

FIRE DESTROYS LAKE & RISLEY LUMBER YARD

PLEASANTVILLE SCENE OF BIG CONFLAGRATION.

Lack of Adequate Water Supply Handicapped Fire-fighters—Reliance Hose Company Responded To Call for Aid—Heavy Damage.

Pleasantville was the scene Thursday morning of one of the most disastrous fires in the history of the county, when the large lumber yard of Lake & Risley, together with several buildings, was razed to the ground by flames. The fire started in a tank containing kerosene in the main warehouse of the lumber yard and quickly spread to the immense piles of lumber stacked in the vicinity. In an instant the flames had attained an incredible headway, and although the Pleasantville Fire Department responded to the alarm quickly they could not stay the progress of the fire, which jumped from pile to pile of lumber.

Utilizing instantly their inadequate means of fighting the fire, Chief Richard immediately sent out a call for aid. Within a half-hour the engines and firemen from Atlantic City responded and Reliance Hose Company from the place rushed to the scene in automobiles. By the time aid arrived, however, the whole lumber yard, most of the main warehouse, and the efforts of the firemen were turned to saving the adjoining buildings.

The loss to the lumber firm is estimated at \$75,000, with \$10,000 insurance, while adjacent houses and other buildings were damaged. The conflagration is a matter of conjecture, but it is thought to have started either from the engine room or from a lamp. The blaze was first seen about five o'clock.

Large quantities of coke and coal were stored in the yard and the heat from these was so intense that the firemen could not approach near enough to play the hose. Thousands of people, attracted from surrounding County towns, witnessed the burning during the day. No one was injured although several were overcome by the intense heat. The firemen showed commendable pluck and perseverance in fighting the flames and did everything possible to save a portion of the lumber. In one shed alone were stored seven carloads of valuable hardwood lumber. It was only by the hardest kind of work that the flames were confined to the yard and residents of nearby houses, fearing that the fire could not be checked, removed their furniture to places of safety.

Reliance Hose Company received the call for aid and to the aid of the fire house at 6:30 the hose was connected in Pleasantville at 7:30 and the company ready for service.

Chief Block of the Atlantic City Fire Department, was early on the scene in his automobile, Engine Company No. 2 arriving on a flat-bed before seven o'clock and going into service immediately. But for the timely assistance of this company, the fire probably would have wiped out the entire block.

The water supply of the borough was inadequate to cope with the fire and was early exhausted. The engine was then connected with the big Atlantic City main, but at no time was the supply and pressure sufficient to properly fight the flames.

Lake & Risley, who employ twenty-five hands, will rebuild immediately on the same site. The residue of the lumber will be sold at profit by their early experience and install a first class water service with standpipe pressure.

Proceedings in the Surrogate's Court.
Final accounts passed June 16 in the estates of William C. Sharp, Fannie C. Weeks and Elmer M. Packard. Second account in the estate of Marilla D. Evans.

Letters testamentary granted June 16 in the estate of Theodore L. Parker to guarantee Trust Co. Value of estate \$2,000.

Notices of settlement issued in the estates of Enoch B. Smith, Francis P. Quigley, Edward L. Harbert, Harry C. Thompson, Raymond Chapman, Ralph West, William Thompson, Michele Cipriani, Rebecca Vickers, Gustav Hartman, Louisa Turner, Charles Watson and Dominio Giopetto.

Notice to creditors issued in the estate of Theodore L. Parker.

Letters testamentary in the estate of Marjorie Meloney to Annie J. Meloney, June 18. Value of estate \$22,000.

"Of Such is the Kingdom of Heaven."
The sympathy of the Egge community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt in the bereavement of their twin son, George, who died Thursday evening after a brief illness at the age of two years, six months and fifteen days. He was born December 2, 1907, and died at half-past six o'clock, June 17. The funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon by the Rev. S. K. Moore of the M. E. church at half-past one o'clock from the residence of his parents on Cape May avenue. Interment will be made in the Presbyterian cemetery.

Children's Day Observed at Old Weymouth Meeting House.
Children's Day was observed at the Old Weymouth Meeting House Sunday evening last with appropriate exercises by the children of the Sunday School, under the direction of the able Superintendent, Mrs. Laura Williams. The church was beautifully decorated with laurel and willow branches. The program was well carried out before a congregation that filled the Old Meeting House to the doors.

O. U. A. M. Will Celebrate Anniversary
May's Landing Council No. 121, Order United American Mechanics, will celebrate its twenty-third anniversary to-night in its Council Chamber, when a delegation from Eagle Council No. 18, of West Creek, will join with them to observe the occasion. Addresses will be made by Rev. S. K. Moore, Mr. Daniel W. McCreary, visiting and local brethren, followed by a smoker. Refreshments will also be served.

School For Deaf Closes for Term.
The closing exercises of the New Jersey School for the Deaf at Trenton, John P. Walker, Superintendent, were held Thursday afternoon at the school. Prof. Walker delivered an address and the award of certificates was made by Rev. George W. Thompson. The school has prospered during the past term and is recognized as one of the leading institutions of its kind in this country.

