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### Up to Town Council.

There was an irregular special meet-  
ing of Council last Tuesday evening, at  
which several matters were brought up.  
Among others, by N. R. Black, who  
desired to be relieved of his duties  
as Dog Warden, on the plea that he had  
to be out of town most of the time, and  
could not oversee the work personally.  
Mr. B. has served one month, and has  
caught five dogs. This is a good record,  
and if kept up a year, would reduce the  
number of needless cautions considerably.  
Our young citizen accepted the appoint-  
ment with the desire to free our streets  
of homeless or useless mongrels, realiz-  
ing that they were dangerous, as well  
as morally injurious, and hoped to start  
a scheme to keep them off the highways  
permanently. Of course he has met  
with opposition,—they always do. To  
overcome the charges made against dog  
catchers, that they only seize redempti-  
ble canines, Mr. Black recommended  
that a man be employed for two or three  
months, at a good salary,—say fifty  
dollars per month, and let him put in  
his time all over town, picking up all  
stray dogs, regardless of ownership or  
value. There would then be no tempta-  
tion to make two dollars instead of  
fifty cents, as he would receive no less.  
To many this plan seems advisable,  
and Council may act upon it on next  
Saturday night.

The proposition to hire a man to clean  
up the chemical engine in Volunteer  
Fire House, twice a month, will also  
come up.

The telephone ordinance was further  
discussed, pro and con. A hearing will  
be given before it passes final reading.

Collector Davis presented a report of  
uncollectable taxes and errors in assess-  
ments, which will be abated.

More arc lamps will be changed to  
incandescents, if petitions now being  
circulated meet with approval.

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all kinds of fancy worsteds, serges, thibets, some satin  
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that you can secure the  
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you \$1.50.



"It is all over," she called, and presently, when a young woman entered and stood staring at the fireless in this aisle, a man arose and offered her his seat and gave her the support of his arm as she stepped forward and took it. She murmured her thanks and closed her eyes as she breathed luck. The man noted that her handsome face was white and drawn and that her hands trembled as she opened her purse and fumbled over its contents. He even fancied she gasped a little as she looked through it. Then he suddenly thrust his fingers into his change pocket and stooping suddenly picked a coin from the floor and handed it to the girl.

"She flushed as her hand opened mechanically to receive it and she flashed a wondering look at him.

"Thank you," she murmured in a dull voice.

"You are quite welcome," replied the young man. His voice was smooth and cheery, and his smile a pleasant one. But the girl did not look up again.

When the conductor came forward she handed him the coin—and then—she dropped back again with her head inclined—and her eyes almost closed.

The man, he was a young man, regarded her attentively. She was well-dressed, her garments were of fine texture and fashionably made, and her face carried an impression of culture and refinement. That she was in a highly nervous and distressed condition was quite evident.

Presently she looked up with a little start.

"Have—we have reached Garland park?" she asked.

The young man looked through the window.

"We are close to the entrance," he said, "but do you wish to leave the car there?"

"Yes, thank you," she murmured.

He reached forward and touched the electric button. Then as the car stopped he preceded the girl to the platform, and, alighting, gave her his hand.

"Thank you," she said and abruptly turned across the highway to the park entrance. The young man, walking slowly, followed at a discreet distance. He would fathom her unthought. He would see it out. There were no serious claims upon his time. He was afraid the girl meant to do something desperate. She was in distress and she hadn't a penny left in her purse. He would follow her unthought. He might be able to assist her. She looked like a girl who was unused to battling with the world. She looked like a girl who needed help and would be grateful for it. But he felt the neither here nor there. He found it.

He would help her in spite of herself.

The girl walked with her head bent, and did not look around.

It was a late November day and the park was deserted. A cool breeze blew in from the nearby lake and the few leaves on the gaunt trees fluttered and fell.

The girl quickened her pace a little as she neared the view of the slope that stretched down to the lake, and the man behind her quickened his pace, too. A snuffing park police man stared at her, as she passed and halted and looked after her. It occurred to the young man that she was something more than that girl.

"She means mischief," he said.

"I'm looking out for her," said the young man.

"Don't let her get away from you," said the policeman, continued him, "if you need my help give me a call."

