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SATURDAY, NOV. 6, 1897.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

God governs the world, and we have only to do our duty wisely, and leave the issue to him. JOHN JAY.

When you meet the teacher of a primary school lift your hat reverently. She is the good angel of the republic. This woman takes a carload of little handlings whose mothers send them to school to get rid of them, and though each child is such an anarchist that neither father nor mother can get along with them, she makes useful citizens out of most of them.

American machines of many kinds are making their appearance in England. A London trade journal says they are found in the English factories devoted to boots and shoes, soap, rubber, bicycles and paper boxes. American printing presses, typesetters and typewriters are common in England, and steel rails are going forward by ship loads. Our agricultural machinery also is admitted to be superior to any other, though the decline of agriculture in Great Britain limits its application in that quarter.

Colorado farmers are going about the industry of growing sugar beets in a systematic way that promises success. This is a business that requires combination on a large scale to make it profitable. If two or three half a dozen men plant a couple of acres each they will have their labor for their pains; but if enough farmers combine to raise enough beets to keep a factory supplied, they are likely to find profit in it. This is what the Colorado planters are doing, and the same plan, followed in other parts of the country, would soon render the United States independent of France and Germany in this important particular.

The young man who is petted too much at home is seldom any good. What is wanted now-a-days is a practical man who can do something else besides smoke cigarettes and twist a cane. The time to learn to work and to learn business habits is in one's youth. He who leads the life of a butterfly until he is twenty-five or thirty years of age and then recognizes the fact that he made an ass of himself, has precious little to recommend him when he applies for a job. This may be a "chicken" but it fits not a few men of every city in the Union. The boys on the farm are better off, if they only knew it, than thousands of the boys who are at large. There is nothing like being practical, and there is but one way to do so. Acquire business habits and train yourself to good, honest, hard work. Don't waste your time learning to tie a cravat. You can buy cravats already tied.

RIVERTON.

Sure thing—taxes.

Miss Lizzie Faunce has the grip. After the ball—Hemphill's and Thompson's.

Charles Seck is at Atlantic City for a few weeks.

Councilman F. G. Brown entertained guests over Sunday.

The Thanksgiving turkey has not many more days grace.

John B. Watson was severely kicked by a horse on Friday.

The man who generally goes to get the full returns—returns full.

Guns are not going to have a picnic of it this season. One farmer notifies "friend or foe" to keep off his premises. Lately more notices to trespassers "with dog or gun" have been put up on farms than for years past. The near-to-town farmers say that they have to do this for self-protection. A number of pot hunters do not hesitate to bag young chickens, pigeons, tame and wild, and injure game, cattle, sheep and other animals by their careless shooting. Most of the farmers, however, have friends who are welcome to a day's shooting, if they would only have the courtesy to ask for it.

FIREMEN'S INTERSTATE CARNIVAL, TRENTON, NOV. 10.

Reduced Rates via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the Firemen's Interstate Carnival at Trenton, N. J., November 10th, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets at the rate of \$1.00 for the round trip from Philadelphia to Trenton, N. J., and return, including breakfast and lunch, and the use of the Pennsylvania Railroad Hotel at Trenton, N. J., for the night of November 10th and 11th, good to return until November 11th, 1897.

It often happens that the doctor is out of town when most needed. The two-year-old daughter of J. Y. Schenck, of Caddo, Ind. Ter., was threatened with croup. He writes: "My wife insisted that I go for the doctor at once, but as he was out of town, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which relieved the child immediately. A bottle of that remedy in the house will often save the expense of a doctor's bill, besides the anxiety always occasioned by serious sickness. When it is given as soon as the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. Thousands of mothers always keep it in their homes. The 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by G. T. Williams, Druggist."

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running ear, or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are cured by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, etc.

The Japanese ivy of the Episcopal Church is very beautiful at this season of the year.

Sparrows that escaped the reed bird season are now being caught for shooting matches.

F. S. Groves is having an ornamental fence put in front of his residence on Lippincott avenue.

Mrs. A. J. Briggs is sick and her husband is hobbling around on crutches from a sprained ankle.

Mrs. M. A. Lloyd has been attending the National W. C. T. U. convention at Buffalo, this week.

T. B. Evans has put down an asphalt block pavement in front of his two lots on Lippincott avenue.

Marshall Faust arrested a suspicious man on Wednesday night and locked him up until morning, to keep him out of mischief.

The Borough never forgets her duty when a United States Senator is at stake as has twice been proven when she had odds to fight against.

John Adolph denies that the fight last week was caused by his hiding the colored man's wheel, as he claims he took it in his store to take care of it.

The hunting season is drawing nigh and it behooves owners of good dogs to keep an eye on them, as they are mysteriously disappearing in all parts of the country.

While they have a chance the property owners of Thomas avenue should seize the opportunity to beautify their street after the manner of their neighbors on Lippincott avenue.

The man who breaks the law or keeps a disorderly place will find no friend in the News. Threats of law suits will not deter him from trying to protect the name and residents of Riverton.

At noon on Tuesday Governor Griggs issued his proclamation declaring the anti-gambling amendment, adopted by the people on September 28, to be part of the fundamental law of the state.

Arrangements are being made to enlarge the public school at Westfield, the large attendance and small space make this a necessity, the only thing it should have been done during the past summer. A school is also needed at Wrightville as it is too far for the children to go in stormy weather.

Quite a party from here drove over to Moorestown on Monday night to attend the masquerade party in Belmont hall. Among them were Misses Rosalie and Francis Zisk, Helen Markowski, Katie Hovic, Minnie and Ella Wallace, Nora Stratton, Florence Christie, Edward Baeder, Thornton Hires, Louis Corner, Jr., Walter Miller. All had a very jolly time.

Game Warden Wise went to Riverside last week and caught Charles Strickland with a gun in his hand. In a pleasant tone of voice the Warden asked Charles what he was shooting, and the latter said there was nothing to shoot. Mr. Wise pulled a rail bird from Strickland's pocket, and as the latter could not tell how it got there he was taken before a justice, who fined him \$20 and costs, which amounted to \$21.80.

The Chrysanthemum Fete held at the Parish House on Tuesday was largely attended by the elite of Riverton Society and was very successful financially. Proceeds were for the Girl's Friendly Society. Those taking part in the drill were the Misses Walnut, Miss Biddle, Miss James and the Misses Smith. Musical selections were rendered by Miss James, Miss Earnshaw, Mrs. Henry Thompson, Mrs. Dewees Roberts, Miss Davis and Miss Walnut.

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THE VOTE IN CINNAMINCO.

SENATOR	River	Westfield
Borden	167	97
Packer	7	128
London	5	2
ASSEMBLY		
Homer	174	108
Wright	167	98
Potts	70	118
Sharp	74	126
Ridgway	6	5
Moore	6	5
UDITOR		
Gibbs	168	
Forrest	119	
Woolston	6	

One Popular vote was polled in Riverton and two in Westfield.

ANNUAL TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

County Superintendent Stees announces that the Teachers' Institute for Burlington county will be held at Mount Holly, commencing at 10 A. M., Monday, November 8, and closing on Wednesday, November 10. Under the rule prescribed by the State Board of Education, "all teachers are required to attend the annual institute, held for the county in which they are teaching, and no deduction shall be made by trustees from the salary of any teacher for the time he or she is in attendance upon said institute."

Practice Economy

In buying medicine as in other matters. It is economy to get good. Hood's Sarsaparilla because there is more medicinal value in Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses and will average, taken according to directions, to last a month, while others last but a fortnight.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Easy and efficient.

Pallid faces indicate pale, thin blood. Rosy cheeks show the pure, rich blood resulting from Hood's Sarsaparilla.

DELAIR.

Mrs. J. E. Rosell is entertaining her niece from Franklin.

Samuel Brankin is still suffering from a severe sore throat.

Joseph Knight and family are snugly domiciled in their new home.

A Pie Social at Mrs. James Shollberg on Saturday afternoon netted a neat sum.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fortner, of Craner Hill, spent Sunday last with friends in town.

Arrangements are completed for the concert on the 10th inst. in aid of the Methodist Church.

Miss Bird, formerly teacher at this place, spent Sunday with her old friend, Mrs. George Taylor.

Mrs. J. R. Witcraft entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church on Thursday evening.

The Delair Athletic Association played a creditable game on Saturday last with Riverton A. A., of course we are not considered in their class.

The Delair Surprise Party opened the season on Saturday evening last by surprising Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Pierson, while they were entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Harry Freeman, of Philadelphia, an enjoyable evening was spent after which refreshments were served, which the party came well laden with. Who will be the next?

Grand Musical Entertainment

AT THE
DELAIR M. E. CHURCH,
—DELAIR—
NOVEMBER 10,
—AT 8.15 P. M.—

The following eminent talent will take part:

MR. ALBERTUS SHELLEY, the eminent Violin Soloist, assisted by MR. C. VIRGIL GORDON, Pianist;

MISS HELEN MAR WILSON, the celebrated Reader and Elocutionist;

MRS. G. GEBBIE, Soprano Soloist;

MR. J. B. REEVES, Bass, and the inimitable

DAMICO BROTHERS, Guitar and Mandolin Virtuosi.

ADMISSION, 50 CENTS

Tickets may be had by addressing D. L. Evald, Delair, N. J., or at the door on the evening of the entertainment.

"One Round of Pleasure."

Klaw and Erlanger's production of "One Round of Pleasure," which will be seen at the Chestnut Street Theatre next week Monday, amazed and delighted large audiences at the Knickerbocker Theatre, New York, for several months and has recently concluded a most brilliant engagement of six weeks at the Boston Museum. The music is the work of Ludwig, and the books were written by Clay M. Greene and Sydney Rosenfeld. By Irish use of money directed by skill and experience Klaw and Erlanger have devised a series of magnificent settings and costumes for the play. Walter Jones heads the list of comedians, and associated with him are the Rogers brothers, Charles Kirke, Richard Carl and H. W. Tednick. The feminine portion of the cast includes Marie Celeste, Ida Brooks, Clara Wisdom and Maude Raymond.

Governor Griggs has issued a proclamation declaring the result of the recent special election on the three constitutional amendments. The anti-gambling and the ad interim appointment clauses are declared adopted while the female suffrage amendment is defeated. Now that the pool-selling amendment is a part and parcel of the constitution, there need be no fear of any voting in the Legislature to legalize gambling. There may come a time when the people will feel differently but they have to go through a great deal of work to reach their ends.

Recently at a meeting of Baptist ministers in Philadelphia, one of the brethren wanted it made a capital offense for a person to use tobacco in any form. While he had those who sustained his far-fetched idea, the motion was voted down by a substantial majority. At a meeting of the same body of gentlemen last week, one of them in his speech declared he could smell ran on his breath. This assertion, while startling, was, for some reason, not challenged.

There seems to be an epidemic of colds at present.

THE HICKS 1898 ALMANAC AND PAPER.

We are informed that the 1898 Almanac of Prof. I. R. Hicks is now ready, and judging from its past history, it will not be many weeks in finding its way into homes and offices all over America. It is much larger and fuller than any previous issue. It contains 116 pages, is splendidly printed and illustrated on fine book paper, having the finest portrait ever given of Prof. Hicks. It can no longer be denied that the publications of Prof. Hicks have become a necessity to the family and commercial life of this country. His journal, "WORD AND WORK," said from its storm, weather and astronomical features has taken rank with the best literary, scientific and family magazines of the age. Do not believe hearsay and reports. See the Hicks' Almanac and paper for yourself. You will find them accurate and trustworthy. They are educators of the millions, and unrivaled aids to property and human life. It is a matter of simple record that Prof. Hicks has foretold for many years all great storms, floods, droughts and tornadoes, even the recent terrible drought over all the country. The Almanac alone is 25 cents a copy. The Paper is \$1.00 a year with the Almanac as a premium. Send to: WORD AND WORK PUB. CO., 2201 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Nov. 1, 1897.

465 Styles of Dollar Dress Goods

A good many buyers of goods believe that dress goods makers frequently sell their dollar line of goods at a loss—for effect. Certain it is that the dress goods here this season at a dollar a yard are marvels of textile value. So popular has the price become that we have widened the line to almost bewildering variety—and all in all, Wanamaker Dollar Dress Goods bid fair to win new fame for this store from Maine to California and down in Dixie, too.

Viewed by current prices, two-thirds of the dollar goods here are being sold at a loss, yet very careful and fearless contracting, far back, makes today's values possible.

Four hundred and sixty-five styles of dress goods at One Dollar are on show. Here is a list of them—

Colored Dress Goods in Salon—

Six shades of two-toned changeable Poplin, all-wool 42-in.

Two-toned all-wool Whirlpool Diagonal, nine shades.

Evening shades of silk and wool Lanesdown from Paris.

Silk and wool all-wool Cream Henriettes.

All-wool Figured Novelty—weave for Children's Coats.

Silk and wool Brocade, evening shades.

All-wool Light Blue and Garnet Waftle Cloth, for cloaking.

In Black Dress Goods Section, north of center—

50-in. Cheviot. Rough or smooth and imported or home made.

42-in. all-wool Figured Amures.

42-in. all-wool Granite cloths.

42-in. all-wool Salt cloth.

A slight weave difference of the same quality.

44-in. Wool Fringe, striped and figured. Its roughness is its beauty.

48 to 54-in. all-wool Serges.

The broad and butter of a dress goods section.

42-in. all-wool Henriettes.

40-in. silk and wool Henrietta.

42-in. all-wool Merino.

42-in. all-wool Whirlpool.

42-in. Mohair Sicilian.

These are some of the all-the-year-round fabrics classed as staples and desirable.

42-in. all-wool French Poplins.

42-in. all-wool French Cambré's Hair.

42-in. Satin Soles. Almost like silk, but made of the finest wool. The makers claim it won't spot and will retain its bright finish until worn out.

Old fabrics in a new dress and foremost in favor for good dressing.

42-in. all-wool Cloth.

One of Priestley's fabrics that wins friends each day.

In Fine Plain Goods Section, East of Main Aisle—

46-in. Whirlpool Coverts. Three styles of weave and twenty-one shades.

42-in. Melange Satin Coverts. Seven colorings. Very dressy.

42-in. all-wool Crepe Cheviot. The crepe weave gives it a newness. 15 colorings.

42-in. all-wool Serge. Storm Serge and Dress Serge. Big and little twills. In almost any color you can ask for.

42-in. all-wool French Poplins. 10 colorings. These are at the low cost.

In Plain and Colored Cashmere Section—

Poplin Plaids. The richest shades overlaid with cluster threads of the brightest silk. 3 styles, 15 colorings.

Drap d'Ete, one of this season's newest fabrics. Not the old way of making them, but in dress weight. 30 shades. More than one hundred shades of Velveteen. Street or evening shades. Near the Silk Velvet at much less cost.

Twenty-four styles of English Corduroy. Very bulky for Coats, Waists and Bicycle Suits.

In Wool Novelty Section—

We show fifteen styles and ninety-one different color combinations of modest pretensions. They are from our best American mills and the best dress goods centers of Europe. High colors woven in neat figures, with the more sombre shades, giving richness and newness.

Boys' Reefers

The wooliest looking cloth may be dreadfully deceitful. Our acid put is a great truth finder. We never buy a piece of clothing till the boll-wool test is made and says "pure wool."

And many a little swatch of "all wool" advertised elsewhere at lower prices than ours, leaves a big bunch of cotton wool in the tell-tale boiling pot.

We prevent such things happening here, by testing before they come.

These shaggy, fleecy chinchillas and beaver cloths don't hide a thread of cotton. Yet prices are as low as the would-be kinds.

BOYS' REEFERS AT \$4.50—

For boys 7 to 16 years old, of handsome chinchilla, some wool lined, velvet collar, bound or double breasted styles. Others Brownie Reefs, with velvet collar, Jack-Tar Reefers, of chinchilla, with velvet collar, buttons to pockets, ages 3 to 9 years. Sailor collar Reefers, collar of self goods, buttoned to neck; bound or attached. For ages 9 to 16 years.

All at same price—4.50 each.

Reefers at \$5.50, \$6.50, \$8.50 up to—

The \$12 sorts—of brown or blue Montagnac, with velvet piped edges, lined throughout with silk.

Handsome Military Reefers, for boys of 8 to 10 years, in twilled overcoatings, kersies, chinchillas and novelty cloths, in green, blue and brown. \$5 and \$10.

Coats for the American children

Little Ones dressed tots in the world—the American mother takes a constant pride in the appearance of her little ones; hence the prettiness, the cuteness of the garments prepared to help her in the effort. We don't go to Paris for these, because they make them prettier here at home.

Word hints of the new coats—for ages 2 and 3 years—

At \$4—Coats of pretty novelty cloth in red, brown and blue mixtures; plaided collar; collar and sleeves neatly trimmed with mohair braid.

At \$4.50—Coats of ladies' cloth, in brown and green; large circular cape; collar, cape and sleeves trimmed with white mohair braid.

At \$6.25—Coats of ladies' cloth in cardinal, full trimmed collar; collar and sleeves trimmed with several rows of black silk braid.

John Wanamaker.

Personally-Conducted Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.

SEASON OF 1897-8.

The Personally-Conducted Tourist System of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is the most complete and elaborate system of pleasure traveling and sight-seeing yet devised. It is the consummation of the ultimate idea in railroad travel, the final evolution of unassailable perfection.

For the season of '97 and '98 it has arranged for the following tours—

California—Four tours will leave New York, Philadelphia, and Harrisburg January 8th and 27th, February 16th, and March 19th. With the exception of the first party going and the last returning, all of these parties will travel by the "Golden Gate Special" between New York and California, stopping interesting points en route.

Florida—Four tours to Jacksonville will leave New York and Philadelphia January 25th, February 8th and 22nd, and March 8th. The first three admit of a stay of two weeks in the "Flowery State." Tickets for the fourth tour will be good to return by regular trains until May 31st, 1898.

Old Point Comfort, Richmond and Washington—Three six-day tours will leave New York and Philadelphia February 19th, March 10th, and April 7th.

Old Point Comfort and Washington—Three four-day tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 26th, January 24th, and April 21st.

Old Point Comfort—Six tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 26th, January 24th, February 19th, March 10th, April 7th and 23rd.

Washington—Seven tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 26

SATURDAY, NOV. 13, 1897.

CENT-A-WORD COLUMN.

Long or short notices inserted under this head at the rate of one cent a word, each insertion, cash in advance.

I have moved my Millinery business from 107 W. Broad street, to the store opposite station, formerly occupied by Mrs. Prickett. Miss Eugenie Sutton.

