly battered, the body of Ernest Keys, colored, of Franklin street, South Bound Brook, was pulled from the Raritan Canal yesterday, at the foot of Washington street. He had been missing since Saturday.

While the injuries to the head gave rise to a report that it was a case of murder, some persons expressed the belief that Keys, while intoxicated, fell asleep on the canal bridge, rolled into the water and drowned, and that later a passing canal boat battered the man's head.

Coroner John Lahay has not announced his finding.

## World's Greatest Short Stories

## No. 1.

## THE MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY



EDWARD EVERETT HALE

By Edward Everett Hale

Twenty-four famous authors were asked recently to name the best short story in the English language. The choice of Mary Roberts Rinehart and Owen Johnson was "The Man Without a Country," by Edward Everett Hale. His works are published by Little, Brown & Co.



MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

**PART II.**  
NOLAN must have been in every sea and yet almost never on land. He told me once, with a grave smile, that no man in the world lived so methodical a life as he. "You know the boys say I am the Iron Mask, and you know how busy he was." He said it did not do for any one to try to read all the time more than to do anything else all the time, but that he read just five hours a day. "Then," he said, "I keep up my notebooks, writing in them at such and such hours from what I have been reading, and I include in them my scrapbooks." These were very curious indeed. He had six or eight, of different subjects. There was one of history, one of natural science, one which he called "odds and ends." But they were not merely books of extracts from newspapers. They had bits of plants and ribbons, shells tied on and carved scraps of bone and wood, which he had taught the men to cut for him, and they were beautifully illustrated.

Till he grew very old, he always went aloft a great deal. He always kept up his exercise, and I never heard that he was ill. If any other man was ill he was the kindest nurse in the world, and he knew more than half the surgeons do. Then if anybody was sick or died, or if the captain wanted him to on any other occasion, he was always ready to read prayers. I have remarked that he read beautifully.

My own acquaintance with Philip Nolan began six or eight years after the war, on my first voyage after I was appointed a midshipman. It was in the first days after our slave trade treaty, while the reigning house, which was still the house of Virginia, had still a sort of sentimentalism about the suppression of the horrors of the Middle Passage, and something was sometimes done that way. I first came to understand anything about "the man without a country" one day when we overhauled a dirty little schooner which had slaves on board. An officer was sent to take charge of her, and after a few minutes he sent back his boat to ask that some one might be sent him who could speak Portuguese. We were all looking over the rail when the message came, and we all wished we could interpret when the captain asked who spoke Portuguese. But none of the officers did, and just as the captain was sending forward to ask if any of the people could, Nolan stepped out and said he should be glad to interpret if the captain wished, as he understood the language. The captain thanked him, fitted out another boat with him, and in this boat it was my luck to go.

When we got there it was such a scene as you seldom see and never want to. Nastiness beyond account, and chaos row loose in the midst of the nastiness. The negroes were, most of them, out of the hold and swarming all round the dirty deck, with a central round surrounding Vaughan and addressing him in every dialect and patois of a dialect, from the Zulu click up to the Parisian of Belvedere.

As we came on deck Vaughan looked down from a hogshead on which he had mounted in desperation and said: "For God's love, is there anybody who can make these wretches understand something?"

Nolan said he could speak Portuguese and one or two fine looking Kroomen were dragged out, who, as it had been found already, had worked for the Portuguese at Fernando Po.

"Tell them they are free," said Vaughan, "and tell them that these rascals are to be hanged as soon as we can get rope enough."

Nolan explained it in such Portuguese as the Kroomen could understand and they in turn to such of the negroes as could understand them. Then there was such a yell of delight, clenching of fists, leaping and dancing, kissing of Nolan's feet and a general

ush made to the hogshead by way of spontaneous worship of Vaughan, as the deus ex machina of the occasion.

"Tell them," said Vaughan, well pleased, "that I will take them all to Cape Palmas."

This did not answer so well. Cape Palmas was practically as far from the homes of most of them as New Orleans or Rio Janeiro was that is, they would be eternally separated from home there. And their interpreters, as we could understand, instantly said, "Ah, non Palmas," and began to propose infinite other expedients in most voluble, language. Vaughan was rather disappointed at this result of his liberality and asked Nolan eagerly what they said. The drops stood on poor Nolan's white forehead as he hushed the men down, and said:

"He says 'Not Palmas.' He says, 'Take us home, take us to our own country, take us to our own home, take us to our own pickaninies and

our own women.' And this one says," choked out Nolan, "that he has not heard a word from his home in six months, while he has been locked up in an infernal barracoon."

