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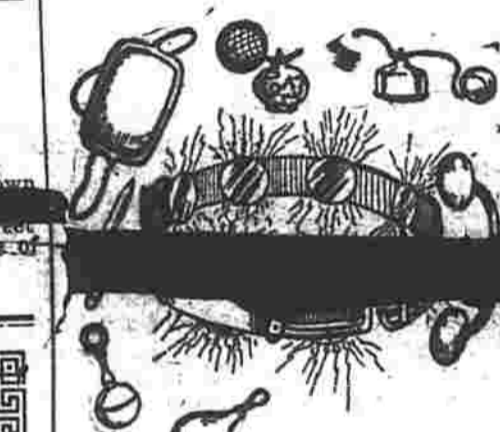
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time that we were ever able to offer you a stove pattern of Floor Oil Cloth 1 1/4 yards square of No 1 quality as low as we cut it from the piece. We are offering better bargains in Men's Pants than heretofore.

Our 50 cent Lantern is the most desirable in many respects of any we ever had. The 25 cent Lanterns have been dropped to 18 cents; we expect to see them move at this price.

Fibre Tubs we now have in stock of the best material.

Have received some Viceroy Flannels to sell at 10 cents; the patterns are new and desirable. It is a wonder how we ever got them to sell at this price.

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BRYANISM BURIED OUT OF SIGHT.

All of the Doubtful States in McKinley Column

McKinley is elected by an overwhelming majority. He has carried 24 states with an electoral vote of 318 and is pretty sure of some of the states which at this writing are classed as doubtful. Only 224 electoral votes were necessary for his election.

Minnesota will give McKinley 80,000 to 35,000 plurality. Maryland is republican by 20,000. Indiana is for McKinley by at least 40,000.

McKinley carries Illinois by over 100,000 and Altgeld is completely buried. Republicans claim Kentucky by 25,000. A conservative estimate gives McKinley a plurality of 50,000 in Michigan. The New York Journal concedes Tennessee to the republicans.

McKinley carries New York by about 273,000. The republican plurality in Ohio will exceed 100,000. Kansas is republican by 10,000.

MISSOURI STATES. Late Returns Give McKinley 318 Electoral Votes With More to Come.

From returns received by the United Associated Presses up to 1 a. m. the indications are that McKinley will have 318 electoral votes as follows:— New England States... 89

Table listing states and electoral votes: Ohio 23, Wisconsin 12, Iowa 13, South Dakota 3, Maryland 10, Illinois 24, Kentucky 13, West Virginia 12, Tennessee 12, Virginia 12, Nebraska 8, North Carolina 11, Indiana 15, Michigan 14, Minnesota 13, Missouri 17, Texas 15.

Total. The returns from the other states are meager and they are classed as doubtful, as follows:— Kansas 10, North Dakota 3, Wyoming 3, California 9, Oregon 4, Washington 4, Delaware 3.

A REPUBLICAN HOUSE. The Republican majority in the next House will be as great as in the present Congress. Sound money will have a majority of at least 100.

CONNECTICUT'S BIG PLURALITY. Hardly a Town in the State Gave Bryan a Plurality.

Connecticut, which gave its six electoral votes to Cleveland four years ago, gives McKinley a phenomenal plurality of between 50,000 and 60,000. The senate is solidly republican and in the house there will be but 27 democrats. With ten towns to hear from McKinley has a plurality of over 51,000. Henry's plurality in the first congressional district is over 14,000. Goodrich's plurality in the second senatorial district is 2,919.

We print herewith returns from a number of towns showing how the McKinley vote was piled up. Bolton gives McKinley plurality of 29. Gave Cleveland 17 plurality. Bolton's vote, McKinley 98, Bryan 99, Palmer 19, Lovering 2; Charles Tryon d, elected representative by 2 majority. Tolland's plurality for McKinley 67; Gave Cleveland 41. Avon: McKinley plurality 116. Gave Cleveland plurality of 12. Trumbull gives McKinley plurality of 184; gave Cleveland 36.

Ridgefield gives McKinley plurality 822; gave Harrison 92.

West Hartford, McKinley 391, Bryan 230, Palmer 29. McKinley's plurality 823. Harrison's plurality in '93 137. Saybrook gives McKinley a plurality of 288. Gave Harrison 126.

South Windsor gives McKinley a plurality of 254. Gave Harrison 60. Madison, McKinley's plurality 182. Harrison's plurality in '92 79. Marlborough gives McKinley plurality of 13; gave Cleveland 21. Elects one democratic and one republican representative. Bissell ran even with his ticket.

Middlefield gives McKinley 96 plurality; gave Harrison 41. Sherman gives McKinley 92 plurality; gave Harrison 63. Rocky Hill gives McKinley 85 plurality; gave Cleveland 8. Bissell runs one behind his ticket.

Stratford gives McKinley plurality 346; gave Harrison 38. Morris gives McKinley 14 plurality; gave Cleveland 25. Prospect gives McKinley plurality of 53; gave Harrison 8.

Fairfield gives McKinley plurality of 114; gave Cleveland 81. Kent gives McKinley plurality 188; gave Cleveland 18. Darien gives McKinley plurality of 193; gave Harrison 24. Lyme gives McKinley plurality 115; gave Harrison 27.

