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Let the Child have a Sun Hat

when you can buy a good one for 25 cents. We have some designed for ladies that don't cost very much. Then in men's we have a stock that begins at 50 cents, and scales down to so low a price that no one can afford to pass them by without buying one.

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Now is the time to buy your Tomato Plants. We have some that want to be transplanted; the price is less than last year. We have Seed Pole Beans and can furnish the Bean poles; have got some very good ones.

If you want a drink try **No-Tox**—it touches the spot and is prepared in one minute.

It is wonderful how many Oranges we sell at 20 cents per dozen. Guess they are pretty good or else we would not sell so many. The same rule applies to Canned Blueberries, two cans for 25 cents.

J. E. MORTON

ABOUT TOWN.

Advertised letters remain in the Manchester post office for Miss H. M. Ford, Mrs. Emma F. Griswold, Hugh Redy, A. R. Talcott.

A letter from New York addressed to L. Woodells found its proper destination, the desk of the editor of The Herald, yesterday.

John McCarthy, the genial distributor of pastry and bread for Frank Goetz, after dodging the measles for weeks, has succumbed to the disease.

The Hartford, Manchester & Rockville Tramway company's line was opened for public travel a year ago yesterday. The bridge was burned two days later.

About 60 members of South Manchester and Manchester Divisions, Sons of Temperance, attended the quarterly meeting of the third district division at Rockville Wednesday evening.

Robert Hurley, who has been training for George F. Rich, has located for the season at Woodland Park, where he has half a dozen good horses in charge, including Mr. Rich's Pandolpho.

R. W. Pitkin is moving an ell on his residence from the front to the rear of the building and making other improvements. When the work is completed the appearance of the place will be much changed.

The Union church at Rockville is having a hard time trying to find a successor to Rev. Mr. Dingwell. Rev. George A. Hall, of Peabody, Mass., who recently received a unanimous call to this church has just declined.

Willie Shea, the 14-year-old son of Mrs. Timothy Connors, of Woodland street, ran away from home Tuesday after being punished by his mother for truancy at school. It is supposed that he went to his grandfather's at Hop River.

W. W. Cowles has twenty horses quartered at his farm in Buckland. Among them are several pairs of finely matched gentlemen's driving horses, three colts by Ned of Waranoke, two by Magic Wilkes and several other well known names.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Kennedy was held at the South Methodist church at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. She was one of the oldest members of the church and the pastor, Rev. J. S. Wadsworth, in fitting words commended her Christian devotion. The bearers were Austin Halling, C. L. Tracy, George H. Gild and Mason Agard. The burial was at the Center cemetery.

Tomorrow the seventh anniversary of the forming of the general Epworth League will be observed at the South Methodist church. At the morning service the pastor will preach a sermon treating of the league's progress and work and at seven in the evening there will be a special service devoted entirely to this subject.

The Swedish Lutheran church has bought from Cheney Bros. the lot next north of the church. The lot is 150 feet deep and extends north from the land heretofore owned to Chestnut street. The lot was bought by the Society Idun and presented to the church. A building to be used for social gatherings and meetings of church societies will probably be erected on the lot next year.

The St. Louis Convention. The delegates from Connecticut to the national republican convention will leave Hartford Friday evening, June 12, by special train consisting of three Pullman sleeping cars, one dining car and a buffet and smoking car. There will be a stop of four or five hours at Niagara Falls and the train will be due at St. Louis Sunday, June 14th. Mr. James W. Cheney, delegate from Hartford county, will be pleased to hear from any person in this county who would like to join the party, as he has the privilege of inviting a limited number of persons to accompany the party. The entire trip will occupy about eight days.

Funeral of Lizzie Buckley. The funeral of Lizzie Buckley, daughter of John Buckley, of Manchester Green, took place at St. Bridget's church at nine o'clock Thursday morning. The body of the little girl was enclosed in a handsome white casket covered with flowers, among them a beautiful pillow from her fellow pupils in district No. 2. The pall bearers were C. H. Buckley, of Somerville, Thomas and Harry Raley, of Rockville, and Thomas Buckley, of Meriden. The interment was at Rockville. The child was a general favorite in the community where she lived and her death is deeply regretted by many friends.

Sudden Death of a Child. Samuel J. Faulkner, seven years old, the son of Thomas Faulkner of 15 Eldridge street, died suddenly of complications accompanying measles Tuesday. The child was sick but one day. He was taken ill and developed symptoms of measles. The usual remedies were prescribed but the boy grew rapidly worse. Medical Examiner Parker inquired into the case and concluded that some organic difficulty must have existed which was rendered fatal by complication with measles. The parents of the child objected to a post mortem examination which alone would have revealed the real cause of his death. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon.

Cheney's Sons are setting straw matting cheap.

GOOD ROADS BEGUN.

Work on the Mile of Macadam on Main Street Actively in Progress.

