FEBRUARY

THE WEIKLY NEWS.

C. F. SLEEPER, Editor and Proprietor.

A BRIEF CHRONICLE OF CURRENT EVENTS.

PRICE, THREE CENTS

Vol. XIV.-No. 14.

PALMYRA, N. J., SAPURDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1898.

\$1.00 per annum in advance

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD LOCAL TIME TABLE.

8.20 8.42 8.47 8.49 8.52

GENERAL TIME TABLE. Leave Palmyra as follows: For Trenton, Newark and New York, 6.39, 339, 8.49, 10.56 a. m., 12.29 2.55, 4.00, 4.50, 5.53, 7.57 b. m., week-days; 9.47 a. n. 1.59, 614 p. m Sundays.

For Riverside, Deianco, Beverly, Edgewater
Park and Burlington, 6.79, 7.79, 8.49, 1756
a. m., 12.29, 2.12, 2.55, 4.00, 4.50, 5.21, 5.44
S.556, 6.25, 7.04, 7.57, 9. p. m., and 12.11 night, week-days, 9.47 a, m., 1.59, 6.14, and 10.28 p. m.,
Sundays.

For Bordentown, 6.35, 7.39, 8.49, 1.56, a, m 12,29, 2.55, 4.99, 4.20, 5.22, 5.51, 6.25, 7.57, 9.2, m, and 12.19 night, week days, 9.47 a, m 1.51, 6.4 and 10.28 p m, Sundays, For Hightstown, Jamesburg, South Amboy, 7.39 a, m, and 4.90 p, m, week days, For tickets and further information apply to Agent at the station.

BUSINESS CARDS.

GILBERT & ATKINSON.

COUNSELLORS - AT - LAW

Practice in all the Higher Courts.

325 Federal Street,

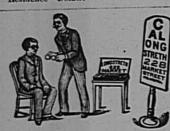
D. H. WRIGHT,

OFFICE, 1429 CHESTNUT ST. PHILADELPHIA. Houses for Sale or Rent.

Building Lots for Sale. Rents collected.

Henry Hollinshed, Jr., ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

> AND SOLICITOR 205 Market Street, CAMDEN, N. J.



C. A. LONGSTRETH. 228 Market St. Philadelphia.

TARIFF OF ANNUAL WATER RATES

Riverton and Palmyra Water Co. PRIVATE HOUSES.

Hydrant in yard or kitchen, 1/2 in. tap, No consumer will be charged a less amo for o e hydrant under any circumstancef. Hydrant in both yard and kitchen, Win, tap, Hydrant in both yard and kitchen, %

Stationary wash-basins, each, tubs, each, tubs, each, Pavement tap [to be used as pave wash or sprinkling or both not exceeding 3 hours in any fay, for 50 feet or under]
Each additional foot, 20 to 100 feet, 8 cents out or 100 to 200 feet, 4 cents per foot.

THE BURLINGTON CO.

MOORESTOWN, N. J. CAPITAL.....\$200,000.000.

Authorized by law to act as Executor, Ad ministrator, Guadian, Trustee, Assignee Receiver, Agent, etc., and executes Trusts of OFFICERS.

WILLIAM M. PAUL, President.
DAVID D. GRISCOM, Vice President.
WILLIAM W. STOKES, Treas. and Sec'y.
CHARLES EWAN MERRITT, Solicitor. William M. Paul, N. Newlin Stokes, M. D.,

N. Newlin Stoke Alfred H. Burr, Altred H. Burr,
Henry Doughten,
John C. Hopkins,
Josiah Lippincott,
Mordecai Hunt,
Chas. Ewau Merr Isaac Fenimore,
Howard Parry,
Isaac W. Stoes,
Albert Hansell,
Daaid D. Griscom
Wittien; I Iric Mount Holly, "

BICYCLES TO HIRE.

No special permit is required to ride a wheel. Call on us at any time you may need one. We will fit you out with either a new or second prises all the latess makes. with either a new or second-hand one. Our stock com-

ALL KINDS OF BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

James H. Bowers, Agt.,

S. E. COR, BROAD AND MAIN STS., RIVERTON, N. J. Repairing a specialty.

TELEPHONE No. 773 BIOREN & CO.,

BANKERS. No. 136 South Third Street,

Transact a General Banking Business, Stocks and Bonds Bought and Sold on Commission,

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO INQUIRIES IN RE-LATION TO INVESTMENTS.

JOSEPH BISHOP. CONTRACTOR and BUILDER

Of Frame, Brick or Stone, Dwellings and Business Houses. Only the very best materials and lowest prices charged consistent with First-Class and Reliable Workmanship.

Numerous building plans may be seen at my office. If desired, Specifications, and estimates will be furnished at short notice. Call or Address,

JOSEPH BISHOP. FOURTH ST., AND GARFIELD AVE.,

HOWARD PARRY, C. E.

RIVERTON AND PALMYRA.

Surveyor, Conveyancer, Notary Public, Commissioner of Deeds.

executed. Loans negotiated upon most favorable terms. Rents collected, houses for sale and to rent. 6 per cent. mortgages for sale. Fire, life and Accident Insurance. Re-

JOHN C. BELTON, UNDERTAKER,

MOORESTOWN, N. J.

Branch Offices

Riverside,

520 Cinnaminson Ave., Palmyra.

Telephone No. 7.

ian Walnut Kachazi

JNO. R. PARRY.

Eighteen years experience in Philadelphia.

A large and complete stock of Fruit and Shade Trees, Evergreens and Ornamentals, Nut Bearing Trees In great variety. Flowering shrubbery, climbing vines, hardy oranges, Eleagnus, Longipes, Buffalo Berries, Rock, Mountain Atleberries, and many other valuable novelties. Small Fruit Plants Grape Vines, Etc., Etc., Etc.,

Illustrated Descriptive Catalogue Free.

Wm. PARRY, Parry, N. J.

When in Philadelphia, try a cup of the Home Brand Plantation



of Messrs. Srtawbridge & Clothier's, where it is served free of charge. It is packed, ground, pulverised and whole bean, in one pound non-metalic-boxes and is for sale in Riverton and Palmyra, and by all the leading Philadelphia grocers. 38c a pound.

HENRY A. FRY & CO.,

BOASTERS AND PACKERS. 131 MARKET ST., PHILADELPHIA. SAFE DEPOSIT & TRUST CO., BOASTERS AND PACKERS, 131 MARKET ST., PHILADELPHI
The above Coffee used and recommended by Mrs. S. T. Rorer, Phila.

For Sale by J. M. Roberts, Chas. Lloyd and H. K. Read

lights the way and stays lighted. All brass, nickel-plated—no tin; outside oil-filler; cotton packed oil fount; double convex ground photo-lens; burns kerosene, throws a light 60 ft. and weighs but 12 ounces.

Three years a leader, and three years' provements now added. Absolutely the isomest and best bicycle lamp ever made. Sold by all leading dealers.

THE PLACE & TERRY MFG. CO., 247 Centre Street, New York. See our new, cheaper lamp-the "Scorcher."

Subscribe for-

WHEN A FELLER IS OUT OF TOB. to convince you that we know how to BY SAM WALTER POSS.

free; Au' the universe ain't what it's cracked up t

W'en a feller is out of a job. W'at's the good of blue skies an' of l trees W'en a feller is out of a job? W'en yer boy has large patchee on

knees
An' a feller is out a job?
Them patches, I say, look so big to
That they shut out lan'scape an' co sky, An"the sun can't shine through 'em the bes

it can try . W'en a teller is out of a job.

W'en a man has no part in the work of earth,
W'en a feller is out of a job;
He feels the whole blund'rin' mistake of his
birth,
W'en a feller is out of a job.
He feels he's no share in the world of the Philadelphia, Pa. That he's got the mitten from nature's

han',
That he's a rejected and left-over man,
W'en a feller is out of a job. For you've lost your holt with the

crowd,
W'en a fel'er is out of a job;
And you feel like a dead man
shroud,
W'en a feller is out of a job.
You are crawlin' aroun', but y

Yer dead with no tombstone to wen a feller is out of a job.

WHEN THIEVES FALL OUT.

The freight steamer Russian Bea was thrashing along down the Pacific Ocean with her blunt prow facing south and the captain reckoned he was omewhere off the Queen Charlotte Islands. The Bear was an iron ship of old fashioned build and as slow as they make 'em; any old thing on the ocean could pass her; yet, pro tem, she was a passenger boat, and was bringing down the last of the season's crop of Klon-dike miners. She was reputed to have over \$5,000,000 worth of gold dust and nuggets on board, and her coming was

watched for with some anxiety.

On the morning of the 7th the captain noticed on the western horizon what appeared to be a steamer coming towards him. As craft are scarce on these waters, except in the sealing se son, the captain watched the stranger's approach with interest not unmixed with anxiety, because of the valuable steamer seemed to be making for across the bow of the Bear. The captain ordered the flag hoisted, but the oucome showed no answering colors, which did not tend to make the captain feel less neasy. She was a trim craft, looking like a private yacht, painted black with two slim, tapering masts, set at a rakish slope in line with her one funnel. She came swiftly through the water and turned her broadside toward the Rus sian Bear, when the man at the whee calculated that she was as near as wa safe, and her engines slowed down so that the stranger's speed more nearly recorded with the slow progress of the larger ship. A man on the bridge came to the edge nearest the slower

vessel and placing his hands to his "Ship ahoy! Is that the Russian

"Who are you?" roared the captain "and what do you want?"

"I want an answer to my question then I'll tell you what more I want." After speaking, however, the new gave a command to the man at the wheel, who promptly signaled for the engines to stop, whereupon the yacht dropped to the rear, notwithstanding the slowness of the old Bear. The name was plainly painted on the stern and the captain of the yacht having seen that this was the ship he was after moved quickly alongside again, this tlme with only a couple of hundred feet of water between the two ships During the slight interval the crew the yacht had been busy, and now a forbidding looking cannon pointed its

ominous muzzle towards the Bear. "I'm after the gold, capt in," said the first speaker, nonchalantly, "as no doubt you are aware. I'm going t "Whatever gold we have on board

f we have any, jt's mine. I don't see what good the sinking of the ship wil do you, and it would be very inconven ient to me. Better steer off and we'll say no more about it. I can take a oke as well as the next man." For a time it looked as if the strang-

er heeded the good advice given him The captain of the yacht rang full. speed ahead and the sharp prow cut the water like a knife. The yacht described a large circle and seemed to e showing off its paces, but this, as the captain of the Bear remarked, was unany scow ou the Pacific could pass him. Inwever it was soon seen that this was not the intention of the enemy. Ranging alongside once more, but this time further away, there was a cloud of smoke from the cannon, a sharp report- alongside and the man that moves gets and the crash of rending plates. A jagged hole had been torn in the ship's side near the bulwarks, which while it the captain; "come around to the other ppearance of the Bear

the circle and again ranged alougside within a distance of one hundred yards. "Haul down the bag," said the cap-

penetrate your rotten plates have something to show for

up their gold.
"Get him aboard, captain, 'said their eader, "and we'll have a fight for it. | intends to run in there himself." We are all heeled, and once we get that villain and part of his crew on deck

here, you keep out of the way if you like, and we'll handle him." "You couldn't fun down that pirate, he rang full speed, shouting back to the Bear: "If you've fooled me, I'll cautious than the rest."

settle with you later." "No more than I could run down

Queen Charlotte Islands with this raft," replied the capts in dolefully. "Time!" shouted the man on the

bridge.
"We'll give you the gold," said the captain, returning to his place.
"All right. And so that there wil be no temptation to play us any tricks, for the amount I unders and is demor-alizingly large, I will stay here and receive your packages. Two of my men will go aboard you, and two others will work the ferry between your craft and mine. Those four men I can easily

spare, and if you kill or capture them you are welcome to do so, but in that case I shall immediately sink the ship. If you think over the crisis for a mo ment you will see that nothing else is left for me to do. It is the only safe plan; therefore I trust there will be no

There wasn't. The miners saw a nce that there was little use in making a row, and in a short time the precious cargo was transferred from the ship to the yacht. It came in boxes and bags, in large quantities and small, and the man on the bridge opened every package so that there was no chance of fooling him. When the transfer was complete, the young man

sang out:
"I wish you good day, captain, and a safe voyage. It may strike you as strange that I do not sink the ship now and so destroy all evidence against me. as it is, this is only robbery or piracy, and I believe they don't hang for that I will be disembarked long before you can reach the nearest telegraph office. So, if I were you, I would plug right any of those intervening points. Well,

The yacht moved away from the ship at a speed which showed that all hope of keeping her in sight for long was hopeless. With sad hearts the plundered passengers watched her grow maller and smaller to the south of them, while the Bear churned her leis urely course through the waveless sea. At last the lookout shouted :

"The vacht is coming back sir." The captain put his glasses to his eyes and gazed for a long time at the horizon to the south. "By jingo, she is," he said, turning s

trifle less ruddy. Then he said to the mate, "What do you think of it?" "He's probably changed his mind and is going to sink us. I thought he didn't seem to be more than half con-

vinced when he talked of not doing it What are we to do?' "I don't know anything to do," said the captain hopelessly, swearing in-wardly that if he escaped he would have a faster steamer next voyage or

out the high seas. Everyone aboard was now watching the northern bound yacht, and the same disquieting thought seemed to rur through every mind, even before one o the passengers gave voice to his fears. Suddenly the captain cried out with his glasses still to his eyes: "So help me! It's not the same yacht. Look, Joe!"

The mate examined the approaching steamer and coincided with the cap tain's view. Soon all doubt was set a rest. The oncoming boat was seen to be much larger than the yacht and ap parently much faster, speedy as the other had seemed in comparison with the Russian Bear. A big black beard ed giant with a voice like a fog horn was in command. He wasted no time in talk, but sent a shot toward the Bear, that skipped along the water and

stopped. The other came up with her. "We want that gold you have on it again. board," roared the man with the whiskers.

"We haven't any," replied the cap-"I know better. You have \$5,000, 000 worth of the stuff with you, and I'll have it without any more nonsense. I'm not running a moonlight excursion necessary, for he already knew that with a brass band on board. Surren der, or I'll sink you."

"You're too late. We've been robbed already." "Oh, that's too thin. Every man hold up his hands; we're going to lay

did no harm, scarcely improved the side and see the shot he put through us, if you don't believe me. We don't get Once more the yacht swung around such marks as this on moonlight excursions either." "Here's the shot that came through

the side," corroborated the mate, holding it up in his hands. All on board with the man on the bridge when at speaking distance, "a practical lesson is worth any amount of talk. I merely wished was as likely as not prophetic.]

ing it up in his hands. All on board oried aloud that this was true, and the pirate made an emphatic remark replacement of talk. I merely wished was as likely as not prophetic.]

next query.

"Yes, she got away with them," was the reply. "But she is a good deal like me. She likes something nice and tasty—like canned corn." ing it up in his hands. All on board

to convince you that we know how to | "Didn't you meet a rakish looking handle our guns and that our guns can | black hulled yacht about half the size

Besides | of your own? "Yes; and it seemed to me at the your money when you get to port. I time she sheered off and showed that take it we will have no further trouble she didn't want to be hailed. But as rude wooden bridge which hung one but I'll give you five minutes more if you wish to consult together."

The miners had no desire to be drowned, neither did they wish to give was making for?"

was making for?"

> not to drop into Victoria, I suspect he The pirate circled the Russian Bear and the captain thereof saw him examining the hole made by the cannon through his glass. Evidently convinced

> No one slept on the Russian Bear that night. She veered toward the west and a keen lookout was kept till morning broke. Some fancied they heard cannon firing in the distance, but no one was sure. Toward evening of the next day the lookout aloft shouted that there was something to the southwestward, and the Bear's course was laid in that direction. They came upon the yacht with one mast standing, on which flew a signal of distress. The smokestack and the other must were gone, and the yacht lay helpless, with her prow high and her stern ominously low in the water Men were pumping with feverish in-

dustry.
"Ship ahoy!" cried the captain of the Bear. "Where's the other fellow?" "You ask no questions and you won't be disappointed with the answers. I am ready to make a fair bargain

with you, captain, if you are." "Oh, I'm in better shape than you think. We're good for two or three hours yet. You proposed to call this a joke and I'm ready to do so now. We'll put the treasure back on your old tub and you give us safe passage to port and no questions asked or answered when we go ashore. We're miners from Klondike, we are." "That's compounding with paracy,"

objected the captain.
"Oh, no, it isn't, you said yourself it was a joke. Of course we were merely and so destroy all evidence against me. going to port to wait till you came. I assure you that I gave the plan the Anyhow, we're not going back empty deepest consideration, and if, unfortunately, one life had been lost, you would all have gone to the bottom, but, as it is, this is only robbery or piracy, all."

> the gold was recovered. The safety of the gold was his duty, they said. "All right," cried the captain. "You deck separately and must submit to be put in irons. I must insist on that for the safety of the ship. I'll let you free as soon as we are tied up at the wharf." Each passenger swore he would not inform on the pirates, and when all the gold was once more on the ship, to gether with the prisoners, the old Bear moved slowly on while the vacht disappeared stern foremost. And because

the passengers and crew all kept their the passengers and crow an appearance of the control of the papers until now.—Luke

ALL GONE BUT HONOR.

There was a look of despair on hi face as he entered the room and threw himself on the old lounge, while moan broke from his lips. His wife saw at once that something

dreadful had happened. "Ah, darling," he pity on me!" She was almost speechless with ter ror, but she managed to ask; "What -what can it be?"

" 'Twas my fault," he moaned, "bn -we are penniless "Penniless!" she repeated in a dazed sort of way. "Penniless! Oh, my husband! But I am a true wife. I can go back to typewriting. We shall not starve. Only tell me this: You have not been gambling—you have not been speculating, and, though penniless, you have done naught to tarnish your honor in any way?"

"Nothing-nothing," he said, with an effort. "Then trust me!' she cried. "Tel ne where your money has gone to?" The wretched man placed his arn about her, and, drawing her closes

gasped; "I have paid the gas bill." SOMETHING NICE.

According to the following anecdote distance. Once more the Russian Bear from the Sacred Heart Review, people who do right as well as those who do wrong son

A gentleman heard that a young girl whose mother was in pior circumstances was convalescing from a dan-gerous disease. Forthwith he went to a fruiter's and secured some choice bunches of Hamburg grapes at \$1 or

thereabout a pound. He carried them, not without some elf satisfaction, to the house of the in- said. valid, and left them with her mother, who received them in a dubious kind of manner that did not evince, as he thought, much gratitude. This did not trouble him greatly,

nowever, but the next day when he called he received a blow which almost made him resolve never again to be generous to strangers.

"How did your daughter like the grapes?" he said to the grim and un-

onstrative matron. "Oh, pretty well," was the reluctan "Did she eat them all?"

ACROSS THE AUSABLE CHASM.

dacks known as the Au Sable chasm hundred and twenty-five feet above the water. One night a fearful windstorm came and blew away this bridge all but a single stringer or timble, eighteen inches square. The bridge was not replaced, but this single tim-"No, but as her master advised me

ber remained, rotting, whitening and rounding in the weather. Of it, a writer in the Chicago Times-Herald tells a thrilling story.

One pitch-dark night, ten years after the bridge over the chasm had dissppeared, a stranger drew up his horse in front of the tavern at Au Sable Forks, and presently entered the tap-room, which was full of villagers. As the man was eating his supper in a corner of the room the landlord en-

gaged him in conversation.

"I ark night outside," said he.

"Yes—black," answered the new "Have any trouble finding your

"No; I used to live in this neighbor hood twenty years ago."
"Which way did you come?"
"Right over the bridge across the

Everybody in the room looked at

"You are crazy," exclaimed the landlord, "There hasn't been a bridge over the Au Sable for ten years."
"I guess you're mistaken," said the stranger. "I rode my horse over that bridge not three quarters of an hour-

"Impossible, sir! That bridge blew down ten years ago!" "Again I tell you, my friend, that I ode across it this very night," the stranger insisted. "It was too dark for me to see, but I heard the clatter of my horse's feet on the planking, and the noise of the water in the chase below."

Everybody supported the landlord, but the stranger said, "Wait until day-light, and we will see if there is not a

bridge there!" Next morning everybody at Au Sable Forks was at the chasm. There, sure enough, were the fresh prints of a horse's feet leading from the end of the stringer. A daring youth walked across on the beam, and found the

The stranger had told the truth. you saw that I did not see you, did you In the darkness, his horse had crossed the chasm on a single, narrow and saw the perilous path over which h before, and gianced down into the chasm, he trembled as if he had been stricken with palsy.— Youth's Compan-

A DREADFUL FATHER.

The young man had called on the ather of the loved one to ask his con-

usiness," said the young man.
"What business?" inquire "I love your daughter, sir," banged

away the young man, though he wasn't "Ah!" smiled the father. "Yes, sir," said the young man. "Indeed?" continued the father.

"Yes, sir," repeated the young man. "Is that so, really?" went on the "Yes, sir," still insisted the young The father remained silent so long

that the young chap thought he would explode if the old one didn't say some-"Um-er," began the old gent, "did I understand you to say you love my

daughter?" "Yes, sir," plurted out the young man, emphatically. "Yes, sir." "Indeed?" "Yes, sir."

"Is that so, really?"

"Yes, sir." The young man wondered how long this kind of thing would continue. "Uh-er," hesitated the old gentle nan, "so you love my daughter?" "Yes—" began the young man, and stopped. "I beg pardon, sir, but I have told you that before."
"Told me what?" said the father, as

weetly as an angel might talk. "Told you that I loved your daugh-"Ah!" exclaimed the old gentleman, softly. "Yes, sir."

The young man saw what was com-ng, and got hot in the gills. "No, sir," he said, sharply. The old gentleman looked at him is ained surprise.

"Indeed ?"

"I thought you said you did?" he "Did what ?" asked the young man not exactly knowing what he was say

"I do, sir," quickly put in the youth "Ah!" smiled the father.

It was too much for the poor young "I keg your pardon, sir," he said, "but I think you are cruel, sir," and he backed out and left, while the old gentleman settled back in his easy chair and snorted a loud and emotion snort of triumph, short-lived though it may be.—Washington Star.

Willie-"Pa, what's the 'Blarney Pa-It's the diamond in an engage

Work. The world is not going to pay you for nothing. Ninety per cent of what men call talent Is only a genius for hard work.

"You know those jokes that Timons "Yes; I know, they are cracked.

Antiques usually are.' Men of honor are, in some degree, men of genius; wits are rarely so, although a man of genius may, amongst other gifts, possess wit. That chap was inconsistant who called his sweetheart "Sunshine," and

then complained after marriage be-cause she made it hot for him. "Charmed to meet you again, Miss "You forget, I think, my name's

Brown. "Awfully sorry, but I am a bit color "Have you any trouble in meeting our creditors, old chap?"

Artist-"No difficulty whatever. Meet 'em everywhere, old boy." He wouldn't know the truth if he

"Oh, yes he would. Otherwise he could not evade it so easily." "There's one amusing thing I've noticed about self made men.'

"And what's that ?" "You get a manufacturer's guarantee with every one of them." Fond Mother-"Isn't the baby the

very image of his father?"

Neighbor—"Yes; but you shouldn't mind that as long as he is healthy." "Why, cook, I told you to notice when the apples boiled over."
"Well, I did, ma'am. It was quarter

"Smithers is postively the most inospitable man I ever saw.' "Yes; I never knew him even to entertain an idea. Vinnie-"Minnie will never marry

intil she meets her ideal." Vietta-"What is her ideal?" Vinnie-"A man who will propose He-"Ah, I saw you on the street esterday—"
She—"Yes, I saw that you did; and

three years ago. How do they taster Mr. Chugwaiter—"Well, they're no worse than when you put them up. You can't spoil the darn things by can-

Timmons-"Every once in a while find myself repeating one of my Simmons-"That's queer. I never near anyone else repeating them.

derstand that you applied for a good position yesterday. What was the Lucky Jim (cheerfully)-"Income," "Jack writes he has been playing oker with papa, and papa writes that

Thoughtly-"Well, old man, I un-

ne can't possibly send me a check for "What on earth are you going to

"Send for Jack." Bass-"I suppose you think I'm Cass-"That's what troubles me. It

your supposition is correct, then you are a mind reader and therefore you cannot be a fool; and yet-well, you "Well, I see that Messrs. McKinley and Laurier are likely to come to an inderstanding about the seal question.' "Yes, that's where Messrs, McKinley

and Laurier differ from myself and

"This here theosophy business won't do," said the practical politician. "No!" said the listener. "No. Imagine raking a fellow's record of 5,000 years up against him." "Scribble says that story is the best thing that has appeared for months."

"He ought to know he was the writer of it.

"Yes, and he ought to be able to criticise it, he is the only one that reads "What's the use of the veriform aplendix?' asked the teacher of the class

in physiology.
"The veriform appendix," promptly answered Tommy Tucker, "is useful to keep things out of." Neighbor-"Good morning, Mr-

Blank-"Good morning, sir." Neighbor-"How is Mrs. Blank this morning?"

Blank—"The doctor tells me she is

at death's door, and I'm afraid he will not be able to pull her through." Always there is seed being sown ilently and unseen, and everywhere there comes sweet flowers without our foresight or labor. We reap what we sow, but nature has love over and above that which justice gives us-shadow and blossoms and fruits that

spring from no planting of ours. Coke-"So your opinion is that Benson is no lawyer?"

Littleton—"I know he isn't."

Coke—"But why?"
Littleton—"Dibbard came in and said it was raining and asked for an umbrella. Well, sir, Benson did not ask for Dibbard's authority on the first point, and moved no stay of pro-ceedings in regard to the latter,"

TH JERSEY ADVERTISER, C. F. SLEEPER EDITOR AND PROPRIETO

Terms-\$1 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE JOB WORK of all kinds promptly executed as cheaply and as neatly as any office in the County. We solicit items of interest from all quarters of the State. Correspondents will please sign their names in full to all communications, not for publication but as a guarantee of correctness. Anonymous communications are not wanted. Advertisers will find the Næws a valu uble advertising medium. None but clean, respectable advertisements inserted. its mention.

A mark against this paragraph indicates that this is a sample copy of the paper, sent to you for your inspection free of charge, and that we should be glid to have you become a subscriber.

Orders by mail promptly attended to

NEWS AND ADVERTISER.

Palmyra, N. J.
RESIDENCE,—Corner Fourth and Garfield avenue,
Palmyra, N. J. Entered at the Palmyra Post Office as second

> SATURDAY, FEB. 5, 1898. FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

It is not the greatness of a man's means that makes him independant, so much as the smallness of his wants -Соввет.

There is one thing a young man should learn early in life which would save him an endless amount of trouble and humiliation. This is the estimate of his personal worth will never be gauged by the achievements of his ancestors. You will be valued for what you accomplish yourself. The sooper you realize this fact, the better it will be for you. Take off your coat, go to work and make a record for yourself. The lucky man is the in-

It is satisfactory to know that our trade relations with Canada are on the whole satisfactory, in spite of the attempts of editors on both sides of the line to stir up hard feeling, heaven knows why. Canada had last year a much heavier trade with us than with Great Britian. It is well to bear in mind in connection with this that Canada has given to the United States better reciprocal trade arrangements than she has to Great Britian itself. Duties on British goods imported into Canada are four per cent higher than on American goods entering the Dominion.

In Monmouth county a farmer When the gate was closed on him, he used an axe and chopped his way through, for which he will answer in the courts. His objection seemed to lie in the fact that his constant use of the road entitled him to ride free. It is hardly likely the courts will sustain him. The turnpikes in this state have a legal existence, having been organized under laws governing the subject, and a constitution.

On Saturday evening, February 12, Mrs. John C. S. Davis will give a reading of her recent trip abroad, and a musical entertainment will also be given at her residence. A silver offering will be taken for branches of local work.

The Subscription Dance in the Lycum on Friday night, (the 29th), was much enjoyed. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sey.

The Subscription Dance in the Lycum on Friday night, (the 29th), was much enjoyed. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sey.

The Subscription Dance in the Lycum on Friday night, (the 29th), was much enjoyed. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sey.

The Subscription Dance in the Lycum on Friday night, (the 29th), was much enjoyed. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sey.

The Subscription Dance in the Lycum on Friday night, (the 29th), was much enjoyed. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sey.

The Subscription Dance in the Lycum on Friday night, (the 29th), was much enjoyed. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sey.

The Subscription Dance in the Lycum on Friday night, (the 29th), was much enjoyed. Among the votes of a majority of the people; cannot without great effrontery ask them to vote for them and more certain it is not at all likely that they will. No man should receive our vote who will not mour Runk, Miss Bessie Runk, Mr. J.

The following are the apparent even to the casual observer.

As the public as a rule are too careless of the problem. The turnishment will also be a provered. If that days in the "Golden rule."

It is fast coming the "Golden rule."

It is fast coming the time when who boasted they became tired of paying toll on a turnand while there is no doubt they are growing to be very unpopular, those mby consider an wipostyon all and not no doubt that it does seem unjust to compel a travel to pay-even though it be a few cents-to travel over a road when the free country highways leading from the pay road are in much better condition than it is. There have been times this winter when the Brooksbank, taking of toll on some of our turnpikes has been little better than extortion. Turnpikes have had their day.

RIVERTON.

Ogden Steedle was in town on Wed-The Foster house on Main street is

John Quigley is still confined to his

for sale or rent.

Mrs. Frank Williard visited relatives in Delanco on Wednesday. The skating on the river has been

enjoyed by a large number. Mr. Harry Rice moved from Cinnaminson street to Penn street.

Mrs. Stratton, from Mulica Hill, is visiting her sister. Mrs. Fox. Mrs. H. J. Holmes and daughter are

spending the month in Palmyra. Myers Fitler enjoyed the sleighing behind a fast trotter on Tuesday.

Marshal Faust is still sick and his son, Charley, is acting in his place. Miss Lizzie Margerum is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Compton.

A. J. Borie has a long communica-tion in this issue on the Public School Miss Solomon and friends had a

dance in the lyceum last Friday

Miss James is getting up a dance to be given in the ly ceum on St. Valen-

Mrs. John Denner, of Cinnaminson street, is with her sick brother in Philadelphia.

It is stated that Golf Links will shortly be opened at the Riverton Gun

There is talk of the Girl's Friedly Society and St. Paul's Guild having a dancing school.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Worrell celebrated their tenth anniversary on Tuesday evening.

A number of relatives and friends made a surprise visit to Joshua Atlee on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson, of

Mrs. Charies Leek. Mr. and Mrs. Riddle, of Philadelphia, were guests of Mrs. James Cun-ningham on Wednesday.

From the communication in this issue there will be quite a contest at the coming Borough election.

The Land farm recently purchased by J. Lawrence Lippincott, will be ordinance.
Adjourned
Adjourned

The supper given by the lodge Shep-herds of Bethlehem in Rober's hall on Wednesday night was a great suc-

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Hand left on Wednesday for Cape May where they will spend several weeks with

Messrs. Willard and Bertram and a jolly party had quite a sleigh ride on Tucsday night on their big bob-sled, going as far as Moorestown. Conneilman William M. Thomas

Miss Rebecca, at the George School near Newtown, Pa., on Saturday. A fortune awaits the man who wil place a phonagraph over in the old bicycle grand stand and club house and then give an exhibition in a local

It is reported that Mrs. Joseph Colins and mother, of Palmyra, have leased the Thornton house and will pen it as an establishment for private

Mr. Cole who has been three years with C. F. Woolston, is recovering rom a broken arm. He is desirous of getting employment as a day or night of the Chairman of the Highway Com-

The list of candidates for Councilnanic honors is increasing; Messrs. Borie and Rianhard are now mentioned, making six up to date to fill the

The Cinnaminson Building Association will meet in the Suuday school coom of the Presbytertain Church Riverton, on Monday February 14th nstead of in the Lyceum building.

That a good article is always appreiated was demonstrated at Tho Bros. coal office during the severe cold weather of this week they being compelled to employ extra teams to deliver | cease.

Sleeper Charley-De groud hog dat omd out dis yeer was of de feemayle seex. Barney Stayer — Howd yous make dat out. Sleeper Charley—Why dat easy. Soon zit seen dits shadder it rund back.

Snow! By the number of boys and girls, too, who were out for a "hitch" every afternoon it was hard to tell whether the snow was made for them or them for the snow-but they certainly did enjoy it. Mrs. Edward B. Showell gave a very

eautiful Oriental Tea at her residence on the River Bank on Thursday ever ing last, she was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. Batchellor and by Mrs. Walter McIntire and Mrs. Cor.

Thomas N. Johnson.

Frank B. Christie has been honored with an invitation to a grand banquet Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York. This is in recognition of his services as their agent, he having written the most rdinary and industrial insurance in he South Jersey district.

The following is the summary of the Pool Tournament :

Becker, Warrington,

The curb opposite the station in front of the Price property has been the subject of considerable controversary regarding the proper line, as Civil Engineers Parry and Haines were at variance. The curb has been moved twice and now will have to be moved again as Mr. Parry's line proves to be correct. Who will pay the expence for the blunder?

The club room of the fire house was reopened on Wednesday night after alterations and improvements. which are very satisfactory. Besides the new Council room ad toilet arrangenents, the walls have been recalsomined and electric lights have been put in. The billiard table, which was resented by the President, will doubtess create additional interest to the

A special meeting of the Borough Council was held on Thursday evening. After adjournment, the sewer question was discussed informally with a number of gentlemen who had endeavored to get signatures for a general sewerage plan, according to the sentiment of the recent public meeting. Very few signatures had been secured, nearly all objecting to putting in sewers except on built up streets. After a full disssion it was deemed advisable to only ask for sewers except where demanded and most needed and another conference will be held next Thursday night when it is desired to have Engineer Haines present.

BOROUGH BUSINESS.

A special meeting of the Borough Council was held on Thursday evening. Messrs. Thomas and Smith were absent. Owing to several gentlemen being present to discuss the sewer plans, the

ion was a short oue. A communication was read from Palmyra Township asking that the wires for their fire alarm system connecting with the pumping station, be allowed to remain on the Riverton poles, until other arrangements could e made, which was granted.

Owing to the continued sickness of Brooklyn, have been visiting his sister | Marshal Faust, his son. Charles, was appointed his deputy until he recovers. Attention having been called to snow being left on the sidewalks, the Mayor read the ordinance governing the same. It was then moved by General James that the Marshal be instructed to report delinquents so that the fine could be enforced, if there were continued violations of the

COMMUNICATED.

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE.

Riverton, N. J., Feb. 3rd, 1898 EDITOR OF THE NEWS .-I would like, though your paper to draw the attention of the public to the following item which appeared in last issue of The New Era: "During all the sloppy and muddy weather we have had recently, the street crossings have not been cleaned for several days and pedestrians have passed dry shod along Main street only to fall into mud and distress at the crossings. Heretoand son, Robert, visited his daughter, fore our worthy superintendent of streets has been very particular in this respect and we hope he will renew his

> Now while the forepart of this item is in port true (the exception being that of passing dry shod along Main street, while it may be true in rainy weather when no effort is required, we can youch that after the recent snow storm that some of the property owners were in no hurry to clean their own pavements), the last sentence is an attempt, whether knowingly or not, to misplace the blame, for it is a well known fact that the arbitrary ruling mittee has made it impossible for the supervisor of the streets to get paid for any work done except when ordered And as stated in the Era-"our worthy superintendent has heretofore been very particular," but that paper should also have added that a great deal of that heretofore work was done gratuitously, without even a thank you from the Highway Committee or the people. Why, for over twelve years Mr. Corner scraped the streets and sidewalks of Riverton while we were a part of Cinnaminson Township and the first year after we became a Borough (much to our sorrow) the council ordered him to LENOX.

COMMUNICATED.

RIVERTON, N. J. MR. EDITOR:-We note already names are being suggested for our Borough Council. We can hardly credit this is by any except some member of Council au-xious to succeed himself or some member of Council anxious to have associated with him some one who will be pliable to his judgement. We have een told by words and acts of the present Council that they care not for the wishes of a majority nor of the wishes of all the people who had the expense to pay for sidewalks. Their judgement was the best, and they would carry out their wishes regardless of the people save their duty to pay whatever expense involved. If that

DELAIR.

This is the last Winter month. Mrs. Samuel Moselev has been in isposed for some time.

Miss Sadie Cochran removed to Philadelphia on Monday. Ice vachting and skating is a feature

of the out-door sports again. Miss Gertie Waters visited Mr. Gail Bennett several days during the week.

Joseph Knight's father suffered a econd stroke of paralysis on Friday

J. A. Witcraft is much interested in the settlement of an estate in far off Holland.

The Delair A. A. are arranging a dance to come off in the hall the latter part of the month. Mr. and Mrs. Gail Bennett enter-

ained the Progressive euchre Party. ast Friday evening. Henry Hollinshed, Jr., is making as official visits as a Grand Officer of

the Royal Academy. Singing School at the school house

s growing in interest under the leadership of Prof. Brown. The Methodist Church supper on

the 17th inst., is looked forward to with considerable interest.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY,
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F.
J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the
City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum
of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and ever case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S

CATARRH CURE. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. FRANK J. CHENEY. A. W. GLEASON

SEAL Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testi-F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. Eyes Were Effected. "My husband was broken out with boils all over his body. He did not obtain any relief until I gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla which affected a cure. My little girl had gatherings in her head, but Hood's Sarsaparilla cured her." MARTHA G. CLARK, Mickleton, N. J.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL.

"The evil which men do lives after them;

There is no institution that is doing more

There is no institution that is doing more towards ameliorating the condition of mankind than the public school. Its doors are open to all, without regard to sex, color, nationality or religion, it sheds its beneficense upon the deserving and undeserving alike, and the child of the prince and the child of pauper equally enjoy its priveleges.

Nothing should be nearer to the hearts of our people than the public school, it should receive their cordial and unanimous support at all times, and they should be ever mindful of the great amount of good which it is accomplishing, and the many blessings which it is constantly extending to the children of people who are too poor to provide an education for their offspring in any other way.

It is remarkable how many people there are, ever ready to find fault with this institution and how readily they will close their cyes to all the good that is accomplished by the school, and open their ears to every idle tale that is circulated against its management.

In a locality like Riverton, it would be unreasonable to suppose that the public school could turn out brilliant scholars. All that In a locality like Riverton, it would be un-reasonable to suppose that the public school could turn out brilliant scholars. All that can be expected of it, with its present facilities, is a common school education, and the orna-mental branches of learning must be acquired elsewhere. The management of the school have wisely determined that it is better to teach a limited number of studies well, than

to teach a large number of branches imperfectly.

Some of our people, when anything goes wrong with their children at school immediately rush into print, and through the medium of the weekly paper will, either by inuendo, (that most unfair method of assailing a person,) or direct accusation, attack the school management in the most unfair and ungenerous manner; now, if their desire is to improve the school, this is a very poor method to adopt, and if their intention is to injure the school, their shortsightedness is apparent, because they cannot injure the school without injuring themselves and everybody else who has children to be educated.

During the nine years of my connection with the Board of Education in Riverton, no complaint has ever been presented to the Board that has not received careful and conscientious consideration.

One of the difficulties which we have to content with is, there are so many persons to teach a large number of branches imper

One of the difficulties which we have to content with is, there are so many persons who know so much more than we do, how to manage a school, they can make better rules, have better methods of discipline, and they know how to select teachers who will please everybody. But, when we compare the ideas of these persons we find that no two of them agree, consequently we are unable to avail ourselves of much valuable knowledge, which otherwise we would gladly welcome.

It is not unusual to hear a mother exclaim that she is well nigh distracted by one disobedient child, and this same mother will not have a particle of sympathy for the teacher who has from thirty to forty children in her charge, with a dozen or more of them idle, negligent, unruly, disobedient, perhaps impudent.

Now mark the different relations;—the

negigent, unruly, disooceaient, pernape impudent.

Now mark the different relations;—the mother can enforce her commands to her children by any form of punishment she chooses to inflict as long as the life or limb of the child is not endangered, but the school teacher is permitted to inflict only the mildest form of punishment, such as detention, demerit mark, extra work, or standing up before the class, no matter what provocation she may have she is not permitted to administer and form of corporeal punishment. Notwithstanding this there are mothers who will privately admit that their children are entirely unmanageable at home, and yet they ely unmanageable at home, and yet they think the teacher should make them angelic in their behaviour at school. The unfairness of this must be apparent even to the casual

should receive our vote who will not pledge he will vote as the majority who have the expense to pay clearly indicate. We may even then be deceived by false promises; but we certainly know that those who did defy the draws that those who did defy the draws that majority cannot can clearly prove to members of Council how many condemned their boss rule. Before the wishes of the majority did not count; let any member who defied public opinion then, learn the lesson that is our Country majorities will rule; and that boss rule is short lived.

Respectfully submitted,

VOTER.

Keping, literature, composition and constitution.

