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TWO CENTS

What bargains! That is the universal exclamation, and there is reason

Here are nice looking chairs selling for fess than cost, at a price so low a to seem almost ridiculous. You know a good article when you see it as well as we.

We invite your examination of these

Rockers for \$1.98

That's pretty cheap, isn't it? But when you see the values you'll be the better convinced that these are unusual bargains. Pretty upholstered chairs or cobbler bottomed rockers or fancy chairs in mahogany: your choice for \$1.98.

A window full of these have been sold during the past week, but there are still some left. Secure one while

Watkins Bros

HORSE CLIPPING AND DENTISTRY.

Persons requiring anything in this ine address or call on

WILLIAM CARR,

days. Don't delay.

Stove Sale for a Few Days.

10 PER CENT. REDUCTION.

We will sell our BONNIE HEATERS or any other heater

This is an exceptional opportunity and it behooves all in need

Winter isn't over yet and these prices will hold only a few

FERRIS BROTHERS.

UPHOLSTERING AND REPAIRING.

This is the season of the year to get your furniture renewed. We are prepared to do all kinds of work in this line and we quote very reasonable prices to keep our men busy during the dull

Nice Line of Coverings to select from. : : : :

Work Guaranteed.

All work delivered within 10 days. Telephone or drop us a postal card and we will call and give an estimate of cost before taking the work if desired.

The G.E. Keith Furniture Co.,

Complete Housefurnishers, Undertakers and Funeral Directors.

PURNELL BLOCK.

We propose to do a bigger business n umbrellas the coming year than in the past. We'll tell you why. We've found a place where we can buy umbrellas at ground floor prices and they're good umbrellas, too. They will sell themselves if you'll only come in and look at them.

We know that jewelry stores usually Roast Beef. carry only high-priced umbrellas but Roast Pork. These umbrellas are good—good Fresh Shoulders in this case there will be an exception. enough for a jewelry store, but the Nice Carrie fors for Waranoke in Stab's. prices are down as low as \$1. We want your umbrella trade and know we can please you.

New Cheney Block

BARGAIN

JOHNSON'S

We carry a big line of scaps, toilet, kitchen, laundry and scouring soaps. To call your attention to our soap department we offer for a few days the

following bargain combination: 4 lb. Package Gillette's Soap Powder Package Peute's Hand Soap Bar Laundry Soap Cake Toilet Soap

All 4 for a Few Days, 25C.

OUR LEADERS For Household Soaps are:

WELCOME BABBIT'S JOHNSON'S

Saturday Offerings

Fourth Grand Bazar Apel's, Jan. 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30

STAGE ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCING EACH EVE INC. SEASON TICKETS, 25 CTS

ABOUT TOWN

yesterday morning. evening.

dance from There was a good at here at the military ball at Rockville last night.

5c Frank Fenger, who semployed 5c by Matthew Merz during his illness, -- is now in Meriden. The Bon Ami factor was shut down yesterday afternes

of some changes being water pipes. Wakefield and Harris' ture show will be house tomorrow afternoon and even

ing and Sunday evening. Atomizers are being ilistalled in the winding room of the old mill. 6 Bars, 250. These are a great benefit to the employees because they settle the dust. The two months' old son of Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph Stevenson, of Walker street, died Thursday morning and was buried in the East Cemetery this on February 22 as the date of the afternoon. W. L. Buckland is putting the room in the basement of his blook hereto-

shape and will use it exclusively for the display of his large stock of wall Imagine trolley cars running to Wapping every hour. The price of Wapping creamery butter could rise and buttermilk become some. Think of the cinch the motorman, and conductor would have.

Trudeau beat Aspinall in the final game for the first prize in the pool 12 1-20 per ID tournament at Second 11 10c per lb ning \$25. The a won by Aspinall 1

Fred Warner, who formerly resided in town, is visiting here. J. H. Starkweather filled one of his ice houses this week. The ice is

twelve inches thick and of good . George Chamberlain had his foot

briused badly between two cakes of ice Wednesday. He was working for J. H. Starkweather. A big gang of men have been em-

ployed this week filling the large ice house at Vernon which is owned by sizes and ends of broken lots, Mr. Boardman, of East Hartford. officers in Orford hall Wednesday ping keeps up we won't be surprised \$1.50 to \$2.50. There's noth-If this "progressive spirit" in Wapto hear one of these days that Wap- ing the matter with these hats. ping has applied for a borough char-

> America, will be installed by Deputy Grand Chief Ranger O. F. Toop this in the lot for 98 cents. evening.

Have you noticed the many new bakery concerns that have sprung up recently in town? About every week s new man tackles the business and another one gives it up ..

The cloth for the suit which President Roosevelt will wear when he is inaugurated is being made at Rockville. It is said to be among the finest goods ever made in this country. A meeting of the ball committee of the Manchester fire department will be held this evening in the hose house. The committee has decided

The chicken pie supper at the North Methodist church next Wedfore used as a restaurant, in good nesday evening will be served from six o'clock. The entertainment will commence at eight o'clock. The tickets are selling well.

The whist contest between teams representing the Manchester Wheel club and that of the Hartford Republican club did not come off as scheduled Wednesday night. The only reason why the state trophy,-the silver cup-did not come to Manchester was that Andrew Gates, a promi- String Beans, Squash, Pumper of the Hartford team, had a part in a more important contest, that of an election of a United The postponed conably take place in

Bargains Hats.

We have culled from our hat stock about 75 hats, odd which have sold at prices from gain. They are fashionable shapes in year than these grapes. The newly elected officers of Court softs and stiffs, black and Manchester, No. 107, Foresters of grays Your choice of any one

Fancy Shirts.

Here are a few bargains in nen's fancy shirts.

2 size 16 1-2, 1 16, 1 15, 17 4 1-2, 14 14.

These are regular dollar goods but will be closed out at

NEW CHENEY BLOCK.

Butternut Brand

We have them put in cans grown up on of Corn. Peas, Succotash, kin, Beets and Tomatoes.

They are among the best goods on

Ward,

Another Saturday Special

Encouraged by the success of the 'Special One Day sale" we offered our trade last week, we are going to repeat it this week changing only the combination with the price the same,

FANCY CALIFORNIA NAVEL ORANGES, we are selling every day at 25c a dozen, and consider it a bar-

MALAGA GRAPES we retail at 18c per pound and no more palatable fruit can be found at this season of the Tomorrow (Saturday) for our spe

cial sale we will sell One Dozen Oranges and One Ponn Grapes for 85c.

REMEMBER this is for Saturday tomorrow) and tomorrow only.

E. Morton.

If in the distribution of holiday remembrances, perchance some friend may have been forgotten. Remember that our stock still offers you some excellent articles for New Year's Gifts and many of them may be obtained at greatly reduced prices.

We have on display in our window a Silver Cup and an endless array of First prize Ribbons and Badges won this year by "THE TWIN ASH POULTRY FARM" which is owned and managed by Balch & Brown and it is their proud boast that their prize winners were raised and

Poultry Panacea.

For a poultry food which will make hens lay — nothing can equal it. 25e and 60e a 1

DR. L. J. SYLVESTER DENTIST,

Painless extraction with Dr. Sylvester's spe-ial anaesthetic.

BIDS FOR GARBAGE DISPOSAL.

WILLIAN E. ALVORD J. ARTHUR CORBIN.

Berkshire and Dutchess

Never-Rip-Pants!! Are standards for quality and wear. The Price \$1.50 to \$3.50 a pair.

HEYWOOD SHOES as usual are in the lead for actual wear. None better.

DRESS SUIT CASES from \$2 to \$8.

A. L. Brown & Co.,

DEPOT SQUARE.

Great Shoe Sale....

NOW IN PROGRESS.

Hundreds of bargain seekers come to this store daily and go away satisfied. We must clean up the stock of the P. Henry Wilson Company to make room for our new spring lines and have made deep cuts in the prices. Come early while the assortments of sizes are complete.

BOSTON SHOE STORE

BLACKSMITH SHOP OPENED

faving bought the Patrick Sullivan shop, as of Brough's store, I am prepared to do to the horseshoeling and general jobbing transpable rates. Give me a call. MARLES O. W. NELSON,

N. A. BURR, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office and Residence, 159 Main St., SOUTH MANCHESTER. OFFICE HOURS: Until 9 a. m. 12 to

"The Recollection of Quality Remains con After the Price is Forgotten."