Ex-selectmen John M. Williams, armed with a yellow yardstick, stands guard all day on Main street. He is stationed there to inspect the work of macadamizing and his eagle eyes allow no movement of the contractor's men to escape notice. It is fortunate for the town that Mr. Williams is just now temporarily out of business and able to give his time to the town work. The job of macadamizing Main street will not be alighted so long as it is under his supervision.

The work of laying stone began last Wednesday. On that day, however, only one carload of stone was received. Thursday six carloads arrived and the work began in earnest. The process is interesting and attracts many spectators. First a shallow trench 18 feet wide is excavated. The earth taken from the edges is thrown into the center to give the road bed a convex surface. It is then hardened by repeated rolling with the twelve-ton steam road roller, when it is ready for the first coating of trap rock. The stone used for the foundation is angular in shape and varies in diameter from one to two inches. The stone is very hard and very heavy. It is raked smooth and packed by the road roller. The process of raking and rolling alternates until the bed is firmly fixed. Another layer of coarse stone follows and is subjected to the same treatment. Lastly a top dressing of fine stone screenings is laid on and rolled smooth. Water from the fire hydrants is used to wet the road and make it pack easier.

During the construction of a section of road and for one week after its completion the state road commissioners require that teams be kept off it. This rule causes considerable inconvenience on Main street as the road is not wide enough to permit teams to pass outside the macadamized portion. Drivers are therefore compelled to take to the sidewalk. Bicycle riders do not, however, come under the rule and may use the road as soon as it is completed.

Plans for Athletic Grounds. Base Ball Park and Bicycle Track to be Laid Out on the Olcott Lot.

Plans for a baseball ground, mentioned in the Herald three weeks ago, are well under way and it is probable that Manchester will have a well-equipped nine this summer. A lease of the large open lot on the west side of the tramway just beyond Adams street has been secured from the owner, Walter Olcott, and the backers of the scheme intend to fence it, lay out a diamond and erect a grand stand. They also propose to build a bicycle track. The land has not yet been surveyed but it will be immediately and if there is sufficient area a three-lap track will be built, if not, a quarter mile.

Although all the arrangements are not yet fixed the managers of the enterprise feel confident that they will be in a few days and that the plan will be carried through successfully. They have already received many applications from well known players, and Judge Bowers, Cornelius Moynihan, J. P. Cheney and other baseball enthusiasts have promised their assistance. President Chapman of the Tramway company has given assurances of his support.

There are good amateur nines in New Britain, Bristol and other nearby towns and a series of games with them is proposed and bats will probably be crossed with the paid nine of Winsted. The bicycle track will probably prove a drawing attraction. There are many ambitious young scorchers in town anxious to distinguish themselves on the track and a series of interesting meets could, without doubt, be easily arranged.

The land leased was years ago the property of Sidney Olcott and is known as the old race track. A track was once laid out there by Mr. Olcott, who had an eye for a speedy horse.

Sheridan-Quinn. Mr. John F. Sheridan, senior partner of the firm of J. F. Sheridan & Bro., and Miss Jennie Quinn, of 64 Union street, were married at 8.30 Thursday evening by Rev. E. C. Gragan. Miss Sarah Quinn was bridesmaid and Dennis McCarthy best man. The bride and bridesmaid were both attired in gowns of light blue Henrietta trimmed with white lace and gold passementerie. The ceremony was performed at the parochial residence and a large concourse of people who had gathered at the church in anticipation of witnessing the marriage were disappointed. The wedded pair drove to the bride's home where they were serenaded by the firm's employees, reinforced by a cornetist, bass and snare drummers and a performer on the flute. Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan left for the United States express for New York. They are expected home today and will reside at 21 North Main street.

Ascension day services were held Thursday in St. James's, St. Bridget's and St. Mary's churches.

Christopher Parker, of Charter Oak street, returned Thursday from a week's visit to his sister, Mrs. Jefferson Dean, of Shelton.

Miss Minnie McDonough, bookkeeper for C. D. Strickland & Son, has resumed work after a rest of five weeks. Her health is much improved.

J. H. Bilson, who has been confined to his home for three weeks by a severe spinal trouble, has resumed business, although not entirely recovered.

Tuesday a horse belonging to Cornelius Sullivan was injured so badly about the spine while being thrown for the purpose of having its teeth filed that it was decided best to shoot it.

Allan Risk of Willimantic, was expelled from the National Trotting Association this week for starting Nellie N. under the name Louise. Mr. Risk is well-known here having trained at Woodland Park.

George F. Day has purchased of Arthur E. Bowers the Lyman House property on the northeast corner of Charter Oak and Spruce streets. Mr. Day will make extensive improvements on the house and occupy it as a residence.

Fred B. Hale and Charles McLeary went trouting over east of Diamond pond Thursday. They caught 48. This is a good record but not equal to Mr. Hale's performance on the same stream one day last Spring, when he caught 90 fine fish.