Old Glory Was Thrown to the Breeze.
Flag Day was generally observed by residents last Monday and old glory was seen flying from scores of homes and business places. No exercises were held but the presence of the flag prominently displayed in all parts of the town testified that the occasion was not forgotten.

Ready to Issue Hunting Licenses.
County Clerk Samuel Kirby was the first person in Atlantic County to take out a hunter's license, from the office of the County Clerk, which is now ready to issue licenses as provided by the new law. The cost of a license is \$1.15.

REVIEWS SCHOOL WORK

Prof. S. G. Huber Regrets Poor Attendance of Older Pupils—Number of Scholars Enrolled Was 363—Attendance 65,907 Days.

Reviewing the school work of the past term, Prof. S. G. Huber, Supervising Principal, laments the poor attendance of the older pupils, who have school before completing the High School course. A summary of the work of the term, compiled by Prof. Huber, follows:

During the school year just closed three hundred thirty-two pupils attended the town schools, an increase over the year before of thirty-six pupils. The total number of days by the pupils of the town schools, inclusive of the night school, is 45,943, an increase over the previous year of 401.5 days.

The total attendance of the township is 65,907 days, an increase of nearly twenty per cent. over the year before.

The increased attendance of the town schools is due mainly to the kindergarten inaugurated last fall, which alone had an attendance of 3,019 days.

The distinction of reporting the highest per cent. of attendance for the year belongs again to the Cottage school which has a fairly average of 96.3. The next best attendance reported for the year is that of the Estelleville school, known as number seven.

This school has a yearly average of 96 per cent. Some of the town schools with the exception of the Cottage school, have an attendance of less than 90 per cent.

A regrettable fact is brought to our attention by these statistics when we notice that of the three hundred thirty-two pupils attending the town schools, only one hundred and twelve per cent. are over fourteen years of age.

The most distinctive work of the schools can be accomplished only with pupils of some degree of maturity and it is therefore to be regretted that only a small part of the entire attendance take advantage of the best years of the school course.

FACTORY MACHINERY ARRIVES.
First Shipment for New Industry Received Thursday Morning.

The first shipment of machinery for the new industry to be opened July 1 in the Ramon Mills property was received Thursday and it will be placed in position during the coming week. Arnold & Harris, who will manufacture clothing in the building, wish to vacate their quarters in Philadelphia as speedily as possible and the factory will be in readiness within a few weeks.

For the first time in several years the hum of industry will be heard in the Ramon Mills and there is every indication that the factory will be highly successful.

In the Churches.
Special Summer services will be started in the Presbyterian Church tomorrow evening, when the Christian Endeavor Society will conduct their meeting at 7:30 o'clock in the main church room, assisted by the regular choir. These meetings will be of short duration and special efforts will be made to have the highly interesting Topic, "The Hill of the Cross," presented.

The executive committee of the Christian Endeavor Society met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. V. Shuler. Officers for the ensuing year were elected and topics assigned for the year, together with other regular business that came before the meeting. The missionary work of the year was reviewed and the results of the work taken in this department of the society.

The Children's Day services in the Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal Churches last Sunday evening were well attended and excellent programs were carried out by the Sunday school departments of either church. Both churches were handsomely decorated with laurel, roses and other seasonal flora and presented a beautiful appearance. Special music rendered by the choirs contributed to the pleasure of the occasion.

Services will be held in the Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning conducted by C. V. Williams, Superintendent of the New Jersey Children's Home Society, of Trenton. Sunday school at 10:30. Christian Endeavor service 7:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Everybody welcome.

Services will be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow as follows: Preaching at 10:30 from the subject "Full Salvation." In the evening 7:30 from the subject "Whose Image?" Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 8:45. Everybody welcome. Rev. R. K. Moore, Pastor.

Six new members have been received into the M. E. church in full connection, four by letter and two by probation.

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Rev. Father Gregory Moran, Pastor. Mass every Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.

May's Landing-Tuckahoe Boulevard Much Needed.
The growing need for a County boulevard between May's Landing and Tuckahoe, for which a survey was recently ordered, is apparent to those who live in the vicinity of the route. The road will establish the missing link in the County road system and when constructed will be one of the most traveled roads leading to the County Seat.

Prof. Henry M. Cressman Appointed County School Superintendent.
Prof. Henry M. Cressman, for fourteen years principal of the Egge Harbor City High School, has been appointed Superintendent of the public schools of Atlantic County by the State Board of Education to succeed Samuel D. Hoffman, Esq., resigned. Superintendent Cressman will make his headquarters in Egge Harbor City.

Mite Society Held Pleasant Session.
An enjoyable session of the M. E. Mite Society was held Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gaskill on Farmington avenue. A special program of games and music was prepared for the occasion by the entertainment committee of the society and the meeting proved one of the most pleasant of the season.

Painters' Brushes Plying Busily.
The residence of Township Committee C. D. Makepeace is undergoing renovation under the painter's brush this week. The color is a dark green, with white trimmings. The Opera House will be repainted a light green and will be greatly improved in appearance when the work is completed.