The following are the names of the pupils and the general averages attained; Joseph Murphy 4, William Hetzel 93, Helen Wolton 84, L. Watson 82, Bertha Thomas 81, James Shaffer 81, Leona Ingling 78, A. Ford 77, Maggie Burns 70, James Galligan 67.

These average express, more than can be to show how each of the above average is made up in detail, but one or two instances of study. Joseph Murphy attained an average of 100 in four branches, an average between 90 and 95 in three branches. William Hetzel 93, Helen Wolton 82, Mertha Thomas 81, James Shaffer 81, Leona Ingling 78, A. Ford 77, Maggie Burns 70, James Galligan 67.

These average, express, more than can be to show how each of the above average is made up in detail, but one or two instances of study. Joseph Murphy attained an average between 90 and 100 in six branches, an average between 90 and 100 in five branches. William Hetzel 18 (lose behind him with 100 in three branches, between 82 and 90 in two branches. William Hetzel 18 (lose behind him with 100 in three branches, between 82 and 90 in five branches, between 82 and 90 in four branches. William Hetzel 18 (lose behind him with 100 in three branches, between 82 and 90 in five branches. William Hetzel 18 (lose behind him with 100 in three branches, between 82 and 90 in five branches. William Hetzel 18 (lose 18 and 19 in five branches) and 18 and 18 and 19 in the pupils of this class are

In the "A" class nine pupils were exam-In the "A" class nine pupils were examined in twelve branches and attained averages ranging from 65 to 89, viz: five had averages between 85 and 89, two had averages between 80 and 85, one had an average of 71, and another had an average of 65.

In the Secondary Department taught by Clara E. Stimus, the "A" class, consisting of seventeen pupils, were examined in nine branches of study and attained averages ranging from 59 to 88.

anging from 59 to 88.

"B" class eighteen pupils were examined in nine studies and attained averages rangin nine studies and attained the studies ing from 53 to 85.

In the Intermediate Department, taught by Mary A. Willey, "A" class, eighteen pupils were examined in eight studies, attaining averages ranging from 61 to 87. "B" class twenty-two pupils were examined in seven studies and attained averages ranging from 57

studies and attained averages ranging from 57 to 71.

In the Primary Department taught by Rebecca Thomas "A" class, fourteen pupils were examined in seven studies and attained averages ranging from 54 to 78. "B" class nineteen pupils were examined in seven studies attaining averages ranging from 54 to 77.

In conclusion I have no hesitation in stating that our school was never in a better working condition than it, now is, better results are being obtained, better discipline is being maintained, and fewer-complaints are being received, all of which shows that our p-ople who are interested in the success of our school have reason to be grateful. Let every one have a kind thought for our teachers who are zealously working to promote your interests, who have difficulties to overcome, and annoyances to contend with which but few people realize. Let your Board of Education feel that they have your confidence and support, and let parents manifest more interest in the studies of their children, an hour or two devoted to assisting your child with its lessons will soon show the most gratifying results. Finally let us realize that only by the co-operation of the people with the school management can we hope to bring our system of public instruction to a state of perfection.

Very respectfully,

Albert J. Borie.

Very respectfully, ALBERY J. BORIE, PIRE COMPANY OFFICERS.

The annual meeting of the Riverton Fire Company was held at the fire use on Tuesday evening and the fol lowing were elected : President, John C. S. Davis; Vice President, Charles L. Flanagan; Secretary, William Thomason; Treasurer, Charles A Wright; Board of Directors, O. H Mattis, A. J. Borie, A. J. Briggs, C Colladay Rianhard, E. H. Pancoast Foreman, Louis Corner; Assistant

Foreman, William Mattis. The annual report showed the finances to be in good condition.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the

best cough syrup we have ever used our-selves or in our families. W. H. King, Isaac P. King and many others in this vicinity, have also pronounced it the best.
All we want is for people to try it and
they will be convinced. Upon honor,
there is no better that we have used many kinds.- R. A. BLAKE & Son, Gener Merchants, Big Tunnel, Va. Sold by G. T. Williams, Druggist.

Pure blood is absolutely necessary for periect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true blood purifier, and great

WANAMAKER'S.

ADELPHIA, Monday, Jan. 31, 1898. bruary Fur liture Sale

The annual sale of Bedroom Furniture opens Tuesday, Feb 1st. Short ends and odd pieces have been gleaned from stocks, so that this sale opens with practically new goods throughout.

Our buyers have selected the best goods from the lines of our regular manufacturers and months plans have been forming to make this our best February sale. All our energies have been put forth to make the collections worthy the confidence of spring furnishers. We now have in our warehouses or on the way-

2000 Bedroom Suites. 2500 Metal Beds. 1500 Chiffonniers. 2000 Dressing Bureaus. 600 Toilet Tables. 800 Wardrobes. 150 Styles of Bedroom Chairs and

Rockers. A description of the goods or listng of prices will not be attempted here. Just a few particulars as to price range and styles of leading Equal stocks cannot be found

elsewhere in America, for volume and range of prices. Qualities are up to the Wanamaker standard throughout-the



BEDROOM SUITES-

Are shown in Mahogany, Bird's-eye Maple, Curly Birch, Walnut, Antique Oak - more than 200 styles, in a price-range from \$10, for a well-made, solid oak suite of three pieces, to the very elaborate suites in Mahogany at \$400 and

DRESSING BUREAUS-Or odd Dressers, not in full suites, are to be had in the natural woods, and are also extensively shown in White Enamel. A great variety of styles and sizes, with Mirrors of many shapes. Prices begin at \$5 for a fair-sized oak bureau. and rise by easy steps to \$135. More than 150 styles. THE COURSE OF STUDY IS THE

TOILET TABLES-Are equally varied as to the woods and styles. These are now so popular that manufacturers have vied with each other to produce the best deprices, until we now have over 140 styles, beginning at \$6, for a nicelyfinished oak, the price-range end-ing at \$78, for a fine, rich Mahogany piece in a genuine Colonial design.

CHIFFONNIERS-The "Chest of Drawers" of Colonial periods is now an indispensable piece of furniture for every household. No other piece so well affords a place for every sort of wearing apparel and the various belongings of the dressing room. Prices

have lowered yearly. A Chiffonnier of worthy quality at \$5, oak, with five drawers. All the various woods are represented. and many of the pieces match Bedroom Suites. More than 200 styles are ready; the topmost price, \$100.

WARDROBES-Are ever in demand. No builtin closet can equal the convenience of a commodious Wardrobe. Anyway, whoever saw a house with enough closet room? Many sizes are shown in the seventy styles ready; prices begin at \$7 for a wellbuilt oak one, to the finest, in Mahogany, at \$175.

METAL BEDS-One of the most important items of this February Sale. For several years we have been seeking to improve these goods. Liberal orders to our manufacturers have enabled them to experiment and perfect. Thousands of Iron Beds are sold that are almost worthless. In our lines we have aimed to get the best in every particular. All ornamental work is of a chilled steel construction; the best quality enamel is BAKED ON in three separate coats; the brass tubing and ornaments are of real brass and best lacquer; best quality woven wire springs fastened to the bunk, the bed being in but three pieces with no loose side rails. We have somewhat more than 40 styles, most of which can be had

in four sizes. - Prices, \$3 to \$35. BRASS BEDS-Come under the same careful in-

spection-therefore, equal worthiness. Real brass tubing—NOT IRON LINED—real brass castings for ornaments and vases, highest possible finish and best lacquering. More than 50 styles, prices ranging from \$16 (for a full-sized bed) to \$100, for the finest.

In conclusion, if you have a Furniture want of any sort, we can supply it. We will take your house and furnish it completely, ready to step into; or we will give you equally careful service on the smallest piece you may want.

John Wanamaker.

FLAVELL'S ELASTIC TRUSSES

Six weeks more of cold and disagree-

BOWERS-KAIRNS.-January 26, at Bev-ly, Clarence Bowers and Miss Mamie Kairns, oth of Riverton. MARTIN-MALONE.—January 26, at Bor-lentown, by Rev. D., J. Duggan, William J. dartin and Miss Mary F. Malone, both of

DIED.

CARROLL.—January 26, at Bordentown, Adaline, daughter of Edward and Margret Carroll, aged I year and 5 months.

SUMNER.-January 29, at Moorestown, Alfred W. Sumner, in the 59th year of his age. THARP.—January 20, at l'hiladelphia, Charles J. Tharp, aged 73 years. Interred at Burlington.

Townsend.—January 28, near Jackson ville, Helen Atkinson, daughter of Charle F. and Lizzie L. Townsend, ag d 2 years. VANSCIVER.—January 23, at Palmyra, Jonathan Vansciver, aged 46 years.

NEW LIERSEY PAST AND PRESENT JERJERSEY
1606
TO
NOV. 13
1897

NOV. 13
1897

JERSEY PAST AND PRESENT
Annals 1606—November 1897.
Your home library needs this evclopedia, postpaid \$1, M. C. Spaulding, care JOURNAL, or Box 62,
Columbus, Ohio. Over 1000 curious, quaint, useful paragraphs.
Things new and old. Agents
wanted. Buy one and then get
15 cents for each one you sell. Good
book to give employees, teachers,
scholars, friends.

CHALED PROPOSALS

NOTICE OF MEETING FOR EXAMINATION OF Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the County Board of Examiners of Burlington County, for the examination of candidates for teachers' certificates of the second and third grades at St. Mary's Street School House, Burlington, New Jersey, on the first Fridayland Saturday in February, 4th and 5th), 1898.

Each applicant for a certificate should be present as early as 9 o'clock A. M.

The questions will be given in the following order:

BEVERLY, N. J. A CLASSICAL DAY SCHOOL FOR BOTH SEXES. nder the control of the State Board of Educa

TUITION PAYABLE QUARTERLY IN OVE PURNISHED PRES OF CHARGE

WINTER TERM OPENS Monday, November 22nd, 1897.

For further information apply to James B. Dilks, A. M.

Successor to HEATH'S -RIVERTON AND PALMYRA-

EXPRESS. . O. BOX 32, PALMYRA, N Phila. Office: 3 N. Water Street.

Goods called for and delivered romptly. Me-sages and orders will receive pecial attention.

RESIDENCE: Highland Avenue RIGGS & BROTHER



OPTICAL GOODS. Your Eyes as well as your watch need careful attention. We are in a position to attend to both.

ty. Established 1818.

Burlington county. Must be reliable with wide acquaintance. Write BROWN BROS., CO., Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED AGENTS

DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

DEACON.-January 30, near Mount Holly aphet B. Deacon, in the 58th year of his age

Brown.—January 26, at Mount Holly, William Henry, son of the late Amos and Mary Brown, aged 28 years.

JENKINS.—January 28, at Burlington. Grace Julia, daughter of Arthur T. and the late Laura F. Jenkins, aged 11 months.

THOMAS BROS.

ROARD OF FREEHOLDERS. BEARD OF FREINGLEIN.

The regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, of Burlington County, will be held at the Court House, Mount Holly, on Wednesday, February 9, 1898, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the transaction of business.

J. H. ANTRIM, Clerk.

Priday—Both Grades—Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, geography, grammar, reading, temperance, physiology, theory and practice.

Saturday—Third Grade—I emperance physiology, theory and practice; renewal of third grade—theory and practice, school law of New Jersey; Second grade—Temperance physiology, physiology, theory and practice, school law of New Jersey, history of United States, composition, bookkeeping: renewal of second grade—theory and practice, school law of New Jersey, history of Education.

HERMAN A. STEES.

County Sup't.

Farnum Preparatory School,

SAME AS THE MODEL SCHOOL.

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

JOHN D. STELLMANN,



WARE Eyes tested free of charge. Prescriptions Filled. Repairs a Special-

Plant Keiffer Pears. Write for special prices. Free from scale. State Health Certificate furnished every customer. We have largest stock in U.S., and lowest price. BROWN BROTHERS COMPANY, Continental Nurseries, Rochester, N.

BOTH MEN AND WOMEN. If you are willing to work, we can give you employment with GOOD PAY, and you can work all or part time, and at home or traveling. The work is LIGHT AND EASY. WRITE AT ONCE for terms, etc., to THE HAWKS NURSERY CO... ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Mens Extra Quality White Shirts, laundried 50 cents, Utica Muslin, well made.

Men's Winter Caps at Low Prices. Children's XX Heavy Ribbed Hose, extra wearing quality at 121/2 and 15 cents, equal to 20 and 25 cents. Imported goods. Childrens' and Ladies' Fine Woolen Knit Mit-

tens at low prices. Men's and Ladies' Skates, 45 to 95 cents. Rubbers, Shoes, Boots, Dry Goods, Notions and Trimmings.

JOS. M. ROBERTS.

RIVERTON AND PALMYRA, N. J.

WE ALWAYS BUY THE BEST LEHIGH COAL, ROSEDALE AND PORTLAND

RIVERTON, N. .

CEMENT AND LUMBER That our customers may have the benefit of same.



LOTEROP'S

Photographic Studio, COR. FOURTH AND MAIN STREETS,

RIVERTON, N. J. Having one of the finest skylights in the State, we are now ready to take the very best and most pleasing photographs of every style and finish. Only the very best work, will be allowed to go out from this Studio.

A Word With Voi

PLEASE GIVE US A TRIAL.

It is worth your while to give attention to some reasons THE PRESS is the greatest home newspaper of the United States. Its record of each day's events, in all parts of the world, is more complete than that cf any other paper. It has no space for sensationalism or anything tending to lower

the moral tone. No other Philadelphia paper has equal facilities for obtaining prompt and accurate reports of news events, wherever they may occur. Reporters of THE PRESS are in every section of Philadelphia every day; special correspondents of THE PRESS are stationed at every county seat and important town in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, and at every news centre in the United States and the old world. No other Philadelphia paper equals THE PRESS in its

special departments-the woman's page; the literary page; the market page; the pages devoted to church news, school news, society news, G. A. R. news, sporting news, etc. THE PRESS is an advocate of the principals of the Republi-can party, but it prints the news of all political events more fully than any other paper; hence THE PRESS should be your paper, no matter what your political opinions are, if you wish

to be well informed. In a word THE PHILADELPHIA PRESS prints all the news all the time. Send in your address. Sample copy of The Press will be mailed free. If you are fair-minded you will read it regularly. THE DAILY PRESS is mailed to subscribers for \$6.00 is year (50 cts. a month) payable in advance; THE SUNDAY PRESS, \$2.50 a year; THE DAILY and SUNDAY PRESS, \$6.00 a year; (70 cts. a month); THE WEEKLY PRESS, \$1.00 a year. A liberal commission is allowed to persons who solicit subscriptions or to persons who will place THE PRESS on sale in localities where there are no agents. Address "THE PRESS," Philadelphia.

PUBLIC LEDGER

The PUBLIC LEDGER is first of all a newspaper giving all the news of the day, classified and in com te form. In the LEDGER every statement is veril Outside of its news department (which includes special correspondence from all the important cities towns in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware), the LEDGER is an illustrated family newspa

er of exceptional interest and value, giving special attention to, and having special department Women's Interests, Liturature, Releuce, Public Shools, Beilgious News I Religious Thought, Nunday Nethools, Nociety Events, Farm and Garden,

Births, Marriages and De Financial Affairs, New Jersey J Delaware, Railroad and Marine, The LEDGER'S special New York and Washington correspondence has long since

The Saturday issue is a great compennium of every phase of social life, containing reading matter to tevery taste, compiled especially for the Saturday Edition of the LEDGER. Its treatise of the Intertional Sunday School Lesson is alone worth the price of subscription. Agents wanted; liberal commission paid to subscription agents or news-

dealers placing the LEDGER on sale. Address Circulation Department the LEDGER for terms. WRITE FOR RATES FOR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS. SUBSCRIPTION PRICE AS FOLLOWS: The DAILY LEDGER (Sunday excepted), by mail to any address in the United States or Canada, 50 cents per month; \$6.00 per year. Saturday's LEDGER (weekly), a great home journal, which should be in

very country home, \$1.00 per year. ES-MAKE ALL REMITTARGES PAYALE TO

> GEORGE W. CHILDS DREXEL, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

Subscribe for

::THE WEEKLY NEWS::

SATURDAY, FEB. 5, 1898.

CENT-A-WORD COLUMN. Long or short notices inserted under this head at the rate of one cent a word, each in-sertion, oash in advance.

The entertainment to be given complimentary to True Knight Commandry will be of the highest order add we hope our citizens will aid us in the matters as it is the first one of which we have ever made any charge. Tickets can be procured from the committee and at several stores. Committee; Col. A. H. Troth, Capt. James Forrester, A. G. Appel, W. G. Frank, J. H. Keil.

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

Try our fine grade of teas and fresh roasted clarified mocha and java and perfection cereal; our specialties. Titus, 448 Delaware avenue.

\$5 reward offered for information leading to the conviction of the party who wrote obscene language on the railroad station. J. J. Tomes.

For sale. Very little cash required. House and lot: 805 Morgan avenue, Palmyra, N. J. Lot fifty feet wide. The property formally occupied by Mr. Charles Eastwood. Inquire of Howard Parry or any of the officers of the Chnaminson Building and Loan Association, of Riverton, N. J. 1-5-tf

It not satisfied with the quality of oil you are getting give Arthur Wimer a trial, as his proves satisfactory all the time. All those who contemplate purchasing a vapor gasoline stove should see him as he has the agency for the latest, safest and most improved.

1.29.tf

For Sale-Cow, bone cutter, corn crack-Two rooms to rent for storage. Apply to post office box, 528 Palmyra. 1-29-tt

Go to Saar's for a good shave. Notice.-The annual meeting of the Morgan Cemetery Association, for the election of trustees, will be held at the residence of William F. Morgan, on Wednesday, February 2nd, 1898, at 2 o'clock.

Wm. F. Morgan, Secretary.

State of Maine white potatoes \$1.00 a bushel. Drop postal.

Louis A. Weikman.

Bed and table linen washed and ironed 25 cents dozen, lace curtains, 50 cents pair. Jefferson Laundry, Stanly Field Prop. Box 243 Palmyra. 12-4-tf. 428 Cinnaminson avenue. Heater and

water. Rent \$13. For rent—Houses for \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$12.00 per month. Edw. H. Pancoast, 404 Main street, Riverton.

Shoulder Capes, Fascinators, Caps, Slippers, Mittens, Tam O'Shanters, etc., knit to order also agent for Consolidated flavoring powder, perfumery and sachet powders. 520 Cinnaminson avenue.

Paints in small cans, glass and putty, t Williams' drug store. 10-23-tf. For Rent.-8 room house. Rent \$12. Charles street and Cinnaminson avenue.
h, range and heater. Apply to John
M. Wallace, 835 Cinnaminson avenue.

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

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.

responsibility. While this is his personal feeling in the matter it is a question whether the people want to lose his valuable services.

PALMYRA

Herbert Bramall is sick with grip. Seybert has a big stock of valen-

New vegetable and garden seeds at Robert's.

Willie Wilbraham is now clerking for H. K. Read.

Mrs. J. C. Hires is entertaining

friends from Atlantic City. W. H. Libe has left Read's store and is now working in Phladelphia.

Miss Mary E. Seybert, of Mt. Airy, Pa., is visiting her brother C. H. Sey-

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Truman gave package euchre party on Thursday

The trial of indictments found at the present term of court will begin on Monday.

The E. O. S. Euchre Club had a party at Daniel Clifton's, on Tuesday

We understand Herbert Tomes will re from the grocery business after

Ir. and Mrs. H. J. Seeler spent day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. odore Ely. ere is a company forming in Bur ton to manufacture ice. A large

t will be built. F. Ivins, of Philadelphia, moved one of the Vanotta houses, on

ank Lyster has moved from 4th

Morgan avenue to Mrs Cooper's

There were 373 persons at the Methodist Sunday School last Sunday, the largest number up to date.

C. H. Crowell and Robert M. Gor rell will make a friendly contest for Freeholder before the coming caucus.

Two farmers residing near Jacksonville, have had over three hundred chickens stolen during the past three

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippincott attended the funeral of his aunt Pri-scilla Lippincott, at Moorestown, on

The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Freeholders will be held at the Court House, Mount Holly, on

The hotel licenses of Josiah Wallace and John Meiler were renewed by Judge Gaskill last week for one year.
The is \$150 each.

As a result of donation day at the Children's home, Mount Holly, money and sundry articles were contributed to the value of nearly \$300.

The County Board of Examiners

Rough traveling the milkmen and

If you would avoid slipping during ar icy time throw the weight of your body upon the forepart of your feet

chances will be many to one you will never have appendicitis. The suit against the principals in the recent prize fight which is alleged to have taken place near Rancocas, has been dropped for want of evidence.

The Jeffersonian Club has disbanded

Eat two apples every day and take a swig of olive oil every night, and the

and sold their furniture to the new Palmyra Bicycle Club, which will meet in their old quarters, in Society hall. There will be three eclipses of the moon this year. It has been 200 years

since such a thing has happened, and it will be 200 years before it occurs The Christian Endeavor Society of the Baptist Church had a sun-rise meeting on Wednesday, it being the 17th anniversary of the founding of

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. John Huff, 5th and Horace avenue, next Wednesday afternoon.

St. Agnes Guild, of Christ Church. Palmyra, will on Washington's Birthday in Morgan Hall give a presentation of Fickens' "Cricket on the

Hearth" and other attractions. About 20 separate prayer meetings were held on Monday night at the homes of various members of the Methodist Church. The revival services continue with unabated interes.

Louis A. Page, station agent at West Palmyra, has been granted a divorce from his wife, Effie Page, by the New Jersey Court of Chancery Gilbert and Atkinson represented Mr

The Grand jury room on the second floor of the Court House, Mount Holly, has been fitted up as an office for County School Superintendant Stees and the walls are decorated with specmen of the school children's work.

A petition is being circulated throughout the county requesting Sen-ator Howard E. Packer to introduce and secure, if possible, the passage of a bill abolishing State Prison labor in this State where it interferes and conflicts with our own manufactures and the honest laboring man.

County Superintendant Stees has in-vited all the school boards of the county to meet him at the Court House, Mount Holly, at 10 30 A. M., Saturlay, February 19, for the purpose of discussing school matters. State Sup-erintendant Baxter has promised to be resent and deliver an address.

R. L. Temple, the present chairman of the Township Committee has expressed himself as opposed to re-elecion. He has given four years of faithful service to the town and now thinks some else should shoulder the responsibility. While this is his per-

The worst thing that can befall a boy is to have the privilege of staying out late at night. This is too often a atal privilege because it is mostly during the night that all mischief is planned and executed. The boys who are permitted the freedom of the public treets late at night are the boys who fill the work houses and bring sorrow

pon relatives and friends. Wednesday, February 2, was Candlemas, or ground hog day. According to superstition as old as creation, if emerging from his hole on that day he ground hog sees his shadow in the sun's rays, he turns and goes back, for six weeks of cold and rough weather are yet to come. If on the other hand, the day be cloudy and no shadow is cast by his body, he remains out.

Candidates for local offices are geting thick. There are mentioned Charles S. Atkinson and Thomas J. Prickett, for Township Committee; F. Blackburn, S. Howard Troth and E. M. Satterthwait, for Assessor; W. B. Strong, George W. Hall and Dr. Voorhis for Collector, and Robert M. Gorrell, Joseph Wallace and C. H. Crowell, for Freeholder. The more

Mrs. William T. Slecum, who had an operation at the Hahneman hospital, Philadelphia, two weeks ago, died early on Wednesday morning, not having been able to leave the hospital. Her death is greatly regretted by her many friends here. The funeral will be held this Saturday, at one o'clock, P.M., at 151 East Chelter avenue, Germantown, Interment in Mount

Peace Cemetery. Many a good item of news is lost to he newspapers by the modesty of people who hesitate to tell a reporter of matters concerning themselves. Not that they do not want it to appear in print, but they are afraid they would be pushing themselves forward. That is wrong. From a reporterial stand-point the man who will stop a newspaper reporter on the street and inform im of what transpired in his vicinity, that he is going to get married, or that his wife entertained friends from a dis-tance, is the best man on earth. May his likes increase throughout the

The report of the Board of Manazers of the Burlington County Hospital has been issued and contains intersting figures as follows : since January 1, 1897, just 100 persons have been treated and 80 have called to have injuries dressed, etc. Of the 100 cared for 77 were discharged cured, seven went away improved and there were Hicks, the weather prophet, has been three deaths. During the year one of the Board of Managers, Mrs. Francis there will be a late, cold spring, and a Ashhurst, wife of the founder of the institution, died. The report of the secretary shows that at times the work of the institution has been considerably. handicapped for want of finances. During the year several cases of typhoid fever have been successfully treated and a number of surgical operations have been performed upon patients with good results, the death rate being very small. The Board of Managers tender their sincere thanks to the many friends of the institution teachers' certificates will sit at St. who have contributed in any way to Mary street school house, Burlington, the comfort the patients and to the

RATE OF SPEED OF BIRDS.

lately. No doubt every man gets down-hearted when be discovers that his expenditures are exceeding his is going to mend matters by twisting a rope around his neck, jumping into the river or locking himself in a close room with the gas turned on. Business may be slack here ,but the suicide will find

it red hot at the place where he is going-too lively, in fact to be com-fortable. No, no; this very old world is a sad enough hole to live in, when your money is all gone and you have no friends, but it is far preferrable to the bake oven to which the Scriptures assign the wicked. Better remain where you are, even if you haven't a dolls; keep sober, strive for the best and live for better days. After all, bad luck only goes in cycles, and every man finds, if he manfully strives to succeed, success is sure to crown his efforts. It is only a question of nerve and pluck. Suicide is not heroism. It is absolute cowardice.

The tollowing applications for new roads in Burlington county have been approved and are awaiting the signaroads in Burlington county have been approved and are awaiting the signature of Road Commissioner Henry I. Budd; Pemberton to Wrightstown, Medford to Indian Mills, Medford to Tabernacle, Masonville to Moorestown, Masonville to Medford road, Moorestown to Marlton, Rancocas to Beverly. Pemberton to Brown's Mills, Medford to the shore, a distance of thirty miles; Jacksonville to Columbus, Burlington to Columbus, Columbus to Bowne's Corner, Columbus to Jobstown pike, Burlington to London bridge, Farnsworth avenue, Bordentown; small road from Marlton road across to Church road, and petitions are out for several other roads, one of which is from Mount Holly to Burlington. The State Road Improvement Association will ask the Legislature for an increase in the appropriation from \$100,000 to \$300,000. If applications from other counties keep coming in at the present rate, says Mr. Budd, the appropriation will only allow about five miles to be built in each county this It will be a mothers' meeting, led by propriation will only allow about five year. The demand is so great for new roads that the State could use \$1,000,-000 a year for this purpose.

COMMUNICATED.

POLITICAL POINTERS. Well we are still here, notwithstand-

ng the threats made on the ferry boat. The Czar's name should be changed to the red hot orator of the Delaware." This orator should remember that the Observer is no puny consumptive (and that his biceps measure eighteen nches) before he offers to wager that he can make the .Observer play the nusical instrument mentioned. Prosperty is here sure when bets of fitty to one are offered about such small

The fixers are still setting up their candidates and the candidates are still

declining. Who next? The power of money is great, but where did the fifty come from—that's the question? the ratio is about fourteen and one third to one. If we don't have the one do we have the fourteen and a third? Echo answers, "nit."

Is the slate "cracked" or does the pencil scratch? the Ria'to. OBSERVER.

WALTON--REAZOR.

On Thursday afternoon, January 27, in Tioga, by the Rev. W.S. Ber-tolet, Miss Edith, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reazor, of Palmyra, and Mr. T. B. Walton, of Tioga,

were united in marriage.

The bridesmaid was Miss Gertrude Walten and the maid of honor Miss Ruth Walton, both sisters of the groom and the best man was Mr. Edgar Reaor, brother of the bride.

The ushers on the occasion were lessrs. H. Weaver, J. A Faunce, B. Blundt and George Walton. After the ceremony the happy cou-

Leconey avenue, where a reception was given followed by a fine collation. Among those present were: Rev. W. S. Bertoleb and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Refund and daughter, Miss S. Kenble, Harry Otter and lady, B. S. Stevens, the Misses Walton, A. Fischer, J. A. Faunce and lady, Mrs. Ben-Beyerlein, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Walton, Edgar Reazor and lady, Mr. and Mrs.

W. S. Reazor. Mr. and Mrs. Walton left on the 0.45 train for their future home in Tioga with hest regards and good wishes from all present.

NEW BIOYOLE OLUB.

The Palmyra Bicycle Club was aunched upon the town last Saturday evening. About forty persons attended the meeting in Society Hall, and twenty-eight joined the new organization, which was temporarily organized by electing Frederick Blackburn Presdent; A. H. Troth, Treasurer; F. S. Day, Secretary. The membership fee was fixed at \$1 for gentlemen and fifty cents for ladies, and twenty-five cents per month dues. Another meeting will be held this Saturday night at the same place.

EUOHRE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wattson, of Morgan avenue, entertained the E O. euchre party last Saturday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McCurdy, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Miller, Mrs. Humphreys, Mr. George Young, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Faunce, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Atkinson, Mr., and Mrs. George Shaner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fraley. The prizes were won by Mrs. Shaner and Mr. Faunce.

P. O. S. of A.

Camp No. 23 is now an incorporated body, the necessary papers, etc., were turned over to the trustees on

Monday evening. The members selected so far, for the debate on February 21st, are as fol-lows: Affirmative: Brothers Crowell, Wimer, and Holbrook; Negative: Brothers Hofner, Strong, and Slater, On the whole we think this a good selection and will prove interesting.

Initiation next Monday evening

The presence of a flock of wild ducks al

The presence of a flock of wild ducks always attracts the attention of our "pot hunter sports" who are ever ready to greet them with a leaden reception.

The rapidity with which these feathered visitors assemble and leave their | haunts has often been observed by deep thinking persons and when on the wing the rate of their locomotion is the cause of much discussion.

A writer who evidently has been much interested in this matter, writes thus:

"There has been some difference in the conclusions of observers as to the relative height above the earth, and more especially as to the relative velocity of movement, in the semi-annual flight, north or south, of some of our migratory birds. Judging from all that has been observed, it seems probable that the velocity of some of these far travelers has been exaggerated. Careful measurements by means of the cloud theodolites u-ed by the observers at the meteorological station at Blue Hill, in Milton, a few miles south of Boston, have shown that the observed flocks of northward going wild geese in the Spring, were at an elevation of 900 feet above the sea level, and that the velocity of flight was 44.3 miles an hour. This also is about the height at which a flock of wild ducks flew, and their velocity was 47.8 miles an hour. These velocities are nowhere near the speed with which wild ducks have been said to fly at a rate exceeding 100 miles an hour. That ducks do, at times, exceed the rate noted by the Blue Hill observers seems very probable, but it is by no means certain that they ever fly at such a velocity as 100.8 miles an hour, as some observers have asserted.

Just what velocity would be requisite, in a

Did you ever think how disastrous would be if all the great men of one generation should develop a despotic tendency to one persuit, occupation or profession? If for a single half century there should be a dead level of capacity in every line of action and achievement except one, how civilization that make civilization possible. In reference to labor, the law of demand and supply determines how many men shall be miners, farmers, ironworkers, factory hands, shoemakers, carpenters, and blacksmiths. This law, however, does not account for the great philosophers, the poets, the educators, the disoverers the reformers and constructive thinkers of an age or a generation.
They are born; not made by circumstances. A crisis may excite or inspire a hero to action, but Providence must first create one. It is to be hoped that the world wil not soon run out of such indispensible raw material of genius

and heroism.

BEVERLY. day, commencing at six o'clock in the Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bott, Harry

Blow, and Miss Alice Lay attended a progressive euchre party on Saturday vening in Camder Mrs. Joseph Ballor, of Cooper street is spending a few days visiting her daughters, at West Chester, where

they are attending school. n the Beverly M. E. Church have been kept in quite late, on Wednesday evening it was 11.30 before church

Professor James B. Dilks, of the Farnum School, has moved into the lwelling on Warren street purchased few months since from Mr. Castner.

For thirty long successive years J. R. Praul, of Edgewater Park, has taithfully executed the duties of Reccording Secretary of Beverly Lodge, No. 95, I O. O. F.

William Harvey, of the river bank, has announced himself as a candidate for Council on the Republican ticket jamin Braker and daughter, Miss B. at the Spring election. If elected he will make a good councilman.

The sleighing the past week has heen much enjoyed by the owners of fast horses in this city and those who were not so fortunate as to own a rig stood by and enjoyed the racing.

now of Philadelphia, was looking around among his old friends here one day the past week. Mr. Jones resided on Second street when a citizen of this Mrs. W. A. Cortright entertained the members of the Beverly Reading Club on Wednesday afternoon at her

home, on Warren street. A number were present and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. A repast was served during the social The tuneral of Clara, wife of George Elmes, of Third street, took place on Sunday afternoon from the residence of her husband and was largely attended by relatives and sorrowing

friends. The interment was made in

Monument cemetery. Mr. F. C. Helbig, a prominent druggist of Lynchburg, Va., says: "One of our citizens was cured of rheumatism of two years standing, by one bottle of Chamber-lain's Pain Balm. This liniment is famous for its cures of rheumatism; thousands have been delighted with the prompt relief which it affords. For sale by G. T. Williams, Druggist.

NEW MUSIC-LIBERAL OFFER

To introduce our new monthly publi-To introduce our new monthly publication, American Popular Music, we make the following liberal offer: Send us the names of three or more performers on the piano or organ, and fifteen cents in money or postage, and we will mail you sixteen pages of the latest popular songs, two steps, etc., full sheet music arranged for piano or organ, and American Popular Music for three months.

ADDRESS POPULAR MUSIC CO., Indianapolis, Ind. 500 TONS

Old Lehigh Coal at City Prices. Still selling 2240 pounds. Do not miss this opportunity before coal goes higher.

W. R. S. FLUCK.

WASHINGTON LETTER

The President and the leaders of the

Jan. 31st. 1898

several parties in Congress are just now engaged in playing the old and fascinating game of politics. The silver men have been making their plays with the object of making the Congres sional campaign a square fight between silver and gold, and for a time the administration appeared to be willing to aid them in bringing that result about. But there has been a change, and now the administration has made plain it's purpose of sticking to the International Bimetallism Plank of the St. Louis platform, at the same time declaring its intention to maintain the present gold standard until international bimetal. lism is secured. Of course, the silver men say that this is merely an attempt to befuddle the issue. The Senate. which is controlled by silver men, fired its first broadside when it adopted the Teller resolution. It was first intended that this resolution should be quietly smothered in the House, but upon consideration, the republican leaders decid-ed that as an offset to the action of the Senate, the resolution must be defeated by a vote of the House, and that action was taken today. The silver republi-can Senators have decided that the country must have some explanation of their support of the Teller resolution, and they will be given through speeches on the floor of the Senate. So a fresh flood of financial oratory may be ex-pected, as it is not likely that the other ide will allow the talking to be mono-

polized by the explainers. The Cuban situation in Congress was eased for the time to a marked extent by the sending of that warship to Havana, but the advocates of actio are getting restless again under the numerous reports that the warship was merely a trick to gain further time, and they may start some sort of move-

ment any day.

There is a disposition on the part of considerable number of Senators who strongly favor some positive action on the part of this government in behalf of Hawaii until the administration has made a plainer showing of its Cuban policy. Nothing positive has been agreed upon, but it is significant that the Senators who are agitating the matter are in political accord with President McKinley and in favor of the annexation of Hawaii, but are im-patient at the slowness with which the administration's Cuban policy is developing, and anxoius to hurry it up a-little. An intimation of their feelings have been given the President. The An all day Pentecostal meeting will have been given the President. The Senate has so often shown its sympathy 105 W. Broad St., Palmyra, N, J for Cuba that there is little doubt of he success of a motion to postpone in lefinitely the consideration of the Hawaiian treaty, if it were made in

connection with a statement that it was done to help Cuba President Dole, of Hawaii has now been in Washington nearly a week, the guest of the Nation. On every side he is praised for the discreet manner in which he is conducting himself, as well as for his modest and unassum ing ways. Although he is naturally of the Senators who call upon him; contenting himself with giving full information in reply to questions asked him. He shows wisdom, for the least bit of officiousuess on his part in behalf of annexation would be exploited by the anti's as offensive meddlesomeness

The moral cowardice displayed by some Senators in the votes upon the several amendments to the Teller resolution, declaring bonds to be payable in silver at the option of the government, which was adopted by a majority of fifteen, was not calculated to increase the esteem felt for them by their constituents. Although to vote against the Teller resolution was in effect to endorse the present policy of paying onds in gold, there were only twentyfour Senators willing to go on record as voting for the Lodge substitute, which specifically stated that all bonds should be paid in gold or its equiva-The Knights of the Golden Eagle, of Burlington, Florence and Palmyra will hold a district meeting in the meeting room of Herald Castle, No. 17, on Thursday evening, February 17th.

I Took a former resident, Canarassional Record, containing the lent, while thirty-two voted against the The Knights of the Golden Eagle, Teller resolution. Can anybody blame votes in detail on the Teller resolution and the amendments offered thereto is likely to to be carefully studied in more than one state, and to make

rouble for more than one Senator. The House has passed a bill appropriating \$288,000 for the relief of the Book Publishing Company of the Southern Methodist Church. This clain, which arose from losses by the Company, incidental to the war, has been before Congress in one or another shape for twenty odd years. The hill passed by the House was a substitute for a Senate bill, which authorized the claimants to bring suit for the money in the Court of Claims, and will, therefore, go back to the Senate.

THEY DO THE WORK Remedies Relieve and Cure

Head Troubles Stomach Disorders System Irregularities "For every ill, a special pill." If not at Drug Stores, write BROWN CHEMICAL CO., YOUKERS, M. Y. Health Book Mailed Free.

OYSTERS, CLAMS AND FISH

CHAS, SMITH. 115 W. BROAD ST ..

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

PALMYRA, N. J. VALENTINES! C. H. SEYBERT. 5 West Broad Street PALMYRA.

CAN BE HAD ANY TIME AT MILK DEPOT. LECONEY AVE., ABOVE FOURTH ST., where a Fresh supply is always

> P. S .- My wagon runs twice a day as usual.
>
> MRS. JOHN SCHROEPFER.

PURE MILK & CREAM

HARNESS

kept on hand.

Collars, Hames, Saddles, Robes, Horse Clothing and Stable Goods, at Philadel-phia Prices.

BLANKETS ROBES & BREAST SHIELDS

Howard B. Neff.

PALATE PLEASING

That is our Business. deeply interested in seeing the annexation treaty ratified, he asks no questions P. MUELLER

BAKER. BROAD ST., BELOW LECONEY AVE.

N. B .- Parties and Weddings served at

ELMER SHANE,

Movings to and from the City promptly at-PRICES REASONABLE. Care in hauling goods a specialty

Residence—Horace Avenue near Fourth

CARL A. PETERSON, of 223 Horace Av., takes pleasure in announcing to

his friends and the public in general that he is now in the

Merchant Tailoring Business at the S. W. Cor. 11th and

Sansom Streets, Phila., where he carries a full line of seasonable goods at most reasonable prices.

PETERSON & CO., TAILORS.

S. W. COR. 11th AND SANSOM STS.,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

NOTICE. We hold a meeting every Thursday even-ing, at 8 o'clock, for the promotion of Scrip-tural Holiness and the Salvation of Souls. To which we kindly invite people of all de-

CARL A. PETERSON, Mrs. H. D. PETERSON, 223 Horace Avenue. CHARLES S. VOORHIS,

DENTIST. Morgan Avenue and Fourth Street,

YOUR TIME WILL BE WASTED

If you go to Philadelphia for DRESSMAKER'S TRIMMINGS, HOSIERY, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS or BRIC-A-BRAC when you can buy them of us at Philadelphia Prices.

TROTH & CO., Broad St., opp. Station, Palmyra. Agents for Dr. D. Jayne & Sons' Family Medicines.

EXTRA QUALITY FLINTY HEAD RICE, 71 cents a pound. pounds 50 cents. Many stores sell no better at 9 cents a pound. Choicest quality N. Orleans Molasses, 15 cents a quart 50 cents a gallon Best Vanilla Flavored Syrup, 10 cents a quart 35 cents a gallon. Good N. Y. State Canned Corn, 71 cents, 85 cents a dozen. 71 " 85 " "

Extra Quality " 10 and 12 cents a can. " Corn, 10 and I2 cents a can.

" Tomatoes, 10 and 12 cents a can. Best Brands of Fiour, Feed of all kinds, Oils and Paints, Wooden, Tin,

Agate and Crockery Ware. JOS. M. ROBERTS.

Family Grocer and General Merchandise,

RIVERTON, N. J.

THE BEST

PALMYRA, N. I.

MEATS OF ALL KINDS PALMYRA MARKET

WALTON & BIRD.

C. W. JOYCE.

GENERAL MASONS AND CONTRACTORS. Jobbing a Specialty.

Shop on Cinnaminson Avenue adjoining Williams' Drug Store. P. O. Address, Box 331 Palmyra, N. J.

