

## TWO ROUTES PROPOSED FOR TOWNSHIP ROAD

### MIZPAH DIVIDED OVER NEW HIGHWAY.

Committee Will Investigate Before Making Decision—Bauer's Term Expires With Old Year—Last Meeting of 1908 To-night.

At a meeting of the Township Committee held at Library Hall last Monday evening, the question of building a new road at Mizpah, to connect with the Duxbury road, came up for discussion. Two routes are proposed by the residents of Mizpah, and the committee is in doubt as to which to adopt. A temporary compromise was effected by resolving to accept deeds for both routes and choose between them later.

A fairly good road now runs from Mizpah to the County Road, but this is isolated and the bulk of the town lies along an old and narrow further West. This latter road is one of the best routes, a large number favoring its adoption; but others contend that the new road should be constructed midway between these two roads, near the school house. Representatives of both contending parties were present and heard the committee men, who gave the matter careful attention. A thorough investigation of the question will be made before any action is taken. An endeavor will be made to have the several parties interested get together and compromise, but if that cannot be done the building of the road will likely be delayed, repairs being made to both existing roads.

The committee ordered bills for fire apparatus and other Township expenses paid, and discussed informally several minor matters that will come up for consideration in the near future.

A meeting will be held tonight for the purpose of going over the Township Treasurer's accounts and balancing books for the year now expiring to a close at the end of the year.

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## MAY'S LANDING JOTTINGS

Paragraphs, Personal and Otherwise, Briefly Describing What Has Occurred in the Capitol of the County.

Time to practice writing 1909. Twelve days before Christmas. Holiday displays are in evidence. Work is heavy at the County office.

Several pupils are taking the teachers' course in the high school. Charles Oberlander is suffering from a painful felon on his right hand.

Last quarter of the moon Tuesday evening. Christmas eve will be dark. Charles C. Stewart will take his place in the Township Committee January 1.

Send "The Record" to the absent members of the family as Christmas gifts. The shortest days of the year are now here. After the 23rd inst. they will lengthen.

Home merchants are displaying Christmas goods and novelties in a most attractive manner. Capt. and Mrs. Daniel Gifford, of Princeton, formerly residents, were visitors Tuesday.

Lake Lenape was covered yesterday morning with a coat of ice a quarter of an inch thick. The Church will hold its Christmas Eve service at 7:30 p. m. at the County House.

A Junior choir has been organized in the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church. Buy your Christmas presents at home so far as possible and keep your money in circulation at home.

Harry Newcomb recently picked a quart of ripe strawberries at his farm on Gravelly Run avenue.

There are many dancing floors who will appreciate a share of your generosity Christmas time.

Mrs. Benjamin Clark is recovering from an illness that confined him to his home for several days.

Mrs. George Boebe returned from Tuckahoe Sunday evening after a pleasant week among relatives at that place.

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## CHURCH ASKS RETURN OF POPULAR PASTOR

FOURTH QUARTERLY CONFERENCE THURSDAY.

Extensive Improvements Aggregating \$1,600 Have Been Made During Year—Leads District Spiritually.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held Thursday evening next, the 17th inst. Presiding Elder J. Morgan Reed, of the Camden District, will preside and the various heads of the departments of the Church will hand in reports for the year now drawing to a close.

The Church has had a prosperous year and besides the membership being increased to over 200 the conference collections will be increased over last year. During the past year improvements aggregating \$1,600 have been made to the Church and Parsonage, including the installation of a steam heating plant, painting and redecoration of the interior, and a complete water system at the Parsonage.

Special contributions amounting to \$86 donated to the Methodist Episcopal Church, Philadelphia, for the purchase of a new organ. The Pastor, Rev. William Dismore, who is rounding out his second year here, is not only beloved by his flock, but holds the high esteem of the entire community, and the Official Board of the Church voted the sentiment of the congregation in asking his return for another year.

Spiritually, the Church leads in the District and maintains average attendance at public services of 150; Sabbath School, 130; Senior Epworth League, 120; Junior Epworth League, 100. The attendance at the Chase Meetings averages 20.