Vaughan always said he grew gray himself while Nolan struggled through this interpretation. I, who did not understand anything of the passion involved in it, saw that the very elements were melting with fervent heat and that something was to pay somewhere. Even the negroes themselves stopped howling as they saw Nolan's agony and Vaughan's almost equal agony of sympathy. As quick as he could get words, he said:

"Tell them yes, yes. Tell them they shall go to the Mountains of the Moon if they will. If I sail the schooner through the Great White desert they shall go home!"

And after some fashion Nolan said so. And they all fell to kissing him and wanted to rub his nose with theirs.

But he could not stand it long, and getting Vaughan to say he might go back, he beckoned me down into our boat. As we lay back in the stern sheets and the men gave way, he said to me: "Youngster, let that show you what it is to be without a family, without a home and without a country. And if you are ever tempted to say a word or to do a thing that shall put a bar between you and your family, your home and your country, pray God in his mercy to take you that instant home to his own heaven. Stick by your family, boy. Forget you have a self, while you do everything for them. Think of your home, boy. Write and send and talk about it. Let it be nearer and nearer to your thought the farther you have to travel from it, and rush back to it when you are free, as that poor black slave is doing now. And for your country, boy, and the words rattled in his throat, "and for that flag," and he pointed to the ship, "never dream a dream but of serving her as she bids you, though the service carry you through a thousand helms. No matter what happens to you, no matter who flatters you or who abuses you, never look at another flag, never let a night pass but you pray God to bless that flag. Remember, boy, that behind all these men you have to do with, behind officers and government and people even, there is the country herself, your country, and that you belong to her as you belong to your own mother. Stand by her, boy, as you would stand by your mother if those devils there had got hold of her to-day."

I was frightened to death by his calm, hard passion, but I blundered out that I would, by all that was holy, and that I had never thought of doing anything else. He hardly seemed to hear me, but he did, almost in a whisper, say, "Oh, if anybody had said so to me when I was of your age!"

I think it was this half confidence of his, which I never abused, for I never told this story till now, which afterward made us great friends. He was very kind to me. When we parted from him in St. Thomas harbor at the end of our cruise I was more sorry than I can tell. I was very glad to meet him again in 1830, and later in life, when I thought I had some influence in Washington. I moved heaven and earth to have him discharged. But it was like getting a ghost out of prison. They pretended there was no such man and never was such a man. They will say so at the department now!

There is a story that Nolan met Burr once on one of our vessels, when a party of Americans came on board in the Mediterranean. But this I believe to be a lie; or, rather, it is a myth, well founded, involving a tremendous blowing up with which he sunk Burr—asking him how he liked to be "without a country."

After that cruise I never saw Nolan again. I wrote to him at least twice a year, for in that voyage we became even confidentially intimate; but he never wrote to me. The other men tell me that in those fifteen years he aged very fast. And now it seems the dear old fellow is dead. He has found a home at last, and a country.

Since writing this I have received from Danforth, who is on board the Levant, a letter which gives an account of Nolan's last hours. It removes all my doubts about telling this story.

To understand the first words of the letter the nonprofessional reader should remember that after 1817 the position of every officer who had Nolan in charge was one of the greatest delicacy. The government had failed to renew the order of 1807 regarding him. What was a man to do? Should he let him go? What, then, if he were called to account by the department for violating the order of 1807? Should he keep him? What, then, if Nolan should be liberated some day and should bring

an action for false imprisonment or kidnapping against every man who had had him in charge? The secretary at ways said, as they so often do at Washington, that there were no special orders to give and that we must act on our own judgment.

Here is the letter:

Levant, 2° 5' S. @ 131° W.  
Dear Fred—I try to find heart and life to tell you that it is all over with dear old Nolan. The doctor had been watching him very carefully and yesterday morning came to me and told me that Nolan was not so well and had not left his room, as a thing I never remembered before. He had let the doctor come and see him as he lay there, the first time the doctor had been in the stateroom, and he said he should like to see me. Oh, dear, do you remember the mysteries we boys used to invent about his room in the old Intrepid days? Well, I went in, and there, to be sure, the poor fellow lay in his berth, smiling pleasantly as he gave me his hand, but looking very frail. I could not help a glance round, which showed me what a little shrine he had made of the box he was lying in. The stars and stripes were trailed up above and around a picture of Washington, and he had painted a majestic eagle, with lightning bolts blazing from his beak and his foot just clapping the whole globe, which his wings overshadowed. The dear old boy saw my glance and said, with a sad smile, "Here, you see, I have a country." And he pointed to the foot of his bed, where I had not seen before a great map of the United States as he had drawn it from memory and which he had there to look upon as his key. Quaint queer old names were on it in large letters. "Oh, Danforth," he said, "I know I am dying. I cannot get home. Surely you will tell me something now—stop, stop! Do not speak till I say what I want. I want to tell you that there is not in this ship, that there is not in America—God bless her—a more loyal man than I. There cannot be a man who loves the old flag as I do or prays for it as I do or hopes for it as I do. There are thirty-four stars in it now, Danforth. I thank God for that, though I do not know what their names are. There has never been one taken away. I thank God for that. I know that that that there has never been any successful Burr. Oh, Danforth, Danforth," he sighed out, "tell me—tell me something—tell me everything, Danforth, before I die!"