"Thank you," said the young man, and he hurried on. When he reached the brow of the slope the girl was picking up a young man. The young man later she crossed the shore driveway and stepped on the pier that stretched for a hundred yards into the heaving waters. The young man quick and high paced and rapidly cleared the path between them. The girl and she along the pier looking her hat as she hurried forward. In a moment or two she was close to the end of the structure. The wind was fresher there and it blew in her face with a whiff. The waves struck the piling strong shore. As the girl reached the end of the pier she suddenly felt her feet and knees and

he hurried her face in her hands. Then she arose and flung her hat on the floor.

"Stop!" yelled a shrill voice.

She turned around. The young man was scarcely twenty feet away.

She paused irresolutely.

"Stop!" he cried again, and with a swift bound he caught her by the arm. Her white face was returned to him. He regarded him wildly. Then she uttered and would have fallen, but he held her firm.

"There, there," he said soothingly, "you're all right now."

"Let me go. I'll never see you from him."

"Let me go," she sobbed.

He shook his head.

"Not quite yet," he said, "not until you are better. There, lean on me. I have the faintest guess."

"Why don't you let me go?" she murmured.

He did not answer, but drew her to a bench that was near them.

"Sit there," he said, until you have recovered."

She released his hold on her arm and she dropped back on the seat. Watching her warily, he quickly stooped and picked up her hat and handed it to her.

"Put it on," he said, "you can't stay here."

"I have nowhere to go," she moaned, and suddenly burst into tears and bowed her head in her hands.

She still held fast to her shopping bag. The young man took it, and opening it, drew out a handkerchief and gave it to her. As he did so his eyes caught sight of a card within and he quickly took possession of it. There was a name on it and an address that the young man recognized as peculiar to New York City. He slipped the card in his pocket.

"Better now."

"I—I think so."

"Then let us move along."

She gasped a little.

"As you may."

She fastened her hat, with trembling fingers. Then she arose and side by side they moved toward the shore.

Once she looked up at him as if about to speak, but when she met his friendly glance her speech failed and she turned away.

"Don't do that," he cried, and he spoke as if addressing a child.

"If I try not to," she said. But there was still a little catch in her voice.

"Did you follow me?" she asked.

"Yes."

"Why?"

"Because you looked like a girl who shouldn't be left alone."

"What made me think I came here for?"

"I surmised."

She drew a long breath.

"It was the only way that I could see," she said.

"And you had way, too?"

"I—I was desperate."

"No doubt."

They reached the shore end of the pier and turned to cross the driveway.

"Old terra firma feels good, doesn't it?"

"Yes," she murmured.

The young man looked up and saw the park policeman intently regarding them.

"All right, officer," he said.

"That little matter will be satisfactorily adjusted."

"Good," said the policeman. "A hint of luck to you." There was a smile on his honest face as he waved his hand to the young man.

Then the young man turned back to the girl.

"And now where is your home?"

"I haven't any home."

"Oh, well, where have you been staying?"

"I can't go there again. They put me out. I have no home."

"Yes. But you must have relations."

She sobbed again.

"I can't go home," she wailed.

"You have a father, a mother?"

"A father, yes."

"And he turned you away?"

"No, no. I—I ran away."

"Why?"

"It wasn't my own act, a strange."

"And he opposed it?"

"Yes."

"And you are tired of the life?"

"I into it. Oh, I can't tell you what have suffered. They left me here all alone, and I was young, I was without a word. The tears welled from her eyes. "I haven't a friend in all the world," she moaned.

"Then putting it a little too strong," said the young man. "I can count two myself. Your father don't question his friendliness, and then there's the man who walks beside you."

"The turned and gave him an earnest look."

"You? Why should you be my friend?"

He laughed wildly.

"Well," he answered, "in the first place, I have little or nothing to do, all most nothing that seriously interferes with my doing my time at the penitentiary. In the second place, I do not want to

decided chap and when I see a fellow tramp in distress I resist the temptation to pass by on the other side of the road—no matter if it is a little more quiet and shady. And then again, I'm motherless myself, and sisters, and brothers, and I can quite see that if I help a fellow tramp, I'm helping myself. I can quite clean follow stretched out a helpless man to her when she needed help the most."

"I believe you," she faltered.

"Oh, you must," he cried. "Look me quickly in the eyes. Now will you trust me?"

"Yes, yes," she murmured. Then she softly added, "Yes, my brother."

His face beamed.

"That's the lesson!" he cried. "Well, this is my brother's work. Here we start out quite aimlessly and come smack with a full-fledged sister. But here, you give indebted to me, don't you?"