Putnam gives McKinley plurality of 635; gave Harrison 250. Eastford gives McKinley plurality of 98; gave Harrison 25. Canaan gives McKinley plurality of 60; gave Harrison 51.

Sprague gives McKinley plurality of 21; gave Harrison 3. Washington gives McKinley plurality of 99; gave Harrison 25. Woodstock gives McKinley 314 plurality. Only 38 Bryan ballots cast. Gave Harrison 169.

Wilton gives McKinley 174 plurality; gave Harrison 23. Suffield gives McKinley plurality 562. Only 70 Bryan votes cast. Gave Harrison 140.

Berlin gives McKinley plurality of 251; gave Cleveland 11. Litchfield gives McKinley 323 plurality of 95. Portland gives McKinley 276; gave Harrison 84.

Thompsonville gives McKinley plurality of 311; gave Harrison 63. Somers gives McKinley 179 plurality; gave Cleveland 41. Only 17 Bryan votes cast.

Bloomfield gives McKinley 83 plurality; gave Harrison 66.

Pomfret gives McKinley 188 plurality; gave Harrison 35. Bethel gives McKinley 359 plurality; gave Harrison 110.

Out of 143 representatives elected by 98 towns, 120 are republican and 22 democratic.

East Granby gives McKinley plurality of 114; gave Harrison 3. Only 19 Bryan votes cast. Bristol gives McKinley plurality 531; gave Cleveland 47.

East Windsor gives McKinley 390; gave Harrison 55.

Manchester's Vote. Yesterday was an ideal election day. The air was clear and sunny and not too cool for comfort, and the roads were in fine condition. As a result of these favoring conditions Manchester polled by far the largest vote in its history. The vote was out early too. By noon over 1,000 of the 1,947 names on the voting list had been checked and at three o'clock in the afternoon all records has been broken by a poll of 1600. When the polls closed at five o'clock 1752 men had voted. Both parties were active in getting out the vote. Old and feeble men and sick men were conveyed to the town hall in carriages.

The vote moved rapidly with little friction. All day crowds of men floored about the town hall and conversed quietly, but there was no disturbance and no quarreling. The officers of the election were as follows: Moderator, Charles O. Treat; registrars, Lewis Clark and Wesley B. Porter; envelope booth tenders, J. P. Cheney and George Smith; ticket booth tenders, J. M. Sherry and F. B. Horton; voting booth tenders, Joseph Albiston and Patrick O'Neil; counters, M. S. Chapman, J. W. Cheney, W. C. Cheney and R. N. Stanley.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS. Republican 1918, Democratic 490, Prohibition 57.

GOVERNOR. Lorrin A. Cooke r 1818, Joseph B. Sargent d 458, Edward Manchester p 58.

LEUTENANT GOVERNOR. James D. Dewell r 1819, Ashbel Randall d 458, Charles E. Steele p 57.

SECRETARY. Charles Phelps r 1817, Homer S. Cummings, d 461, Wilbur L. Chamberlain p 57.

TREASURER. Charles W. Grosvenor r 1819, Asa M. Rose d 458, George P. Fenner p 57.

COMPTROLLER. Benjamin P. Mead r 1818, Edwin M. Ripley d 458, Elijah C. Barton p 57.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS. E. Stevens Henry r 1811, Joseph P. Tuttle d 460, James J. Bartholomew p 59.

SENATOR

Elizur S. Goodrich r 1025, Robert P. Bissell d 625, Emil L. G. Hohenthal p 59.

JUDGE OF PROBATE. Olin R. Wood r 1210, Clinton W. Cowles d 469, Edward E. Agard p 59.

REPRESENTATIVES. Francis H. Whitton r 1181, W. Richard Tinker r 1181, Charles E. Bunce d 1008, Walter W. Cowles d 477, Francis E. Brown p 61, Byron S. Carrier p 61.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE. Olin R. Wood r 1194, Herbert O. Bowers r 1197, John M. Sherry r 1191, Charles E. Hathaway r 1197, Henry W. Barrows r 1197, John A. Alvord r 1194, Charles S. Cheney r 1194, W. H. Ellsworth d 306, John E. Dunn d 309, George U. Finley d 309, Warren Taylor d 307, Charles E. Bunce d 311, Daniel J. Ward d 308, Henry W. Charter Sr. p 66, Robert N. Stanley p 67, Alexander Hall p 67, Warren Taylor p 68, Byron S. Carrier p 68, George Gould p 67, Frank H. Ladd p 67.

At the south end the polls had hardly closed before throngs of voters gathered to wait for the result. The employees of the silk mills who suspend work at four o'clock had a good opportunity to be on hand early and they took advantage of it for they assembled almost to a man at the town hall. During the night the street from the Center to Cheney's store was almost deserted save for a few groups of pleasure seekers on their return from the Armory, where Company G gave an election dance.

At the town hall all was in a buzz and a whirl of excitement. While the count was being made the voters stood around and debated the issues of the campaign and the prospects of the election of the various candidates with more or less vehemence while a few of the cooler headed ones made attempts to read the evening papers. About 7.30 the first of the searchlights flashed across the sky and after that time the windows on the west side of the hall were surrounded with men endeavoring to scan the horizon for intelligence as to what candidates indications favored.

