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MAYOR APPOINTS H. S. BUCKLEY

Member of Board of Education
in Place of Clarence P.
Lamphear

NEW BOARD ORGANIZES FOR THE YEAR

Without any previous indication or inkling of his choice for member of the Board of Education to succeed Commissioner Clarence P. Lamphear, whose term has just expired, Mayor Harry Simmons appeared before the Board of Education at its organization meeting last night and named as his appointee, former Councilman Harold S. Buckley, of 15 New Brunswick avenue, for a term of five years or until his successor is appointed. The board after formally receiving Mr. Buckley as a member then proceeded to organize for the year in compliance with the State law and unanimously reelected Harry H. Jardine as president and the Rev. L. Y. Graham, Jr. as vice-president.

Secretary Guy M. Howard called the meeting to order and presided during the formal reception of Mr. Buckley and until Mr. Jardine had been escorted to the president's chair by Commissioner Vett and Graham. Mr. Jardine thanked the members of the board very heartily for the honor bestowed upon him and said that he would serve the city to the best of his ability and for the city's best interests. He urged that all members should constantly bear in mind the city's interests and work together in every way possible. He called attention to recommendations made by Superintendent Little and expressed hope that some of them at least could be accomplished during the current year.

After his election as vice-president Mr. Graham expressed his appreciation of the honor and said that he would do what he could as the right bower of President Jardine. Two resolutions were offered by Mr. Graham and adopted by the board. One was to the effect that the rules and regulations that governed the deliberations of the board during the past year should be adopted for the present year and the other authorized Secretary Howard to have printed the customary folders bearing the names of the board members, school holidays and other information that is usually included on the folder.

After the routine business had been transacted President Jardine called upon Mayor Simmons for remarks. The latter said that he had not come prepared to make a speech. He said he felt that the board is doing everything in its power within the limits of the appropriations to properly carry on the work of the schools. The Mayor then returned to the fact that Superintendent Little had called attention to the lack of seating capacity in the schools, particularly at Franklin School. "I feel that the time is not far distant when we will have to have a new school building to accommodate the natural increase in pupils." He continued by saying that the overcrowding of the schools is a serious matter and meant that some children would have to be neglected more or less. "I wish we were in a position now to say go ahead. I shall stand for it as soon as I believe it is possible to carry out such a plan. I have children in school and want them to secure all the education they possibly can."

"I want to congratulate the board on the good work they have done during the past year." Superintendent Little was next called upon for remarks. "I am one of the most fortunate superintendents in the country," he said. "I said in all his experience he had not seen a board so free from politics. He said that he worked conscientiously for the best interests of the schools and had endeavored to become as familiar as possible with every phase of the school life. "Wire-pulling and chicanery are among the most regrettable things in the world to me. It is a sacred thing in this great trust that has been placed in our hands in doing what is right and best for all of these children. I have aimed to pick out the teachers that are best fitted for the positions. Now can get an appointment through me by the use of influence. After referring to the awakening in the recent Y. M. C. A. campaign through which Rahway has just passed he spoke optimistically of the future. In conclusion he said that it is impossible to do good work at Franklin school owing to the crowded conditions and the untidiness of the building. He expressed hope that a new building would be made a definite issue as soon

PLAN NOVEL EVENT

High School Alumni Association to Arrange Greater Interest in Work Preliminary steps to arouse a greater interest and more enthusiasm in the Rahway High School Alumni Association were taken at an executive meeting held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles A. Howard, of 13 Bryant terrace. It was decided to hold a big function at the high school auditorium early in April to be known as the "Alumni Picnic," in which a number of innovations will be introduced. There will be a vaudeville show, dancing and other features and refreshment parlor, the auditorium to be arranged as a fashionable New York restaurant.

Committees were appointed as follows: Entertainment, Lester Hall, Nelson Reeves, Mrs. Thomas H. Roberts, Jr.; refreshments, Miss Emily Marsh, Miss Ada Farrell, Clarence V. Ludlow. Arrangements were made for bringing to the attention of the high school students the fact that the Alumni Association has offered an annual prize of \$10 to the valedictorian of the graduating class. President Adolph Baumann was in charge of the meeting.

Among those present at the meeting were: Mrs. Thomas H. Roberts, Jr., Mrs. Charles A. Howard, Miss Ada Farrell, Miss Emily Marsh, President Adolph Baumann, John O. Marsh, Lester Hall, Clarence V. Ludlow and Nelson Reeves.

BACHELOR GIRLS ELECT

At the meeting of the Bachelor Girls Sewing Club held last night at the home of Miss Kathryn Frank, of 14 Essex street, the following officers were elected: President, Miss Katherine Noonan; vice-president, Miss Madeline Ruddy; secretary, Miss Beattie Walker; treasurer, Miss Eleanor Branney. Other members present: Mrs. James Elizabeth Williams, May McCox, Anna Thorne, Grace Thistle, Melba Rowland, Anita Higgins and Kathryn Frank. Plans were made for the celebration of the first anniversary of the club on March 8 when the members will attend the New York Hippodrome and have a dinner party in New York. Music and refreshments added to the enjoyment of the meeting last night.

CHIMNEY FIRE

A brick chimney, owned by the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Reed, Sr., of 153 West Milton avenue, called on the new motor engine with Driver Joseph Mohr in charge at 3:10 Wednesday afternoon. When the fire appeared to be extinguished the apparatus returned to headquarters, but in a little over an hour it was again called to the house and this time it was found necessary to make a hole in the partition to get at the blaze. Only slight damage was done.

In a little over two months since the new apparatus has been in commission thirty fires have been attended and efficient work done.

MERCY COMMITTEE MEETS

The weekly session of the Rahway Branch of the Mercy Committee of New Jersey was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William S. Martin, of 44 Jacques avenue. Only routine matters in connection with relief and aid work were transacted. Among those present were: Mrs. W. E. Cladek, Mrs. John M. Randolph, Mrs. William Bliss, Mrs. L. O. Bunn, Mrs. H. D. Tucker, Mrs. Irving Joseph, Mrs. E. H. Meyer, Mrs. Clifford Miller, Mrs. William Farr, Mrs. Earl E. Silvers, the Misses Edith Collins, Rachel Robinson and Gertrude Van Campen.

As possible. Vice-president Graham also expressed hope that the new building project would be pushed through as soon as possible. "When the officials realize what the needs are I don't see how there can be any question about the money. The children of Rahway ought to have as good advantages as they have elsewhere and one part of the city should have as good buildings as the other. I went through Franklin School and was amazed to find the building so far behind the times." He then said that for sentimental reasons there would be some who would not want anything done with Franklin School, but he believed in that case their sentiment was undermining their good sense. "Good schools are the best advertisement a city can have."

Mr. Buckley was then called upon for remarks. He said that he had always been interested in the Board of Education and that he had twice served on the Board of School Estimates and was familiar with the efforts to get money. "I feel that the standard of the schools in this city is high and I want to do my share toward making the degree of efficiency better. I am willing to do all I can toward the new building if the city can see its way clear for providing the funds."

Those present at the meeting were: President H. H. Jardine, vice-president L. Y. Graham, Jr., Commissioner G. A. Vett, Secretary Guy M. Howard and Superintendent W. F. Little.

YACHTMEN HAVE ANNUAL FEAST

Beefsteak Dinner Enjoyed by
Members of Rahway
Yacht Club

FINE MUSIC AND GOOD CHEER GALORE

Joy and good cheer reigned supreme last night at the annual beefsteak dinner of the Rahway Yacht Club, where over one hundred members and friends assembled to partake of the splendid menu which marks this yearly event. Although the function has been a success each year at no time has it been more successfully carried out than the affair last evening. A splendid spread was provided by Fred High and Fred B. Toms to which the gathering attested the excellence by the ample justice done to the delectable viands.

Besides the dinner there was a delightful program of songs and social diversions that made the time pass quickly. The Club Quartet, consisting of Clifford Buckley, Hans Flues, Freeman L. Williams and Herman Graves entertained in their usually pleasing and praiseworthy way with a goodly collection of pieces, including "Sunshine Valley," "Washington Waddle," "Kentucky Babe," "Silent Night," "Furlong and Forsaken," "Sweet Genevieve," "Barney and Medley," "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia" and "An Acrobat." Excellent solos were provided by Hans Flues who rendered "Sing Me to Sleep," Clifford Buckley, who rendered "Somewhere a Voice is Calling," "Anchor," "Milkmaid," "Who Knows," and Herman Graves who rendered "The Mighty Deep."

George Bechler made one of the big hits of the evening with his rendition of "Silver Threads Among the Gold." George B. Martin won many compliments with his imitation of bagpipes, assisted by the club quartet. H. H. Mings was cheered to the echo for his rendition of the war song, "Sweet Bye and Bye." Other notable selections were: "Good Night, Good Bye, Good Bye," "America," "Why Should I Care," "Frankie Forgie," "Where the River Shannon Flows," "Dreaming of You" and others by Clifford Buckley. The pianists for the evening were L. R. Cartwright, Robert Giebelhaus and William Hilbert, the latter giving a number of piano solos.

Much credit is due the entertainment committee for the splendid success attained by the event. The committee comprises George Bechler, Edward S. Freeman, Frank Greiner, William Housman, Joel Clarkson and Charles F. Mulvaney. The kitchen service and cooking were ably handled by Frank Greiner, Fred High, Fred B. Toms and William Housman. Among those present were: William Giebelhaus, of New York; Edward Swain, Elizabeth; Donald McGrover, Newark; Bernard C. Morton, Nutley; George S. A. Pickett, Linden; Robert H. Thompson, Newark; E. M. Squier, W. L. Oliver, Waldo E. Barry, L. R. Cartwright, W. Hinggan, C. W. Ludlow, Charles F. Mulvaney, Hans Flues, Fritz Votter, Robert Giebelhaus, James H. Sym, Frank Greiner, William Housman, William T. Weber, Henry L. Lamphear, James McCollum, Frank Uhl, Clifford Buckley, Frank Fuhr, Harry Kean, Al Roarke, C. L. Conway, Charles T. Forgie, Charles C. Wolfel, August Fritz, Emil Ballweg, Matthew Donovan, William Jenks, Thomas Borsch, Ernest Lachmann, Joseph Bast, Andrew Chambers, John T. Dunn, Joseph Ruddy, Oscar Hoagland, E. B. Slater, Joel Clarkson, Patrick O'Donnell, Captain William Negley, Thomas J. Robinson, Gustav J. Schmaeling, Harry C. Coulter, Theodore H. Schmidt, George B. Martin, George L. Kirchgasner, Thomas E. Moulton, A. G. Thompson, H. H. Mings, B. E. Miller, John E. Thompson, Charles J. Morton, George Rowley, George Maybury, Gustav Jenks, Edward Ridenour, Charles E. Bass, Howard D. Little, Frank C. Engelhart, Hans W. Roediger, Edward S. Freeman, Fred Frank, Ernest LaForge, Charles Leonard, Samuel E. Morton, Harry C. Coffey, Alexander O. Fritz, Dr. George E. Gallaway, J. Willard Urwin, Guy M. Howard, Thomas Roarke, Robert Graham, Charles Clark, Carl Hansen, George Meyer, Herman Graves, Harry Gage, Carl Boring, William Hilbert, Percy Miller, Chester L. Buckley, Henry L. Simmen, Max Harman, George Bechler, Freeman L. Williams, John Housman, Fred High, Fred B. Toms and Walter H. Haven.

The Rev. Alexander Lachman, pastor of the Lutheran church, spoke at 8 o'clock, referring to Philadelphia on Monday.

FAVOR NEW BUILDING

Officials and Citizens See Necessity of Replacing Franklin School. City officials and citizens of both sexes expressed themselves strongly in favor of a new building to replace Franklin school at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of Franklin school held last night. Among those who spoke were: The Rev. B. S. Crowcroft, pastor of the First Methodist church; the Rev. L. Y. Graham, Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian church; Mayor Harry Simmons, President of Board of Education H. H. Jardine, Superintendent W. F. Little, Alfred Peace, Chester P. Haynes, Mrs. Annie Cowina, Mrs. Mulchahay and others. School Commissioner G. A. Vett was also present but did not speak.

During the business routine plans were made for the presentation of "The Childeville Man" by Miss Landers under the auspices of the association at the high school auditorium next Thursday evening. Eight new members were received. The price picture for having the most mothers present was awarded to the seventh grade. Treasurer Miss Mary Baumgartner reported a balance of \$43.75.

During the evening meritorious piano selections were rendered by Leslie Welch and chorus selection by the seventh grade. The meeting was marked by the largest attendance yet recorded. The gathering was in the form of a reception to Superintendent of Franklin School by the parents. Delectable refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mrs. B. Johnson, Mrs. William Ader, Mrs. R. V. Watson, Mrs. George Zimmerman and Mrs. Joseph Hoffman. President Mrs. Clara M. White was in charge of the meeting.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

Mrs. C. F. Drager, of 109 Main street entertained the members of the Entire Nona Sewing Club and their friends at her home last evening in celebration of her birthday anniversary. An excellent program of music, dancing and games was enjoyed after which refreshments were served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Egnor, Mr. and Mrs. E. Scarsfield, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Whitcraft, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Meisner, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Moorman, Mrs. C. Simmen, Mrs. H. W. Roarke, Miss Marion Roll, Miss Edna Grisham, Miss Edith Collins, Miss Lucy Frank, Miss Rose Meier, Sanford, Roll, Carl Schwoitzer, Kenneth and Clifford Simmen and John Meier, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Drager and son.

NEW GRAND ST. BRIDGE

Through the efforts of Freeholder Clifford E. Gehring of this city, the Board of Freeholders at their meeting yesterday afternoon adopted a resolution providing for the erection of a new bridge in West Grand street over the Rahway river at a cost of \$16,000 to replace the present structure which is inadequate to meet the demands of the heavy traffic that passes along that thoroughfare. The committee comprises Freeholders Gehring, Jones, Krouse, Smith and Randolph. As soon as the plans and specifications can be drawn and bids received it is expected that the work will be commenced. Freeholder Gehring is deserving of credit for securing this much-needed and important improvement.

