

Town Council meeting next Wednesday evening.

The Board of Health will meet next Tuesday evening.

Miss Edith Simons visited her cousins for a few days.

Adjourned meeting of the Board of Education, this evening.

W. A. Crawford and wife were among Saturday's visitors.

Volunteer Fire Company will take a run next Monday evening.

Mrs. C. A. Smith, of Collingswood, was in town this week.

G. Wilber Fitting and wife spent a couple of days with Hammonton friends.

Elwood Matson entertained his sister from Philadelphia, over last Sunday.

Mrs. Fred. Nicolai is in St. Joseph's Hospital, for a surgical operation.

Edw. Merrell, a former Hammonton boy, was among Memorial Day visitors.

Alex. Brownlee and family have moved into their new house, on Peach Street.

Rev. W. J. Cusworth entertained his younger brother, Edward, Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Davenport has the contract to erect a fine house on Grape Street for H. R. Monfort.

There will be a strawberry festival at St. Mark's Parish House next Thursday evening.

Mrs. S. E. Brown was in town on Thursday, accompanied by her son Chester, and a niece.

Judson A. Whittier and his sister, Miss Mary, were up from Atlantic on Memorial Day.

Miss Anna Trafford is quite ill. Her sister, Mrs. N. R. Zelle, from Paulsboro, is caring for her.

Peonies are very popular. A fine large bunch found its way to the Editors, from Geo. Wm. Bassett's.

Chas. F. Money and family were Decoration Day visitors at Mrs. M.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Twomey.

Mrs. W. A. Roemer has so far recovered, at St. Joseph's Hospital, that her husband expects to bring her home to-day.

Mrs. C. S. Newcomb returned from a visit in Brooklyn. Mrs. Chas. A. Campbell and daughter came home with her.

The first good rain for a month came on Thursday, too late to save early strawberries, but in time to revive truck of all kinds.

Mrs. Shoemaker is very seriously ill, at her home, on Grape Street, but there are some indications of improvement in her condition.

Capt. Loveland and family, excepting Miss Melita, returned from Newport News last week, and have gone to their summer home, Sea Isle City.

The Eighth Grade graduation exercises will be held next Friday evening—the last day of school—in Bellevue Hall. Admission will be by ticket, as usual.

St. Mark's Church. Trinity Sunday, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion at 7; Litany and Holy Communion at 10.30; Sunday School, 11.45; Evening Prayer, 7.30. St. Barnabas' Day, June, 11, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion at 7; Evening Prayer at 4.30.

To the Hammonton Members of the Alumni Association: Owing to a miscalculation, not enough notices were printed, and some will receive theirs rather late. The annual banquet takes place next Saturday evening, in Bellevue Hall.

Don't forget the Alumni - High School base-ball game, next Friday afternoon. We want to win.

Mrs. S. C. Loveland is chairman of the Banquet Committee; Mrs. A. L. Jackson, Entertainment; Warren Wood, Decorating. We ask your co-operation in any work they undertake.

We want you to come to the banquet. Are the outsiders more interested in the Association than members? JAMES W. CORRELL, President.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, from Ocean City, were among the throng on Memorial Day. With them were their sons, Elnathan, and Herbert—the latter accompanied by his wife.

Universalist Church. Morning topic, "Growth in the likeness to God." Evening worship to begin with a special song service; Pastor Gardner's sermon topic, "The age in which we live."

An exhibit of work in manual training will be given in the shop, on Thursday next, from two to five o'clock. Drawing exhibit at same time, in High School building. All are cordially invited.

Strawberry shortcake and more will be on the menu at the supper to be given by the ladies of the Universalist Church next Wednesday evening, the 10th. Adults, 25 cents; children, 15 cents.

Two of our popular young ladies, Misses Bertha McCrea and Elizabeth Hoyle, will complete their kindergarten training next week, at Temple College. On Wednesday they received word that they had passed the New Jersey examination with pleasing averages.

June 1st, 1914, at the manse, Mr. Herbert Orlando Perry and Miss Ruth Hirst were united in marriage by the Rev. Wallace S. Marple, of the Presbyterian Church. The good will and best wishes of a host of friends will follow these happy young people, who will be at home in Jersey City.

