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## ELVINS & ROBERTS

Being now in the hurry and rush of Spring business, you will pardon us if we do not present much that is new. We merely wish to assure you that we are still doing business at the old stand.

We meet the recent cut in the price of Cottolene. Having had the honor of introducing this excellent article to the trade in this vicinity, we propose our imitators shall not lead us on this or any other article. Price until further notice, 13 cents per pound.

We reduce the price of Wood Fibre Pails to 35 cents, making them by far the cheapest and best water pail for the money now on the market. No fraud about these goods,--a first-class article in every way. No hoops to drop off, does not soak water, therefore always light, and almost no end to the wear.

Have you tried Snider's Catsup? If not, why not? "It leads the procession." Large bottle, 25 cents.

Full weight Milk certainly should be a leader also. 12 cents per can. Try a can, and if it is not what we claim for it, bring it back.

Please remember that we are the sole agents for Mapes' Complete Manures for all crops, and we aim to keep the stock as complete as the rapidly increasing sales of these most popular and reliable fertilizers will permit. Prices on application.

## Elvins & Roberts,

Cor. Bellevue Ave. and Main Road,

Hammonton, N. J.

## DID YOU EVER

Stop to think what a fine piece of mechanism your watch is? and that you are injuring it by letting it run too long without having it cleaned and oiled?

A watch is injured more in one month, when running dirty, than in a year's time when properly cleaned and oiled.

Why neglect to have it cleaned, when you can get it done, and guaranteed, for One Dollar?

## AT DUDLEY'S,

HAMMONTON, N. J.



Go to JACKSON'S for Best Meats at the lowest prices

### Our World's Fair Letter.

CHICAGO, May 20, 1893.  
ILLUMINATION.

The first great evening at the Fair was Saturday, the 13th. It rained during the day, as usual, but before sunset it cleared off beautifully and the sun shone brightly. By six o'clock the van-guard of the later throngs began to add to the thousands already within the Park, preferring to lose their supper rather than a sight of the grounds and buildings touched by the mellow light of the setting sun. They were repaid a hundred times over. As the flaming disc of gold neared the horizon, it changed the color of the palaces, towers and domes from their silver white to a most exquisite cream color, a combination of gold and white. The scene was so grand, so inspiring, the people were awed into wondering admiration. Some watched the fountains tossing the spray aloft to glisten and gleam in the evening rays; lovers of art, from the Peristyle, gazed admiringly upon the architectural adornments to be seen from that point, a collection so rich and so large as to be unequalled by any other spot in the World.

The display that followed matched the prelude. About the Administration building, the efforts of the evening were concentrated. Thousands of incandescent electric lights made brilliant its dome, circling it scores of times horizontally and vertically, making it the grandest monument of electric lighting ever attempted. Two powerful search lights on the roofs of the Manufactures and Electricity buildings turned night into day wherever their beams were thrown. The white angels poised above Agricultural Hall, suddenly illuminated by the search lights seemed real, as they stood forth distinctly outlined against the black sky behind; and the young lady who was overheard to say--"Can Heaven be more beautiful than this?"--was not the only one to whom the comparison came irresistibly. This illumination is but the first of many. Later in the season they will occur several times a week, and be more complete than this.

The musical entertainments are becoming very popular. An orchestral concert is given each day, under the direction of Theodore Thomas. These concerts consist of choice selections, rendered by one hundred and fifty musicians of the best talent in the world. They are given in Festival and Music Halls. No admission is charged. There are also several band concerts each day, where exceptionally fine music may be heard. There will also be grand musical entertainments, by world-famed artists and musical societies at intervals during the entire exposition period, for which an admission fee of one dollar is charged--four of them this week. Others special events of the week were the late days for Norway and the State of Washington, Wednesday, when their buildings were dedicated with due ceremony.

Mothers will be interested to know that the lectures on cooking, illustrated by actual work, have begun, and are now held daily at half past ten, in the Woman's building.

The World's Congresses, which will play so large a part in the Exposition, have begun. The most celebrated women of all countries were here, including Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Susan B. Anthony, Lucy Stone, May Wright Sewall, Mme. Carnot.

During the early period of the Fair the attendance has been mainly from people living in the city; but as time passes, people from the States and from foreign countries make up the population of the White City. Some very ludicrous incidents occur frequently in the intercourse between native and tourists. For instance, two well dressed Frenchmen, who speak "Ze Englees pooty vell," were riding on the "El." Another passenger entered the car, and seeing that they were provided with a "Columbian," asked them when the B. & O. left the City. Our French cousins evidently did not understand the scope of the question, for they answered "about every three weeks." ADAM ANTINE.