HANDKERCHIEF SHOWER

Miss Marguerite Jardine, daughter of School Commissioner and Mrs. H. H. Jardine, of West Grand street, was tendered a delightful surprise handkerchief shower by a number of friends at the home of Miss Bolla Ritchie, of River street on Saturday. The decorations for the function were pink and white. Those present were: Miss Esther Davis, Miss Marie Graves, Mrs. Benjamin King, Mrs. Carl Graves, Mrs. Wilbur Baumann, Miss Lucy Frank, Mrs. Kenneth MacWhinney, Miss Bolla Ritchie, of this city; Miss Margaret Eckert, of Elizabeth and Miss Margaret Blanche of Linden.

"THE GREAT LIEBEL CASE"

A mock trial, entitled "The Great Liebel Case," which is to be presented at the First Baptist church next Tuesday evening by the Junior Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip, will be unique in the way of entertainment. A political issue was a newspaper editor Liebel and the situations brought about will no doubt be very humorous. The entrance of each jurymen is something new in mock trials. The jurors are giving this entertainment to raise funds for repairs to the church organ and should be well patronized.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Branch No. 122, of the Workmen's Benevolent Association, elected the following officers on Wednesday evening at its meeting in Stander's hall: President, E. C. Bartlett; vice-president, Otto von der Becke; recording secretary, Max Priety; treasurer, Joseph Hutter; financial secretary, Ernest Weidly; assistant, Alfred Harnden; Frederick Schmitt; trustees, Alfred Harnden, E. C. Bartlett, Otto von der Becke, Joseph Hutter and Max Priety.

TO RAISE \$10,000 IN THREE DAYS

Second Presbyterian Church
Members Have Plans for
Campaign Completed

FIRST GUN TO BE FIRED THIS EVENING

Plans are now complete for the strenuous three-day campaign to be waged by the Second Presbyterian church members to obtain \$10,000 to clear the church property of all indebtedness and make extensive repairs and improvements which have been found necessary. The first gun of the great struggle will be fired tonight when the executive committee and workers will have a dinner in the lecture room and after a short address by General Secretary John A. Overton, of the Y. M. C. A., will start upon the great drive. The campaign has been fashioned after the recent successful Y. M. C. A. affair and Water Commissioner William A. Ransom has been selected as campaign manager.

The executive committee comprises the following: Former Councilman William S. Martin, chairman; Water Commissioner F. W. Langstroth, treasurer; Councilman J. Jervis Vail, secretary; other committee members, J. W. Ackley, E. B. Booney, John A. Covert, A. H. Chamberlain, J. B. Edgar, George M. Fries, former Councilman Charles T. Gunn, Luther S. Mandy, Otto Palm, Jr., Thomas H. Roberts, Jay Smith, A. E. Woodruff, Harry W. Ward and George H. Waters. Five captains have been chosen for the various teams as follows: Team 1, Harold L. Gray; Team 2, Stanley W. Jones; Team 3, Thomas B. Lindsay; Team 4, former Councilman Edwin T. Valentine; Team 5, former Excise Commissioner John H. Williams. Besides the captain there will be five aides on each team.

The supper will be served promptly at 6:30 each night and with other parts of the program will be completed by 7:45. This plan will be followed Saturday and Monday nights. The supper will be served under the direction of the Ladies' Sewing Society of which Mrs. W. H. Mays is president. The dining room will be in charge of Mrs. Luther B. Mundy, while Mrs. J. Henry Fluke will be a sub-chairman in the kitchen. Mrs. Thomas B. Lindsay is a general sub-chairman for each night. There will be a different set of ladies for each night as follows: Tonight, executive committee, Mrs. J. A. Covert, Mrs. Catherine Gray, Mrs. Thomas B. Lindsay, while the various team tables will be in charge of Mrs. D. B. Pastorius, Mrs. Walter B. Crowell, Mrs. James Vanderhoven, Mrs. G. A. Brachhausen, Mrs. G. L. Orlos, Friday night, executive committee, Mrs. E. T. Valentine, Mrs. S. D. Morahan, Mrs. Guy M. Howard, other tables, Mrs. Walton B. S.

Every member and friend of the church interested in the movement is urged to be present at the Sunday morning service to add to the interest and enthusiasm of the campaign. Only routine matters were transacted yesterday at the monthly meeting of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association.

GRIES BROS. NEW BUILDING

The above picture of Gries Bros. new building to be erected on the site of their former building in Main street which was destroyed by fire on Sunday night, Oct. 1, 1916, will be a welcome sight to the people of Rahway. The building is to be a three-story structure with a frontage of 30 feet and depth of 125 feet. It will be a modern up-to-date building in every way and will be a valuable addition to that part of the town. The contract is awarded work thereon will be started.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

M. H. Sewing Club Holds Pleasant Function at Miss Heid's. In celebration of the birthday anniversary of Miss Bertha Heid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Heid, of 50 West Grand street, the members of the M. H. Sewing Club assembled on Tuesday evening at her home and enjoyed a masquerade party. There was a varied program of games in which Miss Emma Greiner and Miss Jeanette Schuetz were the winners of the prizes.

A delightful musical program was carried out during the evening in which the members of the club participated. Particularly praiseworthy selections were rendered by Mrs. Charles Kolb and Miss Emma Rappenthal. There were victrola selections to add to the enjoyment and the climax of the evening was a splendid collation. Much merriment was created by the various humorous costumes, while a number of the outfits were quite attractive.

The home was prettily decorated for the occasion in pink and white, with a sprinkling of green. Miss Heid was the recipient of a number of pretty and valuable gifts. Plans were made for a special meeting to be held tonight when arrangements will be made for a straw ride to Plainfield next Wednesday evening.

Among those present were: Miss Anna Nelson, Perth Amboy; the Misses Katherine Mueller, Emma Greiner, Emma Rappenthal, Mary and Jeanette Schuetz, Louisa Gashick, Sarah Thorne, Mrs. Charles Kolb, Mrs. Fred Broemel, Mrs. George Helmstadter, Mr. and Mrs. Max Storta, Miss Alice Schuetz, Miss Bertha Heid, Mr. and Mrs. John Heid.

PLAN VARIOUS EVENTS

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Elks at their meeting last night planned to hold weekly social every Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at the clubhouse in Pulina street, beginning next Wednesday. Whist and euchre will be the principal attractions. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. Henry Litt, Mrs. John B. Thompson and Mrs. Alexander Stamer. Preliminary arrangements were made for a euchre party to be held in the near future. The committee in charge comprises Miss Estelle Rose, Mrs. E. I. Grossman, Mrs. Alexander Stamer, Mrs. David Engelman and Mrs. Henry Giebelhaus. Refreshments and a social time followed the meeting. The committee in charge comprised Miss Ida Engelhart, Mrs. James McCollum and Mrs. George Pickett.

lover, Mrs. G. Howard Cowie, Mrs. William S. Martin, Mrs. Stanley W. Jones, Mrs. Thomas H. Roberts; Monday night, executive committee, Mrs. F. C. Hyer, Mrs. Walter Pratt, Mrs. A. H. Chamberlain; other tables, Miss Edith Collins, Mrs. J. H. Wise, Mrs. John O. Marsh, Mrs. Clifford Miller and Mrs. H. D. Tucker. These ladies will have a goodly number of assistants. Every member and friend of the church interested in the movement is urged to be present at the Sunday morning service to add to the interest and enthusiasm of the campaign.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL OVERCROWDED

Franklin School Must Soon Be
Replaced by Larger and
Modern Structure

FINAL MEETING OF THE OLD BOARD

That some definite steps must be taken at a very early date to remedy the conditions at Franklin School was the unanimous sentiment of the Board of Education at its meeting on Tuesday evening. It was voted that Councilmen Henry W. Cleary and Stewart K. Mott, the representatives of the Common Council, together with Mayor Simmons, who are members of the Board of School Estimates, should be invited to inspect the building and the exact situation pointed out to them. It was also thought advisable to have Assistant State Commissioner of Education McDermott present at that time in order that the attitude of the State authorities in the matter could be readily ascertained.

The State officials some time ago condemned the Franklin school building and have been awaiting the action of the city in the matter. The renewal of the discussion in the Board of Education, which has considered the matter at frequent intervals since the condemnation of the State officials, was produced by the statistical report of Superintendent of Schools Little, who showed that there are 315 seats in Franklin school at present and that every one of them is occupied and that if any one drops out or transfers to other schools in some different grade the seat or seats have to be shifted from room to room. It was pointed out by Mr. Little that there are a number of grades in the school larger than they should be for the most advantageous handling by the teachers. He also called attention to the fact that the crowded conditions accentuated the disadvantages of inadequate light and ventilation which were two of the chief reasons for the building being condemned, together with the type of building, which is entirely unsuited to the requirements of a school building of the present day and in keeping with the existing laws.

Superintendent Little's report is in order that all may be familiar with the conditions the report of Superintendent Little is given in full as follows: "The end of January brings us to the close of the first half of the current school year. The attendance during the month has been good, and we have been particularly fortunate in being free from any contagious diseases among the pupils of the schools of this city. During this week the regular mid-year examinations are in progress, the completion of which will conclude the work of this first term. Teachers report that the loss occasioned by the delay in opening the schools has been practically made up. This is due to a large measure, especially in the high school, to the splendid record of the pupils in attendance. One room reports only seventeen days absence since school opened last fall. The attendance for December in all schools was as follows:

High School, boys, 266; girls, 312; total, 448; possible number of days, 6704; days present, 6437; per cent. 96. Columbia, boys, 163; girls, 176; total, 337; possible number of days, 5023; days present, 4693; per cent. 93. Franklin, boys, 159; girls, 187; total, 310; possible number of days, 4664; days present, 4284; per cent. 92. Lincoln, boys, 187; girls, 184; total, 371; possible number of days, 5426; days present, 4824; per cent. 89. Washington, boys, 181; girls, 181; total, 362; possible number of days, 5186; days present, 4764; per cent. 92.

Totals, boys, 695; girls, 659; total, 1354; possible number of days, 19500; days present, 17769; per cent. 91. "In this connection it might well to call your attention to the fact that in Franklin school, as pointed out above, there are 315 seats in the building, 315 pupils on roll as follows:

Grade	On Roll	Seats
1-5	45	45
6	45	45
7	45	45
8	45	45
9	45	45
10	45	45
11	45	45
12	45	45
Total	315	315

"The teachers of Franklin school have been very busy in the past few days in preparing for the mid-year examinations. The work has been very successful and the results are very satisfactory. The teachers are very proud of the work of their pupils and are confident that they will do well in the final examinations. The teachers are also very grateful for the support and encouragement of the parents and the community. They are confident that the school will continue to be a place of learning and growth for the future."

INFORMATION ON INCOME TAX LAW

Systematic Canvass Being
Made to Round Up All Who
Should File Returns

A systematic canvass of the eleven northern counties of New Jersey, commencing the fifth Internal Revenue District of New Jersey Charles V. Duffy, Collector is under way. The purpose of the canvass is to round up all persons who should file income tax returns.

The new Income Tax Law allows an exemption of \$1,000 to a single man, and \$4,000 to a married man or the head of a family. The fact that income is less than the specific exemption does not relieve one of the obligation to file a return.



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The Income Tax Law specifically requires the filing of a return when the net income is \$1,000 or more.

Many persons have found that their failure to file a return resulted in a fine although there was no tax due on their incomes.

Many tradesmen figure their business on a cash basis without regard to sales and inventories, while a proper accounting of sales and cost of goods with due regard to inventory beginning and end of year would bring them under the scope of taxpayer. Many professional men who are lax in keeping books are given over to the cash basis idea of figuring net income. Naturally a service is rendered and no payment is made for same. The professional man keeps account of the cash received and also charges against this his bad accounts, when, in order to get credit for his bad debts, he should have included the same in gross income. Others who are lax in keeping books figure only on the amount of cash received and disregard the amount of business done during the year.

The withholding at the source has been very effective in locating delinquent individuals. Every person firm of corporation paying an individual \$1,000 or more for wages, salary, rents or interest is required to report same on United States Treasury Form 1041 showing the name and address and amount paid.

Persons having incomes of \$1,000 or more are the ones being sought after by the revenue agents making the canvass. When a delinquent with an income of \$1,000 fails to file a return, he is proceeded against.

Where the United States Government is put to an expense in rounding up delinquent income tax payers, there is small likelihood of said delinquent receiving much consideration.

The voluntary rendering of a return by a delinquent, of course, would be treated more leniently if the delinquent appeared before the collector and produced evidence that there was no intent to defraud the United States Government.

The fact that some have temporarily escaped paying income taxes during the few years the law is in force is no guarantee that they can continue to escape the payments.

Persons who are required to file an

TO-MORROW

or the next day an unexpected flaw may be discovered in the title to your real estate. It will cost you but little to protect yourself with a title insurance policy issued by the

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Newark, N. J.

Union County Agency.

W. Grand St., Elizabeth, N. J.

Income tax returns may be penalized for every year of their delinquency, as the Income Tax Law became effective March 1, 1913.

Rahway residents whose duty it is to pay an income tax should bear in mind that Income Tax Agent R. F. Williams will be at the Elizabeth post office on Tuesday, Feb. 6, 13, 20 and 27, to give any and all information regarding income tax and internal revenue laws.

STERLING SCREEN SHOWS

Empire Theatre Offers Public Some of Most Charming Productions

Those who witnessed the picture, "The Quest of Life," at the Empire this afternoon would quickly realize that it was an adaptation from the English play, "Ellen Young," by Ashley Miller. Of course, it's just the sort of vehicle for the purposes that are best fitted for the two clever people who are starring in it, Maurice and Walton. It shows the ambition, or rather lays bare the ambition of the young lady of today, who wishes, in the beginning to become a typewriter and who later, after seeing just a little of the world desires to become a dancer. Of course, leaving home and being thrust in the common throng is a dangerous proposition, but what care the girl, so long as she succeeds, and this one does.