Lake Lenape Admiration of Visitors.
Beautiful Lake Lenape, surrounded by verdant banks reflected in the clear waters of the lake, is the admiration of the many visitors who view it daily. The automobile traffic on the new road which passes the lake brings it to the attention of hundreds of tourists who often stop for a rest on its cool banks.

Meeting of Cemetery Association.
The Union Cemetery Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. C. C. Tuckahoe, June 22. All members are requested to be present.

LOUISA WILSON, President.

STATE PRISON TERMS FOR USING WEAPONS

JUDGE E. A. HIGBEE IMPOSES SENTENCES.

Court Discourages Atrocious Assault by Severe Punishment—One Year for Rascioff Who Enticed Minors to Gamble.

Judge E. A. Higbee reaffirmed his policy Monday of dealing severely with all those who have been convicted of using dangerous weapons when he sentenced three prisoners guilty of atrocious assault to State Prison, declaring that those who resorted to the use of knives or other weapons need expect no leniency. The three who were sentenced for this offense were John Spens, two years in State Prison, Jesse Ward, two years, and Joseph Murray, eight months.

Phillip Rascioff, convicted of keeping a disorderly house where minors resorted to play pool and gamble, was sentenced to a term of one year in State Prison. Other sentences imposed were as follows:

Warren Scullin, assault and battery, six months in County Jail.

William Wallace, breaking, entering and larceny, eight months in State Prison.

Frank Cuzan, larceny, two months in County Jail.

Charles Jeffries, grand larceny, one year in State Prison.

Sentence was suspended on Edward Brink, convicted of larceny, and Oscar Clark, the boy forger who obtained money from Atlantic City banks by forging the names of prominent men, to six months in County Jail.

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Mrs. Herman Dietz and son Herbert have taken possession of their cottage here for the summer months.

Frank O. Breder was run into by a bicycle rider on the County road Saturday evening last while returning from May's Landing and suffered a fractured collar bone.

Miss Anna Crowell, John H. Young, ex. 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

BIG CATCHES BEING MADE

Fishing Season On at Somers Point City and Other Coast Resorts—Sea Trips Popular—Brief News Notes From other County Towns.

Somers Point, City, June 18.—The fishing season is on in earnest here and elsewhere along the coast and big catches are being made both in the bay and at sea. The sea fishing is the most popular, large numbers of devotees of the sport making excursions on board the "recreants" which began its trips to the fishing banks last Sunday. Several residents of the County Seat, Pleasantville and other County towns were members of the party who made the initial trip of the season.

Major John M. Campbell has moved his office from Atlantic City and is now holding forth from the office in the old City Hall, where he can steer the "Ship of Progress" for the municipality at close range this summer.

Recreants were surprised last Sunday to see a "taxi" on the city avenues, the first vehicle of this type ever seen in the municipality. The occupants were Edgar S. Hill and Charles W. Barstow, of Atlantic City, who were on their way to the coast.

The event has started talk of a regular taxi line for the summer between this place and Atlantic City.

Owners of motor and sailing craft are placing their boats in the water for the summer, many cottagers having moved down from the city during the first two weeks of this month. The majority of our summer residents will take possession of their cottages the latter part of this month or in early July.

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The adulteration of milk is growing to such an alarming extent that the practice has become a menace to the good health of almost every city and town, reaching even to the small fountain village. Every municipality should have some means of having its milk tested in order to safeguard its residents from the baneful practices of the unscrupulous dealer. Not every milkman adulterates his milk, but of those who do not a large percentage purchase their milk from doubtful sources, and the public cannot be too careful. The milk supply should be fresh, pure and wholesome, free from every possibility of infection or adulteration. In some foreign countries the animals from which milk is obtained are driven through the streets and milked as the consumer purchases, while in Buenos Ayres herds of cows are kept in the heart of the city. By both of these plans the consumer gets his milk directly from its source and the danger of infection and possibility of adulteration is reduced to a minimum. These plans would perhaps be difficult to adopt here but they afford some good suggestions.

One of the most worthy institutions in New Jersey is the Home for the Feeble Minded at Vineland, which is supported in part by a State appropriation but mainly by charitable donations from the public. The Home is accomplishing a valuable work in caring for weak-minded children and older people, for there is no restriction as to age, and deserves the hearty support of every benevolent person in this part of the State. Large sums of money have been donated and bequeathed to the institution by those who have come to realize the good work of the Home, thus enabling the teachers to do more for the inmates and constantly enlarge the influence of their earnest labors. Those who can pay are obliged to do so, but the institution is open to indigent people as well and all who are admitted are given the same care and attention. The Home deserves hearty support and the work it is accomplishing is worthy of the highest praise and commendation.

The democrats of the State are taking every opportunity to raise a howl against the administration and the new idealists are seconding their efforts most ignominiously. The reason for their self-righteousness is apparent: both are out and each wants to get in. But the people of the State have too much confidence in their chosen party to be shaken by every blast that blows. The State is prosperous, schools flourishing, laborers earning good wages and the government stable. They cannot afford to trust their affairs to the democrats whose "scandalous record is living history," not yet to a group of men whose heads are "bubbling with theories and whose souls are overflowing with self-righteousness." New Jersey is getting along in a very satisfactory manner and the future is secure. The people are disposed to let well enough alone. History teaches that experimental methods of government are dangerous and expensive.