"Oh, so much?"

"And I fancy you are going to be indebted to me still more. Now, I'm not reminding you of this because I want to worry you. I'm doing it to want you grateful. Understand?"

"Of course."

"Then give your solemn promise that you will not again attempt anything—of the sort you contemplated at there on the pier."

She shivered a little. Then stretched out her arms hands to him.

"I give you my word," she said.

"Solemn and sure?"

"Solemn and sure."

He laughed as he released her hand.

"And now let's see about replenishing the exchequer. You'll have to borrow something, won't you? Don't be afraid—I can spare it. And you will return it when fortune smiles again our way."

"But fortune may not smile my way," she said.

"Oh, yes it will. Of course you must be a little more careful."

"Of course—but what can I do?"

"You know best."

"Really, I can do nothing that seems practical. I can play the piano, and sing, and my French is—considered."

"Accomplishments not to be despised," he said. "But, there, leave your address at your brother's intelligence office and hope for the best. By the way, what is your address?"

"I'll give you that as I do."

"True. You must go to a good boarding-house. Let me see. There is Mrs. Ramsey Lee's house at the corner of Freshman and 6th."

"But that is very dear, isn't it?"

"Not unreasonably, I guess. Give me your name and your right name, and I'll come and pay for a week's board in advance. If she wants any references tell her I will call this evening. She knows me. Have you any baggage?"

"There is a suit case at the place I live. I owe them money—five dollars."

"Yes. Where is the place?"

"Near the corner of 42nd and Eighth. The number is 1120 2nd."

He made a rapid memorandum.

"Now, you must go to the store and buy a new coat and pay for a week's board in advance. If she wants any references tell her I will call this evening. She knows me. Have you any baggage?"

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# NEWS

An Italian who tried to walk through the Stimpson tunnel was stifled by the heat and died.

The Japanese prefer soft wheat flour from the United States to the flour made in Canada.

For the suppression of extravagance in women's dress a movement is being organized in Sweden.

Two hundred dollars more money than is given by all Protestant Christendom in a year for missions.

Senator Frye is said to love to visit some of his Maine friends and have a little supper, at which the main dish is pickled pig's feet, with the usual accessories.

Followers of the hounds in Leicester, shire, England, had the unusual experience recently of hunting in a heavy snowstorm to the accompaniment of thunder and lightning.

When Senator Hoar was alive he and Senator Tillman were great friends. Now a Southern Southerner frequently has a session of story telling with Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island.

The North Carolina conference is said to raise more money for the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society than any conference in Methodist ranks, with the exception of Rock River, Ill.

Japanese children are not allowed to attend school until after 6 years of age, as the Japanese believe that science has conclusively proved that school education before 6 is physiologically and mentally injurious.

A reporter wrote of the incident as follows: "Through his horse being frightened by a passing motor car, Mr. [redacted] was thrown out of his trap and severely injured, the motorist rendering every assistance."

What the Oxford orator wished to say in his famous speech, "I have come, in on a flying tide." Unfortunately, however, he mixed his vowels and told his hearers that "the Liberales have come in on a flying road."

Charles E. Hughes, who has been conducting the insurance investigation in New York city, as a child was too delicate to attend school, as his mother attended to his early education. His father was a Baptist preacher.

President Roosevelt's favorite breakfast is corn pone, with New Orleans oysters, broiled chicken, and a big baked tomato. He likes beans if they are served the Boston way, a habit which survives his old Harvard days.

Here is an extraordinary coincidence: The island lying between the American fall and the Canadian fall at Newfound in the Hager House, Edinburgh, explains that he leaves nothing to charities, "as I have a horror of posthumous benevolence, preferring to expend the money during my lifetime, which I have done liberally."

Among the boatsmen brought to Germany by the Kaiser Wilhelm canal are shoals of herrings. The fish enter the canal, according to an official report, on their way from the Baltic to the North Sea, and when the Drusenthal lock is closed the congregations in such large numbers as to be captured with ease.