The monthly session of the Orphan's Court was held before Judge Higbee Tuesday. Approval was given to the final accounts of the Guarantee Trust Company as executors of the estates of Robert Corson and Thomas Sprout. Partial accounts of the same were also passed as substituted administrators of the estate of Julia A. Wright, guardian of Maude Biedie. Letters of administration were granted to the said Maude Biedie, widow of Edward B. Biedie, late of Atlantic City.

Final accounts were passed in the estate of John France, W. A. France, executor; Joseph S. Smith, Richard J. E. Lee, administrator; and Bertha Smith, executrix.

Judge Higbee announced that he would sit to hear contested cases on Wednesday of next week at the County House.

Exceptions have been filed to the settlement of the estates of William S. Sprout and William S. Sprout. These will be heard next Wednesday along with the matter of the estate of Christiana Muller, deceased.

Carl M. Voelker, of Atlantic City, was appointed administrator of the estate of his father, Carl Voelker, deceased, at the request of the widow, who filed a renunciation of her claims as executrix.

Death Claims Former Resident. The funeral services of the late Mrs. Mary Frazier, who died at her home in Princeton last Saturday at the advanced age of eighty-two, were held here at the County House Tuesday afternoon at this place from the residence of Capt. and Mrs. Daniel F. Vaughn, interment being made in the Presbyterian cemetery. The Rev. William Dismore, pastor of the M. E. Church, officiated. The services were attended by a large number of relatives and friends. Mrs. Frazier was a lifelong resident of May's Landing until eight years ago, when she moved to Princeton, where she has resided since. A son and daughter survive, Mrs. John Gifford, of Princeton, and Mr. Wash Frazier, of Los Angeles, Cal. She was a sister of Mrs. John Vaughn, late of this place. The pall bearers were Foremaster Lewis W. Cramer, Tax Receiver Clark W. Abbott, Freeholder John S. Risley and Mr. George Hanthorn. Those from other places who were present were Mrs. J. E. French, of Lewis P. Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Vaughn, of Atlantic City; Capt. and Mrs. John Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hubbel and Mrs. Joseph Hotel, of Princeton.

Million Dollar Pier. Hundreds of enthusiastic fans witness the indoor baseball game in the evenings. Since the introduction of the game several weeks ago by a fast center, the game has become a popular feature of the evening. The game is being played in the new building, which is being erected on the site of the old one. The new building is being erected on the site of the old one. The new building is being erected on the site of the old one.

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## THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY

Happenings of Interest Transpiring in the Cities, Boroughs, Towns and Townships Told in Few Words.

City Clerk James Scull has returned to work after a pleasant vacation. The school entertainment has been postponed until after the holidays.

Harry Dicks, who is attending school in Philadelphia, is home for a brief stay. Mayor Stock was in town Tuesday and was cordially greeted by his many friends.

The M. E. Church is in a flourishing condition and all services were well attended. Charles E. Steelman was a crew of four men is making large catches of codfish daily.

It is rumored a new cut-price grocery and market is soon to be opened on Main avenue. There has not been an arrest in the city since early in the summer. The next speaks for itself.

Master Harold Fox recently sustained severe injuries to his left hand while falling from a moving trolley car.

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## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

RECENTLY RECORDED

Brief Description of the Properties That Have Changed Hands and the Considerations as Shown in the Documents of Transfer.

Atlantic City. Kennedy Crossed, ex. to John M. Thomas, 40x125 ft. East side Balcon Rouge ave. 315 ft. North of Atlantic ave. \$1.

Ida M. Harris, ex. to Vivian B. Smith, 50 x125 ft. East side Dudley Place, 225 ft. North of Atlantic ave. \$1.

Emilie Baake, ex. to William Zimmer, 100x50 ft. Northeast corner Jackson & Ventnor ave. \$1.

Poland, ex. to Samuel Colton, 40 x125 ft. West side Texas ave. 30 ft. North of Monterey ave. \$5,000.

Hotel Pierpont Co. to Tuttle C. Walker, 100x150 ft. East side Boston ave. 100 ft. South of Atlantic ave. \$2,000.

Walter E. Townsend, ex. to Morris Brown & Co. 50x150 ft. Southeast corner Pacific and U. S. ave. \$11,000.

Charles A. Smith, ex. to Henry D. Moore, 60x125 ft. Southeast corner Ohio and Grant ave. \$3,000.