Voters will be instructed on the proposed constitutional amendments by a special committee of the State Bar Association. The committee, however, will not attempt to influence the vote, merely presenting the intent of the amendments before the people in an intelligible manner. There is no evidence that the people of the State are interested very deeply in the question and the efforts of the committee may have some effect in arousing them from their apparent apathy. The proposed amendments are non-political, although an attempt has been made to make political play of them, and the voters will have an opportunity to judge of their worth at first hand and vote according to their convictions. It is the duty of every voter before casting his ballot either for or against the proposed amendments to read them carefully and ask himself whether or not they are for the best interests of all the people of the commonwealth.

By the appointment of Prof. Henry M. Cressman as Superintendent of Public Schools Atlantic County gains a thoroughly capable official, one who by reason of his intimate acquaintance with public school work will materially advance the improvement of our school system and prove an efficient standard bearer for the cause of education. Prof. Cressman has proven his ability as an instructor and his success in that capacity will no doubt be equalled by his success as a superintendent. The new official stands high in the estimation of the people of the County and under his administration of school affairs the general efficiency of the schools, maintained at a high standard by his predecessor, Samuel D. Hoffman, Esq., will be upheld and still higher advanced.

News of the new industry for May's Landing is received with general gratification by residents, who have been endeavoring during the past year to induce manufacturers to locate their factories here. Every new industry means additional income for the municipality, increased trade for merchants and better times for wage earners. In this instance, while the establishment will not be large, it will be of a stable character and the chances are that it will be profitable for the proprietors, for running expenses are low and help easily secured and retained.

Pleasantville has had a very costly lesson relative to the urgent need of a first-class supply of water and it behooves the people of that municipality to make provision for such immediately. During the big fire Thursday morning it was impossible to secure enough water to fight the fire properly and owing to the lack of pressure on the mains the water could not be used without fire engines. The Atlantic City Fire Department deserves great praise for its prompt assistance, without which much greater damage must have resulted. Reliance Hose Company proved its readiness for an emergency and was on the scene early with several hundred feet of hose, ready to lend a helping hand. The Pleasantville Fire Department did its best to subdue the blaze when it was first discovered and when they found it was beyond their power acted with commendable promptness in calling for aid, to which neighboring fire-fighters were quick to respond. With a good water supply the fire would have been checked before so much damage was done. Pleasantville will profit by the experience and no doubt will install a first-class water system with standpipe pressure.

Every influence should be brought to bear towards the realization of the projected County boulevard between May's Landing and Tuckahoe, one of the most needed roads in South Jersey and the missing link in the County good roads system. This road opens up the way for travel to Cape May County and will be of inestimable benefit to the farmers living in the vicinity of the route, which passes through large areas of fertile and prolific farm-land. The question was laid on the table at the last meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders but should be taken up at the earliest possible date and provision made for the early construction of this much needed road.

There is a good opening in May's Landing for the erection of several cottages for rent and there is every reason to believe that such an investment would bring fair returns. The lack of cottages with suitable conveniences is very evident and the need for such is growing. Modern cottages with running water, baths, etc., would rent at fair rates and prove an added attraction for the municipality.

Jersey berries and vegetables are in the market and the early Southern produce has been supplanted by the home gardens. Southern vegetables and berries are in the market before the Jersey crops are planted, but when the local crops mature there is no longer any demand for the former, for the Southern produce compared with that of home gardens is tasteful.

STATE PRESS COMMENT.

"The announcement that the United States Government is about to erect a monument to mark the resting places of Confederate soldiers buried in New Jersey, will probably be the first intimation to many people in this State that any considerable number of them were once called rebel soldiers are sleeping here. Yet it is a fact that 2,400 soldiers and men of the Confederate army and navy are buried in a section of the National Cemetery at Salem.

"The government found it impracticable to ascertain, from the imperfect records, the names of all the dead, and could not, therefore, erect an individual headstone for each one, as was originally intended. A monument costing about \$8,500 is therefore to be built to mark the spot in which the Confederate prisoners of war, who died at Fort Delaware between the year 1862 and 1865.

"The intention of the government to build this monument, coming so soon after the raising of a shaft to the memory of Wirz, who was hanged for the dreadful, bloody treatment of Union soldiers at Andersonville, calls to mind the awful records of prison deaths during the war. There were about 18,000 Union men captured by the Confederates; half of whom were paroled and the other half confined in Libby, Belle Isle, Andersonville and other Southern prisons. Of these 9,000 died of starvation and disease or were shot down by sentries. The Union forces captured 450,000 Confederates of whom 27,000 were sent to the prisons in the North. Of these 20,000 died. In addition to the monument at Salem, the government is arranging for the better care of the Confederate cemeteries in Ohio and Illinois, all of which tend to show the passing of the war spirit and the return of the perfect spirit of unity, fraternity and peace."—*Newark Evening News*.