W. L. BERRY,

WATCHMAKER AND IEWELER

22 South Second Street, PHILADELPHIA, PA. Repairing a Specialty.

MILK FOR PURE MILK AND CREAM

717 MORGAN AVENUE. Where milk can be had at any time except Sunday, but delivered daily. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.

J. FRANK CLARK

GET YOUR COAL

FROM THE PEOPLE'S

COAL & ICE CO.,

PALMYRA, N. J. Prices for Ice 1897, are as follows: 8 POUNDS DAILY, 5 CENTS OF 35 CENTS PER WEEK. 13 "

40 to 100 Pounds, at rate of Forty Cents per hundred. Also hauling of all kinds. Particular care and attention given to movings. Prices moderate.

HENRY KERSWILL, Prop.

GEO. ATACK,

Contractor for Landscape Gardening, Grading, Digging Cellars, and Cesspools, Cutting Grass, Keeping Lawns in Order, Laying drains etc., or work by the day.

PRICES REASONABLE.

Residence, Corner Fifth and Cinnaminson Ave., Palmyra.

FOR ALL THE LOCAL NEWS READ

THE WEEKLY NEWS

Pure

rich, healthy blood, the stomach and di gestive organs will be vigorous, and there will be no dyspepsia. Rheumatism and Neuralgia will be unknown. Scrofula and Salt Rheum will disappear, With pure

Blood

Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood. That is why it cures so many diseases. That is why so many thousands take it to cure disease, retain good health, prevent sickness and suffering. Remember

Hood's

Sarsaparilla Is the One True Blood Parifier. \$1 per bottle Hood's Pills take, easy to operate, 250

Total by heat. 13 GET THE GENUINE.
FOR SALE BY DEALERS GENERALLY. 197

TRUSKES. ELASTIC STOCKINGS, BANDAGES, ETC.

• 859-1. B. SEELEY-1894.

PILES OR HEMORRHOIDS CURED BY PAINLESS METHODS

flesponsible persons need not pay until they are well. Send for paraphlet containi—testimonials and references of people you—are acquainted

R. REED, M. D.,

Peirce School

32nd Year.

Ph. D. Couples systematic busi-ness training with a practical, tion. It offers three full courses— Business, Shorthand and Type-writing, English; the whole con-stituting an ideal combination.

h------



The Pathlight

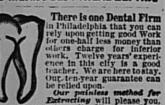
THE PLACE & TERRY MFG. CO., 247 Centre St., New York,

Where You're Blind You'll See

what a mistake you made in not taking care of your eyes when you had them. If they pain you, call on me; I will examine then



C. A. LONGSTRETH. 228 Market St. PHILADELPHIA



ALBA DENTISTS.

Offices:—1006 MARKET STREET,

1128 CHESTNUT STREET,

117 NORTH EIGHTH ST.,

1918 DIAMOND STREET, 2508 KENSINGTON AVE., PHILADELPHIA, PENNA.

FLAVELL'S ELASTIC TRUSSES 1005 SPRING GARDEN ST., PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Plant Keiffer Pears.

Write for special prices. Free from scale. State Health Certificate furnished every customer. We have largest stock in U. S., and lowest price. BROWN BROTHERS COMPANY, Continental Nurseries, Rochester, N. WANTED-Local representative for Burlington county. Must be reliable with wide acquaintance. Write BROWN BROS., CO., Rochester, N. Y. THAT FAMILY CLOSET.

And the Various Kinds of Skelctons That Every family has its skeleton. We know that, of course, anatomical speci-mens, neatly put together and stored away in a secure cupboard, of which only family members have the key-a skeleton key, probably. Only when the family is alone, with no visitors about, does it go to the door cautiously and unlock it and bring the bony occupant forth. The family knows its own skeleton, but outsiders are supposed to be in total ignorance of its existence, and if they are wiser than people think them— and of course they always are—it is only

a point of politeness to pretend to be Of how many kinds are family skeletons? The Joneses possessed an uncle who died insane. You can't go near the Jones cupboard, or, in other words, even hint at the subject of hereditary insanity in their presence, without the skeleton audibly knocking its bones together and all the Joneses turning pale. You can't mention Turkish bonds to the Browns without their jaws suddenly falling; you can't think why. And when

ject of conversation at the Robinsons

table you observe with wonder that all

the family grow uncomfortable and writhe in their chairs. You haven't the faintest notion why, but the skeleton who was perfectly sane upon every point on earth but one, and on that he vas the opposite. He could talk about politics, science, art, Shakespeare and the musical glasses, but if by any

en and there. Dueling was the skeleton in his cup and the reason was one that car not be enlarged upon here. On one day in every year he shut himself up in his use and was not seen by mortal eye. That was the one day when his skele on came out and stalked about.

chance the conversation touched on dueling he went straight off his head

Many people have what seems to the general public a harmless enough skeleton, but it is real and ghastly to themselves. It is of humble origin. It is surprising the pains people will take to conceal that their gra lfathers were poor, but honest, the lies they will tell (which only proves that the grandpar-ent's qualities have not descended in the direct line) and the meannesses they will indulge in, in the pitiable effort to nide the fact that two generations ago they kept a small greengrocer's shop or wore plush and powder. After all, the longer the line the more certain it is to

by the sweat of their face. If all the world were not descended from the same "grand old gardener," there might be more common sense in trying to forget honest toil.—English

IN LONDON'S SLUMS.

An artist who is well known in a orthern city used occasionally to put on his shabbiest clothes and penetrate to the slums in search of inspiration for his brush. On one of these excursions he stopped to watch the efforts of a ragged urchin who was disfiguring the pavement of a squalid street with a the figures which the lad drew were grotesque, the artist was struck with heir originality and began to take an

interest in their development.
"That's right, my boy! Make your Champion! What! You don't know how to sketch that old man's head? Then give me the chalk. I'll show you.' artist was on his knees, and with the piece of stone had quickly drawn a clever picture. Before he could commence another sketch, however, he felt a stunning blow on the head, and a hrill female voice cried:

"Take yer bloomin hook, ye great, good for nought hulk! What d'ye mean by messin up t'flags 'at I've just washed? 'Tain't no wonder 'at t' kids do it when a senseless old idiot like yerself sets 'em t'example. Be off, or I'll scour 'pavement wi' yer ugly carcass.' The artist hurriedly dodged another boot, sprang to his feet, and, without waiting to argue the matter, sneaked ignominiously off. He vows that he will mind his own business when next he goes slumming.—London Telegraph.

What a tremendous force is struggling to tear a boiler to atoms! Take, for example, a horizontal tubular boiler of ordinary proportions, 60 inches in diby 16 feet long, containing eighty-three 1 inch tubes. Such a boiler has a surface area of 40,716 square

Suppose this boiler is operated with a working pressure of 100 pounds per square inch, which is not at all uncomnon. The boiler therefore sustains a total pressure of 4,071,600 pounds, or

more than 2,085 tons.

Do we realize what this means? The boiler has resting upon it the equivalent of a column of granite 10 feet square and 254.5 feet high, or, to put it another way, the boiler is holding up the equivalent weight of 22,371 persons, each

weighing 182 pounds.

The best authorities agree that the ordinary draft horse, working eight hours a day, exerts an average force during that time of 120 pounds.

Now, this force acting to disrupt the poiler longitudinally is 226, 200 pounds,

so that to produce an equivalent stress it would be necessary to hitch up to the nds of the boiler two teams of 1,885 horses altogether. - Strand Magazine.

Helen-I wonder why Kate doesn't nind her own business. Mattie-She hasn't any. Helen-Business

Mattie-No; mind.-Chicago News. The Paris prefecture of police has a rooden horse, harnessed, and all candidates for the position of cabman must show that they know how to harness and unharness him and pass an examination in whatever other tests the pre-

fect may propose. Significant. A drawing master who had been worrying a pupil with contemptuous re-marks about his deficiency of skill in he use of the pencil ended by saying:

"If you were to draw me, for example, tell me what part you would draw The pupil, with a significant meaning in his eye, looked up to his teacher's face and quietly said:

"Your neck, sir."-Pick Me Up. cold by being allowed to stand first in a room heated with dry heat to 120 de-

grees and then in cold storage, being gulated after each treatment. In Garrick's time when the was warm the men in the pit took off

THE APES MUTINIED.

ON A VOYAGE FROM AFRICA THEY CAPTURED THE SHIP.

Drove All the Crew Excepting the Captain Into the Rigging-The Exception Was Fatal to Their Plans, if They Had Any -A Useful Bunch of Bananas.

"I have had some strange crews in my experience," said old Captain Benson, "but the funniest kind of a ship's company that I ever sailed with wa one of big African apes, and it happened in this way:
"It was during that period of th

lifetime of the great showman P. T. Barnum, when he had his museum on lower Broadway in New York city, that my vessel was chartered by him to go out to Africa and to bring back a cargo of wild animals that his agents in that country had collected. We had three big and two baby elephants in the old, also a rhinoceros and a giraffe, while in wooden houses on deck we carried several zebras, a number of antelope and deer, also ten huge apes as large as men and looking in the face exactly like the cartoons of the Emer-ald Isle natives found in the humorous papers. The apes were very intelligent and were capable of being taught many

"On our voyage home I had occasion and men against teasing these creatures, telling them that they were known to possess a good memory and were re-vengeful and would surely make it a point to get even with their tormentors at the first opportunity, but as the heavy wooden bars divided them from the hairy faces that scowled at their funmaking they felt safe enough to give no heed to my warnings. The mates and sailors took good care, however, to pass at a safe distance from the

amusing tricks.

cage in going about their work, for on two or three occasions the alert occupants had been known to suddenly hrust forth a long muscular arm and grip the unwary seaman in such a sav-age way as to elicit a howl of pain on Jack's part. I could go among them without the slightest fear and several imes entered their cage for the purpose of caring for a sickly little baby ape that had been born just after leaving Africa, and for which the ocean voyage subsequently proved too heroic, as i died before we reached New York. "One morning the crew were all

was blowing strong and the ship had been obliged to reduce her spread of canvas. I had taken the wheel, and the two mates were going from mast to mast helping the work along by hauling upon the gear as it was required. The apes had been fed a short time before, and it must have been that I have carelessly fastened the bar that secured the cage door, for while I was looking aloft I heard a startled yell from my two officers, and the next moment they were climbing up the rigging like monkeys themselves, while the crowd of apes came leaping aft in pursuit of

"Then the funniest scene that I ever witnessed was presented. Six of the apes took stations at the foot of the shrouds, so that each mast was guarded on both sides, and the other four mount ed the shrouds with all the agility of sailors and sought to reach the men. The apes followed the men as they mounted higher and higher to escape then, when the latter could climb no farther, they would grasp a stay that led to some place of temporary safety lines clear and never mind the details. and slide down it, sometimes going For nearly an hour this impromptu exhibition continued, and during all this time the sentries on deck hopped about in excitement, uttering guttural yelps, which I have no doubt were cries of enouragement and advice to their friends

> "At last the big monkeys gave up the chase and came down on deck, where they joined the others, and all sat on their haunches, gazing up at the crew, occasionally showing their rows of wicked looking teeth, as much as to say: 'All right, my fine fellows. You stay where you are if you know what's good for your health.

"I had been thinking out a plan to recover possession of my ship, and now put it in execution. Apes are very fond bananas, and in my room I had a fine bunch that had been green when placed on board, but which had ripened perfectly since that time. It gave me omething of a heart spasm to part with them, but I considered that if the scheme worked the sacrifice would not be a great one. So I lashed the wheel to keep the ship steady, then brought the fruit from below, carried it forward in full view of the apes and placed it within their cage, standing beside the door and carelessly eating a banana that I had broken from the bunch.

"The apes crowded inside and fell to work on those bananas as though it was an eating match, with a prize for the one that consumed the greatest number in a given time. I slammed the door to and fastened it upon my mutineers, and you may be assured that for the remainder of that voyage the security of that gate was carefully looked after."— Harper's Round Table.

"The deaf and dumb-wonder is awfully ill tempered today," twittered the albino, by way of opening the conver-"What for?" inquired the dog faced

no, "wrote on his slate that his photograph was a speaking likeness. Mad? Say!"—New York Post.

The tower of Babel at Babylon was composed of eight square towers, one upon the other, the pile being 660 feet high. Babylon was a square, 15 miles in each side, the walls being 87 feet hick and 870 feet high.

An ancient custom has been revived n some Euglish rural districts. Clergymen, in surplices and attended by a thoir, made a tour in procession of the ornfields and farmyards, where prayers were offered up for a blessing on the young crops.

An old ruin has been uncovered on the Moqui reservation in Arisona and nearly 200 pieces of perfect pottery

Biliousness

NOTHING MORE

Place me beneath the apple trees
In pleasant summer weather,
Where repliyers come and wild bees hum
And phinxes bloom together.

Give me my favorite book to read.

My Tonnyson or Browning.

A whist of the far Indian lost
The summer's fragrance crowning My children's voices let me hear That on the lawn are playing And joining in the merry sport The bounding collie baying.

Let me behold the blue above, Fair ships on dreamy seas. No more I ask of kindly fate. But only joys like these.

T. P. Johnston in Chambers' Journal.

A WATCH IS A WONDER.

Some Things About It That Are Not Ger Open your watch and look at the lit tle wheels, springs and screws, each an indispensable part of the whole won-derful machine. Notice the busy little balance wheel as it flies to and fro unceasingly, day and night, year in and year out. This wonderful little machine s the result of hundreds of years of

The watch carried by the average man is composed of 98 pieces, and its manufacture embraces more than 2,000 distinct and separate operations. Some of the smallest screws are so minut that the unaided eyes cannot distinguish them from steel filings or specks of dirt. Under a powerful magnifying glass a perfect screw is revealed. The slit in he head is 2-100 of an inch wide. It takes 808,000 of these screws to weigh

pound and a pound is worth \$1,585. The hairspring is a strip of the fines steel, about 91/4 inches long, 1-100 inch wide, 27-10,000 inch thick. It is coiled p in spiral form and finely tempered. The process of tempering these springs was long held as a secret by the few fortunate ones possessing it, and even now is not generally known. Their manufacture requires great skill and care. The strip is gauged to 20-100 of an inch, but no measuring instrument has as yet been devised capable of fine enough gauging to determine beforehand by the ize of the strip what the strength of the finished spring will be. A 20-1,000 part of an inch difference in the thick ess of the strip makes a difference in the running of a watch of about six

ished and placed in watches is enormous in proportion to the material from which they are made. A comparison will give a good idea. A ton of steel made up into hairsprings when in watches is worth more than 1216 times the value of the same weight gold. Hairspring wire weighs 1-20 of a grain to the inch. One mile of wire

reighs less than half a pound. The balance gives five vibrations every econd, 800 every minute, 18,000 every nour, 432,000 every day and 157,680, 000 every year. At each vibration i rotates about 11/4 times, which makes 197, 100,000 revolutions every year. Take, for illustration, a locomotive with 6 foot driving wheels. Let its wheels e run until they have given the same does in one year, and they will have covered a distance equal to 28 complete

All this a watch does without othe attention than winding once every 24 ours -Jewelers' Review.

83,500 Job and No Tears to Shed. John P. Green, an Ohio politician of some note, not long ago was appointed to a fairly good place in one of the departments at Washington. At home Green is a criminal lawyer and is ed it and we sent him another n known by his success in influencing the tion and made sure that it reaches feelings of the jury. He weeps natural tears at the right time, rends his hair and does other things which successful lawyers do. His department position pays \$2,500 a year. Green told his Ohio friends that he earned as much at home from his practice. They thought he ought to have had something better. "Of course I ought," said Green, "and hope to get something better, but let me tell you this, the \$2,500 I get now comes a good deal easier than the \$2.500 I earned at home. I tell you, this thing of shedding tears and tearing your hair before a jury is no easy busin will wear any man out. If I had to keep at it much longer, it would surely break down my constitution. You don't know what it means to me to get that \$2,500 without tears. Between \$2,500 with tears as a practicing member of the bar and \$2,500 without tears in the employ of the government I choose the latter every time." — Augusta (Ga.)

Mr. Anthony Hope once coached undergraduates. From the age of 15 he practically supported himself by his cholarships and exhibitions. In regard to his call to the bar Mr. Hope told an interviewer that his first "case" was at Aylesbury, where the judge commissioned him to defend some ruffians who were indicted for a murderous assault on a policeman. "They were all con-victed," he says cheerfully, "and very

Richard Davey, in his book, "The Sultan and His Subjects," says:
"As to the sultan himself, his life is of the simplest and most arduous. He rises at 6 and works with his secretaries until noon, when he breakfasts. After that he takes a drive or a row on

the lake, within his vast park. When he returns, he gives audience to the grand vizier, the sheik-ul-islam, and other officials. At 8 o'clock he dines. sometimes alone, not infrequently in company with one of the embassadora locasionally his majesty entertains the wives and daughters of the embassadors and other Pera notabilities at dinner. The meal, usually a very silent one, is served in gorgeous style, a la Francaise. on the finest of plate and the most exquisite of porcelain. The treasures of silver and the Sevres at Yildiz are hors de ligne, both in quantity and quality. Very often in the evening Abdul Hamid plays duets on the piane with his younger children. He is very fond of light music, and his favorite score is that of 'La Fille de Mme. Angot.' He dresses like an ordinary European genleman, always wearing a frock coat, the breast of which, on great occasions,

is richly embroidered and bluzing with Expensive Modesty.

"What's the matter, old man? You "I am. I just asked Farnsworth to lend me \$5. "And I suppose he said he didn't have that much in the world." "No. He had to get a \$10 bill change ed in order to let me have what I had

asked for."-Oleveland Leader.

Office Boy-Dere's a gent outside office Boy—Dere's a gent outside wot wants t'see youse on urgent business. Says dat he's frum Phillydelphy.

Editor—Well, say to him that he need have no alarm. Lee has surrendered, peace is restored and confidence regained. But break it to him gently.—

New York Journal. SKELETONS IN CLUBS.

THE QUEER PERFORMANCES OF THE TWO BLANKS OF NEW YORK.

ratery of the Man Who Stole Food a Historical Name Who Took to Wearing 014 Clothes and Was Dropped.

A decently dressed man, with a shambling gait and a shifty eye, walked down Broad street one afternoon last week and attracted the attention of a broker who vas standing in his office window. The broker watched the man closely until the fellow had disappeared around the corner into Wall street. He had called a isitor's attention to the man. "Have you ever seen that fellow be

"His face is familiar, and I am sure

that I have seen him somewhere, but I an't place him. Who is he?" "John Blank," said the broker, menioning a family name that was well known. "I am a member of three good olubs." continued the broker, naming hree that one would naturally place at he head of the list of New York clubs and in the course of a long experience with the management of them I have seen some curious club skeletons. They are unpleasant. Blank was a skeleton in the -- club until we finally got rid of him, and to this day none of the men who knew the facts about his expulsion has ever had any explanation of them.

ncerned, Blank is eligible to any club in this city, and we always understood that he had a good income. It was about five years ago, when I was a member of the house committee, that my attention was first called to Blank. A member of the club came to me one day and said: 'See here. I've got a disagreeable luty to perform. You know that rereshments are served at every regular meeting of the club, and I have noticed r several months back that John Blank as stowed away a lot of things in his

ockets on every such occasion.'
"'Why, that is absurd,' I replied, and I suspect that he has been drinking too much. You know that these monthy lunches are free to the members.' 'That was the view that I took of

t the first time that I noticed it,' he replied, 'but I watched this man at the last meeting very closely. He was not intoxicated. He ate his lunch, and then I saw him wrap up a piece of chicken, some lobster salad and a brick of ice ream in separate packages, put them ander his overcoat and leave the club. It's an amazing proceeding, and I think hat it is high time that something was

'This man's complaint interested me and I investigated it. Some of the club waiters told me that Blank had occaionally taken articles of small value rom the club, and that he always caried away a package after a free supper. There seemed to be no reasonable ex-planation for his little steals. He was nd is a lawyer in good practice, and, consulted with some of the oth ouse committeemen, and we decided to look out for Blank at the next supper. He turned up promptly, and, sure enough, we saw him stealthily make up package from the lunch table and alk out with it. There was nothing

left for us to do but to ask for an ex "Charges were preferred against him and a formal notification was sent to him. Blank paid no attention to it. We thought that he might not have receivtion and made sure that it reached him. Blank ignored it, and then we dropped him for conduct unbecoming a gen man. Blank never came near the club house after his first notification, and so far as I know he has never given an indication of resenting our action in drop-ping him. Now what do you suppose was the explanation of his thefts? I never have been able to find one that was satisfactory. It has been asserted that despite his large income he is naturally a very miserly fellow, but that is merely gossip. I meet him occasionally, and he is always affable. It was a disagreeable affair, and to this day an inexplicable one." A man who had listened attentively

to the broker's story said:
"I can equal that with an experience in my own club. The man in question has recently died and it is only charitable to say that he was probably insane for several years before he died. He was Arthur Blank"-mentioning a historical name. "About three years ago this man began to wear very shabby clothes. He had always been very careful in his dress, and this change was surprising. He came to the club and sat around, ooking like a tramp. His linen was ragged, and even the waiters looked skance at his clothes. I knew that he had money, but it was not a pleasant ask to suggest to him that he should get some new clothes. He was an old pachelor, and he had rooms in an expensive bachelor apartment house. His condition was a disgrace to the club and as a last resort half a dozen of his old friends got up a purse of \$100 and went to his tailor and ordered a new suit of clothes for him. They told the tailor that it was in payment of a wager. When the suit was made, they packed it in a box with a new hat, hoes, collars, shirts and two scarfs and

sent it to Blank. A letter was inclosed which read: "DEAR BLANK-By express I send you the outfit that I lost by my last election wager. "The signature was such that no one could read it. There was some speculation as to how Blank would t hint. Two days later he turned up at the club in his new clothes, and when he was congratulated on them he said they were the result of an election wager. The new clothes were too much for him, however. He got drunk on the strength of them and staid drunk at the club for the next two weeks, when he was dropped from membership."—New York Sun.

Scott's Narrow Escape. The world had a narrow escape of never having known a Sir Walter Scott When a tiny babe, he was left in charge of a maid, but the girl's heart was in Edinburgh, whither she wanted to go to rejoin her lover. She was, however, compelled to stay and look after the infant at Sandy Knowe. The girl re-garded her charge as an obstacle to be removed, and afterward confessed that he carried young Scott up to the Craigs (under a strong temptation of the devil, as she expressed it), fully intending to out his throat with her scissors and bury him under the moss.

"Sim Wilkison has two mighty smart boys," remarked Mrs. Corntossel. "One of 'em hes gone to town an learnt to paint. They say he puts a lot of atmos-phere in his work." "Mandy, ain't you thinkin about the other boy?"

"His brother?" "Yes. The one that learnt to play DONKEY, DOG AND GOAT.

The Three Great Sights of a Tra "The three oddest things that I saw outside of New York," said a New

Yorker who had gone overland to Denver and returned by water by way of Galveston, "were a donkey, a dog and a goat. The donkey was the motive ower of the single bobtail car that goes up the hill on South Broadway, Denver. He was an amusing fellow After I made my first trip up that steep hill I was astonished to see the con-ductor unhitch the donkey and put him board the car. The dashboard was fitted up as a sort of stall, and he stood nck down the hill under its own impetus. The donkey's face took on a deighted expression as he found himself eemed to be grinn

and the passengers. ter the Taber Opera House in Denver. The dog was called Bill, and he was part of the outfit of a cigar store in the opera house building. He was a black spaniel. He was rigged up in Zouave rousers and jacket trimmed with gold braid, had a tasseled fez on his head and spectacles on his nose. The oddest thing about him was that he sat on his unches, with his paws in the air, actually snoking a cigarette like a con-firmed cigarette fiend. I found that he ad been trained to smoke the cigarettes while the audience was going into the theater as an advertisement of his owner's business. That was the first time

I had ever seen a dog smoking.
"I made the acquaintance of the goat
in a tobacco factory in Key West. There were 200 Cubau girls there, nearly all of them pretty and all of them smokers or chewers of tobacco. The goat was their particular pet. He was the biggest goat I ever saw, almost as large as a Sletland pony, with big branching horns, and perfectly tame. He playfully butted the girls or pranced around among them. His best trick, however, was the larceny of their dinner baskets. He used to go nosing around until he found a particularly choice luncheon. He would knock over the basket, seize the lunch, and dash outdoors with it. No amount of chastisement had ever broken him of the trick. Of course I but the donkey and the dog and the goat were by long odds the most interesting living things that I encountered.

A Clever Lawyer An old lawyer in Paris had instruct ed a very young client of his to weep every time he struck the desk with his nd. Unfortunately the barrister forgot and struck the desk at the wrong noment. The client fell to sobbing and

crying.
"What is the matter with you?" asked the presiding judge. "Well, he told me to cry as often as

e struck the table." Here was a nice predicament, but he astute lawyer was equal to the ocmission. Addressing the jury, he said:
"Well, gentlemen, let me ask you now you can reconcile the idea of crime implicity. I await your verdict with he most perfect confidence."-Ex-

A GREAT PROBLEM.

change.

The Missing Link Between Inorganie and Organic Life. One great life problem remains which The origin of species, genera, orders and classes of beings through endless but what of the first term of this long series? Whence came that primordial make up the existing faunas and floras of the globe?

There was a time, soon after the doctrine of evolution gained a hearing. when the answer to that question seen ed to some scientists of authority to have been given by experiment. Recurring to a former belief and repeating some earlier experiments, the director Rouen, M. F. A. Pouchet, reached the conclusion that organic beings are spon-taneously generated about us constantly in the familiar processes of putrefaction, which were known to be due to the agency of microscopic bacteria. But in 1862 Louis Pasteur proved that this seeming spontaneous generation is in reality due to the existence of germs in the air. Notwithstanding the conclusiveness of these experiments, the claims of Pouchet were revived in England ten years later by Professor Bastian, but then the experiments of John Tyn-dall, fully corroborating the results of Pasteur, gave a final quietus to the claim of "spontaneous generation" as hitherto formulated.

There for the moment the matter rests. But the end is not yet. Fauna and flora are here, and, thanks to Lanarck and Wallace and Darwin, their development, through the operation of those "secondary causes" call laws of nature, has been proximally explained. The lowest forms of life have been linked with the highest in unbroken chains of descent. Meantime. through the efforts of chemists and biologists, the gap between the inorganic and the organic worlds, which once seemed almost infinite, has been constantly narrowed. Already philosophy inductive science, which builds its own bridges, has not yet spanned the chasm. small though it appear. Until it shall have done so the bridge of organic evolution is not quite complete, yet even as it stands today it is the most stupenous scientific structure of our century -Henry Smith Williams, M D., in Harper's Magazine.

The fact that the greater resistance is offered to the X rays by inanimate than by living flesh is now put to practical use in determining whether a person is really dead or not.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent de ire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfils every wish in relieving the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that un pleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realised. It stands the highest for its wonderul cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Solo by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention the Ngws and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this offer.

Had Better Consider It.

It is well known, and sorrowfully admitted, by all intelligent persons, of candor, that the social and moral 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

outchery and suicide, of which Coroner's juries say that "there was no apparent cause," "no reason could be found," and kindred verdicts, are puzziling the minds of very many em moralists of the present day

Undoubtedly one reason for this that many pulpiteers and moralists study and preach more often upon "Olympic Games," "Base Ball," "The Bicycle," "Military Schools" "Politics." etc., than upon the subjects of "Angels," (good and bad) and the "Devil"-chief in the Bible. They are directly and I use it as such, indirectly mentioned 1,582 times! MESSIAH'S H

a wonderful compendium of facts aphe subject of angels-both good and , be informed; insomuch that the are justified in the premises otherwise unlearned may escape the calamities often consequent upon ignor-ance of Human and Demon Magnet-

Human Magnetism, or Mesmerism. ow scientifically called "Hypnotism," s a mental or psycological force which often is, and always can be a stepping-stone to Demon Magnetism, which is, imply, real "Spiritual Phenomena This fact is not now generally known!

chings of the Bible withstand all criticisms, and, also, that ALL of their nemies 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 vorst enemies; and that they may, if they will, have eternal life as well as this day of probation.

It would interest more than a milion 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 Saviour have any title to immortality. The paid. To ministers and teachers \$1.00. contrary view is the foundation on

which Spiritualism rests. The experience, close study and obervations of the author for more than hirty 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 re-REVIEW of REVIEWS; "He [the author] considers Spiritua or] considers Spiritualism to be a pernicious force in modern society, hosile to all religious and le defends this
view by Biblical argument and by an
array of documentary evidence which
shows a great expenditure of energy."
REV. H. L. HASTINGS, editor of the
Christian, "Mr. Dadmun'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 refer-

he book is a valuable work of reference, if not for study, by those intersted in the questions the author has striven to answer."

OUR HOPE AND LIFE IN CHRIST :-It is a valuable book for all English reading families, and, also, for preach-

ers, lectures, and debaters against Sp

MESSIAH'S ADVOCATE:-"The book will well repay the trouble to peruse it, in furnishing them with overwhelming evidence against the false claims of

CAMDEN POST:-"The greatest ques tions pertaining to Man, here and here-after, are discussed with brevity, compre-hensiveness and—if pointed evidences from many sources are considered— with considerable ability; thus making it worthy of study by any student of uman, superhuman, or Divine forces. the evil as well as the good."

REV. MILES GRANT, the well-known writer, lecturer and debater :- "It is a work for the times. It is comprehen sive, abounding in important facts just such as are needed to form a correct conclusion as to the merit of Spir-

REV. G. F. HAINES, Salem, Mass (good and bad) and the "Devil"—chief of the evil ones—which are among the every word in your book. It is a valuamost important subjects treated upon | ble work, especially for reference, and

MESSIAH'S HERALD :- "This work The book, "Spiritualism Examined is intended to explain the mystery of and Refuted," which is admitted to be Spiritualism. We have no doubt that the position by the author that it is a pertaining to the great system of "Spirit-ual Philosophy," does so treat upon is correct. As to the character of the supernatural element in its workings, vil—that their origin, nature, charac- | we endorse the conclusions he reaches, ter and office are readily understood that the agencies at work are the a a practical way, even by the com- Devil and his angels. There is no mon people. Hence, to read the work carefully, is to be forearmed, which is

REVIEW and HERALD Battle Creek Mich. :- "The author occupies the true position in regard to con morality, and hence holds the only true vantage ground from which the claims of Spiritualism can be successfully re-

The author shows that Spiritualism is not a humbug, as so many claim, and are thereby thrown off their guard; that it is not religion; that its claims are talse; that its phenomena are beyoud human power, and that its teachings are destructive to morality, and

DR. A. F. RANDALL, Port Huron, Mich.;—"I can conscientiously say it is a grand book—ought to be read by everybody; then philosophers would no longer go about like Diogenes with a

antern in bread daylight." The News has already said that ant subjects of our time, and that this book treats it exhaustively, and refutes it completely. This work has been se-lected by the Mendota College as "spec-ially adapted to the Bible Training

This is a regular \$1.50 book but to more quickly spread its usefulness this edition has been reduced to \$1.25 post-Address C. F. SLEEPER. Palmyra, N. J.

THE MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

The mystery of Clairvoyance, Spiritualism and the Bible accounts of soothsayers and persons possessed with devils, and kindred phenomena, have long puzzled many candid

minds.
"Spiritualism Examined and Refuted,"
Elder John H. Dadmun, is one of the most
important works of our time; it treats the
System exhaustively and "refutes" it com-

for reference.

It has received highest commendation.
The only book that disproves the claims of Modern Spiritualism.

468 pp., 8 vo., large type, on fine white paper, excellent postrait of the author, bound in cloth, with stamps and edges of gold. Price \$1.25, post-paid. To ministers and teachers, \$1.00.

Address C. F. SLEEPER, Palmyra, N. J.

GUS. MOHRMAN. PRACTICAL BOOT

AND SHOEMAKER

CUSTOM WORK A SPECIALTY. REPAIRING.

P. O. BOX 866.

520 LECONEY AVENUE.

Open Until 10 P. :

PALMYRA.

411 LECONEY AVENUE PALMY

J. W. SHADE, Contractor Builder.

DLANS, specifications and estimates furnished. All work strictly first-class in every particular. Jobbing promptly attended to at reasonable rates.

Best of reference furnished,

A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited. J. W. SHADE.

FOR ALL THE LOCAL NEWS KEAD

THE WEEKLY NEWS.

THE WEEKLY NEWS.

C. F. SLEEPER, Editor and Proprietor.

A BRIEF CHRONICLE OF CURRENT EVENTS.

PRICE, THREE UENTS

Vol. XIV.—No. 15.

PALMYRA, N. J., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1898.

\$1.00 per annum in advance

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

ALL KINDS OF BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

S. E. COR, BROAD AND MAIN STS., RIVERTON, N. J.

Repairing a specialty.

BIOREN & CO., BANKERS,

No. 136 South Third Street,

Stocks and Bonds Bought and Sold on Commission. CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO INQUIRIES IN RE-LATION TO INVESTMENTS.

For Bordentown, 6.31, 7.39, 8.49, 1.56, a, m 12.25, 2.55, 4.00, 4.50, 5.22, 5.51, 6.25, 7.57, 9.7 p, m., and 12.11 night, week days, 9.47 a, m 1.51, 6.4 and 10.28 p m., Sundays, For Hightstown, Jamesburg, South Amboy, 1.30 a, m., and 4.00 p, m., week days, For tickets and further information apply to Agent at the station.

Leave Paimyra as follows: Trenton, Newark and New York, 6.39, 49, 10.56 a. m., 12.29 2.55, 4.00, 4.59, 5.33, 7.57, week-days; 9.47 a. .n. 1.59, 6.14 p. m

ss. liverside, Delanco, Beverly, Edgewater and Burlington, 6.79, 7.39, 8.49, 1158-1229, 212, 255, 4.00, 459, 5.21, 5.41, 5, 7.01, 7.57, 9. 9, p. m., and 12.11 night, ays, 9.47 a, m., 1.59, 6.14, and 10.28 p. m.,

BUSINESS CARDS.

George Gilbert, Clarence 7, Atkinson GILBERT & ATKINSON

COUNSELLORS - AT - LAW

Practice in all the Higher Courts.

325 Federal Street,

D. H. WRIGHT,

OFFICE, 1429 CHESTNUT ST. PHILADELPHIA.

Houses for Sale or Rent. Building Lots for Sale. Rents collected.

Henry Hollinshed, Jr., ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

AND SOLICITOR 205 Market Street, CAMDEN, N. J.



C. A. LONGSTRETH. SPECIALIST IN EYE TESTING. 228 Market St. Philadelphia.

TARIFF OF ANNUAL WATER RATES OF THE

Riverton and Palmyra Water Co.

PRIVATE HOUSES. No consumer will be charged a less amount than they are not hydrant under any circumstancef, they are not hydrant in both yard and kitchen, they are the are they are the are they are the are they are they are they are they are they are they are the are they are the are the are they are they are they are they in, tap,

A screw nozzle or other device to attacy hose on drants is not permitted except by special arrange-All other kinds, special rates urinals,

each, Stationary wash-basins, each, tubs, each, Pavement tap (so be used as pave wash or sprinkling or both not exceeding 3 hours in any day, Lar so feet or under) Each additional foot, 20 to 100 feet, 8 cents oot or 100 to 200 feet, 4 cents per foot.

THE BURLINGTON CO. SAFE DEPOSIT & TRUST CO.,

MOORESTOWN, N. J.

Authorized by law to act as Executor, Ad ministrator, Guadian, Trustee, Assignee Receiver, Agent, etc., and executes Trusts of every description; receives desposits of money payable by chec and allows three per cent. interest thereon. OFFICERS.

WILLIAM M. PAUL, President. DAVID D. GRISCOM, Vice President. WILLIAM W. STOKES, Treas. and Sec'y. William M. Paul, N. Newlin Stokes, M. D., Alfred H. Burr, Henry Doughten, John C. Hopkins, Joint S. Lingwett

Josish Lippincott, Mordecai Hunt, Chas. Ewau Merritt, Mount Holly, Isaac Fenimore, Howard Parry, Isaac W. Stoes, Albert Hansell, Daaid D. Grisco Daaid D. Griscon William J. Iric, William R. Lipp David Masters, Clayton Conrow, For the conven

BICYCLES TO HIRE.

No special permit is required to ride a wheel. Call on us at any time you may need one. We will fit you out with either a new or second-hand one. Our stock comprises all the latess makes.

James H. Bowers, Agt.,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Transact a General Banking Business,

JOSEPH BISHOP, CONTRACTOR and BUILDER,

Of Frame, Brick or Stone, Dwellings and Business Houses. Only the very best materials and lowest prices charged consistent with First-Class and Reliable Workmanship.

Numerous building plans may be seen at my office. If desired, Specifications, and estimates will be furnished at short notice. Call or Address,

JOSEPH BISHOP. FOURTH ST., AND GARFIELD AVE.,

HOWARD PARRY, C. E.

RIVERTON AND PALMYRA.

Surveyor, Conveyancer, Notary Public, Commissioner of Deeds.

ATTORNEY -- AT--LAW, Deeds, Mortgages, Wills and Legal Documents carefully drawn and her red lips and turning faced him.

He looked at her with a puzzled excollected, houses for sale and to rent 6 per cent. mortgages for sale. Fire, life and Accident Insurance. Reliable companies and lowest rates

JOHN C. BELTON, UNDERTAKER.

(Formerly with the late Samuel Jones), MOORESTOWN, N. J.

Branch Offices

Riverside, Riverton,

520 Cinnaminson Ave., Palmyra,

Eighteen years experience in Philadelphia.

Telephone No. 7.



ESTABLISHED 1838. Fruit and Shade Trees, Evergreens and Ornamentals, Nut Bearing Trees

In great variety. Flowering shrubbery, climbing vines, hardy oranges, Eleagnus, Longipes, Buffalo Berries, Rock, Mountain Atleberries, and many other valuable novelties. Small Fruit Plants Grape Vines, Etc., Etc., Etc. Illustrated Descriptive Catalogue Free.

ian Walnut Kaghazi.

Wm. PARRY, Parry, N. J.



of Messrs. Srtawbridge & Clothier's, where it is served free of charge. It is packed, ground, pulverised and whole beam, in one pound non-metalic-boxes and is for sale in Riverton and Palmyra, and by all the leading he had. Still, if she wasn't so con-Philadelphia grocers. 38c a pound.

HENRY A. FRY & CO.,

ROASTERS AND PACKERS, The above Coffee used and recommended by Mrs. S. T. Rorer, Phila.

131 MARKET ST., PHILADELPHIA.

For Sale by J. M. Roberts, Chas. Lloyd and H. K. Read



lights the way and stays lighted. All brass, nickel-plated—no tin; outside oil-filler; cotton packed oil fount; double convex ground photolens; burns kerosene, throws a light 60 ft. and reighs but 12 ounces. Three years a leader, and three years'

mprovements now added. Absolutely the Isomest and best blcycle lamp ever made.

Sold by all leading dealers.
THE PLACE & TERRY MFG. CO., 247 Centre Street, New York. See our new, cheaper lamp-the "Scorcher."

Subscribe for—

.: THE WEEKLY NEWS.:.

A BIT OF LIFE.

A maiden sat within the door And sang as many times before. A man to daily toil passed by, No love nor pleasure lit his eye; But when he heard the merry song, He whistled as he went along.

A woman by the window wept For one who in the church-yard slept, But when on her hearing fell That tune she knew and loved so well, The flood of burning tears was stayed, And soon a song her lips essayed. Her neighbor heard the tender strain And softly joined the sweet refrain. Thus, all day long, that one song bore Its joyousness from door to door. —Ladies' Home Journ

NOT UNUSUAL.

"Are you going out to-night, Phil?"

suppose?"
"A wise supposition, that. Yes, I shall be rather late. What do you want to know for?"

Phil Greville glanced across the dinner table at his young wife somewhat curiously, and she meeting his gaze, shrugged her shoulders without answer-

ing his question.
"You needn't sit up for me," her insband remarked carelessly. "Thank you. I suppose I can please

"You generally do that, and you know well enough that I never lay down any special laws for you." She looked at him, with a little smile prying her lips.

"And were you to do so, do you think would obey them?" she asked. "My dear child, I have never given he subject a thought."

"But do you?" she persisted.
"Don't bother!" "How very like a man to avoid anwering a question by saying 'don't other!" " she returned laughing. "And how exceedingly like a woman

o plague one with senseless questions!"
You called me a child just now," his wife remarked, rising from her chair and reaching across the table for a pack of cigarettes
"May I ask what you are going to do

now?" Greville asked. "You may ask. certainly, but I can please myself about answering," she said and proceeded to light a cigarette with her back turned toward him.

pression in his eyes. "Since when have you learned that very charming accomplishment?" he

inquired sarcastically.

She drew her pretty brows together

perplexedly.

"I'm really sorry I can't tell you, but I've forgotten how long ago it is."