Harriet E. Dorris, ex. to John Cassidy, 100x150 ft. East side South Carolina ave. 200 ft. South of Pacific ave. \$10,000.

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MAY'S LANDING, N. J., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1908.

President Roosevelt's message to Congress was a characteristic one, and maintained his reputation for prolixity. Congress will lay the document aside "for future reference," but whether it will act upon his suggestions remains to be seen. Much of the message contained facts familiar to the general public, including suggestions for improvements to the judiciary, labor laws, corporations and postal savings banks. He recommended stronger educational measures, saying: "The share that the national government should take in the broad work of education has not received the attention and the care it rightly deserves. I earnestly recommend that this unfortunate state of affairs as regards the national educational office be remedied by adequate appropriations." Inland waterways came in for a share of his attention. "Action should be begun forthwith during the present session of Congress," he stated, "for the improvement of our inland waterways—a action which will result in giving us not only navigable but navigated rivers. We have spent hundreds of millions of dollars upon these waterways, yet the traffic on nearly all of them is declining. This condition is the direct result of the absence of any comprehensive and farseeing plan of waterway improvement. Obviously we cannot continue thus to expend the revenues of the government without return. It is poor business to spend money for inland navigation unless we get it." Higher salaries for judges are advised, and many new laws to meet changed conditions. "For many of the shortcomings of justice in our country our people as a whole are themselves to blame, and the judges and juries merely bear their share together with the public as a whole. It is discreditable to us as a people that there should be difficulty in convicting murderers or in bringing to justice men who as public servants have been guilty of corruption or who have profited by the corruption of public servants." The message is a lucid commentary on National affairs, and deserves careful reading.

On the first day of January a two-cent letter postage rate to Germany will take effect another link in the chain of international communication that will establish friendly relations of interest among all nations. A similar rate to England has been enjoyed several weeks, and the business relations of the two countries have been greatly benefited by the reduction. It is a step toward the day when all civilized countries will be bound by stronger mutual bonds of peace and good-will. At first glance the influence of such a small matter as postage on letters seems hardly worthy of notice, but when the number of letters under favorable conditions runs into millions their influence on national relations becomes a potent factor in furthering arbitration and insuring continued friendly relations. Our German population is a strong element in national affairs. The German-American makes an honest, industrious, public-spirited citizen, one who is always found in the lead in home life, business pursuits and public affairs. Any measure, therefore, that has for its object the preservation and perpetuation of friendly relations between Germany and the United States is highly commendable, and will result in mutual profit. With Germany and England on the two-cent postage rate list, others will follow, every advance along this line furthering the reasonable thought of "peace on earth, good-will toward men."

With diseases prevalent among cattle and adulteration of dairy products, there is need of stringent health laws regarding the sale of milk and butter and rigid enforcement of their provisions. Milk is considered one of the necessities of life, and especially in the care of invalids, it is one of the principle articles of diet. When secured from diseased cattle or adulterated by unscrupulous dealers it becomes a dangerous menace to public health. Too often the dealers are themselves imposed upon by impure milk. The increasing adulteration of articles of diet, although repressed to a great extent by law, seems to call for an officer in every municipality who shall give especial attention to detecting impure food.

New Jersey is providing excellent courses in agriculture for those who wish to take advantage of the opportunity afforded. The class this year at the State College is the largest since the course was introduced, showing an awakening appreciation of the advantage of a practical education in farming. There is much room for growth in agricultural knowledge, and the State is endeavoring to supply this want in a practical way. Figures are not at hand for comparison, but it is safe to assert that New Jersey is doing more, in proportion to its size, for the farmers than any other State in the Union.

Remember the poor at Christmas time. While you are intending to spend the holiday in a comfortable home, surrounded by a reasonable amount of life's blessings, forget not the needy in distress, nor the little ones to whom the name of Christmas is too often an unreal mockery. The poor we have always with us. He who can find no fellow being in want, who knows no deserving one in need, lacks eyes or heart, or both. When you set apart your Christmas allowance, let one-tenth part be for those who can only return your gift in humble thanks.

The hunting season closed in North Jersey the first of the month, while in the Southern counties it remains open until January 1. It is now lawful to kill a rabbit in South Jersey, but if a hunter chases it across the imaginary line of division he commits a criminal offence. He may not know just where the line is, but that is no excuse. Many claim the distinction is unwarranted, while others favor its continuation. The full results of the experiment are not yet evident, but if there is any doubt as to the justice of the division the State Fish and Game Commission will provide a remedy.