Shortly after nine o'clock the result of the ballot taken in town was announced by Robert N. Stanley and cheer after cheer was given when the republican majority was made known. Then the returns from the other towns began to come in and M. S. Chapman read them as fast as they arrived. As each town showed an increase in the McKinley vote over that of four years ago the crowd became very enthusiastic and

had poured a republican majority of 100,000 the cheering was accompanied by a shower of hats thrown in the air.

It was plain to be seen that of those present the democrats were outnumbered two to one by the republicans. The minority had but little opportunity to show its strength.

Four years ago Manchester's vote was: Republican 869; democratic 589; prohibition 61; populist 35.

Manchester's Part in the Big Parade. Manchester was nearly deserted Saturday afternoon. The majority of the population went to Hartford, either to take part in the sound money parade or to look at it. Extra trolley cars were run from noon until midnight and carried about 4,500 passengers. The mills and stores were closed during the afternoon and those who remained at home found the streets silent and empty.

About eight hundred Manchester voters marched in the procession. They formed on Elm street at half past twelve. All wore yellow fatigue caps and carried silk flags. A train of ten "cattle" cars stood on the South Manchester railroad track and as fast as each company formed it boarded the train. The train pulled out at one o'clock with two engines, one pulling and the other pushing. At Manchester the battalion was joined by a uniformed delegation from Talcoville and still others were taken on at Buckland. A quick run was made to Hartford. As soon as the men left the cars they formed and marched to Bushnell Park where they were assigned a position in the second division of the procession. In a very few moments their division was on the move. They made a solid phalanx and with their bright caps and waving flags formed an important feature of the parade. They marched to the music of the South Manchester military band and the drum corps from South Manchester and Talcoville.

The weather was perfect and the streets in fine condition. Nearly all the men who started completed the line of march.

The procession was over at five o'clock and a special train left for home at six. The cars were not so full returning as they had been going, for many of the marchers returned by electric cars or regular trains. All the men arrived home in good condition and highly pleased with the success of the trip.

Attention Orangemen. The members of Washington Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 117, are ordered to meet in Lodge room Masonic hall, at 7.30 on Thursday evening, Nov. 5th, in commemoration of discovery of the Gun Powder Plot. Supper will be served in the lower hall at nine p. m. sharp. For Order of John H. McNally, W. M.

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We are making Rubber Coats a specialty this fall. If you want a Rubber Coat, one that will turn water and warranted not to crack, we can furnish them in all sizes and at prices from

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Published Wednesday and Saturday Mornings. ELWOOD S. HILA EDITOR

Office, Herald building, Main and Hilliard streets, Manchester. Branch office, store of F. W. Mills, Park Building, South Manchester.

The war in Cuba continues to favor the insurgents. It is now reported that they are preparing to besiege Havana.

McClure's Magazine for November contains the first installment of a five or six part story by Rudyard Kipling.

Sunday Night's Political Meeting. The novelty of a campaign meeting on Sunday drew a large audience to the Armory at the democratic rally at five o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The new England railroad company advertises an excursion to Boston next Saturday. An opportunity is thereby presented to visit, at reduced rates, the Food Fair in Mechanics' building and the football game between Harvard and Princeton on Soldiers' field, Cambridge.

Sunday School Conference. A conference of Sunday school superintendents and assistants will be held at the South Methodist church tomorrow.

Of these exercises: O. E. Root, New Haven; H. B. Williams, East Hartford; C. E. Prior, Hartford.

Address Theme - "The Sunday School Library." By Prof. C. C. Stearns, Hartford. Intermittion. The ladies of the Church will furnish tea at a nominal price.

Address Theme - "House to House Visitation." By W. E. Hall, State Secretary. Address Theme - "Sunday School Organization." By Hon. L. E. Hitchcock, Chicopee, Mass.

Mrs. Ruth Talcott, who is attending the Burnham school at Northampton, Mass., was home over Sunday. Robert Julia spent Sunday with his son in Ware Mass.

Mrs. Sarah Doolittle of this place was found dead in her bed by her son last Tuesday morning. She retired feeling about as well as usual the night before.

The following books are to be published November 6th by Messrs. Harper & Brothers: "History of the German Struggle for Liberty" by Poultony Bigelow; "Alone in China, and Other Stories," by Julian Ralph; "Gargoise's Ghost," a novel by G. B. Burgin; "The Dwarf's Tailor, and Other Fairy Tales," collected by Zoe Dana Underhill; "In the First Person," a novel by Maria Louise Pool; "Clarissa Furiosa," a novel by W. E. Norris; and "Love in the Backwoods," two stories ("Two Mormons from Muddlety" and "Alfred's Wife") by Langdon Elwyn Mitchell.

F. E. Watkins, Dr. W. B. Tinker, Harry B. Cheney and John D. Cheney left yesterday for a camp in the woods north of Ennis, Me., where they will hunt bears, deer and other big game.

MANCHESTER HERALD

There are lots of sleepy men in town today.

The Tramway company ran hourly cars to and from Hartford all night last night. At the Odd Fellows' fair the first week in December a registration booth will be provided for visiting Odd Fellows.

The voting list of the town of Manchester as finally amended bears 1944 names. In 1894 the number was 1857 and in the last presidential election, 1892, it was 1839.

The selectmen have withdrawn the two patrolmen, Constables Johnson and Symington, who have been on duty at the south end every night for nearly a year. The selectmen believe that, with the saloons, closed, patrolmen will not be needed.

