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TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS, \$10.75.

This is one of the banner bargains to be picked up at our store this coming week.

Beginning today and for one week we are going to have a special display and sale of new rugs in carpet sizes.

LOOK AT THESE PRICES:

Compare Them With Any You Ever Saw.

9x12 Crex Grass Rugs,	\$7.75
9x12 All Wool Ingrain Rugs,	\$7.75
9x11 Tapestry Brussels Rugs,	\$10.75
9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs,	\$14.50
9x12 Axminster Rugs,	\$19.50
9x12 Axminster Rugs,	\$22.50
9x12 Body Brussels Rugs,	\$22.50
Crex Rugs for the veranda,	
48c, 85c, \$1.25, \$2.50, \$4, \$6.50	

Throw away your old carpet and buy a rug. You can afford to at these prices.

New China Matting just out of the stocks, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c.

WATKINS BROTHERS.

Furniture and Piano Dealers. Undertakers.

Main and School Sts., So. Manchester, 227 Asylum, Hartford.

THE TELEPHONE SYSTEM.

Howard Embler, of the S. N. E. Telephone Co., Delivers Highly Instructive Address Before Business Men.

Howard Embler, of the Southern New England Telephone Company, was secured through the courtesy of Manager Weatherhead, of the local exchange, to give his famous illustrated lecture on the "System" before the members of the Business Men's Association in Ferris hall last evening. The lecture followed a short business session and was attended by a representative number of the members, who were greatly pleased with Mr. Embler's address, which proved to be of a highly instructive and interesting character.

The lecture was illustrated with stereopticon views, which were thrown on the south wall of the hall and aided materially in making the subject matter clear to the audience. Mr. Embler commenced his address with an explanation of sound waves and the manner in which they are transmitted through the air and by wire. Illustrations of the telephone transmitter and receiver were shown and the theory upon which Graham Bell worked when he produced the first instrument in 1876, explained. From the single pair of instruments and wire connecting them, Mr. Embler gradually advanced through the various stages of the system's evolution, explaining by pictures and description the multitudinous and intricate details of the outdoor workings of the systems. Pictures were shown of the branch lines in the country districts. The branch lines were traced through to their connection with the main trunk lines, where the poles support many cross-arms and scores of wires. He then explained the method of bunching many wires and connecting them with lead covered cables containing paper wound wires.

at Gildersleeve on the Connecticut river, where many wires are carried across at a height of one hundred and eighty feet above the surface of the river, were shown. Another picture showed the method of crossing the river at Enfield. Here the wires are supported on a suspension bridge, the ends being attached to the tops of high steel towers.

In conclusion, Mr. Embler predicted that the time would come when the telephone would be as common and indispensable as the house door key. When this time arrives it will be possible for a man to hold converse with another on any part of the continent, regardless of the remoteness of the locality. At the conclusion of the lecture the association passed a vote of thanks to Mr. Embler and Manager Weatherhead for their efforts in providing such an interesting and entertaining lecture.

RAPELYE DRUG STORE TO CLOSE.

Store Fixtures Purchased by Farr Brothers, Who Will Occupy the Store.

The purchase by Farr Brothers, yesterday, of the fixtures of the drug store in the postoffice block occupied by the Rapelye Drug Co. will lead to another business change on Main street, as by this deal the drug store will be forced out of its present location. The store will be closed by the end of the present month and the unsold stock will be moved to Hartford.

When the Rapelye Drug Co. bought out the drug stock of W. B. Cheney about three and a half years ago, the deal did not include the store fixtures, which remained Mr. Cheney's property. He has been desirous of selling them but failed to come to an agreement with the Rapelye Drug Co. in the price.



QUEEN QUALITY SHOES FOR WOMEN.

Are so constructed as to preserve the natural tread line of the foot regardless of the style of the shoe. In other words you can select the style of toe which best pleases your fancy with the knowledge that you are not sacrificing comfort for style.

