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Our windows also see the handsome dolls we have. Nothing like this side of New York. Prices on dolls from 50c. to \$5. Our assortment is complete in Dolls' Carriages, Double and single H. riding Horses, Tool Chests, China Tea Sets for children, also Pewter Tea sets. Our assortment of dolls is endless in tin, iron and wood. Decorated China cups and

An exceptional bonus sale offer of twenty-five per cent reduction will be allowed on all Downy Vase Lamps for the Holiday Season—this gives you a lamp at cost and in some cases less. Come early to avoid the rush, as last year many could not even get inside the store.

C. Allen, 28 West Front Street
Cent-a-day and a dinner T. I. GILLIES

Will sell on **THURSDAY, DEC. 17th,**
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HOME SALE—By E. Runyon, real estate agent, a very desirable property on Princeton place, North Plainfield. Also house and lot on Grove street, North Plainfield.

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With K's and brownest manufacturer's prices, at L. Heyniger's, 81 Somers street, New York.

There is a very fine display. They are cheap too. Here are some of the prices:

Toilet Sets, lined and furnished with white comb, brush and mirror, 50c, \$1, \$1.50, and

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sewing boxes, 45c., 50c. and 75c., and up to
\$5. Collar and cuff boxes cheap.
We have also a full set of shaving and
manicure sets on hand. Furber Goods

has a full line of
JEWELRY

Report of the Condition

City National Bank,
At Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the
close of business.

Loans and discounts	\$380,631	66
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	565	50
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	40,000	35

Due from approved banks & agencies.....	20,743	19
Due from other National Banks.....	4,877	12
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....	516	00
Furniture and fixtures.....	41,000	00
Current expenses.....	2,500	00
Reserves on U. S. bonds.....	1,000	00
Cheque and other cash items.....	94	00

Our stock of Christmas Goods is complete;	Fractional paper currency, nickels	209 1/2
and, although we have hitherto shown exten-	and cents.....	18.04
sive lines in these goods, our assortment has	Special tender notes.....	10.00
been increased to include the following:	Legal tender notes.....	1.800 00
	Redemption fund with U. S. Treas-	
	urer (five per cent. of circulation)...	

able we have ever shown.

It embraces the choicest articles, both in regular lines, novelties and fancy goods.

be "Cut" prices previously advertised will

Capital stock paid in.....\$100,000
Surplus fund.....20,000 00

Early callers will have the advantage of first choice.	National Bank notes outstanding	26,450,000
Those who can make it convenient to come	Dividends unpaid	675,000
to the bank will be able to obtain the	Individual deposits subject to check	307,841,000
best rates.	Demand certificates of deposit	11,635,000
	Certified checks	200,000
	Cashier's checks outstanding	6,500,000

get waited upon promptly, and avoid the
 sh in the afternoon. Edsell's.
 Store open evenings.

Corrected-Attest:
J. F. MACDONALD, J.

Why wait until the Last Day. You can get what you want now, and Van Emburgh

are selling.

SCRAPING THE PAN.

We have often been told of the unexplored hills,
The world shared by the simple and wise.
That some day of such one in his bright child-
hood days—
The loss of something men plan
And it seems to me strange that the sweetest
In our young lives should yet be forgot—
The fruit, the fun and exquisite joy
In certain hours of childhood's life
The light shadowed life "what to let" is left
in drop.
More bitter the older we grow;
More strange, with a deal, of the sake to the
lost.
Thus we shrink in the sweet long gone by
Of many years full of hours spent by
Ourselves to live over again,
Would it were so true here from our child-
hood's best days.
No mother's old kitchen floor, when
We sat at the table, humming tunes.
All wet and gloomy, garden time
The cold rain soak put on our cotton hats,
The wind whistled through the open window pane,
When Andrews & O'Rourke in New York

W TO WATER PLAN

"People frequently ask, 'How often should I water my plants?' and 'Should I water them?' The department of agriculture is a reporter the other day said, 'With most plants, it is better to water until it requires it, that is, until it is dry, and then apply a sufficient quantity to saturate the soil.'"

"Devices in plant culture usually make the mistake of merely sprinkling the surface of the soil, and not penetrating the soil applying enough water to saturate the mass. Plants can grow on a surface, but they cannot grow in the soil. The soil is wet, while the main body of the soil is dry. The water on the surface is evaporated, while the main body of the soil is dry. Watering plants in parlor and window gardens arises from the inexperience attending the use of an insufficient quantity; another evil is the dryness of the soil."

"The seeds of these obstacles to success can be greatly modified by the use of a table top or a window box, and by the use of pots or small vases in which the plants are

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Department.
No. 9 Somerset Street

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The breadfruit tree is a native of the islands of the Pacific ocean, and the fruit is said to be from forty to fifty feet. An eastern writer describes the fruit of this tree as being like a large orange, and says it is attached to the branches by a small, thick, stem, and he says the natives cut the fruit into three or four pieces, and then press them together. It contains a fibrous pulp, which when ripe becomes juicy and sweet. It is said to be used in an earlier stage, when it is gathered for use, the pulp is white and meaty and is eaten with sugar. The method of preparing this fruit is to cut it into pieces, take out the core, then wash the pieces in water, and then dig in the ground, cover with green leaves, and upon these place a layer of the fruit, and then a layer of sugar. Alternately, till the whole is nearly filled, when leaves and earth to the depth of several inches are thrown over the fruit. When about half an hour the breadfruit is ready for eating. The natives of the islands, when they find the breadfruit that has been of worst flavor. The inner bark of the breadfruit tree is said to be used for the making of the canoes of the islanders, and its timber and milky juice are employed for economical purposes.

Quack Notions Concerning Gums.

Quack notions concerning gums were held regarding precious stones. The topaz was prescribed to stop bleeding wounds, and the emerald was held to be a cure for the toothache. It was advised for those who walk in their sleep. The sapphire was recommended to cure the headache, and the garnet for the cure of health. The opal was thought good for the eyesight. To the carbuncle was ascribed the credit of driving away evil spirits.

A Wonderful Flower.

The horticultural times tell of a remarkable plant which was discovered in the lathums of Tebanepose. Its chief peculiarity is its habit of being white during the day, and at the morning it is white, when the sun is at its zenith it is red, and at the evening it is blue. The blue flower grows on a tree about the size of a guava tree, and only at noon does it give out any fruit at all.

Phlebotomy.

Sighing for the phlebotomy of Egypt. Hanking for good things no longer at your command. The children of Israel said they were dying, and they died "when they saw by the phlebotomy of Egypt," i. e., when they were watching the boilers that contained the blood of the Egyptians. The phlebotomy expression also means a abundance of appetizing food.

Epiphany.

Epiphany, strictly speaking, means the time of appearance, but is usually applied to the period when the star appeared to the wise men, from which the feast of January is the feast of the Epiphany. This word is from the Greek *Epiphany*.

Origin of Shanty.

The term "shanty," which is generally applied to a song, but or cabin, is from the French chantier, a yard where logs of wood are piled and kept for sale.

Gold from Many Countries.

Many of our youth, who are in various nations think that it is all alike when refined. Men of experience who handle much gold and silver, and who have seen the gold of the world the quarries was mined from which the gold piece was coined. Few grow

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