He gave a short laugh and watched her as she daintily flicked the ashes off round her mouth.

or snining eyes to ins.

"Let me have a good look at you, Phil," she said, tilting her head slightly to one side, and regarding his fair, handsome face with a smile lurking round her mouth. her cigarette, and he wondered why it did not anger him to see her smoke, since usually he abhorred to see a woman do so.

It struck him also that had she done the same thing a few months before it would have called down upon her head night choose to do. It mattered to "You don't object to my smoking, Phil?" his wife inquired, watching his face keenly. "It can't really matter

much what I do-at least to you." "What a sensible remark! "The truth is often that." She threw the cigarette into the fire and turned and looked at his handsome face half

"What a pity it is we ever got mar-ried!" she cried, with a little break in her voice. "What an awful, awful

pity!" Then she ran quickly out of the room in an exceedingly undignified Phil Greville looked rather astonish

"I wonder if she meant it?" he soli

"She said it as though she did. And how jolly pretty she looked smoking that cigarette! I wonder why she did it? If she thought it would annoy me she was mistaken. All the same, I hate to see any woman smoke—it's vulgar and low, though I'm hanged if she didn't make the thing look downright well. I bet Jim Taunton would think foundedly soft hearted she wouldn't be half bad, and she's uncommonly pretty at times. Jim Taunton told me he thought she looked ill, but, he's so far gone that's there's no accounting for what he does or says. Poor devil! It must be rather hard lines being in love with another man's wife-not that it matters much nowadays, for it seems a lashionable complaint." Here his reflections ceased, and he arose and left the room.

If the room.

If the list is a constant the room is a constant to the room is a constant. If the list is a constant to the room is a constant to the room is a constant. If the list is a constant to the room is a constant to the room is a constant to the room. The sound of his wife's voice singing

an old fashioned song, reached him ne crossed the hall, and he paused for a few seconds at the drawing room door tally compared the pure, high bred He hard v knew what prompted him

enter the room, but when the slen der, white gowned figure at the piano fire, looking down at the glowing em-bers, and his wife's face flushed with leasure as she came toward him.

Phil Greville spellbound and fascinated horribly still-and with a groan of him as no woman's love inces had agony he remembered that her mother power to do. He looked at her now had died of heart disease. with even pulse and cool critical eyes and rather wondered why he had been so mad about her. After all she was his warm ones, calling to her in wild not any better looking than dozens of other women, he argued, and yet how Jim Taunton raved about her! But the softly parted lips did not answer, though a smile seemed to hover

then Jim was in love with her, and he — well, he was not. * * *

A complacent smile stole over his fringed eyelids did not quiver at his face as he pondered thus, for nearest how utterly and wholly she worshipped him and was absolutely sure of her faithfulness, but not once did the faithfulness, but not once did the living and the dead.—Queen. face as he pondered thus, for he knew thought strike him of his cruel neglect, which was killing her by inches. Pro-bably had it struck him he would have put the thought away as being too trivi

al for his smart, up to date mind.

He did not notice that as she encountered his gaze all the gladness died out of her face, and he knew not that the careless indifference she saw in it entered into her soul with intolerable

"I am not going to bore you with my company for long,' he said, leaning against the mantelpiece. in the north west about the 10th and You know you don't love me, Phil.

and southward by the 11th. Why don't you tell the truth and say you don't intend being bored by me?" she answered quickly.

"One doesn't always like to say what one thinks," he replied, shrugging bis "I do bore you, then?" she asked. "You bore me when you ask such a stupid lot of questions."

His wife's lips trembled and quiver-"Do you know what people are sav-ing?" she went on slowly. "I hear it wherever I go, though, of course, I'm not supposed to. Shall I tell you what

"All right, I'll tell you then. It's and repent your marriage from the bottom of your heart. For once people tell the truth. Don't they?" She pushed her hair back from her forehead with a weary little gesture,

laugh.
"Yes, for once people have hit the mark nearly in the right place," he said, with an angry flush. "Have you

and her husband burst into a boisterous

one whisper to-day that it was quite a common occurrence—not at all unus-

She laughed softly and raised a pair of shining eyes to his.
"Let me have a good look at you.

round her mouth.
"What a good looking boy you are!" she whispered, "even when you are an-

Greville made her a mocking bow, but she only smiled that strange little smile again and stood on tiptoe and placed her small hands on his great, his wrathful indignation, but now he felt totally indifferent as to what she said. "I know you are longing to go, might choose to do. It mattered to him less than nothing, since he was utterly and indescribably tired of her. "You don't chiest to my speking oh, Phil, I'm awfully sorry I smoked." She raised her pale little face to his, but with a muttered growl be pushed

her roughly away from him.
"No, I'm banged it I will kiss you after your remarks," he cried scoffingly and strode out of the room with quick, any strides, banging the door behind him with considerable gusto.

Though Phil Greville's conscient was a very minute one, it gave him little rest that evening, and as he wender his way homeward a few hours later he had the good grace to feel rather ashamed of himself.

"What a brute she must think me!" he muttered as he let himself into the house, and indeed, to do him justice, he

thought himself one also.
"It's a pity she's so tender hearted," he continued, hanging up his coat, "be-cause I'm really awfully fond of her, though I was too had tempered to tell her so when she told me what people were saying." He crossed the hall and noticed a streak of light shining underneath the drawing room door, and, somewhat surprised, he turned the handle and entered the room. He paused on the threshold, and an exclamation broke from his lips, for on one of the lounges lay his wife, apparently in a

"Good heavens! What brings her mured and walked across the room softly and stood looking down at her with a new and unaccountable tender-ness stirring within his heart. How fair she seemed to him in her childish white gown, with one arm thrown lightons-bow fair and fragile!

Her beauty struck him more forcibly than it had ever before, and he mentally compared the pure, high bred face, which looked unnaturally pale in the dim light, with the coarse, painted and berouged faces he had seen at the music hall that night.

A great wave of recret awent over

A great wave of regret swept over his soul with overwhelming force. It seemed to strike him how terribly he had neglected her, how cruelly he had It was something new for him to join her after dinner, and her heart gave a glad leap, and hope seemed born within and pressed a reverent kiss on her as, for instance, a dog does. It shun As she crossed the long room, with the soft, subdued light of candles shining on her fair face and dusky hair, she made a picture beautiful enough to gladden any man's heart, but the time had gone by when her beauty had held had gone hy when her beauty had held had gone her heart. It was quite still—deadly, had for instance, a dog does. It shuns company when feeding and when given its food ambles off to the darkest nook to consume it, returning to the door to renew its vigilance.—Strand Magazine.

Advertise in the News.

HARD WORK.

We are living at a time when their a prejudice against hard work. Sometimes it seems as though many work very hard to keep from working hard. When boys seek a situation, they want good pay and little work. If a girl seeks a situation, she wants to know if the work is light and the pay

He fell on his knees beside her silent

form and took her little cold hands in

FEBRUARY WEATHER.

We do not take the position that all should seek for the hardest place, but we do think many would make a bet-ter success in life if they did not shrink from hard work. The saying, "It is better to wear out than to rust out" is as true to-day as in the past. There are more people that break down through improper living than by hard work. While excessive toil breaks About Monday, Tuesday and Weddown the physical powers, good solid work adds much to the making of a

nesday, the 7th to 9th, the temperature will rise, the barometer will fall nan or woman. and rain and snow storms will advance The most powerful men or women from western to eastern parts of the of our day are those that have been country. High winds from the north will follow these storms, amounting to a cold wave in most parts, beginning accustomed to hard work. Their hard labor on the farm or in the work-hop was an education that they could not get within the best college walls. spreading over the country eastward In a few years the need of such men will be felt very much if the rising A period of unsettled weather will generation continues in the way it is set in about the 12th to 13th, extendtending to-day. A diploma is a good thing; but it is much better to have ing through the 15th to the 16th, and into the Vulcan period central on the the strong muscle and valuable ex-18th. The moon is at period and experience that one gets in the hard reme south declination on the 15th work and planning to make ends meet

and 16th. The perturbation of earth's that are experienced in depending on manual labor for a livelihood. Vernal equinox begins annually about the middle of February. By this Let not our young men and women time the advance of the season from despise the farm. There are a thou-sand things one learns on a well reguthe southern hemisphere begins to effect atmospheric and electrical conditions lated farm that will be found very north of the equator, inaugurating the serviceable in any vocation in life that one may afterward follow.— Whittier. war between the warm currents from

the south and the boreal winds from the north. This is the cause of so HE EXPRESSED HIS OPINION. much unsettled, dissagreeable weather at this time. Precipitation in the One of the most prominent physiforms of rain, snow and sleet are alcians in Washington owns a tarm somewhere in New England, and most continuous, so that the limits of the regular storm periods are often hard to define. The temperature is whenever he gets unbearably tired of his fashionable patients in town he also an uncertain quantity, each secgoes there, puts on his oldest clothes,

tion, especially southward, being now dominated by warm, equatorial currents, and within a few days or hours by cold winds from the polar regions.

The atmospheric tide which will be drawn southward by the moon's position on or about the 15th and 16th, is lays in a stock of corn-coh pipes and rusticates. One day last summer he was jogging lazily along a country road in a rickety old cart drawn by a horse almost as rickety. A country-man walking on the same road asked for a lift and the two fell into conver-"Excuse my smoking before you've finished your dessert," she said as she blew a whiff of snoke from between their red lips and turning faced him.

"Excuse my smoking before you've finished your dessert," she said as she blew a whiff of snoke from between thought it dreadfully stale to you who have known it so long, and besides it is have known it so long, and besides it is cold wave and possibly blizzards to "Oh "Who are you working for?" asked "Oh, I'm working for Dr. J., down the northward. The same conditions here," answered the physician. will most likely continue through the Vulcan period, 16th to 21st, embracing

"Oh," went on the doctor, "I do verything for him. I take care of the equator, 21st. A sudden change him, you know. I dress him and I teed him, and I even wash his face and to very warm may take place in many central and southern sections on and put him to bed. I do everythings be touching the 20th, with many rapid, tropical storms, but it will be "How meuh d'ye get for it?" asked | triumph of enthusiasm. watch for a cold wave with the high the native. barometer that is sure to rush south-"My board and clothes."

"An' you do all that for him-

world a laughin' and a gettin' fat and

"That's only a weak evasion," de-

clared the woman, as her voice grew

"I thinks too much of my feller men

but meself to look after, I'm not goin'

to a compersition that had no sich handicap, I went broke. Now I trav-

els and thinks and pities them as is in

Then the old lady withdrew grace

fully from the argument by getting him another bowl of coffee, putting in

an extra lump of sugar, and expres-sing regret that they had no more meat cooked.

Men are tattooed with their special

elief like so many South Sea Island-

ers; but a real human heart with di-

vine love in it, beats with the same

glow under all the patterns of all

a livin' longer, as showed by stertistics

in, an' dress him, au' feed him, an prace beginning about the 23d, indicaall that ?" ting that a Venus equinox will be con-joined with that of earth for the re-The countryman looked at the doc mainder of February. Both of them or a moment in silence. Then he will be central in March. From the leaned over the wheel and spat sol-21st the moon passes from new on the celestial equator to first quarter, apogee "Well, of all the dern fools I ever and greatest swing northward on th was all he said .- Washington 28th. This position of the moon will draw the atmospheric tide northward, causing much southerly wind and hence warm, thawing weather over the coun A PHILOSOPHER That was a plausible old philosophe

try generally during the last week in February. Rain storms with lightning and thunder in many sections will be who tramped to the back door of a Piety Hill residence the other day central about the 23d to 26.h. Sudden change to cold and freezing weather The good old lady of the house sup him plentiful with food, and after warm rains with thunder, is the usual order during the Venus periods then felt called upon to do some mis ionary work while he was eating. at this time of year. Such change may take place about 25th to 28th, "My dear man and brother, why progressively from west to south and east. Only good can result from being ready for such results, but the possibilities are that the cold wave will don't you try to be of some use in the world?" was her opening of the campaign.
"Why, bless you, madam, we plays
our part. These here comic papers
you gets every week couldn's do no

approaches the equator at the close of the first storm period in March. A CRAB DOORKEEPER.

be kept in abeyance until the moon

ward after the storms.

The storm diagram shows a Venu

In the West Indies the natives train a rare species of crab to act as a seva football. One of his claws is nearly as big as the rest of the body. The have some mental capacity. Why crab has a fashion of raising this limb don't you work or go into some kind in such a way as to give the impression hat it beckous or threatens.

In appearance it is a very formidable brute, possessing enormous eyes and the hugest of feelers. It takes up its waitin' fur work, and, havin' no one position at the front door of the house to take the bread out of their mouths. Not me. I'd ruther go hungry some and acts in every way as a watchdog times and be pointed out with scorn and have the dogs set on me. I can't help havin' a heart, kin I?" here at this unearthly hour?" he mur. and every bit as faithfully. It is possessed of wonderful strength, speed and stamins, easily overtaking an enemy "But you are not leading the right kind of a life at all. How did you not possessed of sprinting powers.

Its instinct is very acute, and it is

rarely at fault in spotting a "wrong 'un" who approaches the house with thought was right, and so in' nothin' the merciless doorkeeper. It will require a sledge hammer to extricate

its usefulness as a house defender and All endeavors short of starvation seem to be useless to induce this domesti curiosity to dine with the household

VARIETIES.

The seeds of virtue grow best when

To get money without work has The crown is beyond the cross of

Thine own friend and thy father's riend, forsake not. It is astonishing how little one feels overty when one loves.

Pleasures which block the road to heaven ought to be given up.

Errors in religion may excite pity, but never anger, in a wise man. Bad news and a soft-boiled egg should always be broken gently.

We do not hold the truth in a true way unless it leads to a true life It is not by the gray of the hair

To get the good out of years, we It is a safe bet that you will lose where you have to do all the guessing. Now or Never .- He that resolves to nend hereafter resolves not to amend

The man who travels the same road every day soon ceases to admire the We may stand on the highest hill if we are only willing to take steps

Slumber not in the tents of your fathers. The world advances. Advance

There is but little bad luck in this world, but there is a heap of bad man-There are griefs men never put into

We shall be judged hereafter not by what we have felt, but by what we A woman takes a man name when she marries him, and his other valu-

ables afterward. Liberty : that best gift dealt out by he impartial hand of nature even to

He that does good for good's sake seeks neither praise nor reward, though Simplicity is a cloak which often makes a lie appear true : it is often mistaken for honesty.

If you cannot speak well do not speak at all; employ the time in makng good resolutio Every great and commanding move-

nent in the annals of the world is the "He is not self-possessed." "Of course not. How could be be? He gave himself away."

Men of the noblest dispositions think hemselves happiest when others share their happiness with them.

ught to be loved, whether they do my of it themselves or not. The passions are often a nest of vi-pers in the soul of man which, if kept

awake, will sting him to death. Thirty-six—"Undoubtedly, dear; and you ought to be thankful for the

loss of a portion of your cheek." Grief can take care of itself: but to get full value of joy you must have somebody with whom to divide it.

"I want a dollar, Jones, and I want "All right. Here's a counterfeit." "By Jove, old chap, how I wish there was no such stuff as money !'

it. have we? Woman Lawyer-"How old are ous'ness without us. We nine-tenths of what them tariff fighters calls the raw material. We helps keep the Woman Witness-"I think I'm

"Well, we have no positive proof of

Fond Papa-"What is a pedestrian Little Jimmie-"A man what lodges bicycles.' metalic. "You're strong and seem to have some mental capacity. Why

bout your age.'

Grandma-"What are you doing in the pantry, Tommy? Tommy-"Oh, I'm just putting a few things away." There is no happiness in having and

getting, but only in giving; half the world is on the wrong scent in the pur-When you are in argument for the truth, do not grow angry, for this would be to fight the Lord's battles

with the devil's weapons. Suffer if you must; do not quarrel "By refusing to be crooked, mum. I got just as much conscious as I has heart. I done nothin' but what I only way to take up a pleasure or a only way to take up a pleasure or a

> Most of us have at certain moments a prophetic divination of our fate. We feel a sudden assurance that some things will inevitably come to pass, that this or that person will effect our

Few persons know what is meant by a "size" in the matter of coats, shoes, etc. A size in a coat is an inch: size in underwear is two inches · in a collar one-half an inch; trousers, one inch; gloves, one-quarter of an inch; hats, one-quarter of an inch.

Mr. Chipps (looking up from the paper): "The doctors have discovered another new disease."

Mrs. Chipps: "Well, I wish they would stop looking for new diseases long enough to find a cure for my old

Sweet Sixteen-"I wonder if my face will change, too, when I am your

earth's thousand triber

NEWS AND ADVERTISER, Palmyra, N. J.
Palmyra, N. J.
Palmyra, N. J.

Entered at the Palmyra Post Office as second

SATURDAY, FEB. 12, 1898. FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

There has never been wisdom enough in the world to know how to help a man who does not try to help himself. -The Ram's Horn.

Money obtained by "trick of trade" is money secured on "false pretence" and deserves severe punishment. This is true whether practiced by farmers or

The man who says to a reporter "Why don't you expose this or that or the other," is the fellow who doesn't "want his name mentioned and would swear he never mentioned the matter if the printer got in trouble about it.'

"The winter of our discontent" wil rapidly vanish and Spring be here almost before you know it. Business will increase with a large number of outdoor improvements and buildings contemplated, but held back by the weather. Be prepared for it.

The Biscuit and Cracker Trust has now been organized. It controls 139 plants, or 90 per cent of all the large bakeries between the Atlantic Ocean and the Rocky Mountains. It has a capital of \$25,000,000 prefered and \$30,000,000 common stock. Its intentions are angelic. It does not propose to increase prices. Its only aim is to promote econimies in manufacturing processes. But-competitors had better stand out of the way !

We need more charity, more human kindness in the world. We need it in our churches, in our society, in our homes. We need it toward those who are bound closest to us by the ties of this world, towards our neighbor, towards our servants : towards the street vagabond, who may never have had a better way of living. There are men and women about us who have forgotten how to smile, if they ever knew. these? It wouldn't cost much to be stow some little kindness. Some of them will never ask it; they would expect a refusal, perhaps a harsh refusal, and there is too much human feeling left for them to be indifferent

The most pretentious characters are generally the greatest frauds. The men who are all the time boasting o 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 of the mind is to learn to quickly discern the true character 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.

The American consular service has become so good that English merchants and manufacturers are crying for a similar one in their country. A few years ago our consuls were considered ignorant and incompetent, many of them being charged with understanding neither the language of the countries to which they were sent nor their own business. The national government reformed the system. The monthly reports consuls were required to make in time became of great value commercially, socially and scientifically. Our merchants and manufacturers are constantly informed of what they most want to know. The information is prompt and accurate and our system of reports contracts strongly with the slow and heavy methods of older countries.

The honor of making the first settlement at Dawson City seems hardly worth contending for in view of the ground where the town was located. The report of S. C. Dupham of the United States labor department can be denended on, and he pronounces the site of Dawson an "inconceivable hoggy swamp." This swamp is on both sides of the Yukon and is three miles long and half a mile wide. It is fortunate that the hills begin half a mile back from the river. The town can in time be moved out of the swamp and built upon the hillsides. This will have to be done as the wealth and importance of the place increase. The prospect of next summer in this crowded, swampy town, without a particle of drainage, is proposed to be into the Main street something terrible to contemplate. sewer at Front street. Parts of Front Already last autumn typhoid fever and Second streets and parts of Thomas ravaged the place. It will be worst and Lippincott avenues were also left

RIVERTON.

Mrs. Joseph Remine has been visit ing in Camden. Mrs. E. H. Fitler spent Thursday

A Valentine's dance will be given

at the Lyceum on the 14th. The Besique Club had a full attendance at Dr. Hall's on Thursday.

Russell J. Hallburton, of Moorestown, is now employed at Dreer's. The "Jolly Three" gave a dance in Roberts' Hall on Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harry. C. Worrell are

Miss Sallie Seckel left on Thursday to open a boarding house at Atlantic

George Faust, Jr., of New York, came home on Saturday to visit his sick father.

Miss Irene Chalforst, of Phoenixville, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Tucker.

Thomas Almgill left on Thursday or a three months' business trip through the West. Miss Lucy Bradshaw has received

back from Camden. Mrs. Joseph Dennes and Miss Sal-

lie Schreiner spent Wednesday with relatives in Delanco. Mrs. C. W. Knox, wife of Prof. Knox, of John Hopkins University, is again cast the deciding vote making it

visiting Mrs. Frank Willard. In some of the thermometers the mercury was down to the zero mark on Friday morning at six o'clock.

Charles A. Wright has sold his busiess in Philadelphia to the A. M. Collins Card Mfg. Co., 527 Arch street. Mrs. Poulterer, a former resident, now living in Germantown, visited her

The city ice boat No. 1, of Philadelphia, came up the river on Tuesday and opened a channel as far as Bris-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wright were present at a lecture on California in Odd Fellows' Hall, Philadelphia, on Tuesday evening.

A blizzard is scheduled to arrive on the 27th of this month, if it is possible for Proffessor DeVoe, the Hackensack weather prophet to pull it around this

The Riverton Lyceum Association have had William Truesx, Janitor sworn in as a special officer, this will give him lawful authority to protect he property-of the Association

It seems a shame to make Charles M. Biddle change his flag sidewalk, on Lippincott avenue, but if an exwhy not in others? We are informed he will stand a law suit before he will

The general health of Riverton much above the average, especially in the cities. Dr. Marcy, secretary of been a case of typhoid fever in the town for four years. How does that compare with Philadelphia?

On the whole, Winter has used us incommonly well thus far. In the West it has buried the Winter wheat inder a kindly coverlet of snow, which romises a great harvest, while in our Castern cities it has spared us snowfalls of magnitude enough to blockade

Tickets for the Reading and Musi al Entertainment at the residence o Mrs. John C S Davis on Saturday evening the 12th, are on sale at Cow perthwait's drug store at 25 cents Proceeds are for various local charities and all interested are cordially in vited to be present.

A dramatic entertainment entitled 'The Yankee's Stratagem" and "Turn Him Out," will be given by St. Paul's Guild of Christ church, Riverton, in Christ church parish house, on Thursday evening, February 17th, 1898, at 8 o'clock. Proceeds for the "mainte nance fund." Tickets, 25 cents, can be obtained at Cowperthwaite's drug store or from any of the committee.

Just think of it! Philadelphia last week sent twenty-two locomotives to Finland. Now as the geography teaches us that Finland is a very cold ountry, continually covered with ice and snow, it is to be presumed that hese locomotives are to be used in drawing sleds in lieu of dogs and reinleers. A few years more and we'll have a steam or trolley road to the

An Organ Recital will be given in Christ church, Riverton, Tuesday evening, February 22nd, at 8 o'clock, by J. Ralph Rettew, organist and choirmasder the anthem, "Sing Praises unto the Lord," by Gounod. The verse part of the anthem will be taken by a quartette from Philadelphia. The orran selections will include pieces by Bach, Guilmant, Salome, Batiste, Handel and Semmens.

Somebody has invented a new re volver for the especial use of bicyclists. It will be a sorry day for pedestrians and the drivers of vehicles when bicyclists as a body take to using revolvers. A bicyclist has no more right to carry a revolver than any other citizen, except perhaps for self-protection when riding along a lonely country road. Some bicyclists claim they should be allowed to carry a revolver to shoo logs that attack them, but the best rotection against dogs is an ammonia quirter. The bow-wows dread that

nore than bullets. Borough Engineer Henry Haines was present after the Council after the Council conference with a number of citizens n terested in the new sewer was beld, and explained matters. He had prepared an amended plan which was shown, which could be built first and the balance of the scheme later. In the new plan part of Howard and Fulton streets are left out, and the outlet from that section of the town is

BOROUGH BUSINESS.

The regular meeting of the Borough Council was held in the fire house on Thursday evening. All the council-

Treasurer McIlhenny report was read, showing a balance of \$2493 09. The Highway committee reported favorably the ordinances for the cross walks on Main street and for the sidewalks on Lippincott avenue and Main

The ordinance for sidewalks on Main treet was amended to read "to be constructed of the same material as pre existing pavement," the ordinance then assed final reading unanimously.

spending two weeks at Wilkesbarre, The ordinance to construct cement pavements on Lippincott, from Broad street to Bank avenue, was taken up on final passage and General James said that he should vote against it because the proposed sewer was to go down that avenue and both together were more than some could pay. He proposed an amenment to the ordinance providing that where a whole block was now constructed 4 ft. wide of stone it should be let alone. This was to cover Chas. M Biddle's pavement. Mr. Brown had considered the matter and thought it would be unfair to other property wners and would be class legislation and illegal. When the vote on the many kind greetings since moving amendment was taken Messrs. James, Thomas and Smith voted for it and Messrs Brown, Hardman and Ellsworth against it, a tie vote which was settled by the Mayor by voting down the amendment. The ordinance on final passage received the same vote and the Mayor

> The ordinance to provide for Asphalt blocks for crossings on Main street was unanimously adopted.

Bills were passed as follows ; George Faust, Marshal,
Charles Armstrong, lamplighter and
special o.licer,
W. J. McIlhenny, salary, etc.,
News publishing ordinance,
W. L. Bowen, printing,
William King's Sons, lamp goods,
Joseph M. Roberts, rent of hall,
" lamp goods,
Standard Oil Co., oil for lights,
Crew Levick and Co., oil for lights,
L. Corner, work on roads, sister, Mrs. H. J. Mitchell, on Thurs-

Crew Levice and Co., oil for lights, L. Corner, work on roads, Charles S. Walnut, salary and etc., S. W. Beldon, Solicitor, E. H. Pancoast, Assessor. H. S. Haines, Borough Engineer, Parry Nursery, trees, Miss B. S. Springer, change of grade,

William Krouse & Sons bill for the Main street sidewalks \$2221.51 was considered and 80 per cent of the bill, according to agreement was ordered

Mrs. Sarah B. Letherbury asked for a return of \$9 taxes paid she being a veterans widow. The matter was re-ferred to Mr. Smith to investigate.

A communication was received from awyer Charles E. Hendrickson representing Patrick Brynes, requesting the voiding of the building line corner Fifth and Howard street and threatening suit in case same is not done. The natter was referred to the Highway

A report and statement from the Cinnaminson Electric Light Company showing an expenditure for poles, wires

The general seweral plans prepared by H. S. Haines were adopted. Adjourned to February 17th.

THE PANSY OLUB.

The Pansy Club gave an entertainnent at the residence of Dr. Marcy last Friday evening, which was wel

The program by the little folks was quite interesting. Recitations were given by Florence Daniels, Christine Washington and Gladys Wyman; Sue and Beulah Parry played a piano duet as also did Harold Cowperthwaite and Hannah Marcy, while vocal solos were sung by Harry Rianhard and Ruth Sharp and Florence Sharp played a piano solo, besides which were three ableaus and two choruses were sung About \$15 was netted by the enteriain ment which will be used to purchase ooks for the club.

The Pansy Club was started last fall by Mrs. Alex Marcy as a reading club and now has twenty-one members. Florence Sharp is president: Susanua Parry, vice-president: Ida Davis, secretary and Mrs. Marcy, treasurer.

DELAIR.

Mont Shinn's mother and sister were n town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Pidcock, of Trenton, has been visiting Mrs. D. L. Taylor. Mrs, Joseph Knight, Jr., has been ndisposed for the past week.

John Hannum left on Monday for r six-weeks' trip through the South. Mrs. Aldrich, of California, is visit

ng her daughter, Mrs. M. Bissout. Miss Carrie Toy is about again after er severe accident of two months ago. The Methodist church Supper next

Wednesday evening bids fair to be the largest affair of the kind ever given in should not conflict with other regular entertainments. Both churches have arranged benefits on the regular liter-

ary night at the school house. Mrs. John C. S. Davis, of Riverton. N. J., gave an interesting talk on her travels abroad for the benefit of the pi-copal church, on Wednesday even-

ing last. A neat sum was realized. To those afflicted with frosted feet he following is recommended as a sure cure : Bathe the feet in strong alum-water as hot as it can be borne. In most cases one application is suffi-

The Delair A. A. dance on Friday evening was the social event of the seaon, more than fifty couple entered into he dance. The hall was beautifully lecorated and an orchestra of five lices certainly made the older folks Hood's Sarsaparills is wonderfully successful in curing catarrh because it eradicates from the blood the scrofulous taints the dance. The hall was beautifully decorated and an orchestra of five eel young again and the young folks were in their merriment.

To Our Customers. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best cough syrup we have ever used our-selves or in our families. W. H. King. Is sac P. King and many others in this vicinity, have also pronounced it the best.
All we want is for people to try it and
they will be convinced. Upon honor,
there is no better that we have used many
kinds.—R. A. BLAKE & Son, General Merchants, Big Tunnel, Va. Sold by

The trial of indictments in the Burington county Circuit Court began on

Before any cases were called Harry Munyon retracted his plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to aggravated assault and battery on Samuel Gar-wood in Medford. The offence consisted in entering a store and pointing a gun at Garwood, at the same time demanding some money. Munyon was sentenced to five years in State prison.

vult to indictments charging him with breaking windows in Moorestown, will

also be sentenced on Thursday.

Howard Danley, of Columbus, was ried for assault and battery on his wife. The defendant claimed that the offence was a mere family jar and had been greatly magnified. The jury ren-

Wesley Bishop and Charles Giberson were tried for stealing harness from George Brown, of Springfield. Verdict, guilty.

The third case was that of the State

Cavileer. William attempted to clean out the house and went at his wife with an axe, threatening to kill her. The case was not concluded when court adjourned, and was taken up on

vs. William Cavileer for atrocious as-

sault and battery on his wife, Mary L.

FREEHOLDER'S MEETING.

The regular February meeting the Board of Freeholders was held in Mount Holly on Wednesday. Director Horner resigned and W. H. Mitchell, of Evesham, was elected to fill the

vacancy. The Almshouse report showed a balance of \$1,971.24 due the Steward for on Insane was to the effect that none had been admitted since last report, one had died and fitty-nine still remained. Considerable time was spent in discussing stone road contracts.

Messrs. Birkl.ead, Jones, Horner, Fairbrother and Evans were appointed a committee to consider the advisability of granting to the Monmouth Traction Company the right to use the country roads and bridges, and an adjourned eeting of the Broad will be held on March 1st to consider the matter and to transact any other business. Director Mitchell announced the ap-

cointment of Mr. Jones as a member of the committee on Personal Bills in place of himself. The Insane committee reported that there were eighty-six persons in the

state asylum from Burlington county. The application for an arc light on he road between Riverside and the Delanco bridge was referred to the Solicitor, the general opinion being that the county was not bound to pay for the same.

CAMDEN ARMORY OPENING.

Governors and Prominent Military Offi-

The new Sixth Regiment Armory in Camden, N. J., the handsomest building of the kind in the State, is to be formally opened with a reception and ball on Friday evening, February 18, which will be one of the most brilliant social events ever held in South Jersey. The building and its furnishings cost nearly \$200,000, of which the State paid four-fifths. It houses headquarters, four companies and the gun detachment of the Sixth Regiment, the staff of General Sewell, commander of the Second Brigade and Gatling Gun Company B. The drill hall in which the ball is to be held is 175x185 feet in size. It will be elaborately decorated with flags, streamers, palms, blooming plants and cut flowers.

The ball will be one of the first public functions Acting Governor Voorhees will at-

The ball will be one of the first public functions Acting Governor Voorhees will attend. He will have a private box, and there will be boxes for General William J. Sewell, the brigade commander; Colonel William H. Cooper, commander of the Sixth Regiment; for the patronesses, and for a number of prominent Jerseymen. Invitations have been extended to the Governors of Pennsylvania and Delaware and their staffs, and to the leading officers of the National Guard of those States and of New York. The New Jersey National Guard will be very largely represented, and a considerable number of State officials and members of the Legislature will be present. will be present.

Special trains are to be run on the Wes

Special trains are to be run on the West Jersey and Seashore Railroad as far as Salem and on the Amboy division to Trenton, con-necting with New York trains.

THINK ABOUT YOUR HEALTH

This Is the Time to Give Attention to Your Physical Condition. The warmer weather which will come with the approaching spring months should find you strong and in robust health, your blood pure and your appetite good. Otherwise you will be in danger of serious illness. Purify and enrich your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla and that the transport of serious. This media. thus "prepare for spring." This medi-cine makes rich, red blood and gives vigor and vitality. It will guard you against danger from the changes which will soon take place.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO,] ... LUCAS COUNTY, See. he is the senior partner of the firm of F.
J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the
City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum
of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and ever case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL's

CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in
my presence, this 6th day of December,
A. D., 1886. FRANK J. CHENEY. A. W. GLEASON Notary Public.

SEAL

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucou surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. Catarrh is a Disease

which cause it. Sufferers with catarrh find a cure in Hood's Sarsaparilla, even after other remedies utterly fail. Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient, always reliable, easy to take, easy to oper-

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

The scarcity of seasonable social parties this Winter is commented on.

WASHINGTON LETTER Feb. 7th. 1898. Has the predicted industrial war between America and Europe began

Quite a number of well informed persons are disposed to regard the partial shutting out of American fruit and the threatened shutting out of American horses by Germany as the first blow of the war The administration however does not take that view of it. It is Howard S. Fish, William Beck and Joseph McCloskey, from Beverly, who pleaded not guilty to assault and buttery on John W. Adams of that place, to treat it more seriously, the Senate having adopted a resolution calling upon the Department of State for information. The total value of all the American fruit sent to Germany has exceeded \$1,000, 000, but the outlook for increasing it very largely was considered very promising before the German government began to hamper it. The trade

> although comparatively new, has al ready grown to large proportions, and is rapidly growing. This government is slow to believe that Germany is actuated by a spirit of retalliation, but should it be convinced by its investigation, it will speedily show that retal liation is a two handed game. There is said to be a different pinion between President McKinley

and Speaker Reed as to the advisabili ty of the House passing a financial bill at this session. Mr. Red thinks the voting down of the Teller resolution by the House was sufficient to put the party on record against silver, and that it would be wiser to have the House finish up the regular business of the session and adjourn as soon as possible, than to have the financial debate which would be necessary to put through a financial bill along the line recommended by the president's message; while Mr. McKinley thinks it would be better for his party to further emphasize its position by having the House pass a financial bill. Although maintaining the institution since last meeting. The report of the committee difference of opinion will lead to trouble, difference of opinion will lead to trouble, the chances are that it will not. Mr. Reed's position is endorsed by the strongest men of his party in the House, and the chances are that he will

> will not insist upon having a bill favorably reported a bill amending the eight hour law in such a way that it can be enforced (for various reasons principally lack of jurisdiction, the aw has only been enforced in spots, and no where very rigidly) to the

have his way, and that the President

House, and will try to get the bill acted upon. It is now known that Jerry Simp-on's speech about the London label in Representative Dingley's hat, which that gentleman said was put there by an American maker to catch the dudes who were willing to pay extra for anything labeled London, was prompted by Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, who never looses an oppor tunity for a joke. He accidentally saw the label in the hat and told Jerry to go and look at it, knowing that he

would be sure to make a speech about it. He did, and now some of the republican members are expressing fear hat will be heard from oftener than his explanation, especially in the rural

portions of their district. Instead of being offended at the numerous jokes that are told about the autocratic manner in which he runs the House, Speaker Reed is constantly adding to them. His latest was gotten off in a street car on Representative Hicks, who was absent when the House voted on the Teller resolution. Reed was in the car when Mr. Hicks came in. Mr. Hicks stood before him, he continued, using the tone of an irate school master: "Hicks, you didn't come to school last Monday afternoon. Have you brought an excuse from your mother?" The joke was so apparent that everybody in the car, including a number of Congressmen, joined in the shout of laughter that followed, that Mr. Hicks forgot to answer the question. Commissioner Evans, of the Pension Bureau, has the courage of his convic-

tion as shown by his attack on the present system of medical examination f applicants for pensions and of pensioners, of which he said : "The examning boards are expensive, inefficient and swayed by political and local influences. There ought to be only one corps of examining physicians and surgeons that would travel from one state to another at advertised times to examine old soldiers. That they would not be swayed by local likes and dislikes, as they are now, nor by the Congressmen, as the local boards are now.' an example of the kind of work done by these boards, Mr. Evans cited the case of an old soldier that he personally took to Philadelphia and had examined by four boards, no one of them knowng that he was to go before the other. They each rated him differently, the ratings running from nothing, up to 824 a month. Asked whether there would be a fight if he tried to get the present system abolished, Mr. Evans eplied: "Well, I guess there would Congress as a whole would sit down on he idea so quick it would make my head swim and only Congress could bring this change.

PURDY—FENIMORE.—February 3, at Bur-ington, by Rev. J. D. Bills, Edward L. Purdy and Miss Irene S. Fenimore, both of Burling-

SHINN-ROBBINS, February 3, at Bur-ington, by Rev. J. D. Bills, Judson Shinn, of surlington, and Miss Emma P. Robbins, of acksonville. WILCOX—DILLMAN.—January 29, at Kin-kora, by Rev. Jesse Stiles, Frank L. Wilcox and Miss Anna C. Dillman, both of Kinkora. WOODWARD — HAINES, — January 29, at Medford, by Rev. Edward Mount, Harry Woodward and Miss Bessie Haines, both of Medford.

DIED. CAMPION.—February 2, at Mount Holly, Benjamin C. Campion, in his 83d year. EDWARDS-February 5, at Medford, Ellis HILYARD.—January 28, at New York, George D. Hilyard, formerly of Rancocas, aged 68 years.

HILYARD.—February 3, at Philadelphia John, son of Anna W. and the late George D. Hilyard, of New York. LIPPINCOTT.—February 1, at Moorestown rescilla, widow of the late Aaron Lippincott

Fashionable people of means are taking trips to Florida and California.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Feb. 7, 1898. Wanamaker's is a household word. is considered generally as a great store, where quite a lot of people are employed, where pretty much everything is sold. But let's look into it a little more carefully. Let us see how big it is-and bet-

ter, how good it is. We speak of the Philadelphia store alone. The New York store is a counterpart-not quite so large. but growing and growing to catch

There are eighteen acres of floor space in this rambling strong old building that varies from three to six stories high.

There are six acres more room in

the several outside buildings we need and use. There are eighteen elevators

ten for passengers. There is a restaurant that easily serves three thousand orders daily At holiday times we had five thousand two hundred and five peo ple employed (over three thousand New York-over 8,000 in all). We have extra help then, but the census keeps close to four thousand

in Philadelphia all the time. In a single month we have sold something over two million dollars' worth of goods-more than all the department stores and dry goods stores in Richmond, Virginia, sell

And still we state these facts with no wish to boast. They prove something.

This store has no patents on usiness methods. It has grown from nothing simply through de-

serving to grow. Each year we send twenty-two buyers to Europe and Asia to gather fine and odd and useful goods for your enjoyment. We'd like to sell only American goods-which means that we shall welcome the day when American manufacturers can more nearly supply every want.

And this store has a distinct field. It does not depend for favor or business upon your neglect of home stores. Don't neglect them. Those merchants are your townsmen, your taxpayers, your neighbors. from them all you can. We don't sell groceries because grocery selling is unnecessary-you can be fully supplied with them anywhere. But where wide range of selection in fabrics is an advantage, where our frequent trade movements mean large economy-where

of course it is fair to presume that the store good enough to grow by your favor into the biggest retail store in America, still merits that favor. Its latch-string hangs out. We haven't said a word about goods-yet, spring stocks here and coming exceed in value four million dollars. We answer letters promptly and fill orders carefully. But come if you can. The store is

you must depend on a city store,

enjoyable. John Wanamaker.

NEW | JERSEY PAST AND PRESENT JERSEY PAST AND PRESENT
Annals 1606—November 1897.
Your home library needs this evelopedia, postpaid \$1, M. C. Spaulding, care JOURNAL, or Box 62, Columbus, Ohio. Over 1000 curious, quaint, useful paragraphs. Things new and old, Agents wanted Buy one and then get 15 cents for each one you sell, Good book to give employees, teachers, scholars, friends.

Farnum Preparatory School, BEVERLY, N. J. A CLASSICAL DAY SCHOOL FOR BOTH SEXES. der the control of the State Board of Educa

AME AS THE MODEL SCHOOL. TUITION PAYABLE QUARTERLY IN ADVANCE.

THE COURSE OF STUDY IS THE

BOOKS FURNISHED FREE OF CHARGE. Pupils intending to teach are admitted into the High School Department free of tuition

WINTER TERM OPENS Monday, November 22nd, 1897 For further information apply to James B. Dilks, A. M. Beverly, N. 7.

JOHN D. STELLMANN Successor to

HEATH'S -RIVERTON AND PALMYRA EXPRESS.

O. BOX 32. PALMYRA, N. J Phila. Office: 3 N. Water Street.

Goods called for and delivered promptly. Me-sages and orders will receive pecial attention.