Mark-Down Sale of All Winter Goods

Our stock of Absolutely Reliable Suits, Overcoats, Furnishing Goods, Shoes and Rubbers is Marked down.

There will be no slim flam business about it. No marking up to mark down again. There will be no rubbish offered you, no goods that came over in the Mayslower, that nobody wants at any old price. No 2c stockings or 75c pants. We don't handle that sort of plunder. You can come tomorrow or next week and take your choice of the best in the store at prices that will astonish if not amuse you.

You can buy a Suit, Overcoat or Trousers that are right in style, quality and fit and that you will be pleased and proud to own at twothirds or less of their actual value.

THAT WE TAKE THE SAME PAINS TO FIT AND PLEASE YOU as if you BEAR IN MIND paid full price. We are as jealous of our reputation on a Mark Down Sale as ever.

You can buy a Suit or Overcoat for from \$6.95 to \$13.95 that were \$10 to \$20. Boys' and children's Clothes marked 'way down. We have extra good bargains in Underwear, both Glastonbury and and other makes.

Shirts, Sweaters, Shoes and Rubber Goods All Marked Down.

ALTERATIONS MADE AND PRESSING DON BY FIRST-CLASS TAILORS IN OUR OWN SHOP ON ANY GARMENT NEEDED.

C. E. HOUSE'S

"The Recollection of Quality Remains Long After the Price is Forgotten."

THE BEST STORE IN TOWN FOR CLOTHES AND SHOES.

If in need of a street or stable blanket, it will pay you to exmine our assortment which we will sell for the next 10 days at a 20

A few Sleds, Skates and Boys' Tool Chests are still left from the holiday trade. Bargains for someone at present prices.

Cutlery.

We have the largest and most complete line of cutlery that can be found in this vicinity. Special prices the next 30 days.

THE F. T. BLISH HARDWARE CO.

PURNELL BUILDING.

Entered at the post office at Manchester as mail matter of the second class

BASS INSTEAD OF TROUT.

The Hartford Times, in an editorial which we print with our full endorsement in another column, criticises the policy of the state fish commission in stocking at state expense private trout brooks. The Herald has long been opposed to this policy. If it is to continued the fish commission might as well be abolished, for its chief effort seems to be directed toward the raising and distribution of trout. But there is no reason why the state's money should be expended for the benefit of the few.

There is a field as yet untouched by the fish commission in which they could wisely expend the state's money for the benefit of all the people of the state. We have in Connecticut half a dozen beautiful ınland lakes, each so large that there is no likelihood of its ever being controlled by private parties. These lakes were once stocked with black bass, a fish more gamey than the trout and more useful for food. From one of these lakes properly stocked with bass more pounds of edible fish would be taken in a brooks in the state. The eagerness geant P. G. Hayes, and Corporals F. with which fishermen have sought these lakes has resulted in the depletion of the stock of bass, so that in some of the lakes the fishing which was once good is now poor.

It would be entirely practicable for the fish commission to discontinue its custom of raising and distributing and distribution of black bass. Connectiont fish commission to get S. Ela. at and seek new channels Is is proposed to have the Armory The and

Hose Company, No. 2, M. F. D. elected officers for the year at its annual meeting Wednesday night. H. L. Wilson, who has been foreman for begin work at once and the season the past three years, declined a reelection and Dr. F. A. Sweet was early date. elected. John Wheeler was elected assistant foreman, F. A. Lillie, secretary and Thomas Ferguson, treasur- who have volunteered their services er. Auditors, and amusement and are so numerous that the committee nominating committees were elected. The company has just secured a lease of a small strip of land from B. C. Apel opposite the opera house on which it is proposed to build a small house for the hose cart.

ing February 1st, at which time the stable Smith at the Cowles hotel. amusement committee will provide Cote and another transient struck entertainment and refreshments. town Tuesday morning having, walk-The treasurer reported a little over ed from Hartford. They visited Smith & Co., Hartford. \$15 on hand and the matter of giving saloons and stores and during their some kind of entertainment to raise visits purloined a razor from Ferris funds was discussed. The company Brothers, a ring from Tiffany's and will probably give a two nights' fair a box of candy from F. B. Horton's. early in the spring. At the close of They might have gotten away but in the meeting H. L. Wilson thanked the evening when they arrived at the the members for the many kindnesses hotel commenced to quarrel, the older shown him during his three years as man accusing Cote of stealing the foreman and hoped they would give articles. the new foreman the same attention

High School Notes.

following officers Tuesday: Presi- tion and vagrancy. Constable Smith, Joseph Little; treasurer, Lewis Fish. found on Cote, and Cote was ited to a few tunes which are in equal suppers, and the lack of exercises and junior class presented a play entitled answer to the new charge. In court neral. "Mrs. Teazle's Trunk." Those taking yesterday morning Messrs. Tiffany, tiful of the social functions is the prenpart were Marion Sharp. Florine Ingalls and Horton gave testimony to dorio. When a young man wishes to given. The leading parts were car- fied the razor as his, Mr. Tiffany once follows, ushered in by shooting ried by Miss Marion Saunders and claimed the ring and Mr. Horton the and demonstrations of joy. The bride Laurence Barber. During the inter- candy. Cote claimed Sherwood, Can. and bridegroom are publicly presented val between the play and the cantata Alice Barrett sang an English rom Springfield to Hartford where he in front of the couple, each one drop-

dictorian of the senior class yester- name. He said that they were look- ble dance. This public betrothal is con-

silitis. an attack of rheumatism.

Britain is at All Saints' church, pires. Sheffield. The average attendance is

Tommy: When ma asked me if I'd been stealing jam, I said yes. John at the big Inventory Sale of Wise, Smith & Co., Hartford. Cleveland Leader.

The Belgians are the grreatest pota-to eaters in the world, and the Irish stone. It is "disestablishmentarian-

MILITARY BALL.

Company G's Thirty-third Annual Next Week.

Preparations are nearing completion for the 33d annual ball of Company G which will be held at Cheney OFFICES: Herald Building, Main hall next Thursday evening. The Fred W. Mills. The delegates were music will be provided this year for and Post Office Building, South the first time by Hatch's First Infantry Band, which will give a concert program of seven numbers beginning at eight o'clock with the following

selections: March, "The Trumpeters," Verdi. Overture, "Joan of Arc," Paraphrase, "How Fair Art

Noscadba Thou," Clarinet solo, "Grand Fan-Brepsant tasy,' "Whispering Intermezzo, Von Blon Flowers," 'The Warbler's Serenade, ''

Selection from Musical Fauchestras and provide continuous music the arsenal was to be paid for by will be played. Professor Foley will est in its location. Mr. Chapman was

officiate as prompter. ant Keating and assistant floor di- and favored the round house site near Hynes, Sergeant H. Manthey, Cor- Association endorse the selection of porals A. Keating and C. Grabowski, the round house site for the state Curry and J. Hickey. Following is motion was passed unanimously. the reception committee: Captains J. Hickey, chairman, W. C. Cheney, J. D. Cheney, W. Madden, Lieutenant E. M. Ogden, First Sergeants P. F. Dougan and J. F. Hynes, Ser-

Hills and C. Saunders.

General Committee Begins Work with Bright Prospects.

BASEBALL FAIR.

The baseball fair committee met trout and substitute for it the raising | Wednesday evening and, after organizing by choosing W. C. Cheney as Among the lakes which are in need chairman and R. G. Rich as secreof restocking are Snipsic at Rockville, tary, laid down the lines for the fair Wamgumbaug at South Coventry, Po- and made a start on the organization point. cotopaug at East Hampton, Bantam of subcommittees. It was voted to at Litchfield, and Waramang, a few hold the fair four nights, beginning miles west of it, Twin Lakes in Tuesday, April 25, and closing Fri-Salisbury and Highland Lake at Win- day, April 28. In view of the elabosted. All of these lakes are public rate entertainment to be presented of Miss Sadie Hackett, in District No. waters which are visited by hundreds each evening, and other inducements, | 7. of fishermen every season, but the state has done practically nothing season tickets 50 cents. The super-Congregational church met Wedness-would be useful season to know of any whales being would be useful season to know of any whales being would be useful season to know of any whales being would be useful season to know of any whales being would be useful season to know of any whales being toward keeping up their stock of intendence of the tickets was placed day afternoon with Mrs. Louis Priest, the commi edible fish. In addition to these in the hands of the secretary. Mem- with a large attendance. They voted tain water lakes there are numerous other reser- bers of the general committee were to work to supply the church with and then voirs nearly as large, of a public or assigned to the heads of subcommit- new carpets this year. semi-pablic character which might tees as follows: Soliciting, Charles There well receive attention from the state O. Treat; decorations and booths, carrying the fish commission. It is time for the John P. Cheney; amusements, Elwood free deliver;

> who are interested in the suc- an increase es of the fair will be called together for the year 1 in a few days to begin preparations amount to over \$2,000,000. for stocking a large fancy article booth. The soliciting committee will tickets will be placed on sale at an

Interest in this fair is general and workers of prominence and ability feel assured that the enterprise will

POLICE COURT.