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Direct Service to Be Established Between Gotham and Rio de Janeiro. The North American and Brazil Mail Steamship company has been organized, with a capital of \$5,000,000, and if the present plans are carried out a line of steamships will be running between New York and Brazilian ports in the early months of the coming year.

Great benefits are likely to result to American traders. There is a possibility that one of Hugh Jennings' foul flies will cost the Baltimore Baseball Club and Exposition company \$5,000 in coin of the realm.

On Sept. 22 last she had a place in the grand stand when the Phillies played there. From her vantage point she sought to enjoy the game in peace and security. This at least is the story her lawyer tells in his petition to the court.

Our cheese stock is now complete. We offer the nicest American Full Cream Cheese ever placed on our counter. Neufchatel, Meadow Sweet, Pineapple, Edam, English Dairy and Norway cheeses.

At Williams is a dog, a beautiful mid-eyed and gentle spaniel, the property of "Capt." Adams, that has acquired the tobacco habit. He has no other vice, but following meals, for nicotine. He knows all the tobacco chewers who frequent his master's stall, and will follow them persistently till a piece of tobacco is given him.

Little May—Why do they consider marriage such an important step in life? Agatha—Because it's so hard to tell whether it's a step up or down.

A SPARROW'S FEELING

I chanced to see a queer little episode yesterday, in which a party of English sparrows were the actors.

I watched him for a few moments flopping and tottling about on the sidewalk, wondering what would happen next, when down fitted two other little sparrows, who evidently came to see what was up.

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The young woman became embarrassed. "Here" snorted the gallant cowboy, coming to the rescue with a sounding whack on the table.

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Our purchases of this year's canned goods are beginning to arrive. Have placed on sale two rare bargains viz: Fine yellow peaches packed in heavy syrup and large cans—two cans for 25 cents.

Extra Early June sweet peas 10 cents a can. The above prices will continue through this season. A fall in the sugar market enables us to offer 21 lbs. of granulated sugar for \$1.

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THE COW BOY CAUGHT ON

The young woman from Boston was at the table in a railroad restaurant in the far West, and when she essayed to cut the steak with which she had been served she discovered that what she needed was a higher education in athletics.

"Oh," stammered the waiter, and he stood fixed with his mouth open in amazement. "Here" snorted the gallant cowboy, coming to the rescue with a sounding whack on the table.

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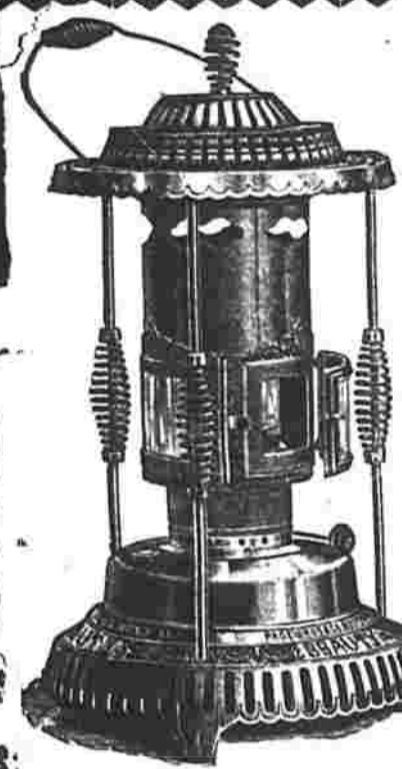
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Dress Skirts Are Less Simple, Being Trimmed With Flounces, Embroidered Bands, Braid, Etc.—Trimming on Sleeves Confined to the Upper Part.

There is nothing strikingly novel as yet in the dresses, at least among those so far made by the leading dressmakers. The general tendency is in the direction of less simple and less stiff skirts. Sleeves are almost tight fitting, and only assume importance in the upper part by reason of the trimming. The princess style and the use of two skirts, also the adoption of small flounces, crenulations and bands ornamented with embroidery round the lower part of skirts, appear to be predominant. Boleros continue to be fashionable. As to materials, cloths of light texture, india and tibet cashmere, are to be chiefly worn, with far for trimming. This is the news from Paris as reported in the European edition of the New York Herald, which gives illustrated descriptions of the modes seen in leading Paris houses.

An evening gown of white moire and brocade affords a model for fall dress occasions. The skirt is round, touches the ground and is tight in front and over the hips with three godets behind. The body is low necked and cut in the cuirass form. It is trimmed over the



EVENING AND DINNER GOWNS.

