

✂ All The News From Surrounding Towns. ✂

SOUTH AMBOY

MAN'S BODY FOUND BESIDE THE TRACKS.

Was from Keyport and Had Evidently Fallen from Freight Train.

The body of a man was found Tuesday night on the Central railroad, not far from the P. R. R. station. His name was John Bodner, and he had been working for the American Outlery Company, of Keyport, and left there about noon, Tuesday. He had a slight gash in his head and one of his arms was broken. He was lying beside one of the tracks and it is supposed that he might have been riding on a freight train, or on the 9.50 a. m. from this place and been thrown off while going around the curve. He had eighty-four cents in his pocket and some business cards from a hotel in Newark. It is said that he had a brother in Newark and also a cousin in this borough by the name of Nobach. Acting coroner Scully was notified and took the body to his morgue.

ROBBERY A MYSTERY.

No Clue to the Thief who Took the Money from Bureau Drawer.

No clue has yet been obtained to the thief who stole the money from a bureau drawer locked, and in a room with no outside entrance, supposedly at night when all were asleep in the house, but with men passing by most any time from the docks. Mr. Sprague, it is said, did not know how much money his wife had, for it seems that the money was hers and that only the day before she had added five dollars to the amount.

Could someone have been across the street and have seen her when she was doing this and in same way managed to secrete themselves in the house? If so, they must have gotten out of the window and climbed down, with only shutters to step on. Some think that is the way they must have entered the house and wonder how it was that they weren't seen. It is liable to always remain a mystery.

Some years ago a man living in one of the same row of houses—it may have been the same house—hid some bills in a picture frame. The picture hung in the parlor and one day the man's wife took the picture down from the wall and looked through a knothole in the wood in back of the picture frame to see if the money was all right. They were twenty dollar bills and she said she saw the figures plainly and knew they were still there. The next day they were gone and the only solution to the mystery was that a pedler, who had gone by the window, had seen her and had come there afterwards and taken the money. At that time very few residents of the village, as it was called then, ever thought of locking their doors in the day time and there were a number of men and women pedlers whom they patronized from month to month.

DELIGHTFUL RIDE.

Party went to Keyport to Visit Lodge—A Beautiful Night.

Joseph Lykes, of Bay View House, reports a very enjoyable time at the 7th anniversary of the Lady Golfers Lodge No. 13 L. O. O. F., of Keyport, which he attended in company with seven members of Lady Grace Lodge, of this borough, Monday evening. The ride in a large covered wagon with comfortable side seats, was a very enjoyable one.

The air while driving through the woods was very mild and scented with the spicy odors from the same until they reached Cheesequake, when they inhaled the air from the waters of the creek and very soon noticed the change. Mr. Charles Rose furnished the wagon. At Keyport they met a number of guests from Newark, Jersey City and Asbury Park. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was passed while there. Brother Joseph Lykes, with others, entered into social chat and remarks were made concerning the number 13. Some said the number was never thought unlucky, but it was now considered quite as lucky as No. 7. Brother Lykes seemed quite elated over the fact that, as he stated there and then, he had brought seven sisters along with him that evening. Coming home the night was made very bright with Luna's smiles, and the ride doubly enjoyable as she sailed gracefully in the sky overhead and lit up the woods around them.

MRS. JOSEPH HAHN DEAD.

Mrs. H. Kollisch, of Broadway, attended the funeral of her brother, Rabbi W. Joseph Hahn's wife, at Newark, on Sunday. Mrs. Hahn was the sister of Rabbi Adolph Kulsch, the highest Rabbi in New York. The funeral was very largely attended. The floral offerings were magnificent and she looked as if asleep in the midst of them. She was greatly beloved by her many friends and their floral tributes filled three large tables, one piece alone covered the casket. The flowers perfumed the air so that it was noticed a block away from the house.

Mrs. Hahn leaves seven children, three daughters, and four sons, three of whom are lawyers.

LIABLE TO FALL.