"In explaining the amendment providing for the reconstruction of the Board of Pardons, Governor Fort said there are now more than five hundred applications every year, to be considered by the board, which is now composed of the Governor, the Chancellor, and the six special judges of the Court of Errors and Appeals. That is practically too for every working day in the year, and necessarily a great deal of time must be given up to the work of investigating the cases.

"When the old board was created, more than sixty years ago, there were probably not over a dozen applications in a year to be passed upon; but the prison population has increased to nearly five hundred, and public sentiment seems to justify the release of some of the minor offenders, in order to make room for the hundreds that are sent down annually, rather than keep on building extensions to the penitentiary to maintain a lot of men in idleness.

"If the judiciary amendment is adopted, that reorganizing the Board of Pardons should be, as a matter of course, but Governor Fort says it is a good one whether the amendment is adopted or not. It will provide a board of four members who can give their entire time to the work, and one that can get promptly on the applications, instead of waiting until its members can find leisure from more important State business. A prisoner recently died, who it was said the Court of Pardons had decided to release."—*Trenton Evening Times*.

"The State Bar Association at its meeting in Atlantic City had a lively discussion over the part it should play in efforts to secure a favorable vote of the people for the judiciary amendments to the Constitution. It resulted in the adoption of a resolution by a vote of 63 to 13 providing for a committee of nine members to furnish information to the people regarding the measure, without effort to force or advocate the passage of the amendments by the voters. With nearly a hundred of the members of the association opposing the adoption of the amendments, the average layman will be in doubt as to how he should cast his vote, and that may militate against their chances of adoption. Governor Fort made a very lucid explanation of all the proposed amendments, the most interesting part of it being in regard to the judiciary amendments, whose adoption he strongly advocated. From the division of sentiment manifested in the discussion by the association, the probability of the adoption of the judiciary amendments next September is an open question. It is a difficult proposition to arouse the people to participation in a referendum, no matter how closely it affects their welfare, and unless more interest is developed than has so far been manifested there will be a very small vote polled."—*London Courier*.

"We seem to have reached the point in both National and State politics where the chosen representatives of the people—or a considerable proportion of them—decline to be bound by their party pledges. In the Senate of the United States a large majority of the members occupy this anomalous position, and the same thing is true of various State legislatures. It is a deplorable condition of affairs—a condition that will have to be mended or party lines will become so loose as to have little binding force on the body of the people. With a few more years of such experience, thinking citizens will be voting for men rather than for partisan candidates, and for platforms of individual candidates rather than for the platforms of organizations. But this may not prove an unmixed evil after all, for if we ever reach that stage, we shall have made it more difficult than it is at present for the great financial and corporate interests of the land to dominate our legislative bodies. We will then be better able to find our representatives individually and personally to account for the manner in which they cast their votes on pending legislation."—*Wash. Jersey Times*.

"As a means of education and inspiration to lofty patriotism, every man and woman, and every boy and girl ten years old, in the United States, should be able to repeat from memory Lincoln's Gettysburg speech.

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"The order just issued from the War Department, at Washington, that tablets of bronze and iron bearing the address shall be placed in all the national cemeteries, seventy-six in number, is most commendable sure to increase the popular knowledge of the beautiful language and inspiring sentiments of that immortal speech."—*Trenton State Gazette*.

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United States Life-Saving Station, on rear of light house, South Vermont avenue, near Pacific. Open from August 1st to June 1st.

Post Office, Pacific and Pennsylvania avenues. Open weekdays from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. Sundays from 11 a. m. to 12 p. m. and 4 to 5 p. m. There are nine sub-stations in Atlantic City.

Atlantic States Weather Bureau Station, 23 South Rhode Island avenue. Mammoth weather map, oceanwalk and Pennsylvania avenue.

Municipal Life-Saving Service, beach patrol on city ocean front during the summer season for protection of bathers. Three stations: headquarters South Carolina avenue and Beach Dr. J. T. Beswick, Surgeon in command.

Pennsylvania Railroad Passenger Station, South Carolina avenue near Atlantic avenue. Electric express trains between Atlantic City and Philadelphia, Atlantic and Tennessee avenues.

Reading Railroad Terminal, Atlantic avenue, between Arkansas and Missouri avenues. County seat of Atlantic City, May's Landing, 18 miles from Atlantic City. County Institute of Studies Landing, 7 miles from Atlantic City.

Atlantic City Country Club, Northfield, 10 miles, 3,000 yards.

The Inlet, for pleasure and fishing yachts, sail and power craft.

City Hospital, Ohio avenue, between Atlantic and Pacific avenues.

Free Public Library built by Andrew Carnegie, Pacific and Illinois avenues.

Automobile Racing Course, three miles long, on Morris Beach.

Fort Mifflin, 1.2 miles, New York avenue, between Atlantic and Pacific avenues.

Grand Army, Memorial Hall, New York avenue, between Atlantic and Pacific avenues.

ERK's home, Maryland and Atlantic avenues. Fraternal Order of Eagles Hall, North Carolina and Atlantic avenues.

Red Men's Wigwam, Michigan and Atlantic avenues.

Old Fellows' Hall, New York avenue, between Atlantic and Pacific avenues.