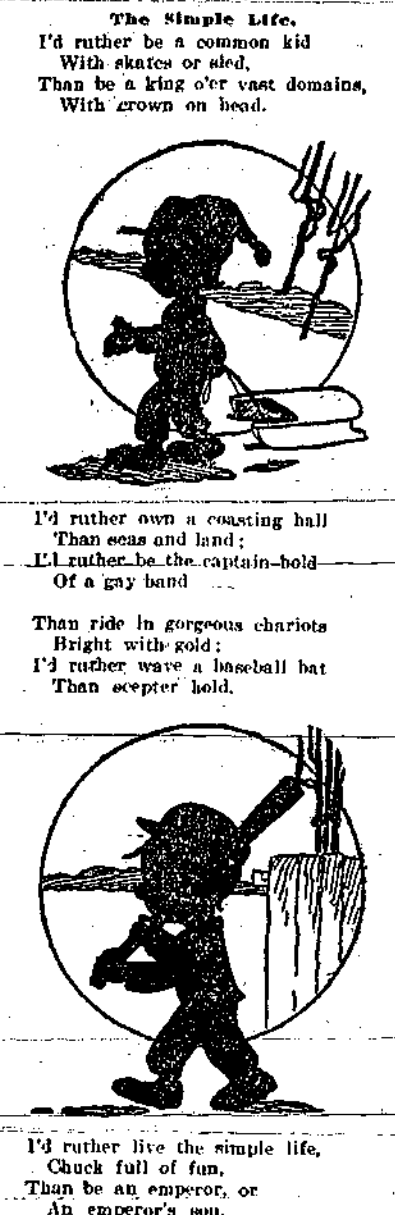
Many Australians have an idea that Japan is looking covetously on their island continent. Their misapprehension was increased the other day by the discovery in the baggage of two Japanese of letters traveling to Australia as merchants of a complete set of the secret plans of the Sydney fortifications.

Vainly proved the wailing of scores of the Lefty leaders during their connection with the recent armed haunts of military maneuvers. The leaders were photographed in groups wearing their uniforms and these pictures subsequently fell into the hands of the Russian authorities, who thus easily traced the originals.

## Snake on the Gas Motor.

Arch Davenport, a Fort Scott, Okla., turned a large snake loose in his cellar under his house. The gas motor was also in the cellar, and for six months his snakebitch forced the gas company to give Davenport a flat rate on his gas bill. The snake was the trouble. The meter never got nearer to it than the door. Last week the snake was found dead and the reading of the meter showed that Davenport had paid for only half the gas he had used. He was killed by the gas, the balance due, Kansas City Journal.

"I see that one of those Panama canal commissioners says that the hearts of the helpers along the big ditch are the very best in the world." "Yes, they would be a good deal more encouraging if their spider were in it." Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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And he did, for another morning he had been made plain to him, and another word was added to his short list: Youth's Companion.

**The Arabian Dentist.**  
Sir Henry Lazard, an eminent Oriental traveler, thus describes an interview with a native dentist in Arabia: "I had slept little, as I was rather greatly from a toothache. The Arab dentist, who was a tall, dark man, dressed in the encouragement, and the patient was almost unbearable; I made my mind to get, but myself in his hands rather than endure it any longer. He was accordingly set to work. He was dressed in a white tunic, and the instrument consisted of a short knife or razor at the end of a long handle, which he held in one hand and with his right, expected to see the tooth fly into the air. But it was a double one, and not to be removed by such means from the jaw. The nail slipped and made a severe wound in my palate. He insisted on my drinking water, which was strictly not to be succored. But the only result was that he broke off a large piece of the tooth, and I had suffered sufficient agony to decline a third experiment.

**Program and Programme.**  
Our boys and girls have noticed, of course, that the dropping of the "me" from the word "programme" is becoming more and more general. But it is not so much in obedience to the demands of the so-called "phonetic reform" as it is a move towards uniformity in spelling words that have their termination "gram." The word comes from the Greek "programma," and, really, should be "programmata," but the advocates of the shorter form say that if we write "dram," "telegram," "epigram," etc., we might as well write "program," especially when "gram" is not sounded. But you should not fall for it. The correct pronunciation that "dram" people are guilty of, and say "pro-gram," has accent on the first syllable, of course, but the "gram" is distinctly sounded like "am."

**Brace Up.**  
We all of us admire the erect, springy carriage of the horse, but say it is to prevent becoming stooped and hunched long before age has laid its burden upon our shoulders?

For it is easy. When the first inclination comes upon us to stoop, we should brace up, and say to ourselves, "I will restore the body to its proper position." A good carriage adds more to one's attractiveness than does a pretty face, and is far more conducive to good health. One can appreciate the difference between a stooped and an erect carriage, side by side in front of a mirror and allowing the back to curve forward, and then to straighten it slowly. Apparently ten years are taken from one's age with each inch of straightening.