The flag pole at School No. 2 is liable to topple over any minute as it is cracked even with the ground and is only held up by a very slight brace. The parties who were going to paint it wouldn't do soon 'account of the danger there would be in climbing it.

LIGHT SHINES AGAIN.

The George street residents were delighted to see the electric light shining once more. They still crave another light near the bridge and wonder why they do not get it, as the councilmen know how much one is needed there.

AN UNUSUAL CATCH.

Walter Mundy caught a large white drum fish, weighing sixty pounds, and a haddock weighing about three pounds, in his seine Tuesday night. A haddock has never been known to have been caught in the bay before. A drum fish has been caught occasionally, but does not inhabit these waters.

NEWS ITEMS.

Marguerite Thomas and Clara Reynolds, of Second street, are anticipating an enjoyable visit with Clara's uncle and family at Newark, next Friday.

Mr. Kollisch's new building has received a coat of paint.

Thomas Kerr, of Broadway, suffers with rheumatism.

Prof. Kerr will play with a New Brunswick Band at the Fireman's parade at Allentown, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Massey has had the two very tall apple trees in front of his houses, on First street, sawed off.

Mrs. Edwin Furman, of Bath Beach, spent Tuesday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Straub, of the Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Lavitt, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kollisch Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. Lavitt and Mrs. S. Rubenstein went to Newark, Sunday morning.

Miss Dora Eler, of Main street, has stopped attending the Trenton Normal school and may enter a business college, it is said.

Joseph More, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Proctor, of Mechanicsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Applegate, of Deanes, N. J., was calling on relatives in town Tuesday.

Mr. Hiner, of South River, called on Mr. Max Kaufman and friends in town Tuesday evening.

Miss Ella George and Mr. George Bishop, of Murry Hill, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mont Willett, of George street.

Miss Mary Lucitt, of Mechanicsville, has accepted a position in a store in New Brunswick.

The M. P. church, Rev. H. Hampton, pastor, will hold their ninth Dollar Roll at the home of A. J. Dill, 14 Main street, October 13.

Mr. and Mrs. John Froctor, Miss Mae Lucitt and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones, of Mechanicsville, have returned home after visiting Mr. Joseph More, of New Egypt.

Isaac VanDusen, of Rahway, visited his brother Dave, of Church street, Sunday. Mr. Dave VanDusen, who was taken ill while at work and taken to his home, is still quite ill. It was thought at first that he would never have the use of his legs again, but it is said there is hopes now that he will come around all right.

The men who have made the largest fortunes in business are those who have been the most extensive advertisers.

TOTTENVILLE.

The Evening News is on sale at Ostburg's 44 Main street, and at John Boss' Hotel, formerly John Kall's stand. Extra copies of the News and all New York papers can always be secured.

FAIR BEGINS TOMORROW.

Women have Worked Hard and Hope for Large Reward.

Tomorrow night the fair, which is to be held in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Tottenville, by the ladies of the congregation of The Church of Our Lady Help of Christians, will open. The ladies have worked hard to have everything in first class order and they hope their efforts will be rewarded by large returns into the church treasury.

The hall has been beautifully decorated by a New York decorator and will make a fine appearance. Domestic and fancy articles besides candy and cake and ice cream will be for sale. This is the second fair to be held by the ladies and as the first was a great success, they have hopes of this one surpassing the first one. A good time is promised all who attend. The money cleared will go to the church fund.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the meeting of the Daughters of the King Society, of St. Stephen's church, Amboy avenue, which was held in the lecture room of the church Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, the following officers were elected and installed for one year: President, Miss Emma Parr; treasurer, Miss G. S. Barnes; secretary, Miss Sadie VanDusen.

The meeting was well attended. After all the business had been transacted refreshments were served.

TALK OF FIRE DRILL.

The members of Citizens and Amicitia Hook and Ladder Companies, of Pleasant Plains, and of Huguenot Engine Company, of Huguenot, are talking of having a fire drill at the S. S. White Dental Works, Princess Bay, Saturday afternoon.