Ingham, I swear to you that I felt like a monster that I had not told him everything before. Danger or no danger, delicacy or no delicacy, who was I that I should have been acting the tyrant all this time over this dear, sainted old man who had years ago expiated in his whole manhood the life the madness of a boy's treason? "Mr. Nolan," said I, "I will tell you everything you ask about, only where shall I begin?"

Oh, the blessed smile that crept over his white face! And he pressed my hand and said: "God bless you! Tell me their names," he said, and he pointed to the stars on the flag.

Well, I told him the names in as good order as I could, and he bade me take down his beautiful map and draw them in as I best could with my pencil. He was wild with delight about Texas; told me how his brother died there. He had marked a gold cross where he supposed his brother's grave was, and he had guessed at Texas. Then he was delighted as he saw California and Oregon. That, he said, had been suspected partly because he had never been permitted to land on that shore, though the ships were there so much. "And the men," said he, laughing, "brought off a good deal besides themselves at some Indian treaty. I saw how far! to ask about the Chesapeake and what was done to Barron for surrendering her to the Leopard, and whether Burr ever tried again, and he ground his teeth with his passion. But he said, "In a moment that was over, and he said, "God forgive me, for I am sure I forgive him." Then he asked about the old war and settled down more quietly and very happily to hear me tell in an hour the history of fifty years.

How I wished it had been somebody who knew something! I tell you, Ingham, it was a hard thing to condense the history of half a century into an hour. But I did it, and I do not now know what I told him of emigration and the means of it, of steamboats and railroads and telegraphs, of inventions and books and literature, of the colleges and West Point and the naval academy, and the queerest interruptions that ever you heard. You see, it was Robinson Crusoe asking all the accumulated questions of fifty years.

I remember he asked all of a sudden who was president now, and when I told him he asked if Old Abe was General Benjamin Lincoln's son. He said he met Old General Lincoln when he was quite a boy in a battle with the British. He said no; that Old Abe was a Kentuckian, like himself, but I could not tell him of his family. He had worked up from the ranks. "Good for him!" cried Nolan. "I am glad of that. As I have brooded and wondered I have thought our danger was in keeping up those regular successions in the first families." I told him everything I could think of that would show the grandeur of his country and its prosperity.

And he drank it in and enjoyed it as I cannot tell you. He grew more and more silent, yet I never thought he was tired or faint. I gave him a glass of water, but he just wet his lips and told me to go to away. Then he asked me to bring the Presbyterian Book of Public Prayer, which lay there, and said, with a smile, that it was open at the right place, and so it did. There was his double red mark down the page, and I knelt down and read, and he repeated with me. "For ourselves and our country, O gracious God, we thank thy Son, David, standing our manifold transgressions of thy holy laws, thou hast continued to us thy marvelous kindness," and so to the end of that thanksgiving. Then he turned to the end of the book, and I read the words more familiar to me. "Most heartily we beseech thee with thy favor to behold and bless thy servant, the president of the United States, and all others in authority." "Danforth," he said, "I have repeated those prayers night and morning—it is now fifty-five years." And then he said he would go to sleep. He bent me down over him and kissed me, and he said, "Look in my Bible, Danforth, when I am gone." And I went away.

I had no thought it was the end. I thought he was tired and would sleep. I knew he was happy, and I wanted him to be alone.

But in an hour when the doctor went in gently he found Nolan had breathed his life away with a smile. He had something pressed close to his lips. It was his father's badge of the Order of Cincinnati.

We looked in his Bible, and there was a slip of paper at the place where he had made the text:

"They desire a country, even a heavenly one; therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; for he hath prepared for them a city."

On this slip of paper he had written: "Bury me in the sea. It has been my home, and I love it. But if not some one set up a stone for my memory at Fort Adams or at Orleans, that my disgrace may not be more than I ought to bear? Say on it:

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**SMITH FINISHES  
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Star Witness In Roseville  
Bank Case Contradicted.

**DEFENSE NOW IS OPENED**

Counsel For Armstrong Declares He  
Would Prove Charges Against Ac-  
count of His Client Were Entered by  
Smith In Order to Cover Up Latter's  
Thefts.

Newark, N. J., May 28.—Raymond E. Smith, who was secretary and treasurer of the wrecked Roseville Trust company, finished his testimony as a witness for the state in the trial against William C. Armstrong, an East Orange contractor and former depositor in the bank, and William J. Thompson and A. Randolph Jennings, tellers in the bank, who are on trial on an indictment charging them with defrauding the bank out of \$35,000 with Smith by conspiracy.

