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Royal Stamp Collectors.

The prince of Wales is not by any means the only royal philatelist. It is said, indeed, that every royal family in Europe has a member who is collecting stamps. Probably the most zealous collector is Princess Clementine of Belgium. She has made a study of stamps and is regarded as an authority on the subject. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and the king of Servia have for years been placing stamps in beautiful albums, but of late it is said their interest in the work has somewhat waned. Pope Leo XIII. has a collection of exceptionally rare stamps, and frequently he spends his leisure moments in examining them. The prelates of the church are aware of his interest in them, and whenever they can they send him new treasures for his collection.—Golden Penny.

Peas from Pharaoh's Tomb.

There are bargains and finds to be made in the plant world equal to any picked up in old curiosity shops. Some time ago a Glasgow gentleman received from his son-in-law, an Egyptian, an envelope full of peas, which were said to have been found in the tomb of one of the Pharaohs. He sent them to a friend of his at Humes, in the Isle of Bute, who sowed them. They grew up into plants quite unlike anything known at present, strong and about six feet high, with a great white flower having a red center. The pods were long and full of excellent peas. This new old variety found a ready sale at good prices.—Nature.

Pewter in Rare Metal.

At the beginning of the sixteenth century, pewter was so rare in England as to be valued by the year for noblemen's houses, and even during the reign of Elizabeth was a very costly material. Gremio, in "The Taming of the Shrew," alludes to it as one of the important articles of housekeeping in his city mansion. Before the invention of carpets the rooms were spread with rushes, even in the noblest mansions, and Shakespeare has many allusions to this old custom in words put in the mouths of Iachimo, Glendower, and Romeo.

Taxes in London.

Practically only the buildings are taxed in England, and this tax the occupant pays. There is now a strong movement in favor of taxation of "ground rents" and "site values," and the introduction of the plan of laying assessments on property for local improvements, as in this country. It is vigorously opposed by the wealthy class, especially by the dukes, who own the ground upon which London is built.—N. Y. World.

Wisdom of Experience.

"What is your opinion as to long engagements?" queried the young man whose springtime fancy lightly turned to thoughts of a matrimonial nature. "They're the worst ever," answered the man who had found it necessary to comb his hair with a towel for 10, these many moons. "A long engagement means a short bank balance to begin housekeeping on."—Chicago Daily News.

Prompt Action.

The auctioneer was closing out the effects of a bankrupt hotelier. "Well," he said, "there's a football, good as new. Take it and look at it. What am I offered to start it?" A college boy in the crowd grabbed it, started it with a kick, and when last heard from it was still going, going.—Chicago Tribune.

An Eloquent Quietus.

He—Why, we haven't even to extol the virtues of men to prove the inferiority of women. The very failings of womanhood prove the point. No woman, for example, has a sense of humor.

She—She hasn't? Then why is it that all habits of bright repartee are called "Sillies"?—N. Y. Times.

Poverty.

Mr. Newrocks—"What sort of folks are the Blueblooms next door, Maria?"

Mrs. Newrocks (patronizingly)—Pleasant but they must be frightfully hard up. They haven't got any mechanical attachment for their piano and have to play it by hand.—Judge.

Mahogany in Cuba.

Cuba's two principal export woods are mahogany and cedar. Good mahogany lands may still be bought on the south coast at a low figure, but the price is steadily advancing.—N. Y. Sun.

Evolution of Woman.

She—What wonderful changes time has wrought in the world. He—Yes, indeed. In the days of Methuselah it was the men who lied about their age.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Courtroom Courtship.

First Lawyer—The judge seems quite sweet on the widow. Second Lawyer—What you might call "legal tender."—Princeton Tiger.

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A well-known lawyer made a powerful plea recently in a breach-of-promise case. His little son went home and said:

"Mama, I heard papa make a speech to-day. And what do you think—papa almost cried, and he made some of the jurymen cry, too."

"And what did you do, my son?" asked the lawyer's wife.

"O, he can't fool me," replied the heir and pride of the family.—Stray Stories.

To Clean Aluminum.

To clean articles made of aluminum wash thoroughly in warm soap and water; rinse well and dry at once in a clean cloth and polish with chamomile skin. If very dirty, make a paste with some whiting and a little water or methylated spirit, apply this thickly, leave it on a few minutes, and then rub it off, polishing well with a clean leather. Never use soda, as it blackens and discolors this metal.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Assumed at the Altar.

Tess—She's traveling under an assumed name now.

Jess—You don't say so! What is it? "Her husband's." She was married yesterday.—Modern Science.

Hoped He Could Do It.

"We have decided to raise your rent," announced the landlord. "Thanks," replied the tenant. "If you succeed in raising it, I won't have to."—Chicago Post.

Doubly Useful.

She—Society is really useful only to those who want to marry. He—Oh, I don't know. It strikes me as being just as useful to those who are married, and want to forget it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Wealth.

Wealth is something that enables a millionaire to stand up in meeting and say it is no disgrace to be poor.—Chicago Daily News.

The Human Stomach.

Nature seems to have provided that no poison which acts externally shall have any effect internally and vice versa. Thus the most deadly snake venom can be swallowed with impunity, the juice of the stomach presumably decomposing it and rendering it harmless.—Journal of Science.

Strawberry Mound.

Crush a pint of blue ripe strawberries with two cupsful of sugar. Beat the whites of three eggs until stiff, add them to the strawberries, and whip all together until it will stand alone. Pile in a mound in a glass dish, and serve very cold with whipped cream.—Home Magazine.

Helpless Infant.

"Have you decided on a name for the baby yet, Tankley?" "Yes, we've named her for my new automobile." "What?" "Fact. We call her Gasolina."—Chicago Tribune.

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PRONUNCIATION OF "GOLF."

Scotchman Who Played the Game in 1838 Is Distracted by Varied English Accents.

A Scotch golfer who played golf in 1838, before the railway era and long before the English took up the game, writes the London Times that the English are mispronouncing the name of the national game in a way that distresses him. He proceeds to say that among gentlemen who had been in England or India, and were free from the pronounced Scotch accent, the game was called "golf," by caddies and those speaking a broad Scotch it was "gowf." The phrase, "folk play golf," was pronounced by gentlemen "foke play gofe," "gofe" rhyming with "loaf." By caddies it was pronounced "fowl play gof." There was a third pronunciation, but it was an affectionate "goff." Those who so pronounced it here were supposed to speak high English, avoiding the broad pronunciation of the letter "a," a prevalent Scotch substitute for "e."

"I used short 'e' (thus, 'heffest' for 'half-past seven'). This peculiar dialect is greatly admired by my fellow countrymen," he says, and was known to them as Edinburgh English, but even in the unadorned "golf" could they have foreseen what the actual future mispronunciation of the English on taking up the game would have been with what joy would they have called it "gawf." It would have seemed to them "so English."

AN INCORPORATED FAMILY.

The Fairbanks of Dedham, Mass., Hold a Reunion with Interesting Results.

The scale of business being prosperous and leaf-lard in brisk demand, the tribe of Fairbanks thought it warranted in holding a reunion last August at the Fairbanks homestead, in Dedham, Mass. Jonathan Fairbanks was the original American ancestor, and from him are descended 4,000 American families, says Harper's Weekly. The reunion turned out to be interesting and successful, and one of its results is the recent filing of articles of incorporation of the Fairbanks Family in America, as a society for historical purposes, to hold property, preserve records and objects of family interest and promote the education of its members in subjects relating to their family history. The society will buy the Dedham homestead and make that its headquarters, and will doubtless raise as large a fund as is necessary to provide a sufficient annual income to carry on its work. The project seems adapted to furnish a good deal of lawful and innocent entertainment at small cost, and is likely to commend itself to other families that are scattered over the United States.

WHERE TRAMPS LUXURIATE.

Summer Cottages on the Atlantic Coast Used by the Hobos as Winter Quarters.

All along the Atlantic coast, from Florida to Maine almost, there are scores of summer hotels, with the cottages annexed to them, sheltering guests who pay neither for rent, food nor fuel. They have no smiling and effusive clerk to bid them welcome and put their valuables in the safe; no bell boys at the call; no waiters to tip; no telephone connection with a near-by livery stable. Their names are not published in the newspapers. They seek seclusion, not notoriety. They keep themselves warm without fires; for where there is a fire there is generally smoke, and smoke would betray them. When darkness falls their day is done; for light shining through the shuttered windows would soon make them homeless, or transfer them from a hotel to a jail.

All this reports an eastern exchange, is on the authority of a tramp who has been through the mill, as he expressed it, to a constable in Connecticut a few days ago, when confronted with an opportunity of going to work for the state or telling his tale and getting out of the state to save the constable's reputation.

"THIRTY POISONOUS PLANTS."

Government List Which Includes Many Varieties Supposed to Be Harmless.

Send to the department of agriculture at Washington, D. C. for free pamphlet entitled "Thirty Poisonous Plants." Every one who loves to roam in fields and forest should know the poisonous plants, says "Nature and Science" in St. Nicholas. It is very fortunate for those who are found of rambling through the fields and woods that most of the plants in that government list are poisonous only when eaten. Nearly all cases of skin poisoning are from poison ivy or poison sumac.

It will doubtless surprise many who read this pamphlet of "Thirty Poisonous Plants" to learn that the lady's slippers or mosses flowers are included in the list. A poisonous oil similar to that of poison ivy is secreted in the leaf hairs, especially at the fruiting season. The leaves and flowers of theilly-of-the-valley are also poisonous when taken internally. The taste, however, is very bitter, so no one is likely to eat them.

The beautiful mountain laurel is so often eaten by sheep, resulting in their death, that the farmer calls it sheep-laurel, or poison-laurel.

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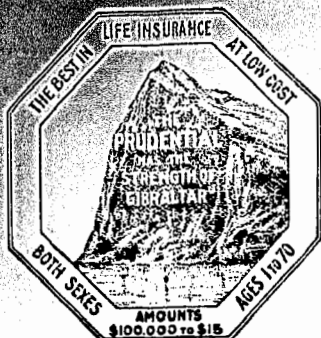
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Sidney Wilmer and his capable company in the sketch "A Thief of the Night," may properly be accorded first place when calling attention to the programme to be offered. A close second for favor will be the ever popular Nat Haines and Will Vidocq. An act that is a novelty is that of Harry Antrim and Yette Peters, "A Meal Under Difficulties."

Europe will furnish Leroy and La Vaunion. Another act that will vie with any mentioned above is that of Selbini & Grovini, Harry Brown, Coats & Grundy, Craig & Ardell, Hoey & Anetia, Corbly & Burke, and an entire set of new pictures for the moving machine, which will be of especial interest to the little folks, are some of the others who will help to entertain, thus affording one of Mr. Keith's best shows.