Tuesday evening, the 400th anniversary of the birth of Gustavus Vasa, one of the greatest kings that ever reigned over Sweden, was observed at the Swedish Lutheran church. The pastor gave an address dealing with the life and work of Gustavus.

The damage to the Woodland Park fence by the recent fires has been repaired this week. The track has been scraped and is now in fine condition for driving or bicycling. C. W. Allen, president of the Driving association, has personally supervised the work.

Meetings this summer.

Another Invoice Mattings.

.08, .10, .12, .15, .20, .25, .30 and 35 cts. yard.



BABY CARRIAGES
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Summer Underwear.

Fine light Balbriggan Shirts, either short or long sleeves, 25 cents.

The best Jersey ribbed balbriggan shirts and drawers, selling at 50 cents, sold last year at 75 cents.

We have some very fine imported French balbriggan shirts and drawers which sell at 75 cents. Another line for \$1.00.

Outing Shirts.

10 doz. outing shirts at 37 cents each, worth 50 cents.

A large variety of soft collar shirts ranging in price from 50 cents to \$1.50.

Also some novelties in negligee and fancy bosom shirts just out. Call and see them.

Bicycle and Golf Stockings
fancy colors, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

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Leather belts. Dark and Light Russet 25 and 50 cents.

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Special Sale all Next Week.

You can save money by purchasing Dress Goods at our store.

Parasols and Sun Umbrellas.

New and pretty styles. Have marked them at very low prices. Come and see them.

Have you see our line of Lawns, Muslins and Organizes?

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36 inch Parasols
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More Styles this week, 50 cts. to \$7.50 pair.

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The Mighty Bicycle.

More than 14,000 bicyclists passed a given point in New York city within sixteen hours the other day and probably this was not in excess of the usual number. The total of 14,052 was composed of 10,586 men, 2,501 women and 1,015 children. The riders were mounted on all styles of machines, nearly 200 of which were tandems. Over three-fourths of the men riders wore ordinary street attire. Of the women twenty-five percent were in costume, the divided skirt being the favorite. The reporters of The New York Herald, who obtained these figures, found, as did two men from this paper, who spent a day or two in New York last summer observing matters pertaining to cycling, that while the bloomer was present, it was conspicuous by its rarity. There were only sixty-three of them.

In spite of all that is written regarding the use of bloomers and knickerbockers by women cyclists the stubborn fact remains that, as yet, these substitutes for skirts have won but little favor. Women have decided that these garments do not become them and they will not wear them.

All over the country, and especially in the metropolis, the impression being made by the great and growing popularity of bicycling is receiving recognition in many ways. For once the pulpit and theater are united. Those in charge of both are busy devising methods to attract bicyclists, thousands of whom were formerly supporters of both institutions but who now, during the riding season, spend on their mounts the time they once devoted to those institutions. Many clergymen are trying the experiment of preaching sermons appealing to the cyclist. So far their efforts have not been successful, although there is one church in Chicago which is said to have many cyclists among its congregation. Stalls are provided for the steel steeds and in the basement there is a shop where repairs on these two-wheeled machines are being cared for. Probably the first church in the world to provide accommodation for the bicycles of attendants was the Center church of this place. This was about three years ago.

The paragraph in this paper telling of the innovation was widely quoted throughout the country and inventive New York reporters wrote up highly varnished accounts of it. So humorous did this simple item seem that the professional fan makers setled upon it as a choice tid-bit and waxed exceedingly merry therewith. Now racks or accommodations for bicycles are found in many churches in all parts of the North and West.

The influence of the bicycle on the everyday life is tremendous and wide-spreading. It has changed social habits, affected the horse market, stimulated the movement for good roads, made a profitable market for many new lines of clothing, lessened doctor's bills and—some may say—decreased the amount deposited in the savings banks.

Should Children Have the Measles?

The measles epidemic this spring has not been local in its character but has included a large section of the country. In New York and Brooklyn, where the disease has been especially prevalent, a lively discussion has been waged over the question "Is it not better to let children have the diseases of children and be done with them?" The consensus of opinion seems to be in the negative. A Brooklyn doctor writing on the subject says:

"All the diseases of children cannot be discussed here. Most of us believe that scarlet fever and diphtheria, at least, should be avoided like all poisons, but measles— to have measles is considered the subject of empty humor.

There are in nearly every report of the New York Health Board more deaths from measles than from diphtheria or scarlet fever. Why then, ignore the dangers? Measles, like all diseases of children, is largely preventable, and in this age of scientific progress it is the duty of physicians and parents to prevent as well as to cure the innocent little tots of their ailments. Thousands of people are believers in this "happy-go-lucky" plan of treating measles, but the false notion is responsible for many hundreds of preventable deaths."