TALKING OF FOOTBALL.

Now that the baseball season has been closed there is considerable talk among the employees of the S. S. White Dental works, at Princess Bay, of forming a football team. If the team is formed it will be one of the strongest and best on Staten Island, for in the dental works employ are several old time football players.

WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

Boston Downed Pittsburg and Nearly Shut Them Out.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 8.—A crowd that occupied every seat in the grand stand and bleachers and every available foot of standing room and then overflowed into the field three or four deep turned out to witness the second game here of the championship series. Young's pitching was too much for the Pittsburgs. He had the home players completely at his mercy, and it was only through an error by Parent in the eighth inning that prevented him scoring a shutout.

On the other hand, Kennedy for Pittsburg was hit hard in the sixth and seventh innings, although errors were responsible for most of the runs scored. Thompson relieved Kennedy at the beginning of the eighth and did well.

Aside from Young's pitching the batting of Dougherty and Collins was the only feature. Score—Boston, 11; Pittsburg, 2.

The series now stands three to two in favor of Pittsburg.

Women Golfers Will Fight It Out.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—The first match play round of the invitation golf tournament given by Mrs. Clement A. Griscomb in honor of her guest, Miss Rhona K. Adair, the British champion, was concluded at the Merion Cricket club links at Haverford. Miss Adair won from Miss Mackey. During the day arrangements were made for an international women's team match to be played on Saturday. Nine Americans will play against nine Canadians and Englishwomen. Miss Rhona Adair will captain the English side and Mrs. C. T. Stout will head the home team.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 8.—Yale ran up a big score in defeating Wesleyan at football, making 33 points to the visitors' none. The game was marked by Yale smashing to pieces the only trick which the visitors had a chance to show the two or three times they got the ball on punts. The Yale offense was so quick in forming and in execution that it ripped to pieces the semblance of defense which the Wesleyan forwards tried to offer.

LARGE CLASS.

The night school of stenography, which has been opened in Public school No. 1, of Tottenville, by the order of the Board of Education, now has about forty students and applications from many more are being received daily. The classes are under instruction of Mr. Rutherford, an experienced stenographer and typewriter.

SECOND LECTURE TONIGHT.

The second free lecture, under the auspices of the Board of Education, of New York, will be given in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Amboy avenue, Tottenville, tonight. The subject will be "Early Poets and Bryant," and will be delivered by Dr. Curtis Hidden Page, of Columbia University. This will be the first of a course of six lectures on "The Greater American Poets."

ROSSVILLE FAIR.

The annual fair of St. John church, Rossville, which ended last night, was a great success, both socially as well as financially. One of the most notable things which attracted attention was the vegetable exhibition. Ice cream and cake were for sale.

FOOTBALL.

The Tottenville football team is out every afternoon on the Atlantic Terra Cotta Works diamond for practice. They are in fine condition and would like to hear from all teams whose weight is 110 pounds. C. Foley, Broadway, Tottenville, is the manager.

TO ARRANGE FOR BALL.

The following committee has been appointed by Court Tottenville No. 413, Foresters of America, to make arrangements for their ball and reception which will be held in the K. of P. Hall, Amboy avenue, Tottenville, Monday, November 2: James P. Bolan, chairman; James E. Huges, Peter Hanson, Charles O'Connor, Emil Krause, James Clancy, E. S. Gilderleeve.

NEWS ITEMS.

George Hoehns, chief of the Tottenville Fire Department, spent yesterday in New York.

Miss Jessie Perry, of Princess Bay, was a Tottenville visitor yesterday.

Among the visitors here yesterday were Edward Elliot, of West Brighton.

WOULD NOT FLY.

Langley's Air Ship Fell Into the Potomac.