Fascinating, bed-room slippers and other knitting done to order by Mrs. DeWorth, corner Fifth and Race. 11-13 11.

For sale, at a bargain, T. J. Dewees' house, near the water works, if taken at once. Only \$500, cash needed. D. H. Wright, Riverton.

For rent, at a reduced price for the winter, house on Lippincott avenue below Broad. D. H. Wright, Agent.

For sale—Bicycle in fine order, \$20.00. Box 502. E. J. Lane, 3rd and Race. 11-6-21.

For Rent—An eight room house, first class order, will rent very low to a good tenant. M. R. Clover, 4th and Garfield avenue. 11-6-21.

Painting and paper hanging work guaranteed to be first class, to price reasonable. Nathan Nixon, P. O. Box 303.

Go to Stuy's for a first-class job of paper hanging, also for linoleums. 11-6-21.

For Sale, Cheap. Cut-Under Carriage. Woolston's carriage warehouse, Riverton.

For Rent—November 1st, 522 Garfield avenue, 9 rooms, all conveniences. Inquire 520 Garfield avenue.

Paints in small cans, glass and putty, at Williams' drug store. 10-23-41.

\$9.00 for 7 room comfortable house, a third and Race. Box 502, Palmyra, N. J. 10-23-41.

Store counter, 10 feet long, walnut top, for sale \$5. John P. Saar, 10-15-41.

For Rent—8 room house. Rent \$12. Charles street and Cinnaminson avenue. Bath, range and heater. Apply to John M. Wallace, 335 Cinnaminson avenue. 10-16-41.

For Rent—519 Maple avenue, nine rooms—conveniences, \$20. 10-16-41.

For Sale—House 316 W. Broad street. \$600. Terms easy. Apply to E. H. Hancock, Riverton.

For Rent—7 room house, 310 Horace avenue. Rent \$9. B. S. Sterling.

For Rent—House on Pear street heater and city water, large lot, plenty fruit trees. Apply to E. Knecht, 10-9-41. 829 Cinnaminson avenue.

Money to loan on mortgage in sums to suit. E. H. Hancock, Riverton. 10-2-41.

\$3,000 to loan on first mortgage in sums of \$1,000 each. R. L. Temple, Mortgages, Real Estate and Insurance.

For Rent—Dwelling on Horace avenue opposite 4th street. Fruit, town water, etc. Reasonable rent. M. W. Wisham, 332 Horace avenue.

For Rent—10 room house, corner Highland avenue and Spring Garden street. Modern improvements, rent reasonable. Apply to J. M. Roberts' store, Palmyra. 4-24-41.

For good family washing and laundry work give Owens a trial. P. O. Box 181. Go to Saar's for a good wash and iron cut.

William Sawyer, Piano Maker and dealer in Pianos and Organs, 1928 N. Eighth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Tuning and repairing a specialty. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

If you want anything in the real estate line call on F. Blackburn, Commissioner of Deeds and Notary Public, 331 West Broad street, Palmyra.

PALMYRA.

Celery is getting crisp. New prices in Roberts' ads.

Seven weeks more to Christmas. J. F. White handles very fine Tuckerton oysters.

Sunday School workers are hunting up Christmas Carol.

S. R. Stoy spent several days gunning at Cedar Brook.

Goose-bone weather prophets are predicting a severe winter.

The display of chrysanthemums grows more brilliant every day.

John Storr had another increase in his family on Tuesday—a boy.

The candy makers are now working over time on Christmas goods.

M. B. Roberts, of West Philadelphia, visited friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sterling had a package party on Friday evening.

Mrs. Rebecca Ash, of Lansdown, Pa., visited relatives here on Wednesday.

Miss Sutton, the milliner, has moved to the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Prickett.

Miss Maggie Beck, of Harrisburg, Pa., has been the guest of Mrs. T. V. McCurdy.

Rev. R. G. Hamilton has moved to Morgan avenue to a property he has purchased.

Theodore Ely started Friday morning for a two weeks gunning trip down in Virginia.

John Denner has moved from one of F. White's houses to Cinnaminson street, Riverton.

Mrs. Gallagher, the former assistant Postmaster has failed her to \$8,000 through an aunt.

Mrs. Jordan, of 511 Cinnaminson avenue, expects to move to Atlantic City next week.

Mrs. Gilbert Taylor was taken very sick, on Wednesday, but is improved at last report.

Mrs. Eli Keen, of North Broad street, Philadelphia, visited Mrs. Jordan last Thursday.

C. W. Joyce was on his annual gunning trip on Tuesday and Wednesday. He went near Frenchtown.

George W. Brown was married to a lady from Hoboken, at his home on Charles street, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. E. H. Nichols and daughters attended the wedding of Mrs. Nichols' cousin in Mount Holly on Wednesday.

Rev. W. H. Humphrey, of Philadelphia, will occupy the Baptist pulpit both morning and evening, tomorrow.

A meeting of the members of the Baptist Church will be held next Monday evening to consider the calling of

Returning gunners brought in many rabbits Wednesday evening as the result of the first day's hunt.

Several of our citizens took in the Pennsylvania-Indian foot ball game at Franklin Field on Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Hires and daughter, Edna, have returned from Atlantic City where they have spent several months.

Charles V. Weyman has rented George Young's house on Morgan avenue, formerly occupied by William Ainsworth.

Joshua Serfass, the lawyer who has occupied E. M. Satterthwaite's house on Columbia avenue, has vacated same and gone to Philadelphia.

Snow showers will soon come in fashion again, but there are some people who will never learn how to use them on the sidewalks.

The young boys about town are giving much attention to the game of marbles just now. It is a pastime that affords much amusement.

Mr. and Mrs. William Buckman, of Washington, D. C., have been spending the week with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Collins, of Garfield avenue.

C. F. Slater has moved from Rowland street to the house occupied by Mrs. Prickett. Mrs. Slater will occupy part of the store for notions and trimmings.

Gunners say rabbits were never so plentiful hereabouts before. One man, who is a good shot, killed three in a few hours, without a dog, on Wednesday.

The trustees of the H. B. Smith estate at Smithville, which has been in litigation for several years, met on Tuesday evening at Mount Holly, and went away.

Micah E. Matlack, of Mount Holly, late candidate for Senator, is quite ill at his home with an illness that for a while threatened to develop into diphtheria.

The opening party of the Palmyra Dancing School last Saturday evening at Morgan Hall, was a most enjoyable occasion. Over sixty ladies and gentlemen were present.

Morris Thorne, of Washington, D. C., visited his cousin Charles Lippincott, last Friday. Mr. Thorne has been connected with the Pension office for 18 years.

Mrs. Thomas Williams, of Delaware avenue, and Miss Anna Bates, of New Albany, visited Swedesboro several days last week, returning Saturday. They went awhile.

The bodies of John Wallace and two children who died many years ago, and Smith Wallace were moved from the Palmyra cemetery, on Thursday, to Morgan cemetery.

Thomas W. Baldwin, of West Chester, Pa., spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Thomas J. Prickett. Mr. Baldwin is a prominent lawyer and ex-District Attorney of his county.

Robert Hunter, Lon. and Tom Wallace and Charles Cooper, were very successful in their gunning trip on Wednesday. They went over beyond Moorestown and bagged 32 rabbits and 9 quail.

The ladies of Christ Church have decided to serve supper next Thursday night. The price will only be 25 cents and all are invited to the parish building between 6 and 9 P. M.

Mrs. Hamilton, widow of W. H. Hamilton, of Morgan above Wallace street, was married in Philadelphia on Tuesday to Albert Potter, of New York. They expect to start next week for a trip down in Virginia.

The report of the State Fish and Game Protector for October shows two arrests by Warden Wise, of this district as follows: Albert Faunce, netting fish, fined \$50 and costs; Lewis Wade, possession of duck, fined \$20 and costs.

Miss Elizabeth Worrall, well known in Palmyra, died under an operation, at Hahnemann Hospital, on Monday. She was buried at Friends burying grounds, of Darby, on Thursday. Her sudden demise is a great shock to her many friends.

The action of Judge Gaskill in releasing a wife-beater—almost a chronic one—does not meet with the approval of the people hereabouts who are familiar with the facts of the case. Too lenient punishment for such an offense has a bad effect upon other heartless husbands.

Who would not be well dressed? That's easy if the Butterick Perfect Fitting Patterns are used. These goods are reliable and thoroughly satisfactory.

Troth & Co., the agents for the Butterick company are having splendid success with both the patterns and publications of the company.

Three of our sporting men had quite an experience gunning on Wednesday. They started a large English hare, in Samuel Shane's cornfield and it was so big and had such long ears they thought it was a monkey. They failed to shoot the strange animal until a boy ran it down and tied it out and then held it while one of the gunners shot it.

A man, woman and two children, one a baby, trapped up from Camden in the rain on Thursday and took refuge in the old blacksmith shop at Broad and Elm avenue, where they slept all night on some hay. They claimed to be on the way from Lancaster, Pa., to Brooklyn where they had friends. The man had been sick for nine months and they were in destitute circumstances. Some neighbors gave them something to eat. They were a pitiful lot.

A little child of J. R. Hayes, living near Colquitt, Ga., overturned a pot of boiling water, scalding itself so severely that the skin came off its breast and limbs. The distressed parents sent to Mr. Bush, a merchant of Colquitt, for a remedy, and he promptly forwarded Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The child was suffering intensely, but was relieved by a single application of the Pain Balm. Another application or two made it sound and well. For sale by G. T. Williams, Drugist.

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AYDELOTTE RELEASED.

The case of John B. Aydelotte who had been convicted for beating his wife came up for sentence by Judge Joseph H. Gaskill on Tuesday, in Mount Holly.

It was generally expected that he would be sent to State prison for a term of years and the Judge stated that the evidence had impressed him that a long sentence was desired, but as he and his wife were living together again, he would allow the petition which vouched for his good character, signed by several well known citizens, to have weight with him and he would allow the defendant to go under \$750 bail and suspend sentence until the January term of court.

The judge cautioned Aydelotte and others that if there was another resort to ill treatment he would enforce the strong penalty of the law.

As many have asked for the petition and the names of the signers, we have taken the trouble to get them that our readers may have all the facts in the case.

The petition is as follows: To the Hon. Joseph H. Gaskill, Judge of the Burlington County Court, of Quarter Sessions.

We the subscribers of the Township of Cinnaminson, Palmyra and vicinity, do respectfully certify to your Honor that we have known John B. Aydelotte who has lately been convicted of assault and battery upon his wife Jennie Aydelotte before you, for several years and have known him to be a sober and industrious man and of good reputation for honesty, integrity, peace and good order, that the only exception to his reputation for peace and good order has been the alleged assault upon his wife, for which he has lately been tried, and a similar charge about one year ago, which was never prosecuted, that when said Aydelotte, if guilty of such assaults, had great provocation from his wife, and that said John B. Aydelotte and his wife, Jennie Aydelotte, have now had a reconciliation and are living together again, we earnestly and respectfully entreat your Honor not to impose sentence upon him but give him another chance by suspending sentence in his case, so long as he shall show to the court, by his conduct toward his family that he means to keep the peace toward his wife, we believe that to fine or imprison the defendant, being poor, would only add to the further distress of his wife and children and probably throw them on the town. Dated October 3rd, 1897.

Signed by Thomas W. Maires, J. D. Janney, M. D., Howard Parry, John Ourt, Thomas Wilson, Milton Cowperthwait, R. F. Garwood, Louis F. Louden, Ogden H. May, Louis Corner, H. G. Stonaker, C. Bush, J. L. Remine, John E. Morton, James Hartley, R. Lower Temple, C. F. Armstrong, Timothy Morton, William F. Morgan, Wm. J. McIlhenny, Samuel Elim, H. C. Worrell, S. W. Semple, G. W. Tucker, Pat Ryan, C. A. Haas, John W. Shade, John Hulp, C. H. Seybert, Charles Stokes, Hilyard Stokes, C. C. Butler, Enoch Evans and Thomas J. Prickett.

ADVERSE DECISION.

The six commissioners appointed by the court to consider the widening of Delaware avenue from 40 to 50 feet in width met in Lewis Wallace's hotel on November 5th and decided against the proposed change by a vote of 5 to 1; the latter being a relative of Charles Stokes, the surveyor, for the Delaware avenue people.

Much interest was shown in the hearing and a large crowd was in attendance, there being two sessions, lasting from 9:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. The bouts between counsel and witnesses created considerable excitement and amusement at times.

The petitioners were represented by Gilbert & Atkinson, and lawyer Samuel G. Richards. (In the absence of Township Attorney French) and Township Committee-man R. L. Temple, represented the Township and the people. Lothrop Jackson, D. T. Stowell, William Aspinall, William T. Slocum, Levi Clark, Edw. H. Panoos, John Chance, John S. Scheidell, C. H. Seybert and Charles E. Price were summoned by the petitioners but failed to establish any legal reason to prove the street had ever been 50 feet wide.

It was also admitted that no legal agreement had ever been made by the owners of land on the south side of the avenue, to make the street the desired width.

R. L. Temple, Henry Haines, Robt. M. Gorrell, F. Blackburn and Manning R. Clover represented the people opposed to the change and made some very plain points. Mr. Clover presented a petition signed by taxpayers representing over \$300,000 of property.

Legal points were also made against the measure, the first being a blunder in the petition to the court, and the second being the law that the highway could go through a man's house without his consent, as this would have done.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A birthday surprise party was given John McLaughlin at his home, 325 Berkeley avenue, on Tuesday evening. He was presented with a fine lamp. Games and dancing were the order of the evening and not least was the fine set-out.

Among those present were: M. and Mrs. Charles B. Simons, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Seel, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buck, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Wimer, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Vondersmith, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Shaner, Mrs. E. V. Hilliard and others.

EUCORE PARTY.

The Matinee Eucore party met at Mrs. Muselman's, Thursday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. Fred Blackburn, Mrs. Dr. Lloyd, Mrs. McGinley, Miss Cross, Mrs. G. Y. Jordan, Mrs. I. M. Jones, Mrs. George Miley, Mrs. Binns, of Philadelphia, Miss Slater, F. Blackburn, Mrs. George Blackburn, Mrs. Parrish, Mrs. Holter, Mrs. Weyman, Mrs. Distillford, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. F. Blackburn and Mrs. G. Blackburn.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Nov. 8th, 1897.

Senator Platt, of Conn., who is regarded as one of the most influential republican members of the Senate Committee on Finance, and a man who very seldom allows himself to be quoted in newspapers, has, in a short interview, given a pointer not only to the gentlemen composing the self-appointed monetary conference, but to the administration. Mr. Platt didn't beat around the bush at all, but stated in the fewest possible words that so far as practical results are concerned, it will simply be a waste of time, to propose and discuss a currency measure at the coming session of Congress, owing to the supporters of the administration lacking a majority in the Senate. There was nothing new in Senator Platt's words, but inasmuch as the memory of the public is proverbially short and many persons, in and out of print, have been seriously discussing the sort of financial legislation Congress is likely to give us at the coming session, it is well that they were spoken, and will be better if they are heeded and not wasted in useless efforts to compel the opposition Senate to accept financial measures favored by the administration, or by others.

Representative Hooker, of New York, says of the coming session of Congress: "It ought to be short. There is nothing to demand an extended sitting. I think that the Cuban and Hawaiian questions will in a way settle themselves, and certainly ought not to take up much time in Congress. There will be an effort made by extremists to change our monetary system, but a majority of Congressmen are conservative, and unless it is shown, beyond all question that such a change is desirable, and for the good of the whole country, our finances will be left as they are. In my opinion, it is better that they should be left alone. We are getting along very well, and agitation is unnecessary and hurtful."

Commissioner of Pensions Evans, not only fails to predict, as his predecessors in that office did, an early decrease in the number of pensions paid by this government, but calls attention to the failure of such predictions. At the close of the fiscal year, June 30, there were 798,024 pensioners on the rolls, a net increase in a year of 5,336. The annual report of the Commissioner doesn't say so, but all the same, it is reasonably certain that the net increase of pensioners for the current fiscal year will be much larger than during the last fiscal year, owing to the change of policy in the conduct of the pension bureau, which now gives preference to applications for original pensions. The Commissioner makes two recommendations, which seem to be in line with everyday business sense. First that a complete list of the names and addresses of pensioners be published, and second, that Congress make it illegal for the widows of veterans of the late war who marry after this time to draw pensions. The last is intended to break up the demoralizing practice, the extent of which is extraordinary, of women marrying old soldiers when they are on their death-beds, solely for the purpose of drawing a widow's pension. Under existing laws, pensions cannot be denied to these women, even when they are known to be disreputable.

Washington is likely to see much of the wire pulling that will be done by the regulars who would like to succeed Senator Gorman, as at least three of the gentlemen spend practically all their time at the National Capital. These would like to be Senators from Maryland are Postmaster General Gary, Judge McComas, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and Representative Mudd. Governor Louder, who is a creditable man with a desire to sit in the Senate, likewise spends considerable time in Washington, being a member of the famous Metropolitan Club. Neither of these gentlemen has formally announced himself to be a candidate for the Senate, but each are being pushed for the position, by friends, and there are others who would not object to the plan.

The treaty between the United States, Japan, and Russia, by which it is agreed that the killing of seals in open sea in Behring Sea, and the North Pacific Ocean shall temporarily be suspended, having been signed by the Representatives of the several governments, the work of the first sealing conference is closed, and this week, the second conference between the United States, Great Britain and Canada, will meet. Interest has been increased in this conference by the intimation that the Canadian officials intend to try to negotiate a treaty which will include some sort of commercial reciprocity between the United States and Canada.

If President McKinley and other prominent Ohio republicans in Washington take any stock in the numerous stories appearing in print, alleging the existence of serious doubt of the election of Senator Hanna by the Ohio Legislature, they hide it well, for to a man they insist that Senator Hanna's election is assured.

DELANCO.

Mrs. E. M. McClure is on a visit at Mount Holly.

Andrew Ridgway took in the all-day service at Gloucester City on Monday.

Rev. George Q. Hammett preached at the Riverside M. E. Church on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cotterel, of Riverton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Heister on Sunday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Delanco Building and Loan Association will be held next Monday evening.

Charles Hartley who has been on an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Deacon, Jr., left on Wednesday for his home in East Orange.

Mrs. George M. Hess, of Philadelphia, a former resident of this place has moved into Mrs. George Wood's house on Buttonwood street.

Beginning next Sunday a ten days Festival meeting will be held in the M. E. church. Rev. George W. Ridout, the pastor, will be in charge.