Mr. Charles Simpson and Miss Florence Bakley were quietly married at the M. E. Parsonage last Saturday evening, May 30th, by Rev. W. L. Shaw. Both the contracting parties are too well known and well thought of to need introduction here; and friends have already found them at their home, at the Richards house, on Railroad Ave., and left tokens of good wishes.

Baptist Church, June 7. 10.30, morning worship, reception of new members, observance of the Lord's Supper; topic, "Living for Christ." Children's topic, "The transformed life." 11.45, Bible school. 3.00, Jr. Endeavor. 6.30, Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30, topic, "The fact of the cross." Thursday eve, 7.45, prayer service and business meeting.

At the M. E. Church, reception of members by certificate and from probation, Sunday morning, 10.30. The sacrament of baptism will be administered to the probationers who have not yet been baptized. Sunday School at noon. Class for girls, 3 o'clock. Epworth League at 6.45. Preaching by the pastor at 7.45; topic, "Every day religion." Prayer service Thursday evening at 7.45.

By the acceptance of an invitation extended the graduating class of the High School, the morning hour of worship in the Presbyterian Church will be devoted to their interests. Theme, "Enlargement of life." Sabbath School at noon. At 6.45, Mrs. Alex. Brownlee will lead a Young People's meeting, when there will be echoes from the County Convention held Friday. At 7.45, theme, "Two thieves." Thursday evening at 7.45, prayer meeting.

A young man giving his name as Herbert Moore, from Querbrook, Pa., was sent to jail, by Justice Strouse, on Monday, to await trial. Miss Dunning has oversight of Miss Laura Loring's place, on Fairview Ave., while the owner is away. Approaching the house, Saturday last, she saw that some one was inside. Summoning her brother Albert, he gave chase to the intruder, who ran eastward toward Bellevue. Ben Foglietto was passing, and took part, soon overtaking and capturing the fugitive, who was delivered to the authorities with above result. Evidently, Moore had leisurely ransacked the house, leaving things in confusion. Nearing Bellevue, he threw away several old coins, which were identified on Sunday by Miss Loring. That his name is Moore is doubted, as he evades questions, and destroyed all letters by which he could be identified. His photo was taken, and sent to City Hall, Phila., for investigation.

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- Women's House Dresses marked down to 65 cents; values up to 95 cents
- House Dresses at 95 cents; value up to \$1.25
- House Dresses marked down to 39 cents, of figured lawn
- Children's Dresses at 23 cents; age two to six years
- Children's Dresses at 45 cents; age 6 to 14 years
- Children's Dresses at 85 cents; age 6 to 14 years; of good quality gingham
- Children's Dresses at \$1 and \$1.25; very neat, made in the newest style, with overskirt and tunic effect
- Women's Dresses, of Crepe, Lawn, Ratine and Linen, at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4, and \$5; made in the newest style, some extreme, and plenty conservative style.
- Corsets reduced to 29 cents; value 50 cents
- Corsets reduced to 65 cts; value \$1
- Complete line of new models in corsets, to fit all figures, ranging in price from 45 cents up to \$5
- Waists marked down to 35 cents
- Waists marked down to 75 cents; were \$1 and \$1.25
- Waists at \$1 and \$1.25; very dainty, and splendid values
- Silk Waists at \$2; a wide range of colors and styles, exceptional values
- Samples of Silk Waists at \$1.25; were \$2, \$2.50, \$3
- Middy Blouse marked down to 39 cents; value up to 75 cts; age 6 to 10
- Women's Ribbed Vests at 5 cents; value 10 cents; with short sleeves
- Women's Silk Hose at 15 cents, classed as seconds of 25 cent goods

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At \$2 and \$2.50. Dress shoes for men, in lace and button, dull calf and patent colt.

At \$4, \$4.50, and \$5. Dress shoes for men of extra fine quality calf, in all leathers, lace or button.

At \$1.75 and \$2. Work shoes for men, in black and russet calf, of heavy grain stock, double soles.

At \$2.25, \$2.50, and \$2.75. Work shoes for men, made of a very soft heavy leather, with a good durable double sole. A very good wearing shoe for out-door work.