Point is given these remarks by a small-pox epidemic now raging in Gloucester, England. Most amazing, says the New York Journal, was the way the epidemic got a foothold. A child was taken ill and a fool doctor declared its disease measles. At that all the mothers, near by who had tender infants brought them to catch the measles, according to the silly idea that it is well to give a baby everything that is going while it is young and can't help itself. The baby died. It had a great funeral, with all the relatives, friends and playmates there, and two weeks later, the measles proving to have been smallpox, every one was down with the dread disease. The babies who were brought to the funeral had it; so did the little child's playmates, so did the adults and children who went to the funeral, and so did the members of the family.

The infectious hospital was thrown open, nurses and doctors were added to its service, and the fearful epidemic began. Up to last week there had been 1,489 cases of the disease.

Manchester for June will consist of 12 pages of news, including the best portraits of the world.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.
Annual Meeting of Hartford County Union at North Methodist Church.

Both the morning and afternoon sessions of the thirtieth annual convention of the Hartford County W. C. T. U., which was held at the North Methodist church Wednesday, were well attended. Delegates were present from nearly all of the 34 unions in the county and in addition many well known officers of the society including the state president, Mrs. Forbes, of Hartford, were present. Beautiful flowers tastefully arranged about the front of the rostrum lent their fragrance to the air and added the needed touch of color to the scene.

The convention was called to order at 9:30 a. m. Words of greeting were spoken by Mrs. E. P. Pheasant and brief remarks were made by Rev. E. P. Pheasant, Rev. John McVey, of Burnside, and Rev. C. H. Barber. Reports from local unions were followed by greetings from the state president. At 11:15 business was taken up and the county president, Mrs. L. M. Bunce, of Kensington, read from the journal. At noon there was a bible reading and noonday prayer led by Mrs. M. B. Ellis, of New Jersey.

A recess was then taken until 1:30 p. m. During the recess a substantial collation was served, which was partaken of by 125 people. The earlier portion of the afternoon session was devoted to the reports of the committee on credentials, reports from unions and reports from state superintendents. Among the speakers were Miss Miner, of New London, state superintendent of scientific temperance instruction in schools and Mrs. F. M. Stanley, state and local superintendent, of evangelistic work. The banner for the greatest percentage of increase in membership was awarded to the recently organized Parkville union.

The election of officers resulted in the re-election of Mrs. L. M. Bunce as county president and Mrs. A. L. Ward as secretary. Miss Lydia Woodworth, of Berlin, was elected treasurer to succeed Miss Balden, of New London, resigned. Mrs. F. M. Stanley of Highland Park and Mrs. J. B. Smith, of New Britain, were elected vice-presidents. At 2:45 Mrs. M. B. Ellis gave an interesting twenty minutes address in which she described her initiation into active temperance work.

The reading of the treasurer's report followed and then came the "Y" hour, devoted to young women's work. The program consisted of readings and music and an exhibition of the union's work in physical culture. Among the numbers on the program were an organ solo by Miss Fish, of Plainville, vocal solo, Miss Stoughton, of South Windsor, and a clever exhibition of Indian club swinging by Miss Myrtle Hutchins of the South Manchester Y. W. C. T. U.

At eight o'clock in the evening a meeting of the local union was held. Its principal feature was an address by Mrs. M. B. Ellis, of New Jersey, an organizer and lecturer of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Ellis is a clever and forceful speaker and no stranger to Manchester audiences. She uses few tricks of oratory and makes her most telling points by means of clever anecdotes and bits of personal experience. Nothing less than a verbatim report can do her justice.

Early in her lecture she touched on the tariff. She said she was 50 years old and could readily remember incidents which occurred 48 years ago. At that time the agitation over the tariff was as violent as today. Her father and uncle used to discuss it just as earnestly and lose their tempers over it just as often as men do now. Both were sure their way of settling it was the only proper way and each had a theory of his own. When I go up into the mountains of Pennsylvania among the iron mines and smelters, the principal topic of conversation on streets and trains is the need of protection on iron. When I go south to New Orleans and walk along the levees of the Mississippi among the thousands of casks of sugar and countless bales of cotton I continually hear the cry of protection. "Give us protection on our sugar and cotton!" When I am on the prairies among the herds of thousands and thousands of sheep I hear of protection. Protection for wool! And yet nowhere do I hear of protection for the home against the saloon.

Later on she said the American saloon was the most protected industry on earth. There are ten saloons to every church and 15 barkeepers to every clergyman. All saloons keep open five days in the week—some of them seven—and those that don't are trying to secure legislation to enable them to do so. Every eight minutes as the clock ticks some poor wretch goes to a drunkard's grave.

The speaker scored Manchester for its support of saloons. Who will you find in them? Young men who go from them with the breath of hell on their lips and their own firelight in their eyes.

The balance of power on the temperance question rests with the churches and whenever the God-fearing men in this country will solidly unite against the saloon without regard for sect, party or creed and vote against it, it will be crushed. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union advocated and worked for total abstinence and constitutional prohibition before the Prohibition party was ever thought of.

