

SAYREVILLE.

NEWS OF THE UPPER AND LOWER PART OF TOWN

SAYREVILLE, Sept. 17. — Mrs. Philip Bossong is ill at her home with an attack of lumbago.

John Wood is confined to his home with rheumatism.

Mrs. N. M. Townley, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in Northwestern New York, has returned home.

Miss Myra Varnell has returned home after a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Miss Mabel Beckman, after spending a few days with friends in Greater New York, has returned home.

Harvey Disbrow, of the U. S. S. North Dakota, is visiting his parents.

Mrs. Charles M. Fisher and daughter, Mrs. Louise, have returned after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Fisher's father in Odessa, N. Y.

Mrs. Benjamin Ehrlich, child and mother, spent Sunday with Charles Ehrlich.

Miss Mena Standerson, cashier at the Sayre & Fisher store, is enjoying a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thorne and son, Edgar, spent the week-end in Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, of Red Bank, spent Sunday with their son, Fred Davis, and family.

Mrs. Gardner, of South River, was the Sunday guest of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Cordes.

Rodman Heckman, of Philadelphia, is spending his vacation with his cousin, Clifford Rodan.

Miss Clara Moore, of New Brunswick, was entertained at the home of her aunt on Sunday.

Rudolph Draeger, who has been enjoying a week's vacation, has returned home.

Miss Gertrude Edwards spent Saturday in New Brunswick with her sister, Mrs. Holsifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bossong and daughter are spending a few days with Mr. Bossong's parents.

Mrs. August Cheveller has returned to her home after a few days spent at Ocean Grove.

Mrs. Felix Stophanski, of South River, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Stephen Gill, on Monday.

From Upper Sayreville. Fred Albert began work in Milltown morning, assisting Mr. Christ in carpentry work.

John Erickson visited his aunt, Mrs. Nelson, of Newark, on Thursday.

Postmaster Thompson went over Hendrickson's route on Saturday in place of John Chmielewski.

A. Schmidt will assist the committee in charge of the arrangements for the fair to be held in Segel's hall by the Workingmen's Sick Benefit Society on September 19, 20 and 21.

John Hart, Jr., has purchased a new automobile.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the Presbyterian parsonage to-night to welcome their pastor, Rev. R. K. Stier, from his trip to Europe.

Mrs. C. W. Fisher on Sunday accidentally jammed several hatpins into her throat.

Miss Matilda Major enjoyed Sunday evening with several of her girl friends, among them being Misses Schied and Clieker.

Mrs. Saboli has returned from a visit to New York with her daughter, Stella.

Mrs. Joseph Patsie and family spent Saturday evening with Lakeview avenue relatives.

George Wagner entertained a party of young men at Victor Burkshot's tontorial parlor on Saturday evening by rendering piano selections. The program was arranged by Harvey Nelson.

Rev. Dietrich, of Scranton, Pa., is spending his vacation with relatives in town.

Mrs. R. R. Stier entertained a girl friend at her home on Sunday.

A garage, 16x14 feet, will be erected on West Main street for the use of John Hart.

John Schied has accepted a position as an apprentice painter from Hans Popp.

Thirty-six new missionary programs have been purchased for use in the German Presbyterian Sunday School.

William Schmale, of Hermann's boarding house, is helping Armstrong & Weller, plumbers, of South River.

"Jack Horner Pie."

To-night in the Methodist Church a sale of pie, seven cents a slice, ice cream, seven cents a plate; coffee, 5 cents a cup, will be held. Also a large "Jack Horner" pie, with an immense crust, will adorn the center of the room, and you can pull the string for a nickel. This pie will be formed by Mrs. R. F. Fountain, and on former occasions it has created lots of merriment.

Personals.

Louis Greenfield is erecting a small cottage at the rear of his new store building on Ferry street, near Jackson.

The Catholic Church, Our Lady of Victory, of Sayreville, held a barn dance last night in Bisset's Park. The event was largely attended and a good time enjoyed by all. Good music was furnished for dancing.