### John Atkinson, Justice of the Peace,

Commissioner of Deeds,  
Pension & Claim Agent.

Bellevue Ave. and Second St.,  
HAMMONTON, : : : N. J.

All business placed in my hands will be promptly attended to.

### IF

You want

### Good Flour & Butter.

If you want

### Good Canned Goods,

Tomatoes, Corn,  
Peaches, Cherries,  
Salmon, Lobster, etc.,

And if you want good SOAP,--to keep clean with,--call on

### Beverage, the Grocer

Store at Fairchild's old stand.

## THE LADIES ARE INTERESTED

In our display of Spring Millinery. Its equal has never been known here before.

The Prices are considerably below city competitors, because expenses are trifling, in comparison.

The stock is larger and more varied now than ever, and includes everything that adds to the happiness and attractiveness of woman-kind. Kid Gloves and Fine Laces are two new departures.

Mrs. M. E. Thomas.

Bellevue Ave., above Third St.,

Hammonton.

### The People's Bank Of Hammonton, N. J.

Authorized Capital, \$50,000  
Paid in, \$30,000.  
Surplus, \$11,000.

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Dry Goods,  
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Groceries,  
Flour, Feed,  
Etc., Etc.

Headquarters for the

## Butterick Patterns.

A full stock constantly on hand. All the latest patterns kept in stock.

## COAL!

I now have a larger yard, and am able to keep a full stock of the best coal, from the best Reading coal mines.

Get your coal for winter before the advance in prices.

## COAL YARD

Having stocked my yard for the winter with the best grades of

### LEHIGH COAL

I am prepared to furnish it in large or small quantities, at shortest notice, and as low as any.

Your patronage solicited.

W. H. Bernshouse.

Office in Wm. Bernshouse's office.  
Yard opposite the Saw Mill.

### Kirk Spear, Jr.,

Plain and Ornamental

## Plastering and Bricklaying.

Hammonton, N. J.

Jobbing promptly attended to

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

### Henry Kramer,

Manufacturer and Dealer in

## FANCY SHINGLES

Posts, Pickets, etc.

BERRY CRATES.

Folsom, N. J.

Lumbers sawed to order.

Orders received by mail promptly filled.  
Prices Low.

### HARNESS.

A full assortment of hand and machine made,--for work or driving.

Trunks, Valises, Whips,  
Riding Saddles, Nets, etc.

L. W. COGLEY,  
Hammonton, N. J.







GO TO  
**Wm. Bernshouse's**  
**Lumber Yard**

For all kinds of  
Lumber, Mill-work,  
Window-glass,  
Brick, Lime, Cement,  
Plaster, Hair, Lath, etc.

**Light Fire Woods**  
For Summer use.

We manufacture  
**Berry Crates & Chests**  
Of all kinds. Also,  
**Cedar Shingles.**

We have just received our Spring  
stock of goods.

Can furnish very nice  
**Pennsylvania Hemlock**  
At Bottom Prices. Manufacture our  
own Flooring. Satisfaction  
Guaranteed.

Our specialty, this Spring, will  
be full frame orders.

Your patronage solicited.

**SHOES.**

Always a Good Stock.

**Only the Best!**

Shoes made to Order is my  
Specialty, and full  
satisfaction is guaranteed.

Repairing done.

**J. MURDOCH,**  
Bellevue Avenue,  
Hammonton, : : N. J.

**PAINT! PAINT!**  
—THE—  
**HAMMONTON.**

When you buy the Hammonton  
Paint, you do not buy seven-  
eighths of a gallon for a gallon,  
or three pints for a half gallon;  
nor do you get one of those  
packages that weigh 12 to 14  
pounds, and containing so much  
alkali that it is impossible to  
use it without thinning; but in  
buying the Hammonton you get  
a full standard gallon of paint,  
weighing 14 to 16 pounds to  
the gallon, made from the best  
materials known to the trade,  
and costs the consumer from \$1  
to \$1.50 per gallon for honest  
paint.

If the purchaser doesn't want  
honest paint, and wants to be  
honest to himself, then be sure  
to buy the Hammonton Paint,  
and the manufacturer will give  
a receipt with every gallon sold,  
telling you how to make two  
gallons of paint out of one of  
the Hammonton. It will cost  
33 cents for the extra gallon.

