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M. P. LISK MINUS A RIG.

Miss Herve and Neuhoff to Strangers, Who Have Not Yet Returned.

Last Friday morning two well dressed strangers called at H. P. Lisk's livery stable in the rear of the Matawan House and engaged a rig, stating that they wished to drive to Keyport, Holmdel and several other nearby places and that they would be back at 8 o'clock. The men who did the hiring claimed to be an agent for the Henry Brook Mye Whiskey and said he was going to make a canvass for business among the hotels in this section. Both men had the appearance of being well-to-do and Mr. Lisk did not hesitate to let them have use of the best rig in his stable.

When the men did not return that night Mr. Lisk thought strange of it, but concluded they had either put up at a nearby hotel and would show up in the morning, or had left the rig somewhere to be returned, and dismissed the matter from his mind. When they did not come back Saturday morning, however, Mr. Lisk started an investigation by telephoning to all of the surrounding towns and soon came to the conclusion that the strangers did not intend to return from the rig. He immediately in writing advised the sheriff at Holmdel, where they stopped at Perrine's hotel, that they had left all of their money and had since been unable to learn anything of the rig or men. They did not visit the hotels they said they intended to visit and they did stop at the hotel to get the whiskey.

The stolen rig is valued at about \$200. The horse is a gray, 18 1/2 hands high, has a long tail and mane of dark gray, forelegs clipped and legs clipped from fetlock to inside of knee. The wagon is a fall spring steel tire runabout, with dark red running gear and black body, and has just recently been loaded with a new set of wheels.

Republican Executive Committee.

On Monday night several Republicans assembled at the Trust House and elected an executive committee for the borough and township. Several reports being made to the interior of the Trust House the election was held on the outside and it was over in about one minute. After the meeting had adjourned about twenty persons appeared to participate in the proceedings and when it was found that it was over they were not only surprised but "bromy."

Borough—J. T. Rue, A. R. Antieil, G. A. Fountain, P. H. Nizer, J. L. B. Bergen.

Township—C. C. Hulmit, J. Denny Conover, V. H. Lloyd, A. A. Boyce.

The committee met in Dr. Van Wick's office later in the evening and organized by electing G. A. Fountain chairman and Mr. Bergen secretary. A. A. Boyce was the only member not present. Dr. Van Wick was then elected County Commissioner.

Smith Spends Night in Jail.

Bernard Smith, brother-in-law of David Lerner, who was directed by Judge Kitchin to be held \$5,000 bail pending an appeal after the habeas corpus proceedings introduced in the United States District Court had been dismissed last Friday, was an unwilling and unsuspected guest of Sheriff Bogardus Monday night. Smith, with his bondsmen, Mayor George W. Whitely of Southfield, went to Freehold Monday night prepared to give bail in the required amount. Smith's lawyers had secured an order from Prosecutor directing the County Clerk to accept bail, but the latter declined to do so without the written direction of Judge Hestley, and as it was impossible to get this that night Smith was compelled to spend the night in jail. Early Tuesday morning, however, the necessary order from the court was secured and he was promptly liberated when his bondsmen had qualified.

Building Boom at Ashbury Park.

Ashbury Park is now experiencing the greatest building boom it has had since 1881. Improvements costing a quarter of a million dollars are either under way or in preparation and over a quarter of a million more is in contemplation.

One Hundred Dollars a Box

is the value H. A. Fiedals, Brunswick, B. O. places on DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing witch hazel with antiseptics and emollients; relieves and permanently cures bleed, itching and protruding piles, sore, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. Sold by Frank H. Blaser.

Farm for Rent.

1 mile from Marlboro or County Road, known as D. H. Stryker farm. About 40 acres; strawberries, fruit, road, and balance of land all tillable. Good house and outbuildings. Rent \$200. Apply at this office.

Children's Furs for Xmas—large and select stock at Wicks', Red Bank.

See new farms for sale on sixth page.

JESSE M. NICKLES.

An Active Fireman for Fifty-six Years, Died on Sunday.

Jesse M. Nickles, a resident of Matawan for forty years, died Sunday afternoon from paralysis of the throat, aged 78 years and 4 days. He leaves a widow, two sons and one daughter. They are James S. Jr., of Brooklyn and Theodore H. Nickles of Matawan and Mrs. W. B. Stryker of Marlboro. Mr. Nickles was born on the corner of Norfolk and Broom Streets, New York, on December 9, 1825. He always lived in New York in the Tenth Ward and after growing to manhood took an active part in politics and the volunteer fire department of that city. In 1867 he joined Phoenix Hose Company, No. 23, and two years later resigned from this company and assisted in the organization of No. 3 Engine Company. The latter company gained celebrity because of its good work at fire and the political prominence of its members. This is the company W. B. Stryker was foreman of in 1881.

In 1887 Mr. Nickles was elected a member of the Common Council of New York and served one year. He was appointed Street Inspector of the Tenth Ward and served in that capacity for five years. He subsequently held a position in the Marine's Office. Mr. Nickles also conducted a printing office in New York and some years later had a bakery and restaurant at Grand and Sixth Streets. In 1863 Mr. Nickles moved to Matawan and spent his summer here for several years and then made it his permanent home. He formed a partnership with his brother-in-law, the late D. C. Meale, and opened a grocery business, which they conducted for several years. After the dissolution of the firm Mr. Nickles was employed as a salesman for Deane, Dunlop & Co. and was with this firm about twenty-two years. For the last two years Mr. Nickles had lived retired, enjoying good health a few months ago, since then a gradual decline has been noticed, but not until Wednesday of last week was he confined to the house. This was his 78th birthday and after four days illness he died.

For thirty-six years Mr. Nickles was an active member of Washington Company of this place, and for seven years chief of the fire department. He was also a member of the Fireman's Relief Association for ten years. The fire department's parade of the fire department of Monmouth County was held in Matawan and Mr. Nickles of this place, Thomas L. Worthley of Long Branch and Charles W. Thompson of Red Bank were the committee that had it in charge. These parades were conducted annually for several years in the principal towns and then discontinued.

Mr. Nickles at the time of his death was Overseer of the Poor and Marshal for the borough. He had held these offices for several years. Mr. Nickles was a man of genial qualities and was well liked by everybody.