Prosecutor Hood called a number of witnesses who had received checks drawn by Armstrong on the Roseville bank and who had cashed or accepted at the bank without question. The prosecutor attempted to show that while Armstrong's account was always overdrawn the latter's checks were honored at the bank.

In opening the case for the defense Henry H. Fryling, counsel for Armstrong, declared that his client never overdraw his account at the trust company except in a few instances, when it was overdrawn \$100 or so. He declared that he would prove that the charges against the account of Armstrong were entered by Smith in order to cover up the latter's thefts.

Mr. Fryling said that it was true that the bank had many notes of Armstrong's, but that they were secured by mortgages. He said that Mr. Armstrong owned property in value far in excess of his indebtedness to the bank. He admitted Armstrong owed the bank a large sum, according to the statement of the bank investigators amounting to \$68,193.30. He brought out that this claim was compromised to \$40,000, after it was shown there was a mistake in the figures of the banking department. Counsel asserted that the \$40,000 was represented by notes and not cash, by which Armstrong benefited. He accused Smith of having manipulated the books in such a way as to make charges appear against Armstrong's account to cover up his own defalcations.

**PROBLEM BEFORE FIELDER.**

May Find Considerable Difficulty In Filling Judge Cole's Place.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 28.—Governor Fielder will find considerable difficulty in the choice of a successor to Judge Clarence L. Cole, whose resignation he has accepted. The office will be vacant on Oct. 1.

The usual list of possible candidates is being discussed. Among these are Clifton C. Shinn, president of the county board of taxation and one of the most active in the Fielder campaign during last fall. His present office, however, may delay him from the list of possibilities. Another is Judge Frank Smaathers of the district court. Friends of the judge, however, assert that he will not be a candidate. Others who loom up are former Judge Joseph Thompson and S. Cameron Hinkle.

**JERSEY BRIDGE PLAN TOTTERS**

Passaic County Insists Its Benefits Will Not Warrant Expense.

Hackensack, N. J., May 28.—The plan to have five counties in the northern part of New Jersey assume the responsibility of building a bridge over the Hudson river, together with New York state, is likely to fail, for the reason that Passaic county, whose share of the cost was fixed at \$2,500,000, insists that the benefits to be derived from the bridge will not warrant the expense.

Essex and Union counties are also lukewarm, and Bergen and Hudson can't build the bridge alone.

The next conference of the freeholders' committee with the joint New Jersey and New York Hudson river commission will take place in New York on June 11.

Leishman Chairman of L. P. T. L. Allenhurst, N. J., May 28.—At a meeting of the Lincoln Protective Tariff league held here at the residence of the league's founder, Thomas Henry Cochran, Hon. John G. A. Leishman, former United States ambassador to Turkey, Italy and Germany, was elected chairman of the organization.

Mr. Cochran, who is chairman of the committee on organization, was elected treasurer and general manager, while Henry Johnson was elected to the office of president. The Lincoln Protective Tariff league is a nonpartisan movement to take the tariff out of politics.

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GOOD cook (white), references required. Call 441 West Eighth street. 5 23 1f

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WANTED—Strong woman (white) to care for invalid during day. Apply 145 East Sixth street. 5 27 1f

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**MONEY TO LOAN.**

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**SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.**

YOUNG man with experience, age 21, would like position as clerk in office or bank. Address "Clerk," care Press office. 5 22 6

AUTOMOBILE mechanic wishes position with corporation or with private family; experienced with different makes. Address Mechanic, care Press. 5 28 3

CHAUFFEUR, gardener, useful, single, wishes position. Address Baader, 159 Somerset street. Tel. 1199-J. 5 28 3

MAN wants work with private family; references. 711 West Fourth street. 5 27 3

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

INSURANCE, ALL BRANCHES. AGENT FOR NATIONAL SURETY. C. J. T. VAIL. 9 2 1f

POSTPONED from yesterday on account of storm, to Friday afternoon from 2 to 6 p. m. The fair and sale for the benefit of Day Nursery at the residence of Mrs. Sidney R. Titworth, 926 Park avenue. Fancy articles, cakes, lemonade on sale.

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FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Nine room house, all improvements, on New Market road. Call 104 Summit avenue. 5 22 6

FOR SALE OR RENT—New six room bungalow, latest improvements, 10 minutes walk from Plainfield depot. Sorenson, 737 Webster place. 5 26 6

WANTED—TO BUY. MOTORCYCLE wanted, must be in first-class condition and at bottom price. G. T. 403 Central avenue. 5 26 3

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Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of LOUIS BARBIER, Deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the seventh day of March, A. D. 1914, on the application of the undersigned, as Administrator of the Estate of Louis Barber, deceased, an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Louis Barber, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

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