Mrs. Ellis is evidently in favor of the suffrage for women, although she did not touch on that subject during her lecture. In prefacing her remarks on politics she said: "I look at these things from a woman's standpoint and women, you know, are not regarded as people in the United States." She described the interest women are taking in temperance work and kindred matters now before the public to the Civil War. Up to that time women had remained at home. But they were

HE SAVED TWO CENTS.

He looked at his communication ticket and swore softly to himself.

"Wasn't the matter?" he asked his wife.

"I put a postage stamp in my pocket-book," he replied, "and it's stuck to my communication ticket."

"Oh, well, the ticket's still good, isn't it?" she asked.

"Good!" he exclaimed. "Of course it's good, but you don't suppose I'm going to furnish a soulless corporation like a railroad company with postage stamps, do you? You don't imagine I'll submit to a tax of 3 cents for buying the ticket? You one who has the link coming, the railroad company."

"I don't believe I'd bother about it, John," she said pleasantly. "If the conductor will accept the ticket, I'd—"

"You'd pay the company a bonus for carrying you," he interrupted, "but I won't." It's the principle of the thing that I object to, not the paltry financial consideration."

"Can't you get the stamp off with a knife?" she asked.

"Certainly," he replied sarcastically. "I can cut it out with a knife or a pair of scissors, or it might be done with an ax or a chisel, but you forget that I want to save the ticket. The railroad company is making enough out of me when I ride after paying the regular rate of fare."

"Then soak it off," she suggested.

"Now, you're beginning to have a little glimpse of sense," he returned. "I thought you would get around to my idea if I gave you plenty of time."

It was two hours later that she asked him how long he intended to leave that ticket in soak.

"Green mackerel!" he cried, and, after he had looked at what was left of the ticket and done a little figuring he added: "Two dollars and 80 cents for a 2 cent stamp. It isn't worth it."—Chicago Post.

THEY WOULD COME LATER.

The clerk at the middle desk was soon to be married, so the red haired clerk to his left and the baldheaded clerk to his right were doing all in their power to make his life unbearable.

"Are they going to take a wedding journey?" asked the baldheaded clerk.

"Not this time," said the red haired one.

"Why not?"

"No funds. He spent it all on candy and theater tickets."

The clerk in the middle shifted uneasily on his stool.

"That was foolish," said the bald-headed clerk.

"Oh, I don't know! He might not have got her otherwise."

"What?" said the clerk to his right. "What's the matter with her if she isn't going to be around next show her up?"

"I don't have the fun of knowing she's not even going to be here."

"Not even to the fall?"

The clerk in the middle raised his head.

"I've bought a couple of bicycles," he said quietly, "and we rather expect the falls to come to us."—Chicago Tribune.

IT WAS MARRIAGE.

He looked happy enough as he walked up to the postoffice box, set a huge bundle on the floor and began taking pretty square envelopes therefrom, dropping them by twos and threes in the box.

"Big lot of letters," remarked the policeman. "Nice day too."

"Letters!" said the happy man. "My dear fellow, those are not letters. They are wedding invitations."

A stern look came over the face of the hitherto friendly policeman.

"My friend," he said, "I am sorry to disturb you. But I must do my duty. Come with me."

"Arrested?"

"Yes."

"On what charge, sir? This is an outrage."

"Not at all. You are advertising a lottery through the mails."

The man went along.—New York World.

MAKE HASTE SLOWLY.

The Weeping Daughter—Oh, I shall die! Papa says that Algy and I must not think of marrying for two years yet.

"Don't cry so, dear," said the judicious mother. "Perhaps you will not want to marry him at the end of three years. Who knows but that blond husbands will be out of style then?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

HEARD ENOUGH.

"What yer don't know about me would fill a cirkerlain library," said the fly orbital.

"Is that so?" replied the detective.

"Well, what I do know about you will fill a suit of stripes." And he gathered him in.—New York World.

ALL THE SAME.

Miss Dainty—Go away, dirty tramp! Beautiful Betty (with dignity)—Madam, that is a purely superficial imputation. We are all more or less.—Philadelphia North American.

THE CAMPAIGN BUTTON.

Though gay is the blossom that sways on the bough

As the wind cooly sweeps o'er the plain,

More brilliant by far are the buttons just now

That shine in the summer campaign.

And they come by the bushel, the peck or the quart.

Each brand being shown as the best!

The candidate's glad to supply the best sort.

And the voter will please to be so.

But just as the bud which once promised so well

Fades away ere the season is past,

Some of these must be torn from the public's

laps.

And into oblivion be cast.

And the crowd may be gay, and the brass band may play.

But a candidate will sit in your breast

Who thinks of the pathos at some future day

Of the button that never was pressed.

—Washington Star.

YOU'RE NOT WORTH A MONTH.

So Mr. Gillman Brown, of 24 Mill St., South Gardiner, Me., was told by the doctor. His son had lung trouble, following typhoid malarial, and he spent \$275 with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying, "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to his former health. He says he overheard the doctor say that he had been told that he was not worth a month. He says he overheard the doctor say that he had been told that he was not worth a month.