On May 22, 1880, Mr. Nickles married Miss Elizabeth W. Whitlock in New York and fifty years later celebrated their golden wedding. The funeral services were held in the M. E. Church yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The fire department turned out fifty men in parade, at the head of which were Messrs. Worthley and Thompson, ex-Chief Rue and Chief Booth. Rev. J. F. Hollenman officiated and interment was in Rose Hill Cemetery.

OBITUARY.

Reuel C. Wooley, wife of George L. Wooley, died from consumption yesterday afternoon at her home on Broad Street, aged 58 years. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter and four sons. They are Mrs. G. M. Steves, George, Gordon L., Frank and William Wooley. The funeral services will be held at her late residence to-morrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and Dr. Young will officiate.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs. Cures dyspepsia, indigestion, stomach troubles, and makes rich red blood, health and strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure rebuilds worn-out tissues, purifies, strengthens and sweetens the stomach. Gov. G. W. Atkinson of W. Va., says: "I have used a number of bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have found it to be very effective and, indeed, a powerful remedy for stomach ailments. I recommend it to my friends." Sold by Frank H. Blaser.

Farm for Sale or Rent. Farm of late John D. Crawford at Vanderburg; 80 acres—4 in apples—10 in asparagus, 3 in peaches; about 3 miles from station and 3 miles from postoffice. Inquire of Geo. W. Crawford, Vanderburg.

Three-Seat Carryall for Sale. In good condition. Just the wagon for peddling purposes. Apply at this office.

All goods sold by Woodruff, the Keyport jeweler, are warranted to be just as represented.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Short Paragraphs of the Whereabouts of Some of our People—Visitors in Town.

Miss Farry is visiting at Montclair. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Shephard spent Sunday at Red Bank.

Miss Lockwood of Jersey City has been the guest of Miss Simpson.

Mrs. Shaffer of Lumberton was the guest of Miss Heilman over Sunday. J. V. P. Schack of South Orange was the guest of Mrs. G. A. Fountain on Tuesday.

Frank Doolittle of New York, a former resident here, spent Sunday with H. H. Longstreet.

Mrs. E. H. Longstreet and Mrs. G. M. Farry spent day with Rev. W. Dayton at Ashbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonso Walling are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walling in Jersey City.

McDonald—Clawson.

One of the most notable events of recent date was a wedding at the parlor Superior Street Baptist Church, Cleveland, Ohio, on Wednesday evening, December 15th, which united in marriage Miss Martha Jane Clawson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clawson, and Mr. Harold G. McDonald of Brooklyn, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends.

The decorations of the church had been left to a sister and they were very effective. Mrs. William McDonald presided at the organ and promptly at 8 o'clock the wedding party, led by the sphere—Messrs. J. Horace Allport, Noah D. Allport and Julius Roswell—entered the church to the strains of the Lohengrin march, and passing up the steps took position in front of the altar where they were met by the pastor, Rev. W. I. Lampson. During the ceremony the organist played "O Promise Me." The nation of honor was Mrs. J. Horace Allport, a sister of the bride, and Miss Lela Taylor, bridesmaid. The groom was attended by Mr. Ralph Russell, a cousin of the bride. The bride wore a beautiful gown of embroidered chiffon over white tulle with a real lace train and carried a shower of bouquet of white roses. The matron of honor was dressed in her wedding gown, she being a bride of a year ago. The bridesmaid's gown was of white tulle trimmed with feathers.

After the ceremony a reception was held in the immediate relative of the contracting parties at the home of the bride's parents, and after most hearty congratulations a family supper was served. The only out-of-town guests were Mrs. J. W. McDonald and Mrs. D. C. Meale of Brooklyn, mother and grandmother of the groom. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McDonald were former residents of Matawan and they have the best wishes of a wide circle of friends here.

Arcos—Gorman.

Miss Catherine Gorman and Burton G. Arcos, both of this place, were married at South Amboy on Sunday afternoon, December 6, by the Rev. H. Hampton of the Methodist Protestant Church. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Robert Lister in the presence of a few friends of the contracting parties.

Jolly Old Santa Claus

is located at A. Salz & Co's, Keyport, laden with the greatest assortment of Christmas things to make everyone happy.

Concert last Saturday was so greatly appreciated that they have arranged to have another one this Saturday by the New York Orchestra and Military Band. Singing by the famous tenor, Thomas Kelley, and violin selections by the celebrated violinist, Prof. E. Liden.

Handsome presents free to purchasers of \$20 and over from now until January 1.

To Retire from Business. V. L. Ten Eyck, formerly of Matawan, who succeeded the late L. M. Bloom in the food business several years ago at Long Branch, will retire from that business in a few days. It is said that Mr. Ten Eyck will engage in some other business.

A Costly Mistake.

Mistakes are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's new life pills for dyspepsia, indigestion, headache, liver or bowel troubles. They are gentle, yet thorough. 25c. at H. O. Walling's drug store.

Calves Wanted.

Highest cash price paid for good fat calves.—George Litzmeyer, Jr.

Call on Woodruff, the Keyport jeweler, for your holiday gifts for something useful, ornamental and wearable.

VOTED FOR CONSOLIDATION.

The Borough and Township to Continue the School System as Hitherto.

The election held Monday night in the Graded School building to decide whether or not the school district of the borough be consolidated with the school district of the township attracted but little attention.

The voters from the township to a man favored the consolidation and the result showed forty votes for the consolidation and none against it. This election was held on the second floor of the building from 8 to 9 o'clock.

At the same time on the first floor the voters of the borough were expressing themselves. Out of fifty-four votes cast thirty-six favored the consolidation, fifteen were against it and three votes were rejected.

The result as the borough election was not altogether expected. There was a belief that it would be to the financial interests of the taxpayers for the borough to save and control the school, but there were other things to be considered beside the financial end and when these were brought to the attention of the voters several who first favored not consolidating saw their mistake and voted for it.

Trolley Company's New Officers.