**One Dollar.**

And then here comes Commercial  
Paint, in 30 shades, the best wearing  
paint ever put on the market for so low a  
price as \$1 per gallon, and guaranteed  
to be a first-class wearing paint. If any  
one should not want to pay so high a  
price for a good exterior paint, then work  
the 33 cent racket, and get two gallons  
for \$1.33. Manufactured at  
Hammonton Paint Works.

**Dr. J. A. Waas,**  
RESIDENT  
**DAVIST,**  
HAMMONTON, : : N. J.  
Office Days—Every week-day.  
**GAS ADMINISTERED.**  
Nervous for extracting with gas, when  
teeth are ordered.

**The Republican.**  
[Entered as second class matter.]

SATURDAY, MAY 27, 1893.

We will still furnish the *Republican* and the *Weekly Press* one year for  
One Dollar and Twenty-five cents. Such  
of our readers as desire to take advantage  
of this offer must pay up all arrearsages  
to date, plus the \$1.25.

The trial trip of the cruiser New York,  
which took place Monday, demonstrated  
that in building war ships, as in other  
things, Yankee genius leads the world.  
The specification called for twenty knots  
an hour and the official trial developed  
an average of 21.00 knots over a double  
course of 414 miles. This shows the  
New York to be the fastest as well as  
the handsomest and most efficient cruiser  
of her class in the world. The English  
cruiser Blaker was built to make 22 knots  
but has never been able to exceed 19.

There is much tribulation in agricul-  
tural circles in England as to the  
farming industry. An English paper  
states that: "It is certainly a remark-  
able circumstance—that in a fertile  
country, the people of which have, to  
import two-thirds of their food, farming  
cannot be made to pay. The chief cause,  
no doubt, is the free-trade craze which  
forbids the home producers any favor  
in the home market." Yet that "free-  
trade craze" is just what the Democrats  
want to establish in this country by  
removing the duties from breadstuffs  
and other farm products, as suggested  
by the Tariff Reform Club.

The Democrats would imitate British  
free-trade, because England wants them  
to, but they will not follow the British  
ship subsidy plan, because England does  
not want them to. Strict fidelity to  
foreign interests, but treason to our  
own.

The Democrats of Vincennes are en-  
gaged in a lively tussle over the post-  
mastership of that place. A split in the  
party is imminent.

Mrs. J. Lewis Davis, of Woodbury,  
lost the sight of one eye by the bursting  
of a small blood-vessel, caused by merely  
rubbing it.

For two years after the McKinley bill  
became a law (viz., 1891-2) our exports  
were \$314,535,000 greater than for two  
years (1889-90) before its operation  
commenced.

For Sale.—A good six-room house,  
on Third Street, Hammonton, with new  
heater and well of pure water; five acres  
of land, two in timber, balance under  
cultivation, with a variety of fruits; a  
poultry-house, brooder-house, tool-house,  
etc. Address, or inquire, the premises,  
Miss S. B. OLNEY.

For Rent.—A twenty-acre farm, with  
burn, two miles from Hammonton sta-  
tion, on Main Road. Farm well fruited,  
including small cranberry bog. Rent  
low, as owner lives in Philadelphia.  
Wm. H. BERNHOUSE, Agent.  
Hammonton, N. J.

A Sacrifice! A twelve-acre farm,  
with eight-room house, barn, lots of fruit,  
for \$12,000, with \$2,000 down. This is  
a bargain that will not soon be duplicated  
here. Must be sold. It's on Thirteenth  
Street. Call quick.  
JOHN ATKINSON,  
Hammonton.

**Ladies' & Children's**  
**Fashionable Dressmaker.**  
Perfect Fit Guaranteed.

**Mary A. Tillery**  
Egg Harbor Road and Maple Street,  
Hammonton.

Papers and magazines  
of all kinds, in any language,  
furnished at reduced rates by  
the Editor of the *SOUTH JERSEY*  
*REPUBLICAN*. Call and get our  
figures for any thing of the kind  
wanted, whether literary, reli-  
gious, trade, or any other sort  
of periodical.

**COAL YARD.**  
**F. GROVER,**  
Successor to G. F. Saxon,  
All domestic sizes constantly  
on hand. Satisfaction  
Guaranteed.