WIDewater, Va., Oct. 8.—The sixty foot steel built flying machine, the climax of years of exhaustive study in the efforts of Professor Samuel F. Langley, secretary of the Smithsonian institution, to solve the problem of mechanical flight in midair, was launched, and the experiment, carefully planned and delayed for months, proved a complete failure. The immense air ship sped rapidly along its seventy foot track, was carried by its own momentum for a hundred yards and then fell gradually into the Potomac river, whence it emerged a total wreck.

Professor Charles M. Manley, who has been Professor Langley's chief assistant in the work preliminary to the attempted flight, made the ascent in the aerodrome and escaped with a ducking. At no time was there any semblance of flight, the initial momentum, the lightness of the machine and the sustained surface of the wings furnishing the conditions which account for the hundred yard transit of the air bird from its sixty foot elevation to the water.

An official statement made after the test admitted that the experiment was unsuccessful, but asserted confidence in the ultimate success of the invention.

Rowdoin Was Whitewashed.

AMHERST, Mass., Oct. 8.—The Amherst football team in a game with Bowdoin won an easy victory of 23 to 0 and showed continued improvement over last week's work. They had no difficulty in rushing the ball for touchdowns. On the other hand, Bowdoin was weak and failed to carry the ball through the Amherst line.

Crimsons Won Easily.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 8.—In a very one sided game Harvard defeated Bates on Soldiers' field by a score of 23 to 0. The Bates team was very light and proved weak in all departments of the game. Despite the fact that Captain Marshall was not in the game the work of the crimson was fairly good.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children's coughs. No opiates

WOODBIDGE TOWNSHIP.

WOODBRIDGE A GREAT SUCCESS.

The Congregational clambake, held on Tuesday evening, was a great success. A hundred and twenty-five suppers were served and many thanks are due to Mr. Richard Sattler, who donated several things and cooked the clams.

ANOTHER WHIST CLUB.

On Tuesday afternoon the first meeting of the Tuesday afternoon Whist Club was held at the home of Mrs. Scott B. Rathbun, Miss Susie Freeman as elected president and she will entertain the next meeting. Several new members were taken in.

NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. Cooper is the guest of Mrs. George Brewster, of Green street.

Mrs. Mace, of Brooklyn, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. M. McNulty, of Rahway avenue.

The Rally Day exercises in the Presbyterian Sunday school rooms on Sunday afternoon were of an unusually interesting character. The singing by the school and the remarks of Superintendent Breckenridge, Mr. Edgar and Dr. McNulty were thoroughly enjoyed by the audience present.

Mr. R. Hart is confined to his home by sickness.

Miss Marguerite Pfeiffer, of Maurer, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Clarence Liddle, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanby are visiting in Delaware.

Mrs. Charles Farrell has had a telephone put in his house.

Mr. Etter has bought the Fink homestead and with his family will soon occupy it.

Miss Eva Turner, of New York, has been visiting friends in Sewaren and Woodbridge.

Miss Ethel Parkhurst, of York, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. E. Collins Edgar, of Sewaren.

Miss Hufcott, of Massachusetts, is visiting Mrs. F. F. Grant.

Dr. White, of New York, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ames.

Miss Harding spent Sunday with Mrs. W. H. Demarest.

Dr. and Mrs. Ira T. Spencer are entertaining friends from out of town.

Miss Florence VanBrunt Tisdall left today for St. Xavier's Convent, where she will remain during the winter.

Mrs. Everett Ensign, of New street, entertained the "Builders" of the Methodist church, at an afternoon tea on Monday.

Mr. Prescott Sherer, of Sewaren, will be married on Wednesday.

On Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt and Elmer will leave for New York, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. Fred J. Cox is on the sick list.

Miss Gertrude Stoddard, of Sewaren, will, this week, go to her father, who is at present playing in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Demarest, of Sewaren, entertained Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brewster, at dinner on Monday evening.

Mr. William Pearson, formerly of this place, will be married on Thursday to Miss Ida Freeman, of Rahway.

DRESSER'S TALE.