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Another "cracker jack" show will be offered to Mr. Proctor's thousands of patrons at Proctor's Twenty-third Street playhouse next week. The "headline" act will consist of Flo Irwin and Walter Hawley, in a new vaudeville absurdity entitled "Caught with the Goods." For the first time in a year, James Richmond Gleaney, "The Man with the Green Gloves," will have his say at this popular theatre. Keeley Brothers and Belmont have a novel punching act. Others on the side will be Harry and Sadie Fields, Marion and Pearl, Claffia Sisters, Bert Baker, Misses Delmore, and twenty five other clever specialties.

Glen Macdonough's brilliant comedy success, "A Prodigal Father," will be skillfully interpreted by the Stock Company at Proctor's Fifth Avenue next week. The leading parts will be played by Florence Reed and Charles S. Abbe, the strong supporting company including Wallace Erskine, George Friend, Hugh Ford, Paul McAllister, Al Roberts, Lorna Elliott, Loretta Healy and several other favorites.

Uptown at Mr. Proctor's 135th Street Theatre a splendid revival will be made of Augustin Daly's laughable comedy, "The Lottery of Love." New scenic embellishments are now building and will be used for this play.

Proctor's Newark House will have a good show headed by Gardner and Madden, in Will M. Cressy's latest laugh getter, "A Rise in Rry." Others on the long bill will be Fields and Wooley in "The German Soldier," Yackley and Bunnell, musical comedians; Chinese Johnny Williams, the "American Li Hung Chang," Lavelle and Grant, novelty heavy weight balancers; Charles Mackey, monologist, and fifteen other features.

TONY PASTORS.

This is the bill Tony Pastor has to offer next week: Mo Watters & Tyson, in "Scenes in a Dressing Room;" Talkative Miss Norton, Jean Barriemore & Co., Wood & Ray, Belle Hathaway's Monkeys and Baboons, John F. Clark, Joe F. Willard & Victoria Wilcox, Casmore & Florence, Javet Barrington & Miriam Martell, Hilton & Clark, Daltro & Zelia, Wilbur Amos, Mike Scott, and the American Vitagraph.

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Times of Shark Skin.

In some countries walking-shoes are manufactured from shark skin. From the skin of the animal is obtained a leather suitable for making awl-grips and many fancy articles. Sharks abound on the coast of Nicaragua, and Mr. Gottschalk, the United States consul at San Juan del Norte, suggests that the fins, backbones and skins might with advantage be imported into the United States for industrial purposes. The killing of sharks is encouraged by the Nicaraguan fishery laws, and there appears to be no export duty on any industrial product derived from them.

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Only One Gas Yet to Be Solidified.

Prof. Moissan and Dewar have lately succeeded, with the aid of liquid hydrogen, in solidifying fluorin, and they remark that helium is now the only gas which has not been obtained in the solid state. An interesting result of the experiments was the demonstration that, although chemical activity tends to cease at extremely low temperatures, yet fluorin, which is known to possess more powerful affinities than any other element, is capable, even when reduced to the solid state, of combining with liquid hydrogen. Such a combination, accompanied with a violent explosion, was produced when the solid fluorin and liquid hydrogen were kept at a temperature of -252.5 degrees Centigrade, equivalent to 422.5 degrees Fahrenheit below zero.—Science.

Royal Stamp Collectors.

The prince of Wales is not by any means the only royal philatelist. It is said, indeed, that every royal family in Europe has a member who is collecting stamps. Probably the most zealous collector is Princess Clementine of Belgium. She has made a study of stamps and is regarded as an authority on the subject. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and the king of Serbia have for years been placing stamps in beautiful albums, but of late it is said their interest in the work has somewhat waned. Pope Leo XIII. has a collection of exceptionally rare stamps, and frequently he spends his leisure moments in examining them. The prelates of the church are aware of his interest in them, and whenever they can they send him new treasures for his collection.—Golden Penny.

Peas from Pharaoh's Tomb.

There are bargains and finds to be made in the plant world equal to any picked up in old curiosity shops. Some time ago a Glasgow gentleman received from his son-in-law, an Egyptian, an envelope full of peas, which were said to have been found in the tomb of one of the Pharaohs. He sent them to a friend of his at Haines, in the Isle of Bute, who sowed them. They grew up into plants quite unlike anything known at present, strong and about six feet high, with a great white flower having a red center. The pods were long, and full of excellent peas. This new old variety found a ready sale at good prices.—Nature.

Pewter in Rare Metal.

At the beginning of the sixteenth century, pewter was so rare in England as to be valued by the year for noblemen's houses, and even during the reign of Elizabeth was a very costly material. Gremion in "The Taming of the Shrew" alludes to it as one of the important articles of housekeeping in his city mansion. Before the invention of carpets the rooms were spread with rushes, even in the noblest mansions, and Shakespeare has many allusions to this old custom in words put in the mouths of Iachimo, Glendower and Romeo.

Taxes in London.

Practically only the buildings are taxed in England, and this tax the occupant pays. There is now a strong movement in favor of taxation of "ground rents" and "site values," and the introduction of the plan of laying assessments on property for local improvements, as in this country. It is vigorously opposed by the wealthy class, especially by the dukes, who own the ground upon which London is built.—N. Y. World.

Wisdom of Experience.

"What is your opinion as to long engagements?" queried the young man whose springtime fancy lightly turned to thoughts of a matrimonial nature. "They're the worst ever," answered the man who had found it necessary to comb his hair with a towel for 10, these many moons. "A long engagement means a short bank balance to begin housekeeping on."—Chicago Daily News.

Prompt Action.

The auctioneer was closing out the effects of a bankrupt at a hotel.

"Well," he said, "there's a football, good as new. Take it and look at it. What am I offered for it?"

A college boy in the crowd grabbed it, started it with a kick, and when last heard from it was still going, going.—Chicago Tribune.

An Effectual Quietus.

He—Why, we haven't even extol the virtues of men to prove the inferiority of women. The very failings of womankind prove the point. No woman, for example, has a sense of humor.

She—She hasn't? Then why is it that all bits of bright repartee are called sallies?—N. Y. Times.

Poverty.

Mr. Newrocks—"What sort of folks are the Bluebloods next door, Mariah?"

Mrs. Newrocks (patronizingly)—Pleasant but they must be frightfully hard up. They haven't got any mechanical attachment for their piano and have to play it by hand.—Judge.

Mahogany in Cuba.

Cuba's two principal export woods are mahogany and cedar. Good mahogany lands may still be bought on the south coast at a low figure, but the price is steadily advancing.—N. Y. Sun.

Evolution of Woman.

She—What wonderful changes time has wrought in the world.

He—Yes, indeed. In the days of Methuselah it was the men who lied about their age.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Courtroom Courtship.

First Lawyer—"The judge seems quite sweet on the widow."

Second Lawyer—"What you might call 'legal tender.'"—Princeton Tiger.

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Misses' and Children's white canvas Oxford Ties with narrow bulldog toe shapes, an ideal shoe for summer, in C, D and E widths, sizes 8½ to 11 for 1.00, sizes 11½ to 2 for.....

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Misses' and Children's White Canvas Lace Shoes, with London toe shapes and oak tanned leather soles; they make a splendid play shoe for children, in C, D and E widths, sizes 8½ to 11 for 1.25, sizes 11½ to 2 for.....

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The Human Stomach.
Nature seems to have provided that no poison which acts externally shall have any effect internally and vice versa. Thus the most deadly snake venom can be swallowed with impunity, the juice of the stomach presumably decomposing it and rendering it harmless.—Journal of Science.

Strawberry Mound.
Crush a pint of fine ripe strawberries with two cupsful of sugar. Beat the whites of three eggs until stiff, add them to the strawberries, and whip all together until it will stand alone. Pile in a mound in a glass dish, and serve very cold with whipped cream.—Home Magazine.

Helpless Infant.
"Have you decided on a name for the baby yet, Tankley?"
"Yes, we've named her for my new automobile."
"What?"
"Fnet. We call her Gasolina."—Chicago Tribune.

Assumed at the Altar.
Tess—She's traveling under an assumed name now.
Jess—You don't say so! What is it?
"Her husband's. She was married yesterday."—Modern Science.

Hoped He Could Do It.
"We have decided to raise your rent," announced the landlord.
"Thanks," replied the tenant. "If you succeed in raising it, I won't have to."—Chicago Post.

Doubly Useful.
She—Society is really useful only to those who want to marry.
He—Oh, I don't know. It strikes me as being just as useful to those who are married, and want to forget it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Wealth.
Wealth is something that enables a millionaire to stand up in meeting and say it is no disgrace to be poor.—Chicago Daily News.

Knew Him Too Well.
A well-known lawyer made a powerful plea recently in a breach-of-promise case. His little son went home and said:
"Mama, I heard papa make a speech to-day. And what do you think—papa almost cried, and he made some of the jurymen cry, too."

"And what did you do, my son?" asked the lawyer's wife.
"O, he can't fool me," replied the heir and pride of the family.—Stray Stories.

To Clean Aluminum.
To clean articles made of aluminum wash thoroughly in warm soap and water; rinse well and dry at once in a clean cloth and polish with chamomile skin. If very dirty, make a paste with some whiting and a little water or methylated spirit, apply this thickly, leave it on a few minutes, and then rub it off, polishing well with a clean leather. Never use soda, as it blackens and discolors this metal.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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The rumor that Doctor Depew's
favorite tree is a chestnut is con-
tradicted.

Gov. Pennypacker's effort to muzz-
le the American press when last
heard from had dropped in the
Schuylkill and got its pants wet.

Democracy has a Money-Split.
Republicanism has a Tariff-Split,
and the splits are growing all the
time.

Following Booker Washington's
advice to the colored people to raise
poultry there is a breathless silence
and a large demand for shot guns,
he having failed to say whose poultry
he wants raised.

Shall Westfield hereafter be known
as the town that lacks enough en-
terprise to make possible free band
concerts during the summer? The
Standard would like to publish the
views of Westfield citizens on the
subject.

Councilman Wittke is called the
"Watch Dog of the Town Council."
It is not likely that any bill or ordi-
nance will be rushed through the
council without a word or two on
the subject from Mr. Wittke.

"Westfield roads and cross walks
are in a much worse condition now
than they have been for many years
past." is the remark that is heard al-
most daily in Westfield. It is becom-
ing quite a topic for general discus-
sion. The season for road building and
repairing is rapidly passing by. Is
the town council committee on
roads fully awake to the situation?

"The management of the Westfield
base ball nine have assembled what may
be called without exaggeration a team
of magnificent players, and the appoint-
ments of their grounds are all that the
most exacting could ask."—Cranford
Chronicle.

Bro. Potter is right! Westfield
has a great aggregation of magnifi-
cent ball tossers and the public are
giving the Association the most
liberal support.

