

**SOUTH JERSEY FARMERS
BLOCK TO ALCYON PARK
FOR ANNUAL PICNIC**

Thousands of Grangers Fill Grounds Resplendent With Mass of Displays for Yearly Frolic and Sport

From a Staff Correspondent.
PITMAN, N. J., Aug. 11.—This borough is the Mecca for an endless stream of automobiles, carriages and farm vehicles of every description today, bringing several thousand persons to Alcyon Park to attend the opening of the annual Grangers' picnic, which will continue until Friday night.

The event promises to be even a greater success than last year, when more than 10,000 persons were present. The entertainment is more elaborate, the entertainment program more extensive and the prizes more numerous than ever before.

Three tents standing side by side are occupied by N. C. T. U. delegates, respectively, the woman suffrage workers, the labor's opponents, the anti-suffragists, the orators connected with each faction and with each other constantly in drawing the audiences from the crowds that sweep past their respective strongholds.

Each booth and exhibit has its share of attention.
MANY ARTICLES DISPLAYED
There are new-fangled ploughs, washing machines, refrigerators, stoves, trucks, seeders, cultivators, silo fillers and a host of other devices of interest to farmers and their wives, as evidence that the life of the soil is no longer to be classed as a "hick."

It is pointed out that exhibits of automobiles, talking machines, pianos and automatic piano players are receiving as an enthusiastic reception as the more prosaic articles.
There are also vegetable exhibits which demonstrate the ability of the Jersey farmer to raise the choicest of watermelons, peaches, pumpkins, eggplants, cabbages and the like, while other displays show exquisite embroidery, quilting, lace and rugs turned out by the dexterous fingers of the farm wife.

At 1 o'clock the crowds reassembled to witness a motorcycle race on the half-mile track of the park. At the conclusion of this event they flocked to the open-air theatre to witness a vaudeville performance. A baseball game between the West End team, of Woodbury, and Glassboro, will mark the conclusion of the festivities for the afternoon.

EVENING PROGRAM.
This evening another vaudeville performance and dancing at the park will be provided for the enjoyment of the masses under the direction of George W. F. Gaunt, president of the local Grangers; T. W. Wynne, vice president; Theodore Brown, secretary; Albert Hermitage, treasurer, and the Committee on Entertainment, composed of Aaron B. Somers, Elmer E. Clement, George L. Dike, Albert Heritage and William H. Hoffman.

The largest attendance at the picnic is expected tomorrow, which is to be "big day," when it is thought that more than 40,000 persons will be present. Friday is to be "Sports Day," when, in addition to the track and athletic events will be free.

**SING SING WARDEN WILL
RETAIN POST, WHITMAN SAYS**

Executive Has No Intention of Removing Osborne.
ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 11.—"I have no intention of removing Thomas Mott Osborne from the wardenship of Sing Sing prison," said Governor Whitman in answer to a direct question as he alighted from a train last night from Plattsburgh. "My mind is not different on the subject from what it has been at any time. Warden Osborne is trying out a new plan of prison management, and it has been my purpose from the start to let his plan have a fair trial."

The Governor would not see how so big a commotion had been caused over what he considered nothing. Superintendent of Prisons Riley had performed certain acts which were his right. Whether Warden Osborne liked them or not, was within his superior's province to have them executed. The Governor made it plain that he had no intention of disturbing Superintendent Riley, and, further, that it was never in his mind to remove him from his private secretary, Superintendent of Prisons.

The Governor said that the Sing Sing intelligible, if it could be so called, was not referred to during his visit to Cliff Haven or Plattsburgh.

**CHESTNUT HILL BURGLARS
BUNGLE IN GET-AWAY**

Carelessness in Poking Foot Through Window Their Downfall
Carelessness spoiled an excellent piece of work on the part of two burglars in Chestnut Hill early today, and brought about the capture of two men accused of the crime. They are Raymond Devlin, 36 years old, of 127 East Chelton avenue, and John Crendon, 22 years old, of 2945 North Toney street.

About 10 young men were standing on the corner of Germantown and Eveship streets at 3 o'clock this morning, when they were startled by a crash of glass, a sharp yell and a dull thud. They looked up Evergreen avenue just in time to see a man climbing through a window of the drug store of P. P. Streeter. Another man, who had fallen through the window, picked himself up and the two fled.

Investigation showed that the men cut out a piece of glass to gain entrance to the store. Then they had rifled the cash drawer of \$6 and obtained also about \$10 worth of cigars and cigarettes. On the way out one of the men stuck his foot through a pane of glass and brought the case down about his ears. Then he fell in the sidewalk.

GEORGE KELLY
Well Known Merchant and Yacht Enthusiast
George Kelly, a well-known merchant of this city and a pioneer in the hotel business, died on Monday at his summer residence in Long Branch, N. J. He was 71 years old.

He was born in Philadelphia and educated in the public schools of this city. Shortly after the Civil War he established the business that has borne his name. He was a member of the Yacht Club and an active yachtsman. He is survived by his children, Richard Kelly, George Kelly, Jr., Mrs. Harry E. Blank, Mrs. Albert J. Dunlap, Mrs. Charles Duffy, Jr., Mrs. John A. McKinley and Misses Laura, Susan and Gretz Kelly.

**RECOVER BODY OF YOUNG
WOMAN FROM NESHAMINY**

Two Days' Search for Germantown Victim of Flood Ended Today

The body of Miss Jessie Ashbey, the 20-year-old Germantown girl who was drowned in the Nesaminy Creek, near Trevese, Pa., on Monday, was recovered early today. Since early last evening the crew of the policeboat "Snomonia" has been dragging the mouth of the creek in the hope that they might find the body there. The girl's brother, D. Hansford Ashbey, had also been on a constant search for her body. But it was not until nearly 5 o'clock this morning that it was recovered.

Miss Ashbey was visiting her friend, Miss Ethel Allen, of Oak Lane, at her summer home in Trevese. They were canoeing on the creek when a strong current overturned the craft. Why they were thrown into the water Miss Ashbey is thought to have struck her head against rocks that line the bottom of the creek. The dead girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield S. Ashbey, 403 Knox street, Germantown. Her parents are prostrated with grief.

**CITY'S DESTITUTE PRAY
THAT PRIEST-INVENTOR
SELL HIS DISCOVERY**

Father Rakowski Will Turn Over Proceeds From Device Expected to Prevent Bank Robberies to Poor

WORKS BY MAGNETISM
Head of Polish Congregation Hopes to Sell His Contrivance to American Bankers' Association

The poor of the 2d Ward, who are battling against poverty, feel that a ray of sunshine faces them. The sick and hungry, whose names trace the lists of charitable organizations, at last show signs of hope. For the Rev. Wladislaus Rakowski, pastor of St. John Nepomucene Roman Catholic Church, 9th and Wharton streets, has invented a wonderful device which he hopes to sell. But best of all like a good Christian, he will turn over every cent he receives for the invention, in purchase price and royalties, to the relief of the poor.

Little the divine's intention is, matters what the needy; all they see is a little more bread, maybe, even a new pair of shoes!
But the Rev. Rakowski has invented a means which he believes will protect paying tellers in banks from sunmen, and other hold-up artists. If the American Bankers' Association purchases the device, then will charity be greatly aided. Father Rakowski is head of a Slavonic congregation.

Everybody in the 2d Ward is talking about the invention. Barefooted boys, who have picked up the gossip, are wishing that the invention will be taken up by Philadelphia bankers.
For two months Father Rakowski has been working on his invention. The model is completed. He has already filed an application to have it patented. Father Rakowski expects to make arrangements to have officials of Philadelphia banks view his model shortly.

City Commissioner, said Father Rakowski, "will surely reduce bank robberies and other like crimes."

THE MECHANISM.
There is an electrical attachment connected with Father Rakowski's device. The model worked to perfection today. Those who have seen the model and are familiar with the interior of banks, say there is no reason at all why the instrument should not be successful.

Father Rakowski's invention calls for grooves of bullet-proof metal to be placed over each barred window. This metal is released by the operation of a magnet and drops down, covering the exposed area of the tellers' window as soon as a revolver is pointed at the paying teller. At the same time, from a slot which leads to the street become locked.

Near the tellers' feet there is a button in the floor. This button is attached to a wire which extends to the solid piece of metal, in grooves.
Father Rakowski described his invention as follows:
"Just suppose a bank burglar, or one of those sunmen we read so much about, enters a bank from the street entrance and goes up to the paying tellers' window. After a few words he commands the teller to throw up his hands. Then he flourishes a revolver in the tellers' window. The teller can put up his hands, but the next thing he has to do is to touch the button with his foot. It makes no difference which foot he uses.
Once the button has been pressed, the metal which is bullet-proof, comes down and the teller is no longer visible. The front doors also become locked. Simultaneously, by an extension of wires, a bell begins to ring on the outside which attracts the police or passersby."

MODEL ACTS PERFECTLY.
Father Rakowski put the model into operation today. It worked identically along the lines he described. Father Rakowski explained that after the police reach the bank they can be admitted into the building through another entrance.

"I believe the invention would be a splendid thing for jewelry stores," he added.

When Father Rakowski was asked what he would do with the money gained through his invention he said:
"There is unpaid debt of \$15,000 on my church, and this debt has to be paid. And then, you know, there are many poor people in my congregation who need aid. Besides, down here in our ward, there are many sick and feeble persons who require medical assistance. Some of these persons are too proud to beg. They are afraid of becoming known as paupers or professional beggars. I will devote the money to paying off the debt on the church and helping the poor."

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INVENTOR-PRIEST AND HIS BANK-PROTECTOR



Rev. Wladislaus Rakowski, pastor of St. John Nepomucene Roman Catholic Church, is the inventor of the device he holds in his hand. It is an automatic cashier-protector.

**DETECTIVES CONCEALED IN STORE
CATCH MAN WHO STOLE GEMS**

Struggle Ensues When Window Cleaner at Berg Brothers Tries to End Life as Three Men Pounce Upon Him—Woman in the Case

Detectives hiding behind show cases in the Berg Brothers store, at 10th and Market streets early this morning, saw a window cleaner unscrew the glass lid of the jewelry counter and start to take out some of the contents. Drawing their revolvers they pounced on him. He wrestled the revolver from one of them and tried to kill himself, but the attempt was frustrated.

At the Central Station the prisoner gave his name as Joseph Wilson, of 403 Queen street. A search of his room at the Queen street house disclosed two suitcases filled with jewelry and clothing valued at \$1500.
For some time quantities of jewelry and clothing have been missing from the Berg store. Suspicion rested on Wilson, because of the good clothes he wore and because, working when the store was closed, he had access to the various departments.

Wilson was employed by a window cleaning company. When he obtained the position with the company, his clothes were ragged and he said that he was so poor that he was scarcely able to buy enough to eat. Taking pity on him, officers of the company gave him a position and assigned him to the Berg store. As time went on his clothes showed a marked improvement, until at last they have been almost "sporty" in character. It was known that he could not afford to buy such clothes out of his salary.

Detective Edward Farrell, of the City Hall squad, was assigned to the case. Before the store opened today he, together with Store Detectives Penneck

HELD FOR ANNOYING GIRLS

Six Young Men Fall Into Police Trap in Park
Six young men fell into the police net spread in Fairmount Park in an effort to prevent flirtatious youths from annoying young women. After a period of inactivity extending over a week, the police last night arrested Bernard H. Hark, 22 years old, of 3128 Wilt street; Joseph Leon, 20 years old, of 2339 Arizona street; Jacob Stern, 21 years old, of 3026 York street; Harry Whitman, 25 years old, of 2598 North 38th street; Morris Rubenstein, 19 years old, 2300 Douglas street, and James Phillips, 19 years old, of 2747 North Hamberber street. The young men were arraigned before Magistrate Boyle, at the 38th street and Lancaster avenue police station today and sentenced to five days each in the county prison in default of fines of \$7.50 each.

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**ANTI-TRANSIT BRIEF
TO BE FILED SATURDAY**

Attorney in Taxpayer's Suit Will Oppose Taylor Program Before Commission

Ruby R. Vale, counsel for David E. Dallah in the taxpayer's suit to hold up the Taylor program of rapid transit, today completed the brief which he will file with the Public Service Commission in an effort to show that a certificate of public convenience should not be granted for the construction of the Broad street subway and the Frankford elevated lines.

The brief will be sent to the printer on Thursday or Friday, after it has been transcribed in Mr. Vale's office, and on Saturday it will be forwarded to the commission at Harrisburg.
Under the ruling of Commissioner Pennypacker at the public transit hearing in Harrisburg on July 28, Mr. Vale was given 10 days to file his brief from the time City Solicitor Ryan served him with the brief filed on behalf of the city. Mr. Ryan's brief was forwarded to the commission on August 3, but Mr. Vale was not served with a copy until August 4, which gives him until Saturday to answer the city's arguments before the commission.

An Director Taylor has advertised that bids for the construction work on the Broad street subway and the Frankford elevated lines will be opened on Monday, August 16, the commission will have only two days to consider the points in Mr. Vale's brief and to give its decision.
Mr. Vale, in his brief, virtually ignores all questions of legality and constitutionality, which he raised in the preliminary hearing before Judge Sulzberger, since Commissioner Pennypacker ruled at the hearing that the commission was not certain of its prerogative to state on legal questions. Virtually the whole of Mr. Vale's argument is designed to show that the proposed lines are neither necessary nor proper for the service, accommodation, convenience and safety of the public of Philadelphia.

Preacher Found Ill on Street

The Rev. William E. H. Nealer, a former Episcopal clergyman and a graduate of Harvard, was found today wandering about at Ashbury Park, N. J. Physicians who examined him said he was suffering from nervous prostration. The Rev. Mr. Nealer left Philadelphia last summer. Since then he has been living at Ashbury Park. He is about 45 years old, is well educated and is said once to have been wealthy.

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**ACID THROWN IN GIRL'S
FACE AFTER ROBBERY**

Young Woman Attacked by Men, Who Force Her Into Auto as She Leaves Bank

A young woman, who alleges that severe acid burns on her face were inflicted by men who forced her to enter an automobile, robbed her, and then threw her from the car, is in a dazed condition at the Polyclinic Hospital. She gives her name as Edna Bernard, and two addresses, one at 1020 Walnut street and the other at 7th and Carpenter streets.

The girl, who is about 22 years old, was found by Policeman Johnston, of the 12th and Pine streets station last night, at 10th and Pine streets. Seeing that she was badly burned, he had her taken to the hospital. Her story, though rambling, was that she had been to a bank and drawn out money, which she was carrying in a handbag. She was suddenly attacked near 8th and Carpenter streets. Before throwing her from the automobile, she asserts, the men dashed the acid in her face, temporarily blinding her. At the hospital it is said her condition is not serious.

Hard on Mosquitoes

The war waged in Philadelphia against mosquitoes by employees of the Highway Bureau has included the spreading of oil on more than 35,000 square feet of standing water in various sections of the city, according to Chief William H. Connor. More than 300 pools have been filled and miles of ditches have been dug and maintained to drain standing water from areas of ground. Employees of the bureau are now engaged in cutting weeds from vacant lots.

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Fleming became annoyed because James Chambers was chased out of Cobb's Creek Park, near 63d and Market streets, for having a bottle of unconsecrated strong drink in his possession. He became irate when Chambers was arrested for refusing to stay out of the park.

Thereupon, Fleming blocked traffic in 63d street. He did it by lying down in front of a trolley car and, during the motorman's rush over him, shouting, the while, "I know I'm good."

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