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Young People's Societies.

Y. P. S. O. E.,—Presbyterian Church:
Meets Sunday evening, at 6:30.
Topic, "Carey and missions in India."
Isa. 54: 2, 3. (The text of Carey's
famous sermon.) Led by Missionary
Committee.

Jr. O. E., Sunday at 3 o'clock:

Y. P. S. O. E.,—Baptist Church:
Meets Sunday evening, at 6:30.
Topic, "Carey and missions in India."
Isa. 54: 2, 3. (The text of Carey's
famous sermon.) Led by Missionary
Committee.

Jr. O. E., Sunday afternoon, at 3.00.
Epworth League,—M. E. Church:
Meets Sunday evening, at 6:45.

Church Announcements.

Baptist Church.—Rev. Wiltshire W. Williams, Pastor. 10:30 a.m., "How to face the New Year." 7:30 p.m., "Taking chances." Thursday evening, prayer and covenant meeting, "Reflection." Ps. 73: 23.

M. E. Church.—Rev. J. H. Payton, Pastor. will preach morning and evening.
Presbyterian Church.—Rev. D. O. Stewart, Pastor. will preach.

Universalist Church.—Rev. N. O. Dickey, Pastor. 11.00 a.m., public worship, special New Year service. 12 m., Sunday School. 7.30 p.m., public worship, "How old art thou?" Special music at all services.

St. Mark's Church.—Rev. Paul F. Hoffman, Rector.

Italian Evangelical Church.—Rev. A. Cremonesi, D. D., Pastor. 10.15 a.m., Sunday School. 11.00, preaching service. 7.00 p.m., preaching service. First and third Thursday evening, prayer meeting. Special (watch) meeting Dec. 31st, at 12 p.m., prayer and testimony, weather permitting.

A good New Year's resolution, subscribe for the "Republican" and "New Idea."

Kirk Spear would make a good Water Commissioner, and if elected, would serve.

New U. S. Postage Stamps.

The stamps which will be issued by the government during the year 1907 will have a new and novel feature in that all those issued from the 6,000 Presidential post-offices will have across the face of the stamp the name of the city in which it is sold. Twenty-six of the post-offices—the most important—will have the name engraved upon the stamp, while in the other cases it will be printed as a surcharge, as were the stamps used in the Philippines during the early days of the American occupation.

The chief reason for this action on the part of the Post-office Department is the belief that it will do away with post-office robberies. A few years ago the Chicago Post-office was robbed of nearly a hundred thousand dollars' worth of stamps, which the thieves succeeded in disposing of without leaving a trace. Under the new arrangement, it would have been necessary to sell the stolen stamps in Chicago, and this would probably have led to the apprehension of the criminals.

Another purpose which the innovation is expected to serve is to determine more accurately the amount of business done by the different post-offices. A great deal of complaint has been made in the past on the ground that certain offices were doing a larger volume of business than that for which they received credit, and postmasters had much trouble in showing that they needed greater facilities. This applies particularly to New York and Chicago, where there are hundreds of mail-order houses which receive millions of dollars' worth of stamps each year in payment for purchases. These stamps are ultimately distributed to smaller concerns in those cities, and are used on mail sent out through the post-offices there, on mail from which the individual offices do not derive a cent of revenue.

It is also thought that it can better be determined whether a small place—a cluster of suburban houses—is really entitled to a post-office. There are said to be many at the present time doing practically no business, serving only as a convenience to a few citizens, at a very large per capita expense to the government. This has been possible by reason of the fact that many business men living in these places, and for the purpose of giving the local office an appearance of a large business, purchase from them the stamps which they use in the conduct of their business in the larger cities. Of course, when a post-office is selling several hundred dollars' worth of stamps a day, the department cannot well discontinue it. Under the new plan, it will be easy for a post-office inspector to determine by a few days observation of the stamps cancelled whether a post-office is getting credit for as much work as it should.

While new in the United States, except so far as the local stamps issued by post-masters in the South during the early days of the civil war, the practice of having the name of the office of sale upon the stamp has been followed in Mexico for many years, and some of the stamps of Liberia are similarly marked.

Mr. O. P. Chow requests us to state that Hotel Royal has not been sold; that he is satisfied to continue the business, and has no thought of selling out. Rumors of a sale are entirely without foundation.

The Ladies Sewing Society of the Universalist Church will meet next Thursday afternoon, for election of officers, etc. From six to eight o'clock that evening they will give a supper and social.

For sale, fine buff Wyandotte Cockerel and six pullets, from blue ribbon stock N. Y. Boston, all now laying, 40¢. 13 cockerhens, 12 pullets and 10 chicks, 22¢ each. Another square wheelbarrow, now by try, 25¢. W. G. HALE, Hamonton, N. J.