WILL BE NO WRESTLING BOUT.

Trustees of Base Ball Association Decide
to Cancel This Feature of the Sport
at Recreation Park.

The trustees of the Westfield Base
Ball Association, at a meeting held last
night, decided to cancel the wrestling
match scheduled at Recreation Park
before the ball game on June 27th.
While the bout might be a pleasing at-
traction for many lovers of true sport
in this section, still it is not the inten-
tion of the management to in any way
antagonize anyone, and as there seemed
to be an objection to the match from
some of Westfield's citizens the affair
has been called off.

Another feature at the ball grounds
will be the placing of signs in conspicu-
ous places prohibiting betting on the
grounds.

In the Suburbs.

These are the days when the Subur-
banite delights in tantalizing the
couped up cityman, for he points out
the advantages of the green fields, the
refreshing atmosphere, the fragrance of
the flowers, and the delights of out door
life, and compares them with the dris-
ty, paved streets the absence of trees, and
everything of nature and what man likes
best—freedom. The suburban country
has schools, fine walks, inclosure roads,
water and sewer systems, and every
feature of the city but separation from
its noise and humdrum. The New Jer-
sey Central stands first as the commu-
nity's road, and its towns are among the
finest suburban places in the country.
The General Passenger Department of
the New Jersey Central, New York, has
just issued an expensive booklet, known
as "Within the Suburban Limits," and
the book contains much of interest in
suburban life. Sent 4 cents in stamps
for it.

SCHOOL TEACHERS
EARN REST.

WHERE THEY WILL SPEND THEIR
VACATIONS.

Some of Them Will Spend the Summer at
Home While Others Will Attend Sum-
mer Schools.

The Westfield school teachers have
finished their year's work and hard
work it was, and they will soon be en-
joying their summer's vacation. A few
of the teachers will attend summer
school, others will spend their time at
home with short trips to summer resorts,
and still others will go immediately to
the sea shore or to the mountains for
the entire vacation period.

The Standard, following its usual cus-
tom, has inquired as to the movements
of the teachers: Miss Ida Eaten will at-
tend summer school at Providence, R.
I.; Miss Edith Darby will follow Miss
Eaten's plan and will attend school in
New York State, while Miss Elizabeth
Stryker will attend the Martha's Vine-
yard summer school.

Miss Mary Lindsay will spend the
summer at Freeland, Pa.; Miss P. I.
Hart at Trenton; Miss M. A. Boisselle at
Auburn, N. Y.; Miss Minnie Carter,
Christmas Cove, Maine; Miss E. Grace
Hardy, Baltimore, Md.; Miss Grace
Guthrie, Springfield, Mass.; Miss Estelle
M. Clark, Kanawha Falls, West Va.; Miss
Ella Crowell, Rahway; Miss Alice Tren-
bath, Somerville; Miss M. J. Oliver,
Beaverkill, N. Y.; Miss Grace F.
Harned, Christmas Cove, Maine; Miss
S. I. Brown, Boonton; Miss C. P. Pow-
ler, Westfield; Miss May S. Appar,
Dunellen; Miss Edna A. Halsey, South
ampton, L. I. and Miss May O. Fuiper,
Newark.

UNCLE SAM WILL SHINE FORTH

In All His Glory in Next Week's Standard,
Fourth of July Number.

The Standard force will put on a little
extra elbow grease in getting out our
next issue and it promises to be a very
attractive number. Uncle Sam will be
displayed on the front cover page in red,
white and blue. The great American
Eagle will be shown toying with fire
crackers, and on the inside cover page
will be printed a complete history of
"Old Glory" with several illustrations
of the flag from its birth in the year
1777 to the beautiful banner it is at the
present day.

The bustling and wide-a-woke busi-
ness men have taken space in this
edition very liberally and altogether the
"Fourth of July Standard" will be an
edition quite up to the usual metropoli-
tan excellence of special editions hereto-
fore issued from this office.

Italian Crazy Over Loss of Money.

Victorino Italiano presented a woe-
begone appearance Friday night in Re-
corder Toucey's court room. He claimed
that while he was asleep Thursday
night, a brother Italian stole softly upon
him and deftly withdrew \$130 hard
earned coin from his stocking and made
good his escape. When Victorino dis-
covered his loss he was wild with rage
and grief, and with his finger nails fear-
fully gouged his face until it was a mass
of deep gashes streaming with blood. In
the court he could not talk "United
States" sufficiently well to enable the
police to get enough information to
warrant a search for the thief. Victorino
now lives on North street in the Italian
settlement.

Letter to John O'Brien,

Dear Sir: You know all about shoes.
How many customers have you who know
anything about 'em?

You have bought and sold shoes for
years, and have learned what you know
by your customers' liking one sort, and
not liking another. They find out by
wearing 'em.

So with paint; but we go deeper. We
are 140 years old in the business, and we
make, not buy—we make a good deal of
paint.

We paint a good share of the railroad
and steamer property in the United
States, and may as well paint the pri-
vate property. Yours as well as any-
body else's.

Devos Lead and Zinc is your paint.
Costs half as much as mixed paint, and
lead and oil because it takes fewer gal-
lons and wears twice as long.

Beck Bros. & Co., Williamsport, Pa.,
write:

Mr. Ezra Rathmell had used 11 gallons of
well-known mixed paint for his house, he re-
ported it this year with Devos Lead and Zinc
bought 11 gallons and had 6 gallons left.

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

P. S. Chas. Orickenberg sells our
paint.

The regular meeting of Willard W.
O. T. U. will be held at the hall on
Prospect street, on Tuesday afternoon,
June 23rd, at half past three o'clock.
All members are urgently requested to
attend.

The School of Methods for Sunday
School Teachers will hold a convention
at Asbury Park, beginning July 6th.
The delegates from Westfield are Mrs.
F. R. Baker and Miss Cunningham of
the Presbyterian S. S., Miss Beebe of
the Congregational S. S. and W. S.
Hart of the Methodist.

WILL HAVE NEW
STREET SIGNS.

TOWN COUNCIL HAS PLACED THE
ORDER.

Councilman Wittke Holds Council in
Check—Asks For More Deliberation in
Passing Ordinances.

At Monday night's council meeting
councilman C. D. Lossee was made
chairman in the absence of councilman
at-large, Martin Welles.

175 new street signs were ordered from
Charles D. Reese at the rate of 45 cents
for each sign. The signs will be prop-
erly placed as soon as they are received.

Fire Chief, Ira O. Lambert, appeared
before the committee and asked permis-
sion for the firemen to have a day off,
Tuesday, June 23rd, in order that they
might avail themselves of General
Manager Besler's offer of a day's outing
at Lake Hopatcong. The request was
referred to the fire committee and was
later granted.

The finance committee reported favor-
ably on the Dr. William Gale bill that
has been before the council so many
times. The bill was ordered paid.

The treasurer was authorized to have
a note discounted for \$2,000 for town
expenses.

Councilman Wittke took exception to
the council's passing ordinances, as he
thought, without due deliberation. He
thought more time should be given them
in order to be absolutely sure that they
were correct. He in one or two in-
stances, won his point.

Several ordinances that had been
passed at previous meetings were passed
on second and final readings and after
publication will become a law.

The salary of the road superintendent
was increased from \$300 to \$400.

At last something is to be done in the
way of improvement with at least one
cross walk. A new walk was ordered
laid at the corner of Westfield and
South avenues. This is but one of the
many, many cross walks that need im-
mediate attention from the road com-
mittee.

An effort was made to change the
hour of closing saloons prescribed in the
excise ordinance, from 11.30 to 12 o'clock
at night. When put to a vote it appeared
to many to have been won, but chair-
man Lossee declared the motion lost.
Councilman Russell asked for a poll of
the vote but his request was refused.

Councilman Lossee, chairman of the
committee on grade crossings, reported
progress. He stated that he had called
at Mr. Besler's office but was informed
that that gentleman was out of town.

John M. Giblin again had his bill for
the loss of chickens before the council.
It was referred to the law committee.
Mr. Giblin has been trying to collect
this bill of \$21 for the best part of one
year.

After passing several bills for pay-
ment, among them the election bills, the
council adjourned.

EXCURSION SEASON SOON TO OPEN.

The Great Methodist, Congregational and
Episcopal Sunday School Outing the
First of the Season.

The great summer event in Sunday
school circles each year is the excursion
season which is now very near at hand.
As usual, the Methodist, Congregational
and Episcopal Sunday Schools will start
the ball rolling and July 10th is the day
set for their grand outing.

It will be Asbury Park and Ocean
Grove again this year and where could
you find a more delightful place to spend
a hot summer's day than at the sea-
shore?

The excursion train will leave West-
field at 8.30 a. m. and on the return will
leave Ocean Grove at 5.50 and 9 o'clock
p. m. The second section will be for
the accommodation of the many who
want to see the old ocean by moonlight.

TO THE EXEMPT FIREMEN AND CIT-
IZENS.

Greeting:

During the absence of our firemen
on the excursion Tuesday, June 23rd,
the following gentlemen have consented
to act as Chief and 2nd Asst for that
day: Mr. Jas. Mallett, Chief; Mr. H.
L. Flint, 1st Asst; Mr. A. LaRosa, 2nd
Asst. If a fire should occur, we will
will the Exempt Firemen kindly re-
spond, as they did in times gone by, as
sitting the respective companies they
were former members of. All others
assisting will kindly recognize the au-
thority of the above mentioned.

IRA O. LAMBERT,
Chief W. F. D.

Approved, GEO. B. DICKINSON,
Chairman Committee on Fire Dept.

The Sweet Bros., formerly of West-
field, now of Bakersfield, Cal., are at-
taining success as melon raisers. They
have about 40 acres of water melons
and 60 acres of cantaloupes. They ex-
pect to ship a part of their products to
New York market.

The members of Westfield Lodge
No. 109, I. O. O. F. are looking forward
to Wednesday evening of next week,
when the Grand Master and staff with
members from every Lodge in the
District, and others are expected to be
present in their rooms in Masonic Hall.
Among the many things that will take
place will be an initiation of several
new members.

FIREMEN'S OUTING ON TUESDAY.

Gen'l Manager Besler of the 'Jersey Central
Will Take Them to Lake Hopatcong.

As announced in last week's Standard
the firemen's outing at Lake Hopatcong
will take place Tuesday next, the special
train furnished by general manager W.
G. Besler of the Jersey Central, leaving
Westfield at eight o'clock in the morn-
ing.

Chief Ira O. Lambert has given tick-
ets to each of the firemen good for the
holder and lady. No children will be
taken on the trip. The return will be
about 5.30, leaving the lake and arriv-
ing at Westfield about eight o'clock.