She has a pretty face, dances gracefully and Maurice, the greatest dancer in the world, falls desperately in love with her. How can she fail you ask? Well, she doesn't. Eventually they marry and all remains happy thereafter.

There are some truly wonderful creations in woman's dress introduced as the picture progresses. A dancer would have to be a millionaire if he attempted to clothe his wife or daughter with garments such as worn by Miss Walton.

Tomorrow, Saturday, will be the last chapter of "The Shielding Shadow" and doubtless the patrons of the Empire regret that it is so, for this serial has pleased everybody. Another good vaudeville program will be offered for your approval and there is no question but what Saturday's entertainment will be up to the standard.

The dainty Blanche Sweet comes to us on Monday in a picture called "The Storm" and the character that Miss Sweet plays is Uta, a care-free child of the forest. It's a charming picture and when one stops to realize that such stars as Theodore Roberts, Thomas Meighan and Richard Stirling are in the cast one needs have no fear as to the sterling value of the production.

Tuesday is the big special picture, and who, because in the first place we have Virginia Pearson, none better as an actress, and the picture, "The War Bride's Secret," will never have an equal, and coming from the Fox Studios, not three weeks old, is there a reason that all in all it won't be a splendid entertainment. Then for double measure, you have Pearl White in "Pearl of the Army," so there.

The masterpiece that is to substitute "The Shielding Shadow" this coming Saturday is a charming story called "Saving the Family Name," with Mary McLaren as the star. This picture is one of recent releases of the Bluebird Producing Co.

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"THE CLIQUE"

At a recent meeting of a lodge of local women reference was made to a certain group in which they were termed "The Clique." To this appellation one of the group responded that she would give the definition of a clique and she was true to her word and read the following original lines: What is the Clique? 'Tis a body of women

Who attend every meeting—not just now and then,
Who don't miss a meeting, unless they are sick,
These are the ones the Grouch calls the Clique.

Who don't make a farce of that sacred word Sister,
Who believe in the motto—to help one another,
Who never resort to a dishonest trick,
These are the ones that some call the Clique.

The sisters who are seldom behind in their dues
And who from the meetings do not carry news
Who attend to their duties, and visit the sick,
These are the ones that the cranks call the Clique.

We all should be proud of members like these;
They can call them the "Clique" or what ever they please,
They never attempt any duties to dodge,
These are the Cliques that run most every lodge.

But there are some people who always and faint
And most of their kind are not worth their salt;
They like to start trouble, but seldom will stick,
They like to put all of the work on the Clique.

S. A. H.

W. P. U. MEETS TUESDAY

Members and friends of the Women's Political Union are reminded that the February meeting will be held on Tuesday at 3 p. m., in the lecture room of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church.

Henry Crotchet White, of Plainfield, being the speaker, and his subject, "The Use of Public Schools as Social Centers." The public is cordially invited.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL OVERCROWDED

(Continued From Page One)

many as a new pupil entered, or an old one left, to shift the desks from room to room. Last month the seats were

shifted as follows: One from Grade IV. to Grade VII; one from Grade V. to Grade VI; one from Grade VII to Grade VI; one from Grade VI to Grade V; two chairs from Grade I. Lincoln to Grade I-B; one chair from Grade I. Lincoln to Grade I-A.

"A glance at the above will show that every room in the building is overcrowded. In the room occupied by the 6th grade, there is no closet or shelf and consequently the teacher has been

called to put drawing boards, supplemental books, and other accessories on the floor. In this same room last month there were thirty-seven pupils and only thirty-five desks. The two extra pupils have since left town and thus restored the equilibrium between the number of seats and the number of pupils. Furthermore, every class in Franklin school is too large for maximum efficiency on the part of the teacher. The rooms are crowded, the ventilation is poor, and the work suffers accordingly. It is hoped that your honorable body will find a way to make some specific recommendations in regard to this school before another year. I feel that I would not be true to the trust reposed in me if I did not bring these matters to your attention.

The resignation of Miss Marjorie Philip, the teacher of manual training of the grades, was received on Jan. 3. Miss Marjorie Wilson, of Pelham, N. Y., was placed temporarily in charge of the work. Miss Wilson is a graduate of Vassar College, and also of Pratt Institute. She has done work at the New York School of Art, and has taught in Washington Irving and eastern district high schools in New York City.

"Interest in the evening school still keeps up, although the attendance has fallen off somewhat during the past month. Those who have persisted in attendance are the people who really seek improvement and are making good use of the opportunities offered. The attendance during the month of December was 703 nights. The total attendance to January 1 was 3459 nights, an average of fifty-nine pupils per night. The total attendance up to and including January 25, is 4125 nights. The attendance last year, all told, was but 2666 nights. If the same average keeps up for the rest of the term, we will have almost doubled the number of nights we had last year.

"The new desks ordered last fall for Columbian school have been received and installed by the firm from which they were ordered. The old desks, taken from that room, have been placed in other rooms by the repair squad of the school.

"In this connection, I might state that an effort is being made to bring the work of the manual training department into closer touch with the home, or to hook it up with everyday life. To this end, repair squads have been formed in each grammar school, consisting of a foreman and three assistants. The foreman is held responsible for the success of the work and is under the immediate supervision of the principal of the school. These squads are supposed to perform any odd jobs by way of repairs around the building. A new foreman is assigned each month, so that as far as possible, different boys may have an opportunity of developing a sense of responsibility. Aside from the regular work done by the boys, many repair jobs have been completed this month, including chairs, desks, and caning chairs."

The discussion of the Franklin school matter occupied considerable time. Attention was called to the fact that the State authorities could at any time withhold Rahway's part of the State appropriation if the city pays no attention to the demands for a new building or better facilities. Besides the request to the councilmanic members of the Board of Estimate to inspect the building the Board of Education decided to refer the matter to the board as a committee of the whole and go thoroughly into the proposition and provide some definite plan.

Architects will be asked to draw plans and specifications and other steps will be taken with the idea of getting early action. One of the commissioners called attention to the fact that the Board of Estimate had not as yet made any provisions for adopting the recommendations of the investigating committee, who over a year ago went carefully over the school buildings of the city and made a list of the fire perils and suggested remedies. "Have we got to wait for an accident of some kind before the Board of Estimate will act?" asked Mr. Vett.

Committee Reports
Several important recommendations were made to the board by the educational and text book committees as follows: "Having received the resignation of Miss Marjorie Philip we recommend its acceptance to this board. To fill the vacancy Miss Marjorie Wilson, recommended by Superintendent Little at a salary of \$350 per year, is recommended to the board for approval.

Communication from A. L. Johnson, county superintendent, relative to the schools of this city entering spelling, oratorical and elocution contests, and asking for \$10 to defray the cost of programs, etc., was left with the superintendent for his approval, and if advisable, recommended to the board for approval.

It was also recommended that the night school pupils be given a certificate, where the attendance and work of the pupil warranted same, as recommended by the superintendent. Superintendent Little presented to the committee the course of lectures as planned for the winter at a probable cost of \$125 which we recommend to the board as follows: Jan. 26, Rev. H. L. Everett, "Lincoln," Feb. 3, Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, "Self Made Men of the Republic," Feb. 23, Dr. Frank H. Green, "Making It," March 9, Dr. Darrah, "The Merchant of Venice," March 23, Rev. McCune, "How New Jersey Serves its Citizens," April 6, Apollo Quartet, "Musical."

Your committee also recommend the appointment of Miss Helen Davis, of Jersey City, for the rest of the year at a salary of \$55 per month to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of term of Mrs. Helen B. Merrill whose appointment was for three months only, dating from Nov. 1.

Raise for Teachers
We further recommend that the following resolution be approved: That heretofore, owing to the high cost of living and expenses all teachers beginning in the schools of this city be granted a salary of \$55 per month when starting to teach, instead of \$50 as heretofore."

All of these recommendations were adopted. From the building and supply committee the following report was received: It is recommended that the business manager procure and install new drinking fountain in basement of Lincoln school. And further recommend that bulletin boards be placed at each school in the city so that lectures, and entertainments can be better advertised to the public, and that the work be done by the manual training department.

The matter of the increased cost of typewriters was discussed and the advisability of procuring new machines before the advance in cost went into effect, and no action taken.

Finance Committee
Your finance and auditing committee recommend that Superintendent Little be instructed to attend the National Education Association for Superintendents to be held at Kansas City in February, 1917, and that a warrant be drawn for \$135 to defray expenses. Also recommend that warrants be drawn for lectures to be held on Jan. 26, Feb. 9 and 23, amounting to \$190. Bills and pay-rolls amounting to \$7,509.35 were passed and recommended to the board for approval.

Attendance Officer's Report
The report of Attendance Officer Miss Anne Shotwell was as follows: Washington School—Truants, none; kept at home, seventy-two; sick, sixty-one; total, 133. Columbian School—Truants, two; kept at home, forty-seven; sick, seventy; total, 119. Franklin School—Truants, none; kept at home, thirty-one; sick, sixty-six; total, ninety-seven. Lincoln School—Truants, none; kept at home, twenty-four; sick, twenty-one; total, forty-five. High School—Truants, none; kept at home, one; sick, none; total, one.

Miss Shotwell also reported five legal notices issued one age and schooling certificate and three age and working certificates. Two summonses were served.

Leave of Absence
The following communication was received from Miss Florence A. Frew, a member of the high school faculty: "The opportunity has presented itself for me to obtain my master degree in June. In view of this fact I wish to ask if I may be allowed a leave of absence beginning March 1 and ending with the present school year, June 30, to be spent in study at the University of Michigan."

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Embroideries
39c flouncings, prettily embroidered value 50c; 27-inch ruffled bordered, some with beading and insertions above ruffle.

59c bands and edges, in black value 75c; all silk net or white net, embroidered with gold and silver; 3 to 6 inches.

50c Swiss edges in open and blind work; also beading edges and ribbon beading.

59c value 75c; 40-inch embroidered voile flouncings with heavily scalloped and hemmed edges.

59c value 75c; silk net; 17-inch flouncings with scalloped edges; embroidered in gold and silver.

10c value 15c; Point de Paris and Platt Val. edges, insertings and points from 3 to 5 inches; also heavy cotton cluny edges in white and natural.

95c value \$1.50; 40 and 43 inch all white volles and organdies; diversely embroidered in eyelet braid, solid and point designs.

79c value \$1.25; 17 and 18 inch all silk black and white net flouncings; embroidered in gold or silver; some embroidered with colors.

15c LINEN CLUNYS; lace edges and insertion, in white and ecru for curtains and fancy work.

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General Sporting Events

RAMBLER A. C. PLANS FOR SEASON

Will Put Strong Aggregation of Players on Diamond This Year

Members of the Rambler A. C. had a business meeting last evening at the home of Walter Dena, 24 Commerce street, to make preliminary plans for the baseball season. Frank Way acted as chairman of the meeting and the following were present: The Ramblers are planning to put a strong team in the field. Earl Neugebauer was selected manager and Frank Way was chosen captain and Walter Dena, treasurer. The season's schedule will start in April and continue to latter part of September. New suits will be secured. The team will meet weekly hereafter.

The lineup of the team as planned last night shows some changes. With Harold Thomas, captain, last year, covering third instead of pitching, and Walter Dena and Withersedge being added to the permanent list of fielders. The lineup follows: Catcher, Harry Springer; pitchers and short stop, Nicholas Russo and William Ruddy; first base, E. McCormick and Martin Gellings; second base, Captain Frank Way; third base, Harold Thomas; outfield, John Kneeling, Thomas Sullivan, F. Withersedge and Walter Dena. The off-edge ball played by this team last season will make them more popular than ever this year.

These present at the meeting last night were: Harold Neugebauer, Way, Halton, Thomas, Springer, Dena, Sullivan, McCormick and Henry Healy.

JERSEY CITY MAKES SWEEP

Takes All Three Games on Own Alleys From Rahway Elks

The Rahway Elks got bumped good and hard at Jersey City last night where they dropped three games, owing to the remarkable winning of the home team, who averaged 963 for the series. The Rahway average was 844.2. The home team had margins of 94, 130 and 94 in the different games. Caldwell did some phenomenal shooting, putting three games above the double century mark and averaging 212.5. Mahlenbrook was almost as good, averaging 203.5. Only one pin separated Langton and Nutten for high average for the Rahwayans, the former getting 154 and the latter 153.3. Koope averaged 151.1 and McCartney, 173.2. The scores:

JERSEY CITY ELKS		
Wright	164	130
Murphy	174	213
Caldwell	224	210
Mahlenbrook	155	197
Corydon	201	182
Totals	948	932

RAHWAY ELKS		
Koope	165	194
Albright	164	145
Nutten	173	156
Langton	163	214
McCartney	176	153
Totals	852	863

WIN FROM LEADERS

Rahway Eagles Take Two Games From Plainfield Birds

The Rahway Eagles plucked the leaders from the leading Plainfield birds in an Eagles' League match at McCartney's alleys on Wednesday evening by taking two games and narrowly missing making it a clean sweep. Some unfortunate splits at inopportune moments, gave the middle game to the visitors by ten pins. Keller hooked the first game for the Rahwayans, who finished in front by thirty-one. The local team had a lead of seventy-seven in the final. The Rahway team average was 871 and Plainfield had 338.1. Kelly, McCartney and Keller rolled in great form, while Mahoney and Miller did the best pinning for the Plainfield team. Kelly registered 236, McCartney 226, Miller 213, Mahoney and Keller 211. The averages were: Kelly, 185.1; McCartney, 185.1; Keller, 181.1; Mahoney, 162.1; Langton, 153.1; Mahoney, 157.2; Miller, 152. The scores:

RAHWAY EAGLES		
Langton	163	153
Dobkins	167	159
Kelly	171	216
Keller	184	164
McCartney	169	179
Totals	856	864

PLAINFIELD EAGLES

Woot	157	141
Smith	155	131
Mann	165	145
Smith	153	159
Miller	171	219
Mahoney	211	175
Totals	826	874

Expecting Husky Youngster to Deliver

Count's Mack is banking on a husky youngster by the name of Thrasher to come through with some wallop next summer which will make the fans at the back Philadelphia, recall the story of Frank Baker and his big effort last year's "Mack" is of the belief that Thrasher, McKinnon, Bodie, Withers and Schaefer will have six players in the lineup this year.