Napoleon Cote was arrested Tues-The meeting voted to hold a meet- day evening about midnight by Con-

Constable Smith was notified and he arrested Cote on suspicion. In the police court Wednesday morning Cote was sentenced to 15 days in jail and The athletic association elected the amounting to about \$15 for intoxica-At the Boethia this afternoon the brought back from Hartford to demand for the dance and for the fu-

Don't forget Saturday is Field Day

The coining of the longest word in

At the meeting of the Manche Business Men's Association last evening the following delegates were chosen to represent Manchester at the meeting of the state association to be held in Meriden Thursday, Janu- the man, J. W. Hale, B. S. Carrier and

alternates. Miner H. White, of Vernon, was elected to membership.

authorized to appoint their own

A committee to revise the by-laws was appointed consisting of E. M. Ogden, George H. Howe, Fred W. Mills, J. W. Hale and B. S. Carrier. The circumstances regarding the selection of a site for the state armory tasy, "Woodland," Luders and arsenal at Hartford were explain-

opposed to the Main street site which so closed. The floor director will be Lieuten- had been selected by the commission

Coming Firemen's Ball.

The annual ball of the Manchester fire department will be held at Apel's opera house on the night of February 22. Bade & McGuire's orchesta will furnish music. It will be enlarged for the occasion and will give a conwhich he will be expected to sell. department. The committee will both from a social and financial stand-

WAPPING.

Miss Ruth Brown takes the place

The supper given by the Lat Aid society in the church parlors Wednesday evening was well attended and the society made a neat sum-as

Mrs. Mabel Wilcox has gone to St. Francis hospital to undergo an opera-

M. Ogden. A program was given with the following numbers: Over-Mrs. John Brown is seriously ill. ture, Peerless oronestra; vocal solos, The Men's club met in the church Miss Powell; plano duet by the Missparlors Wednesday evening. es Gutamere; comedy sketch by E. The exterior of John G. Talcott's M. Ogden and Frank Barrett. After first allowed by scholars only in the

new house is nearing completion. Never before have such bargains formed with about 150 couples and all claim is that a Buddhist priest in the and so many, been offered as now at the big inventory sale of Wise,

MARRIAGE IN MEXICO. How the Engagement and Wedding

Ceremonies Are Celebrated. The Mexican people are hospitable to a fault, always welcoming their friends even though they have not enough to eat themselves. And they religiously visit the sick, including those who have contagious diseases. They are al- WINTER EATING RUINS STOMso addicted to public social functions. the invariable mode of entertainment being the dance. They are fond of music, though not proficient in the art of given a fine of five dollars and costs, making it, probably more from lack of opportunity than from lack of capacity. The violin and guitar are the usual dent, Evald Olsson; vice president, however, visited several stores and instruments of music, the repertory of strain you put upon the stomach in the Winter. The hearty food, late John Foley; recording secretary, discovered the owners of the articles the local musicians being usually lim-

One of the most interesting and beau-Vibberts, Gertrude Cadman and Will the same effect that Cote and his pal marry he asks for the girl of his choice Crockett. Following the play a can- had entered their stores and examined of the parents, not of the girl herself, tata, "The Cadet's Picnic," was different articles. Mr. Ingalls identi. and if she is given the prendorio at met the other fellow; but he denied ping a piece of money into the hands Frank Anderson was elected vale- that he knew the other fellow's of the bride. Then follows the inevitaing for work and claimed that he sidered almost as binding as marriage. Senior exercises yesterday consisted of talks on interesting subjects by Herbert Elmer and John Foley.

Dasie Skinner, '06, is ill with tonis usually followed by marriage just as gestion in denied all knowledge of the ring.

John Murphy, '07, is laid up with Judge Bowers gave Cote 30 days and be secured. The marriage ceremony is costs on each count, making a total followed by a feast more notable for sind a of 90 days which sentence Oots must the abundance of things to drink than The largest Bible class in Great serve when his other sentence ex- for things to eat and by the usual 50 cents dance. Indeed the festivities are often store your prolonged for several nights after the

known draggints in this section, will refund your money. Unbounded faith like this deserves your confi-Trees transplanted at night are more likly to live than those transplanted in daytime. The best and most bargains Field Day, Saturday at Wise, Smith & Oo.'s, big Inventory Sale Hartford.

wedding.-Southern Workman.

y: Private Une. rd Times.

his year, an abwinted in this . We roour to ary 26th: O. F. Toop, M. S. Chap- tion to a matter which seems worth er to call attennotice as the legislature will be asked by the confinistion to make some Canal and our immediate the large numbers of whales of changes in the laws at this session, the species rorqual there, and the monbut in specing of its views, the ster seemed to be their natural enemy. board does to allude to one at least The whales generally travel in schools, The banquet committee and the highest importance. This is the lack would be singled out and attacked by committee on the new industry at the north end reported satisfactory at large may reap the benefit of the make three blows at intervals of from stocking of streams with trout by the

commissioner at the public cost.

In view of the terms of the general

law there is no public stream in Connecticut, except probably a few rivers. This law is found in chapter right side and just about where his 199 of the acts of 1903. Yet the present report of the commission shows After the grand march the band ed by M. S. Chapman who thought that state trout were Placed in streams will divide into brass and string or- that as this was a state affair and during the past two years on the application of more than 600 persons. for dancing until two o'clock. There state money and used for the accommo- Under the general law every one of wide at the end and tapering down to are 22 numbers on the dance program dation and equipment of state troops for each of which up-to-date music every town in the state had an interpublic by the and owners along its course. Son guarantee is sained when the fish rector Lieutenant Philip Cheney. the park. He offered a resolution really be ope to the public. Suffiare supplied at the streams shall cient legal povision to assure this stantly killed. Its operator seemed to right is designed by the simplest have perfect control of its movements sense of justice. Either the state and would bend it back until the end Privates J. Tierney, W. Vennart, J. arsenal. After a short discussion the should go to the business of would touch the water, forming a work of gene

In fact, the law explicitly requires (Revised Statutes, section 3, 143) that "no foll chail be furnished by the state for stocking any stream, river, pond, I lake, from which the would fly for a distance of a hundred taking of tah is prohibited by the feet from the effect of the stroke, makowner or lessee." The immediate ing a report as loud as a yacht's signal cert of several numbers preceding the need is for legislation which shall gun. grand march. Every member of the place the right of the general public department will receive three tickets to fish any stream stocked by the was that, no matter which way the done it is high time to forbid the The proceeds of the ball will be used stocking of any streams except at in paying the running expenses of the private cost. As a matter of fact the commissioners require the applimake an effort to make the coming ball the most successful one on record both from a social and financial stand thing to make sure that it will re- of the three times the whale would main publican hour after the fish are come to the surface to blow. The in it or that it has been open to pub- whale would generally rid itself of the lic use in any true sense before that time. Nothing less than the absolute certainty that any member of the public may tak in any water stocked by the state will meet the claim of justice. There is no hardship in requiring owners who dislike the re- in the bay and within 400 yards of the

AN ODD FISH.

Queer Marine Monster a Natural En-While operating at a fishery in Ad-

miralty island, Alaska, one summer my attention and the attention of the fishing crew were almost daily attracted to a large marine creature that would appear in the main channel of Seymour

make three blows at intervals of from two to three minutes each, and then sound deep and stay beneath the surface for thirty or forty minutes. As a whale would come to the surface there would appear always at the whale's head would connect with the body a great long tail or fin, "judged by five fishermen and a number of Indians, various distances," to be about twentythem certainly are very much like the blade of the fan trouble is that no an old fashioned Dutch windmill.