That property owners have the exclusive right to the enjoyment of their land, and hunters are naturally trespassers, is the contention of the new trespass law, which makes every man who hunts on another's property posted or not amenable as a trespasser, unless he has first secured the consent of the owner. While posting land is a fair warning that gunners are not wanted, such notices are not necessary under the law. Few arrests have been recorded, notwithstanding the severity of the statute.

The South this year has produced crops valued at two and a quarter billions of dollars. Who would have thought, just after the war, that such splendid resources were dormant in the Southern States? In the brief space of forty years, from the ruins of a vast country laid desolate by the ravages of war, factories have sprung up, immense agricultural interests have developed, until the South to-day leads the world in many farm and industrial productions.

Residents of Mizpah are divided over the location of a new road, which the Township has agreed to build. As the adoption of either of the proposed routes will cause dissatisfaction among those favoring the other, the Committee is in a dilemma. The proper thing to be done is for both parties to get together and arbitrate the matter. They will get their road in less time and avoid much unpleasant contention.

Legislation revising the Justice of the Peace system will probably be recommended by the Governor during the coming session of the Legislature. There are evils in the present system which might be remedied by placing the officers on a salary basis. It all depends on what salaries can be afforded.

It will cost fifteen millions of dollars in 1910 to find out how big we are, by taking the census of the United States; but the results of careful government records in this instance amply repay the necessary expense.

Comes report that a famine exists in Ohio and other Western States—a famine for labor. Workers are needed for the vast industrial and agricultural interests of the middle and far West.

A professor of Semitic languages has been appointed Speaker of the Assembly, but his professional services are not likely to be in great demand.

Congress will now hold the stage in the national theatre for awhile.

### STATE PRESS COMMENT.

"The Republican Assembly caucus at Trenton did just what it was indicated it would do when the conference was held on Governor's day after election. Dr. John D. Prince of Passaic, an admittedly capable and deserving man, who stood aside last winter in order that Camden's young member, Frank R. Jess, might be honored, has been nominated for Speaker almost unanimously. The "new idea" leader, Martin, receiving only four votes of them cast by Dr. Prince. In thanking his fellow members for the high honor they will confer upon him, Dr. Prince assured them he would "partially as speaker, and would recognize no faction or party, a promise that all who know him well will give full faith to the utmost. Griffith W. Lewis of Burlington, was chosen as the party candidate for floor leader, and if there is any possibility of making the coming session a business session Mr. Lewis, a man of business, will endeavor to have it materialize. No doubt his efforts will be interfered with by those of the "new idea" men who are given full credit for incessant talk, as in former sessions, but the intelligent majority will be at his back. The renomination of Messrs. Parker and Jefferys for Clerk and Assistant Clerk, was expected, and as both are experienced and efficient officials, their reelection is a matter of course. Notwithstanding the Democratic minority will present opposing candidates. With a single exception, all the House officials of last session were renominated, a suggestion of perfect harmony among the Republican majority."—Camden Daily Courier.

"Atlantic City has solved several knotty legal problems which had long puzzled the lawyers of New Jersey, and it is now going to make an effort to solve the Sunday selling question in a manner that will not offend the sensibilities of any resident of the State, no matter which side of the question he may support. The business organizations of the resort have charged a joint committee to devise a law that will enable hotel keepers to please thirsty Sunday visitors, and to enable the shore cities along the Jersey coast to develop the resort feature of the State's wealth. The shore resorts have no desire to regulate the inland cities, but ask of them permission to regulate their own coast, "home rule." This home rule bill is to permit each community to decide for itself what hours bars may be open and what hours they shall be closed, or whether bars shall exist or not. That is a nut that will require considerable skill to crack. But the men who are discussing and endeavoring to solve the problem are of the opinion that the subject seems to be confident that the nut can be cracked. The Legislature is divided upon this issue, and so is the Executive Commission, which are soon to make a report of their investigations to the Governor."—Atlantic City Review.