Tomorrow evening the Prohibition Club will hold a meeting at the M. E. church. Mr. George W. Ridout will be the speaker. Prohibitionists from all surrounding towns are requested to be present. Everybody welcome.

On Tuesday an all-day meeting will be held beginning at 7 A. M. The following speakers will take part: Jonas Leimbauer, T. J. J. Wright, Marshall Owens and D. A. Kays. On Sunday the first meeting will be held at 10 o'clock, love feast at 9:30, preaching at 10:30, Sunday school at 2:30, young people's meeting at 7:00 followed by preaching at 7:30.

W. O. T. U.

Regular meeting of the Union, on Wednesday, November 17, 3 P. M. Please remember the President begins at that time, and surprise yourselves by being prompt. The Union has entered upon its Fall campaign, well equipped for usefulness, capable, superintendents are at the head of every department. Our organization is an unselfish one, its sole aim, to better humanity, to teach better ways of living and give help and Christian sympathy in time of need, is our work. This is Christian work, fellow church members, and your name should be enrolled among our members. Many helpers are needed along the line, and yet many consider duty done, if they attend service on Sunday. Talents unused, work unsought and opportunities slighted, are sins committed. Passive virtue will not benefit others. Come to our meetings, take up some line of work, bless others and your life will be bright.

We have both honorary and pledged members, many gentlemen belong to our Union and we are glad to accept influence and financial aid. We hope fathers as well as mothers may join those who with earnest hearts are battling for "God, Home and Humanity."

Next week our President will give us convention echoes from the World's convention, Buffalo.

ASSO. PRES. SUPERINTENDENT.

BEVERLY.

George Simon, who has been dangerous, is out again.

John Leech, of Riverside, visited friends in this city on Sunday.

William Riley, of this city, is visiting his parents in Brooklyn, N. Y.

John Sprague and son, William, of Camden, spent Sunday in this city.

Thomas Shoemaker, of Philadelphia, visited friends in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. I. T. Craythorn left yesterday morning for a week's trip in New York City.

Mrs. John Haverstick, of Tioga, visited friends in this city the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Trolius Rogers, of Burlington, visited friends in this city on Tuesday.

Miss Louise Jones, of New Orleans, is visiting Miss Lillie Parsons, of Cooper street.

Ex-Sheriff Purdy, of Bucks County, Pa., visited his sister, Mrs. Edwin McElroy, of Warren street, on Sunday.

Rev. H. C. Munroe, a former pastor of the Baptist Church in this city, spoke in that edifice on Wednesday evening.

Nease Perkins, of South Cooper street, has the smallest Shetland pony in this vicinity. It is about three and a half feet high.

Mrs. George Harpence who has been spending some time here with I. T. Craythorn's family returned to her home this week at Frenchtown.

None of our fire companies attended the Fireman's Carnival at Trenton on Wednesday in a body, but both companies were represented by members.

Baron Housin de Saint Laurent, who has lived here since his appointment as French Vice Consul, has moved to Philadelphia for the winter.

William Hauffer, of Cooper street, who drives a broad wagon through Edgewater Park picked up a wild rabbit on Tuesday which was struck by a train.

A number from this city attended the Burlington County Sunday School Convention which was held in the Methodist Episcopal Church at Mount Holly yesterday.

Hilyard Stokes, of this city, who is one of the bondsmen for Sheriff Fleetwood was the guest of that gentleman at a repeat which he gave to his relatives at the Washington House, in Mount Holly on Tuesday.

BRIDGEBORO.

The League held a very interesting meeting on Sunday evening.

Thomas Neil and family, of Centreton, have moved into one of James Brannan's houses.

Charles Hammett, Sr., having disposed of his stock and farming, intends to visit himself to the county of Mercer, and live near Trenton.

Christopher J. Hennig, our all around farmer, painter and paper hanger, has taken possession of the old homestead farm on the Lumberton road.

The social department under the direction of John Penland will endeavor to resuscitate the good old times when the Epworth League was active and healthy. The third Friday of the month in the date and the parlance will be the place of meeting.

RIVERSIDE.

The Delaware River shoe factory has resumed operations.

Mr. Dick has had his hosiery mill improved by the addition of 150 incandescent lights.

The annual meeting of the Riverside cemetery lot holders was held in the I. O. M. Hall on Tuesday evening.

A committee of the directors of the Water Company have arranged to visit a number of water works with a view of perfecting the system of filtering the water, besides increasing the supply.

The Methodist Church has been carrying on a very successful revival under the leadership of its pastor, Rev. J. W. Lynch, during the past two weeks. Twenty-four have professed conversion. This week Rev. J. R. Read, of Bancocas; George D. Thompson, of Craner Hill; J. E. Lake, D. D., editor of the New Jersey Methodist, and A. L. Lazard, of Florence, will assist the pastor in conducting the services. The town seems to be realizing the effect of the social service.

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Memphis I will can hear her voice

So mournfully decline

The offer that I made and say

She'd never be wife of mine

The world has sped its fleeting way

Along the paths of space

Since that far-off Thanksgiving day,

But time will not efface

The memory of her gentle "No."

That bade my hopes depart

To leave me—ah, it seemed so then!

—Naught save a broken heart.

Thanksgiving days have hurried by—

Two years of it, I guess.

The gloomy shroud that wrapped me then

Is gone, I am content.

She's married—yes, I'm married—and

Her husband's hair turned gray.

Mayhap that's why so gratefully

I render thanks today.

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These early comers had no intention

of going off on the train. They were

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own people's the ones to do it. If an old

feller's can't put up with him, how's the

neighbors gonna do it?"

This somewhat lengthy speech on the

part of Farmer Gibbs met with universal

approval.

"That's it," said Williams, "and he

was comfortable. No person in the

country could 'a' been kinder and more

like a real datter to old Cisel than the

boy's aunt. It's said as the Ciseles new

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644 Time has turned full many a page in my dull book of life.

Walls in burning, smoldering, smoldering.

Fair Price to be my wife.

Memphis I will can hear her voice

So mournfully decline

The offer that I made and say

She'd never be wife of mine

The world has sped its fleeting way

Along the paths of space

Since that far-off Thanksgiving day,

But time will not efface

The memory of her gentle "No."

That bade my hopes depart

To leave me—ah, it seemed so then!

—Naught save a broken heart.

Thanksgiving days have hurried by—

Two years of it, I guess.

The gloomy shroud that wrapped me then

Is gone, I am content.

She's married—yes, I'm married—and

Her husband's hair turned gray.

Mayhap that's why so gratefully

I render thanks today.

—Chicago Inter Ocean.

OLD CISEL'S HONOR.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

Do not love life, then do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of.—FRANKLIN.

Two relief expeditions from Norway will patrol the Spitzbergen seas to look for Andree. A cruise after a missing balloon is something new in marine navigation.

Five large American steamships plying between Philadelphia and Liverpool are to be placed in the Alaska trade next spring, and a company has been organized to build a railway between Skagway and Lake Bennett. The argonauts of 1898 will have an easy time compared with those who went forward this year.

The newspapers of this section pretty generally agree that "one of the greatest nuisances that farmers have to contend with in this section is the parties who chase over their farms with a gun and tear down more fences for a ten-cent rabbit than can be repaired by two dollars' worth of labor. No person has a right to trespass upon the lands of another for any purpose whatever."

THANKSGIVING DAY.

Thanksgiving Day has now become a national milestone, showing footprints on the sand of time of increasing chief significance. Many of the present generation can remember when Thanksgiving Day was but an echo from the New England States, and celebrated only by those of New England ancestry. Since the War of the Rebellion the appointment and observance of this festival have become so national that the turkey is the bird of promise from Maine to Florida and from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast. It is not always in the midst of national prosperity that individuals can single out their special cause for personal gratitude on Thanksgiving Day, but there are two things this year which must be of very general and individual application in the line of special mercies. The first is that exceptionally mild weather has made economy in coal easy; the second that flour has reached the low price of \$4.50 a barrel. There are a good many other things to be thankful for. The work of all denominations has been immense in the direction of improving the physical conditions of mankind, and this generous sympathy extends down to the outcast, whose highest aspiration is to get a square meal. This square meal philanthropy is widespread and far-reaching on Thanksgiving Day. Very few prosperous citizens fail to do their share towards providing a feast for the less fortunate, and doubtless for all such the Lord will bless their digestion.

RIVERTON.

Bang up—gunning.

Christmas shopping is beginning.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving Day.

Sabbath, the 28th, will be Temperance Sunday.

"Charley" Davis was in the Borough during the week.

John Graham's daughter, Lizzie, is on the sick list.

Only five more days to fatten Thanksgiving turkeys.

Five feet wide and good in stormy weather—the cement walks.

The electric lights are not giving very satisfactory service of late.

August Zisak has been sick since the 12th with intermittent fever.

Miss Rosalie Zisak visited friends in Philadelphia several days this week.

Mrs. Cowperthwaite entertained the Besique club on Thursday afternoon.

Dunk Knowlton has bought a house on Cunningham street from Mr. Eisele.

D. H. Wright has for sale some fine lots in East Riverton at \$100 and \$200 each.

Rev. C. P. Butler will marry a Miss Valentine, at Blairstown, N. J., next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Laford were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carter this week.

Thomas Roberts went to the Rittenhouse, Philadelphia, on Thursday for the winter season.

The Commissioners of Appeal will meet November 23rd from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M., at the first house.

With a uniform grade and a good gravel road our Bank avenue driveway will be the envy of other towns.

The almshouse for 1898 are beginning to make their appearance. They announce six colonial cottages for next year.

HARRY RICE AND MISS MAMIE FLYNN

were married at Beverly, by the Priest, on Monday evening. This was quite a surprise to their many friends.

Mrs. T. W. Reath and George W. B. Roberts and family, have taken possession of their houses on Delancy Place, Philadelphia, for the winter.

Dr. Franklin Haines was present at Westfield on Sunday last and gave a most eloquent discourse on the recognition of those we love in a future state of existence.

An adjourned meeting of the Borough Council was held on Thursday evening. Unpleasant business was done, which is reported in another column, also two ordinances that were passed.

The bids for the stone road between this place and Riverside will be opened next week. It is to be hoped that Shalley will secure the contract as the roads built by that firm have proved the test of time.

The L. A. W., of Riverton, received its new furniture on Thursday. The room will be more attractive than ever, and many a young man will spend his evenings there instead of on the street.

The foundations for the new iron bridge at Pompton Creek are being laid. The bridge at Sweeds Run has been located, but when the material arrives for the new one travel will be delayed only a few days.

The Four o'clock tea given by Mrs. Thos. Roberts on Monday last was largely attended. Among those present were: Mrs. Wm. Parry, Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. E. H. Ogden, Mrs. John C. Davis, Mrs. Reath and Mrs. R. B. Shepherd.

The sidewalks of Main St. have been nearly impassible this week, because of the snow of Krause and Co., who are putting down cement pavement. If one side had been done at a time less annoyance would have been caused to pedestrians.

The proposed Fair of December 7th and 8th is to be of great importance here. Mrs. M. M. Reese is in charge and separate tables, etc., are under Miss Seckel, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Shepherd, Girl's Friendly and Mother's Meeting, novelties under Mrs. John Davis and supper will be served also.

In the Burlington County Court at Mount Holly, last week, Charles Makel, a German was tried and found guilty of shooting John Miller at Riverside, a fellow-laborer, and was sentenced to three years in the State prison by Judge Gaskill. Several other cases of minor importance were heard.

Accidents to gunners are more numerous this season, and the mortality already reported in the daily papers now exceeds any like period of previous years. We have had no serious accidents to report in this immediate neighborhood, and hope we won't have. Too much care cannot be exercised in handling a gun.

The lecture and readings of nearly all of "As You Like It," by Prof. Smith on Thursday night was one of the most enjoyable of the course so far. The intelligent and impressive rendering with comment, description and explanation was appreciated and several times the lecture was interrupted by applause and he was loudly applauded at the close. There will not be any lecture next Thursday night, on account of Thanksgiving.

James L. Young, chief clerk in the Tonnage Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Broad street station, Philadelphia, and a resident of Moorestown, committed suicide at the Arcade Hotel, in Mount Holly, on Tuesday evening, about dusk. He had registered at the hotel on last Thursday and seemed to be in the best of spirits. The deceased leaves a wife and two grown up daughters who reside in Moorestown where he was well thought of, and supposed to be sick as he had not been at the office of the company for several days. There are certain indications that he was financially embarrassed and had taken to dissipating quite freely of late.

A Wise Decision.

"I had rheumatism and I was unable to get up stairs without help. I could not put on my coat alone. I decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and in three months from the time I began its use I was a well man. I have had no rheumatism since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." JOHN C. AYERS, Bridgeport, N. J.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. Mailed for 25c. by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The mission of Hood's Sarsaparilla is to cure disease and thousands prove it fulfills its mission well.

DELAIR.

Rabbits are selling for 25 cents apiece.

Miss Edith Pelonzo visited Miss Marie Hollister on Tuesday last.

Prayer meeting in Methodist Church hereafter will be held on Friday evening.

The Delair A. A. can bluff as well as being bluffed, did you see their challenge.

The servant girl of Miss Ray Nichols was removed to the Hospital on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Yardley entertained the progressive euchre party on Friday evening last.

Mrs. Howard Sexton, Mrs. Gail Bennett and Miss Lizzie Hatch are now active members of the Needle Work Guild.

Prof. George Brown will shortly organize his literary entertainments which were greatly enjoyed during last winter.

Miss Miriam Reomer Shinn and Maryland Benson Nichols will be baptised in Holy Trinity to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 p. m. followed by Holy Communion at 3 p. m.

At the annual meeting of the Delair Branch of the Needle Work Guild of America, at Mrs. Jos. Knight's. Two hundred and seventy seven pieces were collected and distributed and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. J. C. Davis, President, Mrs. Jos. Knight, Vice President, Mrs. James Shollbred, Secretary, and Charles Kellom, Treasurer.

BOROUGH BUSINESS.

The adjourned session of the Borough Council was held in the fire house on Thursday evening. The Mayor and all the members were present.

A petition signed by prominent property owners was presented requesting the Council to publish the tax duplicate in circular form. There are some complaints about inequalities in the assessment and by this means they are hoped to be corrected. Favorable action was taken.

Mr. Brown, of the Highway Committee, reported the river wall, at the foot of Penn street, nearly completed; that the grading on Fourth Street was done from Main to Lindig, avenue and temporary culverts had been put in. He also reported that the cement pavements put down by Lemuel Davis and Miss H. V. Wiggins, on Main street above 2nd were six inches too low, by some mistake. In re-surveying Fourth street between Lippincott and Thomas avenues the Engineer discovered that the sidewalk on the south side was eleven feet wide and thirteen on the other and had changed it to be 12 feet on each side. This action had made trouble for James Hemphill and L. G. Graff who had completed some of their improvements.

A street light was ordered placed at 3rd and Penn streets by request of Samuel C. Cook.

The ordinance offered by the Ginnamison Gas Company was brought up and read and referred to the Highway Committee for amendment.

The ordinance to alter the grade of Thomas avenue was passed final reading.

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The claim of George Z. Sutton for \$5 for seven chickens killed by dogs, which amount was assessed by two freeholders, was laid over until next meeting.

A communication was read from Dr. H. B. Hall complaining of the tax bills being made out show a jump sum and not in detail, which he deemed to be illegal. Council decided with the communication and passed a motion directing the Assessor to furnish the Collector with an itemized statement for each property.

Bills were passed as follows:

J. T. Severas and Sons, 100 stocks, \$10 00

News, printing, 7 71

Standard Oil Co., oil, 12 53

William King's Sons, lampwicks, 65 00

W. L. Bowen, printing, 50 00

Green Past, salary, 33 33

Charles Armstrong, salary, 50 00

Steamboat Co., freight, 1 87

S. Chew and Sons, printing, 00 00

The bill for the Water Company and from L. Corner, for grading, were laid over until next meeting.

A motion was passed to notify Lemuel Davis and Miss Wiggins to place their sidewalks at the proper grade without delay.

A motion was passed to fill in the area face on James Hemphill's and L. G. Graff's property on Fourth street where the sidewalk had been widened.

A motion was passed instructing the Borough engineer to re-survey the brick sidewalks on Main street, and ascertain whether they are at grade or not.

The outlet of the Main street sewer was reported out of position, which was ordered attended to at the first low tide.

Mr. Thomas called attention to the fact that the signs on First street read "Front street." He stated that application would probably be made to have the signs changed.

Adjourned to meet on Friday evening, November 26th.

AN ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE TO ALTER THE GRADE OF A PORTION OF THOMAS AVENUE IN THE BOROUGH OF RIVERTON.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton:

SECTION 1. That the elevation as indicated by the grade monument on the easterly side of Thomas Avenue, four hundred and twenty feet northerly from Broad street, in the Borough of Riverton, be lowered six inches from the elevation as shown by the monument on the existing grade chart, and that the grade of said Thomas Avenue shall be made to conform with the elevation as thus altered.

SECTION 2. Be it ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon due publication.

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton at a meeting held at the regular meeting place of said Mayor and Council in Riverton, N. J., November 18th, A. D. 1897.

Attest: CHARLES S. WALNUT, Borough Clerk.

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WASHINGTON LETTER

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The only Representative of prominence who has turned up in Washington with the positive opinion that the coming session of Congress would pass a financial bill, is Mr. Fowler, of New Jersey, a member of the House Banking and Currency Committee. He not only has that opinion, but he has the courage to express it, and to add the prophecy that if the Republicans fail to put through a financial measure, they will be punished at the Congressional election of next year, by losing control of the House. He even goes further, and says that if the monetary conference formulates a financial measure that appears to be sound, it will be forced through Congress by the power of public opinion. This opinion is so directly opposed to those which have been expressed by other Senators and Representatives that it places Mr. Fowler in a class all by himself, so far. He may, of course, be right, but it is nevertheless the general opinion in Washington that no power on earth would be strong enough to get any measure passed through the Senate, as it now stands. It has been stated by men of prominence that the financial recommendations of President McKinley's message will be made merely to put himself and his administration on record, and that the House may pass some bill or bills in accordance therewith, no serious attempt will be made to get any legislation by the Senate, because it is regarded as useless.

One of the things that are especially surprising to those who have been unsuccessful applicants for office under several administrations, is the frequency with which the ex-officio holder walks off with the best things on the official pie counter. For instance, before it had become generally known that Judge Walker Fearn had, on account of ill health, about decided to resign his seat on the International Mixed Court at Cairo, Egypt—a lifetime place, practically, with easy work and a salary of \$7,000 a year—it was announced that General George S. Messersmith, of New York, ex-Minister to Portugal, ex-Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and the holder of this same position for about ten years, would be recommended by the President to fill this vacancy, when it occurred. The appointment is made by the Executive of Egypt.