The great club was used on the back hatching tro or it should make this horseshoe loop; then with a sweep it would be straightened and brought over and down on the back of the heard for several miles. If the whale was fortunate enough to submerge itself before the blows came, the spray

usual speed is about fourteen knots), along by its side and deliver those tre-

oper to require killed, but there were several that had to time as open great holes and sores on their backs. them properly, Questioning the Indians about it, I was told that there was only one, that it d been there for many years and that attacked an Indian canoe and

> for the rest of his life, to pay the interest. Drunkards are not permitted to

> give evidence in the law courts of

Siam. The Buddhist priests, clad in

luxurious existence, owing to the lib-

erality of the populace toward any one sanctioned to the service of Buddha.

A Chinese Columbus.

fifth century crossed the Pacific to this

continent and returned, making a writ-

ten report of his discovery. The report

scribed, as well as American plants.

The only doubt about the matter is as

to the distance meant by 20,000 ll. The

priest may have reached only some is-

"That was a great sermon you

preached this morning," said the old

churchwarden, "and it was well timed

"Yes." rejoined the parson, with a

"Noticed what?" asked the puzzled

"That several of the congregation looked at their watches frequently."

answered the old man, with another

An Unpardonable Fault,

Figg-Goodman is dead. He has led

a most beautiful and a correct life.

Everybody praises him. Fogg-But,

confound him, he trumped my ace once

when we were playing partners at

Sorry He Spoke.

you told her I was here? Tommy-

She said, "Oh, thunder!"-Boston Trav-

Rhythm and time in the art of music have to come from the heart, not from

For the Serious Moment.

"I hear he refused to take chloroform

"Yes; he said he'd rather take it

Russell Sage, not being satisfied with his income this year and not be-

lieving in a vacation, has applied for

position as beliboy at the St. Regis.

Elias Hatfield, noted for his con-nection with one of the bitterest of the mountain feuds, has been killed

by a train as he was walking through a tunnel near Bluefield, W. Va.

the machine.-Dr. Joachim.

when he was operated on."

when he paid his bill."

Caller-What did sister say when

deep sigh. "I noticed that."

land in the Pacific ocean.

The belief in a Chinese Columbus was

their fourth anniversary yellow robes, are to be seen every-

in Chency hall Tuesday evening and where in Bangkok, and it is quite com-

installed their officers. The officers mon for young men to enter the priestwere installed by Past Counsellor, E. hood, which affords them an easy and

the meeting the grand march was first half of the last century. The

Short speech s were made by Howard still exists. It was translated into French in 1791 by M. de Guignes. It

banquet dancing continued until 12 gave a narrative of a voyage eastward

o'clock. The committee in charge by a priest for 20,000 ll, where he found

were: Henry Morgan, chairman; F. a country which he named Fusang.

H. Barrett, E. M. Ogden, Herman People similar to the Indians were de-

irritability, and serious bowel and deep sigh.-London Telegraph.

repaired to the banquet hall where an

elaborate spread had been prepared.

Schultz, Paul Weber, John Powell,

ACHS.

'Now Is the Time You Need Mi-o-

Think for a moment of the extra

out door life all weaken and strain the stomach, laying the foundation

Chronic stomach troubles, nervous

kidney dispases have often dated from a week of extra "good living."

Nearly everyone is bothered with more or less headaches and back-

aches, furred tongue, poor appetite, dry, hacking cough, heartburn, spots

before the eyes, dizziness or vertigo, sleeplessness, lack of energy, loss of

flesh or a general weak, tired feeling. Now is the time when Mi-o-na is

needed to repair the ravages and

waste the hearty eating of Winter has caused in the stomach and digestive

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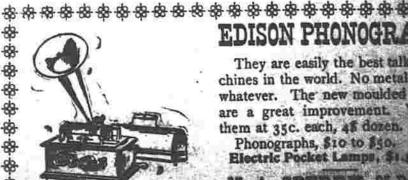
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===GREAT==== Annual Cost Sale!

SATURDAY NIGHT **ENDS** ITI

When you think of this wonderful opportunity; a chance to choose at cost almost anything you want in the way of desirable merchandise from our immense stock, do you wonder enthusiastic buyers are crowding our Big Store reaping this great sale's benefits?

It's not in any one department that specials are offered. It is your once-a-year chance to select.

Ladies' Wear of all kinds, Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Linings, Upholstery Goods, Draperies, Boys' Clothing, Men's Furnishings, Gloves, Laces, Neckwear, Art Goods, Toilet Supplies, Notions, Underwear, Hosiery, Infants' Wearables, Millinery, Ribbons, Books, Stationery, House Furnishings, China, Glass, Lamps, Bric - a - Brac, Japanese Goods, Shoes, Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc.

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\$3.00

For Boys' \$5 to \$8.50

STYLISH SUITS.

Yesterday we took in hand a lot of boys' suits and clipped the prices as above.

These outfits are for little boys of 2 1-2, 3 and 4 years of age and include Russian, Sailor and Sailor-Norfolk styles; they are made of best American woolens in the fashionable patterns for juveniles and any one whose little fellow is within these age limits will get splendid value for \$3. We advise you not to delay, as these prices mean quick selling.

Fur Prices Now Reduced.

We now offer you a liberal discount on sealskin and Persian lamb coats and all other furs in our elegant stock.

This is an opportunity that will surely appeal to those who wish to possess fine furs a saving prices,

Shirt Sale, Underwear Sale, Neckwear Sale, Pajama Sale, Clothing Sale, Ladies' Suit and Coat Sale ALL IN PROGRESS NOW.

Cheney Chemical Company with \$30,000 Capital to Manufacture Listerated Tooth Powder.

Another of Manchester's infant in dustries has reached the stage where to the bad traveling the attendance it is necessary to shed the garments of childhood and put on man's clothes. The Cheney Chemical Company has filed with the state secretary a certificate of incorporation, the incorporators being Walter B. Cheney, Frank Cheney Jr. and William C. Cheney, of Manchester, and Halsey H. Cheney, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. The authorized capital stock four years. The following Sunday is \$50,000, of which \$30,000 has been

company is to manufacture Cheney's Listerated Tooth Powder. This powder was put on the market about ten years ago by Walter B. Cheney, the well known druggist. It met with popular favor beyond all expectation. Its sales have steadily increased with very little, advertising until now the demand for it comes from all over the country and considerable of it is exported. The business has been profitable to Mr. Cheney and he has had no difficulty in securing additional capital now that he gain of 12 members, making the preshas decided that better facilities are

time larger quarters will be secured, an extensive advertising campaign will be planned and new sales agencies will be established. In time the manufacturer of Listerated Tooth Powder bids tair to become one of the most successful of the smaller

industries of the place. The charter of the company is broad enough to permit the manufacture and sale of a large variety of drugs and chemicals, and doubtless other Bride Carried to Her Grave from specialties besides the tooth powder will, from time to time, be placed on the market.

The officers of the Cheney Chemical Company are Halsey H. Cheney presdent and Walter B. Cheney, secretary and treasurer.

Free Delivery July 1. Manchester Business Men's Associa- to a day from the date of her wedthe proposed carrier delivery service The party of in South Manchester. Mr. Henry by F. A. said that the sending of an inspector held at Man to look over the ground was a neces. The none tary formality, but he had not the new slightest doubt that the report would conf be favorable Gongressman Henr added that

Success of Popular Singer.

The many friends of Mrs. Florence Rev. A. Crosby Cooke will be pleased to learn Appropriate of her engagement as contalto soloist Rev. Mr. St in the Center church choir at Hart- The casket of white has held a similar position in the of friends in the North. Among the disease, and the disease is what you choir of the South Congregational church, New Britain. The Center church choir at Hartford has, under the direction of Mr. N. H. Allen, held a leading place among the ding gown. The bearers were the opium, etc., are used for that pur church choirs of the state and the four ushers at her wedding, Louis A. selection of Mrs. Cooke from among her vocal ability.

