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Lake Hopatcong Season Opens.

Beautiful Lake Hopatcong with all its attractions and beauty spots is open for the season and the numerous hotels and boarding houses are rapidly filling for the summer.

A popular resort for Westfielders and one situated on the most beautiful spot on the lake, is the Ithaca House, on the River Styx. Over Decoration Day sixty-four people were comfortably taken care at the "Ithaca" and they, with out exception, pronounced their visit one of the most pleasant enjoyed in years past. Boating, bathing, fishing and launch trips about the lake were indulged in and sociability ran high. Among the number of pleasure seekers at the "Ithaca" were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wesels, and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Love, former residents of Westfield.

A Birthday Social.

There will be a birthday social in Temperance Hall, Tuesday, June 9th, at 3 p. m. A program of an interesting form has been arranged, both musical and literary. Miss Fannie Heinline has kindly consented to give some selections on her mandolin, also Mrs. Samuel Burhans will give some of her most interesting recitations.

Refreshments will be served, and a birthday collection will be taken, each member to give her birthday. All members of Temperance are cordially invited and members are requested to be present.

The selected leaf of India and Ceylon, properly handled, makes Tetley's Tea refreshing and invigorating. Don't be extravagant in tea. Tetley's costs more per pound, but less per cup than cheap tea. Ask your Grocer.

James M. French Had The Dogs.

Saturday afternoon two very valuable bull pups belonging to Robert A. Fairbairn escaped from a yard in which they were kept and disappeared. Officer Young was notified and started on a still hunt resulting in finding the pups in James M. French's barn in the rear of his property on Clark street. Officer Young returned the dogs to Mr. Fairbairn on Wednesday.

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We extend you a hearty welcome to these services. If not identified with any other congregation we should be pleased to see you among our regular attendants and cordially invite you to make this church your home.

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ATTEND THE PUBLIC MEETING ON THE NEW EXCISE ORDINANCE.

Hotel Men and Citizens Requested to be Present To-morrow Night in the Council Rooms to Discuss New Excise Bill.

The town council extends an invitation to the hotel men of Westfield and to the citizens at large to meet with them to-morrow night, Saturday June 6th, and hear the proposed new excise ordinance read. The matter will be open for discussion and it is hoped that a representative gathering will be present.

It is understood that the town council does not wish to pass an ordinance that will appear unduly hard on the hotel keepers of Westfield and they want an open discussion on the subject from the citizens and the several gentlemen who conduct hotels within the town limits. The meeting will be called to order at eight o'clock.

THE LOCAL COAL SITUATION.

Westfield Dealers Will Fill All Orders For Immediate Delivery at Usual Price.

The coal miners are again talking strike and it may be that there will be another hard winter.

A Standard man called up the J. S. Irving Co. and Tuttle Bros., this morning to learn the local condition of affairs. Both firms informed the Standard man that they would fill all orders for coal for immediate delivery at \$8.00 per ton, but could not take orders for future deliveries except subject to conditions as might exist at the time of filling the orders. Several large orders have been filled during this week.

Hoscock, the Animal King, at Sea Beach Palace, Coney Island.

Coney Island, long the Mecca, almost exclusively, of the summer fakir, shows surprising transformation this year, thanks to the civic spirit of some of its best citizens and the vigilance of a reform administration.

The famous ocean resort is now a giant playground to which one may go with the certainty of the preservation of self-respect and an endless variety of diversion, amusing generally, instructive occasionally, and innocent for the most part.

Foremost among the Island's legitimate amusements this year and emphasizing to a marked degree the wholesome character of the resort's regeneration is the presence there, now at Sea Beach Palace, of Frank C. Hoscock, the animal king, with his amazing congress of familiar and strange beasts and zoological interest, whose performances created such a furor of favor all last fall at the St. Nicholas Rink, in the heart of Manhattan itself.

Admission to the great congress is but twenty-five cents for adults and but 10c for children.

Honesdale Art Glassware and Cut Glass Specialties are two suggestions among many for Wedding Gifts, to be found at the Dorflinger Glass Stores, 3 and 5 West 19th Street, near Fifth Avenue, and 36 Murray Street, New York.

Notice.

Commencing Saturday June 6th, and continuing Saturdays until further notice, the local plumbing shops will close at one o'clock.

MRS. SMITH PERISHED IN THE WOODS.

Body Found in South Plainfield Identified as Mrs. Alice Smith, of Westfield.

Last January Mrs. Alice Smith, of Central avenue, while demented, disappeared and no trace of her had been found until Tuesday when a body of a woman was discovered in the woods at South Plainfield. A description of the dead body was sent about the country, resulting in the identification of the deceased as Mrs. Alice Smith.

Mrs. Smith had on former occasions been placed in an asylum but upon improvement would be released. It is thought the unfortunate woman wandered away from home while in a demented state and perished in the dense woods where her body was discovered.

Base Ball To-morrow, 4 P. M., Recreation Park. Admission 25c & 50c.

MARRIED AMONG FRIENDS AND FLOWERS

A BEAUTIFUL HOME WEDDING.

Leater Wright, Neefus, of Elizabeth, Weds Ruth Pearsall, of This Place—Will Settle in Westfield on their Return From Nova Scotia.

Ruth Pearsall, the only daughter of Alfred E. Pearsall, was married Wednesday evening to Leater Wright Neefus, of Elizabeth, in her father's home, 130 Central avenue, by Dr. Chas. M. Anderson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church of this place, of which the bride is a member, Mr. Neefus being a member of the First Presbyterian Church, of Elizabeth. The young husband it may be said in passing, has concluded to let Armenianism and Calvinism fight it out between themselves while he will escort his wife to the church he found her in; for all that she had said:—

"Thy people shall be my people, And thy God; my God."

The reply was:—"It is a poor rule that will not work both ways."

And so it is, come to think of it!

Well, promptly at the time set for the marriage, pretty Miss Helen Grace Norton, attired in white point de esprit over pink silk, of Hightstown, measured the pace for the bridal party with the wedding march from "Lohengrin." Dr. Anderson took his position for the ceremony under a canopy of foliage and flowers, and he needed no time for waiting. The best man was Dr. Harry W. Ryman, of Summit, who came arm in arm with his friend, the man to be married. Following them was the maid of honor, the sister of the groom, Miss Edna D. Neefus, looking far more lovely than the beautiful June flowers which surrounded her on every hand. She was attired in pink mousseline de soie, and carried a cluster of pink roses.

The bride-elect, dressed in white embroidered French voile, wearing a wreath of orange blossoms and carrying a sheaf of white roses, looked the sweet character that the name of Ruth recalls wherever heard. "Ruth," her mother had named her; and Ruth she has been by nature ever since. Long ago all had learned to love her for her gentle, gracious, generous ways. None understood her so well as a dark-eyed little lady of aristocratic birth and noble standing apart, as if seeking obscurity who should have stood in the bold light. For she it was who had taken a motherless Ruth into her great, true heart, keeping her there and loving her there from helpless babyhood into beautiful womanhood.

But all that is a book by itself, with hinges of pearl and a clasp of the finest gold.

Leaving on her father's arm, as she had started to say, the bride-to-be entered the blossom-bedecked parlor and faced the minister of the Gospel, the man of her choice having taken his place at her side, with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. David Neefus, Jr., at their right, while the Maid of Honor stood at their left with the bride's father.

Then the ring, and the most sacred covenant that can be made this side of Heaven; and a Pastor's prayer as heartfelt and as eloquent as ever heard in behalf of the old fashioned idea of home and of family love, and of all that is substantial as against all that is superficial in social life.

Congratulations and gifts poured in upon the young couple from every quarter, although the wedding itself was entirely a family matter in keeping with the wishes of the contracting parties.

While refreshments were being served by Russ and "the folks were getting better acquainted" the young couple made preparations for their departure on a wedding trip that will take them to Nova Scotia. Upon their return they will reside in Westfield.

The bride's family was represented by Alfred E. Pearsall, and Miss Annie E. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Pearsall, Mr. Ralph C. Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fitch, the Misses Beattie and Lucy Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar R. Pearsall, the Misses Ethel, Harriet and Katherine Pearsall, and Mr. Lewis Pearsall, all of Westfield; Mrs. Lawrence Embree and Miss Lois Embree, of Bensenville, Va.; Master Donald and little Miss Dorothy Pearsall, and Miss Francis Crosby, of Westfield; Miss Mandi Angell of Scarsdale; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sweeney and Mr. David Perry of Brooklyn and Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Anderson.

The bridegroom's family was represented by Mr. David Neefus, of Bloomfield, N. J.; Mr. David Neefus, Jr., and wife; Mr. Raymond C. Neefus, Mr. Wilbur L. Neefus, of Elizabeth, N. J.; Mr. James Neefus and wife of Bloomfield, N. J.; Mr. Herbert Stokes and wife, Miss Della Stokes, Mr. George Neefus and wife, Mrs. Richard R. Pickering, Mr. Herbert R. Pickering, Miss Helen M. Pickering, Miss Elizabeth Hendrickson, of Brooklyn; Dr. Harry W. Ryman and wife of Summit, N. J., and Roy Edwards.



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That great results may be attained in plant breeding may be easily seen by comparing some of our house plants and cultivated flowers with the wild flowers from which they were developed. The same laws hold good in the breeding of corn that are recognized by the live stock breeder, of which the two most important are—"Like produces like under like conditions," and "Improvement is made by selection and culture."