Social attentions of all kinds are being given at St. William's, the Canadian Premier, and the party of officials and ladies which accompany him, by members of the administration. President McKinley started the ball by giving an elaborate dinner in honor of Sir Wilfrid, which was followed by a dinner and reception given by Secretary Sherman, and another dinner by ex-Secretary Foster. This is as far as the have gone, but they have been in Washington a week yet. Sir Wilfrid attends the conferences between the British, Canadian and American seal experts, but only as an interested spectator. His principal object in coming to Washington was to endeavor to discover whether it will be possible to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with the Dominion of the Dingley tariff law, and he is now holding conferences on the subject, with Hon. John A. Kason, special Commissioner for the negotiation of reciprocity treaties. Of course, he cannot negotiate a treaty; that must be done by the British government.

Uncle Sam's last shot into the ranks of the fake business outfit was a destructive one. It was in the shape of an official order of the Postmaster General declaring John Wedderburn, Wedderburn & Co., and the National Recorder to be frauds, and the further use of the mails. Wedderburn had previously been disbarred from practice before the Patent Office for defrauding clients. Newspaper which continue to carry Wedderburn & Co.'s advertisement will be in danger of being shut out of the mails.

Assistant Secretary Roosevelt gives the following reasons why we need a larger navy: "We need a powerful fighting Navy, a Navy including an ample number of torpedo boats, an ample force of sea-going battleships, and also armored cruisers, which should possess great coal endurance, and carry an abundance of heavy rapid firing guns. We cannot avoid our responsibilities. We have announced, again and again, our adherence to the Monroe Doctrine. Unless we are willing to be put in the contemptible attitude of those who bluster without being able to back up their words with power, we must prove that our attitude about the Monroe Doctrine is not a sham. To prove this means that we must have a powerful Navy. If we annex Hawaii, as every consideration of interest and honor bids, we shall need an adequate Navy to enforce our position on the Pacific. If we do not annex Hawaii, we will still need a much larger Navy, as Hawaii is situated at a point where some other power must necessarily take it, and from that moment men ace our whole Pacific coast. If we have a proper Navy it will tend toward war, but toward peace."

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Edward Megargee desires to inform the public and his customers that he runs his wagon in Palmyra on Tuesdays and Fridays which is supplied with very fine fresh pork, sausage and scrapple. He defies competition in quality and price. Fine lot of turkeys for Thanksgiving.

Fascinator, bed-room slippers and other knitting done to order by Mrs. DeWorth, corner Fifth and Race. 11-13 E. 11.

For sale, at a bargain, T. J. Dewees' house, near the water works, if taken at once. Only \$500, cash needed. D. H. Wright, Riverport.

For rent, at a reduced price for the winter, house on Lippincott avenue below Broad. D. H. Wright, Agent.

Painting and paper hanging work guaranteed to be first class. Prices reasonable. Nathan Nixon, P. O. Box 303.

Go to Story's for a first-class job of paper hanging, also for linoleums. 11-6 St.

For Sale, Cheap, Out-Under Carriage, Woodman's carriage warehouse, Riverport.

For Rent—November 1st, 522 Garfield avenue, 9 rooms, all conveniences. Inquire 520 Garfield avenue.

Paints in small cans, glass and putty, at Williams' drug store. 10-23 E.

For Rent—8 room house, near 1212 Charles street and Cinnaminson avenue. Bath, range and heater. Apply to John H. Wallace, 335 Cinnaminson avenue.

10-15 E.

For Rent—519 Maple avenue, nine rooms—conveniences, \$20. 10-15 E.

For Rent—7 room house, 319 Horace avenue, near 49. B. S. Sterling.

\$3,000 to loan on first mortgage in sums of \$1,000 each. R. L. Temple, Mortgages, Real Estate and Insurance.

For Rent—Dwelling on Horace avenue opposite 4th street. Fruit, town water, etc. Reasonable rent. M. W. Wisham, 332 Horace avenue.

For Rent—10 room house, corner Highland avenue and Spring Garden street. Modern improvements, rent reasonable. Apply to J. M. Roberts' store, Palmyra.

For good family washing and laundry work give Owens a trial. P. O. Box 181.

Go to Sauer's for a good shave or hair cut.

William Sawyer, Piano Maker and dealer in Pianos and Organs, 1228 N. Eighth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Tuning and repairing a specialty. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

If you want anything in the real estate line call on F. Blackburn, Commissioner of Deeds and Notary Public, 331 West Third street, Palmyra.

PALMYRA.

Assessor Blackburn has been laid up a week with grip.

J. W. Kemble preached at Riverside on Thursday evening.

Newman Frank Blum is now a happy father—a boy.

Butcher Joyce will have a fine lot of Thanksgiving poultry.

Nathan Nixon had a little stranger in his family this week.

Rev. Marshall Owens preached at Delanco on Wednesday night.

Thomas Hawks was here on Thursday looking after his property.

Miss Daisy Beatty, of Philadelphia, has been visiting Miss Lydia To.

Squire Hires and John G. Horner have gone to Freehold on a gunning trip.

Post Master Wimer has had his commission framed and hung up in the post office.

The street crossing were cleaned by the Township Committee workmen this week.

Mrs. Hannah T. Yarnell, of Fernwood, Pa., spent Wednesday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eckstein entertained a few friends at cards on Wednesday evening.

Miss Ida Griffith, of Philadelphia, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thos. McGinley.

The iron stand, pipe has been filled and water was turned on for consumption on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. L. Jones, of West Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Lippincott.

Rev. Percy Lynch, of Philadelphia, will supply the pulpit of the Baptist Church, on Sunday.

A number of our sports will attend the shooting match at Centerton, on Thanksgiving Day.

George Hermann, of Philadelphia, has succeeded William Miller in Vaughn's grocery store.

There were 266 attendance at the Methodist Sunday School last Sunday, the largest for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holler expect to start for Florida, soon where they expect to spend the winter.

A throat (banged) made of raw onions beaten to a pulp often gives great relief in cases of diphtheria.

The election for officers of the Methodist Sunday School will take place Tuesday, December 7th.

It is not too early to suggest thinking about what you intend giving the loved ones as a Christmas gift.

The entertainment to be given by the Odd Fellows' lodge next Tuesday is expected to be very interesting.

Mrs. B. Frazer returned home on Wednesday, after a two weeks visit with her parents, at Wrightstown.

Assemblyman Horner was in Trenton Tuesday with many other members of the New House of Assembly.

Mrs. Christiana French, the Moorestown seamstress, died on Saturday, November 13, 3 months and 10 days.

George A. Jackson has a visitor at his home who has come to stay. The stranger arrived this week. It is a little girl.

Mrs. Sarah Bonnell has moved from L-Coney avenue to her own house, on Cinnaminson ave, vacated by W. C. Wheeler.

Mrs. William H. Spayd has been attending her sister, Mrs. Gregar, who has been sick in Philadelphia several days this week.

William C. Brown, of 801 Garfield avenue, is the gentleman who was married last week, not George W. Brown, of Charles street.

It is pretty hard lines when a woman 92 years old has to seek support from the Township when she has three able bodied sons living in the town.

Miss Edna Smith, was given a party last Friday evening, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Smith, in honor of her eleventh birthday.

John Wananaker, Philadelphia's merchant prince, says he spends \$40,000 a year for advertising, and advertises no where but in newspapers.

There has been a slaughter of dogs in West Palmyra this week, in consequence of an supposed mad dog that attacked Mrs. Grassie, biting them.

Mrs. A. A. Lewis has nearly recovered her health and left with her daughter on Thursday, for Landsdale, Pa., where they will spend the winter with her son.

The report of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics will show that for the year ending June 30, 1897, Burlington county had 434 marriages; 761 births, and 807 deaths.

The engagement was announced this week of Miss C. J. Walsh, of Camden, N. J., and J. A. Faunce, of this town; both parties are well known in Camden society.

It has been stated on good authority that both Senator-elect Howard E. Packer and Assemblyman-elect Joel Horner will resign as members of the Board of Freeholders.

A touch of frost makes the oyster more succulent and ripens the pumpkin pie. Autumn may be the dying time of year, but there is plenty of good things at a funeral.

The Commissioners of Appeal met in Society Hall, next Tuesday, from 10 to 4. If you have any grievance over your assessment then is your time to make it or ever thereafter hold your peace.

REIDERBACHER—BUDY.—At the Moravian parsonage, Five Points, November 17th, 1897, by the Rev. O. E. Reiderbach, Reiderbacher, of Fork Landing, and Miss Ida E. Budd, of Medford.

The length of a social call among the fashionable female is put down at half an hour, of which ten minutes is spent sitting talking in the parlor and twenty standing and saying good bye at the front door.

"Bill" Haines has having two more 2-room houses put up at Third and Market. These small houses are bringing a class of people to that end of the town that is doing an immense amount of damage to better properties.

C. W. Joyce and some friends from Moorestown broke the record for killing rabbits last week, while gunning near Frenchtown, N. J. Seven men and a boy were in the party and they hunted one day and a half, with three dogs, and killed 101 rabbits, 3 quail and a woodcock. That must have been fine sport.

A number of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cline's Philadelphia friends, who attended their Golden Wedding celebration a couple of weeks ago, came up on Thursday evening and surprised them at their home on Morgan avenue. Instrumental music and singing was the order of the evening. After an enjoyable time, the guests departed well pleased with their visit.

The Palmyra Branch of the Needle Work Guild met at the home of Mrs. Capt. Hall on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. F. Morgan was elected Vice President, Mrs. C. Morgan a Director, and Mrs. J. C. Davis, Secretary.

Mrs. J. C. Davis spoke in memory of the late Mrs. James Hartley, at whose home they met last year, and that the Guild work was not only in the gathering together of garments but of strength also of the members.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

The Burlington County Teachers' Association held its regular monthly meeting in the High School building, Mount Holly, on Saturday, November 13.

The algebra class met with Mr. Watts as teacher. He took up the lesson on which had been assigned, devoting his attention mainly to forming an equation from the condition of the question.

He did not in every problem solve the equation, this being a comparatively easy matter, the principal difficulty being to rightly interpret the language of the book and to form an equation in accordance with the conditions given.

The literature class met with Mr. Aiken as teacher. It was decided to have a "question box" to be under the charge of Miss Susan VanSiver.

Criticism was to be heeded to Miss Laura M. Gaskill who will present to the class those which she thinks proper. At each meeting the teachers will, as their names are called give a quotation from the authors under consideration for the day.

Regular work was then taken up. The first period of English literature embracing the time previous to Chaucer was studied. A short sketch of the life of the most prominent authors of the period was given and short quotations made from their writings.

In the afternoon the German class met with Miss Doert as teacher. Phrases and short sentences were read and translated from German into English and from English into German.

A little child of J. R. Hayes, living near Colquitt, Ga., overruled a pot of boiling water, scalding itself so severely that the skin came off its breast and limbs.

The distressed parents sent to Mr. Bush, a merchant of Colquitt, for a remedy, and he promptly forwarded Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

The child was suffering intensely, but was relieved by a single application of the Pain Balm. Another application at two made it sound and well. For sale by G. T. Williams, Drug-gist.

TOWNSHIP BUSINESS.

The regular meeting of the Township Committee was held in Society Hall, on Tuesday evening.

The clerk stated that the opinion of the solicitor had not been received regarding the disturbances at the West Palmyra church. The clerk was requested to ask that the same be forwarded.

Mr. Temple called attention, in connection with a bill from the Overseer of the Poor, to the fact that the appropriation of \$200 had nearly been exhausted and the winter is yet to come.

He also stated that Mrs. Hannah Cooper, 92 years old, had been to his house three times a night for help from the Township. Attention was called to the fact that this aged woman has three sons living in the west end of the town, who are legally responsible for her support.

The Delaware and Atlantic Telephone Company were authorized to go ahead with putting up the additional poles and wires.

Bills were passed as follows:

John Chance, meat for Job Wilkins, \$ 6.10

W. C. Wheeler, printing tax bills, 4.75

Thomas Brown, lumber, 6.90

J. O. Singer, hauling ashes, 2.88

W. R. S. Black, coal for Annie Smith, 40.00

J. J. Jones, police, 40.00

C. F. Sleeper, printing, 4.00

C. C. Gibson, 3 months salary, 32.50

Riverport & Palmyra water company water rent for 60 fire plugs, 600.00

P. R. Grady, burying dogs, etc., 14.75

John P. Sauer, feeding prisoners and salary, 28.40

Henry S. Haines, civil engineer, 51.00

James Ryan, work on roads, 17.00

Wm. Parry, 70 maple trees, 52.50

Thomas E. French, attorney, 10.00

H. S. Haines, sidewalk account, 116.90

The bill of the Vulcanite Paving Company for \$3318.19, covering the cement pavements on Delaware and Cinnaminson avenues and Spring Garden street, was considered. It had been verified by Engineer Haines who had measured the work. The committee will personally inspect the work and, if satisfactory, will order same to be paid.

The Treasurer was authorized to negotiate a loan to cover the sidewalk expenditure.

The proposition of the Cinnaminson Gas Company was considered, and an ordinance was ordered drawn up giving them free use of the streets for ten years.

Adjourned.

PASTOR OWENS ASKED TO RETURN.

At the third Quarterly Conference of the Epworth M. E. Church last week, the Presiding Elder, Rev. S. W. Lake, not being present, a resolution was unanimously carried directing the committee on Pastoral Relations to see the Presiding Elder at their earliest convenience and request him to do all he could to have the present pastor, Rev. Marshall Owens, return the fourth year.

It is the first time in the history of the church that a pastor has been called to serve his fourth year. There being a resolution on the minutes of the conference limiting the pastorate to three years, by unanimous vote the enforcement of the resolution was suspended during Rev. Marshall Owens' pastorate.

A unanimous vote of thanks of the conference was given the pastor for his success in raising the one thousand dollars that was necessary to enable the Trustees to cancel the twenty-five hundred mortgage on the Church.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

The regular monthly meeting of Palmyra Township Board of Health was held in Society Hall, on Tuesday evening.

Inspector Blackburn reported in the violation of the Health Code by John W. Shade. Mr. Shade having declared his ignorance of this particular section of the code and offering to file a plan of the drainage and enclose the pipes, a motion was passed discontinuing further action in the case.

The Inspector stated that he had not yet received the quarantine ordinance from the Solicitor and a motion was passed requesting the Solicitor to have same ready for the next meeting.

A bill of \$610 for meat furnished Job Wilkins by John Chance, was passed.

Adjourned.

UNIVERSAL TEMPERANCE SUNDAY.

We trust our white ribbons will bring in mind the fact that November 28th will be observed as Universal Temperance Sunday. The W. C. T. U. Sunday school department makes the following suggestion as to program:

A temperance sermon by the pastor; special temperance work in the Sunday school; union temperance prayer meetings by the Young Peoples' Societies; union church services in the evening. Suitable literature should also be distributed.

The object of this universal temperance movement is to bring about concerted action on the part of all churches and religious organizations to the end that a mighty work of Christian temperance sentiment may sweep over the land.

County and local superintendents, of Sunday school work should begin at once to plan for the proper observance of this particular day. Let each local superintendent stir up to good works, every pastor and every Sunday school in his own town or city and be very sure to report to her county superintendent how the day was observed.

Let us work with a view to making Sunday, November 28th, a notable rally day in our churches and Sunday schools.

Yours, EMILY V. STREET, State Supt. of S. S. Work.

W. O. T. U.

Mrs. H. L. Bullock the National Organizer of National W. C. T. U., will give a temperance address in the Epworth M. E. Church, Monday evening, November 22nd at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

The children of the Loyal Legion are all requested to be present at the church Monday afternoon, an interesting talk will be given by the Mrs. Bullock.

The Union will meet on Friday of next week. The Monthly Bible Reading will be read entitled, The New Covenant.

Press Superintendent.

BEVERLY.

Miss Beanie Parker is visiting friends in this city.

Thomas Maria and wife, of Farnum street, moved to Philadelphia, on Tuesday.

Thomas Powell, of Camden, was visiting relatives in this city on Monday.

Miss May Etris, of Camden, has been visiting friends in this city the past week.

Harry Rosenberg, of Philadelphia, was calling on friends in this city on Sunday.

John Hamer, of the river bank, is in South Carolina on a gunning expedition.

Miss Ida Currie, of Cooper street, is visiting Miss Mabel Haines, at Burlington.

Mrs. Hanson and daughter, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. R. of Walnut street.

Harry Andrews, of Philadelphia, was entertained by friends in this city on Sunday.

Dr. Fred. May and wife, of New York, are visiting Mrs. Baldwin, of Edgewater Park.

Mrs. Bennett, of Warren street, has gone to Philadelphia where she will spend the winter.

A few of our foot ball enthusiasts are at New Haven, Conn., where they will witness the Yale-Princeton game tomorrow.

Mrs. Mary Williams, of Palmyra, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peart, of Cooper street, on Wednesday.

Dr. J. J. Currie, of this city has been elected Township Secretary of the Burlington County Sunday School Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hovey, of the river bank, had as their guests the past week Dr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman, of Philadelphia.

The real estate in this city belonging to F. H. Hovey, deceased, was offered at public sale at Freeman's auction rooms, Philadelphia, on Wednesday. There was very little bidding and none of the properties were sold.

D. B. Champion, of Broad street, received a letter on Tuesday from one of the children, Mrs. Theodore Merritt, of laundry in this city. It stated that he would receive a Chinese pet dog which had been shipped to him by express.

The Bishop of New Jersey has arranged to lay the corner stone of the Parish House, of St. Stephen's Church, on Friday afternoon, November 26, at 3.15 o'clock. The public in general is cordially invited to be present at this service.

The Rev. Charles Betticher has appointed the following committee to represent St. Stephen's Parish in the work of the Christian Relief Association of this city: Mrs. M. R. Blyler, Mrs. F. J. Jones, Mrs. Lindsay Clarkson and Harry C. Blow.

Jacob E. Fireng, who lives with his daughter, Mrs. Theodore Merritt, of Pine street, while coming down stairs on Friday evening fell and broke two of his ribs and otherwise injured himself. Mr. Fireng who is about seventy years of age has been suffering from rheumatism and it is thought this was the cause of the accident. Dr. Roberts who was called in to set the bones and at this writing the unfortunate is doing as well as can be expected.

A lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, was organized on Saturday evening at the residence of Rev. T. S. Fretz, on Cooper street. The following officers were elected: Chief Templar, H. H. Scudder; Vice Templar, Mrs. T. S. Fretz; Lodge Deputy, Rev. T. S. Fretz; Guard, Lawrence Lockwood; Sentinel, Mrs. A. H. Horner; Treasurer, Mrs. Walter Adams; Financial Secretary, Miss Grace Sherman; Marshal, Roland Hatcher; Deputy Marshal, Miss Marie Wright; Recording Secretary, Eugene Coffee; Superintendent of Juvenile Temple, Miss Mary Stansbury; Organist, Mrs. A. Horner; Chaplain, Miss Eliza Stuckey. The lodge will meet every Saturday evening.

BRIDGEBORE.

Wallace Gennett has moved to the Delta Grove Farm.

The boys of this place are preparing for a foot-ball game on Thanksgiving morning.

Miss Emma F. Vernon, daughter of George G. Vernon, last Thursday stood in the bridal wreath and exchanged vows with her parents' home and was happily wedded to George B. Anderson amidst a host of smiling relatives and acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. George McNeally stood by the young couple while impressive service was read by the Rev. J. H. Hutchinson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of this place.

Personally-Conducted Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.

SEASON OF 1897-8.

The Personally-Conducted Tourist System of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is the most complete and elaborate system of pleasure traveling and sight-seeing yet devised. It is the consummation of the ultimate idea in railroad travel, the final evolution of unsatisfactory perfection.

For the season of '97 and '98 it has arranged for the following tours:—

California—Four tours will leave New York, Philadelphia, and Harrisburg January 8th and 27th, February 16th, and March 19th.

With the exception of the first party going on the California tour, all other parties will travel by the "Golden Gate Special" between New York and California, stopping at interesting points en route.

Florida—Four tours to Jacksonville will leave New York and Philadelphia January 25th, February 8th and 22nd, and March 8th.

The first three will be a stay of two weeks in the "Flower State." Tickets for the fourth tour will be good to return by regular trains until May 1st, 1898.

Old Point Comfort, Richmond and Washington—Three six-days tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 28th, 16th, and April 7th.

Old Point Comfort and Washington—Three four-day tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 28th, January 25th, and April 23rd.

Old Point Comfort—Six tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 28th, January 25th, February 19th, March 19th, April 7th and 23rd.

Washington—Seven tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 28th, January 13th, February 3rd, March 3rd and 24th, April 21st, and May 12th.

Detailed literature of the above tours, giving rates and full information, may be procured of Tourist Agent, 1136 Broadway, New York; 600 Fulton Street, Brooklyn; 729 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.; or George W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

RARE EXHIBITION, MORGAN HALL, PALMYRA, N. J.

Tuesday Evening, Nov. 23, 1897.

EDISON'S NEW KINETOSCOPE AND PHONOGRAPH COMBINED.

Under Auspices of CINNAMINSON LODGE, I. O. O. F.

Adult's Ticket, 25 cents which can be had at the door.

A TOOTHBRUSH FOR KOKO.

Costly Toilet Articles Purchased by Rich Girls For Their Pet Dogs.

A score or more of dainty toilet articles, gilded, jeweled, and scattered over the glass counter, and the obliging clerk in the fashionable shop was vainly endeavoring to satisfy the whims of a daughter of wealth, who had every appearance of having been spoiled by overindulgence. She had a costly toothbrush in her hand and was poking the other articles with it in a dissatisfied way. "This is not fine enough," she said, "and the hair is not fine enough."

"It is our very best grade of goods," suggested the clerk half apologetically. "Then you ought to get something better. Yes, really, you ought," exclaimed the willful customer. "I can't take such a clumsy toothbrush as that home to my Koko."

"Ah!" murmured the clerk, with a scarcely perceptible air of impatience. "Then you want a toothbrush for your dog?"

"Yes, of course I do, and I want something very soft and very dainty," replied the young woman. And, after a pause, she added, with an affectionate purr, "There isn't anything too nice for my Koko."

"Certainly not," responded the clerk, with a cordial smile. "Here are some brushes of rare quality. I had overlooked them. Here is one with hair as soft as silk and a handle of solid gold."

The girl fondled the expensive trinket for a moment, and, without asking the price, said, "That will do. Have it sent with the other things, please." When this spoiled maiden's father, who was sitting on the fashionable jeweler's bench, doubtless be moved to emotion by the entry, "One toothbrush for dog, \$32.50."

It is no uncommon thing for shopkeepers in New York to be called upon to supply toilet articles for dogs, and the prices of dog combs and brushes are kept aristocratically high.—New York Times.

Certain Irish Stories.

A Roman deacon was sent for to baptize a baby. In the cabin he could find no water, but he was a pot of tea.

"Yes," he reasoned, "contains water, the tea is hot and steamy, and it is good to pour out a cup. But it was strong, even to blackness, so he went in search of water, and, having found some, watered the tea down to a more reasonable color, christened the baby with it, and reported the circumstance, as a case of violence, to his superior. It had not occurred to him, having found the water, to use it by itself.

Here is a tutor's letter of condolence to a bereaved parent. This was unkindly attributed to Oxford. The tutor wrote, "I am sincerely grieved to hear of the death of your son's death, but I must inform you he would have had to go down in any case, as he had failed to satisfy the examiners in classical compositions."

One other story, I may add here, as it serves to illustrate a certain disparity often noticeable between Saxon and Celtic word values, and also the way in which Irish seamen discount their own rhetoric. A home ruler was haranguing on English terrorism, and after drawing a horrid picture of babies speared on the points of bayonets, etc., he concluded, "If that's your civilization, you may keep it. I call it most improper."—Cornhill Magazine.

A Clergyman's Advertisement.

The Rev. W. Darlow Sarjeant, a reputable Wesleyan clergyman of London, keeps regularly standing in one of the London papers the following advertisement:

"Persons in spiritual difficulties may see by appointment

THE WEEKLY NEWS.

C. F. SLEEPER, Editor and Proprietor.

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In effect October 5th, 1897.

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SEASONABLE THOUGHTS.

Clothed in tints of autumn splendor,

Red and brown with gold over-cast,

Woods and fields attest the grandeur

Of a world that is unassured.

Crowned with beauty, every season

Nature spreads her gifts to please,

Shows the Maker's promise given

That His bounty never shall cease.

True His words, "while earth remaineth

Seed time, harvest, day and night,

Each in turn, their course purmeth

Overruled by His great might.

So then man, of value greater

God will clothe and for him care

Noblest work of His Creator

Christ's own righteousness shall wear.

Take ye then no thought for morrow

Take the "manna" of to-day;

Do not from the future borrow

God will guide you all the way.

If God's earth's so full of glory

What must His own Heaven be?

Mortal we can tell the story

Rich in wealth eternally.

—H. B. READ.

DEAD BROKE.

One afternoon, years ago, a lady

and gentleman were seated under

the chestnut trees in the main avenue

of the garden of the Tuilleries at

Paris, which, as most folks know, is a

public promenade, and numberless

chairs are placed in rows and hired

to fatigued promenaders at about six

cents apiece.

After having chatted for some time,

watching the gambols of the little

children, who were most in admiration

of "Punch and Judy," and of the non-

commissioned officers, who were lost in

admiration of their nurses, our two

promenaders rose to leave, when they

were confronted by the proprietress of

the chairs, who demanded her twelve

cents.

The lady searched in her pocket.

"I declare," she said, laughing, "I've

forgotten my portemonnaie."

The gentleman felt his pockets in

turn.

"Upon my word," said he, also

laughing, "I've done the same."

This by no means suited the views

of the good woman.

"That's played out," she said, or

words to that effect; "it's all very fine

for people to come here and lounge

upon the chairs half the morning with-

out paying, but I don't see the joke. I

want my money."

The gentleman frowned.

"Here, madame," said he, "take

this glove and return it to the person

who will bring you its fellow and hand

you your money."

So saying he departed with his com-

panion, who with difficulty refrained

from bursting out laughing.

Suddenly the blue sky was overcast

with dark clouds, which piled them-

selves in a threatening manner, and

our two promenaders had hardly left

the garden before large drops of rain

began to fall. They hurried along,

but had barely reached the entrance

to the Rue de Colonne when the rain

poured down in torrents and the street

was converted into a miniature river.

There was not a cab to be seen, and

our two pedestrians were forced to seek

the shelter of an open gateway, as wet

as a bucket of water.

The porter of the house was occu-

ped with a formidable broom in

sweeping back the water, which

threatened to overflow the vestibule.

"Madame," said he, "you can't re-

main there under the gateway; you

will catch your death of cold. Come

into the lodge; you will be comfort-

able."

The lady, after glancing at her com-

panion, said: "I accept your hospital-

ity," and they both entered that lodge.

The worthy doorkeeper placed

chairs for his guests and began to en-

tertain them with all the gossip of the

neighborhood. After a while, address-

ing the gentleman:

"Well, what do you think about

politics?" said he.

"What do you think yourself?" re-

plied the gentleman gravely.

"Why, I think everything would be

much better if everything was not so

bad," returned he. "We want reforms.

I know very well that the Emperor is

ready to grant them, and would be

only too glad. * * * See here, if

I could get to him, if I was his

cousin, for instance, I'd show him how

to go to work."

"You don't mean that! Do you

think he would listen to you?" replied

the gentleman, laughing.

The rain still fell, but not so vio-

lently.

The lady rose, and, going to the

door, said:
"Not a cab disengaged."

"I can lend you an umbrella if you

want to go home," said the porter.

"With pleasure," replied the gentle-

man. "We will return it to you im-

mediately; we live near here."

It was a regular family roof and

might have sheltered three persons.

After having thanked the gatekeep-

er for his hospitality the couple with-

drew.

"Perhaps I have compromised my-

self by talking politics before them,"

thought the porter. "No," continued

he, "I don't think; they look like

good, honest citizens."

An hour afterward a lackey brought

the umbrella back to the lodge with

a letter and a purse, through the

members of which a few gold pieces

could be seen.

The letter contained this simple

word:

"Thanks."

And it was signed:

"The cousin of the Emperor."

Leaving the lodge, the lackey went

to the garden of the Tuilleries, and

showing the glove to the proprietress

of the chairs, said:

"Here, madame, are twelve cents.

Have the goodness to return the glove

which the Imperial Highness, Prince

Napoleon, left with you in charge."

Such an adventure could never

have happened to King Louis Phi-

lippe, who always carried his umbrella

with him wherever he went.—N. Y.

Daily News

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There was no denying that he was a

bright boy. Indeed, it was that very

fact that made the old gentleman

nervous when he saw him looking at him

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

It is a difference of opinion that makes horse races, and I hold no subject worse while that has not a word against.

MARK TWAIN.

An opinion given by the Supreme Court holds that where an exempt relief man claims to be entitled to relief from the Fireman's Relief Association and is denied by that body, he is not to be allowed to sue. The court held that by statute the jurisdiction is given to the association to determine the matter, no remedy by mandamus to revise such determination. The opinion is in the case of Edward Vanatta vs. the trustees of the Fireman's Relief Association of Washington.

Those who ride in buggies, on bicycles or any vehicle, should always remember that in crossing a street or highway the persons on foot have the right of way. The law says so, and if you injure a pedestrian by careless riding or driving you are responsible. No one is required to run across a street to keep out of the way of bicycles or vehicles. The riders are the ones to look out for a clear track.

"Man's inhumanity to man" always has been and perhaps will always continue to be a reproach to the human race, but that it is by no means a universal sentiment is shown by such incidents as that in the fight in the Maiden Valley, where Lieutenant McIntire and his twelve brave men met their death while trying to rescue their wounded comrades. They were not fighting, they had no chance to defend themselves, as all their exertion were needed in carrying off their helpless fellows, and through death was certain if they stayed, not one seems to have tried to save his life by flight. There is no greater bravery and higher self-sacrifice than this.

The most pretentious characters are generally the greatest frauds. The men who are all the time boasting of their superiority in any one thing or line of business are the ones that we should watch most carefully and look out for. One of the most useful qualities discern the true characters of strangers who seek to deal with us in any capacity, and we may soon estimate their real value correctly by carefully noting their tendency to boast of their deeds and by the excessive use of the pronoun "I". Boys should make a study of this matter, and early learn to put a proper value upon those they may meet in the world. Those who do not do so are the ones sharpers and frauds are looking for.

Members of Congress are already arriving in Washington, ostensibly to prepare for the coming session. It is possible that some of them are really engaged in looking up data, consulting with their fellow members, and in other ways doing preliminary work that will show good results during the session; but the strong probability is that most of these early arrivals have business with the Executive rather than their own branch of the Government, and that it relates to places for constituents instead of the good of the public at large. However this may be, the new arrivals seen generally of the opinion that the session will be one of the shortest on record, because of the amount of work accomplished at the extra session last spring. But the public will have more faith in that prediction when it has been endorsed by Speaker Reed and a policy in accordance with it announced by him.

Thanksgiving Day has now become a national milestone, showing foot-steps on the sands of time of increasing cheerful significance. Many of the present generation can remember when Thanksgiving Day was but an echo from the New England States, and celebrated only by those of New England ancestry. Since the War of the Rebellion the appointment and observance of this festival have become so national that the turkey is the bird of promise from Maine to Florida and from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast. There are a good many things to be thankful for. The work of all the charities of all denominations has been immense in the direction of improving the physical conditions of mankind, and this generous sympathy extends down to the outcast, whose highest aspiration is to get a square meal. This square meal philanthropy is widespread and far-reaching on Thanksgiving Day. Very few prosperous citizens fail to do their share toward providing a feast for the less fortunate and doubtless for all that the Lord will bless their digestion.

RIVERTON.

Our foot ball team is all right!
Days are approaching their shortest.
The gobler was gobbled on Thursday.

Frank Christie spent Sunday with his sister in Baltimore.

Mrs. Rosalie Zink is spending two weeks in Philadelphia.

Preparations for Christmas are in order in all the churches.

J. C. W. Frishmuth started South on Monday for a gunning trip.

The small boy is already beginning to sew buckles on his skate straps.

In order to elevate yourself it is not necessary to throw down somebody else.

A fat pocketbook is a fine tonic for hard times, but how many have this panacea.

Mrs. Howard Hemphill, of Elm Avenue, is visiting her parents, at Sea Isle City.

The first snow storm of the season occurred on Monday night and Tuesday morning.

The public fountain, at Roberts' corner, will be entirely hemmed in by the new sidewalk.

There was considerable kicking at the meeting of the Commissioners of Appeal on Tuesday.

The change of grade and sidewalks on Lippincott Avenue are considered to be a great improvement.

The Riverton Junior foot ball team played a tie game with the St. Paul's Guild Thanksgiving morning.

James and John Flynn, of Philadelphia, visited their sister Mrs. Edw. Shay on Sunday to see their new niece.

Don't throw waste paper in the streets. Serious warnings have been caused by paper blowing in front of houses.

Because muskrats are reported to be building their house walls very thick we are told to expect a cold winter.

The Superintendent of Highways calls attention to the fact that a number of board walks are not down according to ordinance.

The musical given at Mrs. Fraser's on Monday night was well attended and very fine. About \$60 was netted for the Woman's Hospital.

The time is rapidly approaching when the young man will get down to serious thought and wonder what he will give his best girl for a Christmas present.

Mrs. White and children, of Camden, and Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Pannett, of Delanco, attended the family reunion at E. H. Pannett's on Thanksgiving.

Christ Church has sent three Christmas boxes to needy clergymen in the far West. The last one went to Rev. Charles E. Snivley, at Pine Ridge, South Dakota.

Dr. Hall is making a big improvement to his property, corner of Fourth and Lippincott Avenue. He has had cement walks put down and stone curbing set and grading done at considerable cost.

Keep your front doors locked, as overcoat and umbrella thieves are about, who go around trying doors, and when they find one unlocked enter and run away with such articles as they find on the hatrack.

Gunsport report the scarcity of game of any kind in this vicinity. The opinion of all sportsmen is that gunning should be prohibited for the next two years to allow the quail and rabbits to increase in number.

On Tuesday Krause & Co. had an attachment put on their tools, etc., by the Water Company for a claim of \$50 for use of water when they put down the pavements in Palmyra. The claim was paid in a few hours.

Mrs. Grace and Miss Busby, of Moorestown, will give a free lecture in the Lyceum next week, illustrating the good work of the Children's Home.

A large number of lantern pictures will be shown, picturing the slums the little tots live in and how they enjoyed themselves at the Home.

It is well worth one's while to arise early and look at the star in the eastern heavens, that appears to be about one-sixth as large as the moon. Having a fixed orbit it does not move, but there is an apparent twinkling owing to the many changes of color, which sometimes resembles the sparkle of a diamond.

Some one is exploiting the virtues of the tomato for bicyclists. "No matter," he says "how tired and exhausted the rider may feel, the eating of a small piece of tomato acts like magic, taking away the depressed feeling and refreshing one remarkably." If good for bicyclist why not good for other over-worked persons?

Hunters who are booming around with dog and gun should remember the penalties for trespassing. It is against the law to trespass on farm lands and all are supposed to know the law. Many of the farmers have put up cautionary notices on their lands, and they propose to enforce the provisions of the act regardless of who the trespasser may be.

A company of about 60 people surprised Freeholder Enoch Evans and wife on Thursday, November 18th in honor of the 30th anniversary of their marriage. The affair was arranged by their daughters for Saturday night but as Mr. and Mrs. Evans got an inkling of the intended visit the date was changed and they were taken by complete surprise.

Mrs. Crowley, the aged sister of Miss Sallie Seckel, died at her residence last Friday and was buried from Christ Church, on Monday, services being conducted by Rev. R. B. Shepherd. Interment was in Glenwood Cemetery, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Crowley was the widow of Dr. Crowley, a celebrated physician in his time, who died in Philadelphia nearly forty years ago. Mrs. Crowley has been an invalid for nearly twenty-five years, not being able to leave her room for the greater part of that time.

RIVERTON A. A. THE CHAMPIONS.

The long standing rivalry between Riverton and Beverly in foot ball, was decided in favor of the Riverton team, at the Beverly grounds on Thanksgiving afternoon by the score of 12 to 4.

Nearly a train load of friends from here and Palmyra went out to see the game and altogether over a thousand people were on the grounds. The adherents of both teams were very noisy during the progress of the game but when victory perched on the banners of the yellow and blue the enthusiasm was intense.

What's the score, what's the score! Riverton, Riverton, 12 to 4!