INDIGESTION

Is often caused by want of something piquant for a relish. The system craves something acid. Relief comes with the judicious use of Pure Pickles. In these, as in every-thing else we carry the product of the best pickers—Crosse & Blackwell, Heins Bros, and Austin, Nichols & Co. The assortment includes plain pickles, chowchow, sherrins, and little white onions. Small bottles, lunch size, just the thing for picnics 10 cents each. Heins' pickles in bulk, 12 oz. ct. chowchow, 15 cts. ct.; olives, 20 cts. bottle. Pure mustard and salad oils.

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We have about 80 pairs of Shoes given us by a large New York house to sell on commission.

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10 pairs Ladies' Shoes, former price \$2.50, now \$1.50 and \$1.75.
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Fairbank's Standard Family Soap, Only \$1 for 40 Bars.

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STATE OF MAINE SWEET CORN, 10 cents a can. Usually sold at 15 cents. This lot cost the wholesaler most as much as we ask. Don't forget the price only 10 cents.

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A New Line of—

SHIRT WAISTS, DRESS SKIRTS, LACES,

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New Imperial Novelty Store. Park Building, So. Manchester

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White Wyandottes (Kassap Bros.) Straits. Barred Plymouth Rocks. (Kassap Bros.) Light Braekins. (Dunlap & Co.) Black Langhans. Barred Rocks and Langshans. (Dunlap & Co.) White Wyandottes and Straits.

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Once more Soda Water time has come at

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you will, of course, use good seeds. Those are the ones we sell; the kind that sprout. Everything needed for the garden is here awaiting purchase.

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GLASTONBURY.

E. D. Hayes is soon to move to East Hartford. The Natal League will meet with Mrs. George R. Hale Saturday afternoon. Services will be held today, "Ascension Day" at St. Luke's church at 10.45 a. m. and at St. James's at 7.15 p. m.

Mrs. Fred Southmayd of Portland spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Johnson.

The members of the Eastern Star will meet with Mrs. H. S. Vale next Friday afternoon and evening.

Miss Rheta Seelye of Hartford was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Douglas, over last Sunday.

Miss Clara Bishop of Andover has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Alice Kenyon.

Daskam Lodge will hold a special communication to work the second degree Saturday evening.

Miss Gertrude Hayes went to Essex last Saturday to attend the funeral of her uncle. She returned home Monday.

The ice cream season is here and Werder's delicious brick ice cream may be had in any quantity at Rhodes's bakery.

Jacob Urbansky, whose left hand was terribly torn at the Naubuc shop two weeks ago, is getting on exceptionally well.

Gustave Brohnikie is having repairs and alterations made at his house near Clark's paper mill. George House is doing the work.

The Boys' Brigade will hold an out of door target shoot on the Talcott range next Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Thomas Simms of South Manchester preached an able sermon at the Congregational church last Sunday morning, on exchange with Rev. G. F. Waters.

C. A. Rhodes returned Monday afternoon, well tanned and much improved in health from a vacation of a week and a half, spent among relatives in New York state.

The continued warm, dry weather is proving most favorable for the development of an enormous crop of mosquitoes. They are a particularly bloodthirsty variety too.

The road gang is making good progress in grading for the new macadam road on Eaton avenue.

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GLASTONBURY'S DROP A GAME

Wethersfield won by a score of 15 to 12. The Glastonbury ball team was unfortunate in its first game of the season, which was played with the Wethersfield team.

The first inning resulted in one run for Wethersfield but when the home team scored five in the second, Glastonbury stock rose several points.

The visitors reestablished by scoring five in the third inning. Excitement waned until the sixth, when the visitors scored six, owing to some costly errors by one of the fielders of the home team.

Features of the game were Marvel's home run on a ball batted to the roof of the house at the lower end of the field and the two baggers of Simonds of the home team.

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Henry Fisher is also putting in a water supply for his three tenement houses on the hill.

The second teachers' meeting of the school year was held at the Congregational chapel last Monday.

The afternoon session was opened with a song by Prof. FAVOR, the musical instructor in the schools, followed by a practical and instructive talk on the methods of teaching reading by Miss Bertha M. McConkey of the South Manchester school.

The school board, were disappointed in both Prof. Phoenix of Willimantic and C. H. Ames of Boston, both of whom were unable to be present.

In spite of this fact however the meeting was an interesting and profitable one to the teachers.

A cordial invitation was extended to the parents and to the public to be present at the afternoon session but only one or two availed themselves of the privilege.

Of the veterans of the war of 1812 there are only 14 living, of whom two live in Connecticut.

Elizabeth Smith of Danbury and William C. Moss of Stonington. The former is 97 years of age and the latter 92.

When love knocks at a woman's heart she usually comes in disguise. Doesn't she? You are apt to look upon love and marriage as purely a matter of sentiment and affection.