"Judge Robert Carey, of the Court of Common Pleas in Hudson County summarily discharged a grand jury the other day because the members neglected to bring in indictments that he had instructed them to find. The foreman of the jury read a statement signed by his associates to which the judge was told that there was no disposition on the part of the jury to grant the court with respect, and insisting that it had the right to act independently of his directions when it came to finding indictments.

"It looks as if the jurors had the best of the argument. When a judge has explained to the grand jury the law and its application to cases under consideration, he has performed his duty. If the jury is required to indict men and women simply because the judge of the court wants the indictment found, there seems to be little necessity for grand juries. Criminal matters might be expedited by bringing suspected persons directly to trial at the direction of the court, and the county would be saved a good deal of expense."—Trenton State Gazette.

"A thousand dollar license fee, the cutting down of the number of points and dodging of the Sunday selling issue are said to be the chief points in the State Excise Commission report, which is soon to go to the Governor. Higher license will serve to drive out many saloons, and if the number of licenses are to be based upon population, still more will have to put up the shutters. The Excise Commission will summarize the conditions, and it is expected that the report will show that every place closed was more or less guilty of pauperizing holes in the Bishops' law. Atlantic City was not the only offender. High license was tried in Atlantic City but it did not seem to be a success, while in Philadelphia better results have been obtained. We will wait the saloon fever the saloons, the greater the profit for the fortunate ones who secure license, and the greater will they appreciate their privilege and it will make them respectful of the laws governing their place."—Atlantic City Sunday Gazette.

"That there will be a public utilities bill before the Legislature next winter goes without saying, but as to the scope and character thereof, nothing definite is known. Governor Fort is said to favor a measure patterned somewhat after the New York law, but not quite so drastic. While he would vest the proposed commission with considerable powers, he would make the exercise of such power contingent upon a petition by some municipality or commercial organization, or by a fixed number of individuals, after the taking of testimony. This is a reasonable restriction, and it is probable that the commission will embody it."—West Jersey Press.

## POINTS OF INTEREST.

### INFORMATION FOR PEOPLE FROM AFAR.

Places in Atlantic City and County Where Seekers After Pleasure May Find Entertainment of Every Kind.

The famous Atlantic City Oceanwalk along the shore from the Inlet to South Atlantic City, is seven miles long. Absecon Lighthouse, Pacific avenue, between Vermont and Rhode Island avenues. Visitors permitted to ascend the 167-foot tower on week days in the weather only, from 10 A. M. until 12 M. United States Life Saving Station, on rear of light house, South Vermont avenue, near Pacific. Let to June 1st. Post Office, Pacific and Pennsylvania avenues. Open weekdays from 6.30 A. M. to 10 P. M., Sundays from 11 A. M. to 12.30 P. M. There are nine sub-stations in Atlantic City. United States Weather Bureau Station, 21 South Rhode Island avenue. Mammoth weather map Oceanwalk and Pennsylvania avenues. Municipal Life Saving Service, beach patrol on city ocean front during the summer season for protection of bathers. Three stations; head of beach, between Vermont and Pacific avenues, Dr. J. T. Beckwith, Surgeon in command. Pennsylvania Railroad Passenger Station, South Carolina avenue near Atlantic avenue. Pennsylvania Railroad Passenger Station, Electric express trains between Atlantic City and Philadelphia, Atlantic and Tennessee avenues. Reading Railroad Terminal, Atlantic avenue, between Atlantic and Pacific avenues. County Seat of Atlantic County, May's Landing, 18 miles from Atlantic City. County Institutions at Mizpah's Landing, 7 miles from Atlantic City. Atlantic City Country Club, Northfield, Golf Links, 7 miles from Atlantic City. Eighteen holes, 6,600 yards. The fleet, fleet of pleasure and fishing yachts, sail and power craft. City Hospital, Ohio avenue, between Atlantic and Pacific avenues. Mercer Memorial Hospital, Pacific and Ohio avenues. Children's Seashore House, Atlantic and Oceanwalk avenues. Jewish Seaside Home, Ventnor City. City Water Works, storage reservoirs and artesian wells, Absecon, 6 miles from Atlantic City. Atlantic City, a few minutes' ride from Longport, at eastern end of Absecon Island, and by trolley from Virginia and Florida avenues. Atlantic City Yacht Club, North Massachusetts avenue and Gardner's Basin; office, Room 225 Burt Building. Ventnor Yacht Club, 1208 Atlantic avenue, and Richmond avenue and Thoroughfare. Young's Pier and Theatre, Oceanwalk and Tennessee avenues. Musical comedy, vaudeville, free aquarium, hot baths, infant incubators, band concerts, ocean promenade, bowling alleys. Steep Pier, length, 1,750 feet, Virginia avenue and Oceanwalk. Band concerts, minstrel, hops. Steeplechase Pier, length 1,300 feet, Pennsylvania avenue and Oceanwalk. Vanderbilt Casino, Oceanwalk and Indiana avenue. Concerts, sun parlor. Young's New Million Dollar Pier, Arkansas avenue and the Beach. Length 1,100 feet; Convention Hall seats 12,000 persons. Seaside Theatre, Oceanwalk and Ocean avenue. A feature of Oceanwalk life is the rolling chair. No better opportunity to study the promenade is offered than to be wheeled along at a slow pace, viewing the sights and at the same time receiving the benefit of the invigorating ozone-laden air from the ocean. They may be hired at a number of stands, located at intervals. Rates, single, 25c. per hour; with attendant, 50c. per hour; double, \$1.00 per hour.