**J. S. THAYER,**  
**Contractor & Builder**  
Hammonton, N. J.  
Plans, Specifications, and Estimates  
furnished. Jobbing promptly  
attended to.

**W. H. BERNHOUSE,**  
AGENT FOR  
**Victor & Credenda Bicycles**  
**And Bicycle Sundries.**

These bicycles are strictly first-class machines. They are  
fully guaranteed, and sold on their merits. No high price  
put on and a big discount given because it's you. Can sell  
you the machines and supplies, delivered here, at the best  
Philad'a Prices. Lanterns \$3 to \$8.50. Get a catalogue.

**A New Tea and Coffee Store.**  
**A. D. DENT,**  
**COFFEE ROASTER**  
AND DEALER IN  
**TEA, COFFEE, SPICES.**

Fay Building, Bellevue & Egg Harbor Road,  
**HAMMONTON.**

None but first-class goods handled

**Bowles & McIntyre,**  
**SELL**  
**Meats and Vegetables**  
IN THEIR SEASON.

Egg Harbor Road and Cherry Street, Hammonton

Wait for the Wagon,  
Or Leave your order, and we will call at your house.

**QUEEN & Co., Philadelphia**  
**Send their EYE Specialist**  
To Hammonton, Thursday, June 1, 1893  
He is the same as Crowell's Pharmacy, 229 N. 2nd St., Phila.  
Persons who have headache, or whose eyes are causing  
discomfort, should call upon the specialist, and they  
will receive intelligent and skillful attention. No  
charge to examine your eyes. Every pair of glasses  
ordered is guaranteed satisfactory.

**LADIES' STORE**  
**MILLINERY.**  
Samples of Goods of all kinds  
From Strawbridge & Jones's,  
can be examined here, and the  
goods received on short notice,  
at Philadelphia prices.  
Errors—correctly attended to in the  
city, every week.

**Mrs. W. F. MALONEY,**  
Bellevue Ave., Hammonton.

Pay for the Republican first,  
and read it with comfort.

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Copyrights and Trade-Marks obtained, and all Pat-  
ent business conducted for MODERATE FEES.  
Our Office is Opposite U. S. Patent Office,  
and we can secure patent in less than 30 days  
without leaving Washington.  
Send model, drawing or photo, with descrip-  
tion. We advise if patentable or not, free of  
charge. Our fee not paid until patent is secured.  
A PAMPHLET, "How to Obtain Patents," with  
copy of laws of the U. S. and foreign countries,  
sent free. Address,  
**C. A. SNOW & CO.,**  
Opp. Patent Office, Washington, D. C.

**Fruit Growers' Union**  
Hammonton, May 27th, 1893.

**Window and  
Door Screens.**

We have a stock well assort-  
ed as to sizes in both. A well  
made Door, complete with wire  
for 90 cents. First-class ad-  
justable Window Screens, 25  
cents. Frames only, for both  
Doors and Windows, made so  
that a cut or two of the saw  
will make them fit any size.  
We have all sizes in the best  
Wire Netting. Also Linen  
Netting, both Plain and Fan-  
cy, at specially low prices.

Spring Hinges, 10 cents a pair  
upwards.

Bronze Knob Spring Latches, 6 c.

**Hot Weather  
Clothing. Men's**

Negligee Shirts at from 50  
cents to \$1.50. An excellent  
assortment at \$1.25.

Thin Coats and Vests in  
Wash Goods, Mohairs, Ala-  
puccas, etc.

Summer Merino and Gauze  
Underwear, 25 and 50 c. each.

Straw Hats, the stylish wide  
brim Yacht Hats at 50 c. and  
\$1. Other styles, 50c. to \$1.25.  
Small lot of regular 50 c. hats  
to go at 35 c. each.

**Quinton "Scorchor"  
Bicycles**

are first-class in every way,  
—construction, riding, appear-  
ance. The price is \$115.  
Come and see the "Scorchor."  
It is a beauty.

When in need of Bicycle  
Clothing—shoes, pants, caps,—  
or Sundries, call on us.

**COFFEE POT**  
COFFEE MAKING  
MACHINE  
Prices  
from  
80 cents  
upwards  
according  
to  
size.

Coffee made in this pot  
retains its full strength and  
aroma, and is perfectly clear.  
Satisfaction guaranteed.

If you want the latest and  
best Gasoline Stove, you must  
have a "Quick Meal" for  
there's none made to equal it.  
The woman who has a "Quick  
Meal" Gasoline Stove need  
not have to roast herself every time  
she gets a meal.