The annual meeting of the Hook and Ladder Company was held this year in the engine house, because of alterations and repairs being made in their building. A vote of thanks was extended for use of room. The new officers are:

- President—Alonso Walling.
- Vice President—E. W. Bissell.
- Secretary—J. A. Walling.
- Treasurer—Felix Weber.
- Trustees—H. A. Bushnell, James Crine, H. W. Bissell.
- Foreman—W. G. Bellis.
- First Assistant—James Crine.
- Second Assistant—Charles Schuck.
- Representative to Firemen's Relief Association—W. G. Bellis.

\$10,000 Fire at Point Pleasant.

The Havers House, one of the largest hotels in Point Pleasant, was totally destroyed by a fire which started shortly after 2 o'clock Saturday morning. The loss is estimated at \$10,000. Cause of fire unknown.

Upon his return from New York to the theatre train, a brother of the proprietor, Mr. G. A. Mangold, noticed smoke rising in thick clouds from the centre of the roof. Before he reached the building the flames burst into view. He gave the alarm and then proceeded to rouse the inmates. There were but few guests in the house at the time and these, together with Mrs. Mangold, were soon on the outside.

Trolley Company to Pay Damages.

On Monday Chief Justice Gummate, in the Supreme Court Circuit, awarded Mrs. Bridget Vanderhoff damages to the amount of \$3,700 against the Atlantic Coast Electric Railway Company. The amount had previously been agreed upon by counsel for both sides. Mrs. Vanderhoff, formerly lived in Ashbury Park, where the defendant corporation operates a trolley line. Last September 6, while riding on a car, she said, there was an explosion, and in the excitement she was pushed off the car and her leg so badly injured that she spent some time in a hospital.

Chicago Held National Convention.

At a meeting of the Republican National Committee at Washington, D. C., last Saturday, it was decided to hold the National Convention at Chicago on June 21st next, beginning at 12 o'clock, noon.

State Teachers Meeting.

The annual meeting of the New Jersey School Teacher's Association will be held in the auditorium of the State Normal School at Trenton Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 28, 29 and 30.

Consumption, the Snake.

Consumption is the serpent of disease—it creeps upon its victims and fastens its deadly fangs without warning. "Only a cold" is hurrying millions to the grave to-day. Don't neglect that cold of yours. Cleveland's Lung Healer will cure it without fail. If it doesn't you can have your money back. It is the most successful remedy in the world to-day and we will give a trial bottle free. Large bottles, 25 cents. For sale by H. O. Walling.

Sale of Fancy Articles.

The Pastor Light's Circle of the First Baptist Church will have a sale of items made easily and of fancy articles suitable for Xmas gifts in the Restaurant Room next to the Post-office, Friday afternoon and evening, December 18.

Grand Concert This Saturday

at A. Salz & Co's by the New York Orchestra and Military Band, also singing by the famous tenor, Thomas Kelley. Violin selections Prof. E. Liden.

You can pluck out what you want at Woodruff's jewelry store, Keyport, and have it laid aside until Christmas.

SHUFFLEBOARD TOURNAMENT.

Twenty of Matawan's Experts are Trying to See Which is the Best Player.

The interest in the shuffleboard tournament continues unabated. So far 224 games have been played, leaving 150 yet to be played. In playing games of fifty points each it was found that the tournament would extend for several weeks and by mutual consent the number of points to a game was reduced to 25, and the players handicapped at 10 and 20 points each were reduced to one ball. George Maghara has played all of his games and is the only one so far that has done so. John Whitlock has one and O. A. Guran and E. H. Lupton have each two games to play. There have been many surprises in the past week; the handicaps were defeating some of the best players. The number of games each participant will play is 10 and the score of games won and lost up to this morning is as follows:

W. G. Bellis	10
F. C. Bellis	10
J. T. Conover	10
S. B. Eggleston	10
C. A. Guran	10
E. H. Lupton	10
M. H. Longstreet	10
E. H. Longstreet	10
F. M. Lloyd	10
George Maghara	10
Charles Schuck	10
F. R. Thompson	10
John Turkheimer	10
North Turkheimer	10
Alonso Walling	10
John Whitlock	10
Edward Wilson	10
W. W. Waterston	10
G. Van Wick	10
D. K. Van Wick	10

Trolley Co. Gets Right of Way.

The Jersey Central Traction Company, which has had up-hill work in securing the right of way from Morgan station to South Amboy have at last overcome all obstacles and now have a clear road to the borough line. They first tried the short route but were met with objections and objections until, and gave that up as a bad job. Then they tried for the right of way by what is known as the cemetery road, but again they met an objection by Mrs. E. B. Morgan refusing to let them pass her property unless a stipulated sum was paid. Now, however, Ward C. Perrine has come to their relief by giving them sufficient of his property to allow them to go around Mrs. Morgan's land and as they have consented for the balance of the distance to the borough line there are no more obstacles to be overcome.

G. A. M. Officers.

J. O. Sheehy Post, No. 85, G. A. M., of Matawan and Keyport held annual election of officers on Monday evening of last week with the following result:

- Commander—Isaac H. Chinery, P. C.
- Senior Vice-Commander—George M. Tilton.
- Junior Vice-Commander—Eun, Murdoch.
- Chaplain—George P. Walters.
- Quartermaster—Elias Clayton, P. C.
- Burgess—Alexander P. Smith.
- Officer of the Day—Charles Smith.
- Officer of the Guard—John H. Johnson.
- Delegate to Department Recruitment—Charles Hill.
- Alternate—George Thompson.
- Janitor—John J. Curlew.

A Keyport Young Man Injured.

Arthur Hill of Keyport, who is employed on the railroad, met with a painful accident near East Long Branch Wednesday afternoon of last week. While Hill was in a kneeling position on the rear platform of a car, another car backed up from the rear and smashed his right foot which was hanging over the edge. Hill was taken to Atlantic Highlands, where his injured foot was dressed by Dr. Van Mater and was later taken to his home. He will probably be laid up for a month or more.

Keyport Race Track to be Sold.

On Tuesday, December 20, the property near Keyport formerly used as a race track for speed purposes will be sold by Sheriff Bogardus.

Doctors Never Disagree

on one point—that colery is nature's own remedy for all nerve diseases. The purest and best colery preparation in the world is Cleveland's Colery Compound Tea. It cures all nervous troubles, indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney diseases, and all skin diseases and eruptions. It purifies the blood and tones up the whole system. We will give you three trial packages. Large packages, 25 cents. For sale by H. O. Walling.