Your feet will take as naturally to a pair of Queen Quality Shoes as a duck takes to water—no cramping, no breaking in for they are foot-moulded in process of manufacture.

If your feet bother you—wear Queen Quality Shoes. Let us show you the styles we carry.

GEO. W. SMITH. NEW CHENEY BLOCK.

ENOUGH SAID! A NEW HOSIERY FOR MEN

MADE WITH THE **Interwoven TOE AND HEEL**

Which men's four times the



A way has been found to make a sock that will last longer than any other sock. It is made of the same material as the best socks, but the way of weaving it is different. It is made of a fine lisle sock. It will far outwear any heavyweight hosiery you have ever used, and then come and buy a trial pair of these, wear them and come back and thank us for "putting you wise."

A. L. BROWN & CO., Depot Square, Manchester

FINE QUALITY LAWN HOSE PIPE

The celebrated Goodrich Lawn Hose has a national reputation for its uniform reliability.

We are showing an attractive assortment of weights at various prices to your requirements.

Special attention is called to the GOODRICH REEL HOSE which we have.

This hose is entirely different from ordinary ply hose. It is tested 500 lb. pressure, it weighs about 1-3 lighter than cheaper kinds and it is guaranteed not to kink. For the man who wants the best this hose is unequalled.

Prices: 8c to 18c per foot.

FERRIS BROS.

AGENTS FOR PENNSYLVANIA MOWERS.

Trees, Shrubs, Rose Bushes, Plants of All Kinds.

LEFT UNSOLD ON OUR PACKING GROUNDS, WILL BE ALMOST GIVEN AWAY IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS. NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE GOOD PLANTS CHEAP.

BURR NURSERIES,

20 Oakland St.

Tel. 29-3.

NOW FOR A BIG SOAP SALE

We've made a big deal in soaps and now we pass the money saving opportunity along to you. You know what the regular price is; you can easily figure your solid savings by attending this

IMPORTANT SOAP SALE, SATURDAY

Polo Brand..... 8 cakes for 25c	Proctor & Gamble's Napha,
Lenox Brand..... 7 cakes for 25c	6 cakes for 25c
Fairy..... 6 cakes for 25c	Blue Ribbon..... 6 cakes for 25c

These are well seasoned, soaps and you know what the labels on them stand for.

SPECIAL SALE OF CANNED GOODS

FOR SATURDAY ONLY we'll sell all of our 13c CANNED GOODS at 3 cans for 25c. These include vegetables, meats and soups—the leading brands.

SATURDAY'S MEAT SPECIALS

VEAL—LAMB—Prices that will open your eyes to great savings on quality meats.	
Rib Roast Beef..... 16c to 18c lb	Fancy Pot Roasts..... 10c to 15c lb
Fresh Shoulders..... 11c lb	Legs of Lamb..... 17c lb
Smoked Shoulders..... 10c lb	Boston Rolled Roast..... 12 1-2c lb

FRUITS

STRAWBERRIES—red delicious fruits..... 15c quart
PINEAPPLES—well flavored..... 10c each
ORANGES—juicy, seedless and thin skinned..... 23c to 39c dozen
BANANAS—extra large..... 19c dozen
LEMONS—California, large..... 25c per dozen

GREEN GOODS

Our "GARDEN PATCH" also offers: Spinach, Cabbage, Dandelions, Cucumbers, Lettuce, Raricipes, SPECIAL: Asparagus, 25c lb.

THE MANCHESTER PROVISION COMPANY, HARTMAN BLOCK, MANCHESTER Telephone 89-12

Vegetables! Vegetables!!

Our store is the north end headquarters for early vegetables. If vegetables are to be had we have them. We have them fresh. Call at our store tomorrow and look at our stock. We make a specialty of

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

S. A. DOANE, The East End Grocer, 12 North Main Street.

Tomorrow Night.