In selecting the ear of corn the cob should be comparatively small, the stem small and the ear should taper as little as possible and still retain its cylindrical form. That is, the smaller

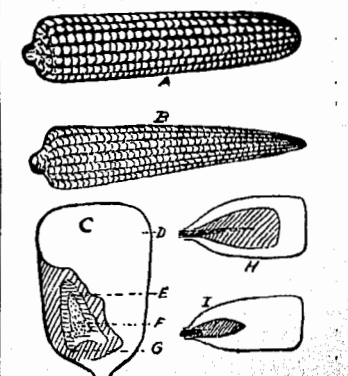


CHART FOR CORN BREEDERS.

(A, good ear; B, faulty ear; C, section of kernel; D, endosperm; E, plumule; F, embryo; G, radicle; H, kernel rich in protein; I, kernel deficient in protein.)

end should not be large enough to be flat. It should be well filled out with kernels both in base and point of cob, see Figs. A and B. The grains should be long and thick, spreading out well at the outer end, so that there will not be deep fissures between the rows. A thick grain contains more nutritive material in proportion to the hull than a thin grain does.

Corn is every farmer's bread, has a very wide nutritive range. This may be narrowed considerably by selecting grains with large germs, Fig. H and I. The protein lies in the germ. By germ I mean the part a mouse gnaws out of the grain. The endosperm, Fig. C, is principally starch.

Corn for seed should always be selected from the most fertile portions of the field, for there the plant has formed the habit of appropriating more plant food than has that grown on thin land. This may be demonstrated by planting seed from a rich river bottom by the side of the same kind of seed grown for a few years on a thin clay farm—E. C. Murphy, in Ohio Farmer.

Curious Time Recorder.

A naturalist while visiting Great Sangre, one of those islands of the Indian ocean, known as the Celebes, or Spice Islands, found a curious time recorder lodged at the house of a rajah. Two bottles were firmly lashed together and fixed in a wooden frame. A quantity of black sand ran from one bottle into the other in just half an hour, and when the upper bottle was empty the frame was reversed. Twelve short sticks, marked with notches from one to twelve, were hung upon a string. A hook was placed between the sticks bearing the number of notches corresponding to the hour last struck and the one to be struck next. The sentry announced the time by striking the hour on a large gong—London Mail.

Divorce in Russia.

Divorce is difficult in Russia, both by reason of the laws and the cost of actions, but the annulment of marriage for informality is simple and easy. In some parts of the empire the marriage service is enacted with this contingency in view. The certificates may be left undated, or the ages of the contracting parties omitted. In some parts of Little Russia a relative, during the ceremony, gives the bride a slap, to prove in case of need that she has married under compulsion. Women who succeed in obtaining a separation from their husbands on the ground of informality are received into society, are allowed to marry again, and may even be separated again without loss of position.—N. Y. Tribune.

Made to Order. Husbands are not made to order, but the majority of wives seem to think they are.—Chicago Daily News.

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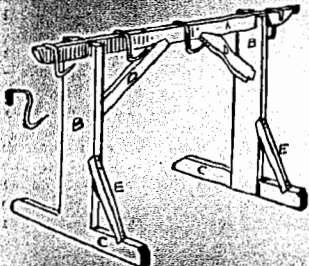


STRONG HOG SCAFFOLD.

Its Designer Considers It as Good and Handy a Thing as Has Ever Been Devised.

In my visits to many farm houses in this country I noted many home-made scaffolds on which to hang hogs after they are killed and scalded, but the one shown in accompanying figure, and which I have myself considered as handy and practical as any. It can be moved anywhere, even in the smoke-house, and if made out of good seasoned timber and painted it will last a lifetime. It will hold five hogs weighing 300 pounds each.

One can buy five large hooks, or have a blacksmith make them, at a very small cost; these are to hook over the beam, A, on which to hang the hogs. The top piece, A, is a chestnut scant-



STRONG AND EASILY MADE.

ling, 2x4 inches and 6 feet 10 inches long; this piece has two mortises, three inches from center, as shown in the cut. The two upright pieces, B, are hardwood scantlings, 2x4 inches and five feet eight inches long. These have a mortise at top two inches wide and four inches deep; also a mortise at bottom one inch deep and four inches long. These pieces also have a mortise 1 1/2 x 1 1/2 inches, two feet five inches from center to the upper end, for the joint of brace, D, to go into. These pieces also have a mortise two feet from lower end for brace, E, to go into. The stiles, C, are 2x4 inches and two feet four inches long. They have a mortise in center four inches wide and one inch deep; also a mortise nine inches from center for brace, B, to go into. D is a brace 1 1/2 x 1 1/2 inches and three feet four inches long, including iron which is 1 1/2 x 1 1/2 inches square and four inches long. E is a brace 2x3 inches and one foot 11 inches long.

All that is required to put this scaffold together are two one-fourth-inch bolts five inches long; to bolt the beam, A, to the upright pieces, B, and 16 six-penny nails and two bolts three inches long to hold D to C at bottom. I have found it very handy, on a bad day, for one can set it in some building to hang the hogs on; it is also handy to hang sheep on to butcher.—Charles E. Cummins, in Ohio Farmer.

HINTS FOR FEEDERS.

In Some Cases Grinding Feed for Stock Pays, in Others It is a Waste of Labor.

Prof. Henry, of the University of Wisconsin, gives the following advice regarding ground feed for stock: "This subject is a difficult one to discuss owing to the great variety of conditions existing as to both grain and animals. Directions are here given which may serve to guide the feeder in his practice. For horses which are out of the stable during the day and worked hard, all grain, with the possible exception of oats, should be ground. For those at extremely hard work, all grain should be ground and mixed with chaffed hay. For idle horses, oats or corn should not be ground, nor need the hay or straw be chaffed. A cow yielding a large flow of milk should be regarded as a hard working animal and her feed prepared accordingly. Fattening steers and pigs may be crowded more rapidly with meal than with whole grain, though there is more danger attendant upon its use. Sheep worth feeding can always grind their own grain. In general, idle animals and those having ample time for mastication, rumination and digestion do not need their grain or roughage prepared as carefully as do those with only limited time for these essential operations. Experiments quite generally show increased gains from grinding grain, but in many cases they are not sufficient to pay the cost of grinding."

New Packing House Product.

A new packing house product has been placed on the market at a wholesale price said to be \$7,000 the pound. This medicinal substance is derived from a small gland in meat-making materials, located in the region of the kidneys. It is possessed of most wonderful astringent properties and in very minute quantities diluted with water is used in operations on the eye, nose, throat and ear. So powerful is this substance that one part dissolved in 100,000 parts of water may be quickly and readily defecated by a simple act. The solution being applied to the delicate structures of the part named entirely prevents bleeding. The active principle of this new drug is called suprarenaline.—Breeder's Gazette.

Overfeeding will likely produce diarrhoea, especially in warm weather. A few drops of camphorated spirits of opium in every pint of drinking water will usually effect a cure.

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KLAW & ERLANGER'S ENTERPRISES.

Klaw & Erlanger have completed their plans for next season and have made final arrangements for the opening of the various attractions that will be presented under their management.

Mr. N. C. Goodwin will begin his season as "Bottom" in an elaborate production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream," at the Knickerbocker Theatre in New York, October 12th.

The London "Drury Lane" production of "Ben Hur," will open the reconstructed New York Theatre early in September.

The Rogers Brothers, in John J. McNally's latest vaudeville farce, "The Rogers Brothers in London," will open the New Amsterdam Theatre September 1st.

Mr. Forbes Robertson and Miss Gertrude Elliott, in "The Light That Failed," adapted by George Fleming from Rudyard Kipling's novel, will begin their American tour in Buffalo, September 21st, coming to the Knickerbocker Theatre in November.

"Mother Goose," the Drury Lane spectacle of last Christmas, will follow the Rogers Brothers at the New Amsterdam Theatre in December.

"The Sleeping Beauty and the Beast," the Drury Lane extravaganza which has already enjoyed two extraordinarily successful seasons in this country, will open its third tour August 10th, at Manhattan Beach and after this engagement it has not yet been presented.

Jerome Sykes in "The Billionaire," the most successful musical attraction ever presented at Daly's Theatre in New York, will open his second season in this piece in New York September 21st, and will then tour the larger cities throughout the country.

Ototo Watanabe's popular novel, "A Japanese Nightingale," which has been dramatized by William Young, will be presented as a dramatic spectacle at Daly's Theatre in November.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

A treat is in store for all who visit Keith's during the coming week for a bill has been arranged for their entertainment such as Mr. B. F. Keith alone can put together, and one that can be called without fear of contradiction Keith's Best.

As a capstone to a monument of fun will be found McIntyre & Heath. An other act that will drive away all cares is the "Heart to Heart Talks" as done by Charles Dickson & Co.

"Musical Dale," Carl W. Sanderson, Larkins & Patterson, Ferguson & Watson, comedians; Gorman & West, Lawson & Nannon, Althea Twiss, Jordan & Welch, together with many other well-known artists, will complete a bill such as one naturally expects at Keith's.

PROCTOR'S THEATRE.

Now that the hot season is upon us, Mr. Proctor has taken the opportunity to make a plunge in the theatrical world. For the summer season only the best and most modern plays have been selected for presentation, and these will be done throughout the season at all the Proctor stock houses. Next week at Proctor's Fifth Avenue a brilliant production will be made of David D. Lloyd and Sydney Rosenfeld's splendid comedy, "The Politician." This was the play that formed so prominent a part of the late Roland Reed's extensive repertoire.

Proctor's Twenty-third Street house will have a big bunch of novelties to offer in the continuous vaudeville field.

Up in Harlem at Mr. Proctor's 125th Street house a brilliant revival will be made of Henry Gay Carlton's comedy drama, "Victor Durand." This play was given its first production at Wallick's Theatre some years ago, and is brimful of intense human interest.

