

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding days of last year, as kept by the observatory, corner of First street and Park avenue.	
1887.	
4 a.m.	55
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JOB PRINTING.

—The opening of Edsall's new carpet department has been well attended, and the most reasonable rates. Telephone call No. 42.

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—The four o'clock meeting at Reform Hall yesterday afternoon was well attended, and the most reasonable rates. Telephone call No. 42.

—A musical group belonging to the Girls of West Third street showed signs of the rabies on Sunday and Policeman Lynch shot the animal.

—The underbrush on the mountain near Johnson's lookout was on fire yesterday, and last evening the bright light from the fire was seen by many persons in this city.

—A complaint of Charles Smith, Police-man, against a man named Reed on Saturday evening for disorderly conduct. He was fined five dollars by Judge Ulrich.

—Rev. Mr. Bridge gave a practical talk on the subject of the Reform Club meeting last evening. President French presided and Frederick Vanderbeek led the singing as usual.

—A fifteen minute service of song will open the young men's meeting at Association Hall this evening at eight o'clock. Leader W. D. Murray, pianist, orchestra, song talks. All very well received.

—The deciding contest between the Middlesex and Essex Gun Clubs will take place the latter part of the present month, on the ground to be located at the Reform Club. The two clubs have already engaged in two contests, and each club has won a match. The contest which is eagerly awaited will be the sporting fraternity in this locality.

—A portion of West Fourth street was treated to a dressing of gravel Friday evening. Spencer Conway a colored man was driving along that street with a load of gravel about half past six o'clock when the wagon broke down and the dirt had to be shoveled off the road in order to remove the vehicle.

—William Dave was assaulted in Graveler's saloon recently, for which offense he swore out warrants for the arrest of two men named Dave and Hager. A hearing in the case was had before Justice Austin on Saturday when the latter was required to furnish \$500 bail for appearance before the Grand Jury. Davey was discharged.

—A passing train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad set fire to the grass in a field on the farm occupied by Geo. H. Miller near Pine Grove and spreading soon covered the field with flames that were rapidly creeping over his barn, in spite of his efforts with a team attached to a pile to check the spread. The fire was at last extinguished but not before the horses' feed and legs had been scorched.

—Mr. Florence telegraphed that he will keep his contract to produce "Our Governor," regardless of the extra expense entailed upon him. On Saturday night last the governor and his staff and the literary world were crowded the theatre, and later gave a grand banquet in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Florence. The distinguished couple were welcomed at Mount Hall tonight by all citizens who commend their character and genius.

—Some person unknown to the police shot two balls from a revolver through a side window of the tenement house known as "Bacon Row" on West Fourth street early yesterday morning. The place is occupied by a colored family named Manning, and one of the inmates was injured. The police are looking for the shooter.

—The hall was shot from a 22-caliber revolver. "Bacon Row" was the scene of a cold blooded shooting about six years ago, when a colored man named Johnson shot and instantly killed a colored man named "Sam" Williams. Johnson is now serving out a twenty years' sentence in State Prison.

A Two Hundred Dollar Fire.

During the winter John Darby of "Dog Corner" has cut and dressed a large number of posts and rails which he had hauled along the Short Hill road, a short distance to the south of Prospect avenue. On Saturday afternoon the posts and rails were totally destroyed by fire, involving the loss of two hundred dollars. When the fire was in progress the loss was so oppressive that travel was stopped at this place for several hours. As the fire was outside the city, no general alarm was sounded. Mr. Darby's loss was evidently started by tramps or some careless hunters who had been in the vicinity. He says there were 750 posts consumed and about 300 or 400 rails, all new.

PERSONAL.

—Re-Corporation Counsel George P. Stuydam, who has been ill for a week past was able to go to this morning.

—Editor A. M. Powell of this city, who is doing an excellent work in the publication of "The Plainfielder," sends us a four page booklet containing a most able article by Rev. A. H. Lewis, of this city, entitled "Age of Consent Legislation."

—Mrs. Dr. Cutter is to lecture to-morrow on her notice elsewhere, on a subject which ought to be of interest to every man and woman, thorough knowledge of the lungs, and how to avoid the most prevalent of diseases. "Consumption." The lights of an annual or semi-annual lecture have been established in this city, and the lecturer has established a reputation among the ladies of this vicinity and never fails to impart useful knowledge.

EASTER OBSERVANCES.

A PROPHET OF FLOWERS.

How the Day was Celebrated in the Churches in this City.

THE season was preached by the rector Rev. T. Logan Murphy from the words "I am the resurrection and the life."

At four o'clock in the afternoon a children's service was held. The Rev. Dr. Langford, of New York addressed the children.

At five o'clock in the afternoon a service of prayer and song was held by members of the Primary department, "Easter Morning" (Dulley Buck) by a special choir, and an address by the pastor.

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