Mercer Memorial House, Pacific and Ohio avenues.

Children's Seashore Home, Atlantic and Annapolis avenues.

Jewish Seaside Home, Vermont City.

City Water Works, storage reservoirs and artesian wells, Absecon, 6 miles from Atlantic City.

Ocean City, 2.5 miles south from Longport, at eastern end of Absecon Island, and by trolley from Virginia and Florida avenues.

Atlantic City Yacht Club, North Massachusetts avenue and Gardner's Basin. Office, Room 22 Bartlett Building.

Ventnor Yacht Club, 1200 Atlantic avenue, and Richmond avenue and Thorndike.

Young's Pier and Theatre, Oceanwalk and Tennessee avenue. Musical comedy, vaudeville, free concert, etc. Free, instant members, hotel, concerts, ocean promenade, bowling alley.

Steed Pier, length, 1,200 feet, Virginia avenue and ocean walk. Band concerts, minstrel, hops.

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The Longport trolley by trolley may be had by taking the Longport trolley to Tomesville, Atlantic avenue, a ride along miles of ocean front through Chelsea, Ventnor, South Atlantic, Ocean, landing on at the steamboat wharf, where steamers may be taken every half hour for a side trip across Egg Harbor Bay to Ventnor City, Free, Atlantic City, Longport and return, 20 cents. Cars leave in lot for Longport every 30 minutes.

Pleasantville, Country Club, Bakersville, Linwood, Seaview, Somers Point and Absecon. A trip across the ocean, the beach and through the above towns, is always remembered; the vastness of meadows and pretty rural scenery make it a trip well worth taking. Cars leave Atlantic City from Florida avenue and the oceanwalk, every 10 minutes at 13 and 45 minutes past the hour, from 8:15 a. m. to 8:45 p. m., then 9:00, 10:15, 11:00 and 11:45.

The Seaside is a new drive, extending from Seaview, Albany avenue to Longport. It is open seven miles long, and is a beautiful drive. The route is as follows: to Longport or Great Egg Harbor Inlet, via 20th St., the Elphinstone, or South Atlantic City, five miles; to Absecon Inlet and Light-house, two miles; Pacific avenue drive, five miles to the hotel and the pleasant drive to the Inlet on a macadamized road. Still another drive is across the salt meadows to Pleasantville, and thence along the shore road to the Country Club and Somers Point, Absecon, and thence to the hotel and the vicinity of Atlantic City. The road across the meadows is kept in first class condition.

The Inlet is the broad opening North of the island, admitting the seawater to the inland bays and reaches. It is a mile or more from the center of the island and the northern terminus of the Oceanwalk and the electric car line. At the Inlet sail boats are to hire from early morning until night, either by the trip, the hour, or the day, at \$5 to \$8 per day. Owners of large sail boats, from 10 to 15 and fifty tons a head. In addition to the sail boats there are at the Inlet small steamboats and tugs for the purpose of taking persons on short trips to adjacent bays or out to sea for small sums, according to the distance covered. The thoroughfare, which divides the land from the mainland is broad, deep and placid; even the most timid or those who are subject only to seasickness may enjoy a sail over the waters of the thoroughfare without fear of unpleasant consequences. Those who are fond of heavier water may indulge their liking to their heart's content, for from the wharf to the wide ocean is but a few minutes sail.

There are so many attractions at Atlantic City that every taste can be satisfied. Of course the ocean is the rendezvous of the general public, but the delights of the stroll on the Ocean Promenade supersede all other pleasures. There is a beautiful business place along that wonderful promenade a never-ending source of delight and entertainment. In all the resorts along the Atlantic coast there is nothing to compare with this great highway of travel, and the daily crowds to be seen there morning and evening afford a magnificent study of human nature.

LEGAL.

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By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed, issued out of the New Jersey Court of Chancery, will be sold at public vendue, on SATURDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JULY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINE,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at Kuehn's Hotel, corner of Atlantic and South Carolina avenues, in the city of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic and State of New Jersey.

All that certain lot or parcel of land and premises, hereinafter particularly described, situate in the city of Atlantic City, in the county of Atlantic and State of New Jersey.

Beginning on the northerly side of Atlantic avenue, at a point in the said Atlantic avenue, thence (1) southwardly along the northerly side of Atlantic avenue sixty feet; thence (2) northwardly parallel with Atlantic avenue one hundred feet; thence (3) westwardly at right angles to Atlantic avenue sixty feet; and thence (4) southwardly parallel with Atlantic avenue one hundred feet to the place of beginning, hereunto and intended to be conveyed to the consideration whereof this mortgage is given to secure, granted and conveyed to said Charles Rosch, Jr.,

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The Modest Little Home That
Was Happy, Though Poor.

By AGNES DILLON.

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Mrs. Lewis Adelbert Simms paused a moment as the automobile deposited her on the walk before a flat building that, to say the least, was battered, though pathetically respectable looking.

"Dear me," she said faintly. Then she turned sharply on the imperturbable driver. "Do you mean to say," she asked rather fretfully, "that this is 225 Rosemere court?"

"The same," said the hired driver. "Two twenty-five, please."