One Night Only

We will sell	Regular	Special
Large Navel oranges,	35c doz.	25c doz.
Corn,	10c can,	4 for 25c
Bon Ami,	10c cake,	7c cake
Dried Beef,	1 lb jar,	20c
Minute Tapioca,	10c	8c
Oyster crackers,	10c	4 for 25c
Oatmeal crackers,	10c lb.	7c
Peanut wafers	10c pkg.	"
Vanilla wafers	"	"
Oval Salt biscuit	"	"

All orders taken for these goods Saturday night will be delivered either Monday or Tuesday.

The Morton & Dwyer Co

FIRE, SMOKE AND WATER SALE!

We shall place on sale Saturday all goods damaged by fire, smoke or water. Among them are

Boys' Suits, ages 11 to 16,	25c, 50c, 75c and \$1
Boys' Knickerbocker Pants,	25c
Youths' Long Pants,	25c
Men's 25c and 50c Black and Fancy Hose,	5c and 10c
All Grades of Glastonbury Underwear,	25c, 50c, 75c according to condition. Some of this is damaged very little.
A few Men's Monarch \$1 and \$1.50 Shirts,	25c

C. E. HOUSE & SON, HEAD TO FOOT CLOTHIERS.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Freshman Basketball Team Defeats Grammar Grade Team 39 to 12.

Boethia was omitted at the high school this afternoon and the period was used for an extra rehearsal of the high school chorus for graduation.

Miss Anne C. Walter, of Middletown, spent Wednesday afternoon in the local high school training the members of the senior class who will speak on the graduation program.

Principal E. E. Forbes, of Torrington, visited the Ninth district schools Wednesday.

The seniors are making preparations for a class social to be held some time in the near future.

A committee consisting of Miss Emilie Goodale, Miss Margaret Campbell '09, Balch '10, Fish '11 and Burke '12 has been appointed to elect the officers of the high school Boethia. The committee will report at the next meeting of the association.

Principal Betts, of the New Salem Academy, spent Wednesday afternoon in the South Manchester high school.

Because of the coming graduation there were no senior exercises at the high school Thursday.

The freshmen defeated the grammar grades at basketball in a one-sided game in the Ninth district gymnasium Thursday afternoon. The score was 39 to 12. Lineup:

Freshmen.	Grammar grades.
Rau rf.	Finnegan
Martin lf.	Barrett
Crockett c.	Johnson
Gleason rg.	Wright
Woodhouse lg.	Cobb

Goals from the floor: Rau 1, Martin 9, Crockett 9, Johnson 2 and Barrett 1. Goals from fouls: Crockett 1 and Johnson 6. Referee Olson, umpire Rollins.

Thirty oil paintings have just been seized at Paris which were found to be forged copies of the old masters, and intended for easy American millionaire collectors.

The young Gould who has been made a railroad director at 22 evidently does not put much faith in the old plan of having to become a railroad man by

Reception for Normal Girls.

The faculty of the State Normal school in New Britain tendered a reception to the division of students, which is to leave in a few days for the period of training in the Ninth District school of South Manchester, on Wednesday afternoon at the close of school. Miss Hannah Gartland, of South Manchester, was present at the reception. The Senior class sang songs; Principal Marcus White played selections on the violin and Miss McLaughlin rendered vocal solos. At the close light refreshments were served. Dancing followed the reception. The names of the young ladies in the division which is to come to South Manchester are as follows:

The Misses Lillian Andres, New Britain; Ethel M. Baker, East Orange, N. J.; Gladys M. Beach, Torrington; Agnes J. Curran, Middletown; M. Irene Curtin, New Britain; Mary E. Davison, Thompsonville; Ethel L. Gardiner, South Manchester; Ethel L. Goslee, South Manchester; Gertrude E. Gritzmacher, New Britain; Rose M. Henley, Stafford Springs; Elizabeth F. Hart, West Cornwall; Ruth Hartman, New Britain; Ruth A. Hartson, New Britain; Rose A. Hubbard, Windsor; Edna T. Jenkinson, Meriden; Clara L. Kahrman, Higganum; Jessie Larkin, Waterbury; Mary E. Larkin, Winsted; Ellen B. Leavitt, Putnam; Evelyn Lewis, Meriden; Lista W. Lincoln, Berlin; Mary P. McAlenney, Waterbury; Cecelia McCormack, Waterbury; Catherine A. McIntyre, New Britain; Beattie A. Morton, Eaton, N. Y.; Grace C. Olmsted Hartford; Ida B. Parker, Hartford; Mary L. Powers, Waterbury; Elizabeth Scoville, Plainville; Hazel M. Stalsburg, Deep River; Anna C. Sullivan, Windsorville; Julia A. Tuller, Hartford; Helen E. Wheeler, Unionville.