This Mountainside belle will take the
1.55 special to-morrow for Phillipsburg.
She is the only genuine female sport in
the borough. She loves base ball.

GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATION.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J.
Maxwell of 98 Westfield avenue, was the
scene of an enjoyable affair on Monday
evening last, when the fiftieth anniver-
sary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. A.
J. Brainerd, parents of Mrs. Maxwell
and E. A. Brainerd, of Westfield ave-
nue, was fittingly celebrated. The
house was prettily decorated with ferns
and daisies. The bride and groom of
fifty years were surrounded by about
sixty relatives and friends from 7 to 10
o'clock, who extended congratulations
and best wishes, a double portion being
bestowed upon Mrs. Brainerd, who at-
tained her 73rd birthday upon that oc-
casion. A fine supper was served. The
table was beautifully decorated with
smilax and daisies, with a caudalabra
in the center, adorned with yellow
shades.

Mr. and Mrs. Brainerd were married
in New York, June 15, 1853, and for the
past four years have resided in West-
field. They were the recipients of a
number of gifts, including a purse of
gold.

JERSEY NEWSPAPER MEN TO HAVE
OUTING.

Management of Jersey Central Railroad
Will be the Host—Will Participate in
Trial Trip of Steamer "Asbury
Park."

The management of the Central Rail-
road of New Jersey has invited the
newspaper editors with their wives,
from points along the Central, to partici-
pate in the initial trial trip of the new
Sandy Hook steamer, "Asbury Park" on
Thursday, June 25th.

It is the intention to take a short trip
up the Hudson river and return late
in the afternoon.

The outing promises to be a most en-
joyable one, the newspaper men remem-
bering the special trip given them by
the management of the Central last
summer, which took in Mauch Chunk
and the famous Switchback railroad.

MALLETT MAY GET IN TROUBLE.

It is Claimed He is Not a Justice of the
Peace in the Borough of Mountainside.

J. F. Mallett hangs his shingle out as
being a Justice of the Peace in the bor-
ough of Mountainside, but it is claimed
that he is not legally a Justice and may
get himself involved in considerable
trouble if he in any way uses the privi-
leges of the office.

It appears that the old township of
Westfield was entitled to five Justices
and they were elected, all within the
township lines. This left no such of-
fice vacant for the borough, which was
also in the township, but Mallett was
elected to the office by Mountainside
voters and a certificate given him from
Trenton. Mountainside would have
been entitled to a Justice had the town-
ship had a population of 7,000. Mallett's
friends, it is understood, will endeavor
to have him take down his shingle and
thus avoid legal entanglements.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that
Contains Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of
smell and completely derange the whole sys-
tem when entering it through the mucous sur-
faces, such articles should never be used ex-
cept on prescriptions from reputable phy-
sicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold
to the good you can possibly derive from them.
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Prime Chuck Rst., lb., 10c	Fresh Shoulder Pork, lb., 12c	Vegetables

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FOR SALE—12 room house on Dudley avenue, lot 8x300. Apply 224 Dudley avenue.

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FOR SALE—Upright piano on storage, 33 Picton street.

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Legal Notice.

ESTATE of Albert Wilcox, Deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the undersigned their claims against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the second day of May, 1903, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting 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, Administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given 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 prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

DAVID T. PIERSON, Administrator.

ESTATE of Harriet B. Cory, Deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given 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 twelfth day of June, 1903, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

JAMES O. CLARK, Executor.

ESTATE of Nathaniel L. Newcomb, deceased. Pursuant to order of George Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given 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 twelfth day of June, 1903, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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—Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Malsbury spent Sunday at Caldwell.

—Mrs. Frank Brown of South Broad street will leave to-morrow for a several weeks visit with friends in Massachusetts.

—The members of Westfield Lodge No. 109, I. O. O. F., and their friends will attend St. Paul's Episcopal church Broad street, Sunday evening June 28. The Rev. W. O. Jarvis will preach a sermon to the members.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS

To-morrow take the 1.55 p. m. train at Westfield for Phillipsburg.
Westfield vs. North End A. C. Great Ball Game.
Join the Crowd.

—Miss Ethel Wilson is ill with quinsy sore throat.

—The colored camp meeting will open Sunday night.

—Robert Carberry has returned from his business trip through the West.

—Mrs. V. O. Burtis will entertain the Advance Club tonight at her home on the Springfield road.

—Harry B. Tremaine has just obtained a patent for improvements in the keyboard of musical instruments.

—The season for bass fishing is now on and it is reported that this gamey fish are very plentiful in nearby streams.

—Mrs. J. E. Brittingham and E. F. Brittingham will visit relatives in Maryland next week.

—Henry Warucke is at home after his eight weeks' business trip through the south and west.

—The regular meeting of the board of health will be held tonight in the town rooms.

—Mrs. C. J. Greenwood has been spending several days with friends at East Orange.

—Mrs. Fishbough, of Elm street, is convalescing from an attack of intermittent fever.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wright Neefus will return Tuesday next from their wedding tour to Nova Scotia.

—Mrs. Lawrence Bogert is giving a porch party this afternoon at her residence, corner Carleton Place and Park street.

—Rev. C. J. Greenwood will deliver an address before the Y. M. C. A. of Rahway, N. J., Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—The Union Electrical Co. who recently opened for business in Westfield, are much pleased with the way orders are coming in.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Wilder, of Asbury Park, was the guest of Mrs. James R. Paterson of Park street, during the past week.

—James R. Paterson will leave on Tuesday next for Saratoga, where he will attend the Master Mechanic and Car Builders' Convention.

—Miss Florence Brainerd expects soon to take a trip to Yellowstone Park. Miss Brainerd will be gone about four weeks.

—Stanley Jacquin, of New York, and Edward Bennett, of East Orange, have been visiting friends in Westfield this week.

—Take the 1.55 special from Westfield tomorrow afternoon for the Westfield-North End game at Phillipsburg. They are all going. Join the crowd.

—E. F. Brittingham of San Francisco, Cal., is spending a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brittingham of 68 Cumberland street.

—Miss Edna Diedrich, of Sayre, Pa., has returned to her home after spending a pleasant four weeks with her grandfather, William Hendrickson, the affable news agent at the depot.

—Many consider the following score to be about correct for last Saturday's game: Westfield, 2; Umpire Traphagen, 2; Scotch Plains, 0. An umpire's life is a hard proposition at its best.

—Friday at midnight—Thos. Kane of Catawqua, Pa., Patrick McClusky of Lansdale, Pa.—both drunk—Officer Knapp—lockup over night—Recorder Toucey—advice—discharged in the morning.

—About one hundred Westfield rooters will make the journey to Phillipsburg to-morrow afternoon to see the Westfield-North End game. The express train will leave Westfield at 1.55.

—The Young Ladies Mission Band of the Methodist Episcopal church, netted a neat sum for the benefit of the Italian Mission at the festival given by them at the W. C. T. U. hall on Friday evening last.

—Recreation Park to-morrow afternoon will be the scene of the much heralded Fireside Council, R. A. ball game. The Blues and the Reds will fight it out to the last ditch. Last Saturday's practice gave evidence that the boys know a thing or two about ball playing, and aside from the comedy that is bound to crop out during the game there will be some stiff work.

—At the Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. O. J. Greenwood, will preach next Sunday morning and evening. The subject of the morning sermon will be, "The Wondrousness of Kindness." In the evening he will deliver the third sermon in the series on "Lessons of Life from Marble and Canvas." Subject, "Youth's Midway Plaisance; or the Blighting of Life."

GRADUATES GET DIPLOMAS.

ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT OF WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL.

Held Last Night—Miss Jennie K. Bailey, Valedictorian, and Miss Alice Warncke, Salutatorian, Appeared to Advantage—Dr. Madison C. Peters Delivered Address of Evening—Martin Welles Presented Diplomas.

The service on Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church was well attended despite the stormy weather, and proved a memorable and profitable one. The profuse decorations and lavish display of flowers, flags and greens, made the church most beautiful. The organist, Mrs. Harry N. Taylor, rendered several selections, and the "Te Deum No. 6 in E flat," by Dudley Buck, and "Saviour When Night" by Harry Rowe Shelly, were effectively given by the choir, under the direction of Miss Reger. The alumni, teachers, Prof. Savitz and the members of the Board of Education assembled in the chapel at 7.45 o'clock and entered the church in a body, occupying the front seats. Rev. Henry Ketcham presided, and Rev. C. J. Greenwood, pastor of the Baptist church offered prayer, and Rev. James R. Danforth, D. D., of the Congregational church, read the scripture. Dr. C. M. Anderson was obliged to be absent, having charge of the service at Locust Grove chapel. The sermon to the graduates by Rev. William Oscar Jarvis, rector of St. Paul's church, was most eloquent and instructive.

CLASS DAY.

The Class Day exercises were held on Wednesday afternoon in the Washington School Hall, which was filled with the relatives and friends of the graduating class and scholars. The ushers were pupils from the Junior Class. They were the Misses Edith Cowperthwaite, Marie Sjostrom, Dorothy Francis, Etta Sheld, Marion Brown, and Messrs. Carolus Clarke, Hunter Delatour, Hal Ketcham, Herbert Knight and Lynne Brannesholtz.

The program arranged was an innovation, and consisted of a Class Day Drama in one act, entitled "Fifteen-to-Two." The idea of the drama was a novel one and was the thought and execution of Miss Oriole Lloyd, who deserves great credit for her successful efforts.

The class colors, red and white, prettily festooned the class motto, "Aim to Excel," formed a part of the decorations. An abundance of daisies and palms adorned the stage with an appropriate background of green. The quaint and artistic gowns of the fifteen "sweet girl graduates" were greatly enhanced by the costumes of the two gallant knights. The following is the program:

A GROUP of Gentle Maidens well happily in their ancestral hall till on a sad day they are captured and confined in an enchanted castle. The four knights, Sir John Prophecy a Deliverer, but he comes not.

DRAMATIS PERSONAE.

Jennie Bailey.....Valedictorian
Estelle Hegeman.....Five Captive Maidens.
Anna Sortor.....
Lillian Hann.....
Mary Lloyd.....Keeper of Castle Keys
Orlone Lloyd.....Sir John Prophecy
Pearle Welch.....Sir John Prophecy
Charlotte Cory.....Her Disciple
Joe Sherman, Jr.....First Knight
Herbert Knight.....Second Knight
Ethelyn Terry.....Herald
Virginia Ketcham.....Maiden

Ernesta Bachmann.....Notary Public
Edith Wolcott.....Clark
Alice Warncke.....Lady of the Exchequer
Lizzie Hart.....Her Assistant
Belle Godshalk.....Historian

Each member of the class was introduced during the drama, and the entire program reflected great credit upon the scholars.