Hot Air Pump

and Douglas pump for sale. Also two tanks—one 1000 and the other 3,000 gallons capacity. These were used in my street sprinkling business, but will not need them hereafter because of the introduction of town water.

GEORGE LINDMAYN, JR.

Woodruff, the Keyport jeweler, wishes to call the attention of his Matawan friends to the fact that he has a large and well assorted stock of jewelry suitable for Christmas presents.

SCHOOL EXHIBIT AT ST. LOUIS.

State Superintendent E. J. Baxter has issued Circular of Instructions...

"Though the amount of space assigned me is not large, it is still our equitable share and quite sufficient to enable us to carry out our plan of exhibit."

"The better opportunity afforded us for preparation and display of material at St. Louis than Buffalo, and your prompt, cheerful, effective and well-weighed remarks in our behalf, deserve our warmest thanks for a State exhibit at the Pan-American exposition, we want to be participating in the Louisiana Purchase Exposition."

Manoquan Thief Returned Murderer. Early Wednesday morning of last week a man was noticed to emerge from the garage...

New Assistant U. S. Attorney. Theodore B. Boorman of New Brunswick has been selected for assistant United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey.

May Be Seized Company K. Senator O. W. Brown of Spring Lake and County Clerk Joseph McQuinn of Freehold headed a large delegation to the Governor and the Adjutant-General Tuesday morning at Trenton...

Frank Patterson Again in Tolls. Mr. Frank Patterson, well known in this section of the county as a promoter, has been arrested in Washington, North Carolina, on a charge of forgery and taken to Washington, D. C. for trial.

Good for Children. The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of cough, croup and hoarseness because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble.

Edison's Phonographs, Records and Supplies at Lewis' Stationery Store, Chatham Block.

Deliveries have been at work at Perth Amboy for several weeks past and it is now reported that preparations are being made by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to build its new road from this city to Bay Head.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has long owned the necessary land in cities and towns along the route, and work has been begun on the construction of the road in a very short time.

One of the greatest difficulties to be overcome will be the crossing of the Raritan River, which will necessitate building another bridge, and plans for this have already been filed with the War Department.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has purchased the large docks at South Amboy owned and operated for many years by John Kelly, and it will continue to operate on January 1. This, with other property owned there by the company, it is said, will be greatly improved with a view to making South Amboy the greatest coal shipping port on the Jersey coast.

Closely following this comes the announcement that the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company has secured control of the Raritan River Railroad, which runs between South Amboy and New Brunswick.

West's Merge School Districts. The boroughs of Allentown and Deal, which were separated from the Ocean Township school district by the new school law, are said not to be in favor of joining their district to the township and will therefore provide other means for educating their scholars.

Married Twice in Two Months. The Asbury Park apothecary who is looking for Lester Hagaman, a young man of Glendale, who is accused of marrying two wives in less than two months.

It is alleged that on September 30 he married Miss Belle Fraser of Hightstown, the Rev. J. H. Lake of Allentown, performing the ceremony shortly after Miss Susan Henderson of West Belmar ceased his arrest and he was married to her by Justice Milo H. Oregio of Belmar.

Neither Hagerman nor wife No. 1 can be found, and it is supposed they have left the State.

Horticultural Society Meeting. The New Jersey Horticultural Society will hold its twenty-ninth annual meeting at the State House, Trenton, Thursday and Friday, January 7 and 8. There will be an interesting exhibit of domestic, dried and canned fruits, roses, violets and carnations, and cash prizes are offered for the best in each class.

Need for Ten Thousand Dollars. Thomas P. Burrill of Englishtown as guardian for his son, Thomas P. Burrill, Jr., has been sued for \$10,000 by Frederick Farr and Mrs. Lillian Farr of Jamesburg. Mrs. Farr, the plaintiff claims damages on account of serious injuries she received a short time ago by being thrown from her wagon near Jamesburg, when her horse became frightened at an automobile being run by Thomas P. Burrill, Jr. She claims she called to Mr. Burrill to stop before they met, but he did not heed her.

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Farmers, Attention! THRESHING: 5c per bushel for Rye. (Twine Furnished). 5c per bushel for Wheat. Address GEO. W. BROWN, Morganville, N. J.

NOTICE TO TRUCKERS! If you want the old-fashioned Peruvian Guano and see sample and price. Marine Guano and Potato Fertilizer on hand. W. D. BAILEY, Main Street, Matawan.

Farmers' & Merchants' Nat. Bank, Matawan, N. J., Dec. 7, 1903. The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for election of Directors will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, JANUARY 12th, 1904, from 1:00 to 2:00 o'clock p. m. CHARLES H. WARDHILL, Cashier.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT. Estate of WILLIAM SPADER, deceased. (Final Account) Subscribed heretofore by the accounts of the subscribers creditors of said deceased, will be read and stated to the executor, and reported for settlement to the Supreme Court of the County of Monmouth, at Trenton, the Twenty-Fourth day of December next. Dated November 16, 1903. JOHN B. DUBOIS, CHARLES A. GRAY.

YOU WILL FIND... New Crop Molasses and Syrups; New Buckwheat and Cake Flours; New Figs and Honey; New Prunes, Raisins and Currants; New Evaporated Peaches and Apples; Extra Rolled Fine Salt 40¢ bushel. At the store of M. A. WHITE, Main Street, Matawan.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS! All persons are positively forbid trespassing on the grounds of the subscriber, either with or without dog or gun, under any pretense whatever, under strict penalty of the law. No Traps or Snares allowed. "A word to the wise is sufficient." W. H. HANKINSON.

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FARM BUTCHERING.

How to Cure Pork in Various Ways.

We have told so often how to cure pork in various ways that we were going to skip it this time, but we are so sure we do some people will not know it when it's too late to tell them.

Victims to Lakewood.

Recalling the epigram of older days, when all roads led to Rome, a similar thought might easily be applied to Lakewood, as a point of rendezvous for the world's celebrities and men and women of mark in various walks of life.

At the New York Theatre.