Longport—A pretty trip by trolley may be had by taking the Longport trolley at Tennessee avenue, which is a ride along miles of ocean front through Chelsea Ventnor, South Atlantic, Oberon, landing you at the steamboat wharf, where steamers may be taken every half hour for a side trip across Great Egg Harbor Bay to Great Egg Harbor. Cars leave in the morning and return, 20 cents. Cars leave in the morning for Longport every half hour direct.

Pleasantville, Country Club, Bakererville, Linwood, Seaside, Somers Point and Absecon. A trip across the Great Salt Meadows and through the above towns, is always remembered; the vastness of meadows and pretty rural scenery make it a trip well worth taking. There is a trolley from Florida avenue to the Oceanwalk, every 20 minutes, 15 and 45 minutes past the hour, from 6.15 A. M. to 8.45 P. M., then 9.40, 10.15, 11.00 and 11.45.

The Seaside is a new drive, extending from Seaside, Albany avenue to Longport. It is a drive of pleasure, and is a ride along miles of ocean front through Chelsea Ventnor, South Atlantic, Oberon, landing you at the steamboat wharf, where steamers may be taken every half hour for a side trip across Great Egg Harbor Bay to Great Egg Harbor. Cars leave in the morning and return, 20 cents. Cars leave in the morning for Longport every half hour direct.

The Inlet is the broad opening North of the island, admitting the water to the inland tidal bays and reaches. It is a mile or more from the centre of the city, and the northern terminus of the Oceanwalk, and the electric car line. At the Inlet mail boats are to hire from early morning until night, either by the trip, the hour, or the day, at \$5 to \$8 per day. Owners of large sail-boats from parties charging fifty cents a head. In addition to the mail boats there are pleasure boats, and tugs for the purpose of taking out on short trips to adjacent lands or out to sea for small sums, according to the distance covered. The thoroughfare, which divides the island from the mainland is broad, deep and placid; even the most timid or those who are subject easily to seasickness may enjoy a sail over the waters of the thoroughfare without fear of unpleasant consequences. Those who are fond of heavier water may indulge their liking to their heart's content, for from the wharf to the wide ocean is but a few minutes' ride.

There are so many attractions at Atlantic City that every taste can be satisfied. Of course the ocean piers are the rendezvous of the general public, but the delights of the strand on the Oceanwalk are enjoyed by all other pleasure. There is about the beach and business places along that wonderful promenade a perspective of comfort and delight and a view of the ocean that is never to be forgotten. A trip to the beach is a pleasure in itself, and a trip to the beach is a pleasure in itself, and a trip to the beach is a pleasure in itself.

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## THE STATE GOVERNMENT.

### MEN WHO DIRECT THE SHIP OF STATE.

Make-up of the Judiciary and the Subordinate Officers of the Several Branches—The Military and Naval Attaches.