That is pretty nearly right; yet there is a practical side to it too; and the best way to preserve the ideal aspect of marriage and maternity is not to forget the practical part of it.

NAUBUC.

The spring rush is over at the steamboat dock although quantities of freight are received and shipped every day.

Daily boats make it more convenient to handle the freight than the three trips a week system under which the boats have been run for the past two seasons.

A number of people are taking advantage of the reduced fares on the steamers to enjoy a sail on the river these pleasant afternoons.

Mrs. Addie Myers and Miss Sadie Myers are visiting in New York.

Mrs. Frank Harmon and daughter Ethel, of Springfield, are guests of Mrs. Geo. D. Bartlett.

Mrs. Allen and daughter, of South Manchester, spent the latter part of last week with Mrs. W. H. Waterman.

Mrs. Thomas M. Trotter, sister of Mrs. Charles Richmond, died at her home in South Manchester last Saturday afternoon of a complication of diseases following the grip.

Dr. D. G. Rankin removed a small tumor from the side of Emil Combs Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Maria Risley is having her house painted.

Alwreive fishing in the cove this season has not been so much of a success as in former years.

A Sunday row at the Naubuc boarding house ended in the arrest of John Rienberg Monday morning on the complaint of one, Chimonski.

Oliver Brainard was visiting in Middletown last Saturday.

John Wilson has given up his job at the mill and is working in H. B. Brooks's grocery.

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The Ladies' Aid of St. Luke's are preparing to hold a sale and supper in the Sunday school room on Thursday afternoon and evening the 21st.

Lewis Saunders is the first horseman in town to sport a bicycle buggy.

The Sunday travel on the electric road is unusually heavy.

Mrs. John Kelly Jr., spent Sunday in town.

John H. Stevens of New Britain has been visiting his father in town this week.

THE STRUGGLE WITH FATE

A Battle Against Poverty Turned to Good Account. Here's a bit of a story that comes from London to the Chicago Record.

There was a certain young American girl in London who had come over with only the courage of youth and the point of a pen to keep the wolf away.

One day she presented herself at the office of an editor who had bought "stint" of her. The great man was busy, but she insisted on seeing him.

It was a story about a young woman who purchased a typewriting machine on the instalment plan.

So she sat down at the machine and rattled off a pathetic story of her own struggles with fate.

"By Jove," said the editor, as he finished reading it, "I always said you could do fiction, but you never would. Come around next week, and I'll let you know if I'll publish it."

The girl hesitated. "If you please, sir," she said, "won't you decide now?"

"Why?" asked the editor, in surprise. "Why," said the girl, "you see, the man who came after the typewriter is waiting for the money."

LEGAL PLEA FOR HER HAND. Able Argument of Counsel Involving Personal Interests.

The Judge's daughter was perturbed. "Papa," she said, knitting her pretty brow, "I am in doubt as to whether I have kept to the proper form of procedure."

"Possibly the Court was assuming a little more power than rightfully belongs to it," said the Judge, "but let that pass. What did he do then?"

"He filed a petition for a rehearing." "The usual course," said the Judge, "but it is usually nothing but a mere formality."

"So I thought," returned the girl, "and I was prepared to deny it without argument, but the facts set forth in his petition were sufficient to make me hesitate and wonder whether his case had really been properly presented at the first trial."

"Upon what grounds did he make the application?" asked the Judge, scowling. "Well," she replied, blushing a little, "you see he proposed by letter, and his contention was that the case was of that peculiar character that cannot be properly presented by briefs, but demands oral arguments. The fact that the latter had been omitted, he held, should be held to be an error, and the point was such a novel one that I consented to let him argue it. Then his argument was so forceful that I granted his petition, and consented to hear the whole case again. Do you think

"I think," said the Judge, "that the Court favors the plaintiff."—Chicago Post.

AMERICA WEARS THE LAUREL. The Honors in the Olympian Games Won by our Athletes.

The Olympian games which closed at Athens last week indicate the decadence of modern Greece and show that while, in the blue environment of the encircling sea, the land of Homer is just the same, yet in the changed condition of the people who dwell in the shadow of Mount Olympus "it is living Greece" no more.

America led the prize winners in the contests which drew together the champions of both hemispheres.

There is some gratification in this achievement, and America can well afford to be proud of the fact that for two years at least no power can pluck this distinction from her.—Atlanta Constitution.

In Poster Land the sky is black. The trees are red, the grass is blue. The people yellow, green and brown. And every thing is upside down.

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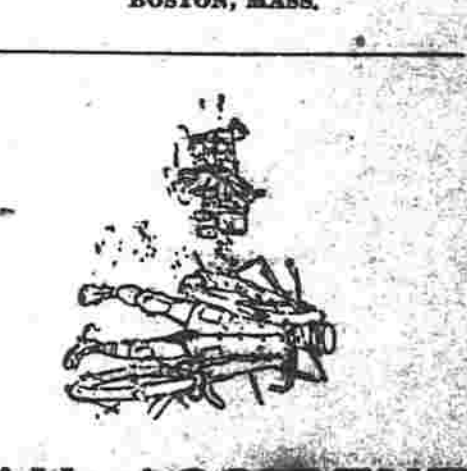
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Come in and learn all about the great Majestic Steel Range, a wonderful modern cooking apparatus.