"The Rajah," a charming tale of love and romance, deftly interwoven with just enough of a melodramatic flavor to give the zest that East Side audiences like, will be presented at Proctor's Fifty-Eighth Street Theatre week or June 8.

At Proctor's Newark a splendid show has been scheduled. The headliner will be Edward Lang and Company in the comic opera travesty, "Princess Florah." Loney Haskell, J. K. Hutchinson and Rollida Bainbridge, Hohnannon and Corey, the Three Westons, and fifteen other star specialists will fill the bill.

Big Bank Note Blame.

The Bank of Austria-Hungary lately burned a vast accumulation of bank notes withdrawn from circulation, amounting in all to the face value of nearly \$70,000,000. This is said to be the largest amount ever represented on such an occasion.—N. Y. Sun.

How Nice of Him.

Blossom—Well, I have found that Mr. Geldaky returns your love in full. Flo—Oh, isn't that delightful. Then I'll have the fun of giving it to somebody else. I was really afraid the selfish thing was going to keep it.—Baltimore American.

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The New Jersey Central will run an excursion up the Hudson to West Point June 6th, on the Steamer St. Johns. The scenery throughout the trip is grand and an outing at this time of the year will be delightful as well as beneficial.

After leaving the commercial section of the river you see Grant's Tomb, Riverside Drive and the Palisades, while further along there is Anthony's Nose, the Crow's Nest and West Point.

The visit to the grounds and buildings of the Military Academy at West Point is both interesting and instructive as this is the place our Generals are trained and whom the safety of our beloved country often depends. This will be a first-class family excursion, no intoxicating liquors being offered for sale on the Steamer.

There will be music on the steamer and the restaurant will be in charge of a first-class caterer. The train leaves Westfield station at 8 12 a. m. Round trip tickets \$1.00. Don't forget this trip.

The Strong Chinese Premier.

Wan-Wen-Tsao, recently appointed minister of foreign affairs of China, and virtual premier of the empire, is one of the most progressive of modern Celestials. He is said to be an enthusiastic advocate of Occidental diplomacy and of introducing the latest inventions in the domain of science. It was Wan-Wen-Tsao who was mainly instrumental in effecting the early closing of the late war, and who has, until now, more than any other Chinese diplomat, been active in the suppression of the anti-foreign revolts. He is regarded as the most powerful man in China, even more powerful than was the late Li Hung Chang. He occupied a place in the cabinet during the long tour abroad of Li Hung Chang, and has been intrusted since with many high posts.—Kansas City Journal.

Unity for Sure.

In a mining town in the mountains of Virginia lived two little chaps aged eight and nine years. Neighbors and good friends who passed most of their leisure time together in boyish sports, but like all healthy boys, they sometimes "scrapped."

On one of these occasions the younger one, who was built on the lines of the proverbial man who could not stop a pig in an alley, was being twitted by his companion on his bowlegs.

He stood it manfully for awhile, but finally losing patience, he blurted out: "Well, I may be bowlegged, but when the Lord made you, He made you as ugly as He could, and then hit you in the face."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Daughters of Wealth.

Among the 20 girls who took part in an amateur comic opera performance in Philadelphia one evening recently were 15 whose fathers are millionaires. It is said that the girls in question represented some \$40,000,000. The affair was the biggest event among the Hebrews of Philadelphia for 20 years. A train load of wealthy New Yorkers went over specially to take part in or witness the performance, which was given under the auspices of the Mercantile club.—N. Y. Sun.

Our Remaining Forests.

An official estimate made of the forest area of the United States puts it at 700,000,000 acres. Had the forests been intelligently managed the amount of merchantable timber in them would be ten times as great. The science of forestry is now taught in more than 40 schools. Yale and Cornell universities and the special college at Biltmore, N. C., have advanced classes and give degrees in forestry.—Detroit Free Press.

Evidently Found It.

"Know Col. Trotter! Well, I should hope so! He used to be an old flame of mine," said Mrs. Norris. "Humph! Why didn't you marry him, then?" snorted her husband. Mrs. Norris smiled one of her sweetest womanly smiles. "Because I was looking for something easier," she observed, simply.—Stray Stories.

A Better Opportunity.

"Shall we go sailing or rowing?" he asked. "Well," she replied coyly, "a rowboat doesn't require as close attention as a sailboat, does it?" So they didn't even go rowing. They just got in the boat and let it drift.—Chicago Post.

Disappointed.

Mistress—Did you tell those ladies at the door that I was out, as I told you? New Servant—Yes, mum. "Did they seem disappointed?" "Yes, mum. Wan av thim sed: 'How forchunt!'"—Chicago Daily News.

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Per dozen.....	2.52	2.88	3.60

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Sizes.....	1	2	3	4
Per pair.....	.15	.18	.21	.24
Per dozen.....	1.68	2.04	2.40	2.76

Sizes.....	5	6	8	10
Per pair.....	.29	.34	.44	.54
Per dozen.....	3.36	3.96	5.76	6.36

Kleinert's Stockinet Dress Shields—

Sizes.....	2	3	4
Per pair.....	.17	.20	.23
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Per dozen.....	1.00	1.00	1.00

Kleinert's Crescent Full Dress Shields—

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Per pair.....	.12	.14	.16
Per dozen.....	1.32	1.36	1.80

Omo Nainsook Covered Dress Shields—

Sizes.....	1	2	3	4
Per pair.....	.15	.18	.21	.25
Per dozen.....	1.70	2.05	2.40	2.85

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Per pair.....	.29	.35	.42
Per dozen.....	3.30	4.00	5.75

Astoria Dress Shields, very light weight—

Sizes.....	1	2	3	4
Per pair.....	.14	.16	.18	.23
Per dozen.....	1.60	1.80	2.05	2.58

Sizes.....	5	6	7
Per pair.....	.25	.29	.33
Per dozen.....	2.85	3.30	3.75

Amolin Dress Shields, Summer Weight—

Sizes.....	1	2	3	4
Per pair.....	.20	.23	.25	.29
Per dozen.....	2.25	2.65	2.80	3.25

Sizes.....	5	6	8	10
Per pair.....	.33	.38	.60	.80
Per dozen.....	3.75	4.25	6.75	8.75

Charm Pure White Light Weight Dress Shields—

Sizes.....	1	2	3	4
Per pair.....	.11	.13	.15	.17
Per dozen.....	1.25	1.45	1.70	1.90

Sizes.....	5	6
Per pair.....	.21	.25
Per dozen.....	2.40	2.85

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Lot 5—Value 75c, at 39c per yd.

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Nature's Dreammaking.

Conkley—Did you ever notice that the average poet in describing a winter landscape always speaks of its "mantle of snow?"

Jonkley—Naturally. The mantle of snow is the land's cape.—Stray Stories.

Pa's Idea of It.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a chatterbox?

Pa—A chatter box, my son, is a witness box with a woman in it.—Chicago Daily News.

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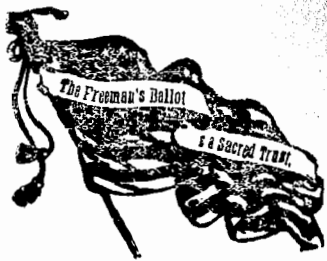
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Throwing a college education at a youth who does not appreciate it is like putting a mansard roof on a mud cabin.

Pluck and endurance, when they are taken into partnership with ability make an invincible combination, anywhere.

Councilman Pierson stepped into the Standard office on Wednesday and congratulated us on the tidy appearance of the surrounding walks.

With all the telephone, telegraph and electric light wires in Westfield placed underground what a decided improvement and park-like appearance the beautiful town would have! Other cities and towns enjoy these improvements, why not Westfield?

The bank account of the American heiress is too often the only latch key that opens the door to a noble God-forgive-us wifehood in some threadbare palace away from her own country—so much cash down for a title with Marriage (?) thrown in!

The astronomers keep telling us that the burnt-out old moon which is getting closer to the earth all the time will bang into us some of these days without notice—and then it will be All over! Our Only Delinquent might wish to step in and settle up before the occurrence.

Recently at an Elizabeth grade crossing, a horse and carriage were struck by a train and three occupants dangerously hurt, one probably fatally injured. Just such accidents are possible every day at each of the two Westfield grade crossings. It is gratifying to know that Westfield's Town Council has taken the matter up and will confer with General Manager W. G. Besler of the Jersey Central with a view to having the grade crossings abolished.

Don't be a pessimist. The world improves. It was only a few hundred years ago that in the name of Christ the different religions were after each other as a regular thing with torch and spear. The Spanish Inquisition was roasting and racking and burning holy living into people who didn't think right according to the then prevailing idea.

True, the recent horrible news from Russia makes us think of the times of Martin Luther, the burning of Sorbonne, the St. Bartholomew slaughter and all that gasty sort of thing. But Russia fools ashamed of herself and promises not to let it happen again.

Be the optimist in everything. The age has no use for the pessimist.

The O. C. H. May Festival.

On account of the threatening weather on Decoration Day, those in charge of the festival for the benefit of the Children's Country Home deemed it advisable to go to the Westfield Club Hall. Notwithstanding the change the festival was well attended. The Punch and Judy Show and grab bag were great attractions for the little folks. Altogether the affair was successful, and a good sum was realized for the expenses of the Home.

Presence of Naval Gun. A naval gun when fired sustains a pressure of 14 to 17 tons to the square inch. It has previously stood a charge giving a force of 20 tons to the square inch at this proving grounds.—Chicago Chronicle.