The annual business meeting of the Swedish Congregational church on Spruce street was held Saturday evening. During the past year the church building was thoroughly repaired at an expense of about \$900. Five new members were voted in, making the total membership 33. During the year this little parish raised \$2,128.85 and expended \$1,991. 69. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Rev. V. Harold; vice president, Samuel Nyman; secretary, C. G. Ogren; treasurer, Charles Nilson; deacon for three years, Emil Mundgren; trustee for three years, Oscar Johnson; Sunday school superintendent, Charles Nilson.

the barrel at Cheney's; fine for

stomach. Their action upon the system is mild, pleasant and harmless. Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., "No use talking, DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work. the theater that "his face was the most All other pills I have used gripe and famfliar in London to playgoers, who make me sick in the stomach and took no more notice of his presence never cured me. DeWitt's Little than if he had been a simple citizen. Early Risers proved to be the long except when his bolsterous laughter sought relief. They are simply perfect." Persons traveling find Little Early Risers the most reliable ers laughing out of irresistible infecremedy to carry with them. Sold by

you have a prescription.

a tax of 2 shillings.

Stationery at Cheney's. Cheney don't out the price of Peruna, you don't get reasted, on other goods to make up for profits BUSINESS MEN'S BANQUET.

Preparations for This Event Nearly prease of Completed—Good Program Promised.

church was held last evening. Owing was not as large as usual. Lunch was completion. Besse has been engaged served at 7:10 after which officers were elected and reports were presented. The new charch committee includes F. H. Ladd William Ferguson, Mrs. S. T. Bissell and Mrs. James H. Albiston. C. E. House was reelected clerk and treasurer and A. H. Skinner was reelected deacon for school officers were chosen: Superintendent, James Hutchison; assist-The main object of forming the ant superintendents, Theodore F. Bidwell and E. L. G. Hohenthal; superintendent of primary department Mrs. C. E. House; secretary and ford Board of Trade, and these with treasurer 1. Sherwood Martin; other speakers who have given conassistant secretary and treasurer, ditional acceptances enable the com-Harry Snow; librarians Wilson Marmitte to give the assurance that the

The annual meeting of the Center

tin and Samuel Stevenson. The decorating committee for the coming year includes Miss Theodora Cheney, Miss Gertiude Rogers, Herbert B. House, Miss Sue Skinner and Miss Mary O. Chapman.

The report of the clerk showed a

ent membership 302. The Ladfes' Benevolent Society, needed to handle it.

At present the manufacture of the tooth powder is carried on in the old Cheney block, where several girls are employed in mixing the ingredients and packing the powder. In a short time larger quarters will be secured, during the year cash and clothing to Rev. Mr. Davis of the South the value of over \$150.

Missionary Society showed that \$100 from Sunday. had been raised during the year for missions and the Mission Band added in Vernon last night, making the

BURIED IN WEDDING GOWN. The Union Grammar school will be

Room in Which She Was Married Three Months Ago.

The funeral of Mrs. Sanford Cuyler away and staff next Monday evening. Senkins, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Watkins, who died at Hampton, Virginia, Monday night, hall last night was well attended. Free Delivery July 1.

Secretary Fred W. Mills of the rived here Wednesday, three months midnight. a bride in her

of Springfield. were made by v. Mr. Giles. roadcloth was Jenkins's class in the high school Mrs. Jenkins was buried in her wed-Goodell, and Horace Grant, of Hartchester, Arthur H. Morse, of Balti-

The burial was at the East cemetery about five o'clock. By this time the rain has ceased and the descending sun was making its way through the clouds.

HE LOVED THE THEATER.

farces and Clowns Were the Joy of George III. of England. Few men of any rank or time have much unaffected pleasure from the theater as George III

In fact, in the words of a contempo rary, it was 'as good as a play to hear the royal laughter and note the genuine enjoyment of his majesty." "He is said," Thackeray wrote, "not to Ye olde fashion hoarhound drops by have cared for Shakespeare or tragedy much. Farces and pantomimes were his joy, and especially when the clown swallowed a carrot or a string of sausages he would laugh so outrageously For liver troubles and constipation that the lovely princess by his side there is nothing better than DeWitt's would have to say, 'My gracious, mon-Little Early Risers, the famous little arch, do compose yourself!' And he They do not weaken the continued to laugh and at the very smallest farces as long as his poor wits life what he eats should be good. were left him." So frequent were George's visits to

except when his boisterous laughter drew attention to him and started othtion." As familiar a spectacle as that of his majesty purple and rolling with laughter was to see him sleeping as peacefully as a child between the acts. So partial was he to actors that he automobile. Two tickets every time permitted and even smiled at liberties which he would have resented in any one else. On one occasion, when Parsons was playing in "The Siege of Ca-In the reign of George III. hats were lais," the actor walked toward the box taxed. The least tax was threepence. in which George was sitting and addressed him in the words of his part: "An the king were here and did not admire my scanold I would say: 'Hang him! He has no taste," a piece of im-

pudence which threw his majesty into a fit of laughter.—London Tit-Bits. "Everybody's" Castor Oil Pills 10c. at Chency's Drug Store only.

The arrangements for the Business Men's banquet next Thursday evening at Odd Fellows hall are nearing

to cater and that is a guarantee that the menu and service will be fully equal to that of previous occasions. Owing to the senatorial fight which has engressed the attention of public men for the past two weeks the committee on speakers have been delayed in filling their list and it is not yet completed. Acceptances have been received, however, from Hon. Charles Phelps, of Rockville, formerly attororney-general of the state, and from Gen. Henry C. Dwight, ex-mayor of Hartford and president of the Hart-

after-dinner feast will be fully up to that of former years. We hope to present a full list of speakers with their toasts in Tues-

ABOUT TOWN

A daughter was born this morning

Methodist church will exchange with The report of the Ladies' Foreign his brother Rev. C. S. Davis, a week

> Two freight cars went off the track second trouble in the same spot within a short time.

closed all day next Monday. The teachers will visit other schools throughout the state.

The officers of Sunset Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., will be installed by District Deputy Charles R. Hath-

The annual ball of Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias held in Cheney took place at the home of her parents | concert program was given followed

The eighth birthday of Chester tion received a letter yesterday from ding. It was accompanied by her Wilson was celebrated by a party of Congressman Henry in relation to husband, his mother and his sister. twelve schoolmates Wednesday aftert Jersey City noon from three to five. He was Bervices were well remembered with gifts and all day afternoon. enjoyed a bountiful spread and

lutmeg Foresters of America

For the past four years she embowered in flowers, the tributes The cough is only a symptom of some contributions were flowers from Mrs. should cure, then the cough will stop of itself. The most common cause of and from her college society at Tufts. promptly suppress the cough, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on the other hand does not suppress the many candidates is a high tribute to ford, Clarence Boylston, of River- cough, but relieves it by removing side, and Walter B. Spencer, of Col. from the throat and lungs the mucus which obstructed the breatning and allaying the irritation and tickling in more, president of her class, '02, at the throat. It also opens the secre-Tufts, and Robert Grant, of West- tions and effectually and permanently cures the cold as well as the cough. For sale by Cheney's Drug Store and

THE NEW **MARKET**

IN THE LALANGE BLOCK-

This is one of the markets where you can buy good meat. Anything you get here you can rest assured will be of the finest quality. You will find my meat just the same every day.

It is a gratification to know that there is a market that doesn't handle poor goods. It doesn't make any difference how humble a person is in this Everyone is more than pleased with my goods. Come here once and you will certainly come again.

Just received a crate of fine celery from Boston; you had better try some

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THE MEAT I SELL EATS WELL.

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Friday, Jan. 13.-Weather tomorrow-fair,

SAGE-ALLEN & CO

Importers and Retailers; Hartford.

Fresh Arrivals of Choice Goods for the Season of 1905.

THE NEW SILKS.

New printed foulards and Indias in the largest variety ever shown. Prices at 35c, 39c, 48c, 75c, 98c and exclusive designs in dress patterns at \$1.25 a yard. Make selections early while the assortment is at its best.

The New Togo at 75c a yard

This is 30 inches wide and in appearance much like the Rajah. It is a very stylish, serviceable cloth. Spring shades in reseda greens, old blues, golden browns, navy blues, national blues, white, cream

The New Baronet at \$1 yard

This is 24 inches wide, in plain colors for afternoon wear, shades, old blue, reseda green, grey, tan, light blue, golden brown, navy and white. Also in checks for shirt waist suits, the very smartest effects shown. This cloth has already taken a leading place among the new materials for 1905.