At \$3, \$3.50, and \$4. Work shoes for men,—we recommend these shoes highly for all kinds of out-door work—they will out-wear any shoe we know of at the same price. We have them in black, and tan calf.

Boys' Shoes for Dress Wear, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3. Sizes 1 to 5 1/2, in all leathers, lace and button.

Little Boy's Shoes, sizes 8 to 13 1/2,—95 c, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, and \$2.50,—all leathers.

A Special Lot of Men's Oxfords, marked down to \$1.50,—were \$3 and \$3.50, broken sizes and discontinued styles.

Men's Oxfords at \$2 and \$2.50, in patent, dull and tan calf.

Men's Oxfords, \$3, \$3.50, and \$4, in all leathers, also rubber soles.

Boys' Oxfords, at \$1.50 and \$2, patent and dull calf.

Scout Shoes for Men at \$2, \$2.25, and \$2.50. These are very light shoes, but exceptionally good. The uppers are of a soft leather, and elk skin soles.

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Boys' Scout Shoes, sizes 1 to 5 1/2,—\$1.50, \$1.75, and \$2.

Little Boy's Scout Shoes, 8 to 13 1/2,—\$1 and \$1.50.

Special Lot of Men's Scout Shoes at \$1.50.

Women's Colonial Ties, Oxfords, and Pumps, at \$2.50 and \$3, in tan calf, pat. colt, dull calf, vici kid, and suede.

Women's Oxford Pumps, \$1.50 and \$2,—pat. & dull calf

Women's Shoes at \$1.50 and \$2.00, pat. and dull leather, lace and button, high or low heels.

Women's Shoes at \$2.50 and \$3, tan and dull calf, pat. colt and vici kid, lace and button, all heights of heels.

Women's Shoes at \$3.50, \$4, and \$5, custom-made footwear of extra fine quality, in lace and button, all heights of heels, and all kinds of toes.

Arch Supporter Shoes at \$3.50 and \$4. These are made especially for people who have trouble with their feet,—the arch is built in the shoe—the heel helps to reinforce it.

A complete line of Comfort Shoes for Women at \$1.20, \$1.50, \$2, and \$2.50, in lace and button, some with cushion inner soles and rubber heels.

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GEORGE ELVINS,

Hammonton, - New Jersey

The Trolley Situation.

Many good people in Hammonton are much interested in the trolley, and have asked me to tell them about it. This I will do, as briefly as possible, in this article.

In January last I received a letter from a western Construction Co., having offices at Youngstown, Ohio, and Omaha, Neb., saying that it had just come to them that Hammonton was agitating the building of a trolley line from Philadelphia to the sea, and that their company would be glad to investigate, and if the proposition seemed feasible, to finance and build the line.

As soon as I could get my breath after reading this letter, I sent a reply, giving the exact situation as I saw it, and expressing a hope that we might be able to do business with them. Within a short time a second letter came, asking for further information, which I promptly gave them. A little later, a third letter came, asking for still further information, assuring me that they were interested in the proposition, and offering to send the company engineer to look the ground over carefully, if we would pay his actual expenses while so doing. The engineer was to tell us exactly what the company will do in regard to financing and building the road.

Two other letters came later, in which the company seemed more and more interested in the proposition, and promising to begin construction work early in the spring if upon examination they could see a reasonable return on the investment after the road had been in operation for five years. All they asked was a fifty year franchise and reasonable co-operation on the part of the people who would be benefited by the road.

The company seems to be a very much alive institution. It has recently constructed the Omaha, Council Bluffs, and Sioux City Traction line, ninety-four miles long; also the Iowa Traction line, 110 miles long, and is now building the Erie and Youngstown double-track line, sixty-six miles long. It ought, and doubtless will, be able to build a line from Philadelphia to the sea in record breaking time if all the people who want the line, and would be benefited by it, will get busy.

About this time, the long spell of bad weather struck Jersey, this coupled with the fact that our Board of Trade was not yet in shape to do business, made it impossible to do more than to submit the correspondence to my friend, James Brearey, ex-mayor of Chesilhurst, and through him to many other people. These men were all greatly encouraged and enthused over it, as I had been. From inside information which has kept coming to me since that time, I am convinced that the desire for a trolley line as described is more general than many of the croakers have been willing to admit.