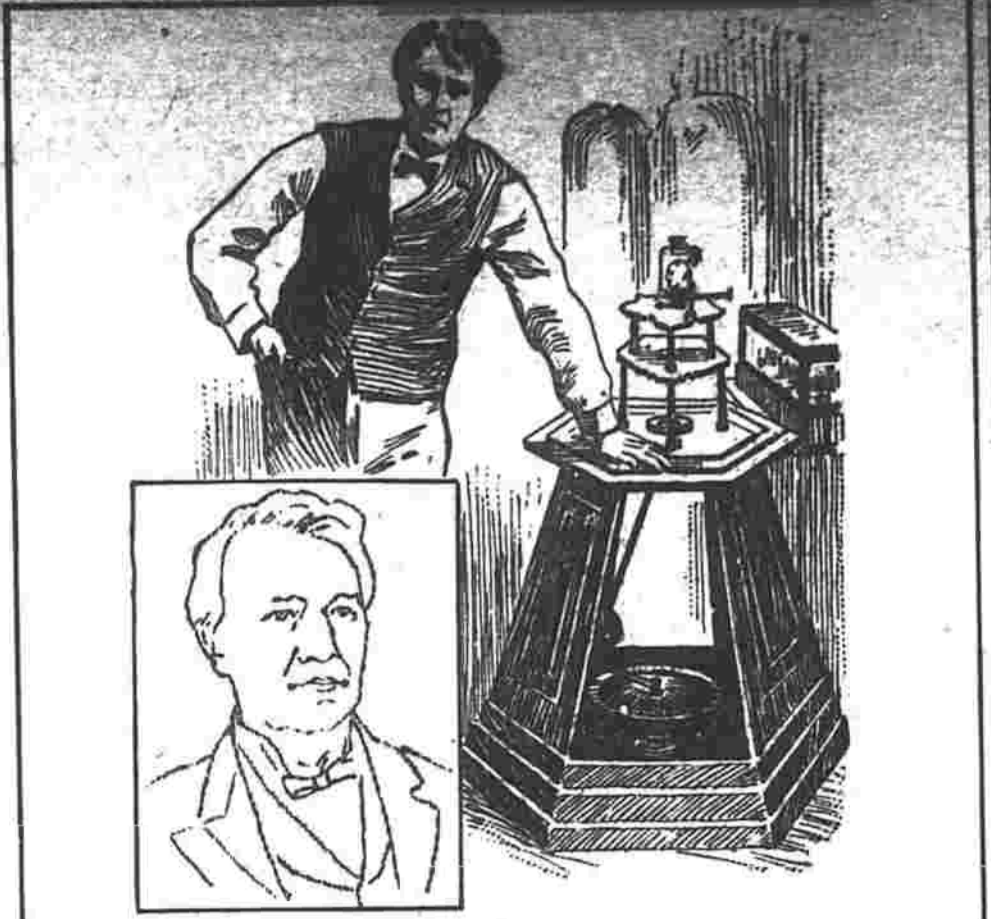
shoulders with ribbon and flowers. The sleeves consist of double strips of satin and lace.

A dinner dress is of mauve poult de soie. The skirt is flat in front and tight over the hips, the fullness being thrown at the back, where it forms three round plaits. The close fitting bodice opens in a square in front, with two square lapels, trimmed with lace and jet embroidery. The sleeves are long and draped at the top in the shape of a butterfly. In the center of the wings is a bow of black velvet. Below, from elbow to wrist, they are quite tight and form a point over the arm.

A dress made in one of the light woolen cloths has a round, plain skirt that is gathered round the waist, with godets forming the fullness behind. The bodice is of silk gauze. Over it is a short velvet bolero, with lapels in front and catches over the sleeves. The sleeves are draped very high and end in points over the hand.

Another dress in light cloth is trimmed with mohair braid.

The skirt has 11 rows of this braid in



EDISON'S PICTURE TELEGRAPHING MACHINE.

Wizard Edison and Patrick Kenney have a machine that will telegraph a picture many miles. The original drawing is indented, a needle follows the indentations and another needle in the receiving office makes blue dots on sensitized paper.

A BICYCLE CABINET.

A Handsome Piece of Furniture Designed by a Woman.

Nowadays, when bicycles have become a part and parcel of our household belongings, the difficulty of disposing of them in town houses becomes quite a serious matter. In the country and the suburbs they can easily be kept in some convenient shed or stable. But when the accommodation is limited, as in flats, the question of housing them gives more trouble. They are not a tidy addition to a lobby, and yet they must stand somewhere; so many people are reduced to leaving them at one of the wheeling clubs for want of a proper place at home.

It is rather surprising that our inventors have not before this devised an arrangement of some sort for their convenient disposal and protection. Moreover, a greater necessity for their concealment has arisen since the advent of the bicycle thief. The pretentious vendor



CABINET FOR BICYCLE.

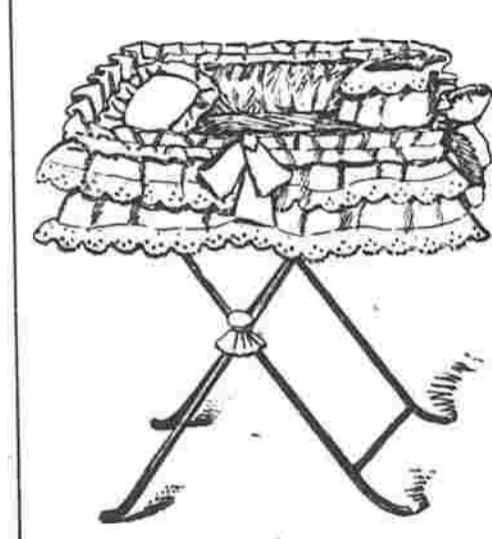
of all kinds of wares, who used to attempt to gain entrance to our reception rooms with a view to silver and gurnies,

FOR THE BABY'S USE.

SOME NURSERY FITMENTS BORROWED FROM THE ENGLISH.

Dainty Fabrics In Pleasing Colors—Model Cots and Baskets, With Minute Directions For Draping the Same—Bedspread and Canopy of Silk.

Nowadays the shops are full of charming fabrics of pleasing colors. Perhaps none of these attracts the mother's eye to the same extent as do the linens which are made in all sorts of pretty colorings. The shades of pink are quite ideal. There are also a beautiful green, a bright canary yellow, a sand colored linen, and varieties of heliotrope and blue that lend themselves to all purposes.