NEW DRESS GOODS.

We offer very special values in new 1905 dress goods for shirt waist suits.

At 69c a yard.

At this price we emphasize 45 inch shepherd checks, blue and white, black and white, brown and white, red and white, with Persian silk thread interwoven. This is entirely new for the season of 1905. Also at this price are some very pretty new mohairs in Persian

At 50c a yard.

The large assortment of extremely neat, stylish effects at so low a figure will surprise you. They do not look like the ordinary 50c goods but will compare very favorably with those at double the price. These are all in mixed weaves, checks, broken plaids, etc. If you want a morning shirt waist suit they are just the thing.

MANCHESTE

Manchester and South Manchester, the two populous center of the town of Manchester, are rapidly growing together. The town has a population of about 13,000. Its prosperous, manufacturing establishments, constantly increasing their capacity and usually running full time give employment to nearly 6,000 operatives.

While practically a manufacturing town it is one of the best of residential communities as well. Its nearness to Hartford, only 8 1-2 miles, with its eight steam trains daily and its hourly and half hourly electric cars from both ends of the town, leaves no question but in the near future it will be one of the most desirable suburban towns in which to live and own real estate.

The town has well kept lawns, well lighted macadam and gravel streets, best of water supply, extensive sewer systems, and well equipped public schools, with a new \$150,000 high school building offering the best advantages for a free education. A large tract in the center of the town is soon to be laid out into a

Real estate values are keeping pace with other improvements. I have a long list of property-to offer including a number of nice homes for your own use or to rent. Two, three or four family houses which make the best of investments.

. If you are in want of a summer or permanent home near the village with a few acres I have them. Farms of all sizes, 10 to 300 acres, at all prices from \$600 to \$10,000. Rural free delivery, best of markets for produce and dairy products. Give me a call or drop a

Any business intrusted to my care will receive prompt attention. I have been for 23 years a resident of Manchester and this fact with an experience of four years in the real estate business gives me a thorough knowledge of property values.

In addition to real estate I sell fire, burglar and water proof safes, and fire, life and accident insurance. I also care for tenements and collect rents.

A. H. SKINNER. South Manchester, Conn. New Chency Block,

NO MORE STOMACH TROUBLES.

All stomach trouble is removed by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It gives the stomach perfect rest by digesting what you eat without the stomach's aid. The food builds up the body, the rest restores the stomach to health. You don't have to Open every day and evening in the diet yourself when taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. J. D. Erskine, of Allenville, Mich., savs, "I suffered Heart-burn and Stomach Trouble for some time. My sister-in-law has had the same trouble and was not able to eat for six weeks. She lived entirely on warm water. After taking two bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she was entirely cured. She now eats heartily and is in good health. I am glad to say Kodol gave me instant relief."
Sold by J. P. Smith.

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CAPITAL \$650,000. SURPLUS \$290,000

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SAFE DEPOSIT VAULT. We call special attention to this dep ment and invite inspection. For m and convenience it is unsurpresed.

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We are anxious to have you all know that Vinol is a new form of a very old and valuable remedy. It is a Cod Liver Oil preparation, because it contains all the medicinal elements actually taken from fresh Cods' Livers. By a new process we are able to make it without oil or grease and give you a real Cod Liver Oil preparation as delicious to the taste as

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Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills.

They cost little. They perform miracles. They do four things where other pflis do one. In successful use for 70 years.

ROMAN EYE BALSAM 25 CENTS,

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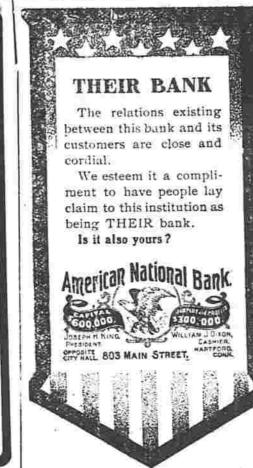
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Have just received a carload of fine sleighs. Also some heavy bob meighs. Come in and get your pick. Office Phone 28-2. Have a good line of harnesses of all kinds.

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CAPITAL \$440.000.

Maro S. Chapman, President. E. D. Redfield, Cashier and Vice President Edwin H. Tucker, Assistant Cashler.

Sunday evening supper was a matter Transacts a general Banking and of individual vagary and caprice so far as the Norton family was concerned. Trust business, and solicits deposits of Molly went home after dinner, Mrs. individuals and corporations. Norton went upstairs for a cozy nap but they say he has a delightful home." SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES TO RENT about twilight, and the girls usually took iced ten and salad sandwiches out fourths of his time away from it."at moderate prices, to which inspec-

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THE FORBIDDEN PATH

Bu IZOLA FORRESTER

a little chain gang of elephants trotting faces." over it. I won't have it, Nell! I'll turn the hose on those boys!"

"Don't jabber over it, Kit. You'll only get all red and warm and fussy, and some one may hear you."

Kit scowled defiantly at the broad bay window of the house next door.

The shades were lowered and the boys? My foot is twisted, and I canblinds half closed. On one window sill a plump tortoise shell cat dozed within, and it was the habitation of the

ever hears"- Kit raised her voice ever so little, just enough to carry over the tortoise shell cat. "They must know all about it anyway. How would they like it if we trampled paths all over their lawn day and night?"

"There comes one of them." Nell paused in her sweeping on the little ine covered porch and waited anxious-"Now, don't be huffy, sis."

Kit sat immovable in the dandellon starred grass and watched the coming boy with disapproving, menacing eyes. He was rather a nice boy to look at, too, somewhere around fifteen, and he whistled as he came along the sidewalk in front of the Norton cottage. There was a break in the low box hedge, made by vandals, but this vandal disdained it and added insult to injury by jumping over the hedge and boldly starting across the path.

"How do, Miss Norton?" he called cheerily. "Pretty hot today, isn't it?" "Say, Dick McLean, we don't want you three boys tramping over our lawn." Kit spoke with dignity and severity. "It makes a regular beaten path all the way to your lilacs, and I think you could use your own lawn if you want to make a checkerboard on see the strong, patient figure sitting

Dick halted midway on the forbidcourse of barrenness with interest. "It does look queer," he said. "I'm awfully sorry we did it. When old Mrs. Tisdale lived here she didn't give her intention of being flower bearer to a rap about it. It wasn't a lawn then, his majesty. She found him a totally She just hung up her wash here, and she kept chickens too."

"Well, we don't," retorted Kit most ungraciously. "Ever since we moved you're not a bit sorry?" chickweed and plantain. We only had sweet and very young "I croquet lawn out of a wilderness of Kit stood erect, very the hedge put in as a gentle bint to our neighbors"-

"You mean us, don't you?" Dick miled down on her good naturedly. "Yes, I do," granted Kit, "because, really was all the fault of yes and you don't care. You right over the

bed again.

wire.

"He heard every word

"How do you know?"

down on the top step and laughe

loes unless he is at the desk."

"The cat went indoors, and she never

There was a pause, and the pansies

"Well, I don't care if he did," said

suffered from too vigorous treatment.

Kit finally, but her tone was lower. "If

they don't stop it I'll put up barb

It was not an idle threat, though it

needed provocation to carry it out.

Two days later, just at noon, a happy,

leisurely procession passed over the

lawn. Even Dick, the traitor, was lend-

ing and whistling in sweet forgetful-

ness, with a baseball bat over his

shoulder. Kit said nothing. The point

had arrived where mere wrath was fu-

superintended the placing of her out-

posts of defense, and by the time that

the boys appeared a neat array of

barb wire strands were stretched along

"It's all right for the boys," said Nell

"If he can't make his little brothers

behave, then we will. It's bad enough | forbidden path."

without being on intimate terms with | the right of way."

critically. "But what if Mr. McLean"-

living next door to a perfect old crank,

on your summer vacation anyway,

him. Even mother says he's eccentric,

doesn't make up a thing out of his own

"Just you wait," said Kit, following

on the porch, where they could lie in | Exchange.

COUGH REMEDY AND SENT

during a fortnight's time she obtain-

CHAMBERLAIN'S

during a fortnight's time she obtained at my shop, nine bottles, which she sent to her friends in different parts of the State, telling them how much good it had done and advising them to give it a trial." For sale by Cheney's Drug Store and Balch & Price 50 cents fold and quantities by Brown's.

and the croquet balls clicked.

a double twister turned."