Shipbuilding Company Case Brings Out Startling Particulars.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—One of the most interesting statements in connection with the formation of the ill fated United States Shipbuilding company told by D. Le Roy Dresser in legal proceedings was that after a pool of 200,000 preferred and 250,000 common stock had been placed in the hands of Harris, Gates & Co. it was agreed that none of this stock should be marketed until 25,000 preferred and 25,000 common owned by J. P. Morgan & Co. and \$75,000 of each kind owned by C. M. Schwab had been first sold.

Mr. Dresser told also of his original agreement as president of the Trust Company of the Republic to obtain the underwriting of \$3,000,000 of United States Shipbuilding company stock, how this was increased to \$4,750,000 by the failure of the French subscribers to pay up, how Mr. Schwab came to offer his own company works to the shipbuilding company and how J. P. Morgan & Co. came into the transaction.

Boris is For Peace.
BERLIN, according to a dispatch from this source, has decided to support the Macedonian uprising in the Balkans with the pacific.

WOODBRIDGE FORDS

NEWS ITEMS.

William Hamilton and son Robert, of South Plainfield, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. Hamilton, in this vicinity.

Mrs. Thomas Thompson, of Perth Amboy, spent Sunday in this vicinity with Mrs. P. O'Neil.

Miss Annie Winant has entered Wood's business college, Newark.

The dance which was held at Nelson's Saturday evening, was a great success. A couple from New Brunswick won the prize waltz which was a handsome umbrella.

E. B. Mundy and sons, Raymond and Harry, spent Sunday in Woodbridge.

Mrs. H. E. Winant spent Sunday in South Plainfield with relatives.

Miss Marjorie Fullerton spent Sunday in this vicinity with relatives.

The local school house, also the Keasbey school, have just received a load of wood and some very much needed supplies.

Charles Bloomfield entertained Miss Annie Alden, of Metuchen, and J. Stevens, of New York, Monday.

Miss Bennett, one of the school teachers, now rides her wheel back and forth from Perth Amboy.

Mrs. W. Stuart is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Aroe spent Sunday with Mrs. Aroe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stuart.

MURDER OF GONZALES.

In Tillman Trial the Defense is Entered Upon.

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 8.—The trial of J. H. Tillman for the murder of N. G. Gonzales was resumed, as Juror Milton Sharpe, who has been ill, had improved sufficiently to permit him to be in court.

The state rested without the introduction of further testimony, and the defense entered at once upon the presentation of its case.

Counsel for the defense called the motion made early in the trial that the court instruct the jury to disregard all the testimony given by witnesses for the state showing a weapon in the possession of the defendant prior to the shooting.

The first witness called by the defense was T. D. Mitchell, who lived in Columbia in 1902. He testified that he had a conversation with N. G. Gonzales relative to J. H. Tillman, reciting what he stated Gonzales said concerning the defendant. The witness said, among other things:

"He said I can slap his face and he would not resent it, and he said if he ever bats his eyes at me I'll fill him so full of lead that he will never tote it off."

The witness said that he subsequently told Mr. Tillman what he stated Mr. Gonzales said to him. On cross examination he said he forced the conversation on Mr. Gonzales.

A. J. Flowers, who was formerly a street car conductor in Columbia, testified that during the summer of 1902 Mr. Gonzales and three other men were riding on his car. He said that while he was collecting fares they were discussing politics and that he heard Mr. Gonzales say that if Mr. Tillman was elected he never would be seated. The witness added that he heard Mr. Gonzales say he would "kill that rascal."

Old Lady Killed at Falls.

HOOSICK FALLS, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Mrs. A. M. Godbee, eighty-three years old, was killed by a west bound passenger train on the Boston and Maine railroad. She was crossing the tracks at River street, where there is an unguarded crossing at grade.

Cleveland to Revisit Chicago.

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 8.—Ex-President Grover Cleveland will be the guest of honor of the Commercial club of Chicago on Oct. 14 and will make an address before the club on that occasion. He will leave for Chicago on Tuesday.

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