The remembrance of the even score of last year made the Beverly management and their team, so they imported several heavy college players to help them out but the superior team work of the Riverton enabled them to overcome the greater weight of their opponents. No less than five Beverly players were hurt and retired from the game and this substitution of fresh men, in the latter part of the last half, assisted by the umpire, who penalized Riverton 30 yards (to within ten feet of goal) for alleged off-side play, enabled them to score at all. Owing to the peculiar blindness of the umpire the off-side playing of Beverly's left end could not be seen although at two different times he was at least ten feet over the line before the ball was in play.

The one-sided score in favor of Riverton shows that a team who are accustomed to play together. If the regular Beverly team had played the score would have been 40 or 50 to 0 for them. In future games it should be stipulated that only players who have played at least half of the season should be in the contest.

DELAIR.

Miss Emma Fellenbaum has purchased a bicycle of the latest design.

Mamie Hollinshead spent Sunday with relatives at Tioga.

Mrs. Charles Vannote entertained several friends on Sunday.

The net proceeds of the concert for the Methodist church were \$175.00.

Mr. Kepner is to be teacher of the Bible class at the Methodist Sunday school.

John Hannum is home after a successful business trip through the South.

Miss Sarah Smith entertained the progressive euchre party on Friday evening.

Brotherhood met at Mr. Pierson's. Bro. Bonnell gave reminiscences of a trip to England.

Dr. Morton Mills and wife, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Yardley.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hannum attended the funeral of their brother, J. Edgar Eagle, at Washington, D. C., on Monday.

Rev. A. L. Urban who preached at Holy Trinity last Sunday was the pastor of Mr. and Mrs. Hollinshead at East Munch Creek, Pa., in 1874-5.

NOTES MUST BE PAID.

The first suit over the notes given to tide the Burlington County Agricultural Society over its financial difficulties was brought before Justice Slack, Mount Holly, on Wednesday.

Henry C. Risdon was the plaintiff, George M. Wells, the defendant.

The bill of particulars set forth that by reason of Wells not having paid the note given by him, Mr. Risdon had been compelled to make a larger payment than was required. He therefore sued to recover \$1.66—the over paid amount.

Henry I. Budd was the first witness. He was president of the association when the notes were given. They were turned over to the Farmers' National Bank as collateral. When it was thought necessary to secure these notes, a printed circular was sent to each stockholder, which set forth the needs of the Association and which pledged payment out of the first receipts of the next fair.

On cross examination Mr. Budd said the Society had given notes every year, and that they had always been paid before salaries were paid, until the year 1896.

Henry C. Risdon testified that he gave a note for \$100 which was to be used in aiding the Agricultural Society to continue its existence. When the note came due the Society was unable to cancel it, so it was renewed by the payment of \$5. When the note again matured Mr. Risdon paid it in full. Mr. Wells, the defendant, had also given one of these notes, but had only paid \$5 on it, refusing to pay the \$95.

By reason of this refusal Mr. Risdon figured his loss to be about \$1.66, there being 59 other stockholders.

On cross examination Mr. Risdon said he was secretary of the association in 1896 and received his salary prior to any payment being made on the notes. He was a stockholder in 1895, and was then on a joint note, which was paid before the salaries were.

This ended the plaintiff's case and the defense claimed that the terms of the circular by which the notes were secured had not been carried out. This was an individual contract with those who gave notes.

The only witness for the defense was Henry I. Budd, who testified that prior to 1896 salaries were not paid until notes were canceled.

Justice Slack rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff, Charles Evans Merritt represented Mr. Risdon; David O. Watkins appeared for Mr. Wells.

It often happens that the doctor is out of town when most needed. The two year old daughter of J. Y. Schenck, of Caddo, Ind. Ter., was threatened with croup. He writes: "My wife insisted that I go for the doctor at once, but as he was out of town, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which relieved the child immediately. A bottle of that remedy in the house will often save the expense of a doctor's bill, besides the anxiety always occasioned by serious sickness. When it is given as soon as the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. Thousands of mothers always keep it in their homes. The 25 and 60 cent bottles for sale by G. T. Williams, Druggist."

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Nov. 22nd, 1897.

Those Senators who asserted while the debate was under way which resulted in the rejection of the arbitration treaty, negotiated by the Cleveland administration and endorsed by the present administration, with Great Britain, that they favored arbitration but opposed that particular treaty because of objections they specified, will shortly be given an opportunity to show whether they meant what they said or were merely talking for its effect upon their influential constituents who favored arbitration and opposed their votes against the ratification of the treaty. Another arbitration treaty has been negotiated, and special pains have been taken in drawing its provisions to meet the objections raised by Senators, in executive session, to the old one. It will be sent to the Senate as early in the session as may be deemed advisable by President McKinley, probably as soon as the treaty is ready for the signature of Hawaii is disposed of.

There is much doubt about what financial recommendations will be made in the President's message to Congress. It will probably depend largely upon the advice given the President by prominent members of his party in Congress. This doubt does not arise from any clash of financial views between the President and members of the Cabinet. They are all practically of one mind as to what financial legislation they would like to see put through Congress, but there are grave differences of opinion among them as to the advisability of making recommendations which haven't even a remote chance of being enacted. The weight of sentiment among Republican Senators and Representatives will probably determine just how far Presidential recommendations will go.

Although a strong supporter of the administration and of the St. Louis platform, Representative Dooliver, of Iowa, is not a supporter of Secretary Gage's scheme of issuing gold bonds to retire the greenbacks. He doesn't attack the bond scheme directly, but when a man uses language like the following, which is his, there is no doubt about where he stands: "There is throughout the country a considerable fear that an attempt to introduce a new system of finance in the present state of politics in Congress might result in the mere exhibition of the infirmities of our present system, grossly exaggerated by the zeal of the reformers, without attaining any substantial result. I find very many people who are anxious to see the defects of our present system corrected, but who feel that we ought to avoid exposing our monetary system to a scheme of unfinished surgery. It would be reasonable that a cautious plan could be devised to relieve the country of deficits in finance which everybody admits, without bringing in troublesome questions as to which no possible agreement is at present in sight."

The new Spanish Ministry may not succeed in whipping the Cubans into submission any better than the old Ministry did, and it may really be any more friendly to the United States, but it has become apparent in Washington that its repeated concessions to the United States and having a very decided effect in lessening the sentiment for interference by this government. Men may question the sincerity of the concessions as much as they please, but so long as Spain concedes everything, or even makes a pretense of conceding everything asked by this government, it will be difficult for the eyes of other governments, in any hostile action towards Spain. In diplomacy, the new Spanish Ministry has shown itself to be vastly superior to the Ministry it succeeded, but the trouble in Cuba is hardly likely to be settled by diplomacy, unless preceded by some decisive Spanish victories in battle.

The monetary conference, which has been holding meetings off and on in Washington for some weeks, has issued a statement prophesying their success in pushing a bill providing "financial reform" through both branches of Congress, which as a whole, full of confidence as on ante election bulletin issued by a campaign manager, and which will turn out to be about as true as the late anti-Tammany bulletins issued in New York.

If any syndicate of capitalists are figuring upon buying the Kansas Pacific Railroad, which will be sold under foreclosure next month, for less than the amount of the road's indebtedness to the Government, they are wasting their time. Steps are to be taken to qualify the Government to bid, and, unless other parties bid an amount which will insure the full payment of its claim, the government will buy it in. The government is also preparing to foreclose its mortgage on the Central Pacific and Western Pacific Railroads, which are made subject to its payments on the first of January, as they are likely to do.

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And the typical comfortable country store, where one always stays too long, just because it is pleasant to stay, stands for this bigger country store here. Keeping the accepted best store kept up growing busier; work had to be subdivided and helpers had to be added to get the day's work done in a day.

It is very much harder work to keep store in the city. And so it soon grew impracticable to give the friendly hand-shake to every one. We wanted to. In lieu of it we started to make the store interesting—to make you feel at home and want to linger here. Various fine paintings, splendid shows built from the goods, special exhibits at holiday times. In order to keep super-servicable people from making the stay uncomfortable, we agreed that nobody should ask any visitor to buy anything.

For this laxity, this unusualness, our people are sometimes accused of carelessness. There is a difference. If anyone here with whom you have business fails to appreciate the difference, please let us know. Silence without offensiveness is what we expect of our salespeople.

The Holiday Toy Stores Are Inviting

Two of them you know—the old store in the Basement, brighter in stocks than ever. There are the bicycles and musical instruments, the talking machines and dolls that look pretty enough and wise enough to talk.

Then the new Santa Claus acre on the fourth floor—acre or near it—reached by four elevators; will be by six in a twinkling now. The toys that "go" are there; so are the sleds and rocking horses and the like.

But never mind reading more about them. Come and enjoy this children's store—he children with the rest.

JOHN WANAMAKER

MARSH.

BROWN—GRINER—November 11, at Palmyra, William C. Brown and Mrs. Susan Griner.

REINHARDT—BUDY—November 17th, at Five Points, by Rev. O. E. Riederbach, Rudolph Reinhardt, of Fort Lanning, and Miss Ida E. Budy, of Mead.

WILLIAMS—BENESOLE—November 21, at Mount Holly, by Rev. R. J. B. Slack, Justice, Joshua Williams and Maggie Benesole, both of Mount Holly.

DIED.

ANDERSEN—November 16, at Moorestown, Gretta M. daughter of John P. and Henrietta M. Andersen, aged 25 years.

CROWLEY—November 19, at Riverton, Mary M., wife of the late Frederick Crowley, M. D., and daughter of John and Ann Sichel.

FRANK—November 16, at Mount Holly, Joseph B. Frank, aged 71 years.

HARMER—November 13, at Moorestown, Caroline, widow of the late Hugh R. Harmer, aged 75 years.

HAVER—November 17, at Florence, Henry E. Hays, aged 75 years.

KERLEY—November 17, at Mount Holly, Uytendale J., daughter of Andrew J. and Ida Kerley, aged 5 months.

SLIK—November 20, at Mount Laurel, William M., aged 20 years.

SATTERTHWAITE—November 16, at Crosswicks, Jane D., widow of the late Charles Satterthwaite, and daughter of Eli D. Pierce, in her 74th year.

YOUNG—November 17, at Mount Holly, James L. Young, of Moorestown, aged 50 years.

AN ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE TO ALTER THE GRADE OF A PORTION OF THOMAS AVENUE IN THE BOROUGH OF RIVERTON.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton:

SECTION 1. That the elevation as indicated by the grade monument on the easterly side of Thomas Avenue, four hundred and fifty feet northerly from Broad street, in the Borough of Riverton, be lowered six inches from the elevation heretofore adopted as shown by the existing grade chart, and that the grade of said Thomas Avenue shall be made to conform with the elevation as thus altered.

SECTION 2. Be it ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon due publication.

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton at a meeting held at the regular meeting place of the said Mayor and Council in Riverton, N. J., November 16th, A. D. 1897.

Attest: CHARLES S. WALNUT, Borough Clerk.

The foregoing ordinance approved by me November 18th, A. D. 1897.

E. C. STOUTINGTON, Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE TO CHANGE THE GRADE OF THE NORTH-WESTERLY END OF THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF MAIN STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF RIVERTON.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton:

SECTION 1. That the grades of the sidewalks on both sides of Main Street in the said Borough shall be changed by removing the present points of descent or breaks in the grade between Bank Avenue and Front Street to points in the middle of the said Main Street, and that the grade be lowered and thirty feet southerly from the southerly side of Bank Avenue from which last said points the sidewalks shall be graded to the grade of the present intersections with the said southerly side of said Bank Avenue.

SECTION 2. And be it further ordained that all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed and that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon due publication.

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton at a meeting held at the regular meeting place of the said Mayor and Council in Riverton, N. J., November 18th, A. D. 1897.

Attest: CHARLES S. WALNUT, Borough Clerk.

The foregoing ordinance approved by me November 18th, A. D. 1897.

E. C. STOUTINGTON, Mayor.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Nov. 22, 1897.

Riverton Night School

For business for both sexes will open

MONDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 20TH

IN THE

Riverton Public School House.

An Academic Course, comprising Penmanship, Arithmetic, Language and Business Correspondence will be taught. Terms \$1.50 per month for 24 hours instruction three nights a week. For further information address,

P. F. HEMER, Box 155, Riverton, N. J.

Farm Preparatory School,

BEVERLY, N. J.

A CLASSICAL DAY SCHOOL FOR BOTH SEXES.

Under the control of the State Board of Education.

THE COURSE OF STUDY IS THE SAME AS THE MODEL SCHOOL.

TUITION PAYABLE QUARTERLY IN ADVANCE.

BOOKS FURNISHED FREE OF CHARGE.

Pupils intending to teach are admitted into the High School Department free of tuition charges.

WINTER TERM OPENS Monday, November 2

CENT-A-WORD COLUMN.

Any or short notices inserted under this head at the rate of one cent a word, each insertion, cash in advance.

Found—A setter dog, owner can obtain possession by proving property and paying expenses. Address, Box 86 Riverton.

Open grate stove for sale cheap, L. A. Weikman, 11-27-97.

For rent—Houses for \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$12.00 per month. Edw. H. Hancock, 404 Main street, Riverton.

Shoulder Capes, Fascinators, Caps, Slippers, Mittens, Tam O'Shanter, etc., knit to order also agent for Consolidated Flouring powder, perfumery and sachet makers. 320 Cinnaminson avenue.

Edward Megarage desires to inform the public and his customers that he runs his wagon in Palmyra on Tuesdays and Fridays which is supplied with very fine fresh pork, sausage and scrapple. He defies competition in quality and price. Fine lot of turkeys for Thanksgiving.

For sale, at a bargain, T. J. Dewes' house, near the water works, if taken at once. Only \$500, cash needed. D. H. Wright, Riverton.

For rent, at a reduced price for the winter, house on Lippincott avenue below Broad. D. H. Wright, Agent.

Painting and paper hanging work guaranteed to the satisfaction of the customer. Nathan Nixon, P. O. Box 303.

Go to Story's for a first-class job of paper hanging, also for linoleums. 11-6-84.

Paints in small cans, glass and putty, at Williams' drug store. 10-23-97.

For rent—8 room house. Rent \$12. Charles street and Cinnaminson avenue. Bath, range and heater. Apply to John M. Wallace, 335 Cinnaminson avenue.

For rent—519 Maple avenue, nine rooms—conveniences, \$20. 10-16-97.

For rent—7 room house, 310 Horace street. Rent \$9. B. S. Sterling.

\$3,000 to loan on first mortgage in sums of \$1,000 each. R. L. Temple, Mortgages, Real Estate and Insurance.

For rent—Dwelling on Horace avenue opposite 4th street. Fruit, town water, etc. Reasonable rent. M. W. Wiseman, 332 Horace avenue.

For rent—10 room house, corner Highland avenue and Spring Garden street. Modern improvements, rent reasonable. Apply to J. M. Roberts' store, Palmyra.

For good family washing and laundry work give Owens a trial. P. O. Box 181.

Go to Saaz's for a good shave or hair cut.

William Sawyer, Piano Maker and dealer in Pianos and Organs, 1928 N. Eighth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Tuning and repairing a specialty. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

If you want anything in the real estate line call on F. Blackburn, Commissioner of Deeds and Notary Public, 331 West Broad street, Palmyra.

PALMYRA.

Holiday trade has started.

Send in your Holiday advertisements.

Mrs. Manning Clover has been on the sick list.

Quite a number of cases of tonsillitis are reported.

Ralph Madden's little daughter has been quite sick.

The demand for Christmas tree novelties is greater than for years.

Sunday School attendance is growing—Christmas is drawing nigh.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Snyder had a family reunion on Thanksgiving.

Farmers are beginning to bring the supply of winter cabbage to town.

Lawyer Flood has moved from 305 LeConey avenue back to the city.

Christmas trees are already being cut in the thick woods up the State.

The West Palmyra stone road assessments are published in this issue.

The Board of Appeals had very little to do at their meeting on Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis Heiter, of Five Points, has been quite sick but is now improved.

James Hartley, Jr., is home from Pennington for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Mrs. L. B. Blydenburgh has been quite sick for several weeks but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Mifflin and daughter, Ada, were the guests of John Westney Thanksgiving.

G. W. Lane and family of West Third street, have been at Ardmore, Pa. for a week.

Mrs. Jane Jordan, of 511 Cinnaminson avenue, moved to Atlantic City on Monday.

Elis Morgan will break ground soon, on Columbia avenue near Charles street, for a house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bowles, of Jersey City, were the guests of Charles P. Baker over Sunday.

Maurice McLaughlin, of Berkeley avenue, was given a surprise party on Thursday evening.

Joshua Moore and wife, of Woodstown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippincott over Sunday.

Many Thanksgiving parties were held at the homes of our residents on Thanksgiving evening.

Several Palmyra ladies attended the Food Exposition on Tuesday—of course they took their grips.

Walter Bates has moved from 804 Cinnaminson avenue to M. R. Clor's house, Morgan near Fourth.

Mrs. Jno. W. Haines, of Tabernacle has been visiting her sister Mrs. Howard Powell, of Rowland street.

Mrs. C. P. Baker and children went to Blackwood on Wednesday to spend several days with her relatives.

Mrs. A. H. Weikman and children spent Thanksgiving and several days with her mother in Philadelphia.

During the early days this week the stores made a fine display of Thanksgiving poultry and novelties.

William Proctor and wife, of Lococky avenue, went to the funeral of his father at Ogden, N. Y., last Saturday.

A number of our citizens saw the University of Pennsylvania football

team defeat Harvard at Franklin Field last Saturday.

Druggist Williams and wife and Miss Lulu Mathews, spent Thanksgiving at their old home, Wilmington, Del.

Quite a number of our football enthusiasts were at Beverly on Thanksgiving to see the Riverton-Beverly game.

Palmyra has got rid of several "dead beats" this fall. Some of them have not a pleasant recollection of the town.

George W. Reeves and family, now of Camden, spent Thanksgiving with his brother, J. R. Reeves, on Morgan avenue.

Rev. George Boddis, of Philadelphia, will preach in the Central Baptist church to-morrow both morning and evening.

The dance given by the Delair Athletic Association on Thursday night was attended by a number of our young folks.

Roberts is selling a three pound crock of apple butter or fruit jelly for 10 cents at both his Palmyra and Riverton stores.

Some may not know that the stand and salary of the post office is fixed entirely by the sale of stamps, not the cancellations.

Some of the finest Keiffer pears seen in the county this year were raised by F. P. Jones, of Delanco. Thirty-five of them filled a basket.

The firemen's dance at Wallace's hall, was attended by a large number. Mrs. Wallace gave the company quite a surprise by furnishing a fine supper, free.