**HEART WOUND IS HEALED.**  
**Marvelous Surgery Proves a Success in Philadelphia Hospital.**  
The heart of a man who had been considered absolutely mortal little more than a week ago, has been healed. It was known that a man could be wounded in the heart and keep up and walk for a short time, but eventually he must die.

Dr. Gibbon of Philadelphia reports a case of a wound in the heart that admitted his finger tip in a well-developed colored man of 38, which was made by the deep stab of a pen-knife. The doctor, without an hour operation, was able to pierce through the heart muscle so that he could draw it forward, while an assistant put his fingers behind the organ and lifted it. Then he closed the wound with six small stitches. The wound was dressed in four days and the patient recovered in the course of recovery, when the capsule of the heart filled with fluid. Twenty days after the operation the wound was discharged with a superficial wound and twenty days after that he was able to leave the hospital.

Dr. Gibbon reviewed the history of these cases and says the first occurred in 1890 and 100 cases have been reported since then. About 40 per cent have recovered. Most of these successful cases were of men who were wounded in the chest and says the first successful ones have been reported in this country, including that of Dr. Gibbon, Hartford, Conn.

**Wants Them All Himself.**  
"I don't put any article down, but have been finding the doctors for using his words."  
"I always thought that man was a monopolist at heart." Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Base-ball-sweat**  
At Bern, Switzerland, there is to be an exhibition of which 1,250 varieties of sweaters will be on view.

The spot where a man plants his shoe, when at home Monday morning, is the spot his wife wants to sweep clean every day. He would like to know his shoe and his sweater can't be too much his shoe and his sweater can't be too much his shoe.

Civilization enables a woman to wear a collar made of cotton.

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### Young People's Societies.

Y. P. S. O. E.—Presbyterian Church:  
Meets Sunday evening, at 6:30.  
Topic, "Lives that endure." Matt.  
7: 24, 25; 1 Cor. 3: 10-15; Eph.  
2: 10-22; 1 Tim. 6: 17-19; 2  
Tim. 3: 14-19. (Consecration  
meeting.) Leader, C. I. Littlefield.

Y. P. S. O. E.—Baptist Church:  
Meets Sunday evening, at 6:30.  
Topic, "Lives that endure." Matt.  
7: 24, 25; 1 Cor. 3: 10-15; Eph.  
2: 10-22; 1 Tim. 6: 17-19; 2  
Tim. 3: 14-19. (Consecration  
meeting.) Leader, G. N. Lyman.  
Jr. C. E., Sunday afternoon, at 5:00.

Epworth League.—M. E. Church:  
Meets Sunday evening, at 6:30.  
Topic, "Serving with Christ." John  
15: 1-8; Acts 15: 4; 1 Cor. 3:  
6-9; 2 Cor. 9: 8; Phil. 2: 13.  
Leader, A. L. Jackson.

Study the topic on inside page.

### Church Announcements.

Baptist Church.—Rev. Wiltshire W.  
Williams, Pastor. 10:30 a. m., "The  
joy of the cross." Communion. 7:30  
p. m., "The climax of sin."

M. E. Church.—Rev. J. H. Payran,  
Pastor, will preach.  
Presbyterian Church.—Rev. Samuel  
H. Potter, of Bridgeton, will preach  
morning and evening.

Universalist Church.—12:00 m.,  
Sunday School. 7:30 p. m., "The lesson  
of the Master," by Rev. J. L. Dowson,  
of Philadelphia.

Italian Evangelical.—Rev. J. A.  
Scariot, Pastor. Sunday services: Sab-  
bath School, 10:30 to 11:15; preaching  
following.

St. Mark's Church.—Rev. Paul F.  
Hoffman, Pastor. Sunday, 8:30 a. m.  
(Waterford). 10:30 and 7:30; Sunday  
School, 12:15. Weekdays, 7:30 a. m.,  
4:30 p. m. Preaching services Wednes-  
day and Friday nights at 7:30. Confirma-  
tion Instruction Saturday afternoon at  
3:00. The Rev. H. Page Dyer, from the  
Church of the Ascension, Philadelphia,  
will preach to-morrow night.

### Elm Items.

Mr. Jacob Edwards spent Saturday  
and Sunday with relatives in Chester.