A solo was nicely rendered by Miss Jennie Bailey, and a duet by the Misses Alice Warncke and Belle Godshalk with violin accompaniment by Miss Virginia Ketcham, and Mrs. Mape at the piano.

An amusing and interesting poem was read by Joseph Sherman, Jr., the class poet, who also composed the class song, which was well sung by the entire class. Miss Belle Godshalk was Class Historian. She told of the trials, hardships and fun of the class of '03 during their four years in the High School, in a most interesting manner. Miss Pearl Welch, as Class Prophet, made a charming fortune teller, and read the palms of her classmates in a witty and pleasing style.

The charge to the Juniors was given by the Class President, Miss Estelle Hegeman; it was well delivered, full of bright and helpful advice and timely warning. The response was well given by the President of the Juniors, Carolus Clarke, and proved he was wide awake and fully equal to the occasion. The Class Will was nicely written and clearly read by Miss Ernesta Bachmann, who had carefully and wisely considered the interests of the Juniors in bequeathing the many and choice possessions of the Class of '03.

The Class Mementos were amusingly presented by Herbert Welch, who had so appropriately selected the class gifts. He in turn was presented with a Joke Book from the class, by Miss Anna Sortor. At the close of the entertainment dancing was enjoyed for an hour and ice cream and cake was served.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The annual commencement exercises took place last evening in the auditorium of the Washington school. The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity, all the seats were occupied and every available spot of standing room was taken

by the friends and relatives of the graduates.

The exercises were indeed the crowning feature, not only of the work of the four years of the graduates, but in the history of Westfield schools. Every detail had been successfully carried out, and nothing was left undone that could possibly have made the occasion a more beautiful and memorable one.

The class graduated is the largest one that has ever gone from the Westfield High School, and judging from the abundance of flowers and gifts showered upon them, the class of '03 have a host of friends and good wishes.

Those who occupied the platform were the teachers, members of the Board of Education, President Martin Welles, Salter Storrs Clark, Hiram L. Fink, Robert A. Fairbairn, Clerk J. J. Coger, Councilman Frank S. Smith, Wellington Morehouse, Dr. C. M. Anderson, Dr. Madison C. Peters, Supervising Principal Prof. J. J. Savitz and Mrs. Savitz, Mrs. Martin Welles, Mrs. Salter S. Clark, Mrs. Hiram L. Fink and the eighteen graduates, as follows: Lillian Hann, Lizzie L. Hart, Anna M. Sortor, Jennie K. Bailey, Oriole E. Lloyd, Ethelyn B. Terry, Mary E. Lambert, Pearl E. Welch, Karl D. Robinson, Alice L. Warncke, Edith H. Walcott, Herbert B. Welch, Virginia H. Ketcham, Charlotte B. Corey, Joseph Sherman, Jr., Arabella V. Godshalk, Antoinette E. Hegeman, Ernestine L. Bachmann.

The music under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Banghart was well rendered by the High and Grammar School Glee Clubs.

The Salutatory was given by Miss Alice Warncke, who in a graceful and appropriate manner extended a hearty greeting. Miss Jennie Bailey was the Valedictorian and her essay on Ideals was well written and delivered. A feature of the evening was the address given by Dr. Madison C. Peters, of Baltimore. This address was one of the finest and most eloquent, as well as witty and interesting that has been given in Westfield. The class of '03 are to be congratulated upon their choice in selecting and obtaining such an able speaker. The entire evening's program was so well given and enjoyed that it will ever linger with pleasure in the minds of those present. Following the program several hours were spent in dancing, Miss Florence Donnell presiding at the piano. Thus closes the chapter of the Class of '03 in the history of the Westfield High School.

The program was as follows:

PART I.
Chorus, "Merry June".....Vincent High and Grammar Glee Clubs.
Invocation.....Dr. C. M. Anderson
Three-Part Song "Morn Rise".....Manney High School Students.
Salutatory.....Alice Warncke
Chorus, "Out on the Deep".....Lohr Boys Glee Club.
Valedictory.....Jennie Bailey
Chorus "Sing On".....Denza Girls Glee Club.

PART II.
Chorus, "Away to the Fields".....Wilson High School Glee Clubs
Presentation of Diplomas, Mr. Martin Welles, President Board of Education.
Three-Part Song, "The Fairies Dance".....Fairington Grammar School Pupils.
Address.....Dr. Madison C. Peters
Parting Song, "Alma Mater".....Denza Senior Class.
Benediction.....Dr. C. M. Anderson
To-night at Westfield Club Hall a reception will be tendered to the Seniors by the Junior Class.



The above picture gives a fair idea of how "Andy" Smith will appear while umpiring the Fireside Council game to-morrow afternoon. "Andy" believes in style for all occasions. In the grip he carries a gun and securely fastened in the end of his walking stick is a sharpened ten penny nail. There will be something doing if any of the players object to the umpire's decisions. "Andy" is full of action and is a man of but few words.

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—Mrs. Eva Ostermann of South Orange has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Stamets on Picton street.

—The Sunday School Primary Teachers Union will hold a picnic at the Fresh Air Camp on Tuesday next. About fifty teachers are expected to be present.

—Prof. Harry Westervelt of Newark, will furnish the music for the Alumni Dance Monday evening, which promises to be a brilliant affair.

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Wiesbaden Process.—For this two lots of berries are required—one of all large, sound, dead ripe berries and the other of perfectly sweet and fresh, but not necessarily large berries. In looking them over put aside the fine ones, but do not hull until ready to use. To every pound of the smaller berries allow a pound of sugar and mix in layers in a stone crock. Cover and allow them to stand for several hours or over night, until they form their own juice. Drain off the syrup and boil down to two-thirds of the original quantity. Have well sterilized cans with fresh rubbers in readiness; fill with the nice whole berries which have been hulled and set on a thick, very hot cloth in a dripping pan on back of the range to keep warm while being filled with the scalding syrup. Pour the syrup over them quickly and seal air tight. The Germans frequently use half honey in place of all sugar in this process. In this case cover the berries with the sugar, allowing only a half pound of sugar to each pound of fruit. After standing and draining add a quarter of a pound of honey for each pound of fruit and boil down to two-thirds of the original quantity. In using honey the syrup must be carefully skimmed before filling the jars. —N. Y. Herald.

Get a Perspective on Pain.

We are so constituted that what is occurring at the moment interests us often out of all proportion to its importance. For example, we are thrown out of our balance by the merest trifles, perhaps which occur to-day but which in a week's time may have no significance whatever. Obstacles which seem like mountains when we meet them, dwindle away to mole hills when we get away from them. Even what seems tragedy at the moment, in the future may be the most innocent comedy. Most of us are so constituted that we will make almost any sacrifice for present peace. It would seem easier to have an arm or a leg amputated two years hence than to lose a finger to-day. It is human nature to shrink from pain; and we purchase release at almost any cost. If we could only train the mind to look at to-day's trouble and annoyance from the standpoint of the future, it would be much easier to bear. —Washington Times.

How Birds Are Killed for Hats.—According to Mr. W. E. D. Scott, of Princeton University, there is special cruelty in the manner of killing birds in Florida for use on women's hats. The hunters take advantage of the devotion of the parent birds to their young by lying in wait near the nests, before the young birds are able to fly. Knowing that their cries will bring back the parents again and again, in spite of the disturbance made by the slaughterers. With Flobert rifles the devoted birds are picked off at a distance of only 10 or 12 feet. —Youth's Companion.

Marriage in India.—Marriage no one may escape in India. It is, as death and birth, inevitable. Only birth and death are our finalities; marriage may come by choice, caprice or accident; these are not found in Indian dictionaries. The wisdom of selection is left to parents. Of course there are mistakes, surprises, disappointments, as everywhere. But I saw as much love, light and happy eyes in India as in any other country. —Everybody's Magazine.

Shallow African Lake.—Lake Chad, in Africa, is reported by two French explorers to be 185 miles long and 89 miles wide, yet only 25 feet deep in its deepest part, and only five feet in its eastern side. It has 80 islands, some barren, others only pastureland, and some covered with forests and millet plantations and having a total population of about 60,000. —London Mail.

A Payment.—Everbroke—I want to pay you something on account. Tailor (rubbing his hands)—Ah, I'm glad to see you. "Yes, I want to pay you a compliment on account of your artistic way of darning. Sh—not a word—you deserve it. Good morning." —Kansas City Journal.

Couldn't Keep It.—Eva—I thought you were never going to speak to Harold again as long as you lived? Ciss—I know I said so, but it wasn't my fault that I broke the resolution. "How did it happen?" "He called me up over the telephone." —Stray Stories.

Not Doing His Duty.—Mrs. Jones—I think it's the most ridiculous thing to call that man in the bank a "teller." Mrs. Johnson—Why? "Because he simply won't tell at all. I asked one to-day how much my husband had on deposit there, and he just laughed." —Stray Stories.

Sure Sign.—Wife—I think father must be entering into his second childhood. Husband—That's right. I've noticed lately that he is beginning to remember a great many incidents of his boyhood days that never happened. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

Matter of Numbers.—"And all his rich aunt left him was \$100? Weren't the relations between them pleasant?" "O yes, they were pleasant enough, but there were too many of them." —Chicago Tribune.

The Dejected Visit.—Martha—I meant to come to see you while you were sick, Mary. Mary—Well, I couldn't stay sick all summer to oblige you. —Philadelphia Ledger.

To the U. S. N. Y. N. Y.

Are you going to Atlanta? Is the society of which you are a member arranging to be represented at our great annual Convention? Will the enthusiasm, spiritual earnestness and manifold helpfulness of our national assembly inspire your life or that of your society and church by intelligent representation and report? To be vitally interested in the Convention and to know that you are represented is the duty and privilege of our Baptist young people. As "The Baptist Union" urges, send your pastor. He will deeply appreciate your kindness and it will mutually intensify your affections. He will derive innumerable benefits from the trip, the convention sessions and the social and spiritual intercourse with the brethren of this great continent. Your society and church will be richer in truth and more efficient in service because of the blessings he will bring home. We unite our voice with "The Union" and again say, "Send your pastor." If you can't attend a vacation this summer, consider the advantages offered by the Atlanta Convention. Can anything suggest itself of equal pleasure and profit? The route to the Convention is by the Southern Railway from Washington to Atlanta. The line is laid among many of the most beautiful and historic sections of the south. Side trips of moderate rates to Lookout Mountain, Chattanooga, Tenn., and elsewhere are arranged. Too much cannot be said concerning the beauty of Atlanta, its historic memories and importance, while its delightful summer temperature, because of the altitude of the city, is most inviting. If you desire information regarding any of these matters send to the transportation leader for printed pamphlet. The official route of delegates from Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, District of Columbia and Ontario. Special train leaves Washington, 10:45 p. m., July 6, 1903. New York delegation car leaves New York, 4:20 p. m., July 7, joining other delegations at Washington. Tickets on sale July 6th to 9th inclusive, with return limited July 16th. By depositing ticket and payment of 50 cent fee an extension of final return limit will be extended until August 15th, 1903. The low rate of one fare for the round trip plus \$1.00 for this occasion. "If you anticipate going kindly send your name to transportation leader. We desire to know about how many we are to accommodate." Address Geo. E. Crossen, Transportation Leader, No. 25-27, West 84th street, New York City, or Alex. S. Thwait, Eastern Passenger Agent, Southern Railway, 1185 Broadway, New York.