RESIDENCE: Highland Avenue. RIGGS & BROTHER

2 Stores 310 Market St 221 Walnut St PHILADELPHIA. DIAMONDS

CLOCKS SILVER-WARE

OPTICAL GOODS. Your Eyes as well as your watch need careful attention. We are in a position to attend to both. Eyes tested free of charge, Prescriptions Filled. Repairs a Special-Established 1818.

MENS' EXTRA QUALITY Colored Bosom Shirts 46 cents, sold in the city at 50 to 75 cents,

New Styles Men's Neckwear, 20, 25 and 50 cents. Good Quality Writing Paper, 10 cents a box. Extra Quality Children's Hosiery, 121 and 15 cents. Imported Hosiery, 25 and 25 cents a pair. Good Suspenders, 15 cents a pair. Men's Working Shirts, well made, good goods, 40 cents. Ribbons, Linings and Embroidery, good variety, low prices. Outing Flannel, 61 to 10 cents a yard. Plaid Goods 15 cents a yard. Any goods not in stock got at short notice.

JOS. M. ROBERTS.

Dry Goods, Shoes, Rubbers, Etc.

WE ALWAYS BUY THE BEST LEHIGH COAL, ROSEDALE AND PORTLAND CEMENT AND LUMBER

That our customers may have the benefit of same. RIVERTON, N. J

THOMAS BROS.



LOTHROP'S



RIVERTON, N. J. Having one of the finest skylights in the State, we are now ready to take the very best and most pleasing photographs of every style and finish Only the very best work, will be allowed to go out from this Studio.

PLEASE GIVE US A TRIAL.

A Word With You...

It is worth your while to give attention to some reasons

why you should be a reader of THE PHILADELPHIA PRESS. THE PRESS is the greatest home newspaper of the United States. Its record of each day's events, in all parts of the world, is more complete than that cf any other paper. It has no space for sensationalism or anything tending to lower

the moral tone. No other Philadelphia paper has equal facilities for obtaining prompt and accurate reports of news events, wherever they may occur. Reporters of THE PRESS are in every section of Philadelphia every day; special correspondents of THE PRESS are stationed at every county seat and important town in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, and at every news centre in the United States and the old world.

No other Philadelphia paper equals THE PRESS in its special departments-the woman's page; the literary page; the market page; the pages devoted to church news, school

news, society news, G. A. R. news, sporting news, etc. THE PRESS is an advocate of the principals of the Republican party, but it prints the news of ali political events more fully than any other paper; hence THE PRESS should be your paper, no matter what your political opinions are, if you wish to be well informed. In a word The Philadelphia Press

prints all the news all the time. Send in your address. Sample copy of THE PRESS will be mailed free. If you are fair-minded you will read it regularly. THE DAILY PRESS is mailed to subscribers for \$6.00 (a year (50) cts, a month) payable in advance; THE SUNDAY PRESS, \$2.50 a year; THE DAILY and SUNDAY PRESS, \$8.00 a year; (70 cts, a month); THE WEEKLY PRESS, \$1.00 a year. A liberal commission is allowed to persons who solicit subscriptions or to persons who will place THE PRESS on sale in localities where there are no agents. Address "THE PRESS," Philadelphia.

ESTABLISHED 1836 PUBLIC LEDGER

The PUBLIC LEDGER is first of all a newspaper giving all the news of the day, classified and it collete form. In the LEDGER every statement is verified, its news is therefore thoroughly reliable

Women's Interests, Liturature, Art. Neience, Public Shools Religious News I Religious Though

Births, Marriages and I Financial Affairs, New Jersey 1

The LEDGER'S special New York and Washington correspondence has long since The Saturday Issue is a great compensium of every phase of social life, containing reading matter must every taste, compiled especially for the Saturday Edition of the LEDUER. Its treatise of the International Sunday School Lesson is alone worth the price of subscription.

national Sunday School Lesson is alone worth the price of subscription.

Its c'assified advertisements are as interesting as news and as widely tead. The public has for years male the PUBLIC LEDGER its chief vehicle for the announcements of births, marriages and deaths. Agents wanted; liberal commission paid to subscription agents or newslealers placing the LEDGER on sale. Address Circulation Department the

LEDGER for terms.

WRITE FOR RATES FOR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS. SUBSCRIPTION PRICE AS FOLLOWS: The DAILY LEDGER (Sunday excepted), by mail to any address in the WATCHES United States or Canada, 50 cents per month; \$6.00 per year. Saturday's LEDGER (weekly), a great home journal, which should be in

every country home, \$1.00 per year. IEWELRY | EMMAKE ALL REMITTANCES PAYALE TO

EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

Subscribe for

GEORGE W. CHILDS DREXEL.

.: THE WEEKLY NEWS .:

SATURDAY, FEB. 12, 1898.

CENT-A-WORD COLUMN. Long or short notices inserted under this head at the rate of one cent a word, each in-tertion, cash in advance.

You can get Best Butter this week for 26 cents at 452 Delaware avenue. 1-19-1 Try our fine grade teas and fresh roasted coffee, clarified Mocha and Java and "Perfection Cereal" our Specialties. B. F. Titus, 448 Delaware avenue.

NOTICE.-Owing to the illness in the family of some of the principals of our anticipated entertainment, we will have to declare it off for the present. Committee: A. H. Troth, James Forrester, W. G. Frank, A. G. Appel and I. H, Keil.

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

For sale. Very little cash required House and lot: 805 Morgan avenue, Palmyra, N. J Lot fifty feet wide. The property formally occupied by Mr. Charles Eastwood. Inquire of Howard Parry or any of the officers of the Cinnaminson Building and Loan Association, of

It not satisfied with the quality of oil you are getting give Arthur Winner a trial, as his proves satisfactory all the time. All those who contemplate purchasing a vapor gasoline stove should see him as he has the agency for the latest, safest and most improved.

1.29.tf

Two rooms to rent for storage. Apply to post office box, 528 Palmyra, 1-29-tf Go to Saar's for a good shave.

State of Maine white potatoes \$1.00 a bushel. Drop postal. Louis A. Weikman,

Bed and table linen washed and ironed 25 cents dozen, lace curtains, 50 cents pair. Jefferson Laundry, Stanly Field Prop. Box 243 Palmyra. 12-4-tf.

428 Cinnaminson avenue. Heater and water. Rent \$13. 12.4.tf

For rent—Houses for \$5,00, \$6,00, \$7,90 and \$12,00 per month. Edw. H. Pan-coast, 404 Main street, Riverton. Shoulder Capes, Fascinators, Caps, Slippers, Mittens, Tam O'Shanters, etc., knit to order also agent for Consolidated

flavoring powder, perfumery and sachel powders. 520 Cinnaminson avenue. Paints in small cans, glass and putty at Williams' drug store.

For Rent.-8 room house. Rent \$12. Charles street and Cinnaminson avenue. Bath, range and heater. Apply to John M. Wallace, 835 Cinnaminson avenue.

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

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

PALMYRA.

Lent begins on the 23rd. Health is more than wealth Monday is St. Valentine's Day.

Washington's Birthday, the 22nd. Palmyra is a healthy town. Push it

Harry Horner is sick at his home in Robert Soley has been quite sick

Mrs. George Wallace has been sich but is now improved.

Miss Mame Paynter has gone to At lantic City for a week. Miss Reta Umstead has recovered

from the chicken-pox. Titus has a very fine blend

Mocha and Java coffee

Laundryman Frank T. Owens ha

Thomas Burnett, of Horace avenue

spent Wednesday in Beverly. The list of the public school pron

tions is published in this issue.

Anthony Killian and family move to Philadelphia on Thursday.

Palmyra hasn't got the trolleys, but it has health. Push it along!

Let everybody tell their friends i the city how healthy Palmyra is. The Winter hotels at the seaside are

preparing for the Lenten season.

Roberts' has some special prices in groceries for one week. Read his ad.

Judson C. Wilson has rented Miss Cuyler's house, No. 522 Garfield ave-Mrs. Charles Wilkie, of Morgan

avenue, went to Brooklyn on Wednes Mrs. Moorehouse, of Vine street,

who had a light stroke of paralysis, is

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Libe have moved to Philadelphia to be nearer

Mrs. C. P. Baker and son, Pitman, spent last Sunday with her parents at Blackwood.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bradbury, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Drug-gist Williams. Frank Stites has moved from Le-

Coney avenue to North 40th street, Philadelphia. Freeholder Joel Horner resigned as Director of the Board at the meeting

on Wednesday. Mrs. Charles Lippincott was the happy recipient of an 1898 chainless wheel last week.

There will be another voter in Ed-

ward Allen's family twenty one years from last Saturday. Architect B. R. Stevens, of 519 Le-

Coney avenue has received a flattering offer to go to Pittsburgh

come known. Push it along! Mrs. James Conroy and children, of

Camden, were up over Sunday visiting her sister Mrs. Captain Gracey. Miss Mary E. Wimer, of Philadel-

phia, a former resident of Palmyra, visited relatives here on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews, of Wilmington, Del., have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. T. Williams.

Thomas Allen. The prizes was captured by Mrs. Warren Miller, Mr. Lippincott, Mrs. Lippincott and Mr. Fraley.

From the elegant solitaire diamond ring worn by Frank Fraley it looks as it be had struck it rich on the Klonard Palmyra's less than half that of Camden and Philadelphia.

Fremont Miller is confined to his ome with erysipelas in his hand brought on from an injury while at

Mr. and Mrs. John Bellerjeau, Jr., of Philadelphia, were up on Wednesday to his mother, whose health is not

Assessor Blackburn reports there were 43 births, 24 deaths and 5 marriages in Palmyra for the year ending February 8th. The lodge of Brotherhood of the

Union received an application last Tuesday and will initiate a candidate The indian girl Gail H. Antoine who has been living with Mrs. Charles

Lippincott has gone to Moorestown to live on a farm. Rev. Mr. Copeland, the new pastor of the Baptist church, has moved to Rev. S. F. Gaskill's house, Fifth and

Let your friends in typhoid stricken Philadelphia know that not a single case of typhoid fever has orginated in

Palmyra for years! Robert McBride who has been ailing for some time, died last Friday evening

aged 80 years. He was buried of Monday at Cedar Hill. The sign boards at cross roads in the

county should be kept in good condi-tion. They are very necessary for the guidance of strangers. Rev. L. H. Copeland, pastor of the Baptist church, will take for his sub-

ject on Sunday morning, "Christianity vs. Religion," Acts x1: 26. The delinquent tax list will be published next week. Those who do not want their names in print had better

visit Collector Strong at once. The cement sidewalks have saved doctor's bills by keeping the school

children from having damp and wet feet! Ask your doctor about it. Camden's death rate for the year ending June 30, 1896 was 19.97 per thousand; Palmyra's for the same period was only 8.4 less than half!

Last Sunday was the banner day at the Methodist Sunday School, there being 376 present and the missionary collection was also the largest, being

There were 227 persons at the various cottage prayer meetings of the Methodist church on Monday night. It is expected that the extra revival

A number of our sports attended a pool match for a pig last Sunday over at Jack Hytton's. The pig was captured by a Palmyra young man, and will be served roasted next Sunday

The proprietor of a paper up the State has concluded to allow his advisers to run the paper for a short time to suit themselves. He has received so much advice about it that he wants

The suit of George B. Land Came off before Squire Hires and a jury on Monday. Lloyd was represented by C. T. Atkin:on, Esq., and Maires by Lawyer Crandle. The jury and morn-squire and memorable day morn-squire and memorable day morn-squire and memorable day w. S. Tees, 1 to see it put into effect.

peing over 50 more than ever comnuned before at one service Nine teen more new converts were taken in on probation making 53 so far as a result of the present revival.

Thomas Watson at his residence on Morgan avenue on Thursday evening Among those present were: Mr. and McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Wimer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sackarnd, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. S.

Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. George Seal. County Superintendent Stees is desirious of having every Board of Education in Burlington county represented at the meeting to be held at the Court House, Mount Holly, on Satur day, February 19. Some of the sub-

jects to be discussed are "District Taxation," "Better Rural School Buildings," "Township Supervision of Schools," "Selection of Teachers," and Mrs. Savage, of Germantown, has been visiting Mrs. George H. Wiggins.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clifton enter tained quite a number of friends at a "donkey party" on Monday evening. Among those present were: Mrs. James Small and son, of Camden; Mr nd Mrs. Charles S. Atkinson and daughter, Ellen; Mrs. George Shaner and son; Frank Mathews and son Mrs. McCurdy, Eddie Stout, Mrs. Faunce and children; Anne, Harry and Bessie Bardsley, Jacob Lamb Miss Elking Wolf, Mrs. Simous and Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippin-

present were: Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Wallace, Misses Minnie, Lizzie and Ella Wallace, Josiah Wallace, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yost, Miss May Yost, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Shane, and Miss Mary Schroepfer. All had a good time and left for home

at a late hour, leaving a number of ementos of the occas Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathews, of Horace avenue, nicely entertained a number of friends last Saturday evening, by giving a progressive euchre party. Among those present were Miss. A. Scheerer, of Philadelphia, Mrs. E. D. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eckstine, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. Warren R. Miller, Miss Ada Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Miller, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Faunce, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Curdy, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fraley, William Code,

Every resident of Palmyra knows that it is a very healthy town but few are aware that the average death is so much below that of the cities.

The News is preparing a comparitive table of Palmyra with Camden and Philadelphia which will be published next week which it is hoped our residents will give the widest circulation, especially among their friends in the cities so that the advantages of a residence here, from a health standpoint, can be appreciated.

If our healthful location, pure water, sandy soil with gravel subsoil (which allows the water to soak away), cement sidewalks (which are conducive to health) were spread abroad as they should be, there would not be an empty house in the town and Palmyra

Push it along!

From present indications there will not be many changes among our busi-

ness men this spring. If you want a pair of boots to last four years, melt and mix four ounces of mutton tallow; apply the mixture while warm and rub well in; and then

The notices of executors adminis trators, guardians and trustees who intend making settlement at the April term of Court should be sent in for publication to this office at once.

It has been learned that of the property owners along the road from Mount Holly to Burlington the necessay two-thirds are willing to sign a petition for the road provided others interested and to be benefited thereby will raise \$1,000 and distribute it pro-Linda Sharp. Edith Cline, Stella Evaul, Lewis Bowker, E. Wiggins,

The sixtieth session of the New Jering arrangements the date was fixed upon the 30th of March. Bishop C. C. McCabe, better known as Chaplain McCabe, will preside, and this will be his first visit to the Conference since

Katie Zweigg, Dorothy Brown, Helen Barry, Lillian Scheiss, A special meeting of the Township committee was held in Society Hall Florence Powell, Frank Thatcher, Charles Hampson, on Tuesday evening, to close up business for the fiscal year. The following Frank Bell, Edward Willar,

bills were ordered paid : C. P. Dilks, blacksmithing,

W. J. McDevitt 6 "
Stewart Westney, 7 "
Society Hall Association, 22 meetings,
George E. Davis, groceries, (poor order
W. R. S. Fluck, coal, "
A. V. Horner, Overseer of Poor,
"
" Constable,
" Pound Keeper,
Commissioner of Appeal,
F. Blackburn, Assessor,
" Secretary and Inspector
of Board of Health,
Townshin Committee, 23 meetings,
Board of Health,
Dr. L. L. Sharp, Township Physician,
F. W. Smith. Township clerk,
Frank R. Grubb, constable,
Wm. B. Strong, col'ector,
" treasurer,

cause the affidavits were not according

Mr. Strong's bill for \$50.00 for col-lecting the sidewalk monies was referred to the Soliciter for approval. The annual report was ordered

printed in News. Freeholder was accepted.

Political Pointers.

As nothing is to be seen or heard on the righto, the "Observer" will make his bow and retire, but should be learn of anything new, will apprise OBSERVER. you of the same.

W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Huff, was well attended on Wednesday. The meeting for next week will held at the home of Mrs. Cline, Morgan avenue below Fourth street; the reports of Superintendents

PUBLIC SCHOOL AVERAGES AND PROMOTIONS.

MISS WILSON'S ROOM

E. Keil,

N. Pierce, E. Smith, K. Murphy, MISS WILBRAHAM'S ROOM—P Lizzie Wallace. Emma Yost, Victoris Lawson, Jennie Crowell, Edna Zayotti, Willie Rudderow, Mary Rapp, Ethel Griscom, Ethel Bramall, II. Mac Millan, dorton, tie Matthews,

MISS RIANEAR'S ROOM. Emily Lloyd,

MISS ECKHARDT'S ROOM

MISS BOAL'S ROOM.

MISS ELY'S ROOM.

MISS DOVER'S ROOM.

DROWNED IN THE DELAWARE

On last Friday evening there was

sad ending to the joy of a merry party of young people who were on the ice on the river between Bristol and Bur-

lington. The party consisted of Nellie

pled for night and day. It was thought

ing, without revealing any trace of the

uch sought body.
The escape of Miss Fields' sister and

from the effects of her cold bath, but

is still suffering from exposure and

A personal reward of \$25.00 has

It is a pity that some gunner did not

wher he made his appearance on ('an-

Edward Willar,
Leon Joyce,
Etta Hampson,
Lillian Hilbourn,
Edna Smith,
Francis Durgin,
George Stoer,
Claude Stowell,
Gussie Gerkens,
Emmerson McLaughlin,
George Shade

George Shade, Eddie Huff, P. Beswick,

MISS DO

Henry Albright,
Bertha Ayres,
Ella Davis,
Gertrude Denny,
Helen Elwell,
Olive Evaul,
Louis Faunce,
Reba Hall,
Thomas Hamilton,
Brewster Jackson,
Ethel Mac Donald,
M. Mac Donald,
W. Richter,
Guy Sleeper,
Bessie Swope,
Reta Umstead,
Miriam Willar.

Miriam Willar, Emma Windish,

16.92 7.14

rata among the signers. This also, it is understood, can be accomplished. sey Annual Conference of the Metho-dist Episcopal church will be held at dist Episcopal church will be held at Camden, commencing on Wednesday, March 30th, which is a week later than usual. A number of the members of the conference wished the time for the meeting of the conference to be changed to the second week in April, but as that would interfere with exist.

his elevation to the episcopacy.

CLOSING OF THE YEAR.

The bill of Winfield Land for \$10.40 for chickens killed was not paid be-

The resignation of Joel Horner as

Adjourned.

PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE PARTY. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippincott gave a large Progressive Euchre on last Thursday evening. Among those present were: Miss Annie Justus, Mr. P. Justus, Mr. and Mrs. M. Taylor Rue, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark, Miss A. Scheerer and Miss L. Swift, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McCurdy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Eckstein, Mrs. E. D. Stewart, Mrs. Fremont Miller, Miss Ada Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Warren R. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. L. Faunce, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. F. Frailey. There were seven ta-A surprise party visited Mrs. Andrew Wilkins on Monday evening at her home on West Broad street in feature. The prize winners were: loosened her grasp and sank.

Residents of Bristol, some of whom her home on West Broad street in feature. The prize winners were: honor of her birthday. Among those Mrs. J. Eckstein, Mr. T. V. McCurdy, ss w the accident, hastened to the spot.

Miss L. Swift, and Mrs. L. Faunce. COMMUNICATED.

As nothing has been heard from the Red Hot Orator it is presumed that he climbed a tree and pulled the tree up

that her corpse had become fastened to the sleigh, but that vehicle was pulled to the surface Saturday morn-His candidate for Assessor, the nice young man, surely does not know that being backed by the "Czar" means

their male companions was almost miraculous. All of them were in the water, with nothing but floating cakes of ice for support.

Miss Lizzie Fields has recovered

grief over the loss of her sister. The Mother's Meeting at the home been offered for the recovery of the body by Mayor Wm. E. McNeal, of blow the ground hog into smithereens

PRESS SUPERINTENDENT.

500 TONS

Old Lehigh Coal at City Prices. If you go to Philadelphia for DRESSMAKER'S TRIMMINGS, Still selling 2240 pounds. Do not miss this opportunity before coal goes higher.

W. R. S. FLUCK.

BEVERLY. Winter is not over yet.

Thomas Burnett, of Palmyra, was calling on friends in this city, on Wed-

Thomas Shoemaker, of Philadelphia-was calling on friends in this city on Sunday. Alvin Suyder, of Philadelphia, former resident, is visiting friends this city.

Miss Lizzie Maroney, of Philadelbia, is visiting Miss Tressa T. Cain, of Edward Caterall, of Broad Street, is

serving on the petit jury at Mount Holly this week. Six persons were admitted to membership on Sunday in the Beverly Presbyterian church.

There will be an all day meeting in Benjamin F. Hesser, of Philadelphis, was in this city on Tuesday. Beverly Lodge, No. 94., I. O. G. T., meets every Friday evening in the Odd Fellows' lodge room, and is anx-

Freeholder Turner Birkhead, of this city, attended the regular quarterly meeting of the Board at the Court House, Mount Holly, on Wednesday. William Haufler has sold his bakery business to a gentleman from Phil-adelphia, and has moved with his family to one of Robert Archibald's houses on Walnut street.

The Beverly polo club will play Burlington a deciding game in the rink at Burlington, Saturday evening. A good exciting game is promised as Burlington is auxious to down our boys. George Johnson, chief engineer of the Cinnaminson Electric Light Com-pany, who has resided on Cooper street

side on Thursday in order to be nearer Miss Nellie Fields, of Burlington, who met such a cruel fate by breaking through the ice and drowning at that place on Friday evening was well known in this city. The bady has not yet been recovered.

or a number of years, moved to River-

Perhaps many of the scholars of the Farnum School who attended during the war of the Rebellion, may remem-ber Professor Eli Y. Bruce, who was teacher of vocal music at the time and who sed to thrill the young hearts with patriotism with war songs like "Just Before the Battle, Mother," "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," and many others of Heory C. Work's composition. Professor Bruce died suddenly at his home in Philadelphia last Thursday, and was buried at West Laurel Hill Cemetery on Tuesday. He was in his 74th year. When the Union League, of Beverly, held public meetings in Farnum Hall during the Civil War, Professor Bruce also sang

the patriotic songs of the day. An all-day Pentecostal meeting was held in the Methodist Episcopal church, this city, on Tuesday, from the early morn hour of seven to the stroke of eleven, near mid-night. Seven services were held during the day, inter-cepted with solos, duets, etc. The Rev. J. L. Howard was the presiding pastor, and was ably, wisely and dili-gently assisted by Rev. George Ridout, of Delanco, Rev. W. N. Ogborn, Mis. Emma Horner, Rev. George W. Pow-ell, of Gloucester, Rev. Charles A. Tushingham, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Loper, singers, of Camden. The latter had charge of the song service from 6.30 to 7.30 P. M. During it they rendered several most excellent duetts, which made the air flow with melodious vibrations. One very noticeable disappointment of the evening was the absence of Dr. H. L. Gilmour, of Philadelphia, who was detained by a heavy cold. A vast number of people were present from Burlington, Bordentown, Delanco, Riverton, Camden and other places within a radius of ten miles. An almost constant throng passed to and fro through the church doors, and at several services in particular, especi-ally at night, the seats were at a pre-

and Lizzie Fields, Mark Laumaster, Budd Hughes, Daniel Potts, Theodore Anderson and Richard Severns. A sleigh stood near the wharf and the young men suggested a ride to Bristol. The girls got in and the men pulled the sleigh. As they reached the Bristol side one of the runners of the sleigh slipped into a crack in the ice. There was evidently a thin place there, for the ice gave way and the whole party mium, even the gallery being crowded. Bountiful meals were served in the chapel to all visitors. It is stated that over 800 people were thrown in the water. Hughes were present at one time during the evening service. Several conversions Potts, and Anderson got out quickly, but Severns and the two girls were not so fortunate. The sleigh sank like a stone. Nellie Fields was drowned. This is a memorable event in the church history of this city, and a bet As she sank she grabbed young Sev-erns by the leg. Laumaster threw him an overcoat and hauled the young ter meeting will not be witnessed in Beverly for many years, and the Methodist people deserve great credit for the energetic and able manner in which the whole service was conducted. man out, but, unfortunately, the gir

Mr. F. C. Helbig, a prominent druggist of Lynchburg, Va., says: "One of our citizens was cured of rheumatism of two years standing, by one bottle of Chamber-lain's Pain Balm. This liniment is The survivors were taken to a hotel in that city, where they were kindly cared for and sent home when able The drowned girl was 17 years of age. Her body has not been recovered, although it was assiduously grapfamous for its cures of rheumatism; thousands have been delighted with the prompt relief which it affords. For sale

y G. T. Williams, Druggist.

THEY DO THE WORK HOMEOPATHIC TO Remedies

Head Troubles Stomach Disorders System Irregularities "For every ill. a special pill." If not at Drug Stores, write BROWN CHEMICAL CO.,

Health Book Mailed Free.

Relieve and Cure

OYSTERS, CLAMS AND FISH

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

CHAS, SMITH, 115 W. BROAD ST.,

PALMYRA, N. J.

C. H. SEYBERT,

5 West Broad Street

PALMYRA. PURE MILK & CREAN

CAN BE HAD ANY TIME AT MILK DEPOT.

LECONEY AVE., ABOVE FOURTH ST. where a Fresh supply is always kept on hand.

day as usual. MRS. JOHN SCHROEPFER.

P. S.—My wagon runs twice

HARNESS Collars, Hames, Sad-

dles, Robes, Horse Clothing and Stable Goods, at Philadel-phia Prices. BLANKETS ROBES & BREAST SHIELDS

PALATE PLEASING

105 W. Broad St., Palmy

That is our Business OUT GRAHAM BREAD

P. MUELLER BAKER. BROAD ST., BELOW LECONEY AVE.

N. B .- Parties and Weddings served at ELMER SHANE.

Movings to and from the City promptly at PRICES REASONABLE. Care in hauling goods a specialty.

CARL A. PETERSON, of 223 Horace Av. takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public in

Residence—Horace Avenue near Fourth

general that he is now in the Merchant Tailoring

at the S. W. Cor. 11th and Sansom Streets, Phila., where he carries a full line of seasonable goods at most reasonable

TAILORS. S. W. COR. 11th AND SANSOM STS., PHILADELPHIA, PA.

PETERSON & CO.,

NOTICE. We hold a meeting every Thursday even-ing, at 8 o'clock, for the promotion of Scrip-tural Holiness and the Salvation of Souis To which we kindly invite people of all de-

CHARLES S. VOORHIS, DENTIST. Morgan Avenue and Fourth Street

PALMYRA, N. J.

YOUR TIME WILL BE WASTED

HOSIERY, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS or BRIC-A-BRAC when you can buy them of us at Philadelphia Prices.

Dr. D. Jayne & Sons

TROTH & CO., Broad St., opp. Station, Palmyra.

JUST RECEIVED

Very Extra Fancy Head Rice, 3 pounds 25 cents. Largest Fancy Prunes this week 10 cents a pound. Very Choice Prunes, large size, 4 pounds 25 cents. Choice Apricots this week 3 pounds 25 cents. We have the finest quality large can tomatoes 12 cents a

Hand made axe handles 25 cents worth 40 cents. Sifted Early June Peas, 15 cent goods, this week 12½c. Very Finest Syrup 10 cents a quart.

"N.O. Molasses, 15 cents a quart. Best Sugar Cured Hams, Dried Beef, Pure Lard. Pillsburys XXXX Flour 85 cents a quarter.

Gold Standard Flour makes customers, 75 cents a quarter JOS. M. ROBERTS.

Paints, Oils, Glass, Crockery, Wooden and Hardware.

THE BEST MEATS OF ALL KINDS

PALMYRA MARKET C. W. JOYCE.

WALTON & BIRD,

GENERAL MASONS AND CONTRACTORS.

Jobbing a Specialty. Shop on Cinnaminson Avenue adjoining Williams' Drug Store. P. O. Address, Box 331 Palmyra, N. J.

W. L. BERRY.

WATCHMAKER AND IEWELER 22 South Second Street,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Repairing a Specialty.

MILK FOR PURE MILK AND CREAM

CALL AT

717 MORGAN AVENUE. Where milk can be had at any time except Sunday, but delivered daily. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.

J. FRANK CLARK.

GET YOUR COAL

COAL & ICE CO.,

THE PEOPLE'S

PALMYRA, N. J. Prices for Ice 1897, are as follows: 8 POUNDS DAILY, 5 CENTS OF 35 CENTS PER WEEK. 10 " 63

40 to 100 Pounds, at rate of Forty Cents per hundred.

Also hauling of all kinds. Particular care and attention

13 "

given to movings. Prices moderate. HENRY KERSWILL, Prop.

GEO. ATACK,

Laying drains etc., or work by the day.

Contractor for Landscape Gardening, Grading, Digging Cel-

lars, and Cesspools, Cutting Grass, Keeping Lawns in Order,

PRICES REASONABLE. Residence, Corner Fifth and Cinnaminson Ave., Palmyra.

FOR ALL THE LOCAL NEWS KEAD

THE WEEKLY NEWS

Nervous

so weak; why they get tira so easily; why they start at every slight but sudden sound; why they do not sleep naturally; why they have frequent headaches, indigestion and nervous

Dyspepsia

The explanation is simple. It is found in that impure blood which is continling the nerves upon refuse instead of the elements of strength and vigor. In such condition opiate and nerve compounds simply deaden and do not cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla feeds the nerves pure, rich, red blood; gives natural sleep perfect digestion, is the true remedy for all nervous troubles.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Hood's Pills take, easy to operate. 250



LLII GREASE BEST IN THE WORLD.

FOR SALE BY DEALERS GENERALLY. 191 859-1. B. SEELEY-1894.

The only "SKELEY" ever known in the trade.
Original Promoter, Manufacturer and Introducer of Hard insider Trains. Correct Adaptation—Skilling Adjustment—Reliable Dealings—Pavorable Pricos Authentic Methods for the Soccoopial Treatment of Hernia or Hapture. See Gross and Agnew's Surgey and be seen only at his New Establishment, 1927 Hardan Seet, Philadelphia. Private Apartments for Ladice of CAUTION—Acond-Seeley "impersonators."

PILES OR HEMORRHOIDS CURED I'Y PAINLESS METHODS

Responsible persons need not pay untind for pamphlet containi testimonials

219 S. 13th St.,

Peirce School

by THOMAS MAY PEIRCE, A. M., Ph. D. Couples systematic busi-ness training with a practical, sound and useful English educa-tion. It offers three full courses:— Business, Shorthand and Type-writing, English; the whole con-stituting an ideal combination. tituting an ideal combination. Graduates are cheerfully assisted

Both Day and Night Sessions are now running. Students received at any time. rhenning control contr



The Pathlight

THE PLACE & TERRY MFG. CO., 247 Centre St., New York.

Where You're Blind You'll See

what a mistake you made in not taking care of your eyes when you had them. If they pain you, call on me; I will examine them aithout charge and tell you how to correct the trouble with the least expense and the





ALBA DENTISTS.
Offices:—1006 MARKET STREET.

1123 CHESTNUT STREET,
117 NORTH EIGHTH ST.,
1918 DIAMOND STREET,
2508 KENSINGTON AVE.,
PHILADELPHIA PENNA.

FLAVELL'S ELASTIC TRUSSES Single, 83.00. Double, 85.00.

Fitted with our celebrated Pneumatic Pads: can be worn day and night with comfort and ease.

Sold by Physicians or direct from us. Circular free.

1005 SPRING GARDEN ST., PHILADELPHIA, PA

Plant Keiffer Pears.

A GREAT ADVOCATE.

uous for his great learning, his wor

Wood, I would like to have your opin-

ion on these papers." "Give me the papers and come back tomorrow," said the

and the latter said, "Fifty dollars,"

and notbing more. The client was in-telligent and assumed that he should

pay him that sum, which he did. After

my papers, Mr. Wood?" "They are not

court one day when he arose to argue

a case, and as he arose his coattails

caught the back of the chair and hung

over it. Wood stood up and spoke,

"On one occasion a young lawyer

NUT TREES.

Plant the Nuts, and the Trees Will Grov

The age at which any nut trees con

into bearing depends on the care given

to the trees. Some authorities state that

15 or 20 years are necessary to bring them into full bearing from the time the nut is planted. This is a mistake,

as trees that have been well cared for

should bear a bushel of nuts in ten years,

and the quantity will increase rapidly

Some persons may enjoy raising these

trees from seed. To be sure it is rather

a slow process, but it is interesting

have thin shells be perfectly sure that they have not dried out at all. The best

plan is to get them as soon as they ripen

and plant them at once. When this is

not possible, keep them in moist sand or

in sawdust until they can be started

Butternuts, walnuts, hickory nuts and

filberts, being hard shelled, will keep in

growing condition much longer, but

germinate better when allowed to freeze,

The fall planting is nature's own

the better results we may expect. An-

other thing, do not plant the nuts deep. Nature drops them on the surface and

gives them a thick covering of leaves in

which the dirt catches as it blows about,

hen the snow covers all and helps the

leaves to decay and form a covering of leaf mold for the tree to grow in.

It is not practicable for any of us to

try to raise all these kinds of nuts, but

our children will and theirs after them.

They were out for a stroll. She no-

ticed her husband throw a glance at her

very decided manner, as though in search of something. He appeared per-

"What is the matter, James?" she

"I am looking to see if I can find ou

"What is it?" she asked quietly. She

had similar experiences and meant to get

fails to reveal any sign of mud. It

"Oh, that is easily explained!" re-

cause I have no trousers pocket to stuff

He muttered something about its be

ing useless to talk to a woman, took his

hands out of his pockets and swung

them about to the inconvenience of the pedestrians.—Pearson's Weekly.

Olive shaped buttons covered with gilt, silver, black and colored silks are

one of the fancies in dress trimming

and is an old fashion revived. One pret

ty example of their use is in a collar

band of white satin made in two nar-

row bands, with several rows of ma-

chine stitching for a finish, and put to-gether with one row of little gold clives not much more than half an inch long

and a little distance apart, forming an

is of the usual width and not at all a

A swallow is considered one of the

fastest of flying birds, and it was

thought until recently that no insect

could escape it. A naturalist tells of an

exciting chase he saw between a swal-

low and a dragon fly, which is among

the swiftest of insects, the latter finally

It is stated that animal life appears

to be almost absent in the neighborhood

of the north pole. Beyond latitude 88

degrees the Fram met with neither whales, seals, walrus nor bears, though

dog fishes were seen as high \$85 de-

"I can't afford," said the man of

moderate means, "to go to many places of amusement, but I am admitted free

escuping.

even at the first chance.

hasn't rained for a week."

-Vick's Magazine.

ect the ones most likely to succeed in

as that cracks the shell.

uld be planted in the fall, as they

each year after that time.

never once did those coattails move.

aiting awhile he asked, "What about

The Lotel Diln't Barn, but if It Had He Good Stories of George Wood, a Lawyer There are still some members of the

"Do you believe that we are some New York bar who remember George Wood, the contemporary of Daniel Lord, Ogden Hoffman, William Kent, times forewarned of great dangers?" asked the commercial traveler. you ever have—what you call it?—pre-monitions? Well, I was premonished the other night. I had to put up at a James T. Brady and other distinguished lawyers of many years ago. The venerable Benjamin D. Silliman has de-scribed George Wood as being conspic-uous for his great learning, his wonderjunction botel, and they sent me clear up to the top of the building into one of those rooms with a slauted celling. You know the kind. You pay for the ful power in stating his cases and his room, and the roof occupies it. mathematical power in argument. He was a great advocate. Frederic R. Cou-There was one window. I looked dert some time ago told the following story of Mr. Wood: "I can remember, out of the window, and it seemed to be

PREPARED FOR THE WORST.

at least 60 feet down to the ground. It was a wooden building, and an old one, understand? While I was looking out of and the engine threw out a million

story of Mr. Wood: "I can remember, looking back to early boyhood, that vanerable figure and recall speaking to one of his contemporaries about him. The person to whom I spoke said, 'Yes, a client of mine got an opinion from George Wood once.' 'Well,' I said, 'how was it done, how much did he shares.' for some in these could done sparks. "'Well,' I says to myself, 'I can see my finish right now. There'll be 40 trains going by on these two roads tothe professional instinct asserted itself.
'I will tell you,' my friend replied.
'My client went to him and said, "Mr. this hotel is going to catch fire.' I looked out again. There wasn't any fire escape, and they didn't have any rope in the room. You see, in a good many places like that they have a big coil of rope in one corner and a sign that says, 'In case of fire take hold of the rope and great lawyer. The papers were produced and the client departed. The next day he presented himself before Mr. Wood, jump.' A man reads that sign and then ne cau't sleep all night. "Well, I looked out of the window

again, and a switch engine pulled past and shot out a lot of live cinders as big as your fist. That settled it. I went over to the bed and found it had two sheets. I took out my pencil and figured that I worth a d-n," replied Mr. Wood, and ould tear each sheet into four strips, e made no further comment on the nd, allowing for the knots, each sheet would make about 24 feet of fire escape, lthough, of course, there would I the following: "George Wood was the personification of logic and cold as ome waste where I would have to tie it to the bed. I figured that I could push end of my rope to the headboard and play out about 45 feet. I had it all -some water all ready in the bowl, so as to dampen the knots and pull them hard. Of course I still had some dis-tance to fall after I got to the end of should think for fully two hours, but my rope, but that was all right You know, as soon as I had my rope fixed I who had engaged George Wood to try a case was asked, 'How did the judge was going to drop the mattress, so as to charge the jury?' 'Oh, George Wood have something to fall on. charged the jury,' was the reply."— New York Times.

"I took my cardcase, watch, money and keys and tied them in a handker chief, which I very carefully placed on the window sill, so that it would not be overlooked in the hurry of getting way. There didn't seem to be anything ise that I could do until the alarm wa ziven, so I turned in and fell asleep ight away. I wasn't worrying, because was ready, no matter what happened I had been asleep about three minutes, t seemed to me, when somebody pound ed at my door and told me to get up; that it was 7 o'clock. I got up and dressed, and you can imagine how badly I was disappointed. Oh, I was sore! But, say, suppose the hotel had caught fire. Wouldn't that have been a star story?"-Chicago Record.

SERPENT POISON.

The Venom of the Cobra Is Deadly A

It was in the autumn of 1891 tha Calmette, while acting as director of the Bacteriological institute of Saigon, Cochin China, first commenced his exeriments on the neutralization of serent venom in the animal system. He had exceptional opportunities in the matter of serpent venom wherewith to village in the vicinity of Bac-Lieu ud by order of the governor of the district no fewer than 90 specimens of the terrible Naja tripudians, or cobra de caello, were forwarded in a barrel to the

Forty of these reptiles arrived alive. and several were at once sacrificed to secure their venom glauds. Each gland, resembling both in size and shape a shelled almond, contains about 80 drops our climate, and by proper care and at-tention make a success of it. We may not reap the benefit of our labors, but of venom, and in this transparent limp-id liquid is embodied a toxine of extraordinary strength. As is well known, this cobra is the most dreaded of all serpents, nd it is widely distributed over India, Burma, Sumatra, Java, Malacca and Cochin China. Until Calmette, however, set to work to systematically study the nature of this reptile's venom, but little precise or reliable information had been and then look about the ground in a btained as to its character. It was, of ourse, necessary in the first instance to scertain within as narrow a limit as possible, the exact degree of toxic power inherent in the venom, and to deter inquired, beginning to feel anxious. "Have you lost anything?" mine, if possible, the precise dose lethal in respect of each variety of animal ex-perimented upon.

A correct calculation of the quantity

why it is," was his response. "It is in-comprehensible to me, and I should like to have it explained." of venom required in every case was, however, found to be quite impossible, for so virulent is the poison that a sinbegan to grasp the situation. She had gle drop of an emulsion produced by pounding up 8 glands in 800 grams of distilled water is safficient, when in-"I can't understand why you are holding your skirt with one hand. Your troduced into the vein of a rabbit's ear, to kill it in five minutes. All the mam-mals to which Calmette administered dress isn't long and a careful look round his cobra venom, such as monkeys, dogs, rabbits, guinea pigs, rats, succumbed more or less quickly, according to the size of the dose.—Longman's turned the lady sweetly. "I do that be-

Magazine. The Peacock at Home

'The real home of the peacock or peafowl is in India. There they were and are hunted, and their flesh is used for food. As the birds live in the same region as the tiger, peacock hunting is : very dangerous sport. The long train of the peacock is not its tail, as many sup-pose, but is composed of feathers which grow out just above the tail and are called the tail coverts. Peacocks have been known for many hundred years. They are mentioned in the Bible. Job mentions them, and they are mentioned, too, in I Kings x. Hundreds of years ago in Rome many thousand peacock were killed for the great feasts which the emperors made. The brains of the peacock were considered a great treas open insertion. This collar is shaped to flare out a little from the neck, but it and many had to be killed for a singl east -St. Nicholas

capable of great acts of love is ever the one who is doing considerable small

The tailors in Paris make clothes "s l'Anglais " (in English fashion), and he London tailors "a la Francaise" (in French fashions

In Asia the average number of inhabitants per square mile is 48; in Africa, 15; in America, 8; in Australia, 1.

asy to Take masy to Operate Are features peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in

to the play with the longest run on record, "The Struggle of Life." "—New York Sun.