**Berry Baskets.**

It looks now as though there  
would not be baskets enough  
to go around, as the demand  
has far exceeded the expecta-  
tions of the manufacturers. If  
you have a fair idea of how  
many you will need, we advise  
you to secure them as soon as  
possible. We have a car to  
arrive probably next week, and  
are taking orders for delivery  
from the car at specially low  
prices. We also have both  
Quart and Oval Baskets in  
stock now.

**Underwear—Women's.**  
Ribbed Cotton Vests, 10 and  
15 cents.  
Balbriggan Vests, shaped,  
25 cents.  
French Lisle Thread Vests,  
50 cents.

**New Dress Goods continue  
to arrive. Some  
particularly attractive  
Black Goods for Sum-  
mer Dresses.**

**The Republican.**

SATURDAY, MAY 27, 1893.

**LOCAL MISCELLANY.**

Ballad concert to-night.

Agua pura, frozen. John Myers  
carries it.

No unclaimed letters in our post  
office, to-day.

David F. Lawson's family have  
returned from Atlantic.

Dry weather and wind have been  
hard on sweet potato plants.

Some folks say they expect to  
pick strawberries next week.

D. C. Potter, of Pleasantville,  
spent Wednesday night here.

The morning newspaper is the  
Hammontonian's great success.

Hammonton Loan Association  
meeting next Thursday evening.

The Folson mail-carrier makes  
evening trips, instead of morning.

The foundation for Maury Aus-  
tin's house is ready, on Pleasant Street.

PUBLIC SALE.—There will be public sale  
of Household Goods and Furniture, at  
the house of the late GEORGE TAYLOR, on  
Water Street, on Saturday, June 1st, at  
2 o'clock P. M.

M. C. Swift last week refused  
\$5000 for his farm. We don't blame  
him.

It is said that we have a haunted  
house in town, and that's why no one  
will rent it.

Born, in Bridgeton, on Tuesday,  
May 23rd, 1893, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank  
Hines, a son.

Born, in Pleasantville, Sunday,  
May 21st, 1893, to Mr. and Mrs. O. J.  
Hammell, a son.

Mrs. Simon Lake and Lewis  
Cordery, of Ocean City, are visiting  
Hammonton friends.

The Hammonton boy who does  
not own a bicycle feels that he is in a  
deplorable condition.

Born, in Hammonton, Thurs-  
day, May 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. D.  
Cottrell, a daughter.

Mrs. W. B. Matthews will spend  
several weeks of the summer with her  
father, at Pleasantville.

Everybody enjoys those popular  
ballad concerts, and a full house should  
attend the singers to-night.

May 20th is assessors' day, and  
we presume our town tax-makers are  
making their annual tour.

Flower thieves seem to be taking  
a rest. Taken warning that a dose of  
cold lead awaits them, perhaps.

Hammonton has a hermit who  
owns a stupor fruit farm, and who lives  
on 51st Ave.—W. J. Press. Who is he?

Mr. and Mrs. Harry-Vale (Miss  
Angie White), of Washington, D. C.,  
visited Hammonton relatives this week.

BARNARD'S HOME, near Post  
Office, one minute walk from the depot.  
120-500 terms. Box 24, Hammonton, N. J.

Herman Fiedler's cigar and con-  
fectionery stock has been moved into  
the new store, across the street, and  
looks fine.

Since his recent illness, John C.  
Anderson has raised a full beard, and  
some folks say he resembles the late  
Gen. Grant.

Call on Bowles & McIntyre, and  
see how they have improved their facili-  
ties for handling and displaying meats  
and vegetables.

A large new steam boiler and  
furnace—locomotive pattern—was put  
into the hosiery factory this week. It  
weighs 7,500 pounds.

The services of Trinity Sunday  
at St. Mark's will be early Celebration  
at 7:30 A. M.; Matins and Litany at  
10:30; Evensong at 7:30 P. M.

Call at Moses Stockwell's store,  
and see the new tablecloths, coffee-pots,  
and tea-pots, made of copper, tin-lined,  
nickel-plated, bright as silver.

John E. Wescent's new house,  
on Pratt Street, is finished. It is said  
he will not live in it alone. "A man is  
known by the company he keeps."

Two elegant Cottages, furnished, for rent  
for the summer.  
WM. RUTHERFORD, Hammonton.