THE BABY'S BASKET.

carefully employed as the decoration of baby cots and baskets. Charming illustrations are afforded in some nursery fitments of English manufacture, but so

Advertisement for BOSS BAKING POWDER, featuring a testimonial from Dean Herbert I. Smith and the product name in large letters.

A PERFECT POLYGLOT

PECULIAR CASE OF A GRANDDAUGHTER OF EMPEROR MAXIMILIAN.

She Was Arrested In Toledo and Is Surrounded With Mystery—Speaks In Forty-four Languages—Only Twenty-three Years Old—Romantic History Told.

Mrs. William Diamond, more generally known as Pauline Ferrandina, "the Spanish woman with a history," was recently tried in the police court at Toledo before a jury for the second time, the first jury having failed to agree on what appears to be a trumped up charge.

Enough has been learned positively to warrant the statement that she is a granddaughter of the deceased and late Emperor Maximilian. This personally she refused to confirm or deny, but breaks down every time the subject is broached.

Millions For Keeping Sober. In addition to the \$480,000 of bonds left in trust for him conditionally upon his remaining sober for five years, George Crocker, second son of the deceased millionaire, has just come into possession of one-eighth interest in his father's estate, which is approximately valued at \$4,000,000.

Charles R. Crisp. The suggestion that Charles R. Crisp be elected to fill his father's unexpired term in congress is one which we hope to see carried out. Mr. Crisp is young, but he is possessed of unusual ability and has been a close student of congressional legislation. It would be a graceful act on the part of the Third district Democracy to give him a unanimous nomination and an overwhelming election for the unexpired term.—Atlanta Journal.

Desirable Oblong Cushion. The removable band is the special feature that recommends this oblong cushion. It is in cream linen, on which are outlined conventional flowers and



CUSHION WITH REMOVABLE BAND. foliage in washing silks, with a soft sheen of washing lace. The cushion is of the plain or

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WINTER IS COMING. And I am prepared with the largest and most desirable line of seasonal goods. Robes, Blankets, etc., to be found in Hartford. There never was a time when a little money would go so far, and my customers know that it always went a little further than anywhere else.

A JOB LOT OF HATTS. I am offering at less than cost to close them out. Custom made harness of the best material and workmanship at lowest possible prices. Trunks, Traveling Bags, Veterinary Medicines, everything that you want in this line, and the figures will more than satisfy you. WILLIAM BROWN, 215 Main Street, Hartford, Conn.

two wide plaits trimmed with mohair braid, with fringes from the neck to the waist. The carriage opens in the center, showing a cream crepe-casquette trimmed with cream lace.

Another pretty dress is made with a skirt flat in front and at the sides, with three broad plaits at the back. The skirt is trimmed round the bottom with crenulations inlaid with black chantilly insertion and lace. The body is gathered and forms a blouse in front, but is tight in the back. Over it is a short square bolero trimmed with chantilly lace. The sleeves are quite small above the elbow, and close fitting downward from elbow to wrist. The upper part is covered with a flounce, open at the top and forming a square, and trimmed with chantilly insertion. Around this flounce is



PARIS GOWNS AND HATS.

another smaller one, gathered and edged with black lace. The hat which completes the costume is of black tulle and lace insertion, trimmed with a garland of red roses and velvet. On the left side are high rosettes of black tulle, forming aigrets.

A Simple White Soup. Three large potatoes, 2 turnips, a parsnip and 2 white onions, all to be boiled together until tender enough to rub through a colander. To the puree obtained from these add a seasoning of pepper, celery salt and pinch of mace, a teaspoonful of fine white bread crumbs and 1/2 pint of boiling milk. Stir over the fire until this boils, and, if too thick, add a little boiling water.

Veal Balls. Two ounces of beef suet, 3 ounces of veal, the yolks of a raw and a boiled egg, a small onion, pepper, salt, mace, nutmeg and lemon peel to the taste. Beat them all well together. Fry and serve in gravy.

The appeal of the International Red Cross society for funds to promote its benevolent work in Cuba deserves and will undoubtedly receive a prompt and generous response. The work of the society needs neither explanation nor commendation. It is known in all lands and is restricted by no divisions of nationality, creed or color.—New York Mail and Express.

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so it behooves all worthy knights of the wheel—and dames as well—to guard their beloved steed from eyes profane. And now an ingenious Spanish weaver has designed a cabinet for the bicycle in the form of a hall table and hatstand.

This cabinet can be made of any wood and finished to suit any style or color. The sunken panels are filled in with Japanese leather paper, both in the doors and on each side of the mirror back. All the ordinary requirements of the entrance hall are supplied, but naturally the interior required a good deal of skillful arrangement to afford the greatest amount of accommodation with the least possible space. A bicycle, unfortunately, cannot be got into anything short of six feet in length and requires delicate maneuvering as regards height.

The flap in the cabinet above the opening doors is hinged, to throw back, so that the bicycle can go in without any alteration of the handle bars, which will be doubtless a great recommendation to many. Then the floor is fitted with grooves and draws out altogether, to be used as a "home trainer," while in its proper place in the cabinet it serves to keep the bicycle in position. There is plenty of room inside for all the bicycle belongings, as well as the cleaning apparatus. If a professional cleaner is employed, everything is ready to hand, while he need not come into the house beyond the entrance hall. The style of the cabinet can be altered to agree with other furniture, if strict accordance be insisted upon.

