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WEST SIDE EVENTS.

Splendid Entertainment in the Jackson Street Baptist Church—Batch of a Day's Doings.

There was a rousing old-time entertainment at the Jackson Street Baptist church last evening. The main auditorium was crowded with people and the large doors had to be thrown open to accommodate the overflow in the Sunday school room. Professor Daniel Phillips, superintendent of the Sunday school, presided.

"Our Pinks" gave a chorus son. The "pinks" were composed of three classes of little members of the Sunday school, who were conducting the entertainment. They dressed in gowns of pink shades, in reference to the nature of the affair which was designated as "Tri Pink." Miss Lizzie Reynolds and a quartette consisting of the following: William Evans, Morrs Thomas, William Reese, and E. Williams, sang a quartette selection, Miss Reynolds taking the solo part. Lela Porter recited, and Martha Thomas sang. A coloquy by members of the Sunday school was very well given.

Morris Thomas sang "The Bugler" in fine voice, and the entertainment closed. It was a first class affair and netted about $300. The money will be paid to the church fund.

He Couldn't Count.

Hungarians sometimes "shoot" pool. Peter Miller and three friends played three games last evening in Cosgrove's parlors. Peter was defeated. He offered 20 cents as payment for the games, but the proprietor demanded 60 cents. Peter rebelled. He would not pay. Three times ten is thirty he figured. The proprietor counted 4x5x3 is sixty. Miller would not pay and he was taken to the police station. Still he could not make the cost come up to 60 cents. He called for several relatives, and at last, after a half hour's hard thinking, Peter gave up the 60 cents.

Another Wife-Beater.

John Price, of North Filmore avenue, was committed to the county jail on Tuesday for a period of ten days. This deprives him of voting. But the end is not yet. When Price gets out he must furnish $300 bail to appear at court for further fun. The cause of the incarceration is wife-beating, drunkenness and threats. The victim is Mrs. Price. She caused his arrest and a hearing was held before Alderman John with the result mentioned.

St. David's Day Banquet.

The people of the Tabernacle Congregational church will conduct a St. David's Day banquet on March 2. About 300 tickets have been sold and many more are going. The church has been accustomed to hold banquets on this day for many years past and the affairs are always successful.

Married at the Alderman's.

May Shear and James Maloney, both of this side, were married Tuesday evening by Alderman John, of the Fourth ward. This is the first marriage before a West Side alderman for a long time past.

News Notes and Personals.

George Atkinson, an aged gentleman whose home is on Meridian street, was stricken with paralysis while at work Tuesday. He is slope engineer at the Bellevue colliery.

Miss Minnie Gilday, of Eynon street, is home after a visit to friends at Pittston.

Mrs. Benjamin Evans, of Twelfth street, has recovered from a brief illness.

James Ridgeway was locked up in the police station last evening, charged with abusing his wife. A hearing will be given today.

Miss Alice Griffiths, of Bellevue Heights, was tendered a surprise party on Tuesday evenig. Several present sang solos. Among the entertainers were Thomas Matthias, David Reese and Alice Griffiths. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pry; Misses Cassie Harris, Sarah A. Davis, Annie Lewis, Ruth James, Annie Griffiths, Alice Griffiths, Thomas Matthias, W. Davis, John Samuel, Willi Davis, Walter Price, David Reese, and Walter Edwards.

A. and I. O., Knights of Malta. Members' notice: You are requested to meet at your council chamber on Sunday, Feb. 16, at 6.30, to attend divine services at the Washburn Street church. By order of the S. K. C., William J. Thomas; William H. Powell, recorder.

The officials of the Hampton Street Methodist church gave one of their annual suppers last evening at the church. It was a profitable affair. Another supper will be served this evening. Twenty-five cents is the cost.

The Pennsylvania Glee club and the Philharmonic club will meet for rehearsal this evening at the Scranton Street Baptist church. One rehearsal will be held after the other.

Miss Jennie Howell will entertain on Monday evening.

A surprise party was tendered Miss Mae Davis, of Everett avenue, on Tuesday evening.

Invitations are out for a twenty-fifth wedding anniversary celebration to be given by Mr. and Mrs. John J. Phillips, of North Park, on Friday evening, Feb. 21. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips formerly lived on this side.