William Beck, of Highland avenue was spending the week gunning near Burlington. One day he killed 18 rabbits and 10 quail, on private grounds.

Peter B. Dilks, of 247 West Broad street, died on Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be held this Friday evening. Interment at Bridgeport, N. J.

The short sermon to the children which are being preached to the children by pastor Owens on Sunday mornings are listened to with much interest by the little folks.

William Bulkley, of Rowland street, has stored his goods and his wife is boarding in Philadelphia. His new position in Baltimore will not permit him to live so far away.

The Union Thanksgiving service was held in the Baptist church this year. Rev. M. Owens, pastor of the Methodist church preached the sermon to quite a large congregation.

A. R. Wardle, who has been sick with consumption a long while, died on Thursday morning. His funeral will be held in the Methodist church at 3:30 this Saturday afternoon.

Golly Lamb, of Fork Landing, had a number of friends from Camden and Philadelphia and Palmyra to visit him on Saturday night on his twenty first birthday. About 40 were present.

Rev. Marshall Owens will give an interesting lecture on Natural History in the Methodist church on Monday evening. A silver collection will be taken in aid of the Epworth League to meet their subscription to the Church.

Robert M. Correll, John Saar, Charles Smith and James B. du Moulin represented the Independence Fire Company, at the firemen's parade at Craney Hill, Thanksgiving afternoon. Several K. G. E. members were also in line.

W. C. Randolph had his place of business, 241 Arch street, Philadelphia, burned out on Wednesday night entailing an irreparable loss to him, as he had failed to renew his insurance, which ran out a few weeks ago, after having carried insurance for 40 years.

Dr. Jarney has attacked the Mount Holy News because of its criticism of him and others who signed a petition to save Aydelotte. He probably knows that not half a dozen would have signed the petition had Aydelotte asked for it himself, or had the case been fully explained to them.

The annual meeting of Boudinot Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, at Burlington, on Tuesday night, was attended by James Hartley, Thomas P. Dill, Irvine E. Maguire and J. J. Sleeper from here and by E. H. Hancock, A. S. Briggs, A. J. Borie and L. Corner from Riverton. The usual spread at Dubell's was a feature not to be missed.

Gunning is a dangerous sport, but the great majority of accidents to gunners arise from pure carelessness in handling the weapon. The safest way to go gunning is to purchase your game of a game dealer, then go home and make your friends believe you shot the birds. In this way you can pose as a sportsman without the least possible risk to life or limb.

A little child of J. R. Hayes, living near Colquitt, Ga., overturned a pot of boiling water, scalding itself so severely that the skin came off its breast and limbs. The distressed parents sent to Mr. Bush, a merchant of Colquitt, for a remedy, and he promptly forwarded Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The child was suffering intensely, but was relieved by a single application of the Pain Balm. Another application or two made it sound and well. For sale by G. W. Williams, Druggist.

Alfred Hansell has 7,000 baskets of apples put away in his cold storage house. Not one of these 7,000 baskets will be sold for less than \$1.50.

Mr. Hansell is now making a handsome profit on Keiffer pears. He is getting 75 cents a basket for the best, and 45 cents for the cullens. Mr. Hansell put his pears in the cold storage house and kept them until the market demanded them.

A party was given by Carl A. Peterson in honor of his Sunday school class on Monday evening. Those present were: Eva Clark, Helen Saar, Ethel Crismon, Edith Du Moulin, Carrie Sherman, Ruth Peterson, Elsie Kell, Lillie Westcott, Edna Davis, Edna Zajotte, Nannie Barsdeley, Edna Sherman, Ethel Egan, Harry Bowne, Harry Hartley, John Bowker, Dudley Frick, Edgar Nixon, Leison Sherman, Louis Bowker, Albert Faunce, Bruce Simons, Paul Kell, Ambrose Cherry, Everett Grest, Willie Thompson, George Feldon and others.

By order of Richard T. Miller, Circuit Court Judge.

11-27-97.

BAPTIST BUSINESS MEETING.

The annual business meeting of the Baptist Church was held on Monday night.

The Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$106.94.

There is now a membership of 152. The following officers were re-elected: Deacons, J. Otto Thilow and A. J. Brooks, for three years each; Treasurer, W. W. Harper; Clerk, C. W. Collins; Trustees, W. W. Harper, A. C. Horry, Samuel Thompson, for three years each; Organist, Miss E. H. Harper, Miss Sallie Thompson, assistants.

It was decided to have regular ushers in the future, and the following were elected, William Struthers, William A. Major, Fred Rowland, and Henry Barsdeley.

A business meeting of the church will be held Friday evening, December 10th to consider calling a pastor.

LEWIS-MANSON.

Miss Lola Manson was married to Richard F. Lewis in Zion Church Philadelphia on Tuesday night.

Miss Etta Manson was maid of honor; Miss Anna V. Sleeper was first bridesmaid and Miss Marie Cross was second bridesmaid. J. Lindsay was best man. Ernest Troth and William Cross were ushers.

Among those present from Palmyra were: Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Cross, Mr. D. K. Teter and Miss Rae Clifton Teter, Mrs. Theodore Ely and Miss Marie Ely, Mrs. J. J. Sleeper, Miss Helena Sleeper and Master Frank Sleeper.

There were a number of handsome and useful presents were given to the bride.

The happy couple will go to house-keeping as soon as the furnishing is complete.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Quite a large party of friends surprised Warren R. Miller on last Saturday evening, it being the occasion of the twenty-fourth anniversary of his marriage. Of course Mrs. Miller was in the secret.

Progressive euchre was the order of the evening, and all had an enjoyable time.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McCurdy, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Miller, Mr. and Mrs. George Shaner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eckstein, Mrs. E. D. Stewart, Miss Schaefer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathews, Miss A. LeTourneau, Mr. Clarence Compton, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Faunce, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fraley, Warren Shaner, Mrs. E. H. Nichols.

SURPRISE PARTY.

The friends of Miss Ollie Kerr gave her a surprise party on Saturday night, November 20th. Among those present were Misses Lottie Kerwill, Edith du Moulin, Lizzie Wallace, Helen Saar, Edna Davis, Louise Moffitt, Gussie Krause, Ida Davis, Nellie Kerwill, Alice Kerwill, Emma Yost, Jennie Zweig, Ida Horner, May Land, Ida Beswick, Pearl Beswick, Ethel Griston, Lillie Schmitt, Katie Miller, Rachel Smith, Messrs. Charles Krause, John Arndt, Ambrose Cherry, Clifford Horner, Gus Fieldman, Howard Cherry, Howard du Moulin, William Polis, John Cooper, Fred Fichter, Frank Doney, Alfred Doney, Edwin Davis and Elmer Kerr. Mr. Krause entertained the company with some selections on the violin. The evening was spent with games and all enjoyed the supper.

Howard of Literature.

Among the women writers of the capital there is one young matron whose name is very well known. A few months ago she sent a short story to a magazine which presented itself as an untitled field. By and by she received notification that the story had been accepted and that in payment thereof her name had been put on the subscription list for one year. The author immediately returned an answer that the compensation was not adequate.

"Dear madam," the editor wrote back, "yours of such a date received. We have put your name on the subscription list for two copies each month."

And for fear that further correspondence would burden her with three copies of the magazine she was forced to be content with that—Washington Post.

Cement Pipes.

Cement pipes are made cheaply by an ingenious process devised by a French inventor. A trench is dug and the bottom filled with cement mortar. On this is placed a rubber tube covered with canvas and inflated. The trench is then filled up with cement. As soon as this is set the air is let out of the rubber tube, which is then removed and used again in another section. By this method 6 inch pipes have been made at a cost of 25 cents a yard.

Frogs and toads have remarkably acute hearing. The slightest noise in the vicinity of a pond will at once attract the attention of the frogs and put them on their guard.

Stone Road Assessment Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the property owners on the Stone Road running from the Two Bridges over Pennamunk Creek to the Stone Road on Broad street, near West Palmyra station, that the assessments for the stone road improvements are now due and payable to the Collector of Palmyra Township. To be paid by the 30th day of April, 1898, or the same will be returned to a Justice of the Peace for collection. Assessments are now paid by April 30th 1898 will be returned to the County Clerk, according to law and recorded as a first lien on said real estate. The assessments made against the respective properties herein after named are as follows:

William R. S. Fleck, Palmyra Township, " 25 40

Frederick Schwartz, " " 25 40

Joseph Wallace, " " 25 40

Abraham Wallace, " " 25 40

William R. S. Fleck, " " 25 40

People's Coal & Ice Co., " " 25 40

Joseph Wallace, " " 25 40

Henry Yost, " " 25 40

Edith du Moulin, " " 25 40

Joseph Wallace, " " 25 40

Thomas Wallace, " " 25 40

Palmyra Township, " " 25 40

John Ernst, Cinnaminson, " " 25 40

By order of Richard T. Miller, Circuit Court Judge.

11-27-97.

THINK THEY HAVE A KLONDIKE.

A colored man, a farm laborer and a prominent physician, all of Mount Holly, expect soon to have money to burn, and we hope their expectations will be realized. Since the first of the month they have been engaged in locating hidden treasure in the Delaware river, not many miles from Bristol. Some time since when a boat pulled up anchor, there came with it a large copper box that was said to be securely fastened with padlocks. The strong wind caused the boat to rock, and this made the box slip back into the water before it could be secured. As it turned in rolling off the anchor there was a crash and jangling of metal inside. The ringing sound denoted small pieces, as soon the news was spread of the hidden treasure, some alleging that they may have been a stolen express box thrown away to cover up some extensive robbery. Whether this be true or not, the contents of the box are believed to be valuable, and those who are in the secret are making efforts to recover the same.

The colored man heard the story while carrying potatoes to Bristol, and for short he will call him William. There seems to be a striking coincidence about William receiving such startling news, for the reason that he is in a position to properly grapple with the mysteries of the case.

William was raised by a gentleman named Marshall, now living in the eastern states, and who owned some gold mines. To locate the precious metal in the rocks, Mr. Marshall used scientific instruments, and one of these he gave to William, who has already put it to a successful test. The machine consists of a steel needle, the mechanism of which is suspended in a glass case, and the whole is suspended by means of rattan handles. When within reasonable distance of the object sought for the needle will point in that direction, and when direction over it the needle will drop. By this means the delusive coin has been located, and on Friday, the 5th inst., the trio made efforts to raise it with ropes, grappling irons, etc. The hooks caught an object which they thought was the real thing. They tugged away at it heroically, and when the surface it was seen that they had a gold stump. This was removed to a safe distance in order not to interfere with future operations.

The men were not discouraged, however, as the needle still indicated the presence of the metal, and other attempts are to be made to raise it. If they fail a diver is to be employed. They explore the bottom of the river at this particular spot. Several Sunday trips have been made to the place, and while the party thought they were working on the quiet, they did not know that they were being watched through field glasses by parties on the Jersey shore—Mt. Holy News.

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SEASON OF 1897-98.

The Personally-Conducted Tourist System of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is the most complete and elaborate system of pleasure traveling and sight-seeing yet devised. It is the consummation of the ultimate idea in railroad travel, the final evolution of unsatisfactory perfection.

For the season of '97 and '98 it has arranged for the following tours:

California—Four tours will leave New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore January 8th and 27th, February 16th, and March 19th. With the exception of the first party going and the last returning, all these parties will travel by the "Golden Gate Special" between New York and California, stopping at interesting points en route.

Florida—Four tours to Jacksonville will leave New York and Philadelphia January 25th, February 9th and 22nd, and March 12th. The first three admit of a stay of two weeks in the "Flower State." Tickets for the fourth tour will be good to return by regular train until May 31st, 1898.

Old Point Comfort, Richmond and Washington—Three parties will leave New York and Philadelphia February 19th, March 16th, and April 7th.

Old Point Comfort and Washington—Three four-day tours will leave New York and Philadelphia December 28th, January 22nd, and April 21st, and May 12th.

Detailed itineraries of the above tours, giving rates and full information, may be procured of Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York; 360 Fulton Street, Brooklyn; 789 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.; or George W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

HERRING BOATS.

Their Peculiar Rig—One of Them Brought From Cornwall to Australia.

The fleet of herring fishing boats sailing out of the ports of Great Britain are grand seagoing craft, strong and swift, and able to stand the stormiest weather. They are usually rigged with two stumpy masts and carry enormous square jugsails, which have to be lowered and raised every time the boats "come about." In Scotland and the English and Irish ports they are called "luggers," but in the Isle of Man have the local name of "frickies."

In many cases the crews over the boats, each man having a share, but in any case the fishermen have an interest in the amount of fish sold and are paid according to results. It is a glorious sight to see these boats racing down after a good haul, the first boat in having the best market for the fish.

It is not uncommon at Tarbo, the headquarters of the Loch Frow boats; Peel, in the Isle of Man; Penzance, in Cornwall, and at some Irish ports to see the fish taken away by cardboards to be used by the farmers for manure at times when an unusually big catch has overwhelmed the market.

In many places during the summer there are races organized by the townspeople and visitors for these ingenious boats, and the interest in the events is far more keen than in the finest yacht races. Only recently a Penzance lugger was sailed by her crew to Australia, and made the passage in wonderfully quick time. The lugger was manned by from 30 to 40 men, the weight of the lugger making a big crew a necessity. In most cases the sails are stained a reddish brown, and distinguishing letters and numbers on the sail tell to what port the craft belongs.—New York Times.

His Trade.

William—We like to put presents to work at what they are used to. What is your specialty?

Prisoner—I am the champion sprinter of the world. If you give me a fair show on an open track, I'll do a mile in time that'll make the eyes jump out of your head.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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C. W. JOYCE.

BEVERLY.

Jacob Hauffer, of Cooper street, is dangerously ill.

Frank Zimmerman, of Cooper street, was in New York last week.

Joseph Hammel has broken ground for a new house on Spruce street.

Miss Laura Vanciver, of Laurel street, is very low with consumption.

Charles Blow, of Cooper street, is about again after several days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mohr spent the week with John Allen and family of Church street.

Mrs. William Huff was in Woodbury spending Thanksgiving Day with relatives.

Professor Curtis, of the public school, spent Thanksgiving Day at his home in Long Branch.

Joseph Garwood and wife, of Bridesburg, Pa., visited his mother in this city on Sunday.

Miss Alice Carpenter, of Germantown, a former resident, is visiting friends in this city.

Stanley Haines, of Philadelphia, who spent the summer here was in town on Thursday.

Malcolm Taylor who is attending a college in New York is home on a visit to his parents.

Alban Spooner, of the river bank, is down in North Carolina on a two weeks gunning trip.

Mrs. Rumford and daughter Bertie, of Wilmington, were visiting relatives in this city on Sunday.

Dr. May and wife, of New York City, have moved into Robert Neff's house on the river bank.

Alfred Hauffer who is serving in the navy on the battleship "Wilmington," spent Thanksgiving Day here with his father.

Lawrence Lockwood and Miss Grace Sherman, both of this city, were married by Rev. T. S. Fretz, of the Baptist Church, at the pastor's home yesterday.

Rev. J. L. Howard preached at Lakewood last Friday evening. Miss Howard remained at that place over Sunday.

Misses Mamie and Lizzie Harris, of Edgewater Park, spent Thanksgiving with Miss May Bate West, of Philadelphia.

James Webb and daughter, of Bristol, were visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Kelly, of Warren street, on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Truitt, of Woodbury, has been spending the week with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Struby, of Cooper street.

The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Chance Vanciver, took place on Wednesday afternoon. Interment was made at Monument Cemetery.

Thanksgiving services were held in St. Stephen's P. E. Church yesterday, Rev. Charles E. Betticher preaching an appropriate sermon. The Union Thanksgiving services were held in the Baptist Church on Thursday and were conducted by the Rev. J. L. Howard, of the M. E. Church.

William J. Coffey, of Cooper street, has been honored the past week by having three of his paintings accepted by the committee in charge of the students exhibition at the Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia. One of these pictures is of Cobee's meadow and another a portion of the Pl

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TO NARROW EDUCATION.

Professor Norton Illustrates With a Story

Charles Eliot Norton, professor of arts at Harvard university, whom Matthew Arnold described as the "only gentleman in America," objects most heartily to undergraduate specialization. He believes in the English university training, which gives a man a broad education and a liberal equipment for citizenship which makes of him a cultivated gentleman. In one of his lecture courses Professor Norton told of a student with whom he had talked. The young man was a sophomore, his specialty, biology. He described with great enthusiasm the character of his work and lamented the fact that he had been unable, through the regulations of the faculty, to take more biology in his freshman year. As a junior and a senior he intended to elect it exclusively, he said.

The young man's enthusiasm was rather more seducing than inspiring to the professor. Four years' devotion to a single subject was crushing to his ideals of education. So he asked:

"Don't you think that your career in college would eventually be more satisfactory to yourself and of more profit to others if you were to take less of biology, which gives a man a little with literature and history and the arts?"

The sophomore thought he was predestined for biology. For some time Professor Norton was silent. Then he said rather absently: "Do you continue your march pleased with your choice, or to any particular branch of biology?"

The face of the student brightened. It was evident that he did. To the professor there was something pathetic as well as humorous in the reply that came back.

"My work is entirely devoted to a study of the white ant's intestine."—Exchange.

HAD NO "SCOLDING LOCKS."

Tried to Oblige a Friend, but She Got Angry About It.

Some people are absolutely devoid of tact. One of these is a youthful matron who, wishing to make her very dearest friend—and young man—a birthday present, decided on the purchase of a handsome pair of shell shoe combs.

Nothing could have been more appropriate for the blond tresses of her friend and thanked her gratefully. "You will find them so handy to fasten up your scolding locks."

"What do you mean?" asked her friend in a surprised tone.

"Did you never hear of scolding locks?" she said, with a smile. "Then, naturally, dear, but I don't believe I need any more. Keep them for your own scolding outfit." And the face of the "dearest friend" clouded with anger.

"Very well, just as you like. Goodbye, dear." And the friend of the comb snatched them up and carried them home, where she had a fit of hysterics, and all because she needed a little tact.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Child of Rockefellers.

A newly engaged clerk in the employ of the Standard Oil company was sent to work in a room that contained a health life. Every morning at about 10 o'clock, when this clerk was particularly busy with figures, a small, black mustached man, quiet and diffident in manner, entered, said: "Good morning," walked on tiptoe to the corner and exercised for a quarter of an hour. It became a bore to the clerk, who at last one day remarked with considerable heat to the stranger:

"How do you expect me to do my work properly while you are fooling with that blasted machine? I'm getting tired of it. Why don't you put it where it won't worry a person to death?"

