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Plows.

Iron, labor, and lumber cost more than they did a year ago.

There is therefore a cause for the advance in price of all kinds of Agricultural Implements.

Plows are quite a little higher than they were last year, but we make only a few slight changes in our price-list.

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The ladies have taken this space for one year, and are responsible for all that it may contain.

THE SALOON LICENSED For What?

Some time ago a young lady was visiting a friend in May's Landing, and one day, as they were walking past the Court House and Jail, almost directly opposite to which is a licensed hotel, they were speaking of the inconsistency of men to license an evil and then build court-house and jails to punish the very crimes they have licensed. "It ceased to murder!" as I read the other day," exclaimed the friend. "The words seemed to burn themselves into the mind of the young lady, and recurred to her again and again until one day she picked up pen and paper and wrote the following lines:

Licensed--for what?
Licensed to sell, licensed to drink,
Licensed to curse--ah, man, stop and think;
Licensed to entice the young man in,
And bind him there with the chains of sin.

Yes, licensed--licensed for what?
Licensed to ruin the poor man's home,
And send his children forth, to roam
Up and down, this land 'mid want and vice--
Ah, man, will high license pay that price?

But they're licensed--licensed for what?
Licensed to break that poor wife's heart
And pierce that mother's with sorrow's dart;
Licensed to stain that sister's name,
And crush that father's 'neath bitter shame.

Licensed? Yes--licensed for what?
Licensed to bid all virtue adieu,
And scornfully spurn what's good and true.
Licensed to drag men and women low,
To grovel 'mid misery, want and woe.

Licensed! ah, licensed for what?
Licensed to take the children's bread
And send them starving to their dirty bed.
Licensed to rob, licensed to steal,
Licensed to strike, licensed to kill.

Licensed--licensed for what?
Ah, man! stop and think, if never before,
When you vote for license, what an awful store
Of sin and crime you're helping to bring
On this land, where God and right should reign.

HATTIE A. COLLINS.
VINELAND, N. J.

Young People's Societies.

This space is devoted to the interests of the Young People's Societies of the various Churches. Special items of interest, and announcements are collected.

Y. P. S. O. E.,--Presbyterian Church:

Meets Tuesday evening, at 7:45.

Topic, "Rejecting Christ." Mark 12:

1-9. Leader, Miss Anna Lobley.

Business meeting next Tuesday eve.

Y. P. S. O. E.,--Baptist Church:

Meets Sunday evening, at 6:00.

Topic, "Rejecting Christ." Mark 12:

1-9. Leader, Miss Eva Carlaw.

Epworth League,--M. E. Church:

Meets Sunday evening, at 6:00.

Topic, "Rejecting Christ." Mark 12:

1-9. Leader, Chas. D. Jacobs.

Business meeting next Monday eve.

Y. P. C. U.,--Universalist Church:

Meets Sunday evening, at 7:00.

Topic, "For what is your life?" Pro-

verbs 4: 13; Matt. 6: 19, 20;

Jas. 4: 4.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings.

With Spring comes the fact

that we need some tonic and

alterative remedy.

Crowell's Sarsaparilla

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To-day, Saturday, March 3,

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From The Electric Light Company

To the Town Council,
and Citizens of Hammonton:

GENTLEMEN:--We have been requested to render you a statement of the object and intention of our Company, upon your favorable revision of the lighting ordinance to suit our requirements.

In view of the foregoing, our statements can be but brief and to the point, as we know less than you do as to the necessity of the required revision, for the following reasons:

1st. That had your ordinance allowed your previous electric plant to charge the rates we request in our letter of a previous date there never would have been the dissatisfaction (that has been incurred) through poor service; it is very evident, that if you want a good light a fair return must be paid for it, precisely the same as purchasing merchandise; therefore the rates you have been paying have been so inadequate, that but one employee could be maintained to operate the plant, coal is always high at any price, oil is likewise, and the most unfortunate of all a loss to the owner, that he (let alone the fact that he received no return on his investment, trouble, annoyance and anxiety) found it necessary to put his hand in his pocket to meet contingent and current expenses, and what for?

Simply for the accommodation of his fellow citizens, and then a subject of criticism owing to the poor service rendered; really gentlemen it is a wonder to us that he continued the operation of the plant as long as he did, and were it not for his interest and consideration for his townsmen we are satisfied that no sane man would have done so, therefore gentlemen it is fair to presume that what we request you to do is but for your interest, we however have no hesitancy to acknowledge that we expect some return for our investment and diligent efforts, but not, bear you in mind, from the present consumers, but from new subscribers of which we have the assurance of nearly 500 lights already.

2nd. That as Mr. Byrnes (whom you all know) was on the very verge of shutting down his plant, (which every honest man would sanction) thereby incurring every citizen that had his residence store etc., wired, a dead investment; when as a God-send he consummated the sale of the plant to us, which means the continuation of an accommodation (with 16 candle power) that is without an equal, encourages habitation in your town, attracts the eye of passers of both railroads when passing through Hammonton, and many other redeeming features too numerous to mention.

3rd. Suppose for instance, you refuse the revision, it means the abolishment of electric lights in Hammonton, as no plant could live under the present rates, just think gentlemen of the disgrace of a town of 5000 inhabitants, or there about, unable to support an electric light plant, what would your property holders think of such an advertisement to be spread broadcast, about Hammonton prosperity? It would mean unsalable real estate and vacant buildings, thereby a depreciation in your merchants' business.

4th. This Company means to equip a duplicate plant at the earliest possible moment, thereby insuring against any break down. We have already increased the working force of our plant, by adding a competent electrician and engineer. You have the constant attendance of our Superintendent and General Manager, who is beyond a doubt an able man to cope with the intricacies of an electric plant to give efficient service, and is thoroughly familiar with all electrical appliances. We are at present revising the electrical construction at the power house, and you will agree with us that a marked change is noticeable.

Now then gentlemen, it is not necessary for us to go further into detail, as you are thoroughly aware of the existing conditions; and if you act favorably upon our request it simply means your

salvation as to electric lights; if you don't, you may look forward to the non-operation of an electric light plant in Hammonton, so far as we are concerned: therefore we are thoroughly convinced that Hammonton contains too many intelligent people to stand in their own light, by refusing the requested revision, and we hope that you will take immediate action, thereby avoiding any delay in our contemplated duplication of the present plant, etc. Should your action prove favorable as to the revision, we would be pleased to have you insert our corporate name in the ownership of said ordinance or franchise.

We would like to add in conclusion that as our canvas has proved successful and nearly all citizens that have been approached on the subject are content to pay our rates (considering the necessity thereof for the continuation of the accommodation), that all present consumers will render us their co-operation by signing contracts as submitted, owing to the uniformity of rate, rates are the same for everybody (according to scale), no deviation or partiality; therefore we would consider your expeditious action on this subject as important to us as the passage of the desired revision of ordinance.

A feature that I omitted to mention is, consider the advance of your insurance rates should you find it necessary to return to the antiquated oil lamps.

Hoping you will appreciate our frank expression of the existing conditions and the out-come of future conditions, and take favorable action without delay, we beg to remain,

Respectfully yours,
THE ELECTRIC LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER CO. OF HAMMONTON.
F. J. THRON, Sec'y & Treas.,
Edgewater Park, N. J.

Glorious News.
Comes from Dr. D. B. Gargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved--that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the same supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50c. Sold by Crowell, Druggist. Guaranteed.

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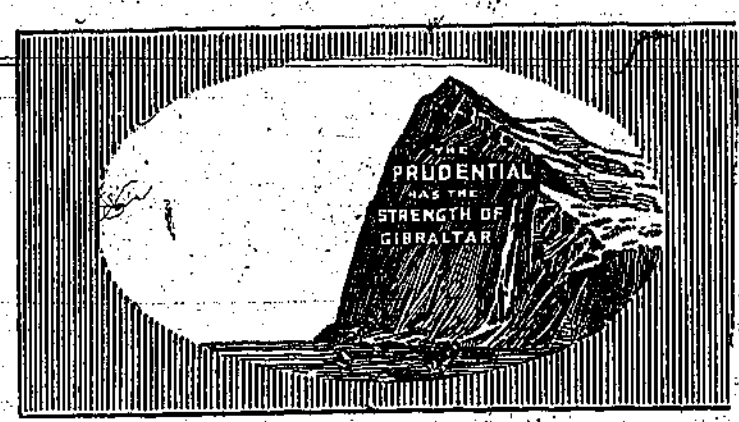
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WALTER W. HERBERT, Local Agent, Hammonton, N. J.

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at 29 cents per yard. Just the thing for a dress skirt or Spring suit.

Remnants of Outing,—best quality.

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and the

South Jersey Republican

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We guarantee to compete with any in price, though home-dressed costs one cent more per pound than we can buy for elsewhere. Yet we prefer to handle home-dressed. Give it a trial, and judge for yourself.

ECKHARDT'S MARKET

240 Bellevue Ave., Hammonton.

The Republican.

(Entered as second class matter.)

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1900

Our friend Gerry Valentine is

nearing his eighty-ninth birthday, and

completing the sixty-fifth year of his

married life. The aged couple have

spent together a long, eventful, happy

life. Mr. Valentine has always inter-

ested himself in public affairs. He was

a member of the first Town Council

in Hammonton, and his wise counsel

aided the town over some grave diffi-

culties, especially the Parkhurst and

Boyle law suits, of which some of our

citizens remember. He has been for

twenty years corresponding secretary of

Atlantic County to the United States

Agricultural Department; but failing

health forbids his longer acting in that

capacity, and he has chosen his old-time

young friend Mr. L. Monfort to wear

the mantle. Hence, hereafter Mr. M.

will endeavor to keep the department

posted as to agricultural matters in

Atlantic County.

List of recalled letters in the

Hammonton Post-Office, on Saturday

March 10, 1900.

F. CURTIS.

Mr. Anthony Phillips.

FORGIVEN.

Yak Krasloffstein.

Persons calling for any of the above

letters will please state that it has been

advised.

M. L. JACKSON, P. M.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors had Renick Hamilton, of

West-Jefferson, O., after enduring 18

months from renal colic, he would dis-

miss a costly operation was performed,

but he cured himself with five boxes of

Buckley's Ammonia Salts, the surest pills

on earth, and the best value in the

world. 25 cents a box. Sold by Cregg's

Druggist.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been

made, and that too, by a lady in the

country. "Disease fastened its clutches

upon her and for seven years she with-

stood its cruellest tests, but her vital

organs were undermined and death

seemed imminent. For three months

she coughed incessantly, and could not

sleep. She finally discovered a cure

recovery, by purchasing of one bottle of

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consump-

tion, and she was much relieved on taking

first dose that she slept all night; and

with two bottles has been absolutely

cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz.

Thus writes W. C. Haines & Co., of

Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at

Crowell's Drug Store. Regular size 60c.

and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

Rainier's

Cash Grocery

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Fancy Naval Oranges, 20 cts.

"Flag Brand" Canned Goods.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

People's Bank of Hammonton

At the close of business on Monday,

March 6th, 1900.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts \$24,431.30

Overdrafts..... 80.31

Stocks, securities, etc..... 97,049.01

Banking House, furniture, fix-

tures, etc..... 9,082.00

Other Real Estate..... 97,000.00

Bonds and Mortgages..... 34,950.00

Due from other Banks..... 107,652.00

Cash and cash items..... 106,232.01

Accrued interest receivable..... 622.77

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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

Monday, April 2nd, 1900,

at the door of the Court in the afternoon of said day, at the hotel of John T. French, in the town of Hammonton, County of Atlantic, and State of New Jersey,

All those certain tracts or parcels of land and premises, hereinafter particularly described, situated in the Township of Ham-

ilton and Atlantic, in the County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey:

First Tract—Beginning at a corner in the middle of the Weymouth and Hamilton Road, the same being a corner to lots Nos. 7, 8, and 9, and as a plan of the same surveyed by Stephen Col-

well and others on the road aforesaid and running thence South eighty degrees and thirty minutes East forty chains to a corner in the middle of the aforesaid road, a corner of lots 1, 2 and 3, said side, plan and thence along the middle of the said road North nine degrees and thirty minutes East ten chains to the place of beginning, containing forty acres of land situate in

Being the same premises which Andrew Scott, Jr. by deed dated August 17, A. D. 1886, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of Atlantic County at May's Landing in Book No. 105, folio 246, do conveyed to Louis Deere in

Second Tract—Being all that certain farm land situated in the Township of Ham-

ilton and Atlantic, in the County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey, and on the East by the

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MUNICIPAL.

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