The weekly meeting of the Bob  
White Club was held at the home of  
T. E. Priestley on Saturday evening.  
Three members were initiated into the  
mysteries of the club. Fine refresh-  
ments were served, which all enjoyed,  
after which games were played. Quite  
a debate was held, the subject being  
benefit of Jersey pines.

Messrs. Edwin Reeves and Irving  
Binkley spent Sunday with relatives  
and friends here.

A delegation of representative gentle-  
men of the Police Pension Fund of  
Philadelphia made a call on Lieutenant  
John Reed, the retired drill-master now  
living on Walker Road. They present-  
ed him a set of silver as a token of their  
esteem for his services in the formation  
of the fund,—he being the original found-  
er of the association, which now dis-  
tributes \$185,000 annually to disabled  
men, widows and orphans.

Those who participated were—Lieuts.  
B. F. Tomlinson, Donovan, James H.  
Calhoun, of the fund; Sergts. Oston,  
Bloomer, McLaughlin, Yenton, Savage,  
Watson, Quick, Robinson, Younker,  
McCandless, Bernard, B. W. Roop, and  
Secretary to Superintendent of Police  
John Taylor.

Messrs. James Butterton and John  
Super, old neighbors of Capt. Reed,  
assisted in doing the honors at the ban-  
quet. After a good time generally, the  
party took the 6:00 p. m. train from  
Hammonton.

In reference to an article in this paper  
some time ago, regarding Miss Lenora  
Green's party, I have been accused by  
several residents of Elm as being the  
author. I take this means to absolutely  
deny it. I did not write it or cause it  
to be written, nor do I know anybody  
who did write the article. All I know  
of the affair is, I was an invited guest,  
and, like all who were present that even-  
ing, had a very pleasant time.

MRS. BESSIE FAHAR.

JOS. H. GARTON,  
JUSTICE of the PEACE,  
Notary Public, Commissioner of Deeds,  
Hammonton, N. J.

**AN ORDINANCE** authorizing the  
Delaware & Atlantic Telegraph  
and Telephone Company, its successors  
and assigns, to construct, maintain and  
operate its poles, cables, wires, and all other nec-  
essary overhead apparatus, on, over, and along,  
and its conduits, ducts, mains, pipes, cables,  
wires, manholes, distributing poles, and  
all other necessary underground appliances, on,  
under, and through the streets, alleys and  
highways within the limits of the Town of  
Hammonton, in the County of Atlantic and  
State of New Jersey; and prescribing the  
manner of placing the same, and regulating  
the use of the streets, alleys and highways by  
said Company.

The Council of the Town of Hammonton, in  
the County of Atlantic and State of New Jer-  
sey, do ordain and enact as follows:

Sec. 1. That permission be and is hereby  
granted to the Delaware & Atlantic Tele-  
graph and Telephone Company, its successors  
and assigns, to construct, maintain and operate  
its poles, cables, wires, and all other nec-  
essary overhead apparatus, on, over, and along,  
and its conduits, ducts, mains, pipes, cables,  
wires, manholes, distributing poles, and  
all other necessary underground appliances,  
on, over and through the streets,  
alleys and highways within the limits of the  
Town of Hammonton, in the County of Atlan-  
tic and State of New Jersey; subject to the  
following provisions:

Sec. 2. That all poles erected by said com-  
pany shall be neat and symmetrical, and shall  
not be less than twenty (20) feet above the  
surface of the ground, and shall be so located  
as in no way to interfere with the safety or  
convenience of persons traveling on or over  
the said streets, alleys and highways, and  
shall be kept free from all posters or  
other advertising matter; and in the work  
of installing and maintaining its underground  
system, said company shall not open or en-  
cumber more of any street, alley or highway  
than one thousand (1000) feet at any one  
time; nor shall it permit such opening or en-  
cumberance to remain for a longer period than  
shall be necessary to do the work for which  
which said opening shall have been made, and if  
open over night to be roped off or otherwise  
protected by the said Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company, its suc-  
cessors or assigns, and to have a sufficient  
number of red flags to protect the traveling  
public from all danger.