PAINTS MANHATTAN BEACH FIREWORKS.—A Gorgeous Production of "Last Days of Pompeii" This Summer's Attraction. Paints annual fireworks exhibition at Manhattan Beach, New York, will be a new and costly production of "Last Days of Pompeii," the spectacle that has startled two continents with its sensational realism in depicting the destruction of the Roman city by Mt. Vesuvius more than 1800 years ago. The Pompeii production has not been witnessed in New York for fourteen years and its repetition on a new and enlarged basis, beginning June 24th, will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of Paints fireworks at Manhattan Beach.

In all not less than 600 people will be employed in the performance (this number including performers who picture the ancient Roman carnival games—chariot races, weird ballets, fire-dances, athletic contests, circus acts, etc., and the large force of mechanics engaged in the operation of the mammoth spectacle. The plan of the exhibition is to show the manner of living in Pompeii at the time it was destroyed and finally the thunderous earthquakes and fearful eruptions of Vesuvius, which interrupted the carnival, drives the terror-stricken populace from their homes and destroys the city. Not only is the burning crater shown, but a vivid picture of the flowing lavas presented, with its terrific results. Unquestionably the Pompeii entertainment is the most elaborate of the Paints creations and visitors in New York should not miss the opportunity presented this summer.

In addition to "Last Days of Pompeii" the usual extravagant display of fireworks will be given each night, except Sundays.

Know What He Needed.—The doctor's wife went to the door. The doctor's wife and the woman next door were not on friendly terms, but the tramp didn't know that. "Do lady next door," he said, "give me a piece of her homemade pie, and I'll leave you alone." "All right," interrupted the doctor's wife, "but the doctor isn't at home just now. However, there's a physician in the next block, and if you hurry, he may be able to give you relief before much harm is done." —Chicago Post.

Strictly Business.—"So you think you will have a titled son-in-law?" "Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox; "mother and the girls think we had better take another partner into the concern. My name is all right on a check, but it doesn't carry any weight worth mentioning on a visiting card." —Stray Stories.

READING SYSTEM

NEW JERSEY CENTRAL.

Corrected to May 17, 1903.

Trains leave Westfield for New York, Newark and Elizabeth at 8:48 a. m., 8:51 a. m., 9:04 a. m., 9:17 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 9:43 a. m., 9:56 a. m., 10:09 a. m., 10:22 a. m., 10:35 a. m., 10:48 a. m., 11:01 a. m., 11:14 a. m., 11:27 a. m., 11:40 a. m., 11:53 a. m., 12:06 p. m., 12:19 p. m., 12:32 p. m., 12:45 p. m., 12:58 p. m., 1:11 p. m., 1:24 p. m., 1:37 p. m., 1:50 p. m., 2:03 p. m., 2:16 p. m., 2:29 p. m., 2:42 p. m., 2:55 p. m., 3:08 p. m., 3:21 p. m., 3:34 p. m., 3:47 p. m., 4:00 p. m., 4:13 p. m., 4:26 p. m., 4:39 p. m., 4:52 p. m., 5:05 p. m., 5:18 p. m., 5:31 p. m., 5:44 p. m., 5:57 p. m., 6:10 p. m., 6:23 p. m., 6:36 p. m., 6:49 p. m., 7:02 p. m., 7:15 p. m., 7:28 p. m., 7:41 p. m., 7:54 p. m., 8:07 p. m., 8:20 p. m., 8:33 p. m., 8:46 p. m., 8:59 p. m., 9:12 p. m., 9:25 p. m., 9:38 p. m., 9:51 p. m., 10:04 p. m., 10:17 p. m., 10:30 p. m., 10:43 p. m., 10:56 p. m., 11:09 p. m., 11:22 p. m., 11:35 p. m., 11:48 p. m., 12:01 a. m., 12:14 a. m., 12:27 a. m., 12:40 a. m., 12:53 a. m., 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SCOTCH PLAINS SHUT OUT.

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The crowd at the Westfield-Scotch Plains game taxed the seating capacity of the grand stand and bleachers and it was a good natured lot of ardent rooters at that. Many swell equipages lined up in the field, and taken all in all it was a representative gathering from all over Union County.

The game was full of ginger right from the start, and but for two unfortunate decisions of the umpire, the game would have been pulled off without a blemish. The decisions referred to, however, would not have effected the score as to the win out, but they rather marred the full pleasure of the game.

Manager Johnson has a great bunch of ball tossers in his Plains colts and they may have a different story to tell when the two teams meet again.

Minnihan, Westfield's crack twirler, pitched a great game, striking out 15 and allowing but 2 hits.

Davis, for Scotch Plains, pitched a heady game and kept Westfield down to 4 hits, with 4 fan outs to his credit. If Davis talked less and devoted more of his attention to his box work, he would be a valuable member of the Plains team.

Here is just how the shut out happened: SCOTCH PLAINS VS WESTFIELD.

1st inning:—Umpire Traphagen called the game with Williams of Scotch Plains at the bat. Williams hit to Malen at 2nd and was out at 1st. Brogan struck out. Davis' grounder was forwarded to 1st by Burch for an out.—No runs.

Goldberg was hit by the ball and took 1st. Malen sacrificed Goldberg to 2nd. The latter went to 3rd on a passed ball and on Burch's rap to Bolsterle tried to score but was caught at the plate. As Burch was stealing 2nd Brogan threw high and Burch continued to 2nd. Robertson hit to Cruzius who threw wild to 1st and Burch scored. Minnihan out, Bolsterle to 1st.—1 run.

2nd inning:—Minnihan threw Johnson out at 1st. Bolsterle and Stibeck struck out.—No runs.

Beck's fly went to Smith. Burke hit to Williams and was out at 1st. Jones hit a high one in front of the plate which was gobbled by Davis.—No runs.

3rd inning:—Cruzius struck out. Smith knocked a liner to Burch. Minnihan got Flannery's bunt to 1st ahead of the runner but Robertson dropped the ball. Williams walked. Brogan struck out. No runs.

Walsh walked and stole 2nd. Goldberg hit an easy one to Davis and Walsh foolishly tried to make 3rd but was out by a mile. Malen and Burch struck out.—No runs.

4th inning:—Davis raised an easy one for Minnihan. Johnson walked. Bolsterle struck out. Stibeck walked. Cruzius fanned.—No runs.

Robertson hit for 2 sacks to right, went to 3rd on Minnihan out, Williams to 1st, and beat the throw to the plate of Beck's hit to Williams. Burke hit to Cruzius who forced Beck at 2nd. Davis forwarded Jones' rap to 1st.—1 run.

5th inning:—Smith struck out. Flannery flied out to Goldberg. Williams struck out.—No runs.

Walsh struck out. Bolsterle pulled down Goldberg's hot liner, Malen struck out.—No runs.

6th inning:—Brogan and Davis struck out. Johnson singled between short and third. Bolsterle flied out to Goldberg.—No runs.

Burch's single was really a double but the umpire called him out at 2nd. Cruzius assisting and Bolsterle getting the credit out of it. Smith laid away out in deep center when Robertson went to the bat and so robbed the latter out of at the least a two-base hit, as Smith only got Robertson's fly after a hard run. Minnihan flied out to Bolsterle.—No runs.

7th inning:—Stibeck's scorching hit Minnihan and bounded over his head to Mullen who retired the runner at 1st. Cruzius bunted very neatly but Burke was too quick for him and got the ball to the initial sack first. Smith struck out.—No runs.

Beck flied out to Smith. Burke walked and on Williams' wild throw to 1st of Jones' grounder went to 3rd and Jones to 2nd. Collins hit to Johnson who touched him out. Goldberg always to be depended upon at a pinch singled to right, scoring Burke and Jones. Malen's liner to Cruzius was a hot one but the latter hung on to it.—2 runs.

8th inning:—Jones threw Flannery out at 1st. Williams and Brogan both struck out. The latter, by the way, had a clean record at the bat, having struck every time.—No runs.

Davis threw Burch out at 1st. Robertson doubled to right. Brogan caught Robertson stealing 3rd. Bolsterle threw Minnihan out at 1st.—No runs.

9th inning:—Davis hit to Malen and was out at 1st. Johnson tripled clear to the back fence in left field. Bolsterle struck out. Stibeck flied out to Robertson.—No runs.

BATTING ORDER, SCOTCH PLAINS.									
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Williams, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brogan, c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Davis, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bolsterle, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stibeck, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cruzius, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Flannery, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Totals									
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Goldberg, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malen, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burch, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robertson, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Minnihan, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beck, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burke, c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Collins, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

SCOTCH BY INNINGS.

Scotch Plains, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 runs. Westfield, 1 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 4 runs.

Summary:—Scotch Plains, 1. Two base hit—Robertson. Three base hit—Johnson. First on balls—off Davis 2nd Minnihan 3. Struck out—by Davis 4, by Minnihan 15. Left on bases, Scotch Plains—4. Westfield—4. Passed balls—Brogan—1. First on errors—Scotch Plains 1; Westfield 2. Hit by pitcher—Goldberg. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Mr. Traphagen.

The strong men of the Plains team Saturday were players secured for the occasion and all of them played under fictitious names. "Williams," who covered 3d bag, was none other than Francis of the Brightons; "Johnson" was Coter of the Manhattan College, and from the same college was McPhillips who played Saturday under the name of Smith. However, what was wanted by the fans was a good, strong game and Manager Johnson gave it to them. This same Manager is about as clean cut and jovial a manager as has put foot on the handsome enclosure of Recreation Park this season.

It is surprising that with its strong team the Aolian's do not schedule better teams than the Hardman A. C. of Newark, and other teams of the same class. The Aolian team should give better ball for their admirers if they expect to win public favor. Manager Lentz's organ grinders can play ball and it must be disheartening for his players to be pitted against easy marks every week. Saturday it was Aolian 16—Hardman A. C.—2 and but 250 on-lookers.

"Lefty" Davis is certainly a disgruntled kicker from kickers' town. His threatening to leave the pitcher's box on Saturday only needed a little jolly and rapping down by "Chicken" Cruzius. But my, what a booting he received from the bleachers when he fanned out!