Flurries of snow several times this week, but never enough to cover the ground. On Sunday afternoon we had a miniature blizzard—a bitter cold wind from the north west, with the air full of snow flakes, the most like winter we have had this season. The storm lasted only a half-hour, though the wind and cold were but little moderated during the day.

BANK BROTHERS

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!

The year just past will be marked as a very prosperous one in our history of storekeeping. We therefore extend our heartiest thanks to all to all our customers.

We realize that the high grade of merchandise which we offered, at reasonable prices, was greatly appreciated, and that our list of new customers has increased very greatly; therefore it gives us more courage to start the New Year, assuring you that everything of the best and the latest will be offered. Nothing will be misrepresented, so that during the year to come we expect to add many more to our list of customers whom we will soon convince that the little store at 111 Bellevue Avenue sells such a high grade of merchandise, which can only be equalled in a few up-to-date city stores.

You will benefit financially by buying of us, and it will not take long to verify this statement. If you are not one of our customers, we hope you will be, and starting with the New Year.

"Right is made of errors," is an old saying, and should there be any error we have made, or some complaint to make, we would thank you to let us know. We welcome all reasonable complaints.

The year 1906 has just closed, and will be marked in this country's history as a very prosperous one.

The new year of 1907 is just starting, and promises to be equally as prosperous as the last. Let us hope that we will all enjoy good health, and benefit by the country's prosperity.

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JOS. B. GARTON,
JUSTICE of the PEACE,
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Hammonton, N. J.

The new Town Council will meet for organization at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday next, Jan. 1st, 1907. There will be many important problems for this body to solve, and their proceedings will be watched with unusual interest.

Came near having a fire alarm last week Friday evening. The decorations in Monfort's shoe store window caught fire from the gas burner, and it looked like a conflagration for a short time. But the danger was averted by prompt action.

Council's Finance Committee began, Wednesday evening, their audit of Clerk's and Collector's accounts. Of course it is too late to issue a printed report before January 1st. Why it was not begun three weeks earlier, we are unable to state.

Thos. R. Twomey and Miss Olive F. Holland were married at the home of the bride's parents, on Monday afternoon, Dec. 24th. Two estimable young Hammontonsians, they have universal good wishes. They are spending the holidays in Philadelphia.

Harry Salinas, local telephone "trouble hunter," was thrown from a wagon last Monday, landing on his head. The accident was caused by one of the shafts becoming detached and dropping, which frightened the horse. Though very sore, Mr. S. was at work yesterday.

At their meeting on Monday evening, Jan. 7th, members of the Workmen's Loan and Building Association will vote upon amendments to their By-Laws, the purpose of which stockholders probably understood. Being the annual meeting, officers will also be elected.

Annual Meeting.

THE PEOPLES BANK
Hammonton, N. J., Dec. 15, 1906.
The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on

Tuesday, Jan. 8, 1907,
between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m.
W. R. TILTON, Cashier.

Board of Health Notice.

The Local Board of Health wishes to announce that Tom. Telt will begin on Monday, Dec. 10th, to collect garbage within the limits of the district recently published.

These rules have been adopted by the Board:
Garbage containers must be water tight and covered. They must not be placed outside the sidewalk, nor farther back than twenty-five feet.

Garbage will be collected on Monday during the winter, and every Monday, Wednesday and Friday in summer.

Don't put ashes, tin cans, or other rubbish in your slops.

Send all complaints to

C. CUNNINGHAM,

Sanitary Inspector.

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If you have not bought your winter overcoat or suit, this sale is just in the nick of time.

With easily three months for wearing winter overcoats and four months for heavy suits, this sale will be sure to appeal to men who desire to be warmly and stylishly clothed, especially at such prices as OAK HALL offers now.

OVERCOATS FOR MEN REDUCED AS FOLLOWS:

\$37.50 Overcoats are \$30 \$35 Overcoats are \$27.50
\$25 Overcoats are \$18.50 \$20 Overcoats are \$14
\$18 Overcoats are \$13.50 \$13.50 Overcoats are \$10
\$16.50 Overcoats are \$12.50

All fabrics are represented in this reduced line, including Imported Soft Beavers, Imported Meltons and High Grade Kerseys, Friezes, Cheviots and Fancy Worsteds.

SUITS FOR MEN ARE REDUCED AS FOLLOWS:

\$30.00 Suits are \$22.50 \$25.00 Suits are \$18.50
\$20.00 Suits are \$15.00 \$18.00 Suits are \$14.00
\$16.50 Suits are \$12.50 \$15.00 Suits are \$11.50
\$13.50 Suits are \$10.00

These fabrics are Black and Blue Cheviots, Hard Faced Worsteds, Soft Finish Worsteds and a host of Fancy Worsteds and Fancy Cheviots—truly a notable collection of as fine a lot of suits as we have ever manufactured.

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