Why not use the best? And  
Dentist is the best preparation for the  
teeth on the market to-day. One  
trial will convince you that it keeps  
the teeth whiter, the gums healthier,  
and the mouth sweeter than any other.  
Contains no acid. Sold at Crowell's  
Pharmacy only.

Learn with A. H. Phillips & Co.,  
1325 Atlantic Ave., Atlantic City.

Council meeting to-night.  
The Grand Army Post will attend  
the Methodist Church to-morrow morn-  
ing. Sermon by Presiding Elder Har-  
ris, who was formerly a Chaplain in  
the army.

Did you ever try Dentistriae—  
that elegant tooth paste? Delightfully  
aromatic, yet effective for whitening  
and preserving the teeth. Sold only at  
Crowell's Pharmacy.

In the Universalist Church, to-  
night, a ballad concert will be given,  
in which some of our best local talent  
will take part. 25 cents will pay for a  
ticket. No reserved seats.

The new Lever Safety Bicycle  
will be finished in a month or so. It is  
claimed that with it one can climb a  
hill with little effort. This is the work  
of a Hammonton inventor.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Lewis were  
pleasantly surprised, Wednesday, by  
the unexpected arrival of their niece,  
Miss Elizabeth Page, of Boston, whom  
they had not seen for three years.

NEAT and comfortable house and lot for  
sale. Apply to JOHN DICK,  
Hammonton, N. J.

A competent judge says that  
about the best and most graceful bicycle  
riders in town are Franz Lehman and  
W. H. Bernshouse. Several others are  
not much less skillful. What's become  
of John?

Yes, we are printing berry-picker  
tickets—thousands of them. The card  
which we furnish is so very tough that  
a neighbor, after trying to break it, or  
pull it to pieces, asked: "What kind of  
leather is that?"

These dry and breezy days make  
our store-keepers long for a water-cart  
with sprinkling attachment, to lay the  
street dust. Well, why not? If all  
would contribute, it would cost each  
one but a small sum per week.

The Hammonton Loan and Build-  
ing Association will open a new series  
of stock at the next meeting, Thursday  
evening, June 1st. Subscriptions for  
shares will be received at any time, by  
W. R. TILTON, Sec'y.

FIVE ACRES on Eleventh Street for sale.  
Well. Very cheap. REPUBLICAN OFFICE.

The decision of City Solicitor  
Endicott, of Atlantic City, that all ap-  
plications for renewals of liquor licenses  
must be signed by 12 freeholders who  
have not signed other applications, has  
created consternation among the saloon-  
keepers.

Watch the transformation. We  
have a large number of "boys" who  
will soon wear long trousers suits, and  
many young misses who are having  
long dresses made. We older folks are  
being slowly crowded out, but 'twas  
ever thus.

Divine healing, mental science,  
faith cure, or what? I once saw a  
wounded soldier being carried off on a  
stretcher. The bandage flew thick and  
fast around him. The bearers could go  
no faster, so the patient climbed off  
and ran like a deer.

As we go to press, we are told  
that Albert H. Wescent is feeling quite  
comfortably. This has been the daily  
report, this week, that this has been  
modified by the statement that he is  
steadily growing weaker. The doctor  
does not encourage hope for recovery.

Last Saturday was a fine warm  
day. Sunday was like unto it, with a  
bit of rain at night. Monday, partially  
cloudy. Tuesday, hot and dry, a grand  
soaking rain at night. Wednesday was  
cool and delightful. Thursday, warm,  
but agreeable. Friday, cooler, cloudy.

Before buying a wheel, exam-  
ine the "Hammer." Mechanism perfect,  
tires unexcelled, hard to puncture, easily  
repaired, other grades, also, \$2 to \$10.  
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The fire-bell rang, Monday after-  
noon, in response to an appeal from E.  
S. Grant, whose handsome residence,  
across the lake, seemed to be endangered  
by approaching forest fire. The fire  
apparatus was hastily hauled thither-  
ward, but fortunately was not needed.

An Italian's horse ran away, on  
Sunday morning, starting on Middle  
Road, ran down to Tilton's corner,  
turned east, then up Vine Street, where  
the wagon was wrecked by collision  
with a tree. When the horse was  
stopped, on Second Street, he was a  
tired out animal.

We are authorized to state that  
Mr. Russell, late Rector of St. Mark's  
P. E. Church in this village, has be-  
come a zealous and devout Roman  
Catholic. It has been stated that,  
owing to severe trials, recently experi-  
enced by him, he may join a monastic  
order, and retire from the active world  
entirely.