Westfield rooters taxed their lung power to the utmost Saturday.

Harry Jones did quite a stunt at short when he slipped on the wet turf and dropped with a dull sickening thud. But Harry is always in the game.

Little "Goidy" in center, had his eye on the ball all the time. It is dangerous to lie out a ball to his territory.

Barry's unavoidable absence Saturday made it necessary for a little shifting to be done among the players. Burch covered third, Capt. Malen second, and Walsh looked after right garden until the seventh inning when "Neally" Collins took his place. First was taken care of by Duff and he played his territory to perfection.

Arrangements have been made with the Central railroad to have the Easton express stop at Westfield at 1.55 tomorrow afternoon to take on board all who wish to see the Westfield-Phillipsburg game. The rate will be \$2.16 for the round trip. Buy no tickets at the depot. Purchase direct from the special conductor on the train. It's going to be a great outing. Be sure you get on the right train—1.55. This is official—direct from headquarters.

THE JAPANESE TRADSMEN OF TOKYO are becoming very fond of hanging out English signs. In one street appears the notice: "Restaurant shop; European nourishing cakes." Another shopkeeper has in large letters over his doorway the words: "Photographer executed." The principal barber of the town calls himself a "headcutter," and has taken to wearing a long white gown of approved nightshirt pattern.—N. Y. Sun.



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Indian Hair and Names.

Not long ago the Indian bureau issued an order that all the reservation Indians should have their hair cut. The decree provoked so much opposition that it was finally rescinded. Now another change is planned which can hardly be expected to meet with any less vigorous antagonism—a change from distinctly Indian to more common Anglo-Saxon names. The reason assigned is that Indian names are purely individual and go out of existence with the deaths of the men who bear them. This makes it difficult to trace titles and family relationships, and confuses government records. "Man-Who-Takes-and-Thunder-at-Night" may therefore have to become plain Peter Smith, and Cyrus Wiggan. Naturally they do not like it; nor can one blame them much. If any man has to work to "make a name for himself," it is an Indian. Having made it, it seems as if he ought to be allowed to keep it.—Youth's Companion.

What We Are Worth.

If Pierpont Morgan owned the world, instead of only a part of it, he would be worth about \$400,000,000,000. If he owned the United States, his wealth would amount to about \$94,300,000,000. The United States has the greatest total wealth and the smallest debt of any of the world's great powers, but on a per capita basis Great Britain is the richest. While the property and money of that mighty nation amounts to only \$50,000,000,000, as against our \$94,300,000,000, its wealth amounts to \$1,442 per person, while in the United States the wealth amounts to only \$1,235 per capita. The second richest nation in Europe is France, which has wealth aggregating \$48,000,000,000, or invested abroad. Russia, wealth totals up \$40,000,000,000, or \$709 per capita. In addition, she has \$800,000,000,000 invested abroad. Russia, with its immense territory and population, has wealth amounting to only \$32,000,000,000.—Nashville American.

He Was Grateful.

A county boniface prints this delightful "card" in a weekly newspaper published at Hayden, Ky.: "A few kind words to the people who stayed at my hotel during the circuit court. I can say that there have been fewer board bills jumped than ever before. I wish to extend my best regards to all of you people who live at the head of the rivers for your kindness and your good behavior, what time you stayed at my hotel. Always before there was more or less shooting done around my place by drunken people, but this time there wasn't any of that. So all sober minded people come and stay with me, and we will treat you the best we know how."—N. Y. Tribune.

Earthquake Predicted.

Dr. Cancani, after a careful study of Italian earthquakes, finds that all such disturbances strong enough to damage buildings, even to a slight extent, are invariably preceded as well as followed by minor shocks. In other words, an earthquake is not an isolated phenomenon, but is one of a series of disturbances. When the depth of the focus of disturbance is small the tremors last about ten days, when of moderate depth about three months, and when of great depth possibly several years. Prof. Omori in Japan has arrived at similar conclusions about minor shocks connected with strong earthquakes.—Science.

Against All Precedent.

"My boy," he said, "has led the way to the woodshed. You've been very naughty to-day, and have annoyed me greatly, but I want to say—
"They all say that," retorted the boy, who thought he knew what was coming.
"I want to say," repeated the old man, "as he reached for the switch, 'that this gives me great pleasure.'"
—Chicago Post.

Between Friends.

Miss Elderleigh—Mr. Gayboy asked me a funny question last night.
Miss Youngun—What was it?
"He asked me why I had never married."
"Oh, then he evidently never saw you in the daytime."—Chicago Daily News.

In the Same Boat.

"Boss," began the beggar, "I don't know where me next meal o' vituals is comin' from."
"Well, well," exclaimed Sloppy, "have you exhausted your credit with your grocer, too?"—Philadelphia Press.

Getting Close to Nature.

Richard and Cherry Kearton, who have recently brought out in England a new edition of Gilbert White's imperishable book, "The Natural History of Selborne," illustrated with photographs of the birds, animals and insects described by White, adopted methods of getting close to their subjects without alarming them which are worth the attention of amateur photographers. Sometimes they concealed themselves and their camera in a stuffed sheep, and sometimes it was a stuffed cow that they employed. On other occasions they built an artificial hollow rock near the haunt of the birds they were studying. Sometimes clothing, colored like the grass or the soil, served their purpose. They photographed not only birds on their nests, and feeding their young, but fish in the water, and dragon flies and beetles resting on leaves or stems, and even snakes in the grass.—Youth's Companion.

German Pine Needle Oil.

The making of pine-needle oil is an industry of the Thuringen mountains in Germany. The needles and young shoots of various pines—especially of Pinus pumilio—are collected late in May or early in June, and are cut into small pieces and put into a cylindrical still, though which steam is passed. The steam is then liquefied in a condenser, when the volatile oil carried over is skimmed from the surface of the water. The portion of the steam condensed in the cylinder falls through the bottom, carrying resinous, albuminous and tannated substances, and this extract is concentrated in a special vacuum evaporator, when it is added to the oil to give the necessary perfume. The oil is put up in jars as a remedy for rheumatic and similar complaints. The fibers left in the still are separated by a special machine, perfumed with the oil, and put up in packages for stuffing pillows.

Good Word for Rocking-Chairs.

Someone who was interested in the fact has discovered that while American women are shorter than their English sisters, their legs are much more symmetrical and their ankles more graceful. The belief is expressed that the reason for this lies in the great love of the American women for rocking chairs. Here a woman will sit down in a rocking chair, and apparently happy, rock by the hour, were she not disturbed, perhaps not knowing that the mere movement employed to keep the chair in motion does, by repeated pushes of the toes, make the instep high, the calf round and full, and so keep from the ankle an accumulation of flesh.—Washington Post.

She Got Him.

A good story is told showing the rapidity with which things move nowadays. A certain servant went to her mistress and gave notice.
"I'm going to be married, ma'am."
"To whom?" asked her mistress.
"Do you remember the funeral you allowed me to go to three weeks ago, ma'am? Well, I'm going to marry the husband of the corpse."
It subsequently transpired that the widower took a fancy to his fiancée, as "she was the only cheerful party there."—London Express.

Fish Transported Alive.

Fish caught on the coasts of France and Italy are now transported alive by rail to Germany and Russia for the market. The living fish are placed in covered aquaria, or cisterns, running on small wheels, and stored in wagons for the purpose. The water of the cisterns is renewed continually by means of a motor pump, and a system of pipes connected with them.—London News.

Righting a Wrong.

Green—Say, I understand you told Blank he didn't know any more than your yellow dog.
Brown—Never said anything of the kind, old man.
Green—Then what did you say?
Brown—I said that yellow dog of mine didn't know any more than you do.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Cable to Russia.

Wireless telegraphy will have to compete with ocean cables for some time to come. A company has recently been organized to lay a cable from Seattle to Valdez, Alaska, and thence to Vladivostok. The cable will bring Asiatic Russia and the gold fields of Alaska into close communication with the markets of the United States, and expand the interest of Americans in the orient.

**Sold Her Child.**

A lady in costly mourning attire was walking in a street in Vienna the other day when she saw a beggar woman with three children, one of them a girl of two, sitting at the foot of a monument. She sent a street porter to ask if she would give up the girl. The woman nodded, whereupon the lady in black walked up to her, gave her some banknotes, and took the child to a store. Half an hour later she emerged with the same child elegantly dressed, hailed a cab and drove away.—N. Y. Post.

Tough Microbes.

That the microbes which cause disease cannot be killed by firing them out of a gun has been proved in official government experiments. Microbes of malignant pustule of abscesses and of the intestines were smeared upon the face of the gun wad, put next the powder, and fired into sterile gelatin in a glass jar. In each case the microbes developed, each after its kind, in the medium receiving the wad.—Science.

The Higher Court.

Jenkins—I think it's a splendid opportunity for you. What are you going to do about it?
Henpeck—I haven't the slightest idea.
"But surely you can give an opinion."
"Oh, bless you, no! My wife always hands down the opinion!"—Catholic Standard and Times.

Cost of Civil Uniforms.

Civil uniforms are in some instances expensive. The British prime minister's full dress embroidered coat costs \$38.50—quite enough for a garment that is so seldom worn. The embroidered tunic of a lord lieutenant of a county costs \$92; a city lieutenant's uniform coming to a little over that sum.—London Mail.

Footless Men.

A footless race of men is said to have been discovered in New Guinea. They live in the midst of lakes, moving about on little canoes and possessing a few cabins built on wood piles. Their feet are so undeveloped as to be practically useless for walking.—Knowledge.

The Only One.

First Bald Head—That's a beautiful piece of orchestra playing.
Second Bald Head—All it is one that will always haunt me.
"Why?"
"It is the only one my daughter knows."—London Mel-Bee.

Not Deciding.

He—"I saw Cholly Wattlebain the other day. He's wearing a mustache now."
She—Really? Why, how absurd on the face of it.—N. Y. Sun.

Merely a Quaffer.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what's a coquette?
Pa—A coquette, my son, is a woman who pretends to be indifferent about getting married.—Chicago Daily News.

BRANCH MILLS.

E. D. Miller has been spending a few days in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Wilkins spent Sunday at her home in Barnegat Bay.

The Day school will join the Springfield school in the closing exercises to be held Friday evening.

E. G. Fink led the C. E. meeting Sunday evening.

J. R. and J. W. Miller, of Orange, spent Sunday at the home of E. D. Miller.

WHAT "MAGNET" COMES FROM

Interesting Information Concerning the Source of the Word So Commonly Used.