The Well Pictured Hall. "It is best not to flood one's home with pictures. If the house can boast of many rooms, let the mistress use a moderate amount of paintings or etchings in the rooms reserved or most frequented by her guests and allow the individual members of the family freedom to adorn their private rooms as suits best their various tastes. Where the house is smaller and all rooms alike frequented, be careful of the display. You do not want an art gallery, nor do you want a shop effect; therefore confine your display to your library and hall. We cannot in a more cheerful way open our door of welcome to our friends than on a well pictured as well as well arranged hall." So thinks a writer in The Decorator and Furnisher.

Fruit Creams of Former Days. To those old enough to remember the fruit creams of former days there always seems to be something lacking in the modern creams, delicate though these may be. The reason of this is that the gelatin, with which these latter are almost always mixed to save the prolonged whipping, destroys both the fresh flavor and the velvety crispness obtained by the simpler, if more fatiguing, process of whipping together the sweetened fruit juice and the cream. The right way is to obtain the fruit juice and sweeten it well. If this is omitted, the cream will pretty certainly curdle. Next stir it into sufficient cream for the juice to color and flavor nicely, and then whip the whole together till of the proper consistency.

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One of these models is a baby cot standing on white enameled mounts. The baby blue linen employed in draping it is embroidered with swallows in white and blue flax, the blues merging from deep indigo to pale ciel, and it is further trimmed with blue and white handmade pillow lace manufactured of flax thread. The curtains, the flounces surrounding the hammock portion of the cot and the little cover correspond in style, and bows of blue ribbon give a pretty finish to all. The flounces has a couple of rows of lace just eased on.

Corresponding with the baby cot described is a dainty basket, also mounted on a white enamel standard and dedicated to the requirements of the young person's toilet. Like the cot, this basket is draped with "baby blue" linen, also embroidered with swallows and trimmed with lace. Two inner corners are fitted with pockets, the remaining two with pin cushions. The edge of the basket is prettily finished with a ruche in white, full on, and the flounces hang, in accordance with the style of the cot, a couple of rows of lace. The linen cover to lay on the top of the basket is embroidered with birds to match the general get up of the set.

When convenient to do so, both cot and basket may be mounted on casters, which render their being moved about with greater ease. A baby's set in linen is a pleasing change from the ordinary muslin and satin arrangements. Moreover, the linen is far more durable and washes so well that it is really an economical investment. Another style of decorating a cot and basket is with pink linen embroidered with marguerites, and this is quite as pretty in its way.



COT IN BABY BLUE LINEN.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by W. B. Cheney and Chas. H. Ross.

Chas. H. Ross.

ABOUT TOWN.

E. Howard, of Watford, Va., is visiting Loren Davis, of Main street. The Sacred Heart church in Vernon will be dedicated Sunday, Nov. 15.

The silk mills were stopped from ten o'clock to one yesterday to give the employees a chance to vote.

Rev. R. C. Tongue, of Rockville, will preach at St. Mary's church next Sunday in exchange with Rev. J. A. Biddle.

The Mission Band social given in the parlors of the North Congregational church Friday evening netted about \$15.

Private Harry Carter, who is attending the Yale Medical school, has been discharged from Company G for non-residence.

E. M. Ogden is putting up a small building for a photograph gallery on land leased by Samuel Funnell, north of Park building.

The South Manchester athletic association football team is making arrangements for a game with the Hartford public high school team, first eleven, in Hartford Saturday afternoon.

The Hartford high school team is a pretty strong one for the local eleven to contend with.

The local football club have started a fund to replenish the treasury as it has been drained rather low during the past month. About \$14 has been collected.

The boys complain that many of those who attend the games do not pay the admission fee, but come in "over the fence."

Mook ballots were cast at the high school and the eighth district school on the presidential election yesterday afternoon and in both cases the majorities for McKinley and Hobart were large.

At the high school the republicans received 47, the democrats 25 and prohibitionists 2 votes. In the ninth ward of the eighth district school the ballot, taken resulted in 27 for the republicans, 13 for the democrats and 3 for the prohibitionists.

The Hartford County Teachers' association will meet in the North school hall at Hartford Saturday at ten o'clock.

The principal address will be given by Miss Sarah Louise Arnold, supervisor of schools, Boston, on "Essential Principles of Teaching." The subject will be discussed by Willis I. Twitchell, principal of the Arsenal school, Hartford; Giles A. Stuart, superintendent of schools, New Britain; Charles D. Hine, secretary of State Board of Education and James F. Williams, superintendent of schools, Bristol.

Improvements at the Center. James Trotter, who bought the Huntington farm and also the strip of land adjoining it on the north, is having good fortune with his investment.

He has already sold building lots enough to more than reimburse him for his outlay and has a good share of the most desirable part of the land left yet.

His property extends to the north side of the Bigelow brook and from Main street east to Frank Cheney's farm. The hillside south of the brook is now covered with pine trees, but all the standing timber is sold to Patrick.

Who has already begun to cut it off. He will leave whatever trees are suitable for purposes of ornamentation, but before winter is over will have the hillside nearly bare.