PITCHERS WANTED— IN THE EUROPEAN WAR

"Baseball is the only sport in the world that fits a man for the grim work of the trenches."

A great pitcher would be worth his weight in radium to the armies on the western front, where hand grenades are in constant use. This statement comes from Paul Vetter, a prominent member of France, who is in the United States now on a furlough from the trenches. "Trench warfare turns men into moles, and the average athlete grows soft with inaction," he adds. "Bomb throwing is now the only athletic activity that is of value. Here the baseball pitcher, of course, is supreme. French soldiers can pitch the grenades as far as forty yards with accuracy. A man trained in the box on the diamond will exceed this distance by twenty yards and his aim is human target every time."

VERMONTS TAKE ODD FROM TRINITY

Making Two Victories in City League Schedule This Week—The Scores

For the second time this week the Vermonts in the City League grabbed a victory in the City League schedule at the Y. M. C. A. alleys. Last night they took the odd game from the Trinity Ushers. In the first session the Vermonts climbed to 906, but in the last game were 201 behind the only double century mark with 204.

VERMONTS		
Smith	190	164
Hampton	180	164
Nelson	204	163
Wright	172	170
Redman	159	140
Totals	906	807

TRINITY USHERS

Bartlett	169	131
Meinzer	141	155
Gilman	107	170
Gage	136	124
Louden	142	157
Totals	696	777

Although the Business Men showed the best form of the season the Seminary Club won all three games Tuesday night. In the first the winners had an advantage of eighty-nine, in the second, sixty-four and in the third, sixty-three. Mooney set the high individual mark with 216, while William Pearson spilled the wood for 199 for the Business Men. Mooney had a splendid average with 192, with Bestwick next in order with 176. Howard averaged 159.1; Miller, 156.3 and V. Gibbons, 154.1. For the Business Men the averages were: Gibson, 161; Howard, 159.3; Pearson, 159; Chafflet, 143.2 and Smith, 140.1. The Seminary team average was 840.1 and the Business Men, 768.1. The scores:

SEMINARY CLUB		
G. Gibbons	155	160
Miller	159	150
Howard	141	163
Bestwick	169	124
Mooney	167	193
Totals	791	855

BUSINESS MEN

Chafflet	151	137
Smith	134	136
Gibson	150	154
Pearson	139	139
Hobbs	139	149
Totals	703	791

A nice little surprise party

was given the Y. M. C. A. team in the City League on Wednesday evening when the March Company five made a clean sweep of the series. The Marches took the first game by one pin and had a lead of 106 in the second and 111 in the third. Double century marks were made by H. Miller, with 219 and Kelly with 215. Miller and Kelly best average with 212.2. Harry Hamilton, of the association five, was due to high roller, with an average of 161.1. Other good averages were: Way, 160; Linzer, 154.3; Kelly, 154.1 and Arnold, 154.2. The March Company average was 801.1 and the Y. M. C. A. 722. The scores:

MARCH COMPANY

Way	156	176
Kelly	102	215
Linzer	170	123
H. Miller	171	131
Arnold	159	140
Totals	718	815

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ELIZABETH ELKS DEFEAT ILDERANS

In County League Tourney Take Two of Three Games

Despite the fact that they showed the best form of the season the Ilderan Club found that the Elizabeth Elks could show a little better form at the postponed County League contest at the Elks' alleys last night. The Elks took two games. In the first match they tipped the timber for 1,014, leaving the Ilderans behind by 134. In the second game there was a difference of only seventeen. In the final game the Rahwayans showed their mettle and rolled 1,001, while the Elks were only thirty-nine behind. The bowling of Captain Lindsay Dunham for the Elks was marvellous. Dunham rolled up 245 in the final, the best mark of the match, while Ilderans started off with 232 and finished with 232. Gathman rolled 234, McCaffrey, 232; Alcott, 215 and Black, 212.

ELIZABETH ELKS		
Gathman	196	137
McCaffrey	232	177
King	197	134
Keller	177	133
C. Husbands	233	174
Totals	1014	925

ILDERAN CLUB

Black	174	140
Alcott	215	192
E. Miller	150	134
J. L. Martin	163	137
Dunham	173	136
Totals	830	903

The Ilderan Club of the County League could do nothing on the alleys of the Park Club, Plainfield, Tuesday night and the home team made a clean sweep by wide margins in each game. In the first session the Park Club led by seventy, while in the second they finished in front by sixty-three and in the third increased the gap to 113. J. L. Martin did the best pinning for the Ilderans, averaging 163.1, while Captain Lindsay Dunham followed closely with 162. Strong set the pace for the Park Club with an average of 173.3 and was followed by Lyman with 173.2 and Barlow with 171.2. The highest single was 196 by Strong while Dunham had 190 for the Ilderans. The team average of the Park Club was 323.1, while the Ilderans reached only 748.2. The scores:

ILDERAN CLUB		
Black	143	143
Alcott	119	115
Miller	119	152
J. L. Martin	160	151
Dunham	151	150
Totals	734	757

PARK CLUB

Barlow	169	166
Lyman	173	170
Strong	155	196
Daniels	135	133
Long	163	147
Totals	794	820

POLICE ACTIVITIES

Charged with snowballing Fred Eicke, of Adams street, John J. McCudden, 18, of 17 East Stearns street was fined \$1 by Judge Riblett on Wednesday. Detective George Conger is now doing desk duty at police headquarters while Officer Harry Hoffman has been returned to his beat. Instead of three officers going on duty at 7 p. m., and three more at 9 p. m., the six officers now go on duty at 7 p. m. These plans and various others for the purpose of economy are being put in operation by the police committee of the Common Council, consisting of Councilmen Alden, Bodine and Shotwell. A considerable saving is expected.

RECORD ESTABLISHED

According to reports made today by Mrs. A. D. Brewster at the meeting of the Visiting Nurse Committee of the Civic Club the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals netted over \$500 which is the highest mark yet reached since the seals were sold in Rahway. A detailed report will be given at the next Red Cross meeting. The movement for the month shows a record of 1,000 seals, eight of which were transferred to four other organizations under care of 103 nursing visits and 25-100 visits. Miss Morris is still on duty as nurse owing to the illness of Miss Carr, the regular nurse.

Manager Clinton Wilson of the

plum tree, has been taken to a New York Hospital for treatment to his throat.

Wilson	161	137
Smith	141	135
Totals	302	272

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES

Brief Items of Local Interest For Quick Perusal.

Further plans were made last night at the meeting of St. Mark's Dramatic Club for the valentine social to be held on Feb. 14. The committee consists of Thomas Moulton, Adam Schwinn, Antoinette, Anton Best, Miss Myrtle Sullivan and Miss Mary Ritter. Three new members were received.

Pride of Union Council, No. 47, Daughters of Liberty at their meeting last night made plans for a euchre party to be held on Thursday evening, Feb. 15, under the auspices of the good and welfare committee consisting of Mrs. M. A. Turner, Mrs. C. R. Hall, Mrs. H. B. Johnson, Mrs. A. R. Bullman and Harry B. Laing.

About eighty attended the first rehearsal of the big chorus that will sing at the meetings during the Weigle evangelistic campaign. The rehearsal was held at the First Baptist church under the direction of A. B. Wilson. More alto and more male voices are needed to balance the chorus. Now is the time to volunteer.

The Essex Tennis Club will hold a straw ride on Washington's birthday eve, Wednesday, Feb. 21. Hugh Shannon is chairman of the committee of arrangements. A meeting of the club will be held next week at the home of Miss Minnie Erdie, of 80 Montgomery street.

Four new members were received last night at the meeting of the Tenthon Society. Gratifying progress was reported in the plans for the big masquerade ball to be held at Koenig's hall on Feb. 16. Matthias Hanswald is chairman of the committee.

A "Contest Rally" will be held at Ebenezer A. M. E. church, Central avenue, Sunday, Rev. Mr. Waters, of Westfield, will preach at 3 o'clock, assisted by his choir. Rev. J. F. Vanderhorst, of Fair Haven, formerly of this city, will preach at 8 o'clock. It is hoped to make this rally one of the greatest efforts as the church is greatly in need of repairs and remodeling. J. P. Sampson, Pastor.

Over forty friends assembled last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ampley Fagline, of 23 Luffery street, to celebrate his birthday with games, music, dancing and refreshments.

Alfred Brooks and Elmer Armstrong, of Brown University, and Arthur Armstrong, of Blair Academy, are spending a few days at their home at Westfield avenue.

Miss Dorinda Cieslak, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Cieslak, of West Milton avenue, entertained the Junior Mercy Committee yesterday afternoon.

Water Commissioner F. W. Lang, street, and W. A. Hanson and Attorney David Armstrong, represented the Board of Trade at the National Daylight Saving Convention in New York City this week.

Edgar and Van Dyke were, before the Grand Jury with bail fixed at \$200 and \$40, respectively, and Edgar was turned over to the juvenile court under \$50 bond. All secured bail.

Officer Graham, reserve credit for his clever capture.

Don't fail to attend the charming play, "Home," tonight by the Junior class at the high school auditorium.

The final meeting of the two-year series in preparation for the Weigle evangelistic campaign will be held tonight at the Second Baptist church, where the new 100 p. m. concert will be given. The new 100 p. m. concert will be given. The new 100 p. m. concert will be given.

NEIGHBORHOOD MEETINGS

Neighborhood prayer meetings in preparation for the Weigle evangelistic campaign will be held tonight and Monday as follows:

Monday, at home of Mrs. H. L. Hayes, 112 St. George avenue; Mrs. Oscar B. Garthwaite, 64 Seminary avenue; Mrs. E. J. Novotny, West Hazelwood avenue; Mrs. R. J. Morton, 55 West Milton avenue; Mrs. Alonzo Boulton, 75 Commerce street; Mrs. Leonard Darling, 33 Whittier street; Mrs. Richard Robinson, 135 Harrison street; Mrs. J. A. Overton, 23 Bryant terrace.

Tonight, Mrs. Thomas Williams, to East Hazelwood avenue; Mrs. A. L. Chase, 160 Church street; Mrs. T. H. Roberts, Jr., 51 Pierpont street; Mrs. J. H. Jones, 114 Commerce street; Mrs. Apollon Potter, 64 Elm Avenue; Miss Prall, 125 Seminary avenue; Mrs. A. B. Shortwell, 49 Maple avenue; Miss Julia Marshon, 84 West Milton avenue; Miss Georgia T. Underhill, 30 Commerce street; Mrs. L. Y. Graham, Jr., 196 West Grand street; Mrs. H. H. Blore, 49 Hamilton street.

DOG LEADS TO ARRESTS

Officer Graham Locates Boys Who Entered Fetter's Market

Due to the keen scent of a dog three alleged youthful burglars were apprehended by Officer James Graham Tuesday night. When E. A. Timman, of 71 Irving street, let his dog out for the usual nightly run between 10 and 11 o'clock the animal disappeared in the rear of John Fetter's meat market, 75 Irving street, and failed to appear when called. Mr. Timman investigated and found the dog encircled by a big quantity of frankfurters and the animal busily engaged eating his way out. Mr. Timman summoned Mr. Fetter and Officer Graham and an investigation showed that a rear window of Fetter's market had been pried open and the frankfurters stolen from that place wrapped in paper and evidently hidden in a garbage barrel in the rear probably awaiting a more propitious time to get away with the booty unseen. The dog's keen scent interfered with the plan.

Mr. Timman said that a short time before he had noticed three young colored fellows coming from behind the Y. M. C. A. One of them had white shoes or considerable white on them. With this slight clue Officer Graham got busy and had an interview with Stanley Van Dyke of 174 East Hazelwood avenue, who had been working for William McMahon, mason, on the new bank building and had shoes partly white with mortar. The trail led to Edward Edgar, 174 Edgar street, and to Campbell Adams, 14, of 408 Main street. Edgar was accused of the burglary, while Van Dyke admitted that he had received the goods as Edgar passed them through the window, while Adams remained in front of the store. Edgar formerly worked at Fetter's and is claimed to have told the boys that he knew where he could get some money.

Recaptured Thief, Franklin six mile highway, last night tender to the house now easily removed. For a layer of fish in a baking dish, then mixed cooked potatoes, brown with butter, a small onion and two tablespoons of butter. Sprinkle breadcrumbs over the top, cover with boiling water and bake until golden brown.

Chief of Police, "Mr. Jones is engaged, miss," replied the new office boy. "Engaged," "Indeed?" exclaimed the lady. "He's married," and the lady left.

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EFFECTIVE ADDRESS BY MISSIONARY

Miss Scardefield Tells of
Work in Arabia at Meet-
ing of Union Society

One of the most interesting and attractive addresses yet given before the Union Missionary Society, representing the various churches of the city was presented on Tuesday evening at the First Baptist church by Miss Jennie A. Scardefield, who has served for thirteen years in Arabia as a missionary for the Reformed Church of America, the only church maintaining missionary enterprises in that country. Miss Scardefield added to the interest and effectiveness of the talk by appearing in the native costume of the Arabian women and relating some of the odd customs of the people in connection with their Mohammedan faith.

She described Mohammedanism as robbing men of their manhood, women of their womanhood and children of their childhood, that it was a repressive life throughout. Miss Scardefield commenced her activities in medical work and then established schools and took up evangelistic work. During her description of the customs and religion of the people she sang in Arabic, "Rock of Ages" and "Jesus Loves Me."

Prayer was offered at the opening of the meeting by the Rev. H. A. L. Sadler, pastor of St. Paul's church, and the closing prayer was made by Henry M. Woodruff. Various hymns were sung during the service. President Mrs. F. W. Langstroth was in charge of the service. A large number attended.