The following from the kindergarten training class will come to South Manchester: Misses Zella L. Bunce, South Manchester; Ethel V. Olmsted, East Hartford; Ethel C. Immick, Meriden; Marjorie M. Howe, Hartford and Mary L. Whitehead, Simsbury.

James G. Hepburn, of East Orange, N. J., is now Princeton's oldest living graduate. He is 94, and was a member of the class of 1832. For many years he was a medical missionary in Japan.

The so-called "good people" in a small Georgia town recently prayed that some great demonstration might occur which would turn the less holy ones from their ways of sin. A tornado came within a week and the "holier than thou" found that it lacked dis-

BARNETT NOT GUILTY.

Manager of Union Extract Company Charged With Violation of Pure Food Law, is Acquitted.

At 1.15 yesterday afternoon, after a trial lasting several hours Judge Bowers found William Barnett, manager of the Union Extract Company, Buckland, not guilty of misbranding and adulterating lemon extract. A bottle of Mr. Barnett's extract had been purchased by the state dairy commission on November 24 and after a preliminary hearing before that commission, complaint had been brought against Mr. Barnett. Attorney Howard, of Hartford, counsel for the accused asked to have the clause in the charge pertaining to adulteration stricken out, stating that the dairy commission claimed only misbranding at the preliminary hearing and, therefore, the state should not bring up any other points in the court. After some discussion on this point Judge Bowers ruled against Mr. Howard and the trial proceeded.

Dr. John P. Street, chemist in charge of the analytical laboratory of the state agricultural experimental station in New Haven, and his assistant, Rufus Morrison, both claimed that after making certain tests of the extract in question they had found no lemon oil in it. The formula on the bottle was three per cent. oil of lemon, 50 per cent. water and 50 per cent. alcohol. This, they claimed, was an impossible formula.

Woolsey Johnson, a chemist of New York, was put on the stand by the defence. He claimed that he had analyzed a sample of the extract and had also made a compound according to Mr. Barnett's formula and had found the same results. In making the compound he used the same process Mr. Barnett used in manufacturing his extract. After the constituents of the compound had been agitated, the extract was filtered through filter paper. A scum or sediment had been left on the paper and this was defined as lemonine.

The state chemists and Mr. Johnson

all said that lemonine comprised about 90 per cent. of oil of lemon but they also stated that lemonine had no value as a flavoring property. The other component parts of oil of lemon, according to all the chemists, were soluble in alcohol and water. It followed, therefore, that the part which gave the flavor to the extract must have gone through the filter paper in the process of manufacture, and the part which was of no value in flavoring was left on the paper and thrown away.

Judge Bowers thought the purpose of the pure food law was to prevent the people from being defrauded. He could not see how any one had been harmed if that part of the lemon oil, which was practically valueless, had been left out and the part which gave the flavor left in. He did not believe Mr. Barnett had intended to cheat or defraud or that he had done so, and therefore found him not guilty.

THE EXHIBITION AT APEL'S.

Parents and Relatives in Large Number Attended the Affair at Opera House on Tuesday Evening.

The exhibition of educational work of the pupils of all grades in the districts from one to eight inclusive, which is being held this week, Tuesday and today, at Apel's opera house, has attracted parents, relatives, friends and people, generally interested in educational work, in numbers beyond the fondest hopes of Superintendent L. A. Pratt and the teachers who planned and aided in mapping the affair. The success that it has proved.