Mrs. William Roller, who has been confined to her home several months with illness, walked yesterday to the home of Mrs. John H. Serviss, where she made a pleasant visit. This will be delightful news to the many friends of Mrs. Roller.

Daniel Parkinson, who has been enjoying a vacation at Mt. Beacon, N. Y., has returned home.

Miss Beulah Stultz has returned from Asbury Park and is now boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Lyle.

Mrs. Charles Bergen will entertain the Circle of King's Daughters at her home on Wednesday evening.

Miss Sarah DeVoe, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William Martin, of Fairhaven, has returned home.

Rumor says that a popular young man of the borough who was also a former business man in town, has become a

SOUTH RIVER.

GRANT DAVIS' BODY RECOVERED

Buried in Potters' Field— Council Changes Plans About Newly Acquired Land—Borough Dock in Bad State — Social Items of the Town.

SOUTH RIVER, Sept. 17.—The body of Grant Davis, colored, who lost his life in the South River by falling headlong from the borough dock, striking his head against the steamer South River, was found yesterday afternoon floating near the meadows, in front of Fred Hausman's hotel, on the causeway.

The body was viewed by Coroner Harding, who gave a permit to have it removed to Morgan's morgue. As there were no relatives to claim the body, it was interred in the Potter's field, in Monumental Cemetery.

Davis had been drinking heavily, and the theory is that he was intoxicated at the time the accident occurred, losing his balance as he started down the gang plank to go on board the steamer, on which he worked.

Mr. Whitehead Annoyed. We are told that Edward Whitehead is exasperated over the decision of Borough Council to fence in a strip of land which he sold to them on which to lay a portion of the borough's trunk sewer, and which strip of land was, according to the deed, to be used as a continuation of Water street. The council ordered that all traffic must cease on their newly acquired ground. The policemen have been ordered to arrest the first violator. The council contends that the width of the newly acquired section is too narrow to be officially accepted and maintained as a public street.

It is 35 feet wide, while the ordinance calls for all new streets to be 50 feet. We are promised some interesting stunts when the council puts up the fence to cut off traffic and Mr. Whitehead proceeds to tear it down.

Borough Dock Needs to be Repaired. The borough dock is in a most dilapidated condition and unless some repairing is done to it very soon it will be into the river. The New York and New Jersey Steamboat Co., however, expects, according to an agreement made at the time the dock was leased to them, to put the dock in first class condition. If they procrastinate too long the company will not only need a pile driver to repair the work, but also a mud digger to scoop up the old one, which eventually will fall into the river. As a number of people gather every night on the dock to watch the steamer come in, we might in addition to hearing that the dock has collapsed, hear that some life was lost, too.

Spin for Jensen's New Yacht. The beautiful motor yacht built by the Lindberg for Carl Jensen, superintendent of Herrmann's landkerchief factory, was given a trial spin to the Amboy light house yesterday. The yacht, under the charge of William Gross, a representative of the Buffalo Engine Company. This firm installed the powerful 50-horse power engine used in the vessel, and the representative was well pleased with its work. A speed of 12 knots an hour was maintained from the light house to the borough dock. The vessel is 55 feet long, 14 feet wide and is 6 1/2 feet deep. The hull is made of red cedar and oak, and the interior is finished in mahogany. Staterooms, a reception hall and a kitchen have been partitioned off, providing accommodations for a party of twenty, to go on a cruise.

Party to Seidlers. Those who enjoyed the launch party in Bartz's naphtha launch to Coney Island on Saturday afternoon were the Misses Lizzie Rackenback, Rose and Alma Schlegel, Carrie Splatter, Mrs. Gertrude Holthausen and son Rudolf, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Bartz, Miss Bertha Winkler, Max Nagle, Fred Muschick, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Unkel and sons.

After their arrival home and some rest and refreshment, the party continued on to Seidler's Beach, where they enjoyed a delicious fish dinner.

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BEGINNING WITH TO-MORROW

The Home News will give away Free a pass good for two seats at the New Brunswick Opera House to the person whose name is hidden among the SUBURBAN news items in this paper each day. The ticket will be good for two seats for any matinee or evening, except Saturday, within three days after the name of the winner appears.

Watch the Home News Suburban News every evening. Names will be picked at random from news items appearing on previous days.

The name of the winner each day will appear as follows:

Miss Jennie Walters wins the Home News theatre tickets to-day.

All passes will be given out at the Home News office and will be good for two of the best orchestra seats.

Look for your name. It may appear any day.

MILLTOWN.

MICHELIN TO HAVE FRENCH SCHOOL

For Convenience of French Children in Borough—To Be Private One—Shower for Miss Christ.

MILLTOWN, Sept. 17.—A French school is now being prepared across from the main office of the Michelin Tire Company. It is said that a French teacher will have a private school for only the French children. This will be a very nice school, centrally located, heated by steam from the factory, and entirely under their own authority.

Miss Peltier taught there for about three years, but it was some ten years ago, when a primary room was needed and the present postoffice was the only school north Milltown had. Casper Gronley and four friends went on hunting last Friday night, which is a favorite sport with several young men of Milltown. Although not of the correct species, they obtained one having a streak of white down its back.

Last Friday evening several young lady friends of Miss Mamie Christ, of Van Liew avenue, gave her a shower of presents in anticipation of her wedding.

William Becker and Oscar Lindstrom are about to form a plumbing and hardware company under the name of William Becker & Co. There is much building and repairing going on in Milltown, and we wish them success in their undertaking.

Mrs. Hermann is a Philadelphia visitor to-day.

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DAYTON.

ITEMS ABOUT PEOPLE THAT YOU MAY KNOW

DAYTON, Sept. 17.—A party of friends from Cranbury gave a delightful surprise party to Joseph Reynolds a few evenings ago, in honor of his birthday. Games and music were enjoyed, refreshments were served and at a late hour all departed having spent an enjoyable evening.

Mrs. John Siegle is spending some time with friends in Pennsylvania.

Miss Mary Luttman has returned from Lakewood, where she was visiting her brother and family.

Dewitt Turner, of Princeton College, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. J. B. Clark.

The public school opened last week with the following teachers: Miss Green, of Wellsboro, Pa.; Miss Swain, of Bordentown, and Miss Henrietta Osborn, of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stout, of Plainsboro, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Day.

Gulick Snedeker and LeRoy Van Derveer motored to New Brunswick in Mr. Snedeker's new roadster.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Applegate, of Applegate, are visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Applegate.

Miss Dora Stites, of East Orange, is being entertained at the home of Mrs. Mary Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heath and family, and Miss Blanche Everson, of New Brunswick, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Conover.

Miss Edna Buckalew, of George street, New Brunswick, was the week-end guest of Miss Harriet Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Matzke and children, who moved to Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Matzke held a position with the Michelin Tire Co., has resigned his position and is now home.

Miss Grace Ewan, of Williamsburg, Va., is spending some time with her cousin, Miss Estelle Van Derveer.

Miss Lida Hubbard entertained a number of young people at her home a few evenings ago.

W. K. C. Thompson, of Princeton University, spent a few days with Mrs. Mary Osborn and family.

Mrs. Cole, of South River, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gulick Snedeker.

Miss Luella Reynolds, of Pleasant Hill, spent a few days of last week with her cousin, Miss Florence Reynolds.

Mrs. Mabel Morris, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ely over Sunday.

Mrs. Oliver Nixon has been entertaining her sisters, Mrs. Wm. Parent and son, and Miss Cella Yard, of Imlaystown.

Miss Estelle Van Derveer and Grace Ewan were the guests of Miss Sarah Applegate, of Trenton, last week.

Mrs. Hermann Sanders and daughter, of Brooklyn, visited her parents, Friday.

Mrs. Mary A. Ely, who has been spending the summer with her granddaughter, of Detroit, has returned to her home.

Mrs. McChesney, of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Andrew Ely.

Mrs. A. Shreve, Mr. and Mrs. P. Matzke and family, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shreve, of Jamesburg.

