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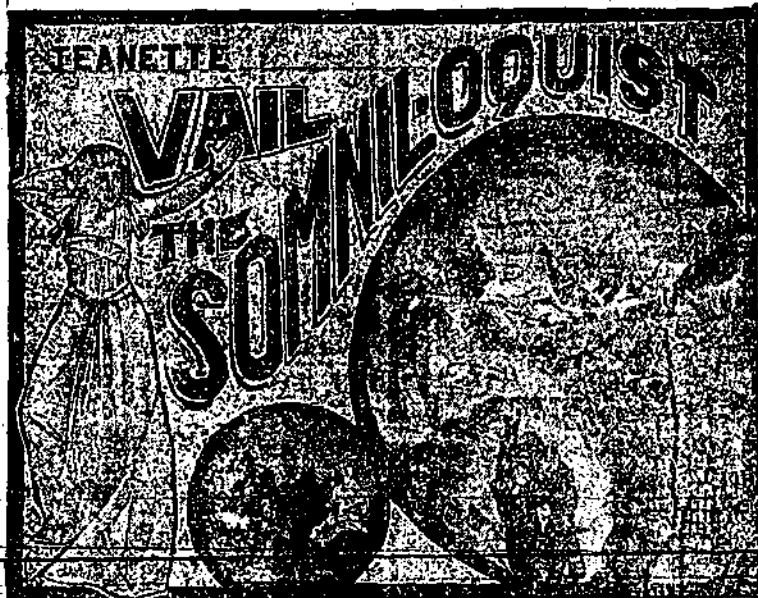
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Complete Change of Programme each Evening

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To Aid the Town Beautiful.

As a community of farmers, Hammonton had little need for parks and breathing spaces in the village. There was a plenty of room on the store porches, and chairs were provided for those who chose to loiter there. But things are not as they used to be; storekeepers don't provide porches any more, and we begin to feel the lack of the breathing spaces the Town's founders failed to provide. However, bemoaning the lack of forethought of our forebears will not correct their errors. We need a public common, with a few benches and plenty of shade, where one can spend a quiet hour on a summer evening, without feeling that he is trespasser, or making a nuisance and loafer of himself.

By the erection of expensive buildings on one plot, (the Bank triangle), we have lost one of the best opportunities; but there is another, nearly as good, and the plot is for sale. I refer to the P. S. Tilton property, between the Presbyterian and M. E. Churches, and directly in front of the school grounds.

If a way could be found to raise the necessary money, it would be a wise act for the Town to buy that tract. The house should be taken away, Schoolhouse Lane abandoned, and a broad street opened, so as to directly face the High School tower. Then, with a few more trees added, we would have as good a little park as could be found anywhere.

It would be hard to suggest anything that would be of more general benefit, and go as far toward beautifying the town. A resting place would be provided for the whole community; it would enhance the beauty of the churches, and protect them from encroachment by residences or business blocks; and our school-houses, now in the background, back of somebody's back yard, would be brought into plain view of Bellevue Avenue, the main street, where thousands pass weekly.

It would be as effective a scheme of advertising as the Town could adopt, displaying to possible new residents our unexcelled school facilities.

I believe this suggestion worth giving a little thought, and if the financial barrier can be overcome, it should be carried out.

A few years ago one of our citizens offered to purchase fifteen feet of this tract, for the benefit of one of the Churches, but the owners would not sell at that time. A few times fifteen would equal the whole; and who knows but there are several citizens as public spirited as the one referred to.

This is respectfully referred to the Civic Club.

THE WORTH of a savings account remains fixed. Its value does not fluctuate. A savings account with this bank is worth 100 cents on the dollar, all the time, plus a per cent. interest compounded semi-annually. Start an account with a dollar or more. Small deposits welcome. Hammonton Trust Company.

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Why it pays to build of Concrete:
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Hammonton Concrete Co.

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Notary Public
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Business in these lines properly and promptly attended to.

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For Men and Women well deserve your special attention. The combination of style, quality, and comfort has been so successfully carried out that we want everyone to see it.

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For everyone in the family. Our assortment is bigger than ever. It is the only shoe that will allow your child's foot to grow as it should, and the only one that adults can wear with comfort if they have tender feet.



The exhibition in our window will give you an idea as to the looks of our Shoes and Oxfords. To judge of the quality and comfort they embrace, we will ask you to let us fit your feet, this season, with the kind of footwear we sell.

Men's Shoes and Oxfords from \$1.25 to \$5.
Women's Shoes and Oxfords from \$1.20 to \$3.50
Children's Shoes and Oxfords from 65 cents to \$2.

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The Gold Bond Hat

at \$2,—soft and derbys. A written guarantee with every hat, which entitles you to a new one if it fails to give satisfactory wear.