Mr. Trotter has laid out and opened a street from Main street to the eastern limit of his property which he has named Wadsworth avenue. He has also laid out two cross streets connecting Wadsworth avenue with Center street and named them respectively Huntington and Summit streets.

He has sold three building lots to J. E. Hawley, on one of which, at the corner of Wadsworth avenue and Main street, Mr. Hawley will build. Further up the avenue on the north side Mr. Trotter is now building a two story cottage.

Mr. Trotter has sold Peter Anderson two building lots on the same street, and Mr. Anderson will build at once. He has also sold a lot on Huntington street to Herman Lee. All the houses which have been or are to be built on this property are of modern and attractive design.

PERSONAL MENTION

Emil Claus, of Windsor, and Ella Brink, of South Manchester, were married last Saturday at St. Mary's rectory by Rev. J. A. Biddle.

John Tregoney, who was once superintendent at the Mather factory, visited friends in town Sunday. He is now employed at the Perkins Electric Switch company, of Hartford.

John Hutchinson, who has for twenty years been employed in Cheney Brothers' office, moved to New York, with his family, yesterday. For the past three years Mr. Hutchinson has been studying medicine and his removal to New York is for the purpose of completing his education in the New York Homeopathic college and hospital. He expects to study two years longer before beginning to practice.

A COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT Hartford, on the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1900.

Present: OLIN B. WOOD, Esq., Judge. Estate of Clara E. Pickles, late of Manchester, in said district, deceased.

On motion of James D. Pickles, administrator.

ORDERED: That six months from the 2nd day of Nov. A. D. 1900, be and the same are limited and allowed for the creditors of the estate to bring in their claims against said estate, and the said administrator is directed to give public notice to the creditors to bring in their claims within said time allowed by posting a copy of this order on the public sign post nearest to the place where the docket book is kept within the said town and by publishing the same in some newspaper having a circulation in said probate district.

THE ARMY OF RUSSIA

TWO MILLION FIGHTING MEN, WITH MODERN ARMS.

Would Have a Tremendous Influence in Case of a European War—How the Infantry Is Trained—Artillery Is Particularly Strong—How They March.

As the military forces of Russia on a war footing contain upward of 3,000,000 combatants, it would appear that something more than "coercion" that does not of itself mean war would be required to match the eastern power of Europe to settle the eastern question without first consulting the czar. The vast army is raised throughout the Russian empire, liability to service being almost universal.

As a rule, service with the colors lasts for five years, and in the event of a mobilization of the forces the field troops would be brought up to war strength by calling in reservists who had served five years in the ranks. The field troops and field reserve troops, together numbering 2,000,000 of men, would be formed into field armies, which would each comprise a number of army corps, rifle brigades and reserve divisions.

The remainder of the forces consist of fortress and depot troops and imperial militia.

The "three line rifle, pattern 1891," has been introduced in place of the single loading berdan rifle. The new rifle carries five rounds in the magazine, is of small caliber (.8 inch) and has a smokeless ammunition. On service the bayonet scabbards are left at home, and the quadrangular bayonet is carried fixed. The barrel of the rifle is uncased and screwed into the body, an arrangement which helps to lessen the weight.

In fact, the rifle, with bayonet fixed, weighs only 9 1/2 pounds, or about a pound less than the Lee-Netford rifle and bayonet used in the British service. The regulations recognize four kinds of infantry fire—viz, volley fire, which may be used at all ranges; individual fire, which is employed up to 500 or 600 paces; individual concentrated fire (the fire of all the men of a section or squad at a common object), up to 1,200 paces; a mass fire, at greater distances than 1,200 paces. When within 300 or 300 paces of the enemy, fire attains its maximum intensity by the employment of magazine fire.

After a successful bayonet charge the shooting line must continue its advance to the far side of the captured position and press the enemy by a rapid fire. A frontal attack must be supported by one on the flank. When acting on the defensive, infantry must put forth every effort to shake the enemy by fire, and then attack him with the bayonet.

Throughout the Russian cavalry the men are armed with a curved sword, 34 1/2 inches long, and rifle and bayonet. In the Cossacks the front ranks carry a lance. In artillery the Russians are particularly strong, and their armament and projectiles are of the latest and most approved patterns.

The active army and field reserve troops alone contain upward of 500 batteries, manning over 4,000 guns. General staff officers form a closed corps and are recruited from those who pass the general staff academy. The duties of the general staff, broadly speaking, include the movements and operations of the army, intelligence of the enemy and reconnaissance of the theater of war.

At a distance from the front the first importance is to study the comfort and convenience of the troops by separating arms and sending on billiard tables and bakers to provide for the wants of the troops beforehand. When near the enemy, however, and on a march that may lead to an encounter, the troops advance closed up as much as possible in columns and aim mainly at swiftness and secrecy.

At the authors' club the other evening Howard Paul related this anecdote of the late Charles Reade, the novelist, who was something of a gourmet. He had heard so much about canvasbacks that he desired to taste them. Mr. Paul sent him a brace, with explicit instructions as to how they should be prepared and cooked. He sent by the same messenger a bottle of bay rum, thinking Mr. Reade was familiar with it as a toilet accessory. It seems he was not, for he wrote back to the donor: "My dear Paul, the ducks were excellent. I enjoyed them exceedingly, but the bay rum must be an acquired taste and didn't go at all well with the wild fowl, so I substituted champagne. I liked the bay rum better made into a hot punch."

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