Miss Scardefield is a relative of Scardfield, Jacques and Walker families of this city.

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- 12-Main and Cherry Streets.
- 13-Hazletwood and Leesville Avenues.
- 14-Main and Commerce Streets.
- 15-New Brunswick and Lake Ave.
- 22-Hazletwood and Jacques Avenues.
- 24-Maple and St. George Avenues.
- 25-Milton Avenue and Bryant Street.
- 31-Campbell and Cherry Streets.
- 32-Grand Street and St. George Ave.
- 33-Main Street and Elizabeth Ave.
- 35-Grand and Irving Streets.
- 42-Milton Ave. and Montgomery St.
- 43-Grand Bond and Monroe Streets.
- 44-Elizabeth and Jackson Avenues.
- 51-Central Ave. and Maple Terrace.
- 52-Church and Hamilton Streets.
- 53-Grand and Lenington Streets.
- 61-St. George Ave., Kinsey Corner.
- 65-N. J. Reformatory.

"ENGAGING JANET" CREDITABLY STAGED

Second Presbyterian Young
People Make Big Hit with
Charming Playlet

In the presence of a large audience the Welfare Association of the Second Presbyterian church staged a charming playlet, "Engaging Janet," on Tuesday evening in the lecture room. Although the plot of the play was light the meritorious manner in which the various characters were portrayed enhanced the interest and value of the performance in a way that was greatly appreciated and won vociferous approval from those present.

Janet Clarke, seeking a career, was represented as a college girl eager to be of service in the world and the various offers and propositions that were presented to her were particularly amusing, but all through her idea of service there was "man in the case" from whom she received confectionery but whose identity was held a mystery.

The role of Janet was very cleverly occupied by Miss Rebecca Chase.

Among those who sought to obtain the aid of Janet were several amusing characters. As Miss Briggs, representing amalgamated charities, Mrs. James Vanderhoven carried the part exceptionally well and also took the part of Miss Higgins, of the woman's employment bureau, a part that had been assigned to Miss Helen Gibbons, but who was absent owing to the death of her grandfather, Nathan V. Compton.

As a dealer in toilet requisites Mrs. D. B. Pastorius made a hit by the excellent interpretation she gave the part. Another notable character deserving of credit was Miss Bumpus, a literary light, delineated by Miss Beattie Toms. Miss Spike, representing the Teachers' Training Trust, was portrayed in praiseworthy style by Miss Elsie Harned. Bridge, who helps, was a role splendidly handled by Miss Elsie Durand, who added considerable life and spice to the performance.

The cast had been coached for the performance by Mrs. C. N. Forrest who deserves great credit for the able and effective manner in which the show was staged. Some very artistic posters were prepared for the event by Blanchard Durand and elicited many favorable comments. The committee in charge of the arrangements comprised Mrs. James Vanderhoven and Miss Elsie Durand. Altogether the affair was a gratifying success.

AGAIN STAGED SUCCESSFULLY

"The Family Album" Well Received at Grand Street Chapel

At the Grand street chapel on Tuesday evening "The Family Album," which made such a big hit at the First Methodist church on Jan. 13, was repeated by the Epworth League of that church for the benefit of the chapel Sunday school. The different characters were well portrayed, while the description was pleasingly presented by Miss Edith Anderson. The parts were taken as follows: Mother, Mrs. W. H. Clarkson; father, Carl Aszman; the little daughter, Doris Chase; the daughter as a bride, Miss Olga Carlson; the husband, John Nelson; twins, Winifred Barber and Elaine Mundrane; parson, DeWitt Cowins; parson's wife, Miss Vernabelle Reed; the parson's son, Wallace Redman; Jane Higgs, Mrs. Housman; Jane Higgs' husband, Frank Nelson; Sophia, Miss Carlotta Cowins; Cousin Eliza Miss Ruth Babel; Quaker girl, Miss Susie Pearce; Cousin Mary Jane, Mrs. Carl Aszman; Cousin Mary Ann, Mrs. J. Mawer; the Village Beauty, Miss Ethel Carlson; Grandpa Hobbs, Charles Redman.

"The Family Album" was supplemented by some exceptionally fine musical numbers, including vocal solos by Fred Pelletier and Mrs. Carl Aszman; duet by the Misses Ethel and Olga Carlson and piano selections by Miss Jane Springer.

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In the January Woman's Home Companion a writer says:

"Among the immediate members of our families, our nearest and dearest there frequently prevails a form of affectionate personal service that is irksome and trying, yet cannot be avoided or rebuked without giving offense. There are mothers who harass independent and sensible daughters with silly little admonitions about wearing rubbers and getting home early; who besom continually, in public, their daughters' predilection for tennis and dislike of the sewing; who never find it possible to understand why their daughters have views or feelings that differ from their own. And likewise, we find daughters who adopt the maternal attitude to their mothers and exercise a censorship over their clothes, occupations and recreations in a fashion truly exasperating. It makes the onlooker want to shout violently at these types: 'Leave each other alone!'

Even though these attentions are actuated by the fondest love, they are an infringement on individual rights. Mother should let daughter enjoy tennis, and daughter should not try to select Mother's hats. The result would be a great gain in family peace.

"There ought to be a special chapter on 'Being Impersonal' in every book of etiquette and, since books of etiquette are usually consulted only by those who want to know how many cards to leave on twin sisters, or what is the time limit on dinner calls, perhaps this special chapter ought to be included in histories, travels—yes, even works of fiction, so that everyone who reads it may see it. It should consist, first, of advice on how to be impersonal, with helpful hints, such as, 'If your friend looks tired, don't tell her so, but do something definite to help her to rest. Never condole with anyone on being either married or unmarried. Both may be fortunate states.' Never criticize any piece of clothes worn by anyone, not even awning stripes on a fat woman, or an elbow sleeve on a skinny one. Never remark on any family likeness—it's bad enough to have it without being told of it."

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EXTRA FANCY Florida Oranges 15 for 25c This is your last chance to get them at this price.	EXTRA FANCY Grape Fruit Large size 4 for 25c	Chuck Roast lb, 18c
EXTRA FANCY Lettuce head, 10c	EXTRA FANCY RIPE Tomatoes 2 lbs 25c	Pork Loins To Roast, by whole or Half lb. 22½c
Hecker's or Pillsbury Flour Spec. bag, \$1.33 Limited, Two Bags	Fancy Seeded Raisins SPECIAL 2 pkgs 25c	Fresh Ham lb, 22½c
Lenox Soap 7 for 25c	Dromedary Dates pkg 11c	Fresh Home-Made Sausage, Loose, lb 22c
Potato Chips 2 pkgs 25c	Scotch Marmalade jar, 19c	Fresh Pigs Feet 3 lbs 25c
Country Roll Butterine lb, 20c	Wagner's Beans 2 cans 25c	Pickled Pigs Feet 3 lbs 25c
Wheatena pkg., 13c	Mother's Oats 3 pkgs 25c	Beef Liver lb, 10c
Black Pepper 3 cans 25c	Stove Polish Vulcanol or Black Jack 3 cans 25c	Fancy Fowl lb, 28c
Huyler's Chocolate Almond Bars 3 for 10c	Huyler's Bitter Chocolate ¼-lb pkg 18c	Evaporated Apples 2 lbs 25c

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Reorganization Reductions on

Men's Neckwear

Men's Underwear

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Men's Belts

Men's Garters

Men's Suspenders

Bags and Suit Cases

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that sold	\$18.50	All sizes
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up to \$50	\$31.50	Price

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ELECT BUGBEE AS COMPTROLLER

Joint Session Rewards G. O. P.
State Chairman.

GROSSCUP'S JOB ATTACKED

Bill to Cut Term Introduced—Hearings on Important Bills Start Monday—Move to Expedite Legislation—Light or Tax on Motorists Will Bring Strong Opposition.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 31. Meeting in joint session yesterday, the members of the house and senate of the New Jersey State Legislature met to hear the testimony of the comptroller of the state, George O. P. Bugbee, on the subject of the proposed bill to reduce the term of the comptroller from four to two years.

With the election of Mr. Bugbee to the comptroller's office, the bill to reduce the term of the comptroller from four to two years, introduced by Senator McCracken, has become a matter of some importance.

One report is that John N. Smith, chief auditor of the comptroller's department, and John A. Smith, state treasurer, will lose their offices. Each now receives \$3,500 yearly. Mr. Smith has made an enviable reputation for himself as a competent officer.

The question has been raised as to whether or not he will come under the protection of the civil service, and his retirement may go before that board before official action is taken.

Mr. N. J. is one of the most industrious of the state's employees and has worked earnestly to place the comptroller's department on a business basis.

His rulings, however, on purchases by different state institutions, gained him the opposition of a number of the state departments.

Grosscup May Go.
Another department who may be affected is Edward J. Grosscup, chairman of the Democratic state committee and state purchasing agent.

Senator Lewis T. Stevens of Cape May has introduced a bill reducing his term from five years to three. This amendment would allow the selection of a successor by Governor Edge.

One of these would make the term of all weights and measures officials expire next May. By his scheme of reorganization all municipal departments of weights and measures would be wiped out, and only county officials would be named.

At present, the Cape May senator remarked, "the sealers are under the thumb of the county sealers. We feel that the Cape May superintendent is not earning his money."

The present Cape May incumbent is Dr. W. Rodan, a Democrat, and other sealers maintain that the bill is aimed at him on this account. They have been stirred to actively try to combat the object of this bill.

One feature of the measure would reduce from five to three years the term of the state superintendent and he would be allowed to select assistants without naming them from a civil service list.

Through the abolition of the municipal department the sealers' work would be greatly hampered, it is held. But Mr. Stevens asserted that amendments would be inserted to remove the grounds for this protest.

At the hearings, which will be conducted Monday, greater progress will be made with the bill already introduced. In the morning at 11 o'clock the measure placing a highway tax of \$1 on a thousand and that reorganizing the state road department will be taken up.

The amendment feature, it is expected, will bring out a large delegation, particularly from counties which feel they will be taxed too heavily for the benefits they receive.

Automobiles approve generally of the highway scheme, but the provisions which would make a municipality of more than 12,000 population bear the upkeep expense for highways within their jurisdiction is meeting with their disapprobation.

Representatives called on Governor Edge and he said that he could see no objection to an amendment requiring the state to take full control of all the thoroughfares named in the bill. This hearing will take place before the joint committee on highways.

of 3 per cent upon their gross receipts. This measure affects all except the trolley companies, which already pay 3 per cent.

The other corporations contribute 2 per cent at present, and under the graduated scale drawn up their levy will be increased 1 per cent each year until it also equals 3.

While the corporations will make the claims the already paying enough to the state, it is expected speakers will be present to demand that the entire law be levied at once.

Senator Edmund B. Osborne of Essex county, the original proponent for the bill, said that the bill was introduced for the purpose of placing a tax on the corporations.

There is a lot of talk, he remarked, about justice to the corporations, but not enough about justice to the people.

He maintains that the corporations are well able to pay over this money and says it is due the taxpayer that they should get it at once and not be deprived of the money they will lose by the graduated advance.

Assemblyman A. Dayton Oliphant, leader of the Republican majority in the house, stated that a precedent has been established for the taxing scale in the case of the trolley tax.

He asserts it is only just to the smaller firms to allow them to pay their taxes on the basis of the new demands. He claims of his attitude it is believed the bill will go through unopposed.

Tax on Motorists.
Laws for the commercial motor trucks increased under the provisions of a bill introduced in the assembly by Arthur N. McCracken, representative from Union county.

The bill provides for a maximum assessment of \$15 for motor trucks of 4,000 pounds or less and an advance of \$10 for each additional 1,000 pounds up to a maximum of \$50 for trucks of 20,000 pounds and over.

These fees are for the gross weight of the vehicle and its carrying capacity.

The license for motor trucks now has a maximum of \$20, and the part of the annual guard selected for the trip to attend the inaugural ceremony of President Wilson will be provided for the legislature.

The measure was presented by Senator McCracken, leader of the Republicans in the upper house.

Under the provisions of a bill presented by Assemblyman Reed of Mercer county are authorized to make an appropriation for the maintenance of incorporated institutions for the support and education of the indigent blind.

This is not mandatory, but \$100 for each 10,000 of the population may be permitted for the work.

Another measure by Assemblyman Reed would allow the boarding in private homes of children ten years of age who have been sent to the State Home for Girls.

The State Federation of Women's Clubs is supporting this measure, as the home are not sent out for employment now until they are sixteen years of age and better results, it is believed, can be obtained by having the younger children in private homes.

Instead of keeping them at the institution. One requirement is that they be permitted to attend school.

A change in the method of transfer and registration of land is provided by a bill presented by Senator Osborne. It is along the lines of a Torrens system of registration and would obviate the necessity for lengthy title searches.

Assemblyman Amerman of Somerset county would permit one person to hold two offices in a municipality if he receives compensation only for the one to which he was elected.

Assemblyman Rynow of Union has several bills for the regulation of tenement houses. One extends the tenement house act to all buildings occupied by three or more families, and the second defines the word "tenement" in the act and requires roof and gutter downspouts to be covered with drip-proof or semidrip-proof material.

Sluiks with running water must be placed in each apartment.

Assemblyman Hancock of Camden would extend the provisions of the public pension act to widows, minor children and dependents, parents of policemen and retired members of the force in all first class cities.

Another bill by him provides that in foreclosure suits the period within which a mortgage can be redeemed is sixty days instead of six months. He also has a measure to increase the salaries of freeholders from \$300 to \$500 and that of the director from \$500 to \$700 in counties having more than 100,000 population.

School Military Training.

CITIZENS EXPRESS VIEWS IN LETTERS

Important Matters Brought to Public Attention By Interested Readers

Editor Record:—Somebody said (was it Mrs. Wiggins of Cabbage Patch fame?) "Pigs is Pigs." Reading the article in your last issue on the River street pig now unhappily deceased, there came into mind Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes' lines composed four score and seven years ago and I submit them for reproduction in your columns.