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Neckwear from 3 cents to 50 cents.

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Hammonton, N. J.

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than 1000 farms we
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during the next twelve months.

Would you like to see it on
your barn—on the farm you don't
want—and to know that the dollars
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in the savings bank credited to
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He can sell yours. No advance fee.
Write our nearest agent for free
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in all kinds of

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Also repairing and lettering in Cemetery
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reliable

Used by successful amateurs and mar-
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ers and is profusely illustrated with
colored plates and photo-engravings. A
valuable guide to all who plant. Write
or call for a copy. FREE.

HENRY A. DREER

714 Chestnut St. Philadelphia

To the "Blue and White."

I would like to offer a few words
of commendation on your excellent
paper. I find the "Reminiscences"
very interesting, and hope they
will be continued. Though we
may not have been acquainted in
Hammonton in those days, it is a
pleasure to read of the progress the
schools have made. It is com-
mendable to the pupils of those
days that the "honor plan" seems
always to have taken the place of
a monitor. If the honor plan was
made more of in controlling and
governing our Town Council meet-
ings, the saloons and pool rooms
would soon close their doors, and
lend greatly toward making more
worthy citizens in this our "town
beautiful."

The essay on "Education" I
think especially good, and contains
wonderful inspirations which are
sure to rise in the thoughts and
hearts of all of us.

Even though our school days
may have passed, there are always
many valuable lessons to be learned
from the school of life, and present
opportunities for good are count-
less. May we each realize this,
and try to make each other happier
and ourselves better each day.

The "Notes" in the "Blue and
White" are quite amusing, and
although they may not be fully
understood by others than students,
yet they recall memories of our own
loved school days and school ways.

Wishing the "Blue and White"
a long, pure, and successful life, I
subscribe myself A READER.

HEN Manure for sale. O. K. Nelson,
Central Avenue.

EGGS from selected mating Barred Ply-
mouth Rocks; also, 2 year-old rooster for
sale. John A. Saxton.

ONE House for rent. Inquire of
J. S. Mart.

On Thursday, March 30th, Mr.
William Bernshouse completed his
seventy-seventh year. He is still
able to drive his surveying instru-
ments around a fifty-acre farm,
and is as agile as many a man
twenty-five years his junior.

Un-Claimed Letters.

List of un-called-for letters in the
Hammonton Post Office on Wednesday,
Mar. 29, 1911:

Domenico Copalati Matteo DeOmel
Antonio Patriano
—Foreign—
John Garabees—due 10 c.

Persons calling for any of the above
letters will please state that it has
been advertised.

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and Bellevue
Hammonton

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Food

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Pigeon

Try it!

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Lester piano used.

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Made of pure vegetable oils and
containing no "free" alkali, it will
cleanse, but it will not injure, the
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Most mothers know this; and
they act accordingly.

Ivory Soap . . . 99% 100 Per Cent. Pure

PROPOSAL. Sealed bids or proposals
for the construction of a bridge on
the Hammonton and Atison Road, over
Great Swamp Branch, Hammonton, N.
J., will be received by the Board of
Chosen Freeholders of Atlantic County,
N. J., when called for by the Director of
said Board at a meeting to be held in
Memorial Hall, South New York Avenue,
Atlantic City, N. J., at 11 o'clock a. m.,
Wednesday, April 6th, 1911.

No proposal will be received or consid-
ered unless accompanied by a certified
check upon a National or State Bank or
Trust Company, drawn to the order of
F. F. Doughty, Director, for the sum of
one hundred dollars.

Bond will be required for the faithful
performance of the contract, for the sum
set forth in the specifications.

Plans and specifications can only be
seen at the office of the County Engineer,
530 Bartlett Building, or at the home of
the Chairman of the Bridge Committee.

FRANK ENDERLIN,
Chairman of Bridge Committee.

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It
Saves

Its cost in shoe leather.
Your property in case
of fire.
Your LIFE when you
need the Doctor.
quickly.

And all for less than the cost of one
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service.

Can you afford to be without it?
Shall we install a phone for you?

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Of Bridgeton, N. J.

This old and reliable Company of Sixty-
five years standing insures all kinds of
property, not extra hazardous, against
loss or damage by fire or lightning. The
rates are lower than others. Losses are
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felt, heavily saturated and coated
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IT IS GUARANTEED

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REGAL ROOFING means something.
It is simple, honest and liberal.
And this warranty is backed by a
\$1,000,000.00 concern that has never
broken a promise nor shirked an
honorable obligation during the 60
years it has manufactured roofing.

Don't buy any roofing until you see
a sample of REGAL and learn more
about roofing. We'll send you
samples of this Roofing and book
if you can't call.

JOSEPH R. IMHOFF

