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Forty-first Year.

WATER RATES BOOSTED BY COMMISSION

City Fathers Will Give Public Hearing on Ordinance March 30—Fireman Cathcart Resigns and Successor Appointed.

An ordinance establishing new water rates in this city and Highland Park was passed on first and second readings at this morning's session of the City Commissioners. It provides that for each 1,000 cubic feet of water consumed the rate shall be \$1.50, payable quarterly, and that the minimum yearly rate shall be \$15.

STATE HOUSE GETS SCRAP IN 3RD DISTRICT

Fight Between Gannon and Brown Over Delegate Place is Carried Into Conference With Edwards—Geran Will Stay in Race.

TRENTON, Mar. 16.—The fight within the Democratic ranks in the Third Congressional District, embracing Middlesex, Monmouth and Ocean counties over the delegates to the Democratic National Convention to be held in San Francisco, this year was carried to the State House last night. Conferences were held with Governor Edwards by supporters of State Senator Thomas Gannon and Clerk Bernard M. Brown.

MEETING OF HIGHLAND PARK BOARD OF HEALTH At eight o'clock sharp at 30 North Second avenue, Highland Park. The new Board will organize. All members should be present.

WAIT! WAIT! Saturday, March 20th, we are going to open our new home for you to come and get your Easter Hat. The new and latest and best will be found in our new home in MILLBURY and SILK UNDERWEAR.

MARCH RECORDS. G. R. S. ROLLS AND MUSIC Call at once at MONTALVO'S and hear all the new numbers. There are many big popular songs and dance hits and some beautiful special numbers by the world's greatest artists.

THE DAILY HOME NEWS.

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THE WEATHER PROBABLY RAIN TONIGHT AND WEDNESDAY. Twelve Pages—Two Cents

None But Saloonkeepers For Jury Duty Soon, Is View of Hudson Senator

(By Associated Press) TRENTON, Mar. 16.—The Senate today passed a bill exempting dentists from jury duty. The measure was opposed by Senator Alexander Simpson of Hudson County, who declared that all the professions are being released from jury duty and that soon saloonkeepers will be the only ones eligible. He says he has no jobs any more anyway.

TEACHER USED YARD STICK IN CHARGE OF PUPIL

A warrant for the arrest of Miss White in the Bonhamtown school, was issued by Justice of Peace Charles W. Sedam this morning. The warrant is for assault and battery, and developed from an alleged beating inflicted by her on a pupil of her class yesterday. The complainant is Mrs. Gertrude Curtis, of the Township of Raritan, and mother of Frances Stevens, a ten-year-old girl, who is alleged to have been blackened and bruised after being struck repeatedly by a yard stick in the hands of her teacher.

South Plainfield Man Lost Life In Saturday's Storm

The body of Joseph Tahlette, 30 years of age, whose home was on Church street, South Plainfield, was found last night lying in a field about 400 yards from the Central Railroad of New Jersey where it had probably been lying since Saturday night. There had been no foul play and the man was not mutilated and in the man's pockets was found a handsome gold watch, a pocketbook containing \$6.80 and a pint flask of whiskey.

Father Quinn Has Not Declared for Beer or Wines

Rev. Father Quinn, pastor of St. Paul's Church, Highland Park, tells the Home News today that he was misquoted in our account of his remarks at Sunday's masses with reference to beer and wine. He is an advocate of the temperance cause of the country by William H. Anderson of the Anti-Saloon League of New York. Rev. Quinn was quoted as saying that he, personally, is an advocate of beer and light wines, and to this statement he takes exception.

De Voe Measure on State College Tuition Fees Passes House

(By Special Correspondent) TRENTON, Mar. 16.—Assemblymen passed a measure providing for an increase in the tuition fees at the New Jersey Agricultural College, State Department, by the House today. Under a provision of the bill the tuition rate is increased to \$200.

Rolfe Will Leave Estate to Widow

The will of Garnett A. Rolfe, late of this city, was admitted to probate today by Surrogate Clayton on application of Margaret H. Rolfe, widow of the testator, who is named as executrix. The will was drawn January 7, 1896, and witnessed by Theodore E. Booren and John S. Voorhees. It leaves \$500 to Estelle Wyckoff, daughter of the testator, and the rest of the estate to the widow.