The theatrical manager of the city places the children in the one who suitably wins success. These are the jolly days (as well as the holiday days) when the little folks are especially eager to be made by visits to the theatre, and the Proctor theatres above all others are their center to the holiday season.

Railroad Announcements.

The State Board of Accountants have filed with the State Comptroller a list of their announcements of railroad and canal properties in New Jersey for the current year.

Professional Cards.

LAW OFFICE OF W. W. DAYTON, MATAWAN, N. J. JOHN P. LLOYD, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SOLICITOR AND MASTER IN CHANCERY, NOTARY PUBLIC.

To Practitioners and Patients. The difficulty in recovering compensation from patients in the practice of surgery is largely overcome by using the application known as the "Proctor's Patent" for the purpose of securing the patient's signature to the bill for services rendered.



Well Known. It is well known. I have been interested and somewhat perturbed (nearly) as to the definition of a "weed," and I have struck upon three definitions. The botanical: A weed is a plant out of place. According to this a rose plant would be a weed in a cornfield.

Not Shaken Win. Frank E. Hedge of Red Bank captured many of the leading prize and ribbons at the New Jersey Poultry Show at Newark.

Shark River Bulkhead Damaged. The Shark River bulkhead, which was recently inspected by the Shark River Inlet Committee of the Board of Fisheries, was found in a badly damaged condition.

Preparations for Harvest Winter. A severe winter is predicted. Various signs have been noted by the prognosticators which have caused them to make such a prediction.

Death Rate Decreasing. The State Board of Health and Bureau of Vital Statistics have combined their annual reports to the Governor.

Assemblyman McDonald's Record. Assemblyman Charles McDonald of Englishtown, this county, will be the fattest member of the next Legislature as he was of the last.

Furniture Fire Insurance. Have your household furniture protected by a policy of insurance? If not, it is time you had, as the cost will be but trifling compared with the loss you are likely to sustain.

New Jersey Custom Receipts. The Secretary of the Treasury last week transmitted to Congress a statement of the receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900.

Reading System. New Jersey Central. Corrected to Oct. 15, 1900. Trains Leave Matawan.

Sale of Lands. UNPAID TAXES! Notice is hereby given that by virtue of warrants issued by the Township of Marlboro to make the unpaid taxes assessed on lands and improvements therein for the years 1897 and 1898, the purchaser, collector of said township of Marlboro, in which said warrants were directed, will on

Saturday, December 16, 1900, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock p.m. at the office of the collector of Marlboro, and the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate hereinafter described at public vendue for the shortest term not exceeding thirty days, for which term or terms or portions thereof the same will be sold, such taxes with interest thereon from the time said taxes were due, together with all costs, fees, charges and expenses the origin whose property is to be sold, the location of the property, and the tax due for each year are as follows:

When the sale takes place payment of all taxes, costs and interest must be made by the purchaser, and the property will be immediately conveyed.

Witness my hand this seventeenth day of November, 1900. JOHN D. HONOR, Collector.

The above tax sale is adjourned to WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1900, at the same place and hour.

Dated Dec. 16, 1900. JOHN D. HONOR, Collector.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1908.

The attention of JOURNAL readers is directed to our advertising columns. Weekly goods are offered to great variety.

An Respectable Facility.

The reference made by President Roosevelt to his message to Congress in the relations of capital and labor deserves consideration.

Whomever either corporation, labor union or individual disregards the law...

Whomever either corporation, labor union or individual disregards the law or acts in the spirit of arbitrary and tyrannous interference with the rights of others...

These words have the true ring.

They show plainly the proper sphere of the law in disputes between labor and capital and the complications that may arise therefrom.

The New York Daily Tribune.

Of course, a great deal depends on your own taste in the matter of newspapers. If you want a publication that serves up so much gore and so many thrills in every issue...

More Trouble for Lamar.

Last Saturday Patrick Dunphy, who succeeded James McMahon as co-man for David Lamar, went before Justice Parker at the Bright and entered suit to recover wages amounting to \$185.

The Lone Star State.

Down in Texas at Yukon, is a big dry goods firm of which Mr. J. M. Haller is the head. Mr. Haller on one of his trips east to buy goods said to a friend who was with him in the palace car...

MONMOUTH ITEMS.

Persons are invited to see the new book of the week, for publication under the heading of 'The Book of the Week'...

Presbyterian Church. The Sabbath-school will hold their Christmas entertainment on Christmas night—Friday of next week.

Rev. Morris F. Matthews, Pastor. 11 a. m.—Catechism meeting. 2:30 p. m.—Sabbath-school. 7:15 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. meeting.

A Warning to Merchants.

A circular letter has been issued by the Underwriters Association of the Middle District in regard to Christmas decorations...

"So many fires have resulted from the elaborate decoration of business houses at 'opening' and during the holiday season, and in churches and public buildings...

Decorations should be made in the spirit of the season, and not in the spirit of extravagance. The decorations should be made in the spirit of the season...

Governor Murphree for the Cabinet?

Governor Murphree is to be named to a place in the new cabinet of President Roosevelt, in the absence of the latter's reelection...

Just what place has been decided upon for the Governor is not announced. Neither will the members of the Executive admit that there is any truth in the suggestion.

To Investigate Red Bank's Books.

At the meeting of the Red Bank Commissioners Tuesday night of last week a statement was received from John W. Scheldt, the receiver of the National Bank...

Died at Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. William McDermott, Sr., of Freehold died at the Monmouth Memorial Hospital, Long Branch, on Thursday, December 10, 1908, aged about 80 years.

Mayor Ten Broeck's Mother Dead.

Mrs. Sarah Kinsey Ten Broeck, widow of Peter Q. Ten Broeck and mother of Mayor-elect F. L. Ten Broeck of Asbury Park, died on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Miss a Leg and Arm.

Joseph Donahue, who fell under a moving train at Asbury Park some time ago, and who has also been in the Long Branch Hospital, was discharged last week.

Eight Good Work Men

for sale cheap. Apply to George Linz-mayer, Jr.

Monmouth Court Ruler.

At Freehold last Thursday the Grand Jury was discharged after returning seven indictments and a presentment against W. Con Smith, successor of Hamilton Township. In the latter it was charged that the successor was allowing property owners in that township to place their own value on holdings...