Perhaps the poem was written after a similar desecration of the Sabbath! At any rate, it conveys a warning and a moral which may well be taken to heart by all who contemplate the sinful Sabbath slaughtering of gentle pigs!

GIP REVOL.

THE SPECTRE PIG

A Satire.
It was the stalwart butcher man,
That knelt his swarthy brow,
And said the gentle pig must die,
And sealed it with a vow.

And oh! it was the gentle pig
Lay stretched upon the ground,
And oh! it was the cruel knife,
His little heart that found.

They took him then, those wicked men,
They trailed him all along;
They put a stick between his lips,
And through his heels a thorn.

And round and round an oaken beam
A hampden cord they flung,
And like a mighty pendulum,
All solemnly he swung!

Now say thy prayers, thou sinful man,
And think what thou hast done,
And read thy catechism well,
Thou bloody-minded one!

For if his spirit should walk by night,
It better were for thee,
That thou wert mouldering in the ground,
Or bleaching in the sea.

It was the savage butcher then,
That made a wicked oath,
And swore a very wicked oath,
He did not care a pin.

It was the butcher's youngest son,
His voice was broken with sobs,
And with his pocket-handkerchief
He wiped his little eyes.

All young and ignorant was he,
But innocent and mild,
And in his soft simplicity,
Out spoke the tender child:

"Oh, father, father, list to me;
The pig is deadly sick,
And men have hung him by his heels,
And fed him with a stick!"

It was the bloody butcher then,
That laughed as he would die,
Yet did he soothe the sorrowing child,
And bid him not to cry.

"Oh, Nathan, Nathan, what's a pig,
That thou shouldst weep and wail?
Come, bear thee like a butcher's child,
And thou shalt have his tail!"

It was the butcher's daughter then,
So slender and so fair,
That sobbed as if her heart would break,
And tore her yellow hair.

And thus she spoke in thrilling tone,
Fast fell the tear-drops big:
"Ah! woe is me! Alas! Alas!
The pig! The pig! The pig!"

Then did her wicked father's lips
Make merry with her woe,
And call her many a naughty name,
Because she whimpered so.

Ye need not weep, ye gentle ones,
In vain your tears are shed,
Ye cannot wash his crimson hand,
Ye cannot soothe the dead.

The bright sun folded on his breast
His robes of rosy flame,
And softly over all the west
The shades of evening came.

He slept, and troops of murdered pigs
Were busy with his dreams;
Loud rang their wild unearthly shrieks
Wide yawned their mortal seams.

The clock struck twelve; the dead
Hath heard;
He opened both his eyes,
And suddenly he shook his tail
To lash the feeding flies.

One quiver of the hempen cord,
One struggle and one bound,
With stiffened limb and leaden eye,
The pig was on the ground!

And straight towards the sleeper's
house he sped;
His howling woe he wended;
And howling woe he wended;
On midnight wing attended.

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Back flew the bolt, up rose the latch,
And open swung the door,
And little mingling feet were heard
Pat, pat along the floor.

Two hoofs upon the sanded floor,
And two upon the bed;
And they are breathing side by side,
The living and the dead!

"Now wake, now wake, thou butcher man!
What makes thy cheek so pale?
Take hold! take hold! thou dost not fear
To clasp a spectre's tail!"

Unwistled every winding coil,
The shuddering wretch took hold,
All like an icicle it seemed,
So tapering and so cold.

"Thou com'st with me, thou butcher man!"
He strives to loose his grasp,
But, faster than the clinging vine,
Those twining spirals clasp.

And open, open swung the door,
And, fleet as the wind,
The shadowy spectre swept before,
The butcher trailed behind.

Fast fled the darkness of the night,
And morn rose faint and dim;
They called full loud, they knocked
Full long.

They did not waken him.
Straight, straight, towards that oaken beam,
A trampled pathway ran;
A ghastly shape was swinging there—
It was the butcher man.

NEWARK THEATRE
Direct from its six months' run at the Belasco and George M. Cohan theatres, New York, "Seven Chances," David Belasco's new comedy success, will open a week's engagement at the Broad Street Theatre, Newark, next week. It is the work of Rol Cooper Magrath, author of "Under Cover" and "Under Fire" and co-author of "It Pays to Advertise."

The story concerns the efforts of a confirmed young bachelor and woman-hater to secure a wife within twenty-four hours in order to gain a large fortune left by his eccentric grandfather. He is refused by seven different girls and is on the verge of losing the money when he and the girl whom he unconsciously loves all the time are brought together by a clever ruse.

The entire original cast, headed by Frank Craven, as the young bachelor, and Carroll McComas, as the girl he eventually wins, and including such well-known players as John Butler, Harry Leighton, Hayward, Glen Charles Brooks, Frank Morgan, Lee Metford, Anna Meredith, Beverly West, Marion Abbott, Gladys Knorr, Florence Deahon, Alice Carroll, Emily Callaway will be seen at Newark.

WITNESS AFTER WITNESS IN RAHWAY
Such Evidence Our Readers Cannot Dispute.

As we take up the Record week by week, we are struck by the hearty, unmistakable way in which witness after witness speaks out as Mrs. Brooks does here. If these people were strangers living miles away, we might take little notice of them. But they are not. They are our neighbors, living among us. Their word is too easily proven to admit of any doubt. They speak out in the hope that their experience may be a guide to others.

Mrs. A. Brooks, 35 Montgomery St., Rahway, says: "I caught cold which settled on my kidneys and caused me much pain. On one occasion I could hardly move. I had frequent dizzy spells which blurred by sight and made my head whirl. I used plasters of all sorts, but without any relief until I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. I soon found that they relieved me, so I kept on taking them until Doan's Kidney Pills since that time I have found that they always give great relief."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the name that Mrs. Brooks had. Foster-McMillan Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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WORKMEN'S B. & L. ANNUAL MEETING

Wm. A. Ransom New President—Prosperous Year Shown By Reports

Excellent reports and a reelection of officers marked the annual meeting of the Workmen's Building and Loan Association held on Monday evening in the rooms of Uel Freeman & Son.

The board of directors were again named. The entire board comprises the following: Frank L. Potter, F. C. Hitchcock, Patrick Toomey, E. C. Gallagher, William Westervelt, Joseph Wooster, George E. Leung, Frederick C. Hyer, Harry W. Ward, Willard C. Freeman, Edward S. Freeman, Garrett S. Jones, Water Commissioner William A. Ransom was again chosen to head the organization, with Willard C. Freeman as vice-president; George H. Waters, secretary; L. Russell Cartwright, treasurer, and Frederick C. Hyer, solicitor. The auditors are: Eugene Miller, Walter Freeman and John J. P. Coffey.

The thirty-first annual report showed the following receipts, disbursements, assets and liabilities:

January, 1918, Balance	\$ 19,357.63
Dues	47,061.00
Interest	13,578.48
Fines	347.09
Transfer Fees	6.50
Admission Fees	179.25
Interest on Deposits	537.01
Earnings New Shares	.65
Protected Check	31.59
Mortgages	31,350.00
Bonds	470.00
Chas. L. Schwertn	11.47
Total	\$101,980.63

Disbursements.
Salary of Treasurer, \$325.00
Salary of Secretary, 400.00
Salary of Auditor, 15.00
Rent of Office, 120.00
Adv., Printing, etc., 133.37
Premium on Bonds, 14.00
Income Tax, 115.94
Examination of Books, 21.00
Insurance, 17.94 \$1,062.05
Withdrawals, 15,567.80
Mortgages, 42,230.00
Bonds, 575.00
Matured Stock, 14th Series, 12,354.00

1917-Jan. 16, Bal. in Treas. 30,201.77
Assets.
Office Furniture, 169.43
Mortgages, 210,320.00
Bonds, 3,705.00
Cash, 30,201.77
Dues Unpaid, 903.00
Interest Unpaid, 740.48
Fines Unpaid, 473.94
Interest Accrued (not due), 145.00

Liabilities.
Dues, \$197,120.00
Dues Prepaid, 397.00
Interest Prepaid, 28.00
Profit and Loss, 46,851.19
Dues Unpaid, 903.00
Interest Unpaid, 740.48
Fines Unpaid, 473.94
Interest Accrued, not due, 145.00

Total, \$246,557.61

Prepare for the Weigle Evangelistic Campaign to be held in this city beginning Feb. 11 and continuing to March 25 in the tabernacle at the corner of Elm avenue and Campbell street.

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, burn or scald. Be prepared. Thousands rely on Dr. Thomas' Eucletic Oil. Your druggist sells it. 50c and 60c.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. M. A. Coe, of Commerce street, has been entertaining a friend from New Britain, Conn., this week.

Mrs. Clifford Upson, of New Britain, Conn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Tucker.

A. Edward Woodruff, formerly of Jefferson avenue, who is spending the winter in Albany, N. Y., called on Rahway friends Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Palm, Jr., of Elm avenue, are spending several days in New York City.

Mrs. Charles T. Gunn, of 322 Elm avenue, has gone to Florida for the remainder of the winter. Mr. Gunn will go in a few days.

Mrs. J. Lewis Martin, of New York; Mrs. Walter Pratt, Mrs. Richard Althoff and Mrs. Bertram Berry of this city, were guests of Mrs. Thomas B. Lindsay, of Maple avenue, at luncheon on Wednesday.

Mrs. Lindsay Dunham, of West Milton avenue, entertained Mrs. Clifford Woodruff, of Albany, N. Y., on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Stevens, of 4 Adams street, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a twelve-pound baby girl on Tuesday.

Mrs. Kate Weber and daughter, Mrs. L. E. Marshall, of Clark township, have been spending a few days with relatives at Hartford, Conn.

Miss Julia Whalen, of Woodbridge, had one finger injured in a machine at the Regina plant this week.

Mrs. Philip Hoffman, of 197 East Scott avenue, spent Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Pfeffer, of Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Egan, of Jersey street, were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Annie Andelfinger and family, of 9 Campbell street.

George Andelfinger, of 9 Campbell street, was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Chapin, of Elizabeth, formerly of this city.

Miss Margaret von der Becke, of 43 Whittier street, will spend the week end with friends in Linden. She spent last Saturday there and had a delightful time.

Mrs. E. Claiborne Mores, of 180 Hamilton street, returned today from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Crooks, of Hackensack.

Alfred J. Hocking, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hocking, Jr., of 57 Church street, had one eye badly burned yesterday by some hot metal from a linotype machine at the Quinn & Boden plant.

There will be a meeting of Washington Camp, No. 154, Patriotic Order Sons of America, tonight, when further plans will be made for the big progressive euchre and pinocle party to be held on Friday evening, Feb. 16.

Rahway friends are now addressing their mail, John L. Cook, Esquire, Farmingdale, N. J., as Mr. Cook has been elected justice of the peace and also chosen as president of the Board of Health at Farmingdale. His many friends here congratulate him upon the honor and confidence which have been shown Mr. Cook in his adopted home town.

An unusual coincidence of a sad-denning nature transpired in the family of the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Ryder last week when the death of Mr. Ryder's uncle, the Rev. Daniel W. Ryder, was announced almost simultaneously with the death of James Richdale, of South Brooklyn, an uncle of Mrs. Ryder.

At the Sunday school session at the Second Presbyterian church next Sunday members of the Christian Endeavor Society will conduct the opening exercises in observance of Christian Endeavor Day, marking the thirty-sixth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor movement. At the C. E. meeting in the evening George W. Minus, of the First Presbyterian church, will be the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shipley, of Adams street, pleasantly entertained a few friends at a social gathering on Tuesday evening. Social intercourse, music and refreshments made the time pass quickly. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fleman, E. Knapp, Mrs. Alice F. Bell, Miss Elizabeth W. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Shipley and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shipley.

A goodly number from this city attended the big card party under the auspices of Bayley Council, Knights of Columbus, at the Armory in Elizabeth on Wednesday evening. Among those who went were: The Misses Elizabeth Gray, Catherine Kelly, Lottie and Sophie Pickaraki, Nellie Healey, Margaret Keefe, Estelle Rose, Fannie Roarke, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McVoy, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Ryan, Edward J. Fitzgerald and others.

Under the auspices of the Young Peoples' Socialist League, of Perth Amboy, former Mayor Furber will deliver the same lecture recently given to the Knights of Columbus, of Newark, and the Young Peoples' Socialist League of Paterson on "The Tribulations of a Mayor" at the Raritan building, corner Smith street and Madison avenue, at 4:30 Sunday afternoon.

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Editor of Record:—I have two friends who hold season tickets to Proctor's Theatre and attend regularly. They tell me that almost weekly Rahway is the butt of a joke cracked there for the pleasure of the crowd. For years the metropolitan press has used the name Rahway derisively and it does seem as though our city has heretofore gone ahead (backward) with the idea that there is always room at the bottom. Rahway has been content to let everyone else on earth do things before it dares to undertake them.

Now the question is: will the organization of a new bank with \$125,000 capital and the raising of over \$100,000 for a new Y. M. C. A. in the past sixty days mean a new era for the city? Whether it does or not depends to a great extent upon whether or not that wonderful organization created by Mr. Hosenburg is going to be allowed to disband or whether it is held together for the solving of still greater civic problems.

Your paper has included my name in the list as one of the active members of that organization but I desire no credit for what I did not do, and, as I was unable to participate in the campaign, I can speak freely as an outsider.

There is no civic problem which Mr. Hosenburg's aggregation of two hundred live wires cannot solve and solve correctly. Why should they not consider themselves the nucleus of a civic forum and take up the other momentous questions awaiting solution.

The Board of Trade is in a rut and the only difference between a rut and a grave is the length and the depth. It leaves every important thing to an executive committee so that the rank and file has nothing to do and nothing to interest them. The executive committee talk the same old stuff at every meeting so that anyone whose time is valuable can ill afford to spend it there listening. As Mr. Hosenburg has well said: "If the Board actually places the proposed advertising signboards on the principal approaches to the city it will be the first tangible thing accomplished by the Board."