Fowler's horse ran away, early  
last Monday morning. There were no  
blinders on his bridle, and he was not  
used to a top wagon, which vibrated as  
a cake of ice was put in from the ice  
house. He was badly frightened, and  
made good time up Orchard Street,  
down Third, down the Avenue. The  
top was left near Jas. Smith's concrete  
hitching post.

Monday evening, a company in-  
vaded the domicile of Mr. and Mrs.  
Samuel Porch, on upper Bellevue, to  
remind them that 'twas twenty-five  
years since the minister pronounced  
them man and wife. The visitors were  
loaded, but did not "go off" until they  
were ready, and that was not early.  
The hosts, the callers, the gifts, and  
the lunch were agreeable, making a  
very agreeable combination.

FOR RENT. A house near the Lake—five  
rooms and attic, in good order—with a  
garden spot. Inquire at REPUBLICAN OFFICE.

Tuesday's wind was very strong  
for Jersey. A friend of ours says that  
the grade of his farm was raised an  
inch or less by the drift from his next  
neighbor's place. But in portions of  
Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Indi-  
ana, and some other States, there was  
great destruction of property, and quite  
a number of lives were lost. For some  
good reason, this section has never been  
visited by any of these great calamities,  
—cyclones, flood-bursts, or epidemics of  
deadly diseases. Long may the deliv-  
erance be continued.

This week we issued the annual  
list of members of the Fruit Growers'  
Union. In looking over some papers,  
old lists, and could not help noticing the  
growth of that society. In 1881, there  
were 135 names, including non-shipping  
members—contributors and sympathiz-  
ers; in 1893, the increase was to 171;  
this year, for the first time, only shippers'  
names were printed, and there are 340  
names, the members omitted being  
nearly as many—at least 600 in all—  
nearly four hundred per cent. increase  
in ten years.

GEORGE BERNHOUSE'S house and  
farm are for sale at a fair price. There  
are ten acres of good land, part in grass  
pasture, six-room house, good barn, and all  
conveniences. Inquire at the  
REPUBLICAN OFFICE.

On Tuesday, the forest fires in  
the neighborhood of Columbia were very  
fierce, and residents thereabouts were  
kept on the anxious seat all day. In the  
afternoon, the high wind carried a burn-  
ing brand onto the roof of Daniel  
Wescent's residence, and before anything  
could be done, the house was entirely  
destroyed. Mrs. W. and baby grand-  
daughter were alone, her husband at  
work in a distant part of his farm, and  
when he arrived there was only time to  
get the family through a window. Ad-  
joining buildings were saved by hard  
labor. Mrs. Wescent said to a friend:  
"We have been keeping house since  
1849, and here we are to-night with only  
the clothing we are wearing, not an  
article left, not a mouthful of food."

The property was insured, neighbors are  
kind, and a new home can soon be made.

Next Tuesday will be Memorial  
Day, and the indications are that all  
Hammonton and vicinity will, as heret-  
ofore, participate in the decoration  
ceremonies. Commander Drown has  
issued the following order to the Grand  
Army Post:

Members of the Post will assemble at  
Post Headquarters on Sunday next,  
May 28th, at 10 A. M., sharp, in full  
uniform with white gloves, and march  
thence to the M. E. Church, to attend  
Divine service.

On Tuesday next, May 30th—Memori-  
al Day—Comrades will again assemble  
at headquarters, at 1:30 P. M., and pro-  
ceed thence to Oakdale Cemetery, to  
decorate soldiers' graves. Again, at  
3:30, at headquarters, and march to  
Greenmount Cemetery, for the same  
patriotic purpose.

At Oakdale Cemetery, there will be a  
short address by Rev. B. Eldridge;  
prayer by Rev. Mr. Williams or Rev.  
A. Gilmore. At Greenmount Ceme-  
tery, address by Rev. Alfred Wagner;  
prayer by Rev. H. R. Randall. Music  
will be interspersed throughout. The  
Post ritual will be abbreviated some-  
what, to give time for other exercises.

Work has been begun on the Trenton  
battle monument.

The proposed Old Fellows' Orphanage  
for New Jersey will be located at River  
Edge, Bergen County.

Herring have been caught in such im-  
mense quantities in Barnegat Bay and  
the Manasquan and Shark rivers that  
they are sold to farmers as fertilizers.

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