For Rent! Ten houses, four rooms each, for rent by George Linz-mayer, Jr.

Children's Fare for Xmas—large and select stock at Wolf's, Red Bank.

A. J. CARTAN'S

OUR CANDY STOCK COMPLETE—Plenty of Nuts and Holiday Ornaments.

Toy Candles, 2 lbs. 25 cents. French premium and Berolien Mixed, all fine fresh goods, 2 lbs. for 25 cents.

Molasses Taffy Bars, 2 lbs. 25c. Peanut Brittle, 10 cents per package. A good Mixed at 10 cents, or 3 lbs. for 25c.

Let's make you able to quote here. Mixed Nuts, 25 cents lb. English Walnuts, Brazil Nuts and Peanuts, 15 cents lb.

Each shell Almonds, 20 cents. Dates, 10 cents per package. Figs, 15 cents per package.

A fine line of Apricots, Plums, Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Cashews, Almonds, Macs, Cranberries, Oranges, Maple Syrup, Honey, Cider, Molasses, etc.

A FEW SPECIALS

at CUT PRICES in furniture department in Large Toys:

Extension Tables reduced to \$1.98. Toy Dressers reduced to \$2.98.

Drop leaf Tables reduced to \$1.39. Table with Blackboard, \$1.39.

Children's Rockers, 75c to \$1.50. Bighs, 50 cents up. Kapress Wagons, 15c to \$1.50.

A FEW NOVELTIES

in Fancy Hat Pins, Chateaux Bags, Pocketbooks, etc.

Ladies' Silver Watch, \$2.00.

A. J. CARTAN.

Christmas Perfumes

As sweet and delicate as the flowers they imitate. Our first aim is to secure an assortment that cannot be matched for uniform excellence, and our next endeavor is to supply these perfect odors at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

The cost of perfumes here is always right, and you are certain of getting those odors that are most enduring and most true to nature.

Walling's Pharmacy.

WE HAVE a line of HEATING and COOKING STOVES suited to your best ideas and up to the best standard; we invite your inspection, guaranteeing full value for your cash.

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CASH From Thursday, December 17th, until December 25th, we will give 10 PER CENT DISCOUNT on all Cash Purchases of Heating Stoves. We are prepared to do all kinds of Plumbing, Heating, Tin and Galvanized Iron Work. WHITE & BENNETT

It Will Only Cost One Cent The "Journal," Matawan, N. J. To buy a good paper and send to the New York Tribune Bureau, New York City, for a free quotation paper. The New York Tribune Bureau is a National Illustrated Agricultural Weekly for Farmers and their families, and EVERY issue contains matter interesting and entertaining to EVERY member of the family.

Beautiful Souvenirs will be presented to every purchaser on Saturday, December 19, and also on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 22, 23 and 24. CHRISTMAS GIFTS DON'T WORRY about Christmas gifts. Give a sensible, useful gift and you can't go wrong. Remember, we're here to help you out. Anyone would appreciate a gift of such splendid Slippers or Shoes as we are selling. Here are some suggestions: FOR FATHER Buy a pair of Fine Kid Slippers, Patent Leather Dress Sportable Shoes, Fine quilt or or Kid Shoes. FOR MOTHER Buy a pair of warm, comfortable Shoes, Fine quilt or satin Juliettes. FOR GRANDPA Buy a pair of nice warm House Slippers to slip before the fire with. FOR GRANDMA Buy a pair of nice warm lined common sense Slippers, or a nice easy House Slipper. FOR BROTHER Buy a pair of Rubber Boots for coasting and winter sports, or good strong Skating Shoes. FOR SISTER Buy a pair of dressy Patent Kid Shoes, or fine even-ing Juliettes. You will never make a mistake if you buy Footwear for Christmas. Remember, a Beautiful Souvenir will be presented to every customer on Saturday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 19, 22, 23 and 24. PEARSON BROS. POSTOFFICE BLOCK, KEYPORT, N. J.

F. H. SLATER. I am now established in my permanent quarters in the Old Fellows' Hall Building (formerly Washington Hall) with a good assortment of DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY & TOILET ARTICLES, and will be glad to serve my old friends and customers. D. URBACH, LEADING JEWELER AND OPTICIAN. J. O. BLOOM, KEYPORT, N. J. PUBLIC CARTING The subscriber will do a general carting business in Matawan and solicits the orders of merchants and others who require such work done. Deliveries will be prompt and charges reasonable. Requests by telephone will be attended to. HARRY B. MISHAW, Matawan, N. J.

IN THE WAKE OF A SIDE COMB

By SYLVIA LOR

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When the girl she loves as one has never loved before throws her arms about one's neck and says, "And I think it would be so lovely to have diamond side combs instead of a solitaire, if you don't mind, dear," and

Well, one buys the side combs without a question, and later perhaps one regrets. But then it's too late. It thus befell with Harkness and Leda were the two stately beauties of the city, and the knightly tangles of her sunny curls that they suggested a gladiolus and in position led any man in the conclusion, which time honored custom has drawn from the solitaire.

And when, at a dance at the Lakeside club, young Wrycroft, the very picture of a dandy, invited Leda to go out for a moonlight row around the pier with him and Leda accepted and went. Harkness did not understand, but got his teeth on well. He was watching her from his seat, and when she came out on the pier with him and Leda accepted and went. Harkness did not understand, but got his teeth on well.

"Oh, I'll promise," said Leda, with a suggestive smile. "I'll never, never do an act, truly, truly. Upon my word and honor."

"Did you row far, dear?" "I didn't row at all," said Leda. "No, indeed."

"I can't split either," replied Harkness shortly. He felt inclined to join the next expedition to the north pole. The dance endured exceedingly late. It was quite 3 when the last woman

"I'm going to bed," he declared, "and I shall not tarry long upon the order of my sleeping, either."

Young Wrycroft stood up, too, and passed his hand over his forehead. "I won't feel very fit," he said slowly. "I believe I'll go for a little row and maybe take a dip from the Point."