Everything else has been talk. If this wonderful Y. M. C. A. campaign committee had adjourned for four weeks and then could come together with the public invited and act exclusively on the wishes of the majority as to the next job, there would be something doing in old Rahway that would take away the joke sting and make it known from one end of the country to the other.

Don't let the Hosenburg system be lost. Good men or ideas without a system are ineffective. Having the system, the organization, we will be more than ever deserving of derision if we do not avail ourselves of it to the absolute limit of its power and influence.

J. B. FURBER.

Editor of Record:—I noticed in your publication that the name of the Milbury Atlantic Mfg. Co. was entered as subscriber \$100 to the Young Men's Christian Association Fund. Wish to state there was no subscription from the Milbury Atlantic Mfg. Co. but a check was sent by L. A. Wilnot Milbury personally and it was particularly specified when it was given that it was not from the company, but a personal contribution. I wish to specify this particularly as the majority of the board of directors of this company live in other cities and their interests are in those cities. The plant at Rahway is only a small branch of the Milbury Atlantic Mfg. Co. whose headquarters are in New York City, and the firm is not in a position to contribute, but the individual members of the concern are at perfect liberty to contribute where they reside in the various cities if they desire.

I regret it was not convenient for me to give as large amount as was given by some of those whose interests were altogether or more largely in Rahway than my own, and am very much pleased at the great success attained in securing the very large subscriptions made. In the past I believe the good done by the Y. M. C. A. in Rahway has been very limited, but I trust that with the splendid business men now at the head, and with new building, new equipment, with the institution conducted on greatly improved methods, that just as much good can be done in Rahway in proportion to its size as in any of the big cities of this country.

I am also very much pleased at the great interest which is being taken in the approaching evangelistic campaign in Rahway, the hearty co-operation of not only the churches, but of individuals all over the city, and I believe we are going to see a general awakening in Rahway which will not only be a tremendous uplift to the spiritual but also to the temporal welfare of the community. I trust all men and women in our city will take part in this great work.

L. A. WILNOT MILBURY.

POPULAR FARMER GETS RIGHT TIP

In Fine Physical Condition
Now, Thanks to Tanlac,
He Declares

"After one neighbor told me what Tanlac had done for him, and numerous others added their praise, I began taking your preparation," said Edward Lang, well-known farmer of Dutch Neck, N. J. In a recent interview with the Tanlac Man in Trenton.

"I am now on my second bottle of the medicine and the results are most satisfactory. I suffered for five or six years with indigestion and kidney trouble. I needed nourishment, but found that heavy foods would not digest, but caused distress and constipation."

"This past winter I contracted grippe and I couldn't throw off its after-effects. My bones and muscles ached, I became nervous and irritable and seldom secured a full night's sleep. Tanlac slowly but surely corrected my trouble and I am now free from the old aches and pains. I can eat most anything without the least discomfort and my appetite is fine."

"Thanks to Tanlac, I am in prime physical condition again, and now want to add my testimony to that of my neighbors. I sleep like a babe at night and my nerves are as strong and steady as of old."

Tanlac, the first-aid to Nature which helped Mr. Lang, is now being especially introduced here in Rahway at Kretsch's Pharmacy.

Prepare for the Weight Evangelistic Campaign to be held in this city beginning Feb. 11 and continuing to March 25 in the tabernacle at the corner of Elm avenue and Campbell street.

Former Fugitive Now Minister.
Kid Wedge, formerly a lightweight, has reformed and is now the "giving" parson of northern Wisconsin. He teaches a Sunday school class, besides the good things in the Bible. He has asked the state for a club license to conduct the manly art.

Classified Advertising

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—Six room house; good condition; improvements; lot, barn, chicken coop; bargain. Inquire George Schultz, 19 Walter street. j30-2t

WILL EXCHANGE—House in Linden for Rahway house or lots or for 50-foot cruiser. Owners only. Adirondack, 69 Wall street, Manhattan. Jan 30-1t

FOR SALE—My country place two miles west of Rahway, Plainfield Road, four acres; fifteen-room house, large buildings, city water and improvements. R. F. D. and telephone. Fine shady lawn, garden, etc. Also any of my 25 houses in Rahway. Terms to suit. Write Chas. T. McKendle, Newburgh, N. Y. d29-2t

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FOR RENT—Seven room house and bath, hot and cold water. 139 Broad street. Owner 115 Irving street. feb2-2t

TO LET—Eight-room house and about one acre ground, P. R. L. Clark township, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. j34-3t

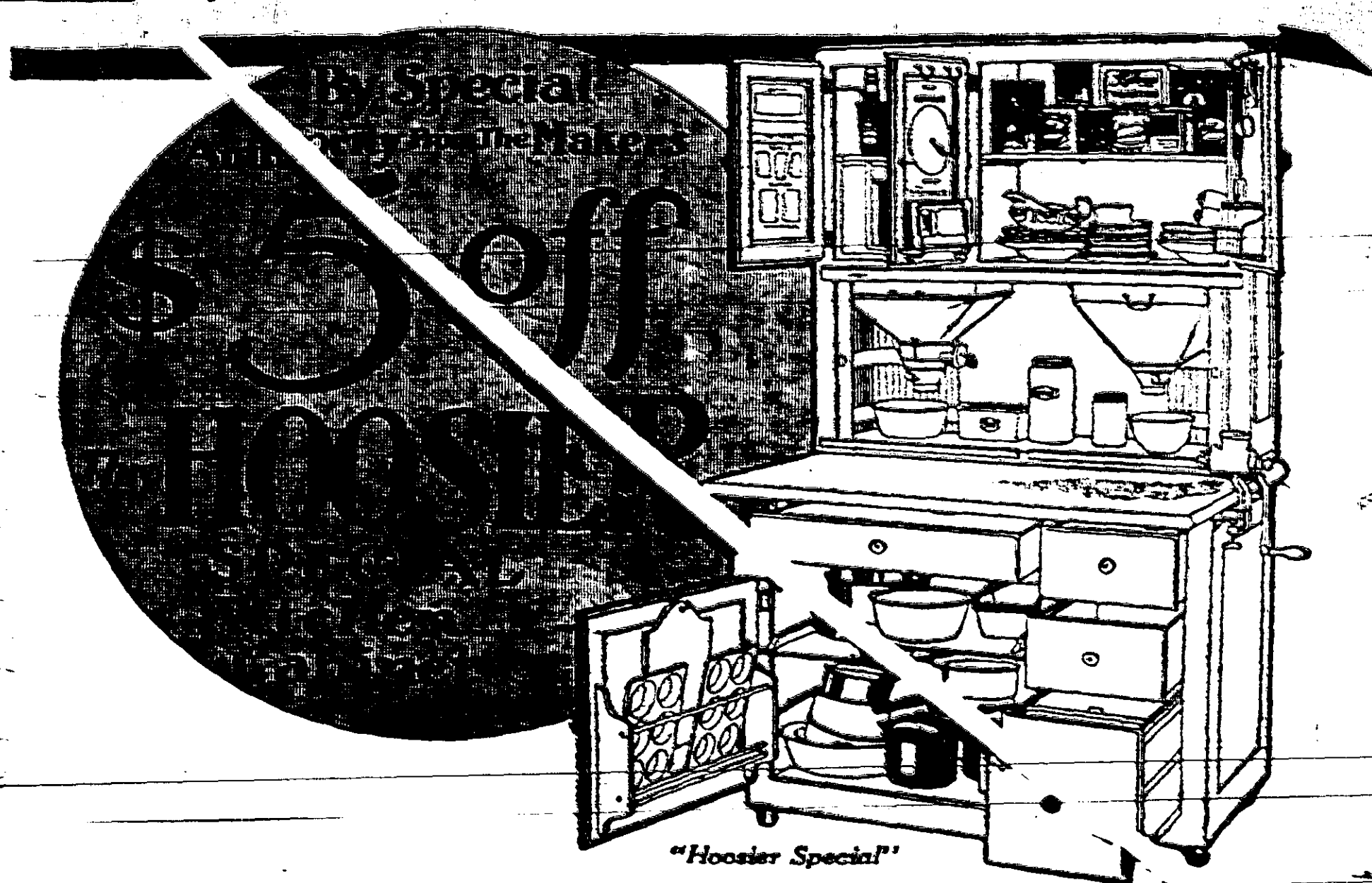
FOR RENT—Furnished room for one or two gentlemen. 52 West Grand street. j34-2t

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BOYS WANTED—Charles O. Tingley & Company, St. George avenue and Ross street. j30-1t

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To the First 26 Women Who Call

Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets, as nearly every woman knows, are the finest in the world, both from the standpoint of beauty and convenience.

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Women buy more Hoosiers than any other five makes combined. That results in enormous output, low factory costs and low prices.

Hoosier prices are fixed prices—fixed at the factory. And never before have we or any other store in America been able to make a cut like this.

But now—as an extra February drawing card—we have secured the maker's consent to the unparalleled reduction of \$5 from the

standard price of the "Hoosier Special." We stand part and the maker stands part.

No More After These

These cabinets are fresh from the factory, glistening new and splendidly equipped.

But the number is positively limited. If all are taken tomorrow, that ends the price reduction. The next lot must be sold at the regular price.

Sale Begins February 1, 1917, at 8 A. M.

The terms of the Cut-Price Hoosier Sale are these:

- 1—Pay only \$1 when you order the "Hoosier Special."
- 2—Pay the balance only \$1 a week.
- 3—No interest, no extra fees.

- 4—Your money all back if you are not delighted.
- 5—Save five out of \$5 in the price, but sale ends absolutely when 26 are sold.

We Save You a Dollar
a Minute

It won't take you over five minutes to decide when you see this unbearable bargain. And in that five minutes you save \$5.

We'll accept your order by telephone, but unless an order is given no cabinets will be reserved.

And please don't forget that numbers of women who have made up their minds to have the Hoosier will see this offer and lose no time.

Only by coming early can you be SURE of getting one of these wonderful cabinets at our unheard-of price.

Let us forget—cut out this notice now and pin it up where you'll see it the first thing tomorrow morning.

JAMES McCOLLUM, UNION HALL BUILDING, IRVING AND CHERRY STREETS, RAHWAY, N. J.

NEWS BREVITIES OF NEW JERSEY

Events of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points in the State and Reduced in Size for Quick Perusal

Camden merchants who have been disposing of products kept in cold storage thirty days without proper labels are to be prosecuted. Food Inspector Izard stated.

Charged by his wife, who is suing him for divorce, with using profane language, William McCaffery was fined \$10 and costs by Mayor Thomas Whitaker at Mulville.

A night watchman of the Standard Fuse corporation, Paulsboro, asserts he shot at a man cutting the wire from the top of a large board fence in an effort to gain admission.

The resignation of Rev. J. Edward Jordan was accepted by the West Col. Englewood Presbyterian congregation, and he will become associate pastor of Bethany church, Philadelphia.

Mrs. George Lester, forty-eight, of East Orange died at Mount Sinai hospital, Glen Ridge, from injuries sustained in an auto accident at Cedar Grove. Her neck was broken.

Word was received in Newton that the dog shot by Edward Nagler, Jr., after it had bitten seven other dogs was a victim of rabies. Its head had been sent to Pasteur's Institute.

Tripping while ascending a cellar steps with a bottle of scalding water, Mrs. W. H. Miller, wife of an electrician of Camden, was terribly burned about the lower part of the body.

Newark as well as other cities where chemical plants are turning out nitrated substances are in danger from explosions, according to Dr. Charles F. McKenna, an expert on explosives.

The cosmopolitan character of Vineland high school was shown when Superintendent H. L. Reber enrolled students from Cuba, Porto Rico, Washington, Toledo, Cleveland and Atlantic City.

Beverly Fire company, No. 1, has

placed in service a new triple communication apparatus, consisting of a pump, chemical tank of forty gallons and gear carrying apartment, at a cost of \$5,700.

Vandals broke into a dwelling owned by Walter Peatrige, Delanco, and without any attempt to plunder tore down gas fixtures, ripped the iron front from a cellar heater and otherwise despoiled the interior.

Charles Wolfert is caring for a large covey of quail on his farm at Wolfert's station and believes he has a full winter's job on hand, as the birds seem to know they are living at ease and do not go far away.

Undaunted by a recent accident in which he smashed up his touring car and was himself held a prisoner under the wreckage, former Sheriff Frank B. Ridgeway of Mullica Hill has purchased a new car.

Overcome with sewer gas in a manhole at Michigan and Edie avenues, Atlantic City, Frank Blatt, 205 North Virginia avenue, was rescued by a fellow workman and revived with a pulmotor at the hospital.

Services for ex-Mayor George Pearson of Dover were held at his residence in West Blackwell street. The Rev. Dr. Rynaud of Elizabeth and the Rev. Dr. Robins, pastor of the Mt. Freedom Methodist church, officiated.

Game Warden William E. Leder of Atlantic county, who has liberated a large number of rabbits in the woods, has given warning that if any one's dog is caught running at large in the woods the owner will be prosecuted.

Glocester county farmers say that the price of seed potatoes the coming season will be at least \$5 a barrel. With the greatly increased prices of fertilizers and labor not a farmer can say just what he expects to do.

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NEWS BREVITIES OF NEW JERSEY

Interesting Happenings in the State Carefully Condensed.

Events of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points in the State and So Reduced to Size That They Will Appeal to All Classes of Readers.

Riverside postoffice is mourning the death of a pet and mascot dog.

Sheriff John W. Sharp has been elected president of the Hunterdon country club.

According to experts, the valuation of school property in Woodbury is \$171,000.

The public debt of New Jersey counties and municipalities has doubled in the last two years.

The Flushing Women's club has donated \$40 to the moving picture fund of the public school.

Fifty new benches have been ordered for the active members of the Passaic fire company.

The new play organ installed in the Highstown Baptist church cost \$100 and is driven with chains.

New Jersey commissioners have passed a resolution of \$100,000 for running that road during 1917.