About the year B. C. 220 edible serpents were sold at a penny each in the Egyptian markets. They were shipped to Rome. Write BROWN BROS., CO., Rochester, N. Y.

CO., Rochester, N. Y.

The Sudan expedition, while engaged in laying the new Nile railway, saw some remarkable mirages. From a distance the men appeared to be working in a beautiful take, and on all sides were to be seen lakes, beautifully woodware to be seen lakes, beautifully

HOMING PIGEONS.

PROGRESS MADE IN BREEDING AND TRAINING THESE BIRDS

The Great Service They Rendered During the Siege of Paris-The Prices Paid For Them In England Range From 85 to

with homing pigeons. The former is a fancy pigeon, especially prized for the argeness of its eye and wattles, but juite uscless as a messenger. Both are cousins of the drugon, but the fancier, y for points, color, shape, etc., while be homing pigeon fancier cares nothing for these things. With him it has been dsome is as handsome does," and stamina with intelligence has been his

contain head of all the varieties, the blue rock itself. The bird, in fact, has een made and is the product purely of that game of extermination known as 'the survival of the fittest." The one thing which gave the fillip to the sport was undoubtedly the siege of Paris. The French fought and lost one great battle after another till they were driven within the iron walls of Paris. Then it was that the city, entirely surrounded by the allied forces, found herself out off from all communication with the outer world. A few patriotic fanciers offcred their birds to the government, and so was organized the pigeon post, by which means the government was kept alive to the doings of the besiegers, and the besieged could receive communications from their friends ontside The modus operandi was this: A bal-loon left Paris, taking with it a pannier of pigeons, and, once clear of the Prusdan outposts, the balloonist made his way for some recognized center.

then, by means of photography, reduced so that a page of The Times could appear on a small piece of paper or film wo inches by an inch or so. In this way a single pigeou was -the bearer of upward of 800 messages, the aggregate cost of which to the senders was con-siderably over £100. The first three pigeous carried in this way over 1,000 atches. Upward of 115,000 official and private messages were brought into Paris by the pigeous, and the records of the pigeon and balloon service of the siege of Paris certainly read more like a romance of the Jules Verne type than simple historical facts. The services red during the memorable siege set all the world a-wondering, with the result that nearly all the governments of Europe (our own being the great exeption) at once established military ofts, which have been extended on every and and are being perfected.

While the governments thus recognized the value of the homing pigeon for military purposes a few stalwart fanciers in this country discovered a new medium of sport, with the resul that J. W. Logan, M. P., and other recognized "fathers of the fancy" imported the best birds that Belgium had offer, and it is from these birds and those imported since that the racing pigeon in this country has been pro ced. I have little hesitation in saying that upward of £20,000 per annum as been spent during the last 25 years in purchasing the best birds, and that at prices from, say, 20 shillings for a matter of serpent venom wherewith to squeaker up to £60 for a proved racer carry out his investigations, inasmuch or stud bird. The first public long disas a band of cobras had recently attacked tance races in this country seem to have een organized about 1870, and from that day to the present the homing pigeon has been gradually clearing its character of being a public house play-thing, fit only for mile to three mile weeps, until now towns innumerable and villages throughout the country have their flying clubs, with a pro gramme of races starting generally at about 70 and extending in many instances up to 500 miles. Wherever, too, the Britisher has gone, there also has be taken his terrier and homing pigeon, and we now liear of the bird as a recognized institution in America, India South Africa and Australia. So rapidly has the sport extended in the last lew years that it would seem the next

50 may see the racing of homing pigeous ecognized as the world's great sport. The great ambition of the northern fancier is to fly 500 miles in the day This, up to the present, has not been accomplished, although birds have been accomplished, although birds have been home well before breakfast the morning after liberation, laving flown noward of 550 miles. The performance can, nowever, readily be done on a favorable day, and many funciors in and about London accomplished the route from Thurso, N. B., the winning bird flying 501 miles, with an average velocity o 1,454 yards per minute for the entire istance. These 500 mile performances in the day are quite common in Belgium, and the distance has also been

overed in America. You may search the whole annals of athletic performances or feats of strength, and, as far as it is possible to contrast two distinct things, the hom-ing pigeon will go one better than the est of them. Take this as an everyday example: Birds are liberated at, say. Ventnor, to fly 200 miles into the north of England, and the wind is blowing at the rate of upward of a mile a min ute dead against them, and yet dozens of the birds will be in their lofts under 100 minutes. The day may be cold, and a sleet storm or two may have to be encountered, but the result will be the same. If the day is such that the birds cannot see their way, but have to feel it, and the wind bloweth from the quarter that is neither good for man no beast, then comes "the winter of our iscontent;" we shall find the winning bird's velocity reduced to about 700 yards per minute and have a bare 5 per cent of the liberated birds home the ame day. These are the races to be won, and these are "the good 'uns to breed from" and to perpetuate the wonderful pluck and stamina of the homing pigeon.—Badminton Magazine.

Life has no other origin than life it self, and this is one of the great truths which the labors of pathologists and dologists of the present century have established beyond the possibility of a doubt if the life that is taken from life is taken from a highly developed life, so will be the wife that is taken My carnest hope and belief is that the final mystery of life, the key to life, the principle which keeps life alive, will be solved by the biologists before all the members of the present congress are dead —Professor Virchow to Inter untional Congress at Moscow, Aug 19

Remarkable Miragor

FEEDING IN AQUARIUMS.

ne Curious Methods Employed For the All fishes, including even the dullest and commonest, are likely to be shy when first brought into captivity, as in aquariums, and they are very apt at est to refuse food. Sometimes fuse persistently week after week, taking none at all and growing thinner and thinner and weaker, until finally they die. Usually, however, the fishes, with proper care, come to feed, though many of them may need to be pampered and east respect for the importance of the bathroom could treat it with such arnursed along at first. Finally many of the fishes, as they become accustomed to captivity, get very tame, so that they will take food from the hand. Some of the fishes that will do this are fishes

gers, at the same time gulping in with it noisily a great mouthful of air and While there is at first necessary for their welfare not only the greatest care, but such food only as they have been ned to in nature or as they like est, it is in most cases possible later to switch the fishes off to other things, with occasional return to their natural food. Some fishes, however, will eat only live food, and this must always be ood, whatever it may be, must be fed in some special way to meet the require-ments of individual fishes, and some of he methods employed are curious and

that might not be thought of as feeding

in this manner. The codfish, for instance, will come to the surface after it

has become used to captivity and take a

strip of fish held down to it in the fin-

Fishes in captivity have fewer opportunities, oftener they have none whatever, of lying in ambush for their rey, and they have far less room for weep and action in pursuit. Killies laced in a pool or tank as food for arger fishes evade pursuit if they can and seek the edges of the water, by the walls or the surface, whither they are less likely to be followed. Killies will less likely to be innowed.

live for days out of water in properly dampened moss or seaweed. When first put back into the water, they are sluggish in movement, but they soon re-

In feeding live killies it is not unusu al to keep them out of water for a time. that they may be more easily capared by the fishes they are to be fed to, which might otherwise be unable to capture them at all, or which might et them only at the risk of doing injury to themselves by running into the walls of the tank. Sometimes among he fishes brought to an aquarium there may be one that has lost an eye. Such a fish is particularly liable to injury in pursuit by running into walls on its blind side, and to such fishes there are always fed slow killies, and they are out into the water on the side on which

There is at the aquarium a hawksbill artle from the Yowl islands, off the coast of New Guinea. The hawksbill eats clams cut up into pieces that it can handle. It likes killies, but it could not egin to catch a live killie in the quarters which it occupies, and at first it was difficult for it to pick up dead ones. So the killies were fed to it on the point of a stick. It is doubtful whether fishes offer pain from any injury, but it would have seemed like cruelty to impale a live killie, and so the killies were killed by the very simple but effective method of throwing them upon the floor. The greater weight of the fish is toward the head. That end natrally reaches the floor first. The fish is most sensitive at the nose. The shock killed the killie, and the freshly killed food was then conveyed to the hawksbill's mouth by aid of the pointed stick, which was withdrawn when the turtle had set its beak in the food. Now the hawksbill has become more accust med to its quarters, and it eats we' and is able to pick up the killed killies out of the water.

Sometimes fish are cut into strips which, floating down through the water, may be mistaken for live fish. Sometimes such strips are carried down into a tank upon the tip of a rod and moved about in the water to attract slow feed ing fish by their semblance to live small fish. There are many fishes that car swallow a fish as big or nearly as big as themselves. The sculpin and the sea raven are such fishes. They have very large heads and proportionately large mouths. When they are feeling well, they will, like many other fishes, rise to the top to get the food as soon as it is dropped into the water. If one sees a sea raven or a sculpin rising straight up through the water in this manner. with its big mouth wide open, he can begin to understand how it could swallow a fish as big as itself, for it seems as if one could see inside of it clear te its tail.

There are some fishes that have a par doular fancy for worms. For these, if there is not a supply at hand, fresh beef is cut into strips resembling worms.-New York Sun.

Shakespeare Letters. Is it possible that letters and papers in the handwriting of Shakespeare still survive? So much carelessness, ignorance and stupidity have been shown in dealing with old papers that it is not unreasonable to conjecture the existence of such treasures. The late Colonel John C. C. Gardingr. of Nottinghamshire. G. C. Gardiner of Nottinghamshire, descendant of Shakespeare's grandsonin-law, Sir John Barnard, once told an acquaintance that his father had inform ed him that in the muniment chest at Thurgarton (his family estate) there were family papers of the Barnards, among which were some of Shakes-peare's letters. He had several times deavored to find these letters, but 'owing to the very confused manner in which papers of all kinds were mixed together" he had not succeeded.

The acquaintance offered to help in the investigation, but before this new search could be made Colonel Gardiner died, and his ancient family seat, The Shakespearean says, passed into the bands of a stranger under circumstances which suggest that the old papers might have been given up to those who took possession of the ancient priory. Lysons, a writer on local histories, was the brother-in-law of Colonel Gardiner, who was himself a grandson of Gilbert Cooper, the poet, who knew Shakespeare's godson, Sir William Davenant. Payne Collier called the attention of the Shakespeare society to these facts, but none of its members was, it seems, sufficiently interested to take the matter up and give it prompt investigation.-New York Tribune.

Will Learn. Jabsley—These novelists make me tired. The idea of a "withering glance!"

As if any one could be withered by a Wickwire-You are young yet, Jabsley You never stepped on your wife's train at a ball."—Pearson's Weekly.

She-What a beautiful name you have, Mr. Montrose. He—You like it, my lady? Take it.
—Detroit Free Press. WAIL OF A FLAT DWELLER.

Mr. Werkenday's Remarks on New York "A long and bitter experience partments forces me to observe," said Mr. Werkenday, shivering as he hopped on the clicloth of the bathroom with his bare feet; "that the architects who olan the ordinary flat of commerce do not bathe. I don't judge this from their appearance, because they are a particu-arly clean and nice lot of men. But I not believe that any one with the

chitectural stepfatherliness.
"It always is shoved away in a dark corner as far from the bedrooms and as near the parlor or dining room as possible. It always is dark and ve by an airshaft up which there blows perpetually a dismal draft that has something on its mind and groans about it all the time. It ought to have some-thing on its mind, for it is a sure kill-Then, of course, the bathroom, being the only place in the house where one takes off all his clothes and gets wet all over, is the place which most

frequently has no heating appliances.

"Again, why do so many architects build the washstand in the hallway instead of in the bathroom, where it b longs? I don't know whether they think that a man enjoys taking his bath in sections or whether they act on the theory that he ought to take it gradually, preparing himself for the bathtub "I asked an architect once why he

did it. 'Well,' said he, 'we hardly ever do differently except in private houses. Europeans call him, the right to take a complete bath in one room, or has evolution produced a species of flatters who naturally are incapable of doing it?
"I suppose that the smallness of bathtubs is explained by the lack of room.

Of course every flathouse bathtub is too small for any one except an infant, and I have noticed, not without some awe, that in each new flat into which we move the bathtub is smaller than it was in the one preceding. As I am growing stouter each year, a genuine mis for one whose finances make a third or fourth flat necessary, I am sure that if we make two or three more 'moves' we vill, on this scale of bathtub decrease find a bathtub into which I will not be able to get at all."-New York Press.

A TEST FOR HORSEFLESH. But Even a Chemist Cannot Always Be

"People are apt to jump at concluthe latest notable murder case. "Chemistry is a very nice science, but it is possible to make some sad blunders in applying it to law and evidence. There are certain things you can prove by it if you are sure of your premises and certain other things that you cannot. This thing of trying to prove a good deal by chemistry calls to mind the beef extract case that gave a packer in this

city considerable uneasiness.
"Somebody got hold of his beef extract and claimed that it was made from orseflesh, and it was proved by analy sis—that is, to the satisfaction of the man that analyzed it. The ordinary test for horseflesh, according to the authorities, is glycogen. This is a substance that, speaking in a general way, is found in horseflesh, but does not exist in beef, and it was shown that this par-

"The packer came to us in some distress of mind for a way out of the diffiulty. He said his extract was made of nothing but beef, and he wanted us to help him prove it, and we did so to his relief and to the satisfaction of the health officers. We demonstrated that, while an ordinary piece of beef did not contain glycogen, it existed in the heart, liver and blood of cattle, and some of each of these might have en-tered into the making of the beef extract. The result was that the chemist who had arrived at such sweeping con-clusions from the first test had to back down from his position."-Chicago

The new ribbons are very attractive and are evidently going to be more than ever a feature of dress trimming. There are gorgeous plaids and the most fascinating array of stripes, up and down and across in the Roman fashion. Three or four shades of one color are striped together, with possibly a velvet stripe on one edge, and then again there are many stripes of contrasting colors blending together with a bright, pretty effect. variety, and so do glace ribbons with fancy borders. There are uncut velvet ribbons with the ribs running crosswise, some in lovely colors, the newest being a clear shade of purple blue.

In the neighborhood of the Bermudas the sea is extremely transparent, so that the fishermen can readily see the horns of the lobsters protruding from their hiding places in the rocks at considerable depth. To entice the crustaceans from these crannies they tie a lot of snails in a ball and dangle them in front of the cautious lobster. When he grabs the ball, they haul him up.

"When is Professor Frizby going on his expedition to the north pole?"
"I can't say. It has been indefinitely postponed. The professor isn't in condi-

"What is the trouble?" "He took a drink of ice water and it made him sick."-Washington Star.

widow were of different value. The lat-ter could be bought for one-half the sum which the guardian of maid was entitled to demand. A man, therefore who could not afford to buy a maiden might perhaps be able to purchase a

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent dere to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfils every wish in relieving the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that un pleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderul cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sole by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention the NEWS and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guraantee the genuineness of this offer

Had Better Consider It.

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

Those dastardly acts of reckle butchery and suicide, of which Coro-ner's juries say that "there was no apparent cause," "no reason could be found," and kindred verdicts, are puzziling the minds of very many em noralists of the present day

Undoubtedly one reason for this is that many pulpiteers and moralists study and preach more often upon "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!

he subject of angels-both good and ter and office are readily understood mon people. Hence, to read the work carefully, is to be forearmed, which is of the false theology of Spiritualism to be informed; insomuch that the otherwise unlearned may escape the calamities often consequent upon ignor-ance of Human and Demon Magnet-

Human Magnetism, or Mesmerism, low scientifically called "Hypnotism," s a mental or psycological force which often is, and always can be a stepping-stone to Demon Magnetism, which is, simply, real "Spiritual Phenomena.

This fact is not now generally known!

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 o formulate any moral criterion for

ractical 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 mil ion 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 Say iour 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 hirty 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 re-

or] considers Spiritualism to be a per-nicious force in modern society, hos-ile to all religious and he defends this view by Biblical argument and by an shows a great expenditure of energy."

REV. H. L. HASTINGS, editor of the Christian, "Mr. Dadmun's book contains a large number of facts and extracts which I am very glad to get old of. I do not doubt the general

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

OUR HOPE AND LIFE IN CHRIST :-It is a valuable book for all English eading families, and, also, for preach-

ers, lectures, and debaters against Spir

MESSIAH'S ADVOCATE:-"The book aill well repay the trouble to peruse it, in furnishing them with overwhelming evidence against the false claims of piritualism."

CAMDEN POST:—"The greatest ques-tions pertaining to Man, here and here-after, are discussed with brevity, compreensiveness and—if pointed evid from many sources are considered— with considerable ability; thus making it worthy of study by any student of human, superhuman, or Divine forces, the evil as well as the good."

REV. MILES GRANT, the well-known writer, lecturer and debater :- "It is a work for the times. It is comprehen sive, abounding in important facts just such as are needed to form a correct conclusion as to the merit of Spir tualism.

REV. G. F. HAINES, Salem, Mass. aid to the author:-"I have read every word in your book. It is a valuable work, especially for reference, and I use it as such.

MESSIAH'S HERALD :- "This work The book, "Spiritualism Examined is intended to explain the mystery of and Refuted," which is admitted to be Spiritualism. We have no doubt that wonderful compendium of facts ap- the position by the author that it is a pertaining to the great system of "Spirit- mixture of talse and real phenomena nal Philosophy," does so treat upon is correct. As to the character of the supernatural element in its workings, wil-that their origin, nature, charac- we endorse the conclusions he reaches, that the agencies at work are the in a practical way, even by the com- Devil and his angels. There is no doubt but the scathing denunciations

are justified in the premis REVIEW and HERALD, Battle Creek Mich. :- "The author occupies the true position in regard to conditional immoratity, and hence holds the only true vantage ground from which the claims of Spiritualism can be successfully re

The author shows that Spiritualism is not a humbug, as so many claim, and are thereby thrown off their guard; that it is not religion; that its claims are false; that its phenomena are beyoud human power, and that its teach ngs are destructive to morality, and

utterly blasphemous."
Dr. A. F. RANDALL, Port Huron, Mich.:—"I can conscientiously say it is a grand book—ought to be read by everybody; then philosophers would no longer go about like Diogenes with a lantern in broad daylight."

The News has already said that Spiritualism is one of the most impor-tant subjects of our time, and that this book treats it exhaustively, and refutes it completely. This work has been se-lected by the Mendota College as "spec-ially adapted to the Bible Training

This is a regular \$1.50 book but to more quickly spread its usefulness this edition has been reduced to \$1.25 postpaid. To ministers and teachers \$1.00. Address C. F. SLEEPER. Palmyra, N. J.

THE MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

The mystery of Clairvoyance, Spiritualism nd the Bible accounts of soothsayers and sersons possessed with devils, and kindred thenomena, have long puzzled many candid

"Spiritualism Examined and Refuted," Elder John H. Dadmun, is one of the m

Elder John H. Dadmun, is one of the most important works of our time; it treats the System exhaustively and "refutes" it completely.

This wore shows that much of the social and moral evil which news journals say is terribly on the increase, is traceable to the TEACHINGS of Spiritualism. Indeed a large per cent. of mysterious suicides are but results of doctrines taught by evil angels who control persons under favorable conditions and make them Destroying Mediums.

It is worthy of study by any student of human, superhuman or divine forces, the evil man, superhuman or divine forces, the evil well as the good.

No church or denomination is mentione, and nearly every quotation has its date and authority given, making the book valuable for reference.

Modern Spiritualism.

468 pp., 8 vo., large type, on fine white paper, excellent postrait of the author, bound in cloth, with stamps and edges of gold. Price \$1.25, post-paid. To ministers and teachers, \$1.00.

Address C. F. SLEEPER, Palmyra, N. J.

GUS. MOHRMAN,

PRACTICAL BOOT AND SHOEMAKER.

CUSTOM WORK A SPECIALTY.

520 LECONEY AVENUE.

REPAIRING.

Open Until 10 P. M

PALMYRA.

J. W. SHADE, Contractor & Builder.

> DLANS, specifications and estimates furnished. All work strictly first-class in every particular. Jobbing promptly attended to at reasonable rates. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.

J. W. SHADE,

P. O. BOX 866.

411 LECONEY AVENUE PALM Y

FOR ALL THE LOCAL NEWS READ

THE WEEKLY NEWS

THE WEEKLY NEWS.

C F. SLEEPER, Editor and Proprietor.

A BRIEF CHRONICLE OF CURRENT EVENTS.

PRICE, THREE UENTS.

Vol. XIV.—No. 17.

PALMYRA, N. J., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1898.

\$1.00 per annum in advance

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Leave Palmyra as follows: For Trenton, Newark and New York, 6.39, 7.39, 8.49, 10.56 a. m., 12.29 2.55, 4.00, 4.50, 5.56, 7.57 p. m., week-days; 9.47 a. in. 1.59, 6.14 p. m Sundays. Sundays.

For Riverside, Delanco, Beverly, Edgewater Park and Burlington, 6.59, 7.59, 8.49, 1955

s. m., 12.29, 2.12, 2.55, 4.00, 4.50, 5.23, 5.44

5.53, 6.25, 7.04, 7.57, 9.29, p. m., and 12.11 night, week-days, 9.47 s. m., 1.59, 6.14, and 10.28 p. m., Sundays.

For Bordentown, 6,33, 7,39, 8,49, 1,56, a, m 12,29, 2,55, 4,09, 4,70, 5,22, 5,53, 6,25, 7,57, 9,2 p, m., and 12,11 nglabt, week days, 9,47 a, m 1,59, 6,44 and 10,28 p m., Sundays, For Hightstown, Jamesburg, South Amboy, 7,30 a, m., and 4,00 p, m., week days, For tickets and further information apply to Agent at the station.

BUSINESS CARDS. Clarence 7. Atkinso

GILBERT & ATKINSON, COUNSELLORS - AT - LAW

325 Federal Street,

OFFICE, 1420 CHESTNUT ST.

PHILADELPHIA. Houses for Sale or Rent.

Building Lots for Sale. Rents collected.

Henry Hollinshed, Jr., ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

205 Market Street,

CAMDEN. N. J.



C. A. LONGSTRETH SPECIALIST IN EYE TESTING, 228 Market St. Philadelphia.

TARIFF OF ANNUAL WATER RATES

Riverton and Palmyra Water Co. PRIVATE HOUSES.

Hydrant in yard or kitchen, 1/2 in. tap, No consumer will be charged a less amo

All other kinds, special rates urinals,

THE BURLINGTON CO. SAFE DEPOSIT & TRUST CO., MOORESTOWN, N. J.

CAPITAL.....\$200,000.000. Authorized by law to act as Executor, Ad ministrator, Guadian, Trustee, Assignee Receiver, Agent, etc., and executes Trusts of every description; receives desposits of money payable by chee and allows three per cent. Anterest thereon.

OFFICERS. WILLIAM M. PAUL, President. DAVID D. GRISCOM, Vice President. WILLIAM W. STOKES, Treas. and Sec'y. CHARLES EWAN MERRITT, Solicitor.

William M. Paul, N. Newlin Stokes, M. D., Alfred H. Burr, Henry Doughten, John C. Hopkins, Locab Linningott. Josiah Lippincott, Mordecai Hunt, Chas. Ewau Merritt,

Chas. Ewau Merriti Isaac Fenimore, Howard Parry, Isaac W. Stoes, Albert Hansell, Daaid D. Griscom, William B. Lippin David Masters, Clayton Conrow, For the convenie

Subscribe for—

.: THE WEEKLY NEWS .:

BICYCLES TO HIRE No special permit is required to ride a wheel. Call on us at any time you may need one. We will fit you out with either a new or second-hand one. Our stock comprises all the latess makes.

ALL KINDS OF BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

James H. Bowers, Agt.,

S. E. COR, BROAD AND MAIN STS., RIVERTON, N. J.

Repairing a specialty.

BIOREN & CO., BANKERS.

No. 136 South Third Street,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Stocks and Bonds Bought and Sold on Commission.

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO INQUIRIES IN RELATION TO INVESTMENTS.

CHARGE STOCKS and was now resting in an easy chair before the fire, reviewing in my mind the events of the day, but try as I might to fix my thoughts upon any particular occurrence. I would in ever in the same direction the same direction the same direction.

Of Frame, Brick or Stone, Dwellings and Business Houses. Only the very best materials and lowest prices charged consistent with First-Class and Reliable Workmanship.

Numerous building plans may be seen at my office. If desired, Specifications, and estimates will be furnished at short notice. Call or Address,

JOSEPH BISHOP.

executed. Loans negotiated upon most favorable terms. Rents collected, houses for sale and to rent. 6 per cent. mortgages for sale. Fire, life and Accident Insurance. Reliable companies and lowest rates

JOHN C. BELTON, UNDERTAKER.

(Formerly with the late Samuel Jones), MOORESTOWN, N. J.

Riverton, 520 Cinnaminson Ave., Palmyra.

Telephone No. 7.

Eighteen years experience in Philadelphia.

JNO. R. PARRY.

ESTABLISHED 1838.

A large and complete stock of Fruit and Shade Trees, Evergreens and Ornamentals, Nut Bearing Trees In great variety. Flowering shrubbery, climbing vines, hardy oranges, Eleagnus, Longipes, Buffalo Berries, Rock, Mountain Atleberries, and many other valuable novelties. Small Fruit Plants Grape Vines, Etc., Etc., Etc.

Illustrated Descriptive Calalogue Free. rsian Walnut Kaghazi,

Wm. PARRY, Parry, N. J.

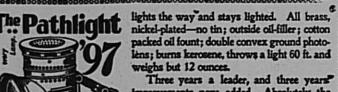


of Messrs. Srtawbridge & Clothier's, where it is served free of charge. It is packed, ground, pulverised and whole bean, in one pound non-metalic-boxes and is for sale in Riverton and Palmyra, and by all the leading Philadelphia grocers. 38c a pound.

HENRY A. FRY & CO.,

131 MARKET ST., PHILADELPHIA. ROASTERS AND PACKERS, The above Coffee used and recommended by Mrs. S. T. Rorer, Phila.

For Sale by J. M. Roberts, Chas, Lloyd and H. K. Read



Three years a leader, and three years mprovements now added. Absolutely the nandsomest and best bicycle lamp ever made.

Sold by all leading dealers.
THE PLACE & TERRY MFG. CO., 247 Centre Street, New York.

WHEN I GET TIME

When I get time,
I'll write some letters then
That I have owed for weeks and weeks
To many, many men.

When I get time,
I'll pay those bills I owe,
And with those bills, the

When I get time,
I'll regulate my life
In such a way that I may get
Acquainted with my wife.

THE DEAD LINE. "By wilful resistance you've drifted over the dead line at last." Such were over the dead line at last." Such were the words which I kept repeating to myself on one Sunday evening not long ago. I had but a short time before arrived home after attending church service, and was now resting in any particular occurrence, I would invariably find myself repeating the fore-JOSEPH BISHOP,

CONTRACTOR and BUILDER,

variably find myself repeating the foregoing words, which were a line of a hymn sung by the church choir. The sermon had been a good one, but I had been unaffected alike by the earnest pleadings of the minister, for sinners to give their hearts to God, and to the entreaties of my Sunday school teacher.

CONTRACTOR and BUILDER,

variably find myself repeating the foregoing words, which were a line of a hymn sung by the church choir. The sermon had been a good one, but I had been unaffected alike by the earnest pleadings of the minister, for sinners to give their hearts to God, and to the entreaties of my Sunday school teacher. give their hearts to God, and to the entreaties of my Sunday school teacher to take the step I could well say that none of the seed so prayfully sown upon that evening had fell upon good ground, so far as I was personally concerned. But wait—did I say that none of the seed had found lodgment, what then is this assertion that springs up. then is this assertion that springs unbidden to my lips, to forget which, seems impossible? Yes even the clock JOSEPH BISHOP.

FOURTH ST., AND GARFIELD AVE., PALMYRA, N. J.

Practice in all the Higher Courts.

RIVERTON AND PALMYRA.

Sty.

Following Following the dead line at last."

Why these particular words above the stream as though conscious of the esponsibility entrusted to them, as guardians over it. After passing to the time of the should recur to me I could not understand, for although 'twas true that I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not yet given my heart to God, I had not with wide spreading branches, protect the young saplings which are struggling toward the ways remaining a sinner. How abourd the idea, I said to myself, that I, who am always so thoughtful inverged to gene pastures, I see huge boulders of green pastures, I s to my own spiritual interests. I cerbut the prisoners well knew that to cross it was to invite their own death, for they would be instantly shot down for they would be instantly shot down by the guards. I can imagine how careful the prisoners were to keep as far from this line as possible for fear of making a mistake, but with this spiritual dead line it worth a line as possible for fear of making a mistake, but with this spiritual dead line it worth a line as possible for fear of making a mistake, but with this spiritual dead line it worth a line as possible for fear of making a mistake, but with this spiritual dead line it worth a line wayside but these were quickly assisted to their feet, and borne along by willing hands until the spiritual dead line it worth a line wayside but these wayside but the ways spiritual dead line it must be different, I can go just to the very edge and then stop, I argue to myself. And so I thus sit communing with my own thoughts and persuading myself that the time has not yet come for me to swiftly along. As I gaze in terror at make any |change in my life and with a partial sense of security, I fell asleep, mechanically murmuring to myself, away over the dead line at last." As the noise of the rapids; yes 'tis these once quiet waters dashing over the power transported me from my home and took maintain the rocks of Destruction, and woe is to the and took me into a cavern far, far helow the earth's surface, and I knew them." soon as my eyes became accustomed to the unnatural light that pervaded the place, I saw that I was not mistaken and that this cavern was the audience chamber of his satanic majesty. I saw Satan himself surrounded by a number of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I thench the sate of his people but what I then his exclaims, and he had lived this evil life we might, after all, have lost him; what part did you take?" he asks of a number of young men; "Master," said they, "we got him to go to church, and when, after hearing the invitation of the man of God to turn to the Lord and seek that I was in the region of hell. As of his people, but what I thought peculiar was that these people were in no wise different from those on earth; there were smooth talking men, and even beautiful women, all of whom I recognized as being the people who had recognized as being the people who had necessary influenced me

I was extremely thirsty, had persuaded me to drink my first glass of beer; that

In the background was a most beautiful country, dense forests of stately they know not the safety of our crafts, think that we are in great danger, but

without moving from where I stood, line proves a strong one and he is soon saved. "Another one snatched from the very jaws of destruction," mutters

being in danger.
"I will now explain my picture to

As you saw many leave their boats and take to the shore, preferring a rough road with a happy ending to one of ease that generally terminated in destruction. But many drift on unheeding the warnings of the pilgrims, until it is often too dangerous to land; these never intended to go over the rapids but tomorrow was the day they intended to land; that is the reason l call my picture Procrastination." He then waved his hand and the scene

faded from view. he had lived this evil life we might

salvation, he became almost persuaded. at sometime or another influenced me toward wrong doing. That little chap near the wall is the one whom I met at a picnic, and who, when he found that I was extremely thirsty, had persuaded the toward wrong doing with the company to the property of time, we enjoy this pleasant to the pleasant travel we intend to come ashore in time; think you we are fools and intended to the property of the shore and the property of the pr I was extremely thirsty, had persuaded me to drink my first glass of beer; that fellow with the evil face is the one who known how desperately in need of money I was, showed me how I could obtain it without regard to that maxim; "Honesty is the best policy." That young woman who is looking this way, after infatuating me with her subtle charms had dissuaded me from going to church, saying, that she had little use for such goody, goody fellows.

Third grasps his oars and with powerful strokes soon reaches the shore and is quickly helped to a place of safety by the good people awaiting him, who rejoice over his escape.

The boat, the name of which I saw was "Sin," was dashed to pieces on the rocky shore below as soon as the occurant had landed, seeing which Satan heaved a sigh of disaprointment. I follow the course of the other two boats and see that they are rapidly the care hardened, he got used to the pleadings of God's people, until, finally, they had no effect upon him."

After a short consultation with their master they disappeared, leaving me alone with Satan.

He turned to me and said: "So you have desired to see my great picture of human destiny, you do not believe that I can count a soul mine until after death, well, I will show you my picture and after seeing what is an everyday occurrence, you can judge for yourself," and so saying, he waved his hand and instantly the side of the cavern rolled away like a scroll, and I found myself gazing at a most beautiful panorams.

After these people had gone I said to Satan, "Is it possible that even this for them, but they heed not, for them, but they heed not, for them, but they heed not, for they seem to be intoxicated by the pleasures of their ride. Out from the crowd then totters a feeble old woman, the count from the damnation of this man's soul? "You saw for yourself," say the case of your set from the count fr

the background was a most beautiful country, dense forests of stately trees, meadows from which the buttercap and daisy looked up to the bright sun, as if in gratitude for its life giving rays; fields of grain, which, when blown by the gentle breezes, had the appearance of the green ocean billows; large orchards of fruit trees of various kinds, as for me I will hasten to land," and series of which were covered with blown as for me I will hasten to land," and series of the green ocean daily large tool. Ha! Ha! were they know not the safety of our crafts, they know there is no danknow you that the slight curling of the property some of which were covered with blossoms that scented the air with a delicious fragrance and invited swarms of that are now rushing swiftly along, when he has reached that point that are now rushing swiftly along, when he is to decide whether his eterproper of honors albert without the survey of honors albert without the survey of the survey of honors albert without the survey of the surv He attends the meeting and listens attentively to the words spoken, and the hymns sung. He is even then holding the scales of decision in his hand; they are equally balanced, but a God fearing woman who is coming up the aisle determines to speak to him in the name of Christ, will cause the scales to drop and heaven will be the gainer, but at this moment he looks across the church and his glance meets that of an ungodly woman who smiles in recognition; that look and that smile has setearnest pleadings of the Christian wo man is, "not yet, some other time," and so the scales drop down in my favor and that soul is mine, mine for ever, he has crossed the dead-line and

> I awake from my sleep with a start and with this dream fresh in my memoand with this dream fresh in my memory is it any wonder that I cry out to God: "Lord, be Thou my Life-line, help me to gain the shore, I will leave my boat of sin, and joyfully will I travel the rough road that leads from an earthly to a heavenly Canaan."

Purge me with hysop and I shall be clean; Wash me and I shall be whiter than snow Lord hear my prayer, unto thee do I cry; Save to the uttermost, or I'll surely die. W. H. M.

HOW OUR PRESIDENTS DIED.

estate, now historic Mount Vernon. John Adams passed away from senile debility and was buried at Quincy,

Thomas Jefferson died of chronic diarrhea and, like most of the south-

wn estate, that at Monticello, Va. James Madison passed away of old age and was buried at Montepolier, Vt. James Monroe died from a stroke of paralysis with which he was attracted while in the House of Representatives

at Washington. His body is interred at Quincy, Mass. Andrew Jackson died from con-

on his estate—the Hermitage—near Nashville, Tenn. Martin Van Buren succumbed to catarrh of the throat and lungs; his

Wm. Henry Harrison caught

The mysterious disorder which was interred at Richmond, Va.

An injudicious diet which induced son for the death of Zichary Taylor, who was buried on his estate near

James K. Polk died of cholera; was buried on his estate near Nashville

Franklin Pierce died of inflammation of the stomach; was buried at Concord.

James Buchanan was for many vears a sufferer from rheumatism and gout, from which finally he died; he

by J. Wilkes Booth and was buried at Andrew Johnson's death was caused

icent mausoleum at Riverside Park, Rutherford B. Hayes died of paralysis of the heart and was buried at

Bright's disease and his grave is in Rural cemetery, Albany, N. Y.

A danger forseen is balf avoided. A heart unspoted is not easily daunt-

Doubt indulgent soon becomes doubt

The tongue is the worst part of a bad

Tears are the showers which fertilize

It is foolish to borrow trouble from

The only jewel which will decay is Happiness is not confined to any phere of life.

It is not profession, but fruit that

Perseverance is the best school for

Self love is not so great a sin as elf-forgetting. They who have most of heart know

Children have more need of models

Rather be beaten in right than suc-

A sanctified heart is better than a silver tongue. Nothing is so reasonable and cheap

as good manners. The small courtesies sweeten life, the reater enoble it.

An obstinate man does not hold opin-ions, they hold him. Little things console us because ittle things afflict us.

Next to love, sympathy is the divine Love's voice doth sing as sweetly in beggar as in a king.

We grow cheerful ourselves by being cheerful for others.

The word "impossible ' is the mother tongue of little souls. Obstinacy and heat in argument are he surest proofs of folly.

Genius may be swift, but perseverance has the surest feet.

asts until the truth comes out.

Rest assured that if your misdeeds find you out they will call again. In pursuing our own happiness we

should not forget that of others. Labor is the divine law of our exist Time is immeasurably long to him who knows not how to value and use

Modern axiom-"Poverty is no disgrace to a man if it is honestly come

Choosing a wife is like unto a stratagem of war, wherein a man can err but

Opportunity makes short calls. When one is out it leaves a card and

Every day we remain in sin makes the devil's hold on us that much hard-

you must consent to be taught many things you already know. The bore is usually considered a harmless creature, or of that class of irrational bipeds who hurt only them-

If you wish to be thought agreeable

"Who were the foolish virgins?" asked the Sunday school teacher. A little girl replied: "Them as didn't get Excitement is not enjoyment; in

calmness lies true pleasure. The most precious wines are sipped, not bolted the census, nor the size of cities, nor the crops, but the kind of men the

country turns out.

A Russian proverb says: "Before going to war, pray once; before going to sea, pray twice; before getting married, pray thrice.

There are people who do great acts; but because they wait for great oppor-tunities, life passes, and the acts of love are not done at all. We measure success by accumula-tion. The measure is false. The true measure is appreciation. He who

True glory takes root, and even spreads; all false pretenses, like flowers, fall to the ground; nor can any

counterfeit last long. Sentiment is a divine quality im-planted in our nature for the purpose of enobling and beautifying the con-

ditions of our existence. Art is long, life is short; judgement is difficult, opportunity fleeting. To act is easy, to think is difficult, and to act pursuant to one thought is trouble-

You would live longer and happier if you would only be quite and fretiess. The man who takes life as it comes and makes the best of it is the one who gets

'Tis a rule that goes a great way in the government of a sober man's life, not to put anything to bazard that may be secured by industry, considera-

When I get time,
I know what I shall do.
I'll cut the leaves of all my books
And read them through and through.

trees. I notice that here the boats are to my own spiritual interests. I certainly expect to become a good christian sometime, but I have as yet fixed no special time for so doing, and dislike to be questioned or to question myself as to when I shall take the step. 'Tis very provoking, I tell myself, that a fellow can't choose his own time, but no he must not only be tormented by asking questions, so hard to answer, often even while in church I become isolated, as it were, from everything, and then my conscience or something tells me that now is the time, but I thrust such thoughts aside and put it off until some better opportunity presents itself. As to this dead line that is mentioned in the hymn, what is meant by it? I have read, that confederate soldiers held prisoners captive by the means of a dead line, that in point of fact, was merely an imaginary line, but the prisoners well knew that to cross it was to invite their own death, tainly expect to become a good christian not so numerous, while the number of

stream, but now I no longer see the trees of the forest nor the grass of the field for now on either bank are great black rocks and towering crags, pas tant thunder reaches my ear. I look questionly at Satan who all this time has stood silently near, he replies "'tis

"Look! look!" he exclaims, and of his people, but what I thought pecu- lously watching the drifting boats.

boats and see that they are rapidly the credit belongs, you lured him over nearing the rocks of Destruction. The use for such goody, goody fellows. After a short consultation with their

basy bees to come for their winter's supply of honey; other trees were laden with fruit in semi-maturity, while others were so laden with ripe fruit that the branches seemed on the point of the branches seemed on the point of braking. Altogether it was a country there flowed a silvery stream of water, a lovely stream indeed that flowed so silently yet steadily on. I had the power of viewing the whole country the firmless of his hold thereon; the line and he is soon.

Satan savagely, "but you fool will not now escape, though he be stronger than Samson of old and his boat su-perior to the one rowed by Charon is damned as surely as though he had died with the blood of guilt on his hands and the brand of Cain upon his across the river Stix. I look at the remaining boatman, he seems to be oblivious of his surroundings and heeds not the warning cries of his would be rescuers. At last he awakens to a partial sense of his danger. "Ah! said he, 'tis time I went ashore, he grasps his oars and pulls to-ward the land, but his boat continues to drift downward, he redoubles his efforts but all in vain, he becomes trightened and cries out, "Save, save, or I perish," but the people make an swer, "it is too late, the life line with which we would have saved when you were farther up stream is not long enough to reach you now; you are beline, even should you leave your boat of sin you have only your own puny

had passed the last life saving station, and even then many would not own to

you," said he, "the beautiful country represents the life of man, through which all must travel, by a way of their own choosing, either water or land. The water represents the downward path of sin, while the road on which the pilgrims so happily trudged is the way of the righteous. The source of the river is called Birth, and where you saw it dash over the rocks of Destruction, is Death. Man embarks at Birth in his bost called Sin and commences his downward drift.