Matrimonial Deduction. Judge—How Swiggins and his wife must hate each other.

Fudge—Yes; they would not appear so loving in public if they didn't have some reason to throw their friends off the track.—Baltimore Herald.

THE WEIDNER—
BANNISTER WEDDING.FIRST WEDDING IN BRANCH MILLS
CHAPEL.Bridal Couple Off for Niagara—Impres-
sive Services—Who Were There.

The wedding of Miss Edith Annette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bannister of Branch Mills, to George Weidner of Brooklyn, took place at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Branch Mills chapel, which was prettily decorated with palms and ferns by Doris Doerfer. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William Oscar Jarvis, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

The bride was given away by her father. She wore a beautiful gown of white silk with lace trimming and a veil of white silk tulle. She carried a white prayer book, a gift of the groom. Miss Louise Bannister, a niece of the bride, was maid of honor. Her gown was of pink liberty silk with lace trimming and she carried a bouquet of sweet peas.

The bridesmaids were Miss Marietta Jones Parkhurst of Westfield and Miss Esther Barclay Davies of East Orange. They wore white organdie, and carried white flowers.

The wedding march was played by Mrs. Angus Knowles. The groom was attended by the bride's brother, Charles D. Bannister. Lee Derby of Cranford, and William A. Parkhurst of Westfield were ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The house was abundantly decorated with roses and peonies.

Supper was served by Caterer Schmitt. At seven o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Weidner left for Niagara where they will spend their honeymoon. Upon their return they will reside in Brooklyn.

The bride's travelling dress was of navy blue broad cloth trimmed with black peau-de-soie. She wore a hat of blue and white straw with white algrette. The gifts to the bride were numerous and beautiful.

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Weidner, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Weidner, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weidner, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weidner, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Westerman, and the Misses Westerman, of Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davies and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. William James of East Orange; Mr. and Mrs. A. Parkhurst and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hawthorne, Mrs. Angus Knowles of Roosevelt Manor; Miss Mabel Parkhurst, Mrs. J. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Baldwin of Summit; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merrill of Bernardsville.

THE ORATORICAL CONTEST.

Washington School Auditorium Crowded
to the Doors—Who the Prize
Winners Were.

The auditorium of the Washington High School was crowded to the doors last evening by Westfield citizens and friends to witness the oratorical contest. The music under the direction of Miss Banghart was a pleasant feature, and the primary and grammar school choruses and high and grammar school glee clubs, showed the careful and efficient training which has been given them during the past year. The platform was occupied by Prof. Savitz, Martin Welles, president of the board of education, and the three judges, W. G. Peckham, of Westfield; H. E. Knight of Fanwood, and Geo. G. Teller, of Cranford. Prof. Savitz made a few remarks, during which he commended the enterprise of the giver of the prizes, which, he said, was a stimulation to work, thereby showing good memory, excellent delivery, earnestness and enthusiasm. The contestants acquitted themselves so creditably that it was a difficult task to decide. Mr. Knight said in awarding the prizes "that there should have been six, one for each contestant, as they were all excellent." But after strict attention and careful consideration, Lynne Brenneholtz was awarded first honor, with Miss Beesie Hanford, second.

The program:
Song—Evening, by Grammar School.
Daniel Webster, by High School.
Five Songs, by Primary Pupils.
The Children's Crusades, by Clara Brennan.
Education and the Negro, by Lynn Brenneholtz.
Chorus, "The Butterfly's Ball" by High School.
The Book of Nature, by Beesie H. Hanford.
Trilo, A Twinkle Picture, by High School.
Three Part Song, How They So Sweetly Sleep, by Grammar School.
Lincoln, the Man of the Hour, Chas. Poyell.
Chorus, "The Woodman" by High School.
Award of Prizes, by Mr. Harry E. Knight.
Chorus, "Annie Lull" by High School Glee Clubs.

Defective Sight.
The normal human eye can read letters seven-eighths of an inch high at a distance of 20 feet. Inability to do this shows defective sight, which should be corrected with glasses.—Knowledge.

As Bad as That.

Higgely—Poor chap! He's walking on his uppers.

Piggely—Dear, dear! Can't even call his sole his own!—Harvard Lampoon.

Huge Armor Plate.

The largest armor plate ever rolled was made by the firm of Krupp, at Dusseldorf, last year. It weighed 106 tons.—Albany Argus.

MAY ABOLISH
GRADE CROSSINGS.COMMITTEE TO CONSULT WITH
JERSEY CENTRAL.Freeholders Committee and Board of
Trade to Work With Town Council in
Trying to Secure for Westfield a
Big Improvement.

The Westfield Town Council is really going to make an effort to secure for Westfield the abolishment of grade crossings within the town and securing a bridge over the railroad at Osborn avenue. The old town committee never dared to tackle so large a proposition and it remained for the new town council to start the ball rolling.

At Monday night's council meeting a letter was read from W. G. Peckham in which it was stated that the Jersey Central management was ready to go over the matter with Westfield they having all data on hand. Councilman Loebe moved that a committee of three be appointed to confer with the railroad officials and also to extend an invitation to a like committee from the board of trade. Westfield's two freeholders, Chas. A. Smith and Geo. H. Embree, were also requested to have a committee appointed from the Board of Freeholders to co operate with the town council committee and the committee from the board of trade.

Such an improvement as contemplated for Westfield would be a source of great benefit and do away with the two death dealing grade crossings.

The council appointed Samuel D. Winter overseer of the roads at a salary to be fixed later by ordinance.

Many complaints were received from property owners and residents regarding the poor and unsafe conditions of side walks about town. The sidewalk question will be taken up at the next meeting.

Overseer of the poor F. C. Decker, asked for a warrant for \$50 for June poor account. The warrant was ordered drawn.

A draft of a proposed ordinance from the police commission was read and will come up for first reading at the next meeting of the council.

A complaint was read regarding the practice of W. M. Harrison of 39 Harrison avenue, to have sink waste water run in the gutter. Harrison will be instructed to connect his house with the sewer.

Councilman Pierson submitted a sample of a very attractive and substantial street sign. The council asked the committee on roads to find out how many street signs were needed, obtain an estimate of cost of same and report at the next meeting.

Bids are to be asked for a new barn and well on the sewer farm, the cost of same not to exceed \$975.

After passing many bills the council adjourned to meet again Monday night next.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES WERE
IMPRESSIONS.

The Memorial Day exercises at Fairview were under the direction of G. A. R. men, assisted by the scholars of the Public schools. The children assembled at Washington Park at ten o'clock, and were conveyed to the cemetery by stage. Comrade Samuel W. Reese was master of ceremonies, read the ritual and introduced Col. E. L. Cole, who made an eloquent address. A beautiful wreath was placed at the base of the Soldiers' Monument, and the handsome flag presented by Councilman George B. Dickerson, was run up on the newly erected pole, which is mounted by a large gilt eagle, and proudly floated over the graves of those who had given their lives in its defense. Several songs were sung by the scholars, under the direction of Miss Banghart. Harold Welch, and Harold Ketcham accompanied with violin and corset. After the benediction pronounced by Dr. C. M. Anderson, the graves were decorated with flowers and flags by the veterans and scholars.

Additional subscription to the Memorial Day Fund:
James O. Olark, \$1.00
Cash, \$1.00
Dr. Egel, \$1.00

Case Against Julius Runglack Dismissed.
The board of health of Mountainside are hot after the sculp of Julius Runglack of the borough. It appears that Runglack deals in carcasses of various kinds and certain residents of the borough complain of foul odors arising from the decayed matter said to be kept on Runglack's place.

A few weeks ago the board of health took the matter up and secured a conviction against Runglack. He is said to have since maintained the nuisance and the health board again brought him to court, this time the trial taking place in Recorder Toney's court Monday afternoon last.

Attorney Oliver conducted the case for the board of health and Abe David, of Elizabeth, looked after the interests of Runglack. After hearing both sides Judge Toney dismissed the complaint owing to lack of proof that Runglack was really maintaining a nuisance.

Entering the British Army.

Before a recruit can be said to have joined the British army his name must be entered 62 times and that of his superior officer 29 times in the documents required by the war office.—M. X. Sun.

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Idea the Public Will Give Him Ample
Support.

The time for free band concerts is rapidly approaching. H. P. Condit made a success of the venture last summer and doubtless the people of Westfield will give him their hearty support if he cares to engineer the concerts again this year. Free band concerts draw people to Westfield and they spend their money in Westfield. That is as it should be and concerts furnish a pleasant Saturday evening for hundreds of young and old.

Here is a letter on the subject from O. W. Rudyard, a new resident of Westfield.

142 Central Ave.,
Westfield, June 3, '03.

Editor Union County Standard.
Dear Sir:

Enclosed \$1.00 is offered as a subscription toward a band concert fund for season of 1903.

As a weekly visitor last summer I enjoyed the Saturday night concerts; and being now a resident of Westfield I hope there will be a renewal of that popular enterprise.

The welcome accorded one year ago is, I think, an assurance to the committee that their efforts will be appreciated even more liberally during this season.

Sincerely,
C. W. RUDYARD.

JURY RENDERS NOVEL VERDICT.

Crickenberger Vs. Collins Case Has Odd
Ending—Case May Be Appointed.

Wednesday afternoon in Judge Harrison's court the case of Crickenberger vs. Collins had an odd ending. It was a jury trial. Charles Crickenberger sued P. D. Collins on contract for painting the latter's residence at No. 8 Academy place. Mr. Collins claimed that the contract had not been completed and that he was willing to settle the bill as soon as the work had been done according to contract. Mr. Oliver handled the case for the defendant while Levi E. Hart looked after Mr. Crickenberger's interests.