As Mrs. Simms opened the elaborate gold mesh purse she carried she was conscious of a bewildered surprise. Of course she had known Carrie had not married wealth, but Carrie's letters in the years during which they had not seen each other had been so cheerful! How any woman could be cheerful living on this little side street was beyond Betty Simms.

Still bewildered and holding her trailing skirts tightly, she entered the building, and another surprise met her. There was no elevator, and Mrs. Lewis Adelbert Simms was used to having elevators when she needed them. Apparently there was nothing to do but to climb, and to the fourth floor too! Each step added to her amazement.

It was impossible to picture Carrie as harassed by poverty. In their school days she had been one of the regal features the mere sight of whom called up visions of ermine and old lace, of lickers and gold coins. They had all been sure Carrie would marry a millionaire. When she did marry she wrote Betty Simms, who had indeed married a millionaire, much to every one's surprise, being a small, quiet, demure little creature of no apparent brilliance, one of her characteristic letters.

"Mother is furious," Carrie wrote cheerfully, "because Tom isn't rich. I can't make her see we shall be far too busy just being happy to have the mere matter of money count. As for that, some day Tom will be rich. He has the brains!"

And this was all Tom's brains had done for Carrie in six years! When she had written Carrie she would pass through her town and wanted to look her up the prompt reply and invitation to luncheon had not mentioned those three digits of squires. Perhaps Carrie was so used to them she had not thought. Mrs. Simms pressed the button beside the door.

There was a clatter of feet down in the inside hall and a woman's voice in laughing protest, and the door opened to precipitate a small sized avalanche of small boy and barking, woolly dog almost into the astonished arms of the caller. Behind the avalanche stood Carrie.

"Betty at last!" she cried. "Anthony, let the lady in! Take Sub away. We call the dog Substitute because he's such a ridiculous imitation of a real hearty dog."

Mrs. Simms found herself drawn by her friend across the tiny hall into the living room, and there the two took a good look at each other. Carrie, the regal Carrie, stood clad in a blue and white wash shirt waist suit that would not be injured by entry into the kitchen. Above it the old brilliant, eager face, thinner, with hints of lines and with its interested, searching brown eyes, looked down as of old on Betty Simms in her Paris wrap and her trading gown. There was a compassion in Betty's eyes that shone forth unknown to her, and Carrie laughed her old gay laugh.

"You paid at least \$40 for that love of a hat, Betty," she said, "but perhaps you won't mind taking it off and laying it on my \$16.50 bed?"

"It's a bird of paradise," said Betty mechanically as she struggled with the hatpins. The dresser silver was the same Carrie had had at school, with no additions. The dresser scarf was only hemstitched serim, and the bedspread, though dainty, was of a flowered silkline that Betty knew in her soul had been picked up for a few cents a yard.

Still dazed, she followed her hostess back into the little parlor. In spite of its smallness it looked large. Not a superfluous article adorned its walls. The mantel boasted a single ornament—a far of quaint pottery. The books on the table, however, were plentiful. The single small rug on the waxed floor was an oriental. Through the arch the dining room table showed, weathered oak, artist, but the cheapest of woods.

"Tell me all about yourself, Betty," her hostess was begging.

For an instant Mrs. Lewis Adelbert Simms groped for words. "Why," she laughed, a trifle ruefully, "there isn't anything to tell! I just got married, and life goes on, and there are lots of parties and dinners and things, and I always seem to be in a terrible rush, or else Lewis is, and we never have time for anything!"

"I see," said her hostess, a little quietly, her great eyes taking in the somewhat expressionless face of the other. "Will you excuse me while I put lunch on the table—unless you want to come into the kitchen with me?"

She smiled as if giving an invitation to come into the conservatory, and Betty Simms followed and, sitting on a wooden chair, watched Carrie's deft movement from cupboard to refrigerator and to the stove.

"Why," she said involuntarily, "you act as if you like doing this, Carrie Peabody!"

Carrie paused on her way to the table. "I don't mind," she said. "It's only a means to an end. He wants you to take him, Betty."

Mrs. Simms looked into the face of small Anthony clutching her gown and, lifting him up, was surprised to have him cuddle down contentedly as

one used to being held and made much of.

Sub, the woolly dog, followed, and many emotions chased themselves through the head of Mrs. Simms. To her credit, not once did she think of the possible wrinkling and spoiling of her gown. When before in her life had she been so full of woolly dog and little boy? It was a new sensation. None of her friends seemed as intimately acquainted with their own children as Carrie was with hers. Never before at luncheon had Mrs. Simms so much as seen a child, let alone touched one. Yet somehow Anthony did not seem out of place here nor in the way. He seemed part of the household and to take his place naturally.

It was a very simple luncheon, though a dainty one, and it was amazingly good to the visitor, who was rather silent. She was trying to reconcile the cheerful face of Carrie Peabody with the account Carrie was giving of her life.

"It has been hard on Tom," she was saying. "The company he was with when we married failed, and that ended putting his invention through. And when he did get another place typographical, I had a few hundreds of my own saved for some emergency, and I concluded the emergency had arrived. And things have kept coming up—Tom's brother's trouble and then this small boy of ours, and with it all we've been, as I wrote you, Betty, poor—very poor."