While handling a new revolver William Wainwright, Vineland, sent a bullet through the calf of one leg.

Mrs. Sophronia White, mother of Mrs. A. J. Simpson of Hammonton, died in New Brunswick, Me. aged 101.

A movement is on foot in Haddon Heights for the creation of a municipal park with a large lake on Tenth street.

Burning of waste powder at the munitions plants caused detonations which shook the Gloucester county river front.

Lambertville is negotiating with a large shoe manufacturing concern, which is expected to locate its plant there.

Alanson A. Vance, the oldest retired newspaper editor in New Jersey, died at his home in Ridgeville avenue, Morristown.

E. H. Sawyer has purchased the Nippon Machine Company's belongings at Korma and is moving the factory to Vineland.

Major Alwater has appointed William J. Haffner a member of the New Jersey State Board of education for a four year term.

Cape May county baymen are taking hundreds of crabs from their winter beds, for which they are receiving \$1.25 per hundred.

Passaic farmers' wives who have started butter-making are finding a ready market for their product at 35 cents a pound.

The Pennsylvania railroad is planning to build a large freight yard near Cambridge station on what is now the Kensington farm.

From injuries sustained in a fall Albert Epping, eighty-one years old, of Westmont died in the Homeopathic hospital, Camden.

J. N. Cooper, thirty-two years old, of Camden badly injured his left ankle by slipping on a plank and was cared for at Cooper hospital.

The Rev. Billy Sunday went to Lawrenceville from Boston, where he concluded a two week revival. He visited his grandson in Lawrenceville.

Rev. Henry J. Kye of Providence, R. I., conducted the services at the Cedarwood Baptist church. Mr. Kye is a candidate for the vacant pastorate.

Fluorence Kumbach, eight, of West Ackerman street, Bloomfield, is in the Mountaineer hospital, Glen Ridge, suffering from burns sustained at her home.

A large delegation from nearby towns visited Star of the Union council, American Mechanics, of Gloucester, with a number of state officers also present.

Benjamin Eames, who has paid fines and served a term in state prison for selling liquor without a license, has been arrested on a similar charge at Millville.

William Leadbeater, twenty-eight years old, of Glassboro, was taken to Cooper hospital, Camden, with both arms injured. He was caught in a concrete mixer.

Levi Houston, seventy-five years old, took from Wright's pond, near Glassboro, a pike weighing four pounds and two ounces, the largest ever caught in that section.

Milkmen in Newton have advanced the price of milk from 8 to 9 cents. Rather than make a protest many of the townspeople have joined and bought cows.

Building Inspector George G. Falkenberg of Summit will require the churches and owners of public buildings to comply strictly with the provisions of the ordinance relative to the number of exits in such structures.

Headquarters detectives of Newark are trying to get a line on the sneak thief who entered the home of J. Lawrence Boggs, 44 Spruce street, while the family was attending a dinner party at the Essex County Country Club.

FIND NO BASIS FOR PEACE IN ALLIES' TERMS



Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg and Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, the German foreign minister, who think entirely has barred peace for present. American Ambassador Gerard in his now famous speech in Berlin said these two men are very good friends of the Kaiser. Zimmermann, that there will be no truce between the two nations as long as they remain in power. (Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg on left.)

Winchboro citizens turned out at the Y. M. C. A. hall for the first of a series of town meetings whose object is to boost Winchboro and promote a greater civic pride. Former Senator John Ashley of Vineland was the principal speaker.

Ocean and bay fishermen are planning a campaign before the new legislature for legislation that will drive the mackerel "fish pirates" from the New Jersey coast, where, it is claimed, their operations are ruining the food fish industry.

Fire Chief Moore and Police Chief Louie of Newark are devising a plan whereby persons caught sending in false fire alarms will be severely punished. During the past year an average of ten pieces of apparatus went out on 234 needless runs.

William J. Jeter of Jersey City started suit in the Hudson county supreme court against the Erie railroad, asking \$25,000 damages for injuries sustained when the automobile in which he was riding was struck by a locomotive on the Erie grade crossing at Kearny.

He found a fine price for the friend who invited him.

Alexandre Dumas, the elder, the great novelist, had, as is well known, some black blood in his veins and was of an unforgiving if not almost cruel nature.

In his earlier days Dumas received a dire insult from one whom he called his friend. To the surprise of all who knew him, Alexandre took no apparent notice of the wrong, but instead applied himself to looking carefully after the welfare of his supposed friend.

He took with him into society, introduced him there, presented him there and so continued for three years, at the end of which time he stood as "best man" at his friend's marriage.

The wedding feast being concluded, Alexandre Dumas was leaving the house when an acquaintance joined him and as they walked along said: "I have often wished to say how I have wondered at your great kindness to Mr. X, whom we have just seen married. You have the most forgiving nature that I have ever met with. He insulted you some years ago, and yet ever since you have devoted yourself to his happiness, and at last assisted him to get married."

"That is precisely," remarked Dumas slowly, with a sinister chuckle, "I flatter myself that I have given him the most furious and lynx eyed mother-in-law in France."—London Telegraph.

A Flying Start. As the result of lectures administered to him by both his father and the young woman of his choice, a certain young man decided to turn over a new leaf and show some interest in business.

"Well, Molly," said he to the girl one evening, "I am really going into business in earnest. Made a beginning already today."

"Good!" exclaimed Molly. "And what was the nature of your start?" "I ordered my tailor to make me a business suit."—New York Times.

Guests Boreas. A woman had forgotten to order meat for dinner. She rushed to the telephone, called the meat market from memory and did not inquire who was talking when some one answered with the usual "Hello!"

"Have you any brains?" the woman demanded. "Alas, no," the voice at the other end of the line replied. "I am only a poor teacher."—Indianapolis News.

Defeating. "I'm meditating the manager. So you claim to have every qualification of a first class actor?" "Well," returned Jefferson Hamlet, "perhaps I ought to mention the fact that I am slightly deaf, the result of so much applause, you know."—New York Times.

What Counts. "Circumstances alter cases." "That's true, but remember, my boy, that you needn't worry about the circumstances if you have the law on your side."—Washington Star.

A Gentle Thrust. Miss Oldgirl—I remember when the girls married much younger than they do now. Miss Pert—Yes, so grandma tells me.—Baltimore American.

READ THE RECORD

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. F. O. Merrill, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Brotherhood meeting for all men. Subject, "Walk Worthily."

10:30 a. m. Communion service and the giving of the hand of fellowship.

11:45 a. m. Bible school, lesson, "Jesus, the Savior of the World."

11:45 a. m. Junior Brotherhood study of "The Little Bible."

7:30 p. m. Men's mass meeting in charge of the Weigle Evangelistic campaign.

7:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. topic, "Visions and Tasks." Leader, R. J. Morton.

7:45 p. m. Evening worship; sermon theme, "What Think Ye of Christ?"

Special music during this service.

Wednesday, Feb. 7, 7:45 p. m. Song service, 8 p. m. devotional meeting.

Topic, "Our Recommendations."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. B. S. Crowcroft, Pastor

10 a. m. Sunday school.

11 a. m. Church service.

3:30 p. m. Junior League.

7 p. m. Epworth League service.

Topic, "My Attitude Toward My Social Inferiors."

7:45 Church service.

Monday, Feb. 5, 8 p. m. Neighborhood meetings.

Wednesday, Feb. 7, 7:45, Prayer service and regular trustees meeting.

Thursday, Feb. 8, 3 p. m. Ladies' Aid meeting at Mrs. John Housman's, 8 Irving street.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. L. V. Graham, Jr., Pastor

10 a. m. Bible school, with primary, intermediate and junior classes and organized Bible classes for men and women, including the Witherspoon for men and the Borean for women.

11 a. m. Church service, with sermon by the pastor.

7 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting, leader, Miss Mildred Wright.

7:45 p. m. Church service; sermon, "The Pleasures of Sin," by the pastor.

Wednesday evening, Feb. 7, at 7:45 mid-week prayer service with the pastor in charge.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Alexander Leonhardt, Pastor

10 a. m. Sunday school.

11 a. m. Service, the pastor's sermon, "Christian Life—a Battling Life; place of battle is the world, the battle is the fighting against the sin, the price of battle is the crown of life. Installation of new elected officers will take place during the service. The services are held in St. Paul's parish house.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
The Rev. R. W. Mark, of Woodbridge, will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning and the Rev. F. R. Penn, of

this city, in the evening.

Christian Endeavor Day will be observed by the society at 7 o'clock in the evening with George W. Mings as the speaker.

The monthly meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday school will be held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Helen Smith, of Bryant street.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH
Rev. H. A. L. Sadler, Rector

Septuagesima Sunday.

7:30 a. m. Corporate communion for the Industrial Chapter and also for our parish generally.

10:30 a. m. Second celebration of the holy communion and sermon.

3 p. m. The Sunday school will meet. New pupils always welcome.

7:30 p. m. Evening prayer and the sixth of the series of Sunday evening addresses on "Great Hymns and their Message to the Modern Man!" The hymn which will be considered to-night will be "Lead Kindly Light."

The Industrial Chapter would like to meet their friends of the parish at 3 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 8 in the parish rooms to celebrate their thirty-first anniversary. There will be an exhibition of work. The birthday socks will be opened and later refreshments will be served. The rector will make an address. All invited.

Wednesday 7:45 p. m. Evening prayer and address.

The Confirmation classes will meet at the appointed times and places this week.

St. Augustine's Chapel, for colored churchmen, is located at 115 Liberty street, Elizabeth, not far from the South Elizabeth station. Services are as follows: 8 a. m. holy communion except the second Sunday, Sunday school at 3 p. m., evening service, every Sunday at 8 p. m.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH
Rev. J. W. Ryder, Pastor

10 a. m. Sunday school and pastor's Bible class.

11 a. m. Holy communion and reception of new members.

7 p. m. Epworth League.

7:45 p. m. Sermon by the pastor, "The Life Necessary to the Kingdom of God."

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting.

Friday, 3:30 Junior Epworth League.

Fair Supposition. The Lady—And is your father working his little man? The Little Man—I spoke so mum. The Judge said "and labor."—London Telegraph.

Encouraging. Tragedian—My parents tried hard to keep me from becoming an actor. Comedian—I congratulate them on their success.

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Pure cane sugar, fine selected and pure flavors made into little thin sticks; the best candy for the children. 19c

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Spanish peanuts roasted in sugar until they are a nice brown, mixed with Jersey creamy butter making a fine and brittle candy. 17c

BEGINNING SEPT. 1st, ICE CREAM WILL BE 40 CENTS PER QUART; 45 CENTS PER QUART DELIVERED.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

George W. Wright Entertains in Honor of Anniversary.

In celebration of his birthday anniversary George W. Wright, of 309 West Grand street, pleasantly entertained the members of the Uptown Pinocle Club and their wives and families on Wednesday evening. An excellent supper was served by Mrs. Wright, followed by music and various social diversions that made the time pass pleasantly. The members of the club, of course, had to indulge in their favorite pastime and played three games, all of which were won by Thomas J. O'Connor and Mr. Wright, their opponents being Otto E. Hamill and Floyd R. Borden. The results of the three games makes the standing in the season's tourney thus far as follows: Hamill, won 74 and lost 53; O'Connor, won 73 and lost 61; Wright, won 65 and lost 69; Borden, won 54 and lost 80.

Among those present were: Mrs. Margaret Bayron, James H. Barron, Donald Barron, Mrs. Anna Borden, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd R. Borden, Harold and Mill Borden, Mr. and Mrs. Otto E. Hamill, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. O'Connor and Thomas J. O'Connor, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wright. At the close of the delightful evening it was the unanimous verdict that Mr. and Mrs. Wright are excellent entertainers.

RUMMAGE SALE

At an Executive Board meeting of the Rahway Women's Political Union held Feb. 1 at the home of Miss Mae H. Macann, of 34 Irving street, it was decided to hold a rummage sale the first week in May. All members and friends are requested to save any articles which they may have available for this purpose.

STOUTENBURGH'S REORGANIZES

The 63-year-old clothing house of Stoutenburgh's in Newark is beginning a new lease of life under the present management with a sale of the entire stocks throughout the state, necessitated by the withdrawal of the interests of the late F. L. Stoutenburgh, which were in the hands of the Fidelity Trust Company. Everything

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Evaporated Apples, pkg 14c	Prime Rib Roast, lb 22c	Cooper's Gelatine, pkg 8c
Del Monte Cal. Plums, can 19c	Smoked Cal. Hams, lb 18c	Pure Rendered Honey, bottle 9c
Gold Dust Brand Asparagus, can 12c	Our Own Make Sausage, lb 22c	Philipp's Lime 3 cans 25c
Bromangelon any flavor, pkg. 8c	Rib Roast, Blade End, lb 20c	Amazon, double tip Matches, box 4c
Beldin Butterine, Prints, lb. 28c	Rollad Pot Roast, no base, lb 18c	Leibig's Pure Malt Extract, bot 23c
Mule Team Borax, 1-lb pkg 10c	Plate Beef, Fresh or Corned, lb 11c	Mixed Nuts pound 20c
Beardsley's Shredded Codfish, pkg 9c	Chopped Steak, lb 18c	Our Own Potash, 3 cans 25c
Jerome Cocoa one-half pound can 18c	Trenton Scrapple, lb 10c	Head Rice pound 6c
California Figs, box 10c	Beef Liver pound 11c	Santa Flush, can 22c

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STAMP SPECIALS		STAMP SPECIALS	
75 Stamps with can Central Baking Powder 45c	10 with each bottle Puritan Vanilla 15c	30 with each lb Progress Coffee 35c	10 with 3 lbs Best Carolina Rice, 25c
20 with each lb Red Bag Coffee 30c	10 with bot. Puritan Lemon Ext. 15c	15 with each lb Golden Santos Coffee 25c	10 with bot Household Ammonia 10c
10 with 1-2 lb can Red Star Baking Powder 10c	10 with bot Worcestershire Sauce 10c		

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