It was quite noon when he awoke. The day was glorious, and the bosom of the lake was dotted with sailing parties. He gave the bell two punches for hot water and twined the dressing case toward the window as a preliminary to shaving. The mirror reflected the Point, and as Harkness started to tip it he saw a girl disembarking alone.

Every one was at luncheon when he went down, and he was stopped by Leda's chair to remind her that she was to drive out with him at 3

side comb help seeing how wretched she looked. Her hair bore no sign of side comb.

"When they went out later there seemed to be a species of shadow mixed with the preliminary silence. The man spoke first (and he waited a good while):

"Who told you we were to the Point?" "I know it all the time."

"How could you behave so?" said the lover, launching himself suddenly into the full tide of his righteous wrath. "You put me beyond all patience; going off like that with Wrycroft, when you know perfectly well that you belong to some one else, and then actually letting him!"

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HOW HE BECAME A LAWYER

The story of John Shoruman's ascent to the bar. When John Shoruman was quite young he was taken into the law office of his brother Charles at Mansfield, O., to help about the office and make himself generally useful. One day when he was in his twenty-first year he took Charles one side and quietly asked him for a loan of \$50.

"What?" Charles exclaimed. "What do you intend doing with so much money?" "I am going to Columbus to be admitted to the bar," John replied.

Charles was greatly surprised, as John had never asked him for any advice regarding the profession nor had he ever appeared to be interested in any extent in the study of law.

"You can't be admitted to the bar without some knowledge of the law," said Charles. John maintained that he knew more about law than some others and assured his brother that he would try to raise the money somehow.

"You know," he added, "it will be necessary for me to have respectable clothes and enough money to pay my traveling and hotel expenses."

Charles finally ordered the clothes and provided him with the necessary money. At Columbus on the day he became a lawyer John was admitted to the bar. On his return he said to Charles:

"I am going to law to practice law," Charles remarked with him. "There is room for both of us to practice law here in Mansfield," Charles told him.

They then and there became partners and continued to practice together until the formation of the Republican party, when John was sent from the Mansfield district to a representative in congress.

John was elected to the United States senate, and the balance of his life became a very important and interesting part of the history of his country.—Washington Star.

THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE. The upper portion of the Louisiana territory was known as the territory of Louisiana. It comprised all that territory south of the thirty-third degree of latitude, eastward to the Mississippi and westward and northward as far as the undetermined boundaries of the newly acquired possessions might extend.

A man of strong will can make any woman do anything that she wants to do.

That kind of a good man



The doctor says it's insomnia I suffer from. "Can he cure you?" "Yes. He thinks I'll soon be able to sleep it off."



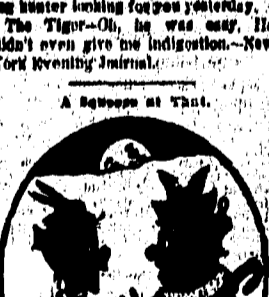
System. Get-Well, here's my story: You want to be told not to "put it" when your mother and maid are talking?—New York Times.



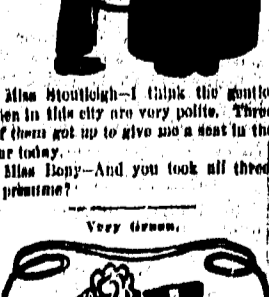
Teacher—Ah! Another apple for me, my dear? "Rebolar—No-o-o, un'au't, I know my lesson today!—San Francisco Examiner.



The Ostrich—There was a ferret looking hunter looking for you yesterday. The Tiger—Oh, he was easy, he didn't even give me indignation.—New York Evening Journal.



Miss Stoutloigh—I think the gentleman in this city are very polite. Three of them got up to give me a seat in the car today.



Very Green. "I have two very dear friends—Agnes and Florence."



Mabel—And did your grandfather live to a green old age? "Jack—Well, I should say not. He was scolded three times after he was seventy.

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The Superior Stone Mosaic... where an Improved Stone is a Common Item.

Dr. Bruce S. Kestor has been re-elected president of the Asbury Park Board of Trade for a fourth term.

A four days' fair recently held by the Keyport Band in the Armory at that place netted them nearly \$200.

Over \$81 was cleared at a recent fair given in the reading room of the Red Bank Library Association for the benefit of the library.

The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company has men at work burying its wires on Front, Broad and Mechanic streets, Red Bank.

At the organization of the newly-elected Board of Commissioners of Long Branch last Thursday morning ex-Senator Blodgett was elected Mayor.

State and local Board of Health Inspectors were going the rounds of the Long Branch milk dealers and grocers last week securing samples for analysis by the State Chemist.

A mortgage burning will be celebrated in the Englishtown Methodist Church next Sunday evening, at which time the mortgage on the church and parsonage will be burned.

James A. Bradley of Asbury Park has given to a trolley company the option of two lots for the construction of a new street for a proposed road between Washington and Freshfield.

John E. Chapman, a trustee of Long Branch, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy asking that he be adjudged a bankrupt. Chapman's liabilities are \$3,187.85 and assets \$1,185.

O. B. Atkinson of New Brunswick was sworn in Thursday last week as Clerk of the House Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, of which Hon. B. F. Howell is the newly appointed chairman.

Elmer C. Walbridge, proprietor of the Riverside Babbling of Little Silver, was awarded first prize at the poultry show held recently at San Antonio, Texas, for the best rooster on the Belgian bare industry.

The Bradley Beach Council has assessed plans for a borough hall and voted to issue bonds for \$10,000 to build the same, purchase fire apparatus, and pay all necessary expenses. The hall is to cost about \$5,000.

Albert Wray, son of John Story of near Freshfield, was accidentally shot in the leg one day last week while on a visit at Lakewood. He was very weak from loss of blood before surgical aid could be obtained, but he will recover.

Work on the \$175,000 hotel at Spring Lake is progressing satisfactorily. The fifth story is nearly completed and the contractors expect to have the sixth story finished and the house under roof by January 1, according to schedule.

The directors of the Second Keyport Loan Association have organized by the election of John W. Keough, president; James E. Terry, vice-president; A. F. Badie, secretary; A. M. Brown, treasurer; and George W. Brown, collector.