"But," said the woman, listening, struggling to adjust the facts before her—"but you seem so happy, Carrie. There was a hint of envy in her tone. "Why shouldn't I be?" asked the woman in the blue wash gown, Anthony on her knee. "Some time it will be better, when Tom gets a firm hold on things. And I have him and Anthony, and we all care truly about each other, and because we aren't rich enough to go outside to find distraction and amusement we've learned to depend on each other, and we're very contented doing it, Betty. We're very happy in this little cheap flat. Why, I suppose we're just as happy as you and Lewis, with all your money and what it brings into your lives."

Across the face of the listening woman there was a faraway expression that was tinged with a little bitterness. It was as if she were looking into her past and seeing many things. "Carrie," she spoke suddenly, enviously, "I'd give all it has brought me and ever bids fair to bring me for one minute of the perfect companionship poverty has brought you and Tom. And for Anthony—yes, and for the woolly dog that loves you all."

"I'm sorry about the stairs," Carrie told her guest as she watched her depart a little later to the puffing automobile below.

"Oh," said Betty, "I never thought of them! I'm thinking about something else. Stairs really don't matter much, after all."

And the curve of the descent swallowed up the bid of paradise as Mrs. Lewis Adelbert Simms went back with a strange reluctance to the world of elevators and unlimited credit.

Dictionary Readers.

That the natives of Nigeria are capable of advanced forms of education is apparently proved by this little incident told by Constance Larymore in "A Resident's Wife in Nigeria."

"My husband told me that in the course of the patrol they passed through a valley where the inhabitants of the rocks and hills above apparently made their homes in holes and caves. One member of the party fully asked what was the scientific name for cave dwellers. The word having slipped his memory for the moment, no one appeared to be able to supply the word. But then the native interpreter, plodding along behind, came up, saying: 'Pardon me, sir. Don't you mean troglodytes?'"

"The Englishman, amazed, asked where he had ever heard such a word, and 'George' replied placidly, 'I was reading a dictionary one day and saw it.'"

"I cannot imagine myself reading a German or Italian dictionary for pleasure and storing in my mind for future use conversationally a specially unusual scientific term. I only wish I could!"

Saving His Country.

Noble Prentiss was a man of small stature, and the story goes that at the beginning of the civil war, when he sought to enlist as a soldier, he was found to fall several inches short of the minimum height required by army regulations and was ordered to step aside by the recruiting officer. Mr. Prentiss did so reluctantly, muttering as he went, "I suppose I'll have to let my country go to blazes because I'm not eight feet tall!"

The recruiting officer overheard the remark and called him back, saying, "Young man, you're doing, and Prentiss was enlisted and mustered into the service.—Kansas City Times.

The Backer—Go it, Billy! Yer ain't half licked yet! The Fighter—Well, you come and 'ave the other arf. I ain't greedy.—London Opinion.

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STEFAN J. MARIANO, Executor.

May's Landing, N. J., June 18, 1909.

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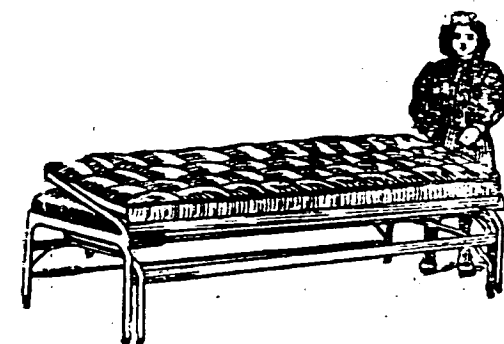
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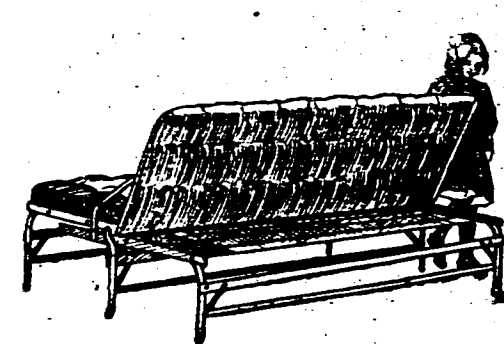
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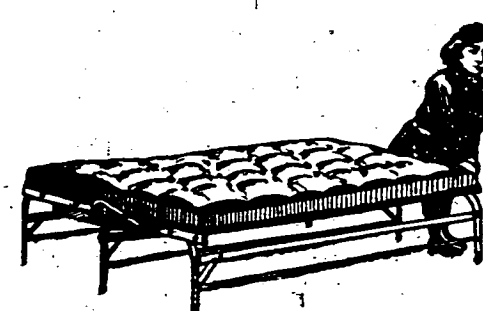
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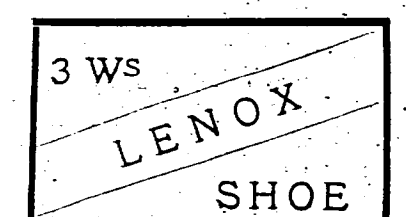
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