Satan is now again surrounded b his people who cry out to him, "he is thine, Master, he has crossed the deadline," then they all file before their have aided in the destruction of this soul. One man says: "I tempted him to drink his first glass of liquor," "and I initiated him into the mysteries of the gaming table," says another, "I persuaded him that a living was more easily obtained by stealing than by working hard all the time," spoke s third: "But," says Satan, "even after

brow. By wilful resistance he has drifted away over the dead line at

George Washington contracted a cold which developed into laryngitis, proving fatal; he was buried on his

born president, he was buried on his

sumption and dropsy and was buried

grave is at Kinderhook, N. Y. tion and it finally developed into pleu-risy, from which he died. He was buried at North Bend, O.

caused the death of John Tyler was ikened to a bilious attack; his body

Millard Fillmore was fatally stricken with paralysis; his body lies in Forest Hill cemetery at Buffalo, N. Y.

was buried at Lancaster, Pa. Abraham Lincoln was assassinated

by paralysis and he was buried at enville. Tenn. Ulysses S. Grant, died after a long struggle, of cancer of the throat and his body lies in the mighty and magnif-

Fremont, O. James A. Garfield, assassinated by Charles J. Guiteau, is buried at Cleve-

man's sincerity is that he gives himall things else, are comparatively easy to give away, but when a man makes a gift of his daily life and pratice, it is plain the truth, whatever it may be.

THE WEEKLY NEWS

OUTH JERSEY ADVERTISER, C. F. SLEEPER,

Terms-\$1.PER YEAR IN ADVANCE

tising medium. None put cream, to the this tisements inserted.

A mark against this paragraph indicates that this is a sample copy of the paper, sent to you for your inspection free of charge, and that we should be glad to have you become a subscriber.

Orders by mail promptly attended to Address all communications to

NEWS AND ADVERTISER, Palmyra, N. J.

RESIDENCE.—Corner Fourth and Garfield avenue
Palmyra, N. J.

Entered at the Palmyra Post Office as seculars matter.

SATURDAY, FEB. 26, 1898. FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

When looking at some lovely face, In all its youth abiding, How little can we guess the life, That sunny smile is hiding! RUTH BASSET.

The Cuban war up to date has cost the United States in commerce not far from \$300,000,000. If this country was as sordid as the Spaniards pretend, intervention would have come long

"The winter of our discontent" will rapidly vanish and spring be here almost before you know it. Business will increase with the large number of whether. Be prepared for it.

If the United States is to be strengthened against foreign attacks it would be well to annex some of the Atlantic islands in the neighborhood of Florida, which are now English stations. They are a greater menace than Hawaii could be in the bands of a European

paper. Without it you lose all touch with the world generally and your home town in particular. It is the cheapest household necessity in the market. Dollars of expense, hours of energy and hustling for a mere pittauce per year. A glimpse of the wide world's doings and full reports of home events. If you read but one paper or Be up to date. We can help you.

Advertising offers such facilities for addressing all classes from which cussalesmen-one who never sleeps and is office, the student in his study, the cul- votes and Charles Armstrong 16. tivated woman at the family firesidewho can be in a thousand places at once, and speak to a million people each day, saying to each one the best thing in the best manner.

We need more charity, more human kindness in the world. We need it in our churches, in our society, in our homes. We need it towards those who are bound closest to us by the ties of this world towards our neighbor, towards our servants; towards the street and women about us who have forgotstow some little kindness. Some of feeling left for them to be indifferent

RIVERTON

Mrs. Dr. Marcy is visiting her aunt,

Just think of it! the base ball and bicycle seasons will soon be here. branch store in the Price building.

Ogden Mattis, Jr., would like to find his fox terrier, which has been missing

class in the Episcopal Church on Sun day morning.

The water in the Delaware river on Sunday night was higher than it has

Mrs. J. J. Fuerneiser has moved to Camden on Wednesday to be with her mother who is sickly.

Butcher Ezra Perkins, who has been sick with a bad attack of grip, was out for the first on Wednesday.

165 took supper at the Washington Tea given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church, on Tuesday night.

The organ recital in Christ Church

"THE MAINE"

O great disaster—A city gone!
Buried beneath the sea,
Three-hundred lives dropped out,
And gone to meet their God alone.
Nor revelry, nor shout,
Nor glorious action to stand
In historic journals of our land. How often have I seen the great Maine mo

A palace of the sea,
And watched the waves that play
About her mighty hulk, their love display
In rippling kisses there,
And press her bosom white,
With priceless jewels of the sea bedight.

O curses on the land that bore the man
Whose hand or brain could stand
And hellish plot or plan
So foul a deed. No equal foe to scan,
But worse than a serpent's course,
Who stings outside, crept in
And stung the State of Maine, from within.

For every man that went below the deep,
We'll send a full score more
To bear him company.
God of nations, who all reckonings keep,
To Thee we leave the plan;
Thou who keepest watch o'er all,
Send through every land and heart Thy call. DAVID HENRY WRIGHT, 1429 Chestnut street.

BOROUGH BUSINESS.

The Treasurer's annual report was ead and accepted. The expenditures for the ensuing ear were considered and fixed. The

otal was \$4210.00 The report of the Cinnaminson Electric Light Company's expendi-tures in Riverton were read and filed.

BURGLARS AT FRISHMUTH'S.

John C. S. Frishmuth's residence, or the Bank, was entered by burglars outdoor improvements and buildings Mr. and Mrs. Frishmuth and Miss contemplated, but held back by the Mamie had started for Florida the same day and Miss Peoples, Miss Anna Frishmuth and the children and servants were in the house. A noise was heard down stairs and upon investigaion the front door and storm door were found open, having been entered probably by a skeleton key. No other race of the robbers were found, they having been surprised and fled before getting anything, as nothing was miss

A dinner party was in progress at The Local Educator is your local neighbor, and all went over to search for the burglars, and some of the gentlemen stayed over night at the house

THE CAUCUSES.

The Republican Caucus was first in the field and held its caucus in Roberts Hall on Monday evening. Over 100 persons were present. A. J. Borie was chairman, and O. H. Mattis, secretary. The principal contest was for the two magazine, let that be your local paper. | councilmen : the vote standing : A. W. Ellsworth, 50, L. G. Graff, Jr., 51 D. A. MacCarrall, 39, and Samuel Rudderow, 39. Owing to the change in the law since the last election it was deemed advisable to nominate a Collecttomers would be likely to be attracted, or and Assessor, and W. J. McIlhenry that it is now recognized by shrewd and Edward H. Pancoast, the present business men as the best of all possible incumbants, were nominated. S. Robinson Coale was also renominated as Commissioner of Appeals.

In the contest for -constable, which early and late-who accosts the mer- it was decided Riverton was entitled chant in his shop, the lawyer in his to it. Michael Faunce received 64

The Citizen's caucus took place in Roberts' Hall on Wednesday evening and was of short duration. Everything was harmonius, there being no con-tests. D. A. MacCarroll and Samuel Rudderow were nominated for Council. Jacob Cottrell, for Assessor; W. J. McIlhenry, for Collector and Jacob Schmidt for Constable.

Labor, and that the Commissioner of

COMMUNICATED. PRETTY BIG BILL.

MR. EDITOR :- For a franchise to vagabond, who may never have had a enter our Borough, the Cinniminson better way of living. There are men Electric Light Company promised to vacate at the expiration of five years and women about us who have forgot-ten how to smile, if they ever knew. Do you know what you might do tor render a yearly account of the expense these? It wouldn't cost much to bestow some little kindness. Some of them will never ask it; they would Does this not show the lack of fair expect a refusal perhaps a harsh re-fusal and there is too much human limited line built cost \$3600? We feel confident no such cost has been honestly incured; and now is the time for Council to audit such statement no five years from now when the statement will be likely to be still more mistified. This rendering is in keep ing with the statements of private ownership against Boroughs owning their own plants. Any promise to get in ; but they do not propose to get out without an extortion from the people to get them out. We predict they Grocer H. K. Read has closed his are here to stay. Their first link was any kind of a promise to get a franchise; their second !ink to claim their limited line has cost \$3600 and so they are likely to forge their links un Bishop Scarborough will confirm a tion and of the Borough.

Yours respectfully, ORSERVER.

COMMUNICATED.

Well, well! Funny isn't i that a newspaper, of such magnitude and influence as the New Era, "should" so condesend, and exert its "capacity" by giving nearly half a column of its valuable (?) editorial space to advertise so "inexperienced" a writer of "odd affairs" as, by their version, Lenox (only one N—please) has proven himself to be. LENOX.

MORAL.-Communications like ad

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Feb. 21st 1898. The galleries were filled today when the Senate convened, the crowd of spectators doubtless being attracted by the probability of further debate upon Cuban affairs or matters connected with the catastrophe to the battleship

The joint resolution providing for the recovery of the bodies of officers and men from the wrecked battleship Maine and for the recovery of the valunble property on the ship, which was passed by the House last week, was twenty suits to those who saw them tion of \$200,000.

Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, intro duced a joint resolution directing the transfer of valuable historical documents from the several Government lepartments to the National Library Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, introduced

the following resolution:
"Resolved, That the Committee on Naval Affairs be and it is hereby directed to make a thorough inquiry into the destruction of the battleship An adjourned meeting of the Maine in Havana harbor on the Borough Council was held on Thurs-

The resolution was passed immediately without a word of debate. As no other business was pressed, the Senate, at the suggestion of Mr. Hale, of Maine, began to consider unobjected bills on the calendar. Among passed were the following: Requiring masters and mates of sail vessels of over 700 tons to have licenses issued by United States Inspectors; providing for the collection of fees for furnishing certificates of title to vessels; for the relief of the Atlantic Works of Boston; authorizing the Court of Claims to adjudicate the claim for extra work on certain war vessels; granting the State of Wyoming 50,000 acres of land to aid in the continuation, enlargement and maintenance of the Wyoming State Soldiers' and Sailor's Home authorizing the White and Black river Valley Railway Company to build a bridge across the Black river, in Arkausas; to grant to the Mayor and Council of Wilmington, Del., the use of certain real estate in that city on FRENCH PRINTED FOULARDS, \$1.25 which is situated the building recently occupied for Federal purposes; to require patents to be issued to land actually settled under the act entitled "An act to provide for the armed occupation and settlement of the unsettled part of the peninsula of Florida, approved August 4, 1842;" to regulate the use of the public parks and improved reservations in the District of Colum-

edness, etc. The suggested amendment develope a wide divergence of opinion among Senators as to the direction of the Cen sus Bureau, and there was considerable discussion in which Messrs. Teller Hale, Hoar, Lodge, Allen, and Car-ter participated. The latter, in charge of the bill, briefly replying to Mr. Allen, said that the statements of the Senator from Nebraska (Allen), con cerning the merits of the bill, were about as wild as was his statement pay rolls of the Government departments in Washington as clerks." a matter of fact, there were, he said, about 10,000 clerks employed in the department in Washington, and there could not, therefore, be 25,000 "loafers"

bia under the charge of the Chief of Engineers of the United States army,

and to amend an act to prohibit the

passage of local or special laws in the

Territories, to limit Territorial indebt-

Mr. Teller, of Colorado, offered ar amendment to Mr. Allison's amend me.t, providing that the Census Bureau Labor have general supervision of the work. The amendment to the amend nent was lost-21, 29. The question then reverted to the amendment offered by Mr. Allison. It was adopted-39, 8. Mr. Stewart proposed an amend-ment striking out all the bill except Sections 1 and 6, leaving to the Secretary of the Interior the work of prepar ing a plan and making recommends tions for the twelfth census The proposition was discussed until 5.10 P. M, when, without action upon the bill the Senate, on motion of Mr. Carter, of Montana, went into executive session and shortly afterward adjourned.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss. LUCAS COUNTY,

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and ever case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL's CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON Notary Public. SEAL

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testi-F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

"Only the Best" Should be your motto when you need a medicine. Do not be induced to take any substitute when you call for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Experience has proved it to be the best. It is an honest medicine, pos-sessing actual and unequalled merit. Be wise and profit by the experience of other

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic, easy to take, easy to operate.

Coughs, colds, pneumonia and fevers may be prevented by keeping the blood pure and the system toned up with Hood's

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Feb. 21, 1898. First Showing WEaresoproud of Spring of the newseaof Spring Suits for Boys son's suits for boys that we can't wait for a formal "opening day." All the suits that have come -and there are suits enough and styles enough to fascinate any clother of boys-all go on show

presented to the Senate and passed getting to our tables, selling them nmediately. It carries an appropria- before they got a word in the papers.



There are Sailor Suits for boys of 8 to 12, Brownie Suits for boys of capes-that are wearable with any suit without crushing the collar. There is not a slight or skip in the suit goodness. All economies come through care and large buy ing. The suits are \$3 to \$10. Main

floor, Market street. Oddly- ONE may choose from Pretty the omnious styles the French characterize the hum-drum majority -may choose from them at any time, but these odd bits of beauty and stylishness are only surely get-

FRENCH PRINTED FOULARDS, \$1 Following is a word of the color blends; the real beauty has to be caught from the seeing. THE ENGLISHtwo blues on white green and blue with white

reseda with white and plun mignonette with black and white cardinal, black and white green and white white, blue and black elaborate Persian designs on and cream Persian stripes in fine colorings-

prominent clover leaves wave lines on white leaf green, blue and white -but the list grows too long. THE FRENCH—printed two colors on one; all square dots-

of black and white on lavende and on light brown and on new red and turquoise and chartreuse Five sizes of dots in most of the

These Foulards are New black-and-white silks at

New blue-and-white silks at 85c Medium- NEVER before had easy-priced Dress priced Goods with so much Dress character and style to them. No matter for

what use, no matter how little the dress is to cost, there is no excuse for its being other than pretty. The change comes by giving such attention as never before to selection. Care for detail is the foundation stone of the success of this business. We don't believe "just anything will do," and with every

chief of stock in the house the knottiest problem is not what to et in, but what to keep out. You'll notice the success of this now, as never before, in the dress goods at 75c and less.

At 28c and 31c a yard-Illuminated Homespun Mixtures, smart

At 371/2c a yard-Fancy figured two-toned Armure, nin colorings; 38 in. At 50c a yard-

Seven shades of Crepe Brilliants; 40 in. At 371/2c a yard-All-wool Alma Twills, nine colorings: 44 in At 50c a yard— Satin Soliel, a modest combination of co

orings on lustrous surface; 38 in. At 55c a yard— Wide Wale Diagonal, in tones of grays blues and brown; 46 in. Usual value, 75c.

At 60c a yard— Iridescent Brocade, brilliant stripes flecked At 65c a yard-

Satin-striped Bayadere Covert, unique and distinguished; 45 in. At 75c a vard-

Illuminated Crepe Momie Melange, full gamut of spring shades; 44 in. At 75c a yard-

All-wool Kersey Cloth, nine colorings; 50 in. At 75c a yard-Satin-finished fancy-back Covert, in hosts of multi-colored tones; 52 in. At 75c a yard-

Mixed Tweed Diagonal: 50 in. At 75c a vard-Fancy Mixed Cheviots; 23 color expre

At 75c a yard-Basket Matalasse Cheviot, harmo dark and light tones; 42 in. At 75c a yard-

Fancy Corded Stripes, with briorings on dark grounds; 39 in. TO FARMERS-Among the 300

est men in the field of philanthrophy are strictly amateurs - hard-headed busine s men who recognize the claims of humanity on those who are permit ted to prosper.

If young Mr. Leiter really holds 12, 000,000 bushels of "cash wheat," as is claimed, he is at present the virtual dictator of the price of wheat. Every housewife who has cause to complain on account of the rise in the price of flour should drop young Mr. Leiter (a bachelor, by the way) a postal telling him just what she thinks of his way of doing business. It won't move Mr.
Leiter, but it will give the ladies a
chance to vent their indignation on
somebody beside the unoffending corner grocer, who is no more responsible for the price of flour than he is for changes in the weather.

HACKETT—COLEMAN. — February 16, at Bordentown, by Rev. T. J. Duggan, James J. Hackett, of Wrightston, and Miss Mary Anna Coleman, of Bordentown.

LEEK-DRISCALL.-February 12, at Tuckerton, by Rev. James Burns, William M. Leek, of Harrisia, and Miss Mary Driscall, of Tuckerton. MOTT-ALLEN.—February 16th, at Tuck-erton, by Rev. James Burns, George W. Mott and Miss Anna E. Allen, both of Tuckerton.

THOMAS.—February 21, at Mount Holly Rev. Joseph M. Thomas, in his 89th year. CLEVENGER.—Feburary 15, at Bordentown Richard B. Clevenger, aged 53 years. DEWORTH.—February 19, at Bordentown Mary, daughter of William Deworth, aged 20 years.

HAINES.—February 16, at Columbus, Dr Alfred C. Haines, aged 75 years. MOLYNBUX.—February 18, at Bordentown ames Molyneux, aged 87 years. Swanson.—February 18, at Philadelphia Ella Swanson, daughter of Nathan E. Shorp of Beverly, aged 38 years.

ORDINANCES.

N ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CON STRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF LIPPINCOTT AVENUE IN THE BOROUGH OF RIVERTON, FROM BROAD STREET TO BANK AVENUE, AT THE COST AND EXPENSE OF THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF THE LAND IN FRONT OF WHICH THE SAME MAY BE

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

SECTION 1. That sidewalks twenty-two
feet in width shall be constructed on both
sides of Lippincott Avenue in the Borough of
Riverton, from Broad Street to Bank Avenue iete in width shall be constructed on both sides of Lippincott Avenue in the Borough of Riverton, from Broad Street to Bank Avenue except in cases provided for in Section 2 hereot, at the cost and expense of the owner or owners of land fronting on the same, as follows: Two feet in width beginning at the property line shall be constructed to grade hereinafter mentioned with a coating of gravel not less than four inches in depth, or with sod; the next five feet in width shall be constructed of the best Portland cement not less than four inches in depth, having a foundation of cinders, broken stone or concrete at least ten inches in depth; the remaining width to the outer edge of said sidewalk shall be constructed in the same manner as the two feet in width commencing at the property line; all to be done under the supervision and direction of the Mayor and Council of said Borough or such committee thereof as shall have the matter specially in charge, and the said sidewalks to be constructed to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough Engineer.

SEC. 2. That where trong said Lippingorit

and grade to be furnished by the Borough Engineer.

SEC. 2: That where upon said Lippincott Avenue, between Broad Street and Bank Avenue aforesaid, any portion of the sidewalk as now existing is paved with stone, brick, s'ate or cement, sidewalks shall be constructed to the width of twenty-two feet, at the cost and expense of the owner or owners of the proper ty fronting on the same, as follows: Two feet in width beginning at the property line shall be constructed to grade hereinafter mentioned with a coating of gravel not less than four inches in depth, or sod; the next five feet in width shall be constructed of the same material as that of which the pavement already existing consists or of the best Portland cement to the depth of six inches, having a foundation of cinders, broken stone or concrete, at least ten inches in depth; the remaining width to the outer edge of said sidewalk shall be constructed in the same manner as the two feet in width commencing at the property line, and to be done under the supervision and direction of the Mayor and Council of said Borough or such committee thereof as shall have the matter specially in charge, and the said sidewalks to be constructed to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough Engineer.

SEC. 3. That the owner or owners of real

Engineer.

SEC. 3. That the owner or owners of real estate fronting on said Lippincott Avenue and in front of whose property the sidewalks above mentioned are to be constructed shall be notified in the manner required by law of the work required to be done by this ordinance and shall be allowed sixty days from the service, posting or mailing of such notice within which to perform the said work.

SEC. 4. 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., February 10th, A. D., 1898.

Attest: Charles S. Walnut,
Borough Clerk.
The foregoing Ordinance approved by me
February 14th, A. D., 1898.
E. C. STOUGHTON,
Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CON-STRUCTION OF CERTAIN SIDEWALKS ON MAIN STREET IN THE BOROUGH OF RIVER TON, BETWEEN EIGHTH STREET AND THE DELAWARE RIVER, AT THE COST AND EXPRISE OF THE OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY FRONTING ON SAME.

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

SECTION 1. That there shall be constructed sidewalks on both sides of Main Street in the Borough of Riverton, from Eighth Street to the Delsware River, excepting where the mane have been heretofore constructed under The organ recital in Christ Church by J. Ralph Rettew, on Tuesday evening, attracted a good sized audience of music lovers.

Mrs. Poulterer, a former resident of Riverton, entertained the Besque Club, on Thursday, at her home, 54th and Baltimore avenue, Philadelphia.

Daily Lenten services are being held in Christ Church at 5 P. M., except Fridays when special sermons will be preached by visiting clergymen at 8 P. M.

The health article published in our last issue seems to have surprised some of our residents—it was more favorable than they expected. The ledes should don't be let to lie dormant but we ought to keep the facts before our friends in the cities.

Coughs, colds, pneumonia and tevers where the blood pure and the system toned up with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Coughs, colds, preumonia and tevers of the superstitions that devited by keeping the blood pure and the system toned up with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

To Our Customers.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best cough syrup we have ever used our stable without some one remarking on the best cough syrup we have ever used our stable without some one remarking on the former pressule of the superstitious that formerly prevailed and evidently had great force. But isn't it strange that thirteen persons can not sit down to a table without some one remarking on the first of the preached by visiting clergymen at 8 P. M.

The health article published in our last issue seems to have surprised some of our residents—it was more favorable than they expected. The idea should don't form generation, when people profess that they do but had look be let to lie dormant but we ought to keep the facts before our friends in the cities.

Local newspapers are as much a part of our civilization as our schools and churches. They have followed the footsteps of civilization everywhere exerting a powerful influence in building up communities and fostering industries. The history of a town in a business sense at any rate, usually dates from the advent of its local paper. A town where no such aerating influence exists is of necessity aleepy.

A secular paper asks what the world would be if it were under the dominion of the "professional" philanthropists. Well, it isn't under their control, and it never will be. The greatest men in the field of philanthrophy

maining width to the outer edge of said side-walk shall be constructed in the same manner as the two feet in width commencing at the property line; that all work shall be done under the supervision and direction of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Rivertood to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough Every the interest of the property fronting on the same.

SEC. 2. That the owner or owners of real estate fronting upon said Main Street, and in front of whose property the sidewalks above provided for are to be constructed to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough Every fronting on the same.

SEC. 2. That the owner or owners of real estate fronting upon said Main Street, and in front of whose property the sidewalks above provided for are to be constructed to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough Every fronting on the same.

SEC. 2. That the owner or owners of real estate fronting upon said Main Street, and in front of whose property the sidewalks above provided for are to be constructed to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough of the matter specially in charge and the said sidewalks shall be constructed to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough of the matter specially in charge and the said sidewalks shall be constructed to the line and grade to be furnished by the Borough of the matter specially in charge and the said sidewalks shall be co

Attest: CHARLES S. WALNUT, Borough Clerk.
The foregoing Ordinance approved by m
February 15th, A. D., 1898.
E. C. STOUGHTON,

STRUCTION OF CROSSINGS OVER THE STREETS INTERSECTING WITH MAIN

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

SECTION 1. That there shall be constructed over the Streets intersecting with Main Street in the Borough of Riverton, from Eighth Street to the Delaware River, crossings at the line of the said intersections in manner following: Said crossings shall be constructed five feet in width in line with the paved portion of 'he sidewalks on both sides of Main Street, with asphalt blocks laid upon proper foundation and upon lines and grades to be given by the Borough Engineer.

SEC. 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. 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., February 10th, A. D., 1898.

Attest: CHARLES S. WALNUT,
Borough Clerk.
The foregoing Ordinance approved by me February 14th, A. D., 1898.

E. C. STOUGHTON,
Mayor. Be is ordained by the Mayor and Council o

EXECUTOR'S SALE

Belonging to the estate of John Beckenbach deceased, containing 90 72-100 acres, ripe for improvements, surrounding property laid on in building lots, on Thursday,

MARCH 10th, 1898

at 2 o'clock, p. m., on the premises situated at l'almyra, on the railroad, beginning within 500 feet of Palmyra Station:

Large lawn, brick mansion, 14 rooms, sun room 20x28 feet, bathroom, hot had cold water, city conveniences, porches, three good celiars, heaters, range, fine old shade trees; a 2 1-2 story frame tenant house, large barn, stabling and carriage house, chicken houses, corn crib, etc.; fine apple orchard, small fruits and vineyard, high, healthy location, unexcelled water, good schools, public and private; churches, 38 trains daily; nine minutes from Camden, city water mains on one side.

The farm will be offered in parts or as a whole to suit purchasers.

Conditious made known on day of sale.

IMGOENE PALMER,

IMGOENE PALMER, HOWARD PARRY,

RIGGS 310 MARKET STREET.

YOU will have correct time if YOU purcha your watch here or allow us to reputhe same. PRICES MODERATE. CAN YOU SEE?

We are Specia ists in fitting and adjusting Eg

EYES TESTED FREE OF CHARGE. NEW JERSEY PAST AND PRESENT JERJERAnnals 1606—November 1897.
Your hone library needs this evclopedia, postpaid \$1, M. C. Spaulding, care JOENAL, or Hox 62,
Columbus, Ohio. Over 1000 curious, quaint, useful paragraphs.
Things new and old. Agents
wanted Buy one and then get
15 cents for each one you sell. Good
book to give employees, teachers,
scholars, friends.

Highest Quality Lowest Prices Garden, Field and Flower

SEEDS.

Bulbs, Roots, Etc., Etc., Etc. H. G. FAUST & CO.

64 and 66 N. Front St PHILADELPHIA, PA.

JOHN D. STELLMANN.

Successor to HEATH'S -RIVERTON AND PALMYRA-EXPRESS.

O. BOX 32, PALMYRA, N. Phila. Office: 3 N. Water Street.

Goods called for and delivered promptly.

Messages and orders will receive pecial attention.

RESIDENCE: Highland Avenue.

Farnum Preparatory School

A CLASSICAL DAY SCHOOL FOR BOTH SEXES. THE COURSE OF STUDY IS THE

SAME AS THE MODEL SCHOOL

TUITION PAYABLE QUARTERLY IN

WINTER TERM_OPENS Monday, November 22nd, 1897. For further information apply to James B. Dilks, A. M. Beverly, N. 7.

MENS' EXTRA QUALITY Colored Bosom Shirts 46 cents, sold the city at 50 to 75 cents.

New Styles Men's Neckwear, 20, 25 and 50 cents. Good Quality Writing Paper, 10 cents a box. Extra Quality Children's Hosiery, 121 and 15 cents. Imported Hosiery, 26 and 25 cents a pair. Good Suspenders, 15 cents a pair.

Men's Working Shirts, well made, good goods, 40 cents. Ribbons, Linings and Embroidery, good variety, low prices. Outing Flannel, 61 to 10 cents a yard. Plaid Goods 15 cents a yard. Any goods not in stock got at short notice.

JOS. M. ROBERTS.

Dry Goods, Shoes, Rubbers, Etc.

WE ALWAYS BUY THE BEST LEHIGH COAL, ROSEDALE AND PORTLAND

CEMENT AND LUMBER That our customers may have the benefit of same.

THOMAS BROS

RIVERTON, N. .



LOTHROP'S

New Photographic Studio, COR. FOURTH AND MAIN STREETS,

RIVERTON, N. J. Having one of the finest skylights in the State, we are now ready to take the very best and most pleasing photographs of every style and finish Only the very best work, will be allowed to go out from this Studio.

PLEASE GIVE US A TRIAL.

PHILADELPHIA. The PUBLIC LEDGER is first of all a newspaper giving all the news of the day, classified and in con-lete form. In the LEDGER every statement is verified, its news is therefore thoroughly reliable. Outside of its news department (which includes special correspondence from all the important cities d towns in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware), the LEDGER is an illustrated family newspa

Public Shook

Pennsylvania. New Jersey. Delaware. Railroad and Marine.

The LEDGER'S special New York and Washington correspondence has long since Its financial news and market reports are complete and reliable.

The Saturday issue is a great compennium of every phase of social life, containing reading matter to tevery taste, compiled especially for the Saturday Edition of the LEDGER. Its treatise of the Inter-tional Sunday School Lesson is alone worth the price of subscription. Its classified advertisements are as interesting as news and as widely read. The public has for years made the PUBLIC LEDGER its chief vehicle for the announcements of births, marriages and deaths. Agents wanted; liberal commission paid to subscription agents or news-

dealers placing the LEDGER on sale. Address Circulation Department the WRITE FOR RATES FOR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS. SUBSCRIPTION PRICE AS FOLLOWS: The DAILY LEDGER (Sunday excepted), by mail to any address in the

United States or Canada, 50 cents per month; \$6.00 per year.

Saturday's LEDGER (weekly), a great home journal, which should be in every country home, \$1.00 per year.

EP-MAKE ALL REMITTANCES PAYALE TO GEORGE W. CHILDS DREXEL.

EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

THE WEEKLY NEWS

Is Thoroughly Equipped

For all kinds of Job Printing. Newspaper work a specialty. Book work at low rates.

POSTER WORK ALL SIZES

Printing for Churches, Epworth Leagues, and Lodges.

LETTER HEADS.

CHURCH ENVELOPES. STATEMENTS, COLLECTION ENVELOPES.

TOPIC CARDS.

PUNCH CARDS.

CATALOGUES

BILL HEAD

Two good farm houses for sale, cheap. Apply at Dreer's Nursery. For sale. A Springfield Gas Machine and Mixer in perfect order. Box 34,

State of Maine white potatoes \$1.08 a bushel, or in smaller quantities. Drop postal. Louis A. Weikman,

For Rent Cheap in Riverton, 16 room For Rent Cheap in Riverton, 16 room boarding house; Cottage 402 Main street, Cottage 620 Main street, all with modern improvements; Brick dwelling 526 Main street, near station, suitable for business; For Rent Cheap in Palmyra houses \$6, 8 and 12 per month; For Sale Cheap 9 room cottages open staircase with large hall, lot 139x150, east corner of Charles street and Parry avenue. Edw. H. Pancoast, 404 Main street, Riverton.

For Sale Cheap-A Horse, wagon and harness, suit any business. Apply to Robert Moore, Market street, West Pal-

Have you tried the health drink, "Perfection Cereal Coffee" also, "Clarified Java and Mocha." All coffees strictly fresh roasted. Fine grade teas. B. F.

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

For sale. Very little cash required. House and lot: 805 Morgan avenue, Palmyra, N. J Lot fifty feet wide. The property formally occupied by Mr. Charles Eastwood. Inquire of Howard Parry or any of the officers of the Cinnaminson Building and Loan Association, or Riverton, N. J.

Go to Saar's for a good shave. Bed and table linen washed and ironed

25 cents dozen, lace curtains, 50 cents pair. Jefferson Laundry, Stanly Field Prop. Box 243 Palmyra. 12-4-tf. 428 Cinnaminson avenue. Heater and

Shoulder Capes, Fascinators, Caps, Slippers, Mittens, Tam O'Shanters, etc., knit to order also agent for Consolidated flavoring powder, perfumery and sachet powders. 520 Cinnaminson avenue.

Paints in small cans, glass and putty at Williams' drug store. 10-23-tf. For Rent-Dwelling on Horace avenue

opposite 4th street. Fruit, town water, etc. Reasonable rent. M. W. Wisham, 332 Horace avenue.

For good family washing and laundry work give Owens a trial. P. O. Box, 181. dealer in Pianos and Organs, 1928 N. Eighth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Tuning and repairing a specialty. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

PALMYRA

Edward Toy went to Burlington on

Horace Vansciver is clerking for Mrs. J. F. White is improving from

an attack of grip. Joseph Althouse went to Atlantic City on Wednesday.

Stanley Field's daughter, Anna, of Parry avenue, is very sick

Mrs. James Forrester is visiting her daughter at Island Heights.

Wilber F. Cline moved to 501 Cinnaminson avenue on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. A. Buck, of Oak Lane, Pa.

William Roray was home from Rutgers College on Monday and Tuesday. Enoch Bishop, of Camden, visited his brother, Joseph Bishop, last Sun-

S. R. Stoy was in Haddonfield on Thursday looking after his property

Matthew Lippincott and son William, visited Charles Lippincott last James T. Weart, of Philadelphia,

moved to 321 Cinnaminson avenue on A resident of Morgan avenue carries

his daily supply of water to his shop Mrs. William Gilpin, of Burlington, spent Wednesday with her brother, Frank Gauntt.

Harry Kemmerle's son, Walter, cut his eye severely last Monday by falling

The reading room in the basement of the Methodist Church is open every

night, free to all. C. H. Snyder has re-opened his house on Garfield avenue after an ab

Builder Joseph Bishop is adding bath rooms to J. E. Maguire's houses

on Cinnaminson avenue.

Mrs. Nate Wallace and Mrs. George Hahner, of Delanco, spent Thursday with Mrs. George Wallace.

Mrs. Sarah Springer, one of Pal-myra's old residents is quite sick at her home on West Broad street. Misses Sadie and Annie Powell, of

Camden, spent Sunday with their brother, William B. Powell. A stage load of our residents went over to Moorestown on Thursday night

to the extra religious meetings. William Haines has a badly lacer

ated and swollen hand caused by falling on a nail one day last week.

Station Agent Sever's mother and sister, of Camden, came up on the 22d to spend a few weeks with him.

Miss Amanda Scheerer and Miss Laura Freas, of Philadelphia, visited Mrs. E. D. Stewart on Tuesday.

Warren S. Williams, of 725 Garfield avenue has rented Amos Miller's

Clarence L. Compton and Miss Mil-

lie Le Tourneau entertained the Thurs-day Night Euchre Club this week. Mrs J Franklin Cline and son went

to Burlington on Wednesday to visit Mrs. C. B. Simons and two children spent several days this week with Mrs. Alexander Diamond at Atlantic City,

Skates are put away for the present ut there will be some skating even if

Wednesday was Ash Wednesday, which day marks the opening of the

Preparations are being made for the lating of bulbs and laying out of early flower beds.

June 23d has been selected as the date to dedicate the new Masonic Home for aged Masons at Burlington. There will be confirmation services in the Episcopal church on Sunday evening, Bishop Scarborough officiat-

Several of our patriotic residents dis-played flags and bunting on Tuesday n honor of the birth of the "immortal George. The Palmyra Athletic Association

are practising for a minstrel show to be given after Easter, to get money for

sprained last week by being run over by a delivery wagon, is still confined week in the Philadelphia courts and several witnesses from here have been

Birthday, looking after their property

William B. Read. of Garfield avenue, has secured a permanent position in Newark, and expects to move his

family there shortly. Seven more probationers were taken in the Methodist Church last Sunday morning making a total of 80 as a result of the revival just closed.

Matters of importance will be brought before the fire company meeting next Monday night and a full at-tendance of members is requested.

Thomas J. Prickett says he does not aspire for any township office, and those who have been using his name did not have his permission to do so

It takes just as much money to run a newspaper now as ever, though some of our subscribers seem to think that in hard times a newspaper ought to lector.

Thomas Wattson, of Morgan avenue has bought one of the Van Tine lots, corner of Fourth and Morgan avenue, and will have a fine house built in the near future.

spective polling places on Tuesday, March 1, to revise the registry lists for the coming township elections Owing to the banks being washed

down along the Pensauken creek, on the Camden county side, the river road has been under water and impassable. The Camden county Board of Freeholders should attend to this matter.

Episcopal church every week-day at 10 A. M. and 8 P. M. At the night series of instructions on the Miracles of Christ, their relation to our individual

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Freeholders will be held in the Court House, Mount Holly, next Tuesday, to consider the request of the Monmouth Traction Company for a rollev franchise on certain roads and

If your grape vines have not been trimmed, have it done at once to secure a good crop. Late pruning injures the vine. We have many good trim-mers in the town. Give them the job, if you don't know how yourself or

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fraley were given a genuine surprise progressive euchre party last Tuesday evening. All present had a good time. The prizes were captured by Mrs. Thomas Wattson, L. S. Faunce, Mrs. F. Fra-

ley and Thomas Wattson. The sloop of war, "Lizzie B," has been entirely refitted a as at present she is clipper built and copper lined, with three decks and no bottom, rifle guns (pump logs) fore and aft. Will soon start for Cuban waters. Commo-

dore Miller in command-Nit. William Miller, of Philadelphia against a stove.

Mrs. Charles Muck and daughter, of Philadelphia, spent Thursday with Mrs. John Saar.

The reading room in the basement William Miler, of Philadelphia, formerly clerk for grocer Vaughn was in town on Washington's Birthday. He now is with a dramatic troupe which has been playing "Lucky Lillie, the child of the Rockies" at the Tem-

The Board of Registry will meet at the Fire house from 1 to 9 P. M., next tup, Brothers. ple theatre, Camden, this week. Tuesday to make any changes that may be necessary in the registry list. They will also receive the names of the candidates to be presented at the citizens' cancus, which will be held

Quite a large party of pupils and friends of Carpenter's dancing school were at the Academy of Music, Philto the cantata of Cinderella. Missess Jesephine Gorgas, Helen Read, Helen Boehme and Edna Smith took part in a fancy dance, between the acts.

Beware of strangers who come to you with something to sell, and if you are in need of the article they purport to have for sale, go to some legitimate dealer and buy it. As a rule, the patrons of the advertisers of this paper do not get fooled, as they are respon-sible parties and can be found at their places of business daily and weekly the

John Schroepfer, Jr., had his left arm broken last Friday by the horse he was driving becoming unmanageable and upsetting the milk wagon, which he was in. When the wagon turned over a big 60 quart can of milk was thrown on his arm and did the damage besides drenching him with milk. His brother-in-law, Nate Wallace, took

Harry, the twelve year old son of Henry Bardsley, of Horace avenue, was shot in the foot by a rifle on Tuesday, while with some boys at the shooting match in East Riverton. He was with a boy named Reuppel who was carrying the rifle, which was a 22 Alexander Diamond at Atlantic City,
C. H. Shaw, a student at the South
Jersey Institute at Bridgeton, visited
his uncle, C. H. Seybert, over Sunday.

The Palmyra Bicycle Club is one of

he most successful undertakings that has been known in this town's history. treet, is visiting at Atlantic City. Although having been started only one month, the membership has reached near the fifty mark, with as many ropositions in view. At every meetable to be out again. ing there are newly elected members

Edward Jones, of Spruce street, is The annual election of permanent officers will be held on March 3rd. entertaining his sister, Miss Lydia Jones, of Philadelphia. The entrance fee is \$1.00 for the

The statistical table published in our last issue and the letters from the Doctors have called the attention of urday evening. our people to Palmyra as a healthy ocality, but the idea should not be ropped here, if the town is to receive any benefit from it. Every resident hould give the facts to their friends in the cities, who may be thinking of

empty houses will thus be filled, and the value of all property thereby in-creased. Push it along! The now locally famous suit of Thomas Maires vs. George B. Lloyd over the sum of \$25.00 was tried again on Wednesday, before Squire Hires and a jury, with the same result as before—eleven stubborn men holding out against one! There was such a crowd witnesses and interested persons that Society Hall had to be engaged Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sullivan, of Crandall, for Maires, tried his brow-Philadelphia, were up on Washington's | beating tactics but it appears to have been wasted on all the jury except one

changing their residence, and our

present, and dues 25 cents per month.

personalities, excep' in a single instance when Maires "riled" him est deepens. Joseph Morgan refuses to allow his name to be used for Freeholder so the contest is between C. H. Crowell and Robert M. Gorrell. As he latter is Justice of the Peace it has been stated that he could not hold both offices, but he has been advised that he can. The many friends of R. L. Temple will not consent that he shall drop out but will present his name at caucus. The names of Manning Clover and Charles S. Atkinson will also be presented for Township F. Blackburn will have S. Howard Troth as opponent, for Assessor, and George W. Hall will con-

A CARD.

test with William B. Strong for Col-

At the earnest solicitation of my friends I have consented to allow my name to be presented to the Citizens' The Boards of Registry throughout Caucus as a candidate for Township Burlington county will sit at the re- Committee. I am the candidate of no faction or clique, and it nominated and elected will use my best efforts for the good of the people.

C. S. ATKINSON.

PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas V. McCurdy gave an elegant progressive euchre Mr. and Mrs. Warren R. Miller, Miss Ada Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Miller, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Faunce, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mathews, Mr.

nd Mrs. Franklin Fraley. There were seven prizes given, two first prizes, two second prizes, two third prizes and a consolation prize, Miss A. Scheerer and Charles Lippincott won the first; Mrs. F. Miller and J. E. Eckstein took the second; Miss Laura Freas and Miss E. Dubois Stewart captured the third, and Mrs. L. S. Faunce obtained the consola-

and delighted to receive a handsome china umbrella stand as a birthday gift from the guests and in a pretty eech thanked her friends for their kind remembrance. In the dining room, which was handsomely decorated with plants and flowers, the tables were literally loaded down with all the good things that the most fasti deous epicure could desire. After refreshments all enjoyed the fine vocal elections and many engaged in "tripping the light fastastic toe," reminding many of the palmy days of the old Palmyra Euchre Club. Not until a late hour did the merry party relue tantly disperse.

P. O. B. of A.

Monday evening was so much of a success that a committee has been ap pointed to get up another one to take place on Monday evening, March 28, the subject will be announced later. The subject of the last was: "Resolved that the annexation of the Hawaiin Islands to the United States would be a benefit to the latter." Brother William B. Strong started on the negative followed by Brother Wimer in the affirmative; Brother Slater then took up the negative again, followed by Brother Holbrook, who made a very eloquent augument on the affiirmative, but then, Oh! my! along came "Our Jack" Horner and tore his argument all to pieces, and the vote of the camp lecided in favor of the negative. It brought out a good attendance, and the members listened very attentively. We expect to initiate at least three new members next Monday evening.

W. O. T. U.

A very interesting Bible reading was read at the home of Mrs. Rudduck on Wednesday.

ware avenue.

All members of the Union are requested to wear a knot of black ribbon with the white, for thirty days, in memory of our departed President, Frances Willard.

A Gospel Temperance meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John

Mrs. William Hatcher, of Cooper Dr. James V. Roberts, who has been confined to the house with mumps, is

Abraham B. Perkins and his sister Ruth, of Warren street, were among the guests present at the Minerva held in Grange Hall, Moorestown, on Sat-

The W. C. T. U. will hold memorial ervices for Mis. Francis Willard, on Wednesday afternoon, March 2, in Reform Club Hall. All are cordially invited to attend.

elson, of Walton avenue, entertained their sister, Miss Ella Nickelson, who is attending the State Normal School, a few days this week. John Morrell has been getting the consent of the property owners on Warren street, the past week, for the proposed trolley road. He has met

with very few refusals. Some of our boys are seriously thinking about the possibility of a war with Spain. Some of them say, with the fortitude and bravery of old veterans,

that they would hail it with joy. Charles Halley, of Philadelphia. man, while C. T. Atkinson conducted who has been spending some time in this city with friends, left on Saturday a very straightforward case, free from for New York City, where he has ac-

cepted a position as a carpenter. The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church gave a Green Tea in the Sunday School room on Tuesday evening. This was the teuth con-ecutive supper they have given on Washington's birthday. The supper was excellently gotten up and served to an exceedingly

large number. Literary and musicale excercises were presented by members of Beverly Lodge No. 94, I. O. G. T. on Friday evening, at their Lodge room in Odd Fellows' Hall. The program was weil executed and well appreciated by the Lodge members, and similar ones will be given each week.

The revival services of the M. E. church are still being held, with no signs of declining interest. Good meetings were held all last week, one of the best being on Friday evening, eight persons professing conversion. Up to the present time forty-nine probationers have joined. The meetings are likely to continue until conference week, near

the Farnum school gave a pleasant and agreeable social on Friday evening to a number of their friends in the auditorium of the school. Many were present in spite of the inclemency of he weather. Instrumental and vocal solos, dancing and amusing games were the notable features of the evenlast Monday evening. Among the ing's entertainment. Those present invited gueste were: Miss Amanda were from Delanco, Palmyra, River-

Scheerer and Miss Laura Freas, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Edward On Washington's birthday, Mine David Stewart, Miss Emeline Dubois | Host David B. Champion, proprietor Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eckstein, of Champion's Hotel, swung to the breeze three American and one Cuban flag. Instead of being displayed with ribbons, they were draped in deep mourning in memory of the dead sailors of the steamship Maine and the uffering Cubans. Underneath the flags is the motto: "In memory of the U. S. S. Maine and the Suffering Cubans." Mr. Champion will keep the

flags in mourning for thirty days. Rachael, widow of the late John Stone, a former resident of this city. died on Thursday morning last at the home of her nephew, James L. Staak, 1317 Tasker street, Philadelphia, where she had been spending the Winter months. Mrs. Stone for many years kept a boarding house during the Summer at Atlantic City, where many of our residents spent their vacations. The notice of her death appeared in the last issue of this paper. The fun-eral took place on Monday afternoon and was largely attended by relatives

Mrs. Ella Swanson, aged 43 years, who had been undergoing what was thought to be a successful operation, died in one of Philadelphia's hospitals last Friday morning. Her body was brought to Beverly on the 8.30 train from the city on Saturday morning. Funeral services were held at the residence of her father, Nathan E. Sharp, on Cooper street, near Church, on Tuesday afternoon, at two o clock. Rev. J. L. Howard, of the M. E church officiated, and Undertaker J. W. Davis had charge. Interment was at Monument Cemetery and was strict-

"An evening with Mrs. Jarley," vas the title of an entertainment given by the Young People's Social, Literary and Musicale Society, of Beverly, in the Odd Fellows' Hall, on Monday evening. The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity with a delighted audience. Instrumental and vocal solos, dialogues, recitations, readings and amusing acts were the course of the evening. This is a new organization, which is composed of young ladies and gentlemen of this city and vicinity, this being its first appearance behind the footlights. The rousing encouragment it received from the good peo-ple of Beverly was a great lift toward further rendition of like entertainments. Forty dollars was cleared.

It is stated that Mrs. Sarah Quiney, who recently died at her home on Laurel street, this city, in her will made several generous bequests to a number of churches and charitable institutions to be used in the advancement of the good and noble work in which they have started, but with slow progress, but will now be able to move greater rapidity since this help which has come from one, we are sorry to state, whom suffered from two of the the home of Mrs. John Kemble, Dela- world's greatest afflictions, blindness and deafness. These she bore with fortitude and patience for many years, that even the bravest of the brave of ten lack. \$1000 was given to the Old Ludies' Home, which is situated at Burlington. To the Baptist Church of this city, was bequeathed \$1200 toward their parish fund. A mortgage on the Beverly Presbyterian church which was held by the deceased was canceled, and other charitable work done, which show the spirit of helpness

COAL! COAL!

Car Lots of Coal a Specialty.

Big stock constantly on hand,

W. R. S. FLUCK.

633 GARFIELD AVENUE.

VERY HEALTHY LOCALITY.

Not a case of typhoid fever in Palmyra and Riverton in two

The official statistics show that: 1 in every 50 died in Camden la 1 " 53 " Philadelphia " 131 Palmyra " 185 Riverton The deaths per 1000 population in Camden last year was 19.97 Philadelphia Palmyra Riverton Average death rate in Camden for the past three years 21.79
" " Philadelphia " " 19.74
" " Palmyra " " 9.86 Palmyra

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 untried 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-

back, "yours of such a date received. We have put your name on the subscrip-And for fear that further correspond ence would burden her with three cop-

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 ther 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

hastened to the office, and imagine my gratification when I saw everywhere resplendent banners bearing the inscription in large letters, "Welcome to

bit, but then the name of the man who went out with me commenced with G.

I told the editor of my gratification. "Why, you egotistical idiot," he re-

The Price of Songs. The following list shows that a great

have received high prices for the copy-rights of some of his songs. For "! for auction, £1,212 15s. was ol for the copyright of Michael Watson's song "Anchored."—Harper's Round Table.

A Great Play. "I can't afford," said the man of to the play with the longest run on record, 'The Struggle of Life.' "-New

posting about a half penny each. Mr. F. C. Helbig, a prominent druggis of Lynchburg, Va., says: "One of our citizens was cured of rheumatism of two years standing, by one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This liniment is famous for its cures of rheumatism; thousands have been delighted with the prompt relief which it affords. For sale by G. T. Williams, Druggist.

THEY DO THE WORK Remedies Relieve and Cure

Head Troubles Stomach Disorders System Irregularities "For every ill, a special pill." If not at Drug Stores, write BRONX CHEMICAL CO., YONKERS, N. Y. Health Book Mailed Free.

NOTICE We hold a meeting every Thursday even-ing, at 8 o'clock, for the promotion of Scrip-tural Holiness and the Salvation of Souls. To which we kindly invite people of all de-nominations. CARL A. PETERSON, MRS. H. D. PETERSON, 223 Horace Avenue.

PALMYRA, N. J.

Try our Old Lehigh family coal and you will use no other.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

CHAS, SMITH

PALMYRA, N. J.

Thanks for the liberal pat-

ronage of valentines and nov-

elties. Watch my adv. for

C. H. SEYBERT.

5 West Broad Street

PALMYRA.

PURE MILK & CREAN

CAN BE HAD ANY TIME AT

MILK DEPOT.

P. S .- My wagon runs twice

MRS. JOHN SCHROEPFER.

Collars, Hames, Sad-

dles, Robes, Horse Clothing an Stable Goods, at Philadel-phia Prices.

Harness Maker

BLANKETS ROBES & BREAST SHIELDS

105 W. Broad St., Palmyra, N, J

PLEASING

That is our Business

OUT GRAHAM BREAD.

MUELLER

BAKER.

BROAD ST., BELOW LECONEY AVE

ELMER SHANE,

PRICES REASONABLE.

CARL A. PETERSON, of 223 Horace Av.,

takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public in

general that he is now in the

at the S. W. Cor. 11th and

Sansom Streets, Phila., where

he carries a full line of seasona-

ble goods at most reasonable

8. W. OOB. 11th AND SANSOM STS. PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Merchant Tailoring

PALATE

day as usual.

HARNESS

Easter Goods.

Death rate of Palmyra and Riverton less than half that of Phila

ver 70 years of age !

Reward of Literature

OYSTERS, CLAMS AND FISH swer that the compensation was not ad-115 W. BROAD ST.,

ies of the magazine she was forced to be content with that.—Washington Post

Cement Pipes

22 cents a yard

Phil May, the artist and caricaturist, tells of a funny experience he had on his return from a tour for the London

LECONEY AVE:, ABOVE FOURTH ST., where a Fresh supply is always "This is indeed fame," I thought, there was another inscription, with flowers and all the rest of it, "Welcome

marked politely, "it's nothing to do with you! It's the marriage of Prince George and Princess May.'

deal of money is made from popular music in England: Sir Arthur Sullivan is said to have realized £10,000 by his celebrated song "The Lost Chord." Balfe appears to Dreamt I Dwelt In Marble Halls" he got £8,000, the same for "When Other Lips," and £5,000 for "The Heart Bowed Down." When recently put up

moderate means, "to go to many places of amusement, but I am admitted free

About the year B. C. 220 edible ser-pents were sold at a penny each in the Egyptian markets. They were shipped to Rome. Italian vipers were cheaper,

PETERSON & CO.

YOUR TIME WILL BE WASTED

If you go to Philadelphia for DRESSMAKER'S TRIMMINGS, HOSIERY, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS or BRIC-A-BRAC when you can buy them of us at Philadelphia Prices.

TROTH & CO., Broad St., opp.

DO YOU LIKE THE BEST?

WE HAVE IT

31 per cent. of people who died in Palmyra in last 3 years were The Celebrated E. D. Butter, Finest Quality, Fresh Made Creamery Print Butter. There is no better Butter comes to Riverton or Palmyra. Price only 32 cents per pound. Try it and you will be convinced.

Extra quality Prunes, 9 cents, 3 pounds for 25 cents.

" N. O. Molasses 15 cents a quart, 50c a gallon.

" Syrup, 10 cents a quart.

Best Flour all grades. Onion Sets, yellow, 121/2 cents a quart, white, 15 cents a quart. Seed Potatoes. Bean Poles.

JOS. M. ROBERTS.

Family Grocer, General Merchandise.

RIVERTON AND PALMYRA, N. J.

THE BEST MEATS OF ALL KINDS -AT THE-

C. W. JOYCE.

Shop on Cinnaminson Avenue adjoining Williams' Drug Store.

P. O. Address, Box 331 Palmyra, N. J.

WATCHMAKER AND IEWELER

22 South Second Street,

MILK

your patronage is respectfully solicited. J. FRANK CLARK

J. W. SHADE,

work strictly first-class in every particular. Job-

J. W. SHADE. N. B.—Parties and Weddings served at P. O. BOX 866. 423 GARFIELD AVENUE PALMYRA

Open Until 10 P. M

520 LECONEY AVENUE, PALMYRA.

REPAIRING.

PRICES REASONABLE.

Residence, Corner Fifth and Cinnaminson Ave., Palmyra.

READ THE NEWS.

Umbrellas taken for Repair. PALMYRA MARKET G. W. BIRD

Jobbing a Specialty.

W. L. BERRY,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Repairing a Specialty.

FOR PURE MILK AND CREAM

717 MORGAN AVENUE, Where milk can be had at any time except Sunday, but delivered daily. A share o

Contractor & Builder.

bing promptly attended to at reasonable rates.

Best of reference furnished. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.

GUS. MOHRMAN, PRACTICAL BOOT → AND SHOEMAKER

CUSTOM WORK A SPECIALTY.

GEO. ATACK.

Contractor for Landscape Gardening, Grading, Digging Cellars, and Cesspools, Cutting Grass, Keeping Lawns in Order, Laying drains etc., or work by the day.

WALTON & BIRD. GENERAL MASONS AND CONTRACTORS.

Woman's ork

nd wearlsome to those whose blood is impure and unfit properly to tone, sus-

Tired. Weak. Nervous. han because of the work itself. Every physician says so, and that the only rem edy is in building up by taking a good nerve tonic, blood purifier and vitalizer

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take

BEST IN THE WORLD, ng two boxes of any other brand. No by heat, LF GET THE GENUINE

PILES OR HEMORRHOIDS CURED BY PAINLESS METHODS

pamphlet containi testimonial

R. REED, M. D.,

Peirce School

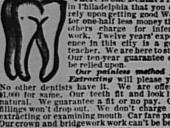
a training with a practical, and and useful English educa-iness, Shorthand and Type-ing, English; the whole con-

Both Day and Night Sessions are



The Pathlight

THE PLACE & TERRY MFG. CO., 247 Centre St., New York.



ALBA DENTISTS.
Offices:—1006 MARKET STREET,
1123 CHESTNUT STREET,
117 NORTH EIGHTH ST.,
1918 DIAMOND STREET,

PROMPTLY SECURED

PATENT SOLICITORS & EXPERT

T: AVELL'S ELASTIC TRUSSES Single, 83.00. Double, \$5.00.

Fitted with our celebrate
Pneumatic Pads: can be worn do Preumatic Pags; can be worn day and night with comfort and ease.

Sold by Physicians or direct from us. Circular free.

1005 SPRING GARDEN ST., PHILADELPHIA, PA.



MY MOTHER'S VOICE

wrong. ever hear its old, familiar tone. Wurtha A. Kidder in New York Home ?

MEETING STEPPAPA.

Fraulein Haussmann of Hanover had large garden behind her finishing sempary for young ladies, and it was up and down this garden that Millie Warwick was strolling, arm in arm fashion, with her sworn chum, Ethel Bidwell, another English pupil.

Ethel waited for further elucidation. 'She has gone and married again!' Imost shricked Millie. "Well, there's no very great harm in

In fact, it will be rather nice for you. 'But a stepfather! Oh, it was too "I am not surprised that she has narried again," said Ethel. "When she came to see you in the winter, she truck me us being almost as young ooking as yourself. Indeed I am sur-

prised at her remaining a widow for ten "Worse and worse," was her next sece of information. "His name is facintosh, and he's Scotch. Then he'll have red whiskers and a strong accent. All Scotchmen do, don't they? They were married very quietly in Edit burgh, without telling any of their friends. I am to join them at Paris and go on with them to Switzerland and have a jolly time. Fancy going on a noneymoon trip with one's own moth-

"Where are you to join them?" asked

Moscow—that's where so many English people go. I suppose Mr. Macintosh can't talk French. Oh, dear, it's alto-

gether too bad of mamma!"

There was no consoling poor Millie, and when her friend saw her off to Paris on the following Thursday Miss Warwick still declined to be comforted. "Please take me up to Mrs. Macin-

arrived at the Hotel St. Moscow.

The garcon, a bold son of Peckham, "Missis Macintosh, did you say,

"Yes, Mrs. Macintosh. I am her

"Well," said the waiter, "I'm sorr to 'ave to inform you, miss, that there ain't no Missis Macintosh 'ere. There's a Mister Macintosh, what arrived abou two hours ago. Probably it's 'im you

As she entered the sitting room Millie stopped dead and would possibly have retreated had not the bold, bad man from Peckham hastily closed the door and retired, for, sitting by the window, perusing a paper, was a young more than 25 years of age, irreproachably garbed, dark, clean shaven not very bad looking.

"I shall be polite, sometimes cordial," Millie had concluded, after debating the matter with berself for many miles, thus let him know that, while I do no wish to cause any unpleasantness, I shall go my own way and he will go

However, Millie's plan of campaign collapsed like a bubble. When Mr Macintosh rose from his chair, Millie collected herself with an

effort, and, advancing, held out a little "How do you do. Mr. Macintosh? she said.

"Thank you," he replied, after a mo-ment's hesitation, "I am very well." Then, as Millie continued standing, he added, handing her a chair, "Won't you sit down?"

Millie seated herself. "Er-I expected to find mamma here," said the young lady, after an awkward silence of quite a minute of

Then an appalling idea flashed Mr Macintosh had discovered their mistake already In one short week they had fallen out. They even trav-eled separately Doubtless he had mar ried her for her money, and her mother

had discovered this "I had better not say too much about mamma until I know exactly how the

ggravate their differences After a long and awkward pause, Mr Macintosh suggested that perhaps she might like to look at the English illustrated papers while she was waiting

"I have a bundle of them in my carryall," he said. "I'll get them for you." While he was absent Millie reviewed the situation again.
"I hope he won't be as severely polite

as this always," she thought. "It's evident that I shall have to break the ice. I will let him see that, however he may have fallen out with poor mamma, I intend to be friendly."

During tea Millie told him nun

secdotes about her life at Fraulein Haussmann's, after which he retaliated in the gayest fashion with stories of Oxford varsity. Thus they passed the time away until the first dinner gong

This reminded Millie of the flight of "I had forgotten all about mamm

When will she be here?" she exclaimed "Possibly she is blocked on the line," murmured Mr. Macintosh. "At any rate, you had better dine here while

But Mr. Macintosh's careless refer ence to her mother jarred on her and damped her spirits. Things were evi-dently very had indeed. His indifference to his wife's whereabouts was positive

During dinner, therefore, she was quieter, so Mr. Macintosh had to do the ion's share of the talking. And so well did he perform his task that Millie had to confess that her steppapa was a very charming young man and that it was a thousand pities he could not get on with

Inspired by this idea, she made no objection when he suggested a stroll on the boulevards. She insisted on his smoking, she prattled to him while he enjoyed his cigar, she leaned on his proffered arm and, indeed, made a control of the only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

scientions effort to impress him with the fact that she was a nice girl and. though a stepdaughter, would not be an incumbrance or a bother to him And when they got back to the hotel, after a little hesitation, as they were

separating for the night, she stood on tiptoe and administered to his brow a "Well," observed Mr. Macintosh aft-er she had vanished, "of all the experiences I've ever had this certainly takes

Now, a portion of the above was told to the present historian by Mr. Dick Macintosh and part by his wife. I have merely interwoven their accounts. The end of the story I also obtained from Millie was very reticent when relating her share. Millie related her part as

"Well, I was unpacking my things, you know, in order to be able to go to bed, when who should come in but

'Oh, mamma, how could you quar "Mamma looked very astonished and

"'What are you talking about?"
"'Steppapa,' I replied. 'He didn't
bring your name up once all the time,
and he didn't seem to care what had bewas the last man in the world I should have taken for a bridegroom. But he was very nice to me.'

"'My dear child,' exclaimed man ma, 'are you wandering? What person do you refer to? Your stepfather has only just arrived at the hotel. We crossed this morning. As for quarrel-ing, we are the most devoted couple in

Now for Mr. Dick Macintowh's ver letter from my Uncle Ned telling me that he had taken a wife unto himself, the hotel St. Moscow in a week's tin On the date named I hied me to Paris, and while I was awaiting Uncle Ned's

arrival a young lady was shown in.
"Well, we both thawed after a tim and had a rare evening. She proved the jolliest girl imaginable—talked laughed, joked and seemed bent on being as friendly as possible. We had toa, dined, took a stroll and returned to the hotel. Then, my boy, imagine my as-tonishment. After she had said good night she reached up and gave me the most delicious kiss I had ever received n the whole course of my existence.

our together, and during the tour Dick and Millie managed to patch up mat-ters so neatly that they came to be quite good friends by the time they returned to England, and about a year after their return Dick took a flat in lie not objecting, they were married, and there I visited them and heard the story. - Answers.

It is said that Shakespeare's work bound in the most direct and explicit references to the game of golf, several of which have been collected in Mis Wood's recent volume of "Quotations

In "Much Ado About Nothing" is an nmistakable allusion to a characteristi it Andrew's gesture in the words, "I mow you by the waggling of your head," while in "Titus Andronicus" encountered the pertinent query, "What subtle bole is this?" In "Richard III," bands the bruising irons of wrath," and in "Henry VI" (part I) the statement

Falstaff's ruling passion was evident-ly golf, for on his deathbed he "babbled f green fields," and there were certain ly links on Prospero's island, else why the question "Why hath the queen sumnoned me hither to this short grass'd green?" Some commentators prefer the reading, "To tee or not to tee, that is the question." But spart from this dis-puted passage in "Hamlet" there is a reference to the fault of "striking to oe to the fault of "striking too

THE FAT CAPTAIN.

His Order, Its Method of Ex "Join the militia, if you wish, my boy," said the old man in his kindly way, "but don't get in a company that has a fat captuin.

"I don't see what difference that can make," returned the boy. "Do you mean to contend that a fat man can't be a good soldier?"

"Well, not exactly that, my boy, explained the old man; "but in some ways you will find the thin man or the man of medium build preferable. Didn't I ever tell you of my experience?"

"Ah, that explains your doubts, then You see, I once had an ambition to wear a uniform and march behind a band, just like you, and I joined a company that unfortunately had a fat cap-tain. No one thought of the captain par-ticularly at the time the company was organized, but we all learned to look out for such trifles later. While w were in the armory it was all right and everything always passed off satisfac-torily, but when we began to drill out of doors—ah, then we found how serions a matter drilling with a fat captain

"But why?" asked the boy. "You aven't told me that yet."
"He'd lose his breath just at critical moments. He'd start us out at double time and then get so winded himself that he couldn't stop us. Of course we would have to go on. We were too well drilled to stop until we received the order to do so. I remember once he start-ed us out, lost his breath, was unable to order a halt or to keep up with the column and we ran three miles before

"What made you stop then?" inquired "We ran into a stone wall." replied

we ran into a some wan, replicate the old man promptly.

"Pooh! Why didn't you scale it? You were a nice kind of soldiers, you were. If I'd been your captain, I'd have court martialed the whole lot of you for disbedience of orders."

Then the old man looked at the boy nd the boy looked at the man, and a chasm seemed to open up between them They were no longer friends.—Chicago

Constipation

"I must try and make the peace," she thought. "Meanwhile my best plan will be to be as pleasant as possible—conciliatory, in fact."

Inspired by this idea, she made no congue, sick headache, in-

MONEY MAKING IN TACOMA. The City of Destiny Once Coined Its Own

Tacoma once had a mint that coined all of the money in circulation where the City of Destiny now stands, and it did not require the flat of Uncle Sam, the silver of Idaho or the gold of California to make the pieces from Tacoma's mint pass current among the Indians and the few hardy pioneers who were blazing the path of civilization through the forest on the shores of Comme nent bay, says the Tacoma Ledger.

Back in the early seventies the Tao ma Mill company, not being able to handily secure gold and silver for use in trading with and paying off the Indian laborers and early settlers, hit upon the novel plan of issuing its own currency, and to this end set its black-smith to work to fashion for it out noney, or, rather, tokens, which be used as a circulating medium. The pieces consisted of 40 cent and 45 cent iron tokens and brass \$1 pieces. The 40 cent pieces were about an inch in diamster and the 45 cent pieces were about the size of the present silver half dollar. The \$1 pieces were oval in shape, about 114 inches long, an inch wide and a sixteenth of an inch in thickness. These pieces were stamped with the figures showing their value, and readily passed current all over the country tributary to the mill. Nearly all of this old "mill" coin has passed away, but a few days ago William Hanson of the Tacoma Mill ago william Hanson of the facoma Mili company presented a set of these queer coins to the Ferry museum. In his let-ter to the museum he said: "The honesty of the people and the absence of any blacksmith shop save

that of the company made the use of this money possible."

Oregon has long boasted that the 'Beaver' coin, minted at Oregon City in the early fifties, was the only money the pioneer, but here in Tacoma, long years after Oregon's "Beaver" mint had become a historical incident, was a primitive mint that supplied the coin to furnish the pioneers and Indians with all of the necessities for their rough lives. The coins, which are still pre served, are roughly made, just such as any blacksmith with ordinary tools might make, and as a matter of fact during the early years of the mill com-pany's existence formed practically the local circulating medium of exchange. When the Indians who were employed in the mill were paid for their labor. this coin sufficed, as all the trading they did was with the little store run ection with the mill. The iron and brass pieces were, of course, passe among the Indians in trading with each other, and as anything in the way of supplies was purchased by them at the mill store the pieces were fully as good to them as if they had borne the stamp

Changes In Cave Dwelling Animals "The influence of environment upon organisms is nowhere more striking. says Science, "than in the case of anitally lost in caves and which succeed in accustoming themselves to the situa-tion in spite of its difficulties. M. Armand Vire gives some notes on his ob-servations in the Comptes Bendus. The principal difference in the situation onsists in the absence of light and in the rarity of animal prey. The eye al-ways becomes atrophied to a degree which varies with the species and also with the individual. There is sometimes a difference between the two ever of a single individual. The eyes are a certain extent replaced by other organs of sense; the antennæ of the campodes become, in some individuals, wice as long as usual, and sometime onger than the entire body. The tactile hairs with which the body is covered obtain an exaggerated development, and in the crustaceans sometimes even in-vade the ocular globe. Hearing does not seem to be accentuated, but the sense of mell is very acute, and a bit of tainted fiesh becomes invaded in a very few minutes with a large colony of animals The organs of digestion become very considerably modified in those species which are naturally carnivorous, and in two staphylins the mandibles were found to be completely atrophied. Every animal is more or less completely de-pigmented, but those which had no trace of color remaining began to have numerous little black spots dissemina over the whole body after they had been kept for a month in the light, and these spots were particularly abundant in those parts (antennæ and claws) which had been accidentally lost and

were in course of restoration Every day some fresh source of food supply is discovered, says The Stamp Collector. Adhesive stamps have not hitherto been regarded as nutritious. The ostrich prefers gold watches for a steady diet, and the traveling tinker's donkey has a reputation for consuming any clean linen that may be handy.

A Hindoo paper, however, gives an account of a curious incident that coarred at the residency in a remote dis trict in Ceylon a little while ago. Mr. Pieris, the office assistant, placed on value of about 200 rupees. While his attention was drawn to something else is pet goat was slowly but surely making a meal of the stamps. This was not discovered until the goat had swal-lowed some 50 rupees worth of stamps. Immediately the goat's life was de-manded as a penulty, and the stamps, afterward taken from its stomach, were

forwarded to the commissioner.

The Norman-English laws enacted that a leper had neither power to sue in any court nor to inherit property. During his lifetime he was permitted to enjoy the usufruct of any property in his possession at the time he was "found guilty," so to speak, of leprosy, but all rights of disposition over it he lost.

Life has no other origin than life it self, and this is one of the great truths which the labors of pathologists and biologists of the present century have established beyond the possibility of a doubt if the life that is taken from life is taken from a highly developed life, so will be the wife that is taken My earnest hope and belief is that the final mystery of life, the key to life, the principle which keeps life alive, will be solved by the biologists before all the members of the present congress are dead —Professor Virchow to Inter untional Congress at Moscow, Aug 19

Remarkable Mirages

The Sudan expedition, while engaged in laying the new Nile railway, saw some remarkable mirages. From a distance the men appeared to be working in a beautiful lake, and on all sides were to be seen lakes, beautifully wood-ed hills, ships and cascades When looked at through fieldglasses the illu-sion was heightened rather than diminNOT TO BE CHEATED

hase in the town of Mechanic Falls, and that one belonged to an old mar of somewhat eccentric ways.

One day a young man wanted to hire the chase to take his best girl to ride. The owner agreed, but nothing was said about the price. Toward nightfall the young man brought the "How much is the damage?" he

asked. "Where did you go?" returned the ld man.

The young man named the place.

"How far do you call that?" "Twelve miles. "Nope," said the old man, "it's only "I tell you it's twelve good long

enough to know." "H'm, I traveled the road before on were out of dresses. I tell ye tain't but ten miles." Both of them were losing

pers rapidly.
"Never mind how far it is," cried

miles and I've been over it times

the young man; "you tell me how much," I owe you, and I'll pay you and Catching his breath the old thundered: "Young feller, ye don't owe a cent, but by mighty, I'll be durned if ye re agoin' to cheat me on the distance."—Lewstown Journal.

TALMA AND NAPOLEON

Talma was standing at a corner, one an immense crowd that thronged he streets of Paris to see Napoleon drive by in state. "Do you see that little man there?" e said to a friend at his side, pointing

as he spoke to the Emperor in his car-"Yes," replied his companion, "wha signifies that?"
"Well," answered Talma, "not

many years ago that same individual applied to me for a position in my company. He was ambitious to be an actor, and wished me to teach him the art of the stage. I discouraged him, as I could not see that he had any ability, and told him that there was no tope for any other than a genius in my

"Is there any hope in any calling?" asked he, "for the unfortunate plodder not ble sed with ability?" "Well,' said Talma's compani

what of that ?" Nothing," replied the actor, 'nothing nly that unfortunate little man is no Emperor of France, and I-well, I am just plain Talnia."

A Roman descon was sent for to ban tize a baby. In the cabin he could find "Tea, he reasoned, "contains water, the rest is but accident," and proceeded to pour out a cup. But it was strong. 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 conscience, to his superior. It had not occurred to him, having found the wa-

Here is a tutor's letter of condolence to news 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 mod-

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 orators 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 con-cluded: "If that's your civilization, you may keep it I call it most improp-. "-Cornhill Magazine

One day in 1880 Senator Hampto was going on his crutches from the sen-ate chamber to the house of representa-tives. In the middle of the big rotunda he met a very large man, also on crutches. He was a member of congress from diversity of the case of the giving his name the congressman said amputation was necessary by reason of a shot he had received in a fight with

Hampton's cavalry. He did not dream he was talking to Wade Hampton him-self. "I am Wade Hampton," said the senator. "If you have the leisure, please sit down and let us talk." Hampton had lost his leg after the war, when thrown from a mule while deer hunting. The amputation was identical with that of the congressman, and they fell a-talking. Up to that time neither had found a cork legs he could wear, and they discussed cork legs for a great while. They parted, after mutual professions of esteem. The next morning I heard the congressman tell the story in the committee room, and there never was a man who had a higher regard for Wade Hampton than he had. I believe Hampton later found a leg he could wear.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Nor shall any occupant of such a house change his residence elsewhere without the consent of the said Board during the prevalence of any public danger from said disease. Any person or persons oflending against any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a penalty of Fifty Dollars.

Sec. 8. That when death has been caused be down human being shall remain unburied for a longer time than twenty four hours without a permit from the Board. When death has been caused by communicable disease, the body shall.

"Mrs. Brigham is a charming won an," said a visitor to Salt Lake City. tically. "My wife is one of a thousand."
"Goodness gracious!" exclaimed the
astonished visitor. "I didn't suppose you ever went in as steep as that, and had anderstood that of late years po lygan had been abolished anyway.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent deire to urinate or pain in the back, is also-convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfalls every wish in relieving the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary pussages. It corrects inability to hold urine and sealding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that un pleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for itswonderul cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sole by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mall, upon receipt of three two-cent stamps to cover cost of postage on the bottle. Mention the Nxws and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietor of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

HEALH CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF I

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Local Board of Health of the Inhabitants of the township of Palmyra, in the County of Burlington, that every physician shall re-Barlington, that every physician shall re-port to this Board in writing, the name age and address of every person havis scarlet fever, diphtheria, membraneo croup, smallpox, varioloid, cholera, though the smallpox in the sever, yellow fever, the sever, yellow fever and the sever and the sever sever and the sever sever and the sever privileges.

Those dastardly acts of recklessness

twelve hours after such physician has first professionally attended such sick person. Said reports shall be written on blank forms provided by this Board. Any person or persons offending against who shall know of the existence of any case of any or the diseases mentioned in Section 1, of this Ordinance, and which

Section 1, of this Ordinance, and which shall be in or upon any premises by them owned or occupied, shall within twenty-hours report the same to the Board of Health. Any person offending against any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a penalty of Fifty Dollars. Sec. 3. No principal, teacher, or superintendent of any school, and no parent or guardian of any child attending any school shall permit any sick child with any disease mentioned in Section 1, or with any seril—both good and spill—both good an ease mentioned in Section 1, or with any other communicable disease, or any child residing in any house in which such dis-ease shall exist, to attend any school until therefor. Any person or persons offend-ing against any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a fine of

Sec. 4. Whenever it shall be deemed necessary by this Board to establish the true character of any disease which they may believe to be communicable, a medical examination of the person or persons affected by such disease may be ordered, and such examination shall be permitted by all attendants and persons. Any person or persons offending against any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a penalty of fifty dollars.

Sec. 5. In case infectious or contagious or communicable disease occurs in the

or communicable disease occurs in hall at the discretion of this Board, be isolated or they may be removed to such locality as this Board may order and direct; and all buildings, clothing, prop-erty and premises and venicles which may become infected by the presence of persons affected by contagious, infectious or communicable disease, shall be disinfected at the expense of the tenant, occu-pant or owner thereot, and said disinfecormed in such manner and with s naterials and within such stated time materiais and within such states that and under such supervision as this Board may direct. And this Board may estab-lish such separation and isolation or quarantine of the sick from other persons not necessary as attendants, and also provide and effect sure special care, disnfection and cleansing of property and premises as shall, in the judgment of the Board, be needed in order to prevent the ons. Any person or persons offending grainst any of the provisions of this sec-ion shall forfeit and pay a penalty of

Sec. 6. Whenever quarantine or isola ion and separation of persons or properts ordered by this Board, notice of said order shall be given to the persons affected thereby. Said notice shall be in writ ing and it may be served personally, lef with some person at the infected house a bereaved parent This was unkindly or it may be posted upon the building or premises occupied by the infected persons or property. The requirements of said quarantine notices shall be obeyed by all persons, and no such notice nor any other persons, and no such notice nor any other sign indicating the presence of communi-cable disease upon any premises shall be removed except by consent of this Board. Any person or persons offending against any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a penalty of one Hundred Dollars.

Hundred Dollars.

Sec. 7. No person or article liable t propagate a communicable disease shall be brought within or removed from the limits of the Township, without the written permit and under the direction of the Board of Health thereof; and whenever it shall come to the knowledge of any person that such person or article has been brought within such limits, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the said Board. No person shall within the said Board. No person shall within the said Township without a permit from the Board of Health therefore carry, or remove from one building to any other, any person sick of any communicable disease, nor shall any person by any exposure of any in-dividual sick of any communicable dis-ease, or of the body of such person, or by any negligent act connected therewith by any negligent act connected therewith or in respect to the care or cu-tody thereof, or by a needless exposure of himself, cause or contribute to, or procase. Any owner, lessee, or tenant of any dwelling house in which there shall occur a case of communicable disease, shall immediately notify the Board of Health of the same, and until instructions are received from the said Board, shall not permit any clothing or other said. not permit any clothing or other prop-erty that may have been exposed to infection to be removed from the house. Nor shall any occupant of such a house

caused by communicable disease, no devel body of any human being shall remain unburied for a longer time than twenty four hours without a permit from the Board. When death has been caused be immediately thereafter disinfected in such a manner as may be directed by this Board, and inclosed in an air tight coffin, which shall not thereafter be opened and the funeral of such person shall be strictly private, and in the removal thereof for burial or otherwise hearses only shall be employed. hearses only shall be employed. Any person or persons offending against any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a penalty of Fifty Dol-

ars. Sec. 9. And be it further ordaine that this ordinance shall take effect thirty days after the date of the first publication. Adopted February 15th, 1898.
R. LOWBER TEMPLE,

Attest,
F. BLACKBURN, Secretary

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, pyroligneous acid and gases. In order to properly bring this change 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 pyroligneous acid and 1,000 pounds of uncondensed. gases. The aggregate weight of these products is exactly equal to the original weight of the wood.—St. Louis Repub-

Had Better Consider It.

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

utchery and suicide, of which Coroner's juries say that "there was no apparent cause," "no reason could be found," and kindred verdicts, are puzziling the minds of very many em moralists of the present day

Undoubtedly one reason for this is that many pulpiteers and moralists study and preach more often upon "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

REV. G. F. HAINES, Salem, Mass.
said to the author:—"I have read
every word in your book. It is a valua-

pertaining to the great system of "Spirit-ual Philosophy," does so treat upon the subject of angels—both good and supernatural element in its workings, evil-that their origin, nature, charac- we endorse the conclusions he reach ter and office are readily understood that the agencies at work are the in a practical way, even by the common people. Hence, to read the work carefully, is to be forearmed, which is of the false theology of Spiritualism to be informed; insomuch that the are justified in the premises otherwise unlearned may escape the

now scientifically called "Hypnotism," is a mental or psycological force which often is, and always can be a stepping-stone to Demon Magnetism, which is, simply, real "Spiritual Phenomena. This fact is not now generally known!

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 Ghd of Bible account is a JUST, rather toan an unjust Being; and that He is still on the giving hand, even to His they will, have eternal life as well as this day of probation. It would interest more than a mil-

know that this work is the first one of its size to present clear-cut proof that only those who accept Christ as their Say iour have any title to immortality. The contrary view is the foundation on which Spiritualism rests. The experience, close study and ob-servations 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 re ceived :-REVIEW of REVIEWS; "He [the auth-

ence, it not for study, by those interested in the questions the author has striven to answer."

OUR HOPE AND LIFE IN CHRIST: It is a valuable book for all English reading families, and, also, for preach-

ers, lectures, and debaters against Spir

MESSIAH'S ADVOCATE :- "The book ill well repay the trouble to peruse it, in furnishing them with overwhelming evidence against the false claims of Spiritualism."

Spiritualian CAMDEN POST:—"The greatest ques-tions pertaining to Man, here and here-after, are discussed with brevity, comprehensiveness and—if pointed evide from many sources are considered— with considerable ability; thus making it worthy of study by any student of human, superhuman, or Divine forces, the evil as well as the good."

REV. MILES GRANT, the well-known writer, lecturer and debater :- "It is a work for the times. It is comprehen sive, abounding in important facts. just such as are needed to form a correct conclusion as to the merit of Spir

REVIEW and HERALD, Battle Creek. calamities often consequent upon ignor-ance of Human and Demon Magnet-position in regard to conditional immorality, and hence holds the only true vantage ground from which the claims of Spiritualism can be successfully re-

The author shows that Spiritualism s not a humbug, as so many claim, and are thereby thrown off their guard; that it is not religion: that its claims The work clearly shows that the are false; that its phenomena are be-eachings of the Bible withstand all yound human power, and that its teachings are destructive to morality, and utterly blasphemous.'

DR. A. F. RANDALL, Port Huron, Mich.:—"I can conscientiously say it is a grand book—ought to be read by everybody; then philosophers would no longer go about like Diogenes with a lantern in broad daylight." The News has already said that

Spiritualism is one of the most important subjects of our time, and that this worst enemies; and that they may, if book treats it exhaustively, and refutes it completely. This work has been se-lected by the Mendota College as "spec-ially adapted to the Bible Training

This is a regular \$1.50 book but to more quickly spread its usefulness this edition has been reduced to \$1.25 postpaid. To ministers and teachers \$1.00. Address C. F. SLEEPER.

THE MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

The mystery of Clairvoyance, Spiritualism and the Bible accounts of soothsayers an persons possessed with devils, and kindre phenomena, have long puzzled many candi "Spiritualism Examined and Refuted,"
Elder John H. Dadmun, is one of the most
important works of our time; it treats the

ror] considers Spiritualism to be a pernicious force in modern society, hosile 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. Hastings, editor of the Christian, "Mr. Dadmun'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 not for study, by those inter-

Modern Spiritualism.

468 pp., 8 vo., large type, on fine white paper, excellent postrait of the author, bound in cloth, with stamps and edges of gold. Price \$1.25, post-paid. To ministers and teachers, \$1.00.

THE WEEKLY NEWS

Is Thoroughly Equipped

For all kinds of Job Printing. Newspaper work a specialty. Book work at low rates.

Printing for Churches, Epworth Leagues, and Lodges.

LETTER HEADS, CHURCH ENVELOPES,

BILL HEADS STATEMENTS.

COLLECTION ENVELOPES, CATALOGUES TOPIC CARDS. PUNCH CARDS.

Let us know what you want and we will give you an estimate.

Our presswork facilities are unexcelled. Special

rates on long runs. Correspondence solicited,