BOUGHT

and that means crank."

a sandwich in the ting up of the wire the occupied, when some the sidewalk with a q and deliberately wall broken place in the

the path. Kit gave a smothered et and sat up, but before and could speak "It's a perfect shame. Look at that lawn! Cut right straight across from the lilacs to the sidewalk, as if we kept with frightened, yet half laughing,

> "Hello!" called Kit gently. "Are you hurt?" There was no response for a minute, then some one answered in a strange

not stand up." An hour later Kit stood guiltily at comfortably. Peace evidently reigned the head of the steps as her mother and Nell came slowly from the house next

"About a month before he can walk." said Mrs. Norton. "It is too bad. And he is a very delightful person to meet; not at all eccentric. He takes the blame entirely and says he is worse than the boys and that we were perfectly right in putting up the wire." "That's what he said to you, motherie, darling," interposed Nell disconsolately. "He probably thinks that Kit

"Barbarous heathens," Kit smiled wickedly. erine," said Mrs. Norton. 'I am afraid

kind as possible. Of

and I are heathens."

"A celebrity," corrected her mother. We may find him odd, but after this misfortune we must do our best to make him comfortable. I told him you ly. would take turns in bringing him flow-

"Well, I won't, motherie," said Kit datly. "I'm sorry he hurt himself, but I'm not a bit sorry I put up the fence, and I don't want to be forgiven."

in the shady corner of the veranda next door. Nell carried the first propitiatory den way and looked at its undeviating bunch of roses over to the enemy's country. She brought back a good report, and after a week of disinterested indifference Kit suddenly announced disabled, rather sarcastic majesty. "So you're the young woman who

set the trap, are you, Miss Kit? And "I'm sorry I came over to see

"And you did ed?" She kner her. Please know Fve been have you visit

to a fellow, won Kit healtated,

the mckory set

from her eyes.

Four weeks Tro

first walk. It was a slow, tedious one

"I came halfway for my roses to-

day," he said to the figure in white beside the rosebushes. "May I come

"Are you angry?" His voice was low

She turned and walked toward him

"I was just coming," she said softly.

The Hangman's Stone

Why It Is Pleasant.

"Old Hunks is one of the cranklest

"Well, it's true. He spends three-

"To say 'Yes,' sweetheart?"

afraid you might not come again, Kit."

from the veranda to the hedge.

Kit did not even turn her head.

EQUAL TO THE EMERGENCY

By FRANK H. SWEET

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Two of the trains had already pulled ip the company's wharf to the main line, and a third was sending out its last signaling whistle when a girl hurried down track 9 with a basket covered by a napkin, evidently containing

Messenger 16 was swaying unsteadily at the open door of a car, and the girl went straight to him, her eyes bright, her cheeks flushed. But as she drew near she suddenly recoiled, a look of terror coming to her face. "Ben," her white lips tried to say,

but no sound came from them, The man passed a hand across his brow weakly, holding to the car by the other. The girl went a step nearer.

"What does it mean?" Her voice quivered hoarsely. "Oh, Ben!" Something of the agony in the cry seemed to penetrate the man's dulling brain, for a fremor went through him and be straightened suddenly, as though by a great effort. The dull eyes opened and shut heavily, and again the hand passed across the forehead as though to force some tutelligence into the clogged brain. Then:

"D-don't speak like that, girlle," ar unrecognizable voice mumbled. "I'm not drunk. I never drank a drop in my life. You know I-speak-true. It's you must both do penar by being as a d-r-ug," his voice drifting back again into the stupor.

The girl was beside him with a swift movement, the basket thrust into the car, her hands placed firmly upon his shoulders, her eyes close and gazing straight into his, lovingly, compelling-

"Ben," the voice forcing itself into clearness and steadiness, "look at me now, hard. What is it? Think!" The man made a supreme effort.

"It was messenger 12-Timson, you

She knew. She had refused Tim

"He offered me a drink of water, and took it. Then he crossed to track 3 and jumped on board his train. It was the one that just pulled out." "But what did he do it for?"

"Don't you understand, Delia?" sharp agony quivering in the voice. "This trip was to furnish the money for our wedding. Timson knew it. He planned it just before my train starts, so I will lose the trip. There is no time to find a substitute. My train will go without me, and the company will be angry and discharge me for drunkenness, and-and"-his eyes again becoming dull and his form awaying more heavily-"and I'm losing myself. I can't see you. Quick, girlie, find the manager and tell him it isn't drink. A a discharged messenger cannot get work anywhere."

He lurched forward and would have

prentrance, only a few yards away. Several drays were standing about waiting for a job. She motioned imperiously to the owner of the nearest. "Listen, Ben," she said slowly, puting her lips close to the ears of the now almost insensible man in an effort to

make him hear and comprehend. "I am going to send you home. You mustn't worry a bit. I will fix it all right." He was holding his train papers tightly, and she unclasped them gently from his fingers. Then as the drayman came forward: "Take this man to his home at once, 12 Rue Citro-

nelle. Here is a dollar." and eager. "After last evening I was Inside, she again glanced sharply around. A man was running in her direction, heading toward the rear of the train. She recognized him as a friend slowly, the bunch of rosen held close

to her face. At the hedge she looked tile. Early on Saturday morning she up at him, and the merriment had died "Hêllo, Miss Delia!" he called. "Come to see Ben off again, have you? He's a lucky dog. But you must excuse my His bands closed over those that held hurry. This train pulls out in three minutes, and I must reach my section." Della could hear her heart thumping

"Look out for the barbed wire, Mr. "Your section is in the rear, I sup-McLean," called Nell from the sitting pose?" she questioned, with assumed room window. "Kit still guards her

carelessness. "Yes"-over his shoulder-"the eight-"All wires down!" called McLean. een rear cars. I'm messenger 28. Ben "It's the path of roses now. I claim

has the forward twenty cars. I switch off at Memphis for Jefferson City and Ben goes on to Columbus." "He doesn't look like one."

There is a large bow or lying in a field near Foremark, English, which is

As he hurried away Delia's face cleared. She had learned all she wanted to know. Placing her hands upon are cranks, and the more successful known throughout Derbyshire as the floor of the car she gave a light "hangman's stone." The exposed porspring and was within, sliding the door Kirke Ross McLean must be a terror. tion of the bowlder rises about six quickly behind her. A few moments And he doesn't write books, either; not feet above the surface of the surroundlater her own bell rang, and then the real books. He only travels and writes; ing field and has a narrow ditch or indentation running across the top. The car began to move forward.

She had never been on a train bemark, so tradition says, was made in Nell did not answer. She was look- this way: A sheep thief in the dead fore, never been out of New Orleans, ing over at the cool, darkened bay win- of night, while leaning against the but her father had been a messenger, dow and thinking of the figure beyond bowlder to rest, placed his booty above and Ben had many times told her the on the flat surface of the stone. The details of his trip. She must manipulate sitting at the broad, flat top desk near man had the sheep tied with a rope, the ventilators of her twenty cars so the window, sometimes turned to gaze and in its effort to escape the creature as to have the heat just right to bring over the hedge where the pansies grew slipped on the opposite side, and the the bananas to prime, marketable condition when she reached her destinarope, catching under the thief's chin, choked him to death. The indentation tion. A few degrees too much either her glance. "Some day those boys will in the rock was made by the friction way might mean the loss of a good forget and take a run over that path of the rope while the dying man was many thousand dollars to the company. It was a hard trip, for the outside and tumble in the wire, and we'll see engaged in an effort to extricate himthermometer rose from 81 degrees to 70 degrees in six hours, and the next morning was back again to 81 degrees and falling. It meant a constant shift-

and most disagreeable men I ever met, ing of the ventilators, with an impossibility of keeping the car thermometers from fluctuating uneasily. Zero weather would have been infinitely preferable, for then the ventilators Mr. Wm. S. Crane of California, A salve that heals without a soar Md., suffered for years from rheuma- is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. No

could have remained closed and the fruit would generate enough heat of its own. That night and the next day Della did not trust herself to sit down once, for fear she might get drowsy and momentarily relax her vigilance. Too much depended upon obtaining the best results just now.