The owners of forty per cent of the ocean frontage at Long Branch have signified their willingness to surrender it to the city and the outlook for its acquisition is said to be bright. Among the attractions dreamed of there is a double-deck boardwalk.

The Symphony Company of Bradley Beach has settled the claim of the Asbury Park Board of Trade by paying a sum of \$1,500 and assuming the same. The company had not lived up to the agreement with the Board of Trade and the latter began action to recover \$5,000.

The committee having in charge the Asbury Park hotel project has received from James A. Bradley an offer to sell the ocean front block between Seventh and Eighth Avenues for \$25,000. This is the site desired and Mr. Bradley's price is much lower than the committee expected.

The contract for the erection of the new Catholic Church at Deal has been awarded to White & Coys of Long Branch. The new edifice will be of Gothic architecture and built of stone, with a seating capacity of 500. The cost will be \$25,000 of which amount Mr. O'Day contributed \$10,000.

Samuel J. Marrow, a letter carrier of the Asbury Park postoffice force, has been removed by order of the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. The cause given for his removal is that he disregarded orders from the department regarding the settlement of certain obligations in Asbury Park.

Capt. George Coley of Red Bank has resigned from the command of a vessel or which he has had charge for the past fourteen years and accepted a position as captain of William K. Vanderbilt's steam yacht. In his new position the captain receives \$300 a month and a bonus of \$1,000 at the end of the year.

Mrs. Mathew Beer of Belford was stricken with paralysis on her right side while on her way to Red Bank one day last week and fell heavily to the ground. She was carried to her home by neighbors and for a time it was thought she could not live. Since then, however, her condition has improved considerably.

The Bartons Jr. and Sr. basketball teams of Keyport visited Freshfield Tuesday evening of last week and defeated the Jr. and Sr. teams of that place by scores of 15 to 2 and 8 to 0, respectively. For the afternoon of both Christmas and New Year days the Bartons have games scheduled to be played in the Armory at Keyport.

The Lincoln Republican Club was

organized at Asbury Park Wednesday evening of last week by the Republicans of the Second Ward. The officers elected are T. Frank Appleby, president; Clarence Meloy, Frank L. Tenbroeck, E. H. Wilcox, vice-presidents; Howard Hnick, secretary, and Arthur C. Steinhock, treasurer. There are about thirty members.

Discharged in Bankruptcy. Irwin W. Pike of Keyport was discharged from bankruptcy by the court at Trenton on Monday. Louis Shapiro of Long Branch and Killers Martin of Asbury Park were also discharged from bankruptcy.

Fight Will be Bitter. Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. B. Beall of Beall, Miss. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by R. O. Walling, Druggist. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Spray Pump. If you grow fruit or vegetable you can't do without spraying. The Soligo Spray Pump is the only one that can be relied upon. You can get it at A. M. Lamberton's.

FOR FIFTY YEARS. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Has been used by millions of mothers for their children's colic, whooping cough, teething, and all the little ailments that afflict them. It is the only remedy that is safe and reliable. Price 25c a bottle.

A. J. CARTAN'S Department Store.

We are All Ready for the GREAT HOLIDAY.

Every department is stocked to overflowing with Christmas presents for everyone, both old and young. Toys galore for the children. Come and see for yourselves—impossible for us to give here even a faint idea of our gorgeous display.

Gold mounted Glass Water and Dinner Sets at \$1.25 per set.

Rose Pink Glass Water and Table Sets at \$1.00.

Parlor Lamps, fancy and nickel; all kinds of Fancy Vases; the new thing in tall Vases—plain green, blue and white, at 15, 20 and 25 cents.

Toilet Sets; Decorated Dinner Sets, 100 pieces.

Blue Opal Ware, tinted with gold, at 10 cents each are very pretty.

The new Velvet Opal assortment makes a nice present at 15c each.

Fancy Cups and Saucers, every shape, every design, from 3c up.

Plenty of Mirrors, Wine Sets, Gold Tinted Glass Water Sets, 98 cts; Candelabras, Pompeian Ware; Celluloid Novelties, from 25c up; Toilet Cases, Smoking Cases, and Sets, Fancy Clocks; Lap Desks—a good one at 98 cents; Music Rolls, Fancy Work Boxes.

A fine line Shaving Sets, 75c up.

Plain Linen Paper in boxes at 35 and 50 cents.

Children's Tea Sets in nice boxes, 5 to 75 cents.

FANCY DRY GOODS. Ladies' and Children's Fur Sets, \$2.75 and \$3.

All kinds Fancy Handkerchiefs, Ladies' and Gents' Kid Gloves, real good, at \$1.00 per pair.

Children's and Ladies' Fancy Golf Gloves, 25 cents up.

DOLL DEPARTMENT. Its all right. Line is big and good. Rubber, Bisque, Fancy Dressed, Kid, etc., from 2c up to 98c. Never before such a stock.

Doll Slippers and Clothing.

TOYS. A big long counter chuck full. Every new thing is there—Mechanical, Wood, Tin, Iron, Musical.

See the Loop-the-Loop at 49 cents; Hill Climbers, Mechanical Automobiles, Talking Donkey, Trolleys and Steam Engines on track, Climbing Millers, Auto Drays, Humpty Dumpty, Pinups, Tool Chests, Air Flying Machines, Merry-go-rounds, Games, Books, Tree Trimmings.

Not a thing but we've got it. Our prices are cheaper than any of them. Bring along the children they will tell you our assortment is good.

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An elegant new Grand Upright, 71-3 octaves, 3-stringed, full iron frame, repeating action, ivory keys, 3 pedals, very rich deep tone with fine singing quality, and containing all the latest improvements, for



\$225

cash or \$250 on installments, only.

\$7 Monthly, stool, cover, tuning and delivery free. We also offer a new 71-3 octave, 3-stringed

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"HOLMDEL"

will leave Keyport daily (except Sunday) at 7:00 A. M., landing at Pier 6, N. R., for passengers only, then proceeding to Pier 33, N. R., foot of Canal Street.

Returning, leaves ONLY from the pier at foot of Canal Street, N. R., at 2:15 P. M.

Steamer "Pokanoket" will make her LAST TRIP on Sunday, November 1st. No night trips of Steamer "Holmdel" will be made after Saturday, October 31st.

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