Governor, John Franklin Fort. Secretary to the Governor, Leslie R. Fort. Secretary of State, S. D. Dickinson. Assistant Secretary, J. R. R. Smith. Treasurer, Daniel S. Voorhees. Deputy Treasurer, L. K. Wildrick. Comptroller, Henry J. West. Attorney-General, Robert H. McCarter. Trenton. Assistant Attorney-General, Nelson B. Gaskin. Camden. State Librarian, Henry C. Buchanan, Trenton. State Geologist, Henry R. Kneeland, Trenton. State Board of Equalization of Taxes, President, Carl Lenta, Newark; E. Ambler Armstrong, Camden; Charles C. Black, Jersey City; Henry J. Irick, Vineland; Theodore Simonson, Newton; Secretary, Frederick R. Leibel, Trenton. State Board of Assessors, David Baird, Camden; Stephen J. Meeker, Newark; Theodore Strong, New Brunswick; Eckard P. Budd, Mt. Holly. Secretary, Irvine E. Maguire, State House, Trenton. Department of Banking and Insurance, Commissioner, David O. Watkins. Deputy, Thomas K. Johnston, State House. Bureau of Statistics of Labor and Industries, Chief, William C. Garrison, Newark. Commissioner of Labor, Lewis T. Bryant, Atlantic City. Trustees of the School Fund, Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney-General, Comptroller and State Treasurer. State Board of Education, Edward E. Grosscup, George A. Frey, James B. Woodward, Silas R. Moore, W. Edwin Pforzner, (vacancy), S. St. John McHugh, Percival Chryslie, William H. Morrow, Charles E. Surdan, Sweeting Miles, Francis Scott, Edward G. Robertson, Leslie C. Love, James L. Hays, T. O'Connor, William Allen, William R. Barwick, Edward Rose, William D. Forbes. Board of Railroad Commissioners, Joseph W. Congdon, President; Edmund Wilson, Borden D. Whiting, Alfred N. Barber, Secretary. The Courts. Supreme Court, Chief Justice, William B. Gurnee, Newark. Associate Justices, Thomas G. Garrison, Merchantville; Charles E. Hendrickson, Red Bank; Mahlon Pitney, Morristown; Francis J. Swayne, Newark; Alfred Beck, Trenton; Thomas W. Trenchard, Bridgeton; Charles W. Parker, Jersey City; James Bergen, Somerville. Clerk, William Riker, Jr. Deputy Clerk, Charles N. Coddling. Reporter, Garrett D. W. "Court." Sergeant-at-Arms, Charles S. Biddle, Camden. Clerk of the Court of Errors and Appeals, the Chancellor (presiding), the Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges John W. Bogert, William H. Vreburgh, Charles D. W. Vroom, Elmer Ewing Green, George E. Gray, James B. Dill. Clerk, the Secretary of State ex-officio. Court of Chancery, Chancellor, William J. Magle, Elizabeth. Vice Chancery, John R. Garrison, Newark; Frederic W. Stevens, Morristown; Eugene Stevenson, Paterson; Lindley M. Garrison, Jersey City; Edmund B. Leaming, Camden; James K. Howell, Newark; Edwin Robert Walker, Trenton. Clerk, Vivian M. Lewis, Reporter, James Buchanan. Chancery Chambers, Trenton. State House; Sergeant-at-Arms, Clarence B. Biddle. Jersey City, 15 Exchange place; Sergeant-at-Arms, Thomas H. Haggerty, Newark; Prudential Building; Sergeant-at-Arms, William B. Sawyer, Camden; Court House; Sergeant-at-Arms, David R. Rose. Prerogative Court, Ordinary, the Chancellor; Vice Ordinary (vacancy). Clerk, the Secretary of State. Court of Pardons, the Governor, Chancellor and Judges of the Court of Errors and Appeals jointly appointed. Clerk, the Secretary of State. Circuit Court Judges (Act 1893, ch. 78, revised 1900, p. 340, sup. 1901, p. 51), Frederic Adams, Newark; Allen R. Endicott, Atlantic City; William A. Hedley, Long Branch; Benjamin J. Valli, Elizabeth; Frank T. Lloyd, Camden; James F. Minnott, Hoboken; William H. Speer, Jersey City. Probate Judges, East Jersey, John C. Goodridge, Sr., Surrogate-General; John C. Lyon, Register. Office at Perth Amboy, open Wednesday. West Jersey, Henry S. Haines, Surrogate-General and Register. Office at Burlington, open on application to Register.

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