The exhibition was opened on Tuesday afternoon and was largely attended by both children and parents. The latter, for whose benefit the exhibition was planned, expressed themselves in terms of surprise and admiration at the splendid character of the work shown. In the evening there was a great turning out. They came from all parts of the town. District No. 5, Manchester Green, sent over a big delegation and a couple of cars loaded with people from the South Main

street and Highland Park sections came over at eight o'clock. From 7 until 9.30 o'clock the opera house floor was packed with people and at times it was only with the greatest difficulty that they were able to get about and view the exhibition.

From all sides nothing but words of praise and commendation could be heard in reference to the exhibition. It was a success in every way. Superintendent Pratt and the teachers were showered with praise and they must have indeed, felt pleased at the enthusiasm shown by the parents and relatives of the children.

The musical exercises and recitations by the children proved to be one of the most pleasing and successful features of the evening. Every number on the program was well received and heartily enjoyed. The exhibition will close this evening. Another program of exercises will be carried out of which the following is the program:

Piano Solo, Marion Brown.
Dramatization, "The Fox and the Grapes," Otto Schleminger
Chorus, "Little Shoemaker," Primary Dept. District No. 7
Chorus, "Mistress Mary's Garden," Room 1, District No. 8.
Chorus, "Spring Song," District No. 1.
Violin Solo, Howard Hastings, accompanist, Maurice Murphy.
Recitation, "My Shadow," George Hunt.
Chorus, "The Sailor," District No. 1.
Recitation, "John Burns of Gettysburg," Ernest Peterson.
Chorus, "Lily Bells Ring," Grammar Dept. District No. 7.
Piano Solo, Irene Barrow.

North Methodist.

The annual missionary concert will take the place of the Epworth League service Sunday evening. An interesting program on missionary topics has been prepared.

The annual entertainment of the Junior League will be held in the church vestry Monday evening. The program, which will be in the hands of members of the league, will consist of recitations, dialogue and music, and an admission of 10 cents will be charged. The proceeds will be used by the Juniors in making up their annual pledge to the church.

New suits and skirts, prices moderate, alterations free. Rubinow's.

Do You Trust Your Watch?

You've seen people look at their watch and then ask someone else the time of day.

He can't trust his watch.

If yours is that kind, you'd better throw it away.

If you're going to buy a new watch, be sure that you get a trustworthy watch; one that you can swear by; one that you can catch the train by, or keep an engagement by.

We sell trustworthy watches and guarantee them.

LEONARD J. RICHMAN
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN.

EASTER LILLIES

Get ready for Easter—order early.

800 EASTER LILLIES
AZALIAS

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All kinds of Potted Plants.
All kinds of Cut Flowers.

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MANCHESTER GREEN.

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Foreign business firms in increased by 758 in 1907. Of the 677 are Japanese, 40 German, Spanish.

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Black—Brown	
12c Cotton Batting, tomorrow	9 1-2c
25c Handkerchiefs at	19c
Any 25c Handkerchief in the store may be bought tomorrow at 19c.	
Elastic Belts,	10c
Fine Elastic in Black	
25c Embroidered Dutch Collars	19c

Many Other Specials at the store

BOSTON STORE

J. W. HARRIS

STORE OPENS 9:30 SATURDAY MORNING

**RUBINOS
SPECIALTY**

SECOND BIRTH SALE

We've passed another milestone in our history. We've rounded out another year of making good with the people of Manchester and vicinity. In face of general depression we have more space, more fixtures, more goods and have done an ever increasing business. We thank you, one and all, for the confidence in us, in our methods, in our merchandise, that has made this growth possible: that has made INOW'S SPECIALTY SHOP the fastest growing store in South Manchester.