Soon after the case went to the jury, foreman Charles Mitchell informed the court that the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff of \$30. The amount sued for was \$33.25. Lawyer Oliver objected to such a verdict and Judge Harrison instructed the jury to again retire and bring in a verdict for the full amount or nothing. An hour later the six men filed before the judge and announced, through their foreman, that they found no cause for action. Just how the jury arrived at first, their verdict for \$30, and then for nothing, is a mystery. It is understood Mr. Crickenberger will appeal the case.

THREATENED TO CLEAN OUT SET-
TLEMENT.Secco Boko Wrangles With Italians and
Starts to Wipe Out the Entire Force.

Wednesday afternoon Secco Boko, an Italian baker employed by Jack Capitel, got in a mix up with Italians employed by Nick Orchetti, a rival baker, and threatened the lives of the whole settlement.

He tackled too big a contract and was chased through town by Italian women and children. He ran up Central avenue, through Carleton Place, Park street, Boulevard and to Summit avenue where he tried to escape by boarding a trolley car. The conductor refused to let him ride on the car. Just then officer Young rode up on his wheel and placed Boko under arrest. Taken before Recorder Toney he was placed under \$200 bail for the grand jury.

Dissolved by Mutual Consent.

The firm of Watson & Gibson, stock brokers at 55 Broadway, N. Y., has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Gibson retires and a new firm has been formed by the other partners consisting of Thomas L. Watson and William J. Alpers of Westfield, to be known as Watson and Alpers.

The J. S. Irving Co., and Tuttle Bros., coal and lumber dealers, will close their yards Saturday, during the summer, at 12 o'clock noon.

Beware of Quinoline for Catarrh that Contains Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold greater than the benefit they derive from them. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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New Soda Fountain,
New Cigar Store,

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Opposite Standard Office.

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SPOT CASH.

Fancy Prime Rib	Lean fresh Jersey	Stewing lamb, lb.
Roast, lb.,	Hams, lb.,	6c to 14c
16c	16c	
Prime Sirloin Stks.,	Lean, fresh, Cal.	Solid Meat Pot
lb.,	Hams, lb.,	Roast, lb.,
16c & 18c	12c	10c & 12c
Fancy Porterhouse	Prime Chuck Stk.,	Stew Beef, lb.,
Roast, lb.,	10c lb.	5c to 12c
20c	Fresh Shoulder	Vegetables
Prime Chuck Rot,	Pork, lb.,	
lb.,	12c	
10c		

J. W. Singer, Prospect St., Westfield.
Telephone No. 24-F.

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Robinsons Household Ammonia---

Strongest ever put in bottles—absolutely the
finest. Large Bottle only 10 centsPresto Have you tried it? Makes finest short
cake and biscuits. Per package 9c

Corn on the Cob—fresh and sweet—Try it.

3 lb. can Boston Baked Beans—Tomato
Sauce 10cFancy, Plain or Mixed Pickles, Glass
Bottles 10c

New Domestic Oiled Sardines, per can 5c

New Pickled Lamb's Tongue, Large Glass Jars 20c

Town Talk Catsup, quart bottles 10c

Extra Fancy Lima Beans per can 12c

Choice Early June Peas, per can 10c

Choice Blended Mixed Tea, per lb 30c

Choice Blended Santos Coffee, per lb 15c

Fancy Evaporated Peaches, extra fine, per lb 11c

Extra Choice Salad Oil, quart bottles 20c

Try a bag of our Atlas Flour. The finest blended flour
put in bags. Makes fine bread, biscuit and cake.

Try Walker's ★ Baking Powder

1 lb. Can 30 cts.

Either Store, Garwood or Westfield.

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To operate and the acme of comfort to ride—
4 to 40 miles per hour regulated will of the
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To the best Laundry in Jersey. We have every modern means for
doing good work and mending clothes. Any finish you prefer—just
like the work at home if you want it. Try us. A postal brings out
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At the Price
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ness men and women through
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Send your ad. right away—
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Only 10 a word each time.

Stamps accepted in payment
and must accompany order.

The Union County Standard,
Westfield.

New Jersey's Leading Weekly
Newspaper.

Died.

SMITH—Mrs. Alice Smith, 53 years of age,
sister of the late David Milton Frazee, also
sister of Mrs. Ann Clark and mother of
Charles Miller. Funeral service to-morrow
from the residence of Mrs. John Burns, at 11
o'clock.

Wants and Offers.

FULL value. Smoke the Click-Click-Club
cigar. The Boss.

FOR SALE—House and lot. Central avenue,
near depot, house ten rooms. Lot 624.
P. O. Box 616.

FOR SALE—Chickering Parlor Grand Piano.
No. 4. Address A. E. Pearsall, care Stand-
ard.

FOR SALE—12 room house on Dudley ave-
nue, lot 5240. Apply 224 Dudley avenue.

FOR RENT—House, barn with 5 acres of
land at Bird's Corner. Inquire of C. O.
Ditts.

MATTRESSES & Feathers renovated—
Our prices on iron beds, springs, etc., are
right. We manufacture all grades of mat-
tresses and cushions. Elizabeth Matress Co.,
118 Washington St., Elizabeth, N. J. Tel. 1542.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mort-
gage. Enquire of George H. Brown, 83
Westfield avenue.

NICELY furnished room with or without
board. 15 First street.

PLEASANT rooms and board at 104 Park
Street.

TEDDERED June 5th, if ordered now.
W. G. Peckham.

FOR SALE—Upright piano on storage. 38
Pickett street.

7 ROOM house to let. Inquire 30 New York
avenue.

FOR SALE—two pool tables and shuffle
board complete. J. W. Dwyer, North
Avenue Hotel.

BOARDERS Wanted—Apply Mrs. H.
Miller, 133 Central avenue.

FOUND—Thursday evening in depot park, a
package of lace and other articles from
Plainfield store. Owner can have same by
paying for this advertisement.

R. L. ROBINSON, architect, Office No. 112
South Broad street, Westfield, New Jer-
sey. Plans and specifications of every de-
scription at short notice and at the most re-
asonable charges.

BEE Hives ready for use. Supplies of all
kinds. Transferring done. William
Busling.

WANTED—Boots and Shoes at the Child-
ren's Country Home for boys and girls
from 2 to 14 years old.

Legal Notice.

ESTATE of Albert Wilcox, deceased. Pur-
suant to the order of George T. Parrot,
Surrogate of the County of Union, made on
the application of the undersigned, Adminis-
trator C. T. A. of said deceased, notice is
hereby given to the creditors of said deceased
to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or af-
firmation their claims and demands against
the estate of said deceased within nine months
from the second day of May, 1903, or they
will be forever barred from presenting or
recovering the same against the subscriber.
LEVI E. HART,
Administrator C. T. A.

ESTATE of Oliver M. Pierson, deceased.
Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot,
Surrogate of the County of Union, made on
the application of the undersigned, Adminis-
trator of said deceased, notice is hereby giv-
ing to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit
to the subscriber under oath or affirmation
their claims and demands against the estate of
said deceased within nine months from the
second day of May, 1903, or they will be forever
barred from presenting or recovering the same
against the subscriber.
DAVID T. PIERSON,
Administrator.

ESTATE of Harriet B. Cory, deceased. Pur-
suant to the order of George T. Parrot,
Surrogate of the County of Union, made on
the application of the undersigned, Adminis-
trator of said deceased, notice is hereby giv-
ing to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit
to the subscriber under oath or affirmation
their claims and demands against the estate of
said deceased within nine months from the
second day of May, 1903, or they will be forever
barred from presenting or recovering the same
against the subscriber.
JAMES G. CLARK, Executor.

Sealed Proposals.

Sealed Proposals for furnishing the Town
of Westfield with one thousand tons, more or
less, of crushed stone for use on the roads
during the next year, for sizes, to wit, first
one inch and one half inch, and two inch,
will be received by the Town Clerk up to eight
o'clock p. m. Monday, June 15, 1903, at the
Town rooms, and stone to be delivered in such
quantities of each size and at such places in
the Town as prescribed by the Council. The
Town reserves right to reject any and all bids.
LLOYD THOMPSON, Town Clerk.
Westfield, N. J., June 2, 1903.

For Sale,

Farm of 30 acres. Buildings in
good condition. To quick buyer,

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It Must Have Been.

Tonny—"Was that your mother I
saw with you yesterday?" Willie—"I
guess so." "Any rate, she's the one who
carries the key to the jam closet at our
house."—Boston Transcript.

LOCAL
PARAGRAPHS

BASE BALL

To-morrow Recreation Park.

Westfield vs. Roselle.

Game called at 4 p. m.

—The Mountinside borough council
will meet next Tuesday night.

—Miss Ethel Pearsall returned Tues-
day from Buena Vista, Va.

—Mrs. Lawrence Embree, of Lexing-
ton, Va., is visiting relatives in West-
field.

—Miss Helen Norton, of Hightstown,
has been visiting friends in Westfield
this week.

—Miss Maude Angel, of Brooklyn,
has been a guest this week at the home
of Alfred E. Pearsall.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Collins, of
Fordham, N. Y., visited friends in
Westfield over Decoration Day.

—Walter Neale will return to West-
field from Pernambuco, Brazil, about
July 1st.

—Prof. and Mrs. Mathews of Newark
spent Decoration Day with Mr. and
Frank R. Baker of South avenue.

—The Misses Hague, of Brooklyn,
have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Fred K. Winter this week.

—Little Miss Lois Embree, of Buena
Vista, Va., is visiting relatives in West-
field.

—Abrams & Welch, real estate agents
have sold No. 140 Prospect street to J.
D. Price, of New York.

—Rev. C. H. Patton and family of
St. Louis will be the guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Martin Welles next week.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. Wilfred Powell are
now settled in their summer cottage in
Ocean Grove.

—C. W. Rudyard has leased the
Powell residence on Central avenue and
is now occupying it.

—Herbert L. Abrams Jr. has been
visiting friends and relatives in Hemp-
stead, L. I.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson B. Arnold en-
joyed an auto trip to Asbury Park on
Decoration Day.

—To-morrow afternoon at Recreation
Park it is Roselle vs. Westfield and it
will be a battle royal.

—Miss Rachel Schoonmaker, of
Brooklyn, and Miss Anita Conlin of
Astoria, L. I. spent Decoration Day
with friends in town.

—Mrs. Soligny and the Misses Ida
and Louise Soligny of Brooklyn, spent
Sunday at the home of H. R. Forster of
Academy Place.

—Councilman George B. Dickerson
now inspects the first ward—and other
wards too—in his new automobile, a
Cadillac.

—A number of Westfielders attended
the big bicycle race meet held at the
Vaileburgh board track on Decoration
Day.

—The trustees of the Baptist church
have placed new screens in the windows
and doors of the church, adding greatly
to the comfort of those who attend.

—On Sunday morning next, at the
Methodist church, there will be a recep-
tion of new members and communion.
Dr. C. M. Anderson will be in charge.

—The Willow Grove Sunday school
will celebrate its seventy-seventh an-
niversary, Sunday, June 7th, at 8:30 p.
m. Rev. Mr. Greenwood will deliver
the address.

—The lunch cart has moved to the
Standard block where the proprietor
will continue to serve quick lunches
under the shade of the tall poplars.

—Margentino, the new merchant in
town who conducts a fruit store on
North avenue, is doing a rushing busi-
ness.

—Sunday evening Rev. Carter J.
Greenwood, pastor of the First Baptist
church, will preach a sermon on
"Breaking Home Ties; or Partings in
Life."

—The Young Ladies' Home Mission
Circle of the Methodist church, will
hold a cake and ice cream festival in
W. C. T. U. Hall Friday afternoon and
evening June 12th for the benefit of the
Italian Mission.

—The ladies of St. Paul's Guild will
hold a Lawn Party on the grounds of
Mrs. Frank W. Perkins on Ross Place,
the afternoon of Saturday June 13th
from 8 to 7 o'clock. Cakes, home-made
candy, and ice cream for sale.

—On Sunday June 14th, Children's
day will be observed at the Congrega-
tional church. In the morning Rev. C.
H. Patton of St. Louis will preach and
in the afternoon he will address the
children.

—That base ball is popular in West-
field is shown by the large attendance
at Recreation Park on Saturday. In the
morning 750 ardent rooters turned out
to witness the contest and in the after-
noon the crowd numbered over 900.

—A piano recital will be given by the
pupils of Miss E. L. Ferris, at her home,
90 Prospect street, this evening.

—A daughter arrived this morning
in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M.
Tremaine of Prospect street.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Moffett and
Miss Lillian Kennedy of Bridgeton, are
visiting relatives in Westfield.

—The Harden-Stowe nuptials will
take place on Wednesday of next week,
June 10th, at 8:30 o'clock in St. Paul's
Church.

—Prof. Harris, a former principal of
the Westfield schools, now of school
No. 8, Bayonne, spent a day last week
in Westfield.

—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Welles will
celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of
their marriage on Friday evening,
June 12th.

—The corps of teachers for the West-
field schools have been re-engaged for
another year, except Miss Grace Hardy
and Miss Josephine Oliver, resigned.

—Children's day exercises will be held
in the Baptist church, June 14, at 10:30,
and will take the place of the regular
morning service. Rev. C. J. Green-
wood will deliver the address.

—Burkowitz and Braikin, Prospect
street, have succeeded in securing a line
of the famous Hoffman House Bouquet
cigars. They are the leading cigars of
the age.

—On Sunday, June 14th, Rev. Wm.
Oscar Jarvis, rector of St. Paul's
church, will deliver the baccalaureate
sermon to the graduating class, in the
Presbyterian church.

—Westfield horses won two races at
New Brunswick last Saturday. J. S.
Irving's, Jessie Dine, took first in the
2:22 pacing event in 2:33 and his horse,
Fred V., came in second in the 2:27
class, time 2:32 3/4.

—J. W. Singer is making a special
on genuine Jersey strawberries for to-
morrow—Saturday. The best berries
that ever were offered for sale in West-
field at a price—well, just step in at
Singer's and inquire.

—J. W. Dwyer, proprietor of the
North Avenue Hotel, is fitting up his
new dining room in metropolitan style.
The pool tables and shuffle board have
been removed, the large dining hall re-
papered and new tables and chairs have
been purchased.

—Despite the chilly weather, the
lawn party held on the Presbyterian
church lawn and in the chapel last
evening was most successful. The
affair was under the auspices of the
choir, and was for the benefit of a
motive power for the church organ.

—Dr. Douglas Campbell Paterson,
Harold N. Squire, Andrew Coyle and
Miss Edna Fairchild, of New York,
were guests at the home of A. H. Still
on Prospect street, over Decoration Day.
Dr. Paterson has just graduated from
Columbia College of Physicians and
Surgeons, and Mr. Squire from Stevens
Institute, Hoboken.

—The ladies of the Congregational
church will hold a summer festival in
the church parlors, this evening. There
will be a sale of fancy and useful arti-
cles, cake and candy and a novel attrac-
tion for the children. Supper will be
served from six to nine o'clock. Ice
cream and cake will also be for sale.

—Washington Camp, No. 30, P. O. S.
of A., of Plainfield, held a very pleasant
meeting in its camp room on Monday
evening. About thirty members from
Camp 41, of South Plainfield, were pre-
sent. Two candidates were initiated,
the South Plainfield team doing the
work. Refreshments were served at
the close of the business. Several
members of the P. O. S. of A. from
Westfield and Cranford were present.

—On Sunday morning next, the
Lord's supper will be administered at
the Westfield Baptist church, and the
right hand of fellowship will be ex-
tended to several new members. Rev.
C. J. Greenwood, pastor, will preach an
appropriate sermon. Subject, "The
Captain going before." At the close of
the evening service, three candidates
will be baptized.

—Next Wednesday evening the mem-
bers of Central Council, No. 181, Jr. O.
U. A. M., will visit Westfield Scott
Council, of Elizabeth, going to that city
by trolley. It is hoped every member
of Central will turn out, as they will
always regret it if they don't, because a
very enjoyable time is assured all who
go.

—The exhibition of school work at
Washington school will begin this even-
ing. The doors will be open to the pub-
lic at 7 o'clock, and all are urged to at-
tend and see the work done by the
pupils during the past year. The ex-
hibit will continue Saturday from nine
to six o'clock, also Saturday evening if
there is sufficient interest.

—Mr. and Mrs. Moreland T. Townley
celebrated the fifth anniversary of their
wedding on Monday evening last at
their home on Kimball avenue. During
the evening the Arcanum quartette
rendered several selections. Refresh-
ments were served and a pleasant even-
ing was spent. Besides congratulations
and best wishes of their guests, Mr. and
Mrs. Townley received many remem-
brances, consisting of a variety of use-
ful and ornamental wooden ware.

SEVENTH ANNUAL BIRTHDAY PARTY.

The Little Missionary Day Nursery,
93 St. Mark's Place, New York, held
its Seventh Annual Birthday Party,
at the 7th St. M. E. Church, New York,
on Thursday evening last, in the pre-
sence of a large audience of friends of
the work. It was a beautiful sight,
125 children on the platform, dressed all
in white, opening the exercises with
singing. "My Country 'Tis of Thee,"
and waving their little flags. Rev. Mr.
Henry, Pastor of the 7th St. M. E.
Church gave the opening prayer. The
receipts from the little birthday bags
were over \$225. Miss Curry wishes to
thank the many friends for their gener-
ous support. Plainfield and Westfield
showed its appreciation of the work by
its representation, as also did Elizabeth.

Some of the children have been with
Miss Curry since she opened the Nursery,
seven years ago. They show in every
way the careful training they have had.
Their singing and reciting especially re-
flected Miss Curry's remarkable aptitude
for developing the hidden talents of the
children.

SERVICES AT SAINT PAULS.

Sunday being Trinity Sunday and also
the first Sunday in the month there will
be a celebration of the Holy Communion
at Saint Pauls church at 11 a. m. as
well as 7:30 a. m.

The other services will be Sunday
school at 9:45 a. m. and Evensong and
an address at 5 p. m.

The order of service is as follows:

MORNING.
Processional Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy!"
Lord God Almighty.

Kyrie Eleison (Communion Service)
Gloria in Excelsis
Credo
Hymn, "Holy Father, great Creator."

Offertory: Anthem, "They that sow in
tears (Holy City)." Service.
Sanctus
Benedictus qui venit (Haynes)
Agnus Dei
Gloria in Excelsis

Recessional Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy,
Lord."

EVENING.
Processional Hymn, "Round the Lord in
glory seated."

Gloria (Gilbert's Evening)
Nunc Dimittis
Hymn, "O Holy, Holy, Holy Lord."

Address.
Offertory Hymn, "Sun of my soul, Thou
Saviour dear."
Recessional Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy!
Lord God Almighty."

All seats are free and every one is
welcome to attend any of the church
services.

Mr. Voorhees Surprised.

David J. Voorhees of Middlebush, was
surprised on Decoration Day by seeing a
number of his relatives alight from a
train and make a bee line for his home.
In the party were Mr. and Mrs. John C.
Hall and daughter Elsie, of Downer
street; Charles D. Reese and family,
Mrs. M. V. Hall, sister of Mr. Voorhees,
E. S. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. George
Alexander of Elizabeth.

The Indian Motor Cycle Made Good.

The bicycle races at the Empire track,
New York, on Saturday last, drew forth
a large crowd of racing enthusiasts.
Charles G. Embleton, with a racing
"Indian" motor cycle, started in the
five mile contest and from fifth place
was pulling down the men ahead one by
one and had succeeded in getting up to
second place when the spark plug of his
machine pulled out and put him out of
the race. The "Indian," however, won
2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th prizes. Records
were broken all to smash.

Westfield Freeholders' on Committee.

The Board of Freeholders Friday last,
appointed Westfield's representatives on
several important committees as follows:
collectors bond—W. W. Connolly; dis-
charge of prisoners—George H. Embree;
stationery—George H. Embree; miscel-
laneous accounts and agreements—W.
W. Connolly and Elizabeth drawbridges,
W. W. Connolly.

Letter to A. D. Cook,

Westfield.
Dear Sir: You can afford the best,
and your business experience has shown
you that it is also the cheapest. If all
men would learn this, they'd save a lot
of money.

Devco Lead and Zinc costs a little
more per gallon than mixed paints, but
it takes fewer gallons to paint a house,
and it wears longer. It is the cheapest
paint in the world.

Mr. Frank A. Morse, druggist of West
Rutland, Vt., writes:

I ordered 15 gallons of your paint, thinking
from experience with mixed paints, that it
would require that amount to cover my house.
I used only 8 gallons.

Mr. M. Austin Belcher, of Winthrop,
Mass., bought eleven gallons; he only
used six.

Our agent at Morrisville, N. Y., Mr.
E. N. Dexter, writes:

On every job I have sold, Devco Lead and
Zinc has given me satisfaction and has taken
less quantity than expected.

We could make this letter a hundred
times as long with such examples.

Yours truly,
F. W. Devco & Co.
New York.

P. S. Chas. Orickenberg sells our
paint.

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Kabo Style 632 at \$1.00 is 50 per
cent corset and 50 per cent. girdle—the
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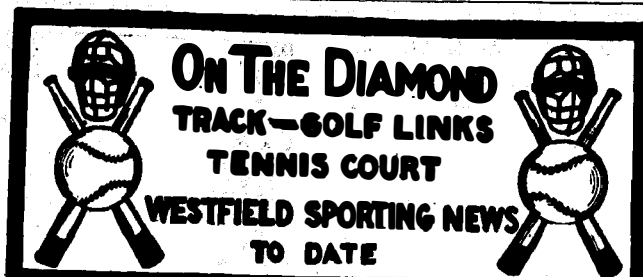
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Decorative Day morning found a great crowd of base ball enthusiasts at Recreation Park, several hundred of whom had journeyed from Plainfield to encourage their pet team, the Alis, which had been padded for the occasion by manager McLaughlin, he having secured for this game, Hope formerly of Rochester, to do the twirling and Eddie Freidburg of the Equitables to do the backstop work as well as Richardson, the heavy hitter of the Madison A. C. But with all this fast bunch of players they more than met their match in Capt. Mallen's regular team with "Sunny Jim" Montrose in the box. This was one of the best played games seen at Recreation Park this year and the game was in doubt until the last Alis man was put out in the ninth. The score follows:

ALIS VS. WESTFIELD.
1st inning:—Flynn, the first man up for Alis, hit to Montrose and was out at 1st. Barnes singled past 3rd. Cox raised a pop-fly for Montrose to gobble. Jones ran away back of third to snatch Richardson's fly.—No runs.
Goldberg started the ball rolling for Westfield with a double to left. Mallen singled over 2nd Burch struck out. Beck walked. With the bases full and only one out it looked as if things were coming Westfield's way, but Rotchford and Barry proved unequal to the occasion as the former raised a little fly for Flynn to squeeze and Barry struck out. No runs.

2nd inning:—Hope singled to left. Heminger walked. DuPee hit to Montrose who forced Hope at 3rd. Burch's catch of Lederer's fly in short right was a corker. Burch threw wild into the diamond and Heminger started for 3rd, but Burke got the ball in time to force Heminger to return to 2nd. Burke then threw to 1st to catch DuPee off 1st and Heminger again started and was finally caught on Rotchford's throw to Barry. No runs.

Jones fled out to Hope. Burke singled past 3rd but was forced out at 2nd by Montrose's hit to Heminger. Goldberg hit to Heminger and was out at 1st.—No runs.

3rd inning:—Pond was retired at 1st by Barry. Burch threw Flynn out at 1st. Barnes struck out.—No runs.
Mallen singled past 3rd and took 2nd on a passed ball. Burch struck out. DuPee let Beck's single to right get by him and Mallen scored. Rotchford walked. Barry fled out to Hope. Jones fled out to Lederer.—1 run.

4th inning:—Burch threw Cox out at 1st. Richardson out the same way. Hope singled past 2nd. Jones threw Heminger out at 1st.—No runs.

Burke singled to left field foul flag but on trying to stretch it into a double was thrown out at 2nd by Pond. Hope gathered in Montrose's foul between home and 3rd. Goldberg hit a line fly into Heminger's hands.—No runs.

5th inning:—DuPee fled out to Goldberg. Montrose forwarded Lederer's rap to 1st. Pond singled to left. Flynn's fly was pie for Barry.—No runs.

Mallen singled past 2nd. Burch walked. Beck struck out. Rotchford singled to center and Mallen and Burch scored. Hope caught Rotchford asleep at 2nd and Flynn touched him out. Barry walked. Lederer and Flynn both tried for Jones' fly and between them they managed to miff it, allowing Barry to score. Jones took 2nd on a passed ball and scored on Burke's single to center. Montrose was thrown out at 1st by Hope.—4 runs.

6th inning:—Barnes knocked a liner over 3rd for a base and stole 2nd. Cox fled out to Beck. Richardson singled to center and Barnes tried to score from 2nd, but Goldberg got the ball away as though it burnt his hands and Barnes was easily caught at the plate. Hope fled out to Goldberg.—No runs.

Goldberg hit to Richardson who touched 1st. Hope grabbed Mallen's crack and troilled to 1st. Burch struck out.—No runs.

7th inning:—Heminger singled past 3rd. DuPee out, Barry to Rotchford. Lederer fled out to Burch. Pond struck out. No runs.

Cox scooped up Beck's grounder all right but threw wild to 1st and Beck continued to 2nd. Rotchford fouled out to Richardson. Barry fled out to Pond. Jones did likewise.—No runs.

8th inning:—Flynn singled past 2nd and stole 2nd. Jones fumbled Barnes' grounder and Flynn scored. Cox struck out. Richardson knocked out a corking three-bagger to left scoring Barnes and came home on Hope's two bagger to

center, but Hope was put out in trying to stretch his double into a triple. Goldberg and Burch assisting and Barry tagging Heminger struck out.—8 runs.

Burke struck out. Hope threw Montrose out at 1st. Goldberg hit to Richardson who touched 1st.—No runs.
9th inning:—DuPee fled out to Barry. Burch threw Lederer out at 1st. Manager McLaughlin sent Friedberg in to bat for Pond, but the best he could do was to fly out to Beck.—No runs.

ALIS VS. WESTFIELD.
MAY 30, A. M.

BATTING ORDER.									
ALIS.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.	OB.	SL.	ST.
Flynn, 2b.	4	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
Barnes, c.	4	1	2	6	0	0	0	0	0
Cox, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Richardson, lb.	4	1	3	6	0	0	0	0	0
Hope, p.	4	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0
Heminger, 1b.	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
DuPee, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lederer, cf.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Beck, lf.	3	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Friedberg, 3b.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	36	3	10	24	7	3			

WESTFIELD.									
AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.	OB.	SL.	ST.	
Goldberg, cf.	5	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	0
Mallen, rf.	4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burch, 2b.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Beck, lf.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Rotchford, lb.	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Barry, 3b.	3	1	0	0	5	2	0	0	0
Jones, ss.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Burke, c.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Montrose, p.	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	36	3	5	9	27	14	2		

*Batted for Pond in last inning.

SCORE BY INNINGS:
Alis..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 runs.
Westfield..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—8 runs.
Summary:—
Earned runs: Alis 1; Westfield 1. Two-base hits: Goldberg, Hope. Three-base hit: Richardson. First on balls: Hope 4; off Montrose 1. Struck out: by Hope 9, by Montrose 4. Left on bases: Alis 4; Westfield 8. Passed balls: Barnes 2. First on errors: Alis 1; Westfield 2. Time of game: 2 hours. Umpire: Mr. Traphagen.

RAHWAY EASY MARKS.

In the afternoon Rahway sent over about 500 rooters and a ball team made up of some local talent and a sprinkling of league talent from Jersey City. They never had a look in at any stage of the game. Mertens, heretofore invincible to Westfield butemen, proved an easy mark and the local cracks banged the ball all over the field. Here is the story of the game:

1st inning:—The game opened with Rahway at the bat. McAdams hit to Barry and was put out at 1st. Holland singled to left and took second on a wild pitch. Compton walked. L. Potter singled to left center scoring Holland. Mulhaul hit to Burch who fielded perfectly but carelessly threw wild to Jones on 2nd to force Potter and both runners were safe while Compton scored. Mitchell fled out to Goldberg. On Hedeman's hit to left, Potter attempted to score, but was nipped at the plate by Beck's fine throw.—2 runs.

Goldberg went to the bat and started a walking match through the generosity of Mertens. Mallen followed suit and Burch likewise. Beck brought Goldberg and Mallen home with a single to left. Rotchford walked, Barry singled to left scoring Burch and Beck. On Jones' rap R. Potter muffed the throw home and Rotchford and Barry scored. Burke struck out. L. Potter threw Walsh out at 2nd. Goldberg drew his second base on balls. Mallen fled out to Mulhaul.—6 runs.

2nd inning:—R. Potter walked. Mertens and McAdams struck out. Holland fouled out to Burke.—No runs.

Mitchell threw Burch out at 1st. Mertens did the same for Beck. Rotchford singled to left. Barry was retired at 1st by Mitchell.—No runs.

3rd inning:—Compton out at 1st, Rotchford to Burch. L. Potter fled out to Beck. Mulhaul doubled to left. Mitchell fouled out to Burke.—No runs.

Jones fled out to L. Potter. Burke singled to left and stole 2nd. Walsh struck out. Goldberg walked. As Mallen had the 4th ball called on him Burke and Goldberg started a double steal. R. Potter threw to Holland to catch Burke. Burke, who got his bag, supposed the ball had been muffed ran off his bag and was touched out.—No runs.

4th inning:—Hedeman had two strikes on him and struck at a wild pitch that Burke could not reach for his third and got 1st. R. Potter struck out. Mertens knocked a liner into Rotchford's hands. The latter touched 1st, doubling Hedeman.—No runs.

Mertens threw Burch out at 1st. L. Potter muffed Beck's infield fly. Rotchford singled to left. Barry and Jones both fled out to L. Potter.—No runs.

5th inning:—McAdams out, Jones to 1st. Holland fled out to Goldberg. Compton was hit by the ball. L. Potter out, Barry to 1st.—No runs.

Burke fled out to L. Potter. Mitchell fumbled and Walsh was safe. Goldberg walked but was forced by Mallen at 2nd. Burke fled out to L. Potter.—No runs.

6th inning:—Mulhaul, who had been loaned to Rahway by Westfield and was battling the best of any on the latter team, got in his double. Mitchell was here allowed a base hit through the courtesy of the umpire. In attempting



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to field the hit Barry had to step over to the foul side of 3rd base and then could not reach the ball. On Hedeman's grounder to Walsh, Mitchell was caught between 2nd and 3rd and was touched out by Barry. Burch threw R. Potter out at 1st. Mertens out on strikes. 1 run.

Beck out, short to 1st. Rotchford singled and stole 2nd. Barry singled scoring; Rotchford but was put out stealing 2nd. Jones out, short to 1st. 1 run.

7th inning:—McAdams fouled out to Rotchford. Holland out, Walsh to 1st. Compton was hit by the ball. L. Potter out, Walsh to 1st.—No runs.

Burke singled but was caught stealing 2nd. Walsh walked. Goldberg walked. Mallen doubled, scoring Walsh and Goldberg. Holland fumbled Burch's rap and Mallen scored. Beck struck out. Rotchford singled. Barry out, short to 1st.—3 runs.

8th inning:—Rotchford muffed Barry's throw and Mulhaul was safe. Mitchell struck out. Hedeman got 2nd. R. Potter walked. Mertens forced Potter at 2nd. McAdams struck out. 2 runs.

Jones raised a fly in front of the plate for R. Potter. Burke got 1st on Holland's fumbled and 3rd on Walsh's single. Goldberg hit to Holland who threw Burke out at the plate. Mallen's 3 bagger brought in Walsh and Goldberg. Mallen scored on a passed ball. Burke struck out.—3 runs.

9th inning:—Holland out, Jones to 1st. Compton safe on Jones' wild throw. L. Potter safe on Barry's wild throw. Mulhaul singled, scoring Compton and Potter. Burke threw wild to 2nd to catch Mulhaul stealing and the latter went to 3rd, and scored on Mitchell's hit. Mitchell tried for 3rd on Hedeman's hit to Goldberg but was put out. R. Potter out, Walsh to 1st.—3 runs.

RAHWAY VS. WESTFIELD.
MAY 30, P. M.

RAHWAY.									
AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.	OB.	SL.	ST.	
McAdams, lf.	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Holland, 3b.	5	2	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
Compton, lb.	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
L. Potter, 2b.	5	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mulhaul, cf.	5	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mitchell, ss.	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hedeman, rf.	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
W. Potter, c.	5	4	0	0	6	3	1	0	0
Mertens, p.	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	38	9	9	24	13	5			

WESTFIELD.									
AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.	OB.	SL.	ST.	
Goldberg, cf.	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mallen, rf.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Burch, 2b.	5	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Beck, lf.	5	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Rotchford, lb.	4	0	0	0	11	3	1	0	0
Barry, 3b.	5	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0
Jones, ss.	5	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0
Burke, c.	5	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0
Walsh, p.	4	2	1	0	4	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	38	13	12	27	13	5			

SCORE BY INNINGS:
Rahway..... 2 0 0 0 1 0 2 4—13 runs.
Westfield..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 3—13 runs.
Summary:—
Two-base hits: Mulhaul 2; Mallen. Three-base hit: Hedeman. First on balls: of Rahway 10; of Westfield 9. Struck out: by Mertens 3; by Walsh 7. Left on bases—Rahway 7; Westfield 11. Double plays—Compton unassisted. Wild pitch—Walsh 2. Passed balls—L. Potter 3; W. Potter 4. Hit by pitcher—Compton 2. Time of game—1 hour 50 min. Umpire—Mr. Traphagen.

Hereafter all persons bringing base ball coupons detached from book will be refused admittance to the grounds.

Burke and Mallen must have used a little of Trenchard's eye wash. They both had clear eyes and my, how they banged out the ball! Mike Rotchford did not use eye wash. He rubbed the mascot's curly head for luck and made good every time he went to the bat.

Recreation Park has completed its metropolitan appearance and the comforts offered the patrons of the game are unequaled anywhere in the state. A new feature is the refreshment car managed by Frank Woodruff. Peanuts, soft drinks, cigars &c, are offered for sale and the quality cannot be best.

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There will be no meet at the Fair Acres track July 4th, consequently the team will be "at home" for two corking games with good opponents.

Roselle comes to-morrow with the justly proud record of no defeats to date. Manager Brown is a hustler with results always in view and the team in downing Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. last week in a ten inning game showed its mettle. There will be a large delegation of down the line rooters to help push Roselle runs in.


The Alis added two more victories to their string Decoration Day by defeating little Washington twice. In the morning the battery was Hegeman and Tom Carey.

It will be Roselle to-morrow. Be at Recreation Park promptly at 4 o'clock and see the grand struggle. Westfield is steadily defeating Union County teams as fast as the propositions present themselves. But, of course, there is that stiff proposition—Ellan—always sticking in the crop of the local players and they are anxious to get at 'em again.

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A few years ago farmers were almost afraid to raise hogs on account of the prevalence of cholera. Once that disease got a start in a herd it generally succeeded in practically destroying it. Not only the aged stock, writes W. S. McAuley in Southwest Stockman, but the pigs as well were affected. Hog cholera remedies were sometimes used to good advantage, then again they proved to be ineffectual in stopping the ravages of the plague. Since the farmers have taken to growing alfalfa extensively as a field-forage plant for hogs, however, the situation is changed. Now hog cholera in our part of the state is rare and the loss of swine by the disease has been reduced by more than 50 percent. Farmers everywhere attribute the change to that wonderful plant, alfalfa, and I sincerely believe that is what worked the transformation.

The difference in the health of hogs that have been pastured on alfalfa and those that have been kept in feed lots and fed grain and dry feeds is pronounced, and particularly so with regard to young pigs. Sucklings that have alfalfa fed mothers are far more rugged and healthy than are those that trace their ancestry back to the pig sty. Sows that forage on alfalfa raise lustrous, hearty pigs that seldom fall victims to cholera, while the mothers that are kept on other feeds and not permitted the freedom of the alfalfa fields are generally inclined to be sickly. Kansas has made great strides in growing alfalfa the past two or three years and I think you will find those sections of the state that raise the greatest quantities of that plant are turning out the cleanest hogs and complain less of the prevalence of cholera.

If there is anything that will solve the great question of hog cholera, one that has troubled farmers since the beginning of all time, I believe my estimation is alfalfa. The time will come, I believe, when every hog feeder and grower will plant many acres of alfalfa each year for no other purpose than grazing hogs. It does not expect to see the millennium approach, but when the universal alfalfa time rolls around, I should not be surprised to find hog cholera put on the shelf as a back number, while the swine of that day do not know what sickness is.

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Monument to Wellington.
The great duke of Wellington has been dead for half a century, and his monument in St. Paul's cathedral, London, has not been completed yet. It has been the subject of animated discussion at brief intervals ever since his death.—Albany Argus.

Return of Feather Beds.
The feather bed, after its banishment during about half a century, is being received back into favor in colder countries. Hygiene experts condemned it on account of its heating nature and the difficulty of thoroughly airing and purifying it; nevertheless, it is actually being recommended during the winter for delicate, nervous, neuritic women, and particularly for elderly persons and those who are troubled with insomnia.—Medical Journal.

War Balloon Test.
The difficulty in damaging a war balloon in midair was recently shown by tests made in Austria. The experimenters anchored a balloon at a height of 7,000 feet and had gunners who had not been given the distance to fly to it. It required 22 shots to find the range, even approximately, and not until the sixty-fourth round was the balloon hit. It then sustained but a slight tear, which caused it to descend slowly.—Chicago Chronicle.