Sec. 3. All work done under the provisions  
of this ordinance in said Town shall be subject  
to the supervision of the Street or Highway  
Committee thereof, and said company shall  
replace and properly relay any sidewalk or  
street pavement, or otherwise improved road  
or sidewalk, which may have been displaced  
or damaged by it in the construction and main-  
tenance of its system in said Town; and con-  
duits, ducts, and all other underground work shall  
be placed at a sufficient distance from the curb  
line so as not to injure the shade trees and not  
to interfere in any way with the water pipes  
or other municipal property; trenches or other  
excavations to be properly filled and settled or  
paved, and if said trenches or other excava-  
tions should settle and require refilling or oth-  
er attention at any time within twelve months  
after the work is completed, they shall be  
attended to immediately by the said Dela-  
ware & Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone Co.,  
its successors or assigns, and if not attended  
to promptly on one week's notice from the  
Town Clerk, the Highway Committee shall  
order the work done at the expense of the  
said Company, its successors or assigns.

Sec. 4. That poles on the poles erected or  
to be erected under the provisions of this  
ordinance, shall be reserved for the pur-  
pose of carrying a wire or wires of any Fire  
Alarm, Police or other Telegraph or Telephone  
system now in use or which may hereafter be  
accepted by the said Town; in no case, how-  
ever, shall said wire or wires carry high ten-  
sion current. The size of the duct reserved  
for the use of the Town of Hammonton shall  
not be less than three inches in diameter.

Sec. 5. That the said Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company shall be  
permitted to place its wires on the poles  
of other companies having the right to  
maintain same within said Town, upon such  
arrangements as the two companies may agree.

Sec. 6. That said company shall maintain  
all poles, cables, wires, conduits, ducts, mains,  
pipes, manholes, distributing poles, and all  
other apparatus erected or constructed under  
the provisions of this ordinance, in good and  
safe order and condition; and shall at all  
times fully indemnify, protect and save harm-  
less the said Town from and against all claims,  
damages, suits, damages and charges, and  
against all loss and necessary expenditures  
arising from the erection, construction and  
maintenance of its system in said Town, or  
from its neglect or failure to maintain the said  
apparatus in good and safe order and con-  
dition.

Sec. 7. That nothing in this ordinance shall  
be construed to grant unto the said Dela-  
ware & Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone  
Company any exclusive right, or to prevent a  
grant of similar privileges to other companies.

Sec. 8. None of the manhole openings in  
any of the streets, alleys, or highways shall  
exceed thirty (30) by forty (40) inches, and  
each manhole opening shall have neat and  
strong iron covers placed so they will not  
latered in any way with the scraping or  
other road work, and shall have concrete bor-  
ders around each manhole not less than  
eighteen (18) inches wide with a gradual fall  
from the top of the manhole to the outer edge  
of the concrete border.

Sec. 9. If at any time the grades of any of  
the streets, alleys or highways should be  
changed, or if any other municipal improve-  
ment should require the moving of any of the  
poles, cables, conduits, ducts, mains, pipes,  
or other property of the said Dela-  
ware & Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone  
Company, its successors or assigns, the same  
shall be moved at the expense of the said Dela-  
ware & Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone  
Company, its successors or assigns.

Sec. 10. All of the poles of the said Dela-  
ware & Atlantic Telegraph and Tele-  
phone Company on Central Avenue, Bellevue  
Avenue, Valley Ave, Grand Street, Main Road,  
Second Street, Hammonton Avenue, Railroad  
Avenue from Pleasant Street eastwardly, and  
Egg Harbor Road, shall come down, and be  
replaced with underground service within eight-  
een (18) months from the passage of this  
ordinance, with the privilege of an extension  
of one year on Main Road and Hammonton  
Avenue.

Sec. 11. No distributing boxes shall be  
erected on any of the streets, alleys, or high-  
ways larger than four (4) inches by eight (8)  
inches by twenty-four (24) inches. Junction  
boxes shall be used only on ends of conduits  
between manholes and shall not exceed six (6) inches  
by eight (8) inches by twenty-four (24) inches.  
No other cage or upright appliances of any  
kind shall be erected on any of the poles of  
the said Company.