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LAWN MOWERS.

PERSONAL MENTION

C. Tiffany is in Boston on a business trip.

Mrs. Carrie Alvord, of Hartford, is visiting at John A. Alvord's.

Benjamin F. Cook and bride, of New York, are expected here to-day on a visit to Mr. Cook's father, Aaron Cook, of Manchester Green.

Justo Mayorga, who until recently occupied a responsible position with the Peter Adams company, is now permanently located in New Haven.

Dr. J. N. Parker attended the annual reunion of the 31st Regt., C. V., at East Hampton yesterday. Dr. Parker was surgeon of the regiment during the war.

Elisha Cooper, superintendent at The E. E. Hilliard Co's mill, is to make a bicycle tour through England this summer.

Rockville's position in relation to the electric road is very similar to that of Manchester two years ago.

The horse galloped up east through Depot square toward its stable on Lydall street.

Since the concerts of the Choral society, South Manchester has not been favored with many musical entertainments.

Mr. Samuel Moyle, now visiting his sister, Mrs. William H. Cheney, has been asked to give a concert for the benefit of the choir fund of St. Mary's Episcopal church.

The Pope Manufacturing Company is experimenting with a new horseless wagon, operated by electricity from storage batteries.

Miss Maude C. Williams, daughter of ex-Judge of Probate Ephraim Williams, of Stonington, Conn., disappeared from the home of her cousin, Dr. Mary L. Mathews of Providence on April 5 and since that time her parents have been searching far and wide for her but without success.

With all the talk of presidential possibilities we have heard but little said about the vice presidency, but now, through the columns of the Providence News, we learn that ex-Governor D. Russell Brown is willing to accept the nomination, looking upon it not only as an honor to himself but as an honor to his state, which has never been represented in the national government as a vice-president higher than that of senator.

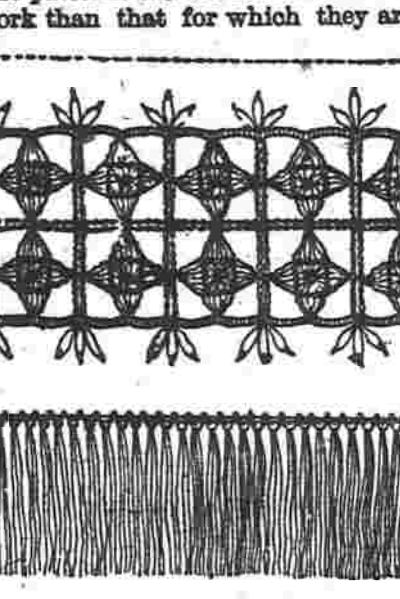
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Just a Little Common Sense. Everybody knows that the beginning of consumption is nearly always a little cough or cold. The importance of getting an end quickly to throat troubles is very great.

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DRAWN WORK IN CROCHET.

A very dainty novelty in crochet work is shown in a number of illustrations in The Ladies' Home Journal.



Dainty Sideboard Scarf. They may be adapted for bureau scarfs, tablecloths, tidies, cushions, etc., in combination with linen, satin or silk.

The following squares have to be joined on two sides. When the required length is made work on each side 6 d into each space, 1 d o into each point and 1 d o where the ch join.

One cupful of sugar, half a cupful of butter and the yolks of 4 eggs beaten together, and half a cupful of milk in which half a teaspoonful of soda is dissolved, and 1 1/2 cupfuls of flour in which a teaspoonful of cream of tartar is mixed.

Belts and Buckles. Belts and girdles are to be worn with every variety of feminine garment.

Belts and girdles are to be worn with every variety of feminine garment. And every style and kind of materials has been pressed into service—elastic, silk, leather, lace, satin, moire and metal, both stiff and woven.

There's another snake, teacher!" He pointed to one of the holes in the wall, from which a big garter snake was slowly emerging.

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SNAKES AT SCHOOL.

THEY CAUSE A NEW JERSEY TEACHER TO STOP WORK.

Snakes have broken up the spring term of school in the Cloverdale district of New Jersey, and Obed Harding, who has taught there for the last ten years, says he's got through unless the district sees fit to build a new schoolhouse.

Obed is pretty well along in years, and his eyesight is not as good as it was when he was younger. When he opened the schoolhouse one morning during the warm spell a fortnight ago, he saw something stretched across the top of his desk that looked like a pretty good sized stick of wood.

He thought it was a piece of wood, and he reached out to grab it with the intention of throwing it over into the corner by the stove. To his amazement, when his fingers settled around the stick it rose up, doubled and wound itself affectionately around his arm.

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