Miss Edna Evans, of South Main avenue, entertained a number of her friends last evening. A pleasant time was spent.

Mrs. S. W. Taylor is lying seriously ill at her home, No. 1012 Hampton street.

The annual supper given by the officials of Hampton Street Methodist Episcopal church will be held this week on Wednesday and Thursday evenings. A good supper served from 6 to 10 o'clock for 25 cents.

West Side Business Directory.

PLUMBING—William D. Griffiths, 113 North Main avenue, does first-class Plumbing, Steam Heat and Gas Fitting. Satisfaction is strictly guaranteed.

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FLORIST—Cut flowers and funeral designs a specialty. Floral figures, useful as gifts, at 104 South Main avenue. Harriet J. Davis, florist.

BICYCLES repaired, scissors ground, tools sharpened, saws filed, keys fitted, machines repaired by W. L. Steenback, dealer in Guns, Fishing Tackle, under West Side bank.

PHOTOGRAPHER—Cabinet Photos, $1.40 per dozen. They are just lovely. Convince yourself by calling at Starner's Photo Parlors, 101 and 103 South Main avenue.

GROCERIES—Revere Standard Java Coffee is unexcelled. The leading coffe of the day. For sale only at F. W. Mason & Co. Fine Groceries, 116 South Main avenue.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE—Cash for anything you have to sell. Furniture, Stoves, Tools, etc. Call and see the stock of J. C. King, 1024 and 1026 Jackson street.

NORTH END.

The Misses Mary McDonough and Margaret Padden, of Carbondale, are visiting Miss Mary Coleman, of Parker street.

John Mutlough, of McDonough avenue, was badly injured yesterday by a fall of rock in the Leggett's Creek mine.

Mrs. John Burke, the woman arrested by Officer Hawkes on Tuesday evening for being drunk, was arranged before Alderman Roberts yesterday morning and was fined $4.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Providence Methodist church has prepared a Valentine, social to be held in the Sunday school room this evening. Refreshments will be served and an enjoyable time is promised to all who attend.

Anthnoy Murphy and Miss Mary Ann Dougherty were married yesterday in the Holy Rosary church.

Professors Saltry and Miller will hold a 15-cent social this evening in Company H armory.

Miss Lizzie Moore, of Taylor, is visiting frends here for a few days.

Thomas Davis is seriousy ill at his home, on William street.

The Providence Indoor Base Ball team defeated the Scranton Professionals last evening at Company H armory by a score of 27 to 7.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Tunstall drove to Dalton last evening.

Miss Mary Lloyd, of Pittston, is visiting friends here.

James Moran, of West Market street, is suffering from a bad cold.

Robert Lewis, of Wayne avenue, left last evening to visit friends in Carbondale.

Mrs. Evans, of Brick avenue, is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

You can get a package of "Quick Shine" stove polish at Thomas John's grocery store for 20 cents, and a pint of cockles free of charge today.

WRIT OF MANDAMUS.

Issued Against the Borough Council of Olyphant by the Court.

A writ of alternative mandamus was directed by the court yesterday to the borough council of Olyphant on behalf of the board of health of that borough. The expenses of the board for the year 1895 were $395 and this was not provided for by any appropriation of the public money of Olyphant for the reason pure and simple that the council and the board are at loggerheads.

The writ of mandamus means that the council must make the appropriation necessary to liquidate the amount or else show the reason why the order is not obyed. It is made returnable the first Monday of the next term of common pleas court.

SOUTH SIDE NEWS.

Cedar Avenue Church Choir Will Render a Concert at Moosic Tonight—Will the South Works Resume Next Week?

This evening the Cedar Avenue Methodist Episcopal church choir will render the following concert programme at the Moosic Methodist Episcopal church at 8 o'clock: Invocation, Rev. J. L. Race; duet, flute and violin, Messrs. Farrar and Berghauser; anthem, "In The Beginning," by the choir; recitation, Miss Elsie Westcott; duet, "A Merry Swiss Home," Mrs. Clearwater and Miss Sullivan; anthem, "Make a Joyous Noise," by the choir; solo, "Thinking," Miss Sullivan; recitation, "Our Valentine," Miss Race; male quartette, "We're On The Way;" anthem, "The Beautiful Golden Gate," by the choir; solo, "Sweet Peace," C. J. Cooper; recitation, Miss Jessie Stearns; violin solo, J. W. Berghauser; recitation, Ernest Westcott; anthem "Hosanna," by the choir.

Good News, if True.

Among the idle workmen at the South Steel mill there is rejoicing over the rumor that operations will be resumed Monday. Those in a position to verify the story are unwilling to state whether or not the mill will start up next week. It is now two months since operations were suspended. A large number of the employes have left the city, driven away by the necessity of getting something to do, the only alternative left. There have been many cases of suffering, it is said, from the idle spell.

Shorter Paragraphs of News.

The Twentieth ward Polish Political club will not hold a meeting at the hall, corner Elm and Pittston avenue, as has been stated in some papers, but will meet at its regular place, Bugno hall, 1329 Prospect avenue, next Saturday evening, Feb. 15, at 8 o'clock. By order of the president.

The citizens of the Twentieth ward will hold a meeting at Phillips' hall, on Fig street, Thursday evening. All are invited to attend regardless of party.

Miss Jennie Jones, of Plymouth, is visiting friends on Cedar avenue.

Moltke castle, No. 268, Knights of the Golden Eagle, conducted a well-attended ball at Workingman's hall last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Weiter left yesterday to begin housekeeping.

James F. Best will occupy the double building formerly owned by A. Bentley, on Cedar avenue, after April 1, and he will there conduct the Roaring Brook hotel.

Otto Trust, of Philadelphia, is visiting his parents on Cedar avenue.

This evening a Republican rally will be held at Phillips' hall under the auspices of the Twentieth ward club. A welcome invitation is extended to all citizens of the ward.

DUNMORE.

Election of officers of the Young Ladies' Mission circle at the home of Miss Edith Wert tonight at 7.30.

The funeral of Thomas Hope, will take place from his late residence, 222 Apple street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

A large number of the friends of Thomas Hughes tendered him a surprise party at his home, on South Blakely street, last evening.

The Loyal Legion is working hard to make the production of "The Confederate Spy," which will be given on Saturday evening, Feb. 22, a grand success, and their efforts should be liberally patronized by the people of this borough.

The supper given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Dudley Street Baptist church in the parlors last evening proved to be a grand success. A goodly number was present and a neat sum added to the treasury.

An evening of tableaux will be given in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society, on the evening of Feb. 25.

The drama, "Cinderella" will be repeated in Washington hall next Monday evening for the benefit of the Home for the Friendless. A special feature of the entertainment will be the dancing of the little ones, which has always been a very important part of the programme. Those who will take part are: Florence and Grace Urban, Angella and Regina Kelly, May Hughes, Emma and Freda Ludwig, Emma and Florence Webber, Katie Allen, Marie Swift, Margaret Phillips, Minnie Saxton, Hattie Foster, Frank Costello, Percy and Abram Urban.

MR. SMITH'S APPLICATION.

Presents Nearly Fifty Reasons for a Change of Venue.

Attorney Cornelius Smith made his application yesterday morning before Judge Edwards for a change of venue in the case of perjury against John G. Jennings. He read nearly fifty reasons why the case should be tried in some other county.

He alleges that he is entitled to a trial in another county on the strength of the fact that Judge Archbald will be subpoenaed as a witness. Judge Edwards took the papers and will pass upon them today likely. The case is the first on the list for trial.

BASE BALL GOSSIP.

"Jack" Rowe, who was with the famous Internationals in 1878, will manage Buffalo this season.

Breitenstein expects to make three times as much money at Chester, Ill., as he would make with St. Louis next season.

Jake Drauby will not play with Scranton. He has been signed by Providence, and so informed Manager McDermott by telegraph yesterday.

Billy Barnie has finally secured the Hartford, Atlantic league, franchise.

The Toronto club of this year will not play Sunday games in Buffalo or any other city.

Scranton has secured another new trial pitcher, George Getts, an amateur southpaw twirler who created somewhat of a stir in and about Waterloo, Ind., last season. He will be taken on the practice trip.

The Atlantic Association of Base Ball clubs is considering the advisability of increasing the circuit by taking in either Waterbury, Danbury or Meriden, Conn., and then making it an eight-club circuit instead of six, as originally intended.

Joe Sullivan, of the Philadelphia club, on looking over his contract, found that taking one drink of musty ale during the season would cost him $100. Sullivan doesn't like the new-style contract, and will not sign it. Such a contract would be the proper thing with some Eastern league players.

There is a widespread suspicion that John C. Chapman will be the manager of the Wilkes-Barre club. He denies the impeachment, but there are those who believe that he is only making use of a bit of diplomacy. One of Mr. Chapman's biggest successes was scored with Syracuse. It is rumored he may acquire interest there. He and Herr Kunzsch should be able to make winners out of the Stars.

A Hazleton dispatch says: "The Hazleton management has now signed twelve players for the coming base ball season. They are: Robert Westlake, catcher and manager; Cooper, catcher; infielders, J. F. Davis; Bob Rothermel, Smith, Halbauer and Wiegan; pitchers, Pfrom and Jordan; outfielders, Bradley and Hobright. Another pitcher and fielder are yet to be signed. Manager Westlake says the team is much stronger than the pennant winners of last. The men are expected to report here April 15."

Buffalo Times: "There will be more timber grafted on to the Eastern league clubs the coming summer than for many years, and for that reason it will be a hard matter to pick the probable winner until the season is several weeks old. The champion Springfields have lost such valuable men as Donnelly, Callahan, Shannon and Jones, and all these must be replaced. If it is with young players, as seems probable, the task of arriving at a decision will be several folds harder. Providence will be pretty much as it was, but Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Toronto and Buffalo will make so many changes that the handicappers will be all at sea. Rochester, too, will show a number of new faces."

If your oven does not bake on the bottom, try cleaning it out underneath. A coating of fine soot accumulates sometimes that hinders the heat from coming through the iron.

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HERE IS ONE SOLUTION

Respectfully Submitted to the Estimates Committee of Councils.

HOW THE THING CAN BE DONE

A City Hall Habitue Conversant with Municipal Affairs Figures Out an Appropriation Ordinance That He Claims Will Fill the Bill.

More than one man in this city today is figuring on the annual appropriation ordinance, which has put the estimates committee in such a sorry plight and which at present gives conservative municipal fathers the firm impression that some extraordinary means will have to be adopted to meet the emergency.

Everyone who reads the papers understands how the committee has been asked to provide for over half a million dollars' wants with $272,313 available money, and how after dropping out of consideration altogether the $100,000 worth of contemplated new improvements and cutting off every item that it judged could stand a cut, it still finds a $40,000 discrepancy facing it.

One city hall habitue who is working on the puzzle has made out an appropriation ordinance which he claims will fill the bill and says that he can satisfy the estimates committee, if it is willing to be convinced, that his ordinance will come nearer to giving general satisfaction than any other that can be framed.

He takes the original ordinance and amends it as follows: Strike off $400 of salary of mayor's secretary; $50 for telephone, because the next mayor has one in his house already; $300 off clerk hire and $300 off incidentals, printing and stationery and new books in the city treasurer's departments; $200 off printing and stationery in the city clerk's department; $700 off maintenance of municipal building; $180 off salary of second assistant city engineer; $43,895 off the street commissioner's demand, by slicing about 20 per cent. off his estimates of what several of the many items should be and by cutting off the $28,370 for macadamizing West Market street; $3,800 off the assessors' demands, thus doing away with assistant assessors and their clerk; $14,500 off the police department, knocking out the fifteen new policemen asked for and shaving a number of other items a dollar or two; $5,900 off the fire department and not allow the $25,521.68 for extras; $3,240 off the board of health demand, letting the payment of the crematory plant go for another year; $4,002 off the public library; $4,825 off Nay Aug park; $250 off Woodlawn park; $1,000 off Connell park; $15,000 off the judgments and incidentals fund.

What His Idea Is.

This is his idea of how the different items might be cut, the first column of figures showing the original demand, the second column showing how much of the demand he would allow:

Mayor's department	$3,900 00	$3,450 00
City treasurer's department	6,250 00	5,650 00
City controller's department	3,400 00	3,400 00
City solicitor's department	3,100 00	3,100 00
City clerk's department	5,560 00	5,360 00
Maintenance of municipal building	3,957 00	3,257 00
City engineer's department	10,550 00	10,370 00
Street commissioner's department	97,820 00	53,925 00
City assessors' department	6,850 00	3,050 00
Police department	64,660 00	50,660 00
Fire department	40,320 00	34,420 00
Fire department (estimates recommended)	25,521 68	
Building inspector's department	1,575 00	1,575 00
Board of health	9,860 00	6,620 00
Scranton public library	15,874 00	11,872 00
Nay Aug park	12,090 00	7,175 00
Woodlawn park	500 00	250 00
Connell park	3,000 00	2,000 00
Board of revision and appeals	1,050 00	1,050 00
Water rent	5,220 00	5,220 00
Electric lighting	46,550 00	46,500 00
Incidentals and judgments	20,000 00	15,000 00
Insurance	1,000 00	1,000 00
State tax on loans	3,042 00	3,012 00
Deficiencies	4,562 87	4,562 87
Sinking fund and interest	60,840 00	60,840 00
	$466,752 55	$343,348 87

The last item of $60,840 practically does not enter into the calculation being provided for by special levy. This would leave $280,508.87 to be provided for. The estimated revenues are $272,313, but as the estimate is based on last year's valuation it is lower than the revenue will really be, so it is quite safe to allow a margin of a few thousand dollars to be looked after later.

ROMANCE OF FIGURES.

Julia's Love Was to the Extent of $114. Groom-Elect Thought He Was Worth More and Sued the Fair Maiden.

What promises to be an interesting lawsuit was instituted in Alderman Fuller's office yesterday.

One Albert Grumotski, of Priceburg, is the plaintiff and his complaint is against Lewis Mowcatski and sister, Julia, of Connellton, whom he charges with conspiracy to defraud him. The conspiracy according to Grumotski's story, is just a little out of the ordinary. Albert is young, but not handsome. In fact, he is repulsive. What nature left undone towards making him a rival of Joe Ott was accomplished by an explosion of powder and a fall of coal. He knew that his chances of getting married to anyone but a blind girl were very small and therefore stood ready to snap up the first chance that came along.

Not long ago a Polish storekeeper of Priceburg was delivering groceries to the Mowcatskis at Connellton, and Lewis asked him if he could get a good husband for Julia anywhere. The obliging merchant immediately thought of Albert, and before leaving he made a match for her with the Priceburg likeness of the 'star gazer."

Julia had not seen her husband-elect until after the match was made, nor was she distraught when she was permitted to eye him a week or so afterward, neither was she tickled to death at his appearance; but with grim resolve, as long as the die was cast, she was satisfied to be his bride.

The day was set for the ceremony, a clergyman was engaged, and the programme was all arranged. The custom in Connellton demanded, Albert was told, that he purchase two kegs of beer as a preliminary festivity. He was in gracious mood; they could borrow money from him, and he not only got the beer, but he bought enough of ham, cheese, bologna, baker's bread, sweet cakes, etc., for the wedding that it took two wagons to haul the stuff to the house of the Mowcatskis.

At the eleventh hour she changed her mind and sent word to him she could only be a sister to him. While he was struggling nobly to stagger from under the heavy blow, she recanted and sent word to him she would marry him. His gladness knew no limit and he made a lavish bestowal of dress goods and trinkets on her.

He received a second notification that she could not see her way clear to go through the sea of matrimony in the same boat with him, but she would not return any of the purchases he made and he verily believes that it was all a scheme on her part to love him for just $114, the amount of his outlay, and hence he brings suit.

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HE AWOKE AT NIGHT!

Thrilling Experience and Narrow Escape of a Prominent New York Gentleman.

Mr. Franklin H. Stewart, residing on Fifty-eighth street, New York city, awoke with a start from a sound sleep one night recently and felt that he was choking to death. At first he thought possibly he had been chloroformed by burglars, or that the gas was escaping and choking him, but the stillness of the room and its freedom from odors proved that he was mistaken. Still it was impossible for him to get a full breath into his lungs. He felt a tightness across the chest and a choking in the throat that were simply terrible. Suddenly the thought came to him that these were the certain symptoms of the dreadful pneumonia, and it sent a thrill of horror to his heart. He sent for the family physician, who came in haste and applied vigorous measures, but so powerful is this terrible disease that all the efforts of the doctor seemed of no avail. Mr. Stewart sank rapidly, and the doctor gravely shook his head.

A sister of Mr. Stewart, who had just returned from Europe, was visiting him at the time. Her devotion to her brother caused her to remember the talk she had heard while in England concerning a great English Remedy that was being used extensively by the nobility and all classes and was producing wonderful results. In her anxiety she went herself to the nearest drug store and bought a bottle, giving it to her brother with her own hand. So severe was the disease, however, that at first it seemed to have little effect, but gradually the tightness across the chest loosened, the breathing became more eased and then he began to cough. This was nature's effort for release, and it resulted in the discharge of great quantities of green phlegm, which had gathered on the lungs. Soon after Mr. Stewart sank into a quiet sleep, regained his health and knows that he owes his life wholly to the use of Acker's English Remedy for Consumption, which restored him to safety when on the borders of the grave and when abandoned by his family physician.

There are thousands of people who are suddenly attacked by this terrible pneumonia as unexpectedly as Mr. Stewart was. Not a moment should ever be lost. This great English Remedy for coughs, colds, pneumonia and consumption should always be kept near at hand, and taken upon the appearance of the slightest symptoms. Health and perhaps life itself may depend upon it.

INGRATITUDE.

Editor of The Tribune.

Sir:—The Republican's late venomous breathings and threatenings manifest the spirit of one who crawls in the dust. The once so-called leader of the Republican party is a vanquished man. He will lead the Republican party no more. The man whom the city of Scranton delighted to honor by elevating him to positions of trust seeks now in the anguish of his own political death to deal a death blow to the Republicans of Scranton. Shame on you for such base ingratitude.

But then such conduct is typical of the man. His word never amounted to aught. Men of honor after they have outlived their usefulness retire with their laurels and with the benediction of the people upon them. But this unnatural son of Republicanism takes his exit from the political arena with the anathemas of all true and loyal Republicans upon his head. It could not be otherwise. The people are indignant because he has betrayed the confidence they put in him.

But hold your horses, vanquished hero, you and your emissaries have on this particular occasion been recognized in your true characters. You are understood by the people as a lot of parasites on the Republican party, who would like to feed upon its life's blood. But how completely have you and your followers been deluded this time! Do you not know that you can not be regarded in any other light than as deserters who deserve no other political fate for your disgraceful conduct than future oblivion? "O, judgment, thou hast fled to brutish beasts and men have lost their reason" if we are to be influenced or intimidated by such men.

Are these the men that would assail the integrity and honesty of Colonel Ezra H. Ripple, whose charcter is above reproach? Colonel Ripple has been trusted and tried by the Republican party and never found wanting. Colonel Ripple has a peculiar qualification for the office of chief magistrate of this city. The life of the colonel comes before us as a typical embodiment of benevolence, charity, enterprise and broad-mindedness. The interests of the citizens he knows well how to guard and protect. Because he is no man's oppressor, his moral status warrants us in again honoring him as our city's chief magistrate. His life as a soldier, patriot and citizen is at once an appeal to every Republican and to every citizen, regardless of party, to give him their enthusiastic support.

Edwin Thomas.

Hyde Park, Feb. 11.

HERE'S AN OLD TURTLE.

Over One Hundred and Fifty-Eight Years Old and Still Lively.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer.

In the year 1737 Tobias Neims, then living at Clover Hill, a few miles north of Lambertville, picked up a land turtle and cut his name and figures 1737 on its under shell. In 1777 John Hagaman came across the same turtle and cut his name and the figures 1777 also on the shell.

Within a few weeks this turtle has been seen on the Jerome Waldron farm near Clover Hill, where it apparently makes its present home. The names are distinct because Rev. Mr. Oliver, a former resident of Clover Hill, found the turtle a few years ago and cut the letters and figures over again.

Refrigerators should be thoroughly cleaned once a week, everything removed, shelves and racks washed in warm soda water, wiped dry, and sunned if possible; doors left open until all is dry inside, hot soda water poured down the outlet pipe to take off any slime that may have gathered, the receiving pan washed out. Vinegar and water will take off stains. Never set any food in the refrigerator until entirely cold.

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