Thousands of years ago a mineral having the strange power of attracting iron was found in the country anciently called Magnesia in Asia Minor. The name of this country has given us the word "magnet," says an article about Magnets in St. Nicholas. This mineral, which is now called the lodestone (not loadstone), attracted attention of the curious, and it was discovered that a piece of iron which had been rubbed with the lodestone acquired the same power of attracting iron. In other words, the piece of iron became a magnet. It was afterward found that such an iron or artificial magnet could be used like the lodestone itself to convert other pieces of iron into magnets by rubbing. Still more recently a mode of making magnets by means of electricity was discovered, that is, by wrapping a piece of insulated wire many times around the bar and then causing a current of electricity to pass through the wire. The familiar small toy magnets are simply steel balls which have been rubbed a few times against powerful magnets.

New Materials for Bread.

Some of the many materials used for bread have been brought to notice by M. Paul Combes. Beans, peas and other leguminous seeds, as well as maize and other vegetable substances, require mixing with wheat or rye, or the bread is liable to be soggy, indigestible, or otherwise of poor quality. Mashed potatoes mixed with wheat or maize flour give palatable bread, which, however, attracts moisture. Rice flour makes fine yellow bread, agreeable both to sight and taste, and the chestnut bread that forms the chief food of the Corsican mountaineers is healthful, agreeable, digestible and keeps 15 days or longer. Bread has been made from acorns, people in France having been reduced to the necessity in time of scarcity. Mosses, dried and powdered, are still esteemed for bread by Norwegians; and other substances that have been used—most of them yielding little nutrition without the addition of cereal flour—include the roots of Bryonia, colchicum, iris, serpentaria, mandragora and hellebore and the leaves of aconite, etc.

THE WELLES FIFTEENTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Welles celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary and housewarming Friday evening last. All of their married life has been spent in Westfield. Nearly thirteen years they have lived in their present home, which during the last year has been doubled in size.

The whole house was thrown open including the spacious piazzas which were enclosed for the occasion and converted into a drawing room.

The floral decorations were beautiful and consisted of American Beauty roses, daisies and potted plants.

The bridal party received their guests in the small reception room standing in front of pines. A feature was the transforming of the electrolights into large bouquets of pink roses which stood out from the light green background of the wall.

The bridal party consisted of Martin Welles and Mrs. Welles who wore a dress of crepe de chene, trimmed with duchesse lace which originally decked the bridal gown. They were assisted by three bridesmaids, Miss Demond of Washington, Miss Welles, of Newington, Ct. and Mrs. Patton of St. Louis. Mrs. William Patton of Plainfield, a sister-in-law of Mrs. Welles also assisted.

The ushers were Charles E. Welles of New York, a cousin, Mr. Lemuel A. Welles and Lieut. Roger Welles, U. S. N. brothers, Rev. Cornelius H. Patton a brother of Mrs. Welles and Charles C. Wilson of New York.

The charm of the floral decoration was due to the taste of Mr. Wilson who also decorated the home of the bride fifteen years ago.

In the large library adjoining the reception room the following ladies formed a second reception party. Mrs. Charles Welles and Mrs. Clifford Kelsey of New York; Mrs. Earle of Plainfield and Mrs. G. H. Embree, Mrs. John Platt and Miss Lucy Worth of Westfield. In this room graceful vines were hung over the book cases while tall vases held roses, bright against the wall.

Westervelt's orchestra was stationed in the reception hall. Around the banisters was draped a rope of daisies and greens. Passing over the low platform of the stairs the guests descended two steps into the dining room which was converted into a fairy like scene by the electric light effect. Fairy lamps followed the line of a high plate rail above the dark wood wainscoting. These were concealed by smilax intertwined with daisies large bunches of which stood up against the tapestry above. The trussion, above the windows were also lighted by electric lamps on the outside which showed off the design of the leaded glass. The handsome and novel electric light work was done by Theo. D. Bunce. Russ of Elizabeth furnished the repast which was enjoyed by all.

Passing from the dining room by double doors the guests found themselves on the piazza which was gay with Chinese lanterns.

Out of town guests were met at the station by carriages, many of whom lingered until the last train. Many of Mr. Welles business friends from the city were present as well as old friends from distant places who came to offer congratulations. In a room on the second floor the gifts of crystal and glass were displayed. The gifts showed rare taste on the part of the givers.

Dancing closed the evening. Many guests remained with Mr. and Mrs. Welles over Sunday.

The New Newark Bay Drawbridge.

Nearly every one crossing the New Jersey Central's Bridge over Newark Bay is interested in the work incident to the pier building, and though it is a gigantic undertaking, the work is progressing rapidly and traffic has not been delayed. Seventy foot piles have been driven to form foundation for the new piers, and these have been cut off by machinery at a depth of 30 feet below water. As these piles were driven and cut off under each track separately, it was necessary to carry the traffic on a single track, which has been done with almost no delay to trains, which at this point are very numerous.

The large caissons in which the piers are built were erected last fall on the north bank of the Bay. These consist of a grillage, or floor, four feet in thickness, and sides built with strong posts and planks, and the whole is made water tight, the joints being caulked in the same manner wooden vessels are built. Three of these caissons have already been towed to the site of the new draw and partially filled with concrete, of which the new piers are to be built. When the weight of concrete sinks the caissons at low water to the level of the foundations, they are towed into their final position under the trestle, and when accurately located, by boring a few holes in their sides, they are filled with water and sunk in their permanent position, being supported by the piles, and stone filling which has been thrown in, making a durable and substantial foundation. Work is then continued on each pier until they have reached their final height.

It is expected that all four piers in the westerly half of the new pier will be filled and ready to receive the steel work by the 20th of June.

RED

Red is the color of danger, whether on the semaphore or on the skin. When the face is reddened by eruptions, when boils break out on the body, or the angry red of sores and ulcers is displayed in the flesh, it is nature's danger signal. The blood is obstructed and tainted by impurities, and there can be no safety until the blood is made pure.

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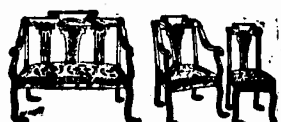
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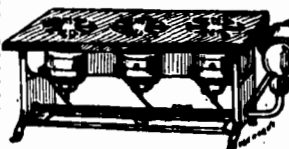
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"Old Glory" as known to-day—that is, with the thirteen alternate red and white stripes representing the original States of the Union, and a star for each State—was first officially declared on June 14, 1777, when congress said: "Resolved, That the flag of the thirteen United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; and that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation."

The committee that decided on the flag was composed of George Washington, Robert Morris and Colonel Ross.

"Old Glory!" Yes, the flag is old as national emblems go; for, though just completing its one hundred and twenty second year, it is older than all the flags of the great nations of Western Europe.

The first flag, made under the direction of the committee appointed to design it, had its thirteen stars in a circle on a blue field, typical of perpetuity, and the story is that the three members employed Mrs. John Ross, who kept a little upholstery shop on Arch street, in Philadelphia, to make it. To Mrs. Ross, it is said, we owe the five pointed star, for the committee had decided on six points. The legend also is that at the time the flag was adopted, John Paul Jones was appointed to command the Continental ship of war Ranger, and that he was the first to raise the Stars and Stripes, which was floated over his ship.

SOME PREVIOUS FLAGS.

The Stars and Stripes as formally adopted were the outcome of many changes. Early in 1775 an American insurgent flag appeared in New England bearing the red cross of St. George, and soon the pine tree—adopted by New England quite generally—was united with the cross. The Puritans looked with disfavor on the cross, and it was dropped.

Then the pine tree appeared alone, or in connection with the mottoes "Liberty tree," "An appeal to God."

From the New England Navy flag of 1776 all suggestions of a cross disappeared, and the pine tree, between the two mottoes above given, stood on a white field, bordered top and bottom with blue stripes. Vessels of the United States Navy flew this flag for some time.

At Lexington there was no American flag, but two months later, at Bunker Hill there were several. One was red, bearing only the defiant motto: "Come if you dare." Another was blue, with a white canton quartered by a red St. George cross, and a pine tree at the top inner corner.

At this time Rhode Island had a white flag, bearing a blue cross in its center; and New York likewise flew a white banner with a black beaver.

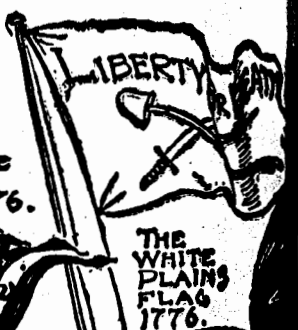
South Carolina first adopted in 1775 a blue flag with a crescent moon in the upper corner next to the staff; but this flag fell into disuse, and the Gadsden flag of yellow, displaying a rattlesnake having thirteen rattles, with the motto, "Don't Tread on Me," took its place in 1776, and met with great favor.

It was really Benjamin Franklin who gave the snake to American heraldry, when, in his Philadelphia Gazette of 1754 he pictured the colonies as a snake in thirteen parts, with the legend; "Unite or die."

South Carolina, through her delegate to the General Congress, adopted the idea, and in 1776 the rattlesnake of the South and the pine tree of the North were united. It was Paul Jones' first flag. He had the green pine tree in the center of a white banner, with the rattlesnake coiled at its foot, and the mottoes, "An appeal to God" and "Don't Tread on Me."

HISTORY OF

THE FIRST
STARS AND STRIPES



"Liberty or Death" was a common cry and to be seen on many banners. In 1776 it was carried at White Plains on a white flag that bore a naked sword crossed with a baton carrying a liberty cap.

THE STARS AND STRIPES. While this change in flags was going on the cross of St. George was still seen, and in connection with the thirteen red and white stripes, that grew rapidly in popularity. The Royal Savage, on Lake Champlain, in 1776, flew this cross, with the thirteen stripes.

The Stars and Stripes became more and more common before our flag was adopted, in 1777. First, the stripes, as in the flag on the Royal Savage and Commodore Hopkins' ship. Then came the stars. These were often associated with other emblems, and particularly the eagle. There was a flag with its thirteen

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and white stripes that bore a blue
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 was an eagle surrounded by stars.
 was another that showed Wash-
 leaning on a cannon, and behind
 and stripes and an eagle, the
 old in his beak a scroll bearing
 ords, "E pluribus unum," and
 g thunderbolts of war with one
 while the other held the olive
 of peace.
 came the flag adopted by congress.
 at intention was to add a stripe
 for each new State that enter-
 Union, but while this was found
 lent so far as the stars went it
 very troublesome when the stripes
 to multiply. In the war of 1812
 Vermont and Kentucky were ad-
 our flag had fifteen stars and fif-
 stripes, but then it was decided to
 to the original thirteen stripes,

which was done by act of congress in
 1818, the addition of a star for each new
 State remaining as it was before.
 First the stars were arranged in a cir-
 cle, then no rule was followed, and they
 were often arranged so as to form the
 letters U. S., and were also put in a
 sort of irregular shapes to represent a
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 they should be put in regular rows as at
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