

# LETTERS FROM NEW JERSEY

## CAMDEN.

Lawyer Henry S. Scovel has been South on a gunning expedition.

United States Marshal Pfeiffer has gone to Florida to spend a month.

Grand Master Tussey spent Thanksgiving among friends at Penns Grove.

Arnold H. Bowers represents Merchantville in the New Jersey Association.

Henry L. Bandy, Jr., has removed to this city for the winter.

Deputy Collector Caleb Pancoast will serve another month in his present position, or until his successor is appointed and sworn in.

Friends of John J. Kromer have filed an application at Washington for his appointment as Assistant Collector of Customs in this city.

Rev. Arthur W. Spouner delivered a lecture Thursday evening for the benefit of the Nazareth Guards. "The Young" was his theme.

Ex-Judge John W. Wescott has gone to Edentown, N. C., the home of John W. Branning, where he will spend some time in gunning.

Elmerford Hewitt of this city, was married to Miss Mattie Pancoast, at Woodbury.

Miss McAllister, of North Third street, is suffering with the grip.

Mrs. Hollowell, nee Davis, sister of Rev. William P. Davis, is concluding her wedding tour with a visit to her parents' home in Bethlehem, Pa., where her husband is in the banking business.

David Williamson, of Chester, Pa., is on a visit to friends in this city.

Miss Annie Scibley, of Williamstown, is visiting friends in this city.

John Lee will go on a gunning trip to Clementon this week.

Miss Mary Carey has left for a three weeks' stay at Pittsburg.

John Dugan and son Robert are taking in the sights at Washington.

John Pierson left Wednesday morning for a ten days' visit to friends in Williamport, Pa.

Jailor Samuel Alcott had a successful gunning trip to Carson's Inlet.

Miss Maggie Clarkson, of Chestnut Hill, has returned home after a two weeks' stay with her friends in this city.

J. J. Raffael, son of Colonel John R. Johnson, leading man of the Ching Ching Opera Company, is paying a visit to his parents on Penn street.

## MERCHANTVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. C. Meyer, of Wellwood, entertained a number of friends from Ropersford, Pa., on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Allyn Brewer has been visiting her old home at Newark, Del.

Mr. Harry Oakford and family, of Walnut avenue, have been visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Maggie Horner entertained a number of Philadelphia friends, at her residence on Park avenue, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Knight recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. G. Harvey Knight, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Maxwell, Miss Knight and Miss Dobbler.

The Progressive Euchre Club was entertained Wednesday night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Maxwell. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stiles.

The Field Club will fit up a first-class gymnasium.

Miss Essie Pancoast has been visiting friends in Swedesboro.

George C. P. Spangler has been ill.

Mr. Ingram, of Maple avenue, will spend the winter in Florida.

## CRAMER HILL.

St. Joseph's R. C. Church will be dedicated today. The services will be conducted by Bishop O'Farrell, of Trenton.

The Ivy Leaf Social at their annual meeting elected the following officers: President, Richard Graetz; vice-president, Fred Goebke; financial secretary, Victor Samond; recording secretary, William English; treasurer, Paul Hoelder; trustees, L. Graetz and Fred Hoelder.

The Dudley foot ball team is made up of the following: Bismarck, Alfred Reed, Wright, Isthworth, Beldon, Reed, Richardson, Stackhouse, Owrld, Eastwick and Davis.

Maud, the youngest daughter of George Jacob Fisher, is convalescent after a serious illness.

The Misses Flora and Estella Abbott have returned after a few days' visit at Trenton.

Fred. Glover, of West Superior, is visiting relatives at "Maple Knoll."

The Stockton Cigar Company passed resolutions on the death of Charles Brown.

## GLOUCESTER CITY.

Mrs. Susan Ristien, of Philadelphia, has been visiting friends here.

James Trux is confined to his home, on East Market street, with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. George Wood and family have gone to Newport News, Va., for a three weeks' visit.

Mrs. Thomas Roberts, of Riverton, came here to organize a Girls' Friendly Association in the Church of the Ascension, and a Woman's Auxiliary Association.

There will be a special meeting of Vanleer Post, G. A. R., on January 6, at the residence of Councilman Mealey, on Broadway, for the installation of officers and the mustering in of Captain Richard Bender of the Kaighn's Point Ferry. A campfire will be given to celebrate the occasion.

Joseph Panning gave a farewell reception to his friends Monday night previous to leaving the city. A number of invited guests were present from Camden and Philadelphia.

## HADDONFIELD.

The skin and head of an eleven pound opossum which was captured by Charles Rhoads has been presented to Samuel N. Rhoads, who will have it stuffed and mounted and present it to the Academy of Natural Sciences, in Philadelphia.

William S. Caperton and son, former well known residents of this town, now residing at Harriman, Tenn., have been renewing old acquaintances here.

While playing foot ball on the Haddon Cricket Club's grounds, Albert Rose sustained a dislocation of his shoulder blade.

Charles Hoopes, a student of Rutgers College, spent his Thanksgiving vacation with his parents at this place.

R. Wilkins Budd is confined to his room suffering with a bad attack of rheumatism.

The Haddon Fire Company participated in the parade of the William Penn Fire Company at Cramer Hill on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Rebecca T. Haines had Mrs. Hannah DeCou and daughters, former residents of this town, now residing in Philadelphia.

E. T. Gill has just returned from his shooting trip on the James river, Va., with a party consisting of Messrs. Dayton, Reece, Gill, Voorhees, Scull, Pennoek and Marsh, all of Philadelphia and Camden, and Mr. Higgins, of Delaware. They were successful in getting deer, turkey and ducks, but found quail almost entirely destroyed.

Miss Rebe Cawley, a pupil of the

State Normal School, spent Thanksgiving at her home in this town.

## COLLINGSWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood and family have gone to their winter residence in Tampa, Florida.

Mr. D. Nichols, of Crozer Seminary, has accepted a call to the Baptist Church, of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Frank Davis entertained a number of their friends from Philadelphia, Haddonfield, Camden and this town recently at their cozy residence, on Atlantic avenue. An orchestra from Philadelphia was present, and the evening was pleasantly spent in dancing, games, etc.

Edward H. Cutler has taken possession of his new residence, on Linwood avenue.

The property on Haddon avenue, formerly owned by J. T. Stewart, has been leased by William L. McGill.

J. J. Forman, formerly of Philadelphia, has moved to this town.

Union Thanksgiving Day services were held in the Baptist Church, Rev. H. G. Williams, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiating. Services were also held in the afternoon in the Old Ladies' Home.

Revival meetings, under the control of Evangelist J. B. Dalbow, of Wilmington, Del., were held in the M. E. Church every evening during the week.

## BERLIN.

Miss Lydia Wharton and John Brill were married at the residence of the bride's parents, at West Berlin, by Rev. B. C. Lippincott, Jr., a former pastor of the Berlin M. E. Church. They will make their future home at Bittletown.

Dr. and Mrs. William Wescott spent Thanksgiving Day as the guests of ex-Judge Wescott and wife, of Haddonfield.

Rev. B. C. Lippincott, Jr., wife and son were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Norcross. An informal evening tea was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Lippincott by Mrs. William Wescott at her residence.

The rite of baptism was administered to Mr. and Mrs. James Mills, in the Baptist Church last Sunday.

Evangelical services were held in the Presbyterian Church every evening during the week.

The First Fair of Wawa Tribe of Red Men netted the tribe \$140.

## SALEM.

George C. Brown, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday in this city with his parents.

Walter P. Lutz, of Philadelphia, was in this city visiting his mother last Sunday.

Joseph Youker is booked for a business trip to New York and Boston.

Miss Florie Noll, of Camden, has been visiting Miss Ella Garrison.

John Sullivan, of Camden, has been spending a few days in this city.

Mrs. William A. Connor and family were recently entertained by her father, John A. Miller.

Maurice B. Ayars and family will spend the winter in Florida, starting some time next month.

Mr. Miller and family enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at a home gathering at Asa G. Pedrick's residence, in Woodstown.

Miss Helen Harris, of Everett, Pa., and Arthur B. Harris, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday in this city as the guests of Miss May C. Harris.

John E. Thompson went to New York Monday to attend a banquet.

Miss Mary C. Bennett, is spending a few days in Atlantic City, the guest of Miss Alice Champion.

S. S. McAllister and wife, of Millville, formerly of this city, have been spending a few days with Mrs. McAllister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ehrhard.

## WILLIAMSTOWN.

Constable Joshua Bittle is able to be about again after having been laid up for several days with a bad attack of erysipelas in the face.

Dr. C. H. Read has reconsidered his intention of removing to Philadelphia.

The township committee has accepted the resignation of Hegar Cheseman, one of the constables of Monroe township. The vacancy will not be filled at present.

Joseph Sherer was tossed over a fence by a bull recently and sustained a fracture of one of his legs.

Mrs. Gearing, daughter and son, of Philadelphia, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Garrison.

Dr. Harker and wife, of Port Norris, paid a recent visit to Captain and Mrs. Jess. Mrs. Harker is a daughter of Mrs. Jess.

## PENNSVILLE.

Miss Mamie Mitchell is visiting at Penns Grove.

Frederick Biddle and wife spent Thanksgiving in Philadelphia.

Miss Phebe Sutton, of Salem, spent Sunday with Mrs. George Prinsen.

Mrs. W. W. Sommers has been visiting in Philadelphia.

George Heston of Philadelphia, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. C. Moore.

Joshua Wheaton and wife, of Bridgeton, are visiting Captain Elijah Wheaton.

Charles T. White, of Pleasantville, spent Thanksgiving with his brother, H. W. D. White.

Isaac Edwards and family, of Philadelphia, have been visiting Mrs. Eliza Stauley.

Lott H. Robinson and wife have been spending a week with relatives at Philadelphia.

## WOODSTOWN.

Mrs. Henry Wright, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with relatives here.

Jacob Casper and family, of Bridgeton, spent Thanksgiving Day with relatives in this town.

Miss Viola Heppard recently entertained friends from Woodbury.

The Woodstown Band has elected the following officers: President, I. F. Conover; vice president, J. Nelson; secretary, C. B. Grier; assistant secretary, A. D. Snelbaker; treasurer, U. G. Hillman; leader, F. Dorrel.

George MacAlhonor, of Philadelphia, enjoyed his Thanksgiving turkey with his parents, in this place.

A. T. Lawrence and family, of Salem, visited friends in this town on Thanksgiving Day.

Joseph Miller and family, of Salem, were among the guests who enjoyed themselves at the home of Asa G. Pedrick in this town, on Thanksgiving Day.

Louis C. Smith and wife, of Philadelphia, have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Hannah Smith.

William C. Smith has removed to Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Cobb, of St. Louis, have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cobb, this town.

An effort is being made to erect a public fountain in front of the new

bank, and various entertainments will be given, as a means to obtain the money for it.

William S. Weatherly took a trip up in Gloucester County recently to look after property there.

## WOODBURY.

Mrs. George Allen is seriously ill at her home on Broad street.

Rev. Dr. L. Moss, of Philadelphia, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church to-day.

Colonel G. G. Green and party have arrived at their destination in California after a pleasant journey.

Mrs. A. Merritt Pierce has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George W. Roland, at South Bethlehem, Pa.

The Young People's Lyceum of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a fair and festival in the church parlors on Friday and Saturday, December 15 and 16.

The fourth annual oyster supper by the farmers of Depford township was held at Plum's Hotel, Westville, and among the guests present were Judge Robert S. Clymer, Senator Packler, Sheriff Springer, County Clerk Ridgway, Deputy Cattle Attorneys Watkins and Swackhamer, Seniors C. Shelton Johnson, Thomas W. Huff and C. T. Molony.

Alfred H. Roberts, of Ellensville, N. Y., is visiting friends in Woodbury.

## MULLICA HILL.

Jeffrey Batten and two daughters were the guests of Alfred West during the week.

William Horner will return to farm life in the spring.

Mrs. Roberts has returned home from a four weeks' visit in Germantown.

Miss Laura Hazelton, of West Chester Normal school, and Miss Anna Parker, of the South Jersey Institute, were at home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

George Hazelton and Samuel Moore, have taken a trip to North Carolina, to visit Clinton P. Moore and to test the gunning in that locality.

Miss Emma Price spent last Sunday with her mother.

## SWEDESBORO.

Frank Black and family, spent Thanksgiving with John H. Zippler, and family, in Camden.

Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Gaskill, have been spending the week with relatives and friends at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, spent Thanksgiving with friends at Salem.

Prof. John H. Sharp, and wife, spent Thanksgiving at Freeburg.

Prof. Joseph Jennings, and sons, will spend the winter with the Misses Fannie and Fayette Jennings in Camden.

Mrs. A. Lawrence, of Philadelphia, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howell.

Miss Ella Targart, who has been spending several months with friends at Evanston and Chicago, has returned to Swedesboro. She will spend the winter in Philadelphia.

Miss Jessie Brown, of St. Catharines, Canada, is visiting Miss Florence Hurrif.

## PAULSBORO.

George Gwilliam, of New York, spent last Sunday here.

William Stetser, of Philadelphia, was a Sunday visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Henry celebrated the seventeenth anniversary of their marriage in company with a large number of their relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Huff will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage next Tuesday.

Delaware Tribe, No. 44, I. O. R. M., will celebrate their twentieth anniversary to-morrow night.

## MOUNT HOLLY.

The marriage of Miss Powell, Jr., of Smithville, and Miss Reba, daughter of Mordecai S. Butterworth, took place in the Pemberton Baptist Church, Rev. J. C. Buchanan officiating. The bridesmaids were Miss Carrie Powell, Miss Helen Morris, Miss Marion Biddle and Miss Beulah D. Coles. The ushers were Messrs. M. S. Butterworth, Jr., Harry Woolston, Benjamin Powell, Jr. and Joseph W. Gardiner.

A large audience greeted Miss Helen Mar Wilson and the quartette furnished by Mrs. James McCormick, of Camden, at the Baptist Church, on Thanksgiving evening. The selections rendered by the quartette were highly appreciated, and the recitations of Miss Wilson could not be surpassed.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Austin will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Thursday, December 14, at their residence on Madison avenue.

Mrs. William W. Curtis and Mrs. Clara Armstrong have gone to San Francisco, Cal., for the winter.

W. H. Mitchell has been removed from the Evesborough post office and B. P. Evans has been appointed postmaster.

Jerome B. Grigg has gone on a trip to Joplin, Mo. He has been on a hunting trip in Indian Territory, which was very successful.

## PALMYRA.

George L. Williams, of Mount Holly, has been visiting C. L. Huff, of Morgan avenue.

Daniel S. Ewald, of Delair, is a frequent visitor.

Joseph J. Sleeper, Jr., was tendered a surprise party a few evenings ago at the residence of Dr. J. J. Sleeper, on Barry avenue.

The Patriotic Order Sons of America presented a 6 by 12 flag to the West Palmyra public school on Thanksgiving Day.

## BRIDGETON.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clawson have gone to Salem on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Donaghy are visiting in Philadelphia.

Everett Ackley, of Camden, has been spending a few days in this city.

Professor J. Jennings, leader of Jennings' Sixth Regiment Band, was in town Wednesday.

Rudolph Dolle has returned from a few days' stay in New York.

John Sweetwood, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with friends in Bridgeton.

Mrs. Dunham, who has been sick for two months, is recovering.

Misses May Walker and Nellie Balingher have returned home after spending a few days visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. A. R. Lamb, of Dragston, who is at St. James' Hospital, Philadelphia, is improving.

Robert Robbins, of the State Normal School, has been spending a few days in Bridgeton.

Wendell H. Campbell, of Camden, was in town on Tuesday.

Miss Alice Balfour, of Bridgeton, spent Sunday in Port Norris.

Joseph Reeves, of Millville, visited Bridgeton friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Thomas Allison, of Millville, spent Monday in Bridgeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simons, of Bryn Mawr, Pa., are visiting on Irving avenue.

Mrs. Rachel Hires has been making a two weeks' visit among friends at Salem and Chestnut Hill, Pa.

H. C. Deener, formerly of this city, has been ill in Philadelphia for several weeks with pleurisy.