"I am very sorry it annoys you," said the stranger, thinking "I will have it removed at once."

A porter took it away within an hour. A few days later the clerk was sent for by Mr. Flagger, who he found in a most conversative way, a small, black mustached man. The latter smiled at seeing him, gave Flagger some instructions and left the room.

"Will you tell me who that gentleman is?" the young man asked, a light beginning to break upon him.

"That was Mr. Rockefeller," was the reply.

It was the clerk's first acquaintance with the head of the great corporation by which he was employed.—Ohio State Journal.

DESPERADO CLARK.

ONE OF THE MOST REMARKABLE CRIMINALS OF HIS TIME.

A Darling and Coolness That Have Seldom Been Equalled—Hanged at Last For Murder—The Redhead and Frenzied Woman Who Married Him.

There lived in this city until a few years ago, and may be living here still, a frail, careworn, little woman whose life had been linked with one of the most unhappy and yet most interesting criminals in the annals of this century.

Clark was the son of a prosperous business man in Rochester. When he was a boy, he figured in all sorts of wild escapades and was arrested several times for small offenses and had developed into a professional crook before he was 20 years old. One of his most notable traits was his love of display. He was small and slender, with clean cut features and black, curling hair. He wore a silk hat, a low cut vest, white kid gloves and small, pointed shoes that pinched his tiny feet. He also wore several large diamonds on his fingers and shirt front.

When he was all very young, but long with his reputation had made him a terror to the town, he eloped with his cousin, a beautiful young girl, carefully reared. It was a short honeymoon. The authorities were too hot on his trail to allow him to prolong his stay with his wife, so, leaving her with friends, he set out again on his travels. From that time until his death his visits to his wife were far apart and uncertain. He was too busy carrying out his bold plans for robbery to stay long in the town.

Clark was the most nervous man of his kind. He was a "freak" in the eyes of the law. When he was on one of his visits to Rochester, he was walking one day through the arcade, right in the center of the town. It was crowded with people, and he knew who he was. With his gay clothes and handsome face he was very conspicuous. He was walking with a girl—he was a great man for the girls—and he was twirling a cigarette in his mouth. A big, strapping man passed them, looked back into the girl's face and smiled. That angered Clark. With a moment's hesitation he drew a revolver from his pocket and fired. The bullet knocked off two of the man's fingers. Clark wiped the revolver with his handkerchief, put it in his pocket, and, telling the girl to wait a moment, stopped to relight his cigarette. He was as cool as if nothing had happened, and you can bet there was no one around who dared touch him. They knew he was John Clark and that he wouldn't hesitate to fire again on the slightest provocation.

"Clark made a great deal of money from his robberies. He took something like \$30,000 out of Mexico, most of it from a bank. He was arrested in one of the southern states, locked up, but he escaped before he had been there a day. Later he was caught in this city and locked up in the Tombs. How he got out no one knows to this day. There were charges enough against him at the time to send him to prison for the rest of his life. There are those who know Clark well who say he made at least \$100,000 by robbing houses and banks. He was, in my opinion, the most skillful burglar of his time. I well remember one night when a business man of Rochester was robbed by him. The man's house was on East avenue, the best street of the town. Clark discovered that he kept a good sized roll of bank notes in his clothes all the time. The man was in the habit of putting his roll into the night, and when Clark appeared on the scene to enter the house he discovered the owner in a dressing gown, with his back to the window, reading. This discovery, however, did not discourage Clark. He went away and came back with a long string of which were fastened a string and a book. Suddenly the man inside looked up to see his trousers, with his roll of bills in them, going swiftly through the air and out of the window. He must have thought they were bewitched, for he could not see for the moment the string and the stick. As soon as he had recovered his self possession he ran out to look for the thief, but it was no use. Clark was far away by that time.

Clark was arrested in Rochester at last. He had just returned from one of his long tours of burglary through the country. He was coming out of the house where his wife lived, and two or three policemen were in pursuit of him. When they cornered him in an alley, he turned and shot one of them dead.

"All the time he was in jail awaiting the execution of his sentence to be hanged his wife was a daily visitor. She is still a handsome woman, with an air of refinement and good breeding about her. He was the coolest man I ever saw on the scaffold. He walked up the steps smoking a cigarette and smiling as if he enjoyed himself. 'Just wait till I finish this smoke and I'm ready,' he remarked. They let him finish it. 'His death broke his poor wife's heart. I saw her two or three years afterward, and she was wrinkled and old, and the gray was beginning to come in to her hair. She drifted to this city, and, perhaps she is here yet.'—New York Sun.

Constant Paris of a Cord of Wood.

A cord of fairly seasoned wood weighs about 4,000 pounds. If subjected to a heat of between 700 and 800 degrees it resolves into three distinct products—charcoal, pyrolysous acid and gases. In order to properly bring this change about it is necessary to place the wood in a kiln and apply the heat gradually for four or five days. At the end of that time the residue will be 1,000 pounds of charcoal, 2,000 pounds of pyrolysous acid and 1,000 pounds of condensed gases. The aggregate weight of these products is exactly equal to the original weight of the wood.—St. Louis Republic.

Two Gripe

When you take Hood's Pills. The big, old-fashioned, sugar-coated pills, that you take to cure a cold in the winter. Easy to take and easy to get, in true of Hood's Pills, which are made in the United States, and are the best of their kind.

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SAMPLE CORPSE.

Hebrew of an Ohio Undertaker For Advertising Embalming.

An Ohio undertaker named Pearce does not allow by his customers. The Hebrew of an Ohio Undertaker For Advertising Embalming.

All Mark has to do is to visit the funeral director establishment of Mr. Pearce at Ardmore. There he will probably find something more to his fastidious fancy in the shape of a sample of embalming, kept on view by Mr. Pearce for the benefit of his customers.

The "subject" has now done service for a period of three years, and the proprietor confidently expects that it will last as long as he remains in business.

The body in question happened in the very worst workshop of its establishment all this while, and the leather flesh of the corpse is totally free from odor or putrefaction. Some say the hair on a body will grow after death, and that the original in the mind of a dramatist or novelist, who wanted to sensationalize his readers to sell his books for there lies Mr. Pearce's dead man, with his very last hair cut the same as it was two or three years ago.

Formaldehyde, a product of wood alcohol, and a comparatively recent product, is the fluid with which the body was embalmed, and Mr. Pearce says that the body is as fresh as other elements added, that is far better than the 140 ounces, or a little over a gallon—\$2 worth—of the formaldehyde used for the desiccation of the body in question.—New York Herald.

A New Use For Organ Grinders.

A well dressed woman lately entered a Paris jeweler's shop and asked to see some valuable gold pins. While she was examining them a man began playing a barrel organ before the door. The music seemed to annoy the lady, and, stepping to the door, she threw a piece of money to the man and told him to go away, which he did at once.

On returning to the counter she told the jeweler that the music annoyed her, and that as some compensation for the trouble she had given him she would buy a brooch. She accordingly chose one, paid 10 francs for it and was leaving the shop when the jeweler raised a diamond ring from the counter and asked her to see it. She had been examining it, and accordingly stopped the customer, who seemed highly indignant and insisted on the proprietor's wife searching her, which was done, but no pin was found.

The jeweler then set his sister to watch the woman, who was seen to enter another jeweler's shop, and was pretending to make a purchase when the organ grinder made his appearance. As soon as he began playing she again threw some money and ordered him to stop. She then went to the jeweler's shop and was seen to enter another jeweler's shop, and was pretending to make a purchase when the organ grinder made his appearance.

What Squirrels Eat.

Squirrels do not eat anything but nuts, as most people suppose. They are largely fruit eaters, and occasionally work big havoc in the orchards at the fall of the year. They are not above stealing partridge eggs, and on this account they are very much hated. Even poultry, when they stray, as they often will, and lay eggs beyond the confines of the poultry yard, suffer from attacks of squirrels when the mother bird is away. In pine tree districts these little climbers are fond of splitting the pine cones and eating the seeds thereof.

But above all things squirrels are fond of fungus. They will not have anything to say to the common or garden mushroom, but confidently devour the most yellow and poisonous looking of toadstools that grow in damp woods and fields. They never store food, for they know well that fungi will not keep. They devour them greedily as they come to light and revisit the spot as soon as fresh spores renew the fungus. There are, however, many lovers of toadstools that squirrels know to be poisonous, and these they will not touch.—Detroit Free Press.

Interesting Information.

"The reason they make so much fuss over your birthday," explained Kitty to the young man in the parlor who was waiting for somebody else. "Is that I've only had six. Sister had 23, and she's so used to 'em she don't even mention 'em. How many birthdays have you had, Mr. Spontaneous?"—Chicago Tribune.

The Canadian department of agriculture estimates the population of the Dominion to be 5,125,438, a gain of rather less than 800,000 since the census of 1891. In 1890 there were two states of the Union that exceeded Canada in population—New York, with 6,997,858 inhabitants, and Pennsylvania, with 5,258,014.

Scholar's Opinions.

In former times geysering was part of a scholar's life. He was compelled to journey to the half of Europe, it might be to the college of his choice, in a time when journeying was not always pleasant and seldom safe. The laws against begging were relaxed in his favor. He had no baggage except a book or two, and with his staff in his hand he trudged merrily forth on his adventures.

These men were the most cultured of their age. The head that was covered by that tattered old bonnet might be debating grave points in the Aristotelian logic or with Plato framing immortal commonplaces.

A sun-browned scholar was not apt to suffer from poverty or privation. He was a man of letters, and his pocket was his way to his love for learning and many rich eclectic stores to draw on for his entertainment. In days nearer our own some few members of the fraternity still survived.

Goldsmith, fresh from his desultory college life, tramped through many countries with his staff in his pocket and gained that large, handsome, which makes one of the best features of his work.—Macmillan's Magazine.

One Over to Bacon.

"I believe," said the funny boarder, "that the landlord has been over to the anti-Shakespeare crowd."

Civilized Dress.

That Hivly Frenchman Jules Lemaitre, has lately published a sweeping

across against the dress of civilized people, and especially of civilized women. What is the object of dress? It is, says Lemaitre, primarily to protect the body against cold and after that to ornament it. It is to be presumed, therefore, that M. Lemaitre would have little clothing on the body in hot weather, almost none at all in extremely hot. The idea is terrible. What would tailors, dressmakers and dry goods men do? Was not the human body created primarily that it might show off the new fashions? What rank heresy is this Lemaitre doctrine?

It is true that men and women would be much healthier and happier if they were upon the body efficient clothing to protect them from weather and climate, but who cares for health in such a cause as this? Down with Lemaitre and his unholy crusade against the cornerstone of our modern civilization, clothes!

The French iconoclast points to the costume of the beautiful Greeks in the classic age. Then no attempt was made to accentuate sex in the dress of men and women. Sex was not ignored in dress, but it was a mere aside. The garb of men and women was the same, except that the men wore the skirt. Men ornamented their costumes as much as women did, and the garments of both were draped and flowing.

But now? In scorn M. Lemaitre points to the raiment of the modern woman. It has been fashioned so as to become solely expressive of sex. Every article is resorted to to make a woman look large above and below the waist and cut her in two in the middle. Bah! Disgraceful! exclaims Lemaitre.

The skirts spread out over artificial and propounded contours; the waist is enclosed in a rigid, unnatural frame work. The waist of woman is no longer large and ample, as in the classic model, but is a mere deformation included in a disarranged thoracic cage.

Harvard Rowboat.

The eight oared racing shell in which the Harvard rowing champions expect to pull themselves to victory this summer is of English make. It was constructed on the Thames river and shipped by steamer to Boston.

The man who constructed the shell is an English leather worker who for many years has fashioned the craft used in their rowing contests by Oxford and Cambridge oarsmen. The Harvard boat has seats in the middle, instead of at the side like the English boats. The seat in the middle is the one preferred by American crews. Except for this difference, the shell is the same as that used by the British university crews.

The Harvard boat is 62 feet long and 28 inches wide at the center. It is as long and slim proportionally as the insect called the devil's damming needle. The 28 inch width is the greatest, however, it must be remembered. The thing tapers each way for and at from the middle till at the long, kufelike ends, both bow and stern, it is less than an inch in width. The oarsman who can squeeze his body into the space allotted him and keep his balance, at the same time pulling an oar like a giant, must be as expert as a wild Indian in his canoe.

The question is, however, this: If the Harvard eight win every contest with their new British shell, will it be a victory for England or America?

The regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen will take place on the Schuylkill river at Philadelphia Aug. 13 and 14.

The present regatta of the association require that competing boats shall be rowed a mile and a half. The boats must row a certain distance, then show the skill of the oarsmen by turning in midstream and going back to the place of starting. In a river so swift as the Schuylkill this turning will not be an easy matter with so many boats, and many interested are in favor of changing the rules away from the start to finish. The question is being earnestly discussed at present. A majority of the opinions are on the side of the straightforward or course without the turn.

The present secretary of the interior is right in refusing to revoke the Cleveland order withdrawing large bodies of land from settlement in order that they may preserve the sources of water courses throughout the west. The interests of a few mining and railway companies may suffer a little by their being allowed free swing in cutting public timber, but what is this compared to preserving the fertility of millions of acres of land? The plan of having the forest lands embraced in the order surveyed and then allowing under proper supervision the old and dead timber to be cut out and used is the right one.

Between Secretary Sherman and Assistant Secretary Day the state department at Washington this term will be run according to the Ohio idea.

We may have American opals from our own country on the market soon. Opal mines in Idaho have been staked off and will soon be worked.

The heathen Turk considers his religion before his money. The Christian of Europe considers his money before his religion.

A Curious and Rare Book.

The most curious as well as one of the rarest books known to collectors is the earliest of the Valgus, issued by Pope Sixtus V. some time between 1586 and 1600. The book, as Darnell describes it, "fairly swarmed with errors." So numerous were they that a number of printed paper slips containing the proper words were pasted over the blunders, and this device proving ineffectual on account of the immense number of mistakes, as many of the copies as could be found were called in and destroyed. Only a few remain, and the book with its paper patches commands an extremely high price.

One Over to Bacon.

"I believe," said the funny boarder, "that the landlord has been over to the anti-Shakespeare crowd."

"Well, she gives us bacon for breakfast every morning now, you will note."—Philadelphia North American.

WHAT SHE NEGLECTED.

He Was a Student of Human Nature, and He Caught Her.

Albert Bloodgood gazed long and earnestly into his young wife's eyes. It was evident that serious doubts had taken possession of him. He had been married to Sylvia Bloodgood for three days and had thought that he was happy. But now, as he sat beside her in the saloon of the plunging steamer, a horrible thought suddenly forced itself upon him.

The sweet girl who had given her life into his keeping noticed that something was not of blank with him, and looking up, more as an innocent child would look at a parent than as a wife contemplating the features of her husband, she asked:

"Don't you love 'or 'little darlin' any more? Tell me, darling, what it is that troubles you. Don't try to conceal it from 'or 'little lovey dovey. You know I'm so wise I can see everything. You told me yesterday when I guessed what you and in that pretty jewel box for me."

He sighed and said: "Ah, sweetest, I don't know whether I ought to impart my thoughts to you or not. Perhaps I am borrowing trouble. But I know, as you know, always been of a stolid disposition. I have studied men and women, and I have been wont to think that I knew human nature."

"Yes," she urged, becoming interested, "go on."

"Well, either my observations and deductions have been wrong or you don't love me as a wife should love her husband."

"Oh, Albert," the sweet girl cried, clasping her arms about his neck and smiling brightly, "what has caused you to form this cruel, cruel opinion? What has 'or 'little darlin' done to arouse such a suspicion?"

"It isn't what you have done," he replied, "but what you have not done, that troubles me."

She drew back in wild fear and waited for him to proceed.

"Yes," he went on, "it is what you have neglected that has caused these doubts to be formed; inasmuch that the other unlearned may escape the calamities often consequent upon ignorance of Human and Demon Magnetism."

Human Magnetism, or Mesmerism, now scientifically called "Hypnotism," is a mental or psychological force which often is, and always can be a stepping-stone to Demon Magnetism, which is simply, real "Spiritualism."—Examiner.

The work clearly shows that the teachings of the Bible withstand all criticisms, and also, that ALL of their enemies quote from them when they wish to say anything morally grand, or to formulate any moral criterion for practical reference.

While this book does not mention any church or denomination, it does prove, incidentally, that the Almighty God of Bible account is a just, rather than an unjust Being; and that He is still on the giving hand, even to His worst enemies; and that they may, if they will, have eternal life as well as this day of probation.

It would interest more than a million of people in our own country to know that this work is the first one of its size to present clear cut proof that only those who accept Christ as their savior have any title to immortality. The contrary view is the foundation on which Spiritualism rests.

The experience, close study and observations of the author for more than thirty years, and the introduction of 200 quotations, with book and page and paper and date given, makes it a valuable library for reference.

Attention is called to some of the commendations this book has received:—

REVIEW OF REVIEWS: "He [the author] considers Spiritualism to be a pernicious force in modern society, hostile to all religious and he defends this view by Biblical argument and by an array of documentary evidence which shows a great expenditure of energy."

Rev. H. L. Hargrove, editor of the Christian, "Mr. Darnell's book contains a large number of facts and extracts which I am very glad to get hold of. I do not doubt the general correctness of his positions."

Philadelphia Bulletin:—"Certainly the book is a valuable work of reference, it is not for study, by those interested in the questions the author has striven to answer."

Had Better Consider It.

It is well known, and sorrowfully admitted, by all intelligent persons, of the world is being shocked every day by the increasing number of high crimes against person and property, notably against personal and family rights and privileges.

These dastardly acts of recklessness, butchery and suicide, of which Coroner's juries say that "there was no apparent cause," "no reason could be found," and kindred verdicts, are puzzling the minds of very many eminent moralists of the present day.

Undoubtedly one reason for this is that many politicians and moralists study and preach more often upon the "Olympic Games," "Base Ball," "The Bicycle," "Military Schools," "Politics," etc., than upon the subjects of "Angels," (good and bad) and the "Devil"—chief of the evil ones—which are among the most important subjects treated upon in the Bible. They are directly and indirectly mentioned 1,582 times!

The book, "Spiritualism Examined and Refuted," which is admitted to be a wonderful compendium of facts appertaining to the great system of "Spiritual Philosophy," does so treat upon the subject of angels—both good and evil—that their origin, nature, character and office are readily understood in a practical way, even by the common people. Hence, to read the work carefully, is to be forewarned, which is to be informed; inasmuch that the otherwise unlearned may escape the calamities often consequent upon ignorance of Human and Demon Magnetism.