She was careful to keep herself out of sight, and this she was able to do the more readily on account of the fruit train making few stops. At Memphis the rear section was switched off to connect with a train west, and her own was attached to a train which had just pulled in from Galveston, the engine returning to New Orleans with a lot of empty cars.

A few hours later, at a watering stop, the new conductor caught sight of her as he was hurrying along the train. She was just sliding the door, but too

-tramp!"

Delia slid back the door. "No, sir," she answered quietly, holding up the papers she had taken from Ben. "I am in charge of this section. I haven't had a chance to see you be-

The conductor gave a long whistle which ended in an apologetic cough. But his face lengthened visibly. What's the company thinking of?" he ejaculated hotly. "Next we know

brakemen and engineers." And he harried away, still choking resentfully. Seven days later Della entered the company's office at New Orleans. The manager himself happened to be in, moment a figure which had been lounging about the street door-a white, anxious faced man, who had been peer-

ing into the office most of the time for rushed in. She turned to him first. "How are you, Ben?" she asked eagerly. "All right?"

The manager was beside them now. "Is this Miss Delia?" he inquired. "Yes, sir. Here are the receipts your ommission agents gave me. They said the fruit was in prime condition."

The manager glanced over the pa-"Yes, yes; they're all right," he said. But we knew that before. Our agents quite possible to freeze out a considwired us that the fruit was in the very erable portion of Europe. The cool best condition-as good as they had ever received. I-I hardly know what to do about this. It's a most untoward north pole impinges with greater velocthing and should receive our severest ity than usual upon the northern marcensure, and yet you did as well as our gin of the gulf stream in certain years, very best messenger-better almost. I Cyclonic storms traveling up from the suppose we shall have to pass it over. southward deflect it also, and conse-But such a thing must never happen quently the gulf stream, although probingly toward Ben, "we have not dis- great ocean currents, is not invariable charged him. He may go on the next either in velocity or in direction. Gentrip. And you-well, it was a most un- erally speaking, this ocean river in the toward thing, but I suppose you did the lower latitudes of the Atlantic is drivbest you could under such short no en westward by the prevailing easterly tice. You may stop at the cashier's winds acting upon the sea surface un-

Robert S. Hawkes, always known as coast until the banks of Newlo "the vicar of Morwenstowe" and a land are reached. About there the up by his grandfather, a very learned and religious man. In the church where this old gentleman preached the evening service always closed with the Hawkes himself. His grandson, who did not know the authorship of the hymn, came to the doctor one day with

a paper in his hand, saying: "Grandfather, I don't altogether like that hymn 'Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing.' I think it might be improved in meter and language and that thermometer the longitude could be acit would be better if it were somewhat curately determined if the shipmaster

"Oh, indeed!" said Dr. Hawkes, reddening. "And pray, Robert, what im- vicinity of the gulf stream. Similarly provements commend themselves to the sea surface temperature was re-

your precoclous wisdom?" "This is my improved version," said Robert. And he read aloud a very creditable hymn, after which he repeated the old version, saying innocently, "This one is crude and flat, dicates polar origin generally speaking," don't you think so, grandfather?"

"Crude and flat, sir! Young puppy, it is mine! I wrote that hymn!" "Oh, I beg your pardon, grandfather! didn't know that. It's a very nice hymn indeed, but," as he went out of the door, "mine is better!"

A Garbled Message. At the last moment Mr. Gayley found he could not attend the garden party at Miss Fenton's house, and it was, of course, imperative that he should send his regrets, so he summoned Michael. the family gardener.

"Tell Miss Bessie that I am very sorry, but business will prevent me coming," he said. "Yes, sir," said Michael.

"And-stay a moment," said Gayley. "Could you remember a line of poet-"Certainly, sorr."

"Well, tell her, 'Though lost to sight, o memory dear." Half an hour later Michael was deliv ering his message to Miss Fenton. "The master said it's sorry he is he

can't be wid ye," said Michael, "andand, though he's lost his sight, his memory's clear. And may I be forgiven for the untruth I'm tellin' ye!" -London Globe.

"I mislaid \$250 last night." "Tough luck. Can't you think where you put it?" "Yes, I know; I laid it on the wrong rard."-Cleveland Leader.

Mislaid.

Boothlet-What do you mean by say. He says a clever thing quite often." ing I'm the worst actor you ever saw?

DEEP SEA CURREN

THE GULF STREAM AND ITS COL THROUGH THE OCEAN.

Many Irregularities Are Known Cour In Both the Direction and the Velocity of This Peculiar River of the Atlantic.

Seamen sometimes seem to forge

that even the most permanent of ocean currents are occasionally driven out of their usual track by a succession of strong winds from one direction, and the fairy tales with respect to the alleged vagaries of the gulf stream told so frequently only tend to show that navigators rather too frequently regard that river in the ocean as not less firmly fixed in velocity and direction. than if it were flowing to the sea between banks formed by the solid earth of our planet. As a matter of fact, ever since the gulf stream was first discovered about four centuries ago it was recognized by thoughtful navigators that fixity of tenure did not and could not hold for that vast body of relatively warm water cushioned off from the Atlantic coast of America by the colder waters of the Labrador current even as far toward the equator as girls will be put in as conductors and Florida. Were it not for the guil stream, or, more accurately, the east. ern extension thereof, the average air temperature in the winter would be not less than 29 degrees below the and he seemed to recognize her by the freezing point of water on a Fahrenpapers she carried in her hand. He heit thermometer registered at the came forward quickly. But at that Shetland Islands. As matters stand the presence of the relatively cold current from the Arctic washing our shores, inside of the warmer gulf stream, closes up the harbors of Newthe last eight days-also saw her and foundland at the same time as the gulf wegian coast clear of ice even as far to the northward as the North cape. 'Yes, yes! But you? What have you To put it another way, St. John's, been up to, girlle? The office has been N. F., is sometimes closed with ice even as late in the year as June, while Liverpool, which is 2 degrees farther to the north, has never been in that

condition since the glacial epoch. In fact, it has been seriously sug gested that by diverting the course of the gulf stream into the Pacific, through the narrow neck of land joining the two Americas, it would be Labrador current setting southward from the lcy regions adjacent to the No." as her gaze went inquir- ably the most permanent of all the window for your money, and - yes, til the western side of the gulf of Mexthere's a little recognition for you there ico is attained. Thence it fellows the also. You saved us from a possible land till an outlet is found through to great loss. But remember the recog- strait of Florida, which, being both parrow and shallow, causes C

poet of no mean ability, was brought guif stream proper is said to lose its identity as such, but the warm waters thereof are driven by the prevailing westerly winds toward the United Kingdom, Norway and even Spitzberthat hymn, 'Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy gen. Many irregularities are known Blessing," which was composed by Dr. to occur in both the direction and the velocity of the gulf stream from time to time, consequent on wind changes Prior to the age of chronometers most extravagant views were put forward by navigators and others in a hurry to the effect that by the aid of an ordinary would but trouble to take a series of sea surface temperatures when in the garded in about the same geographical

position as an infallible guide to the

Labrador, cool current

proximity of ice. Neither inference is true. High temperature indicates tropical origin and low temperature inbut beyond this it is dangerous to predicate. The relatively warm water may be in a very abnormal position for the period of the year owing to natural causes, and a fall of 25 degress Fahrenheit is sometimes experienced in a short ship's length on the mingling places of the warm gulf stream and cold Labrador current on a beautifully clear day without the slightest sign of ice of any kind above the boundary line of sea and sky. Many a sailing ship, after vainly trying to reach New York, has got badly iced up and run to the warmer waters of the gulf stream to thaw out both her crew and her gear, but neither the longitude nor the presence of ice can be rightly determined solely by the aid of sea surface tenperatures. Nevertheless the use of this sea surface thermometer is not to be despised, because it is undoubtedly approximate assistance in defining a ship's geographical position. The line of separation of the two currents, the cool Labrador and the warm gulf stream, is often noticeable either by the vivid blue of the salter guif stream in close proximity to the green color of the fresher Labrador current or by the ripple on the margin. It is said that a blockade runner from Wilmington, N. C., when chased by a Federal cruiser, managed to escape by the observation of this friendly ripple. The blockade runner edged into the current more favorable for her, while the cruiser kept in the adverse current and lost the prize.-American Syren and

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