It is true that New Jersey, as a whole, has more railroad and trolley lines, in proportion to its area, than any other state in the Union. It is also true that central South Jersey has two of the finest railroads on earth. For long distance travel they could not be excelled, but for short trips along their lines we must have the trolley before we can do very much in locating factories and securing other improvements. This is self-evident to thinking men.

We are told on good authority that the W. J. & S. R. R. carries more freight out of the state than the whole state of Florida sends out. Also, that the per capita of manufactured articles in this state is greater than that of any other state in the Union, or any nation on the face of the globe. But the fact remains that this section is badly handicapped by lack of a trolley line from Philadelphia to the sea, and cannot keep step in the march of progress and improvement with other parts of the state because the others have trolley lines, which gives them factories. We cannot get what honestly belongs to us, because we are behind the times in this very important particular. Vermont and other states north of us, where it costs more to build one mile of railroad than to build ten in South Jersey, have trolley cars in abundance. Why may we not have them? We may have, and right soon, if we go after them as the boy went after the woodchuck. "Get him? I've got to get him; we're out of meat at our house, and the preacher is coming."

Let us all go after this trolley woodchuck, and we'll get him.
I. A. VANPETER.

Hammonton is a live town, of live people, where health and happiness await your coming.

DEAR SIRS:—In the "Republican" of May 20th, I note an article referring to the tricking of automobilists; also to 22 arrests being made for violation of speed law, etc. As correspondent for seven Philadelphia, three Atlantic City and two New York dailies, the burden of blame for any incorrect statement emanating from Hammonton, would probably be placed on my shoulders, hence, in fair play I respectfully request that you publish this letter and allow me to make my position clear.

The article referring to a trick practiced on drivers of machines, was published in the daily papers on Friday, May 22, was dated from Hammonton, and referred to "a measured mile on the County Boulevard south of Hammonton." The article regarding 22 arrests was published four days later and distinctly said these 22 arrests were made at Elwood, although wired from Hammonton. These articles were both true and correct, and were not used in conjunction with each other, as your editorial implies.

As correspondent for certain dailies I cover the territory between Haddon Heights and Egg Harbor City, exclusive of these places, and am compelled by the telegraph company to date all despatches from Hammonton.

In writing other stories that method is frequently practiced by district correspondents. Time and time again I have let good stories go, because I was not sure of correctness of details; hence I trust you will favor me with publication of my denial of carelessness, incorrectness, or any desire to injure the town whose best interests I have for years endeavored to advance.
June 2, 1914.

Sincerely, THOS. B. DELKER.

O. C. Daminger's wagon containing two boys, was run into, last Friday evening, by a "racer" auto, smashing the wagon into bits, but not injuring occupants or horse. The driver of the machine, finding no one injured, proceeded on.

Mrs. Will, Birdsell, of Pleasantville, died suddenly after an operation, on Monday. Mr. B., a brother of our townsman, is quite well known here, having been employed as a carpenter. Funeral services were held on Thursday.

On Sunday, the driver of an automobile attempted to turn at Elvin's corner, but having little experience, smashed into a pole, bruising him, also a little girl, and shaking up the ladies. The auto was badly damaged.

Friehofer's huge advertising auto wagon, resembling those used in circuses, containing a whole band electrically run, paraded the streets Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, and entertained hundreds, young and old.

Un-Claimed Letters.

The following letters remained unclaimed for in the Hammonton Post Office on Wednesday, June 3, 1914:

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Also, a line, all sizes, of soft tan collars—two for a quarter goods—which we will sell, for a short time, at three for twenty-five cents.

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Neckwear. The finest to be had.—Knit and silk, 25 c, 50 c, and 75 c.

Scout Hose. Lisle, 25 cents; Silk, 50 cents.

Leading colors.

Boys' Shirts. With separate collar to match, 55 c. Without collar, 50 cts.

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In black and tan, \$3.50 and \$4.

High Shoes, rubber soles, black and tan, \$3.50 and \$4. These are all \$4 and \$4.50 value.

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two shades of tan, at \$3.50. These are all \$4 value.

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Black Calf Oxfords, with rubber soles, \$3

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