Sec. 12. The Town Council of the Town of  
Hammonton reserves the right to repeal any  
section of and this ordinance if it should find that  
the Delaware & Atlantic Telegraph and Tele-  
phone Company, its successors or assigns,  
fail to comply with any of the provisions of  
this ordinance within sixty days after the  
service upon them of a written notice from  
the Council of the Town of Hammonton, and  
the said Delaware & Atlantic Tele-  
graph and Telephone Company, its successors  
or assigns, upon a two days' notice to be  
given by the said Town of Hammonton,

shall remove all poles, poles, wires, cables,  
and conduits, together with all fixtures, from  
the public roads, highways, streets, alleys  
and alleys, if this ordinance should at any  
time be repealed as a penalty for non-perfor-  
mance of any of its provisions. And upon the  
failure of the said Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company, its suc-  
cessors or assigns, to remove its property at  
above specified, the said Town of Hammon-  
ton shall have the right and privilege to re-  
move its property as above specified, the said  
Town of Hammonton shall have the right  
and privilege to remove the same at the ex-  
pense of the said Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company, its suc-  
cessors or assigns.

Sec. 13. The said Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company, its suc-  
cessors and assigns, shall at all times during  
the continuance of this franchise operate and  
maintain a local and commercial exchange  
in the said Town of Hammonton.

Sec. 14. No shade trees shall be cut or trim-  
med by the said Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company, its suc-  
cessors or assigns, without first obtaining  
consent from the owners of the same, and no  
limbs over three (3) inches in diameter shall  
be cut off without the consent of the Chair-  
man of the Board of Aldermen, in writing  
in addition to the consent of the owner, under  
a penalty of Ten (10) Dollars for each limb cut  
off three (3) inches in diameter, or for each  
failure to obtain consent from the owner of  
property that said shade trees are in front of.

Sec. 15. In consideration of the passage of  
this ordinance, the said Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company, for itself,  
its successors or assigns, upon its  
acceptance of the same hereinafter pro-  
vided agrees to erect and maintain in contin-  
uous service one telephone in the Pumping  
Station of the Hammonton Water Works,  
and one in each Fire House in the said Town,  
the same to be connected with the main ex-  
change for the use of the firemen or for any  
municipal business. The said Delaware &  
Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone Co., for  
itself, its successors or assigns, further  
agrees to place and maintain, at any place  
within the limits of the Town of Hammonton,  
to be designated by the Fire, Water & Light  
Committee, one gong of size and quality as  
approved by the said Fire, Water and Light  
Committee, but not to exceed twelve (12)  
inches in diameter, said gong to be rung as a  
fire alarm or for other purposes by the said  
Delaware & Atlantic Telegraph and Tele-  
phone Co., its successors or assigns.

Sec. 16. If at any time that wire shall come  
into the exchange that there is a fire, or a call  
on an officer, the operators shall give imme-  
diate notice to the Fire Company, the Fire  
Comptroller or to the location of the fire for  
which the alarm is rung, or if an officer is needed,  
to give the necessary information over the  
wire. The above mentioned telephones and  
gongs shall be properly cared for, and shall be  
kept in good order and maintained at all times during  
the continuance of this franchise at no expense  
to the Town of Hammonton.

Sec. 17. If at any time the wires on any  
line of poles belonging to the said Dela-  
ware & Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone  
Company, its successors or assigns, shall ex-  
ceed wires, or there should be more  
than one section of the said Town of Hammonton,  
the said Delaware & Atlantic Tele-  
graph and Telephone Company, its successors  
or assigns, shall within nine (9) months from  
the receipt of a request in writing from the  
Town Council of the Town of Hammonton,  
take down and remove all poles, poles, wires,  
and all other apparatus erected and replace it  
with an underground wire.

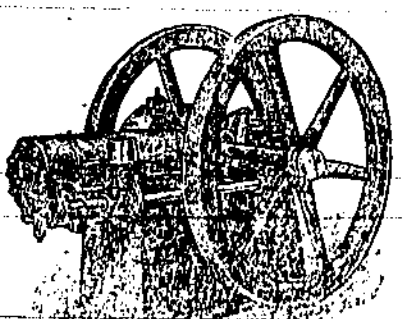
Sec. 18. Upon the passage of this ordinance,  
all previous ordinances or franchises to the  
Delaware & Atlantic Telegraph and Tele-  
phone Company are hereby repealed.

Sec. 19. That the Delaware & Atlantic  
Telegraph and Telephone Company shall,  
under its seal and by its proper officers,  
within sixty (60) days from the passage of  
this ordinance, signify in writing its accept-  
ance of all the terms, conditions, regulations  
and restrictions in this ordinance contained,  
in default of which, this ordinance shall  
become null and void and of no effect.

Sec. 20. That all advertising or printing  
expenses incurred by the Town of Hammon-  
ton in connection with the passage of this  
ordinance, shall be paid by the Dela-  
ware & Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone  
Company.

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