Mrs. A. W. Deam, of Orange, was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry MacDonald last week.

Mrs. Henry MacDonald spent Friday with his sister, Mrs. Tomlinson, of Mercerville.

OLD BRIDGE.

PROGRESSIVE CLUB HAS 115 MEMBERS

OLD BRIDGE, Sept. 17.—A committee has been appointed by the president of the Middlesex Progressive Club at Old Bridge, known as the executive committee, in accordance with the resolution passed at the regular meeting held on September 4. Their duties will be to formulate and put into effect plans for an active campaign in the townships of East Brunswick and Madison and the borough of Spotswood. The committee follows:

Madison—Frank Cottrill, Abram Burlew, Jr., James Polan, Thomas Wooten, George C. Baker.

East Brunswick—Charles Herbert, Charles H. Gilliland, Alonzo Green, Charles Reid, William E. Rivers.

Spotswood—Thomas J. Brown, Allen R. Kelly, Howard E. Killey, J. R. Appleby, Jr., Charles H. DeVoe.

The club has become one of the strongest in the county, having at present enrolled 115 members. It sent a delegation 33 strong to the county convention at New Brunswick last Saturday.

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JAMESBURG.

TOWN WAS IN DARKNESS AGAIN

JAMESBURG, Sept. 17.—The town was again in darkness Saturday night until after ten o'clock owing to the breaking of some parts of the power house machinery. This necessitated the calling off of the shows, which were to be held in the Liberty Theatre and Lancia's Hall.

Harvey Hausser spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Harry Witt, of South Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene G. Van spent Sunday at Roehling as guests of Mrs. Van Cleef.

Albert Owens, Jr., of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with his family at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Owens, Sr., of Jamesburg.

George W. Richards is recovering from an attack of neuritis. Mrs. Annie Pettit spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Gilliland, at Spotswood.

Thomas Peterson, of the Liberty Theatre, spent Sunday in New York City.

Howard Asson, Norman H. Johnson and Erving Smith were present at the home of Mrs. John Parline.

Mrs. Gussie Van Dyke and Melvin, of Rocky Hill, were Sunday guests of Mrs. John Parline.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Cronk of the local shirt factory, spent this week for an outing in Connecticut among relatives and friends.

Miss S. Matilda Mount will be in charge of the business during Crosby's absence.

Mrs. Carrie Everitt has accepted a position at the State Home for Boys as teacher in the new grade school, to be opened the first of the coming month.

Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Voorhees, will return to the school this week. They have entered the Wyoming Seminary, Kingston, Pa.

Miss Bessie Baremore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Baremore, has entered the State School at Albany, N. Y.

MONMOUTH JUNCTION.

G. GROENDYKE'S HOME VISITED BY VALUABLE MALTESE CAT

MONMOUTH JUNCTION, Sept. 17.—A few evenings ago a beautiful Maltese cat strolled into the home of George Groendyke, at this place. Mr. Groendyke seeing the animal was of a more than ordinary breed, examined it and found a valuable collar engraved with its neck, and bearing a tag on which was printed 61 West 51st street, New York. Groendyke forwarded a postal card to that address and Sunday M. E. Jones of Kingston, visited the finder and stated that the cat's owner was visiting in Canada and had left the animal, with about 50 other felines, in his care, at Kingston. It developed that Kitty had wandered from the fold over a week before it was found and was compelled to seek at Mr. Groendyke's for something to eat. The cat was returned to Kingston and Mr. Jones feels greatly relieved having been on its trail since the cat came afflicted with wanderlust.

Fred Schmidt is suffering from a badly swollen and lacerated left eye, caused by being struck with a piece of metal which he up when Mr. Schmidt was returning home, after spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Chas. M. Dell.

A. V. Stout and Wm. C. Stryker motored to Somerville Sunday and visited Duke's Park at that place.

Ernest Mershon has returned from a visit to New Brunswick.

Mrs. Michael Burchell was a week-end visitor in New Brunswick.

Mrs. Henry Cortelyou and son spent visiting her sister, Mrs. William Dyke, at this place.

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