We are too young and too busy to talk. A visit to our store will demonstrate to you that we DO ACT AND TO YOUR BENEFIT. Come and let us prove it. A list of our MONEY-SAVING BIRTH OFFERS cheerfully mailed free upon request. Send postal to

**RUBINOS
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the Capitol avenue Presbyterian church, of Hartford, will meet in Orange hall at 3.30 Sunday afternoon, on the subject of "Our Christian Character." Fred J. Bendall will sing. All are invited to attend.

Wednesday was souvenir day at the Count's barber shop and each customer received a cake of William's Jersey Cream toilet soap in a small case. Jimmie reports a successful day and a big list of happy customers. He will give out souvenirs again next Tuesday afternoon and evening.

A number of the Manchester relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Dart, of Rockville, went to that place Tuesday afternoon to help them celebrate their golden wedding. Mrs. Dart is sister to Mrs. Frank Packard of this town. Another sister, Mrs. William Emily, of Franklin, Mass., was formerly a resident of this town.

Robert Moule, a milk dealer of Keeney street, met with a singular accident while making his rounds Wednesday morning. In hurrying up a flight of steps leading to a house on West Center street he suddenly snapped a bone in his left leg. Mr. Moule was attended by Dr. W. S. Gillam and afterwards taken to the Hartford hospital.

Word was received yesterday of the death of Louis Wilkes, of St. Paul, Minnesota. Mr. Wilkes died Sunday from a stroke of apoplexy. His funeral was held Wednesday. He was a son of the late O. P. Wilkes, of this place, who was for many years paymaster for Cheney Brothers, and was well known here. Mr. Wilkes was manager of the St. Paul branch of the Equitable Life Insurance company.

Seventy-five cent carpet, 59c. per yard. Some mighty good values in odd dressers from \$8 up. Bicycles and tires at cost. Palace Furniture Company.

For a tempting morsel try a can of imported frankforts made in Holland. O. F. Toop.

Loomis, of this place, Mrs. W. R. Slocum and Howard Gallup, of Hartford. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Charles B. Sikes, of Ellington.

The funeral will be held from her late home Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Rev. Charles N. Lovell, of the North Congregational church, of which the deceased was a member, will officiate. A quartet from the church will sing. The burial will be in the family plot in the Buckland cemetery.

Another Store for Main Street.

John Hand, the grocer, has bought a building lot of the Eldridge estate on Main street, two lots south of the Cairns block at the corner of Main street and Middle Turnpike. He will begin work at once on the erection of a building containing a store and a tenement, both of which he will occupy.

James Watson, the blacksmith, has bought the lot next south of Mr. Hand's property as an investment. The sales were made through the agency of A. H. Skinner.

O'LEARY'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

Max Shuman, of Hartford, has succeeded James McKay as managing baker at O'Leary's bakery and the changes in progress there will result in an improvement in quality and absolute uniformity in all the product of this popular bakery. O'Leary is satisfied with nothing but the best and he believes his customers appreciate his efforts in supplying the best possible quality in his bakery products.

Try McVeigh's night lunch, open 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. and 5 p. m. to 2 a. m. 42t2

Banana Royal and 10 other kinds of college ices made from pure fruits. Kandy Kitchen.

There's something besides talk behind our Old Dutch Coffee. Sales increasing every week prove the truth of our claim, 35c. quality for 20c. Aaron Johnson.

The root beer season is here. Get your bottles at Faulkner's Tea and Grocery store.

**New England
and Crawford Bicycles**

Are Being Sold at a Discount That Will Make Your Eyes Stick Out.

REPAIRING

We repair any make of a wheel and give it prompt attention. Bring in your lawn mower and have it cleaned, adjusted and sharpened.

TIRES

We will put rubber tires on your baby carriage while you wait. If you need new bicycle tires come to us. We will put on a guaranteed tire and if it does not give good service we will replace it with a new one.

SECOND-HAND WHEELS

We have a number of good second-hand wheels in good repair.

BASE BALL SUPPLIES

We have a complete line of base ball supplies including base balls, bats, gloves of all kinds, shoes, masks, etc.

MADDEN BROTHERS

OLD CHENEY BLