

# NOT A LIVING IN FOUR CHURCHES

Special to The Inquirer.

WINSLOW, N. J., March 17.—Rev. Joseph S. Eldridge, Jr., who has been pastor in charge of Winslow circuit, which includes the villages of Elm, Blue Anchor, Waterford and Winslow for the past year, has withdrawn from the M. E. Conference to engage in other business where the salary will be more liberal.

Pastor Eldridge successfully passed his second year examinations at Salem last week and then requested to be transferred to another charge. Receiving no encouragement he returned to his home here on Saturday and immediately began packing his household goods for removal to Berlin where he will engage in business. Although having four churches in his charge the salary has been so meagre that the parson was obliged to work as a carpenter to support his family.

## NEW JERSEY NEWS NOTES

CAMDEN.—Policeman Alcott rescued a woman and two children from a burning building.—Samuel Vanstavern wept like a child when informed that the Court of Errors and Appeals refused to interfere and he must be hanged April 8.—St. Patrick's Day was celebrated by Division No. 2, A. O. H., and the Seventh Ward Republican Club.—Sarah Fisher was held in \$500 bail for keeping a disorderly house.—Testimony was concluded in the Claus will case before Judge Armstrong.—Work will probably commence on the elevated road at an early date.

WOODBURY.—Three valuable horses belonging to Jacob Tomlin, at Barnesboro, died and Ceuly Sunday and an investigation showed that the animals had eaten mouldy feed, although

the owner was not aware of the condition of the food.

WENONAH.—Professor Westzell, of the public schools, reports that his pocket was picked on Saturday in a Philadelphia department store.

by which he is a loser of a nice sum of money, valuable papers and two commutation tickets.

TRENTON.—The Court of Errors and Appeals yesterday refused to interfere with the death sentence imposed upon Samuel Van Stavern for the killing of his wife in Camden.

GLOUCESTER CITY.—The shad season is drawing near and fishermen are putting in their appearance around the river front in this vicinity to get ready to cast their nets at the opening of what promises to be a successful season on April 10.

MT. HOLLY.—John Young was hanged here to-day. He was one of the quartet implicated in the murder of Washington Hunter, at Riverside, in January, 1901.

SWEDESBORO.—The Golden Eagles, of this place, dined around lively last night, the occasion being the anniversary of the local castle. The event closed with a big feast.

SALEM.—After a day of true old time Methodist meetings the ministers came together yesterday morning to hurry along and finish the business of conference so that an adjournment may be taken this morning after the appointments are announced.

BRIDGETON.—While it is not yet ordered by the Bottle Blowers Association, it is generally understood there will be a strike among the employes of the Moore-Jonas glassworks within ten days. If it does come the employes at the Minnatoia glassworks will go out also.

GLASSBORO.—One of the largest funerals ever witnessed in this section was that of John W. Gardner and wife, who were killed at the Hardingville Station on Wednesday last, and which took place at the Aura Methodist Church, yesterday.