Thirty Persons Killed in Fighting at Hamburg

(By Associated Press) COPENHAGEN, Mar. 16.—Thirty persons were killed including some women and children in yesterday's fighting at Hamburg between Citizen Guards and Baltic troops, according to that city state.

LYONS' MARKET COMMISSIONER BILL ADOPTED

House Also Approves One Measure by DeVoe and Defeats One—Other Bills Get OK in Assembly—Conference This Afternoon.

(By Special Correspondent) TRENTON, Mar. 16.—A Republican conference on important measures before the House of Assembly, including the one to put Motor Vehicle Commissioner under the Republican State Comptroller, is the headline in the Legislative doing scheduled here this afternoon. The prospects of a number of bills will likely be decided by the G. O. P. Assemblymen will likely be determined by this caucus. The Republicans hold the whip hand in the House and upon their decision to kill or pass a partisan measure rests its fate.

GOVERNOR AGREES TO SIGN AERO BILL; FRELINGHUYSEN AIDS

It was learned today from State Senator Thomas Brown, who plotted the bill in the Senate, that Governor Edwards has promised to sign the bill establishing a course in aeronautical engineering at Rutgers College. This will leave the matter entirely in the hands of the appropriations committee, and although Chairman Whitney has not agreed to stand for an appropriation he has admitted the value of the course. Even if the appropriation is not secured the bill will permit it to be made at any future time.

Ludendorf Meets With Kapp Cabinet

(By Associated Press) LONDON, Mar. 16.—The new government at Berlin held a cabinet council last night which was attended by General Ludendorf of the former German army.

Ebert Cabinet Refuses to Conduct Negotiations With the Revolutionists

Tappen Named to Township Committee By Justice Bergen

Acting on a petition filed by Edmund A. Hayes, counsel for Raritan Township, Justice James Bergen issued an order yesterday appointing Everett B. Tappen a member of the Raritan Township Committee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Peter S. Meeker. Mr. Tappen is a Democrat and his appointment to the committee changes its political complexion. Mr. Meeker who is a Republican, resigned a member of the Township Committee on March 5 and at the same meeting was appointed road supervisor at a salary of \$1,500 per annum. With the resignation of Mr. Meeker the committee became evenly divided politically, but the Democrats stole the march on their Republican friends and had Justice Bergen appoint Mr. Tappen.

More Troops in Berlin

BERLIN, Monday, March 15.—Heavy troop reinforcements were received this morning by the new government, the troops marching in from various nearby garrisons. Chancellor Kapp who was carried into office on the point of only \$5,000 bayonets three days ago has thus

STORE AND OFFICES FOR RENT

SEE MONTALVO IF YOU WANT TO LOCATE IN AN UP-TO-DATE BUILDING IN THE BEST LOCATION IN THIS CITY.

Alfred S. March Resigns Utility Post; Move Has Long Been Contemplated

Impaired Health and Financial Considerations Are Back of Decision—Has Given State Able Service—Term Has Three Years to Run.



ALFRED S. MARCH

Taking a step which he has long contemplated and to which he was moved by considerations of health and finance, Public Utility Commissioner Alfred S. March of this city today tendered to Governor Edward I. Edwards his resignation from the Utility Commission, to take effect at once. Mr. March was named to the post by Governor Walter E. Edge in 1917.

Von Hindenburg Says He Has Nothing to do With German Revolt and Disapproves of it—Naval Officers Killed at Kiel

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Text of Reservation

As adopted after the defeat of all the efforts to change it, the Lodge reservation reads: "The United States assumes no obligations to preserve the territorial integrity or political independence of any other country by the employment of its military or naval forces, its resources or any form of economic discrimination or to interfere in any way in controversies between nations, including all controversies relating to territorial integrity or political independence, whether members of the league or not, under the provisions of Article X, or to employ the military or naval forces of the United States, under any article of the treaty for any purpose, unless in any particular case the Congress, which under the Constitution has the sole power to declare war or authorize the employment of the military or naval forces of the United States, shall in the exercise of full liberty of action, by act or joint resolution, so provide.

REV. ARTHUR HAYES TO PREACH AT ST. PAUL'S

Rev. Arthur Hayes of Camden, will preach tomorrow evening at St. Paul's Church, Highland Park.

RENT GOUGING IN NEW JERSEY TOLD TO SOLONS

Legislative Committee Has Public Hearing on House Bills Nos. 199 and 200—Newark and Jersey City Officials Give Views.

(By Special Correspondent) TRENTON, March 16.—The biggest question before the present Legislature is that of the housing and rent profiteering situation, the House Committee on Taxation was told yesterday afternoon by a number of speakers who came here to urge favorable action by the committee on House bills Nos. 199 and 200, introduced by Assemblyman Hansen of Hudson county, and backed in part by City Commissioner Gannon of Jersey City. Bill No. 200 is the most vital. It would require landlords to give tenants a reasonable time to find new dwelling quarters when they raise the rent and the tenant cannot meet it. Now the tenant has only a month's notice, and in the present scarcity of houses it is many times impossible to find new quarters in the 30 days of grace. The bill further would make it impossible to dispossess tenants during the months between October and March, when

FASHION SHOW IS AWAITED BY THOUSANDS HERE

The coming Fashion Show is the talk of the town. Milady awaits the show with eager anticipation. The merchants are going to do their best to fulfill these expectations. The young men of the city who like stylish clothes are also eager to see if the word of the merchants count for anything and we believe that it does, the young men of this city are going to be treated to one of the finest style shows in the country. The Fashion Show will open one week from tomorrow. The merchants have spent weeks preparing for this event and beginning next week all the latest styles in wearing apparel will be exhibited by the merchants of the city. Thousands of people from the suburbs are expected to migrate to this city to inspect the styles. The merchants have advertised the show throughout the county and from reports emanating from the suburban correspondents it is an assured fact that the suburbanites will be found hob-nobbing in the crowds at the show.

Permanent Organization of Raritan Association Effected at Perth Amboy—Constitution is Adopted—Many Fine Addresses Given.

Under favorable auspices that augur big things in the future, the Raritan Deeper Waterways Association was launched last night at Perth Amboy when permanent organization was formally accomplished. The temporary officers were made permanent upon the recommendation of the committee on permanent organization, consisting of E. L. Blood, of Highland Park; Robert Carson, of New Brunswick; Mayor John J. Quaid, of Sayreville; Stanhope Nixon, of the Nixon Nitration Works; and F. E. Hilton, secretary of the Perth Amboy Chamber of Commerce. Those who attended from the city were Mayor John J. Morrison, E. L. Blood, A. Peyton and C. S. Atkinson, of Highland Park.

Who Had Stick? is Question in Assault Trial of Julia Brice

Widely divergent accounts of an altercation as a result of which Julia Brice, colored, of Metuchen, was indicted by the Grand Jury for atrocious assault and battery were told at Perth Amboy in the County Court this morning by the defendant and by the complaining witnesses. Martha E. Osborne of Metuchen, her own attorney, and her mother, Miriam Solt, claimed that they were the victims of an unjustified attack by Mrs. Brice and the latter faced three indictments as a result of their charges, the three indictments being tried jointly. Mrs. Brice claimed that Mrs. Osborne was the aggressor and that she merely defended herself.

Simons Free on Bail; Molnar Bail Forfeited

Cataldo Simone, held as a material witness against Samuel Sidote of Woodbridge, charged with a recent murder there, was released today when bail was fixed at \$2,000 by Judge Daly.

THE RISHELL VERGON PHOTOGRAPH

There is no talk of a machine on the market that has any practical improvements incorporated in the RISHELL which has secured its well deserved reputation so quickly. Although this instrument has been advertised as much as some others you will fully understand why MONTALVO sells so many of them if you will call, hear and compare it with EASY TERMS, of course.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

The regular monthly meeting for the month of March has been postponed. Next meeting April 6, 11:15-12:15.

No, It's Not too Late to Subscribe to Near East Relief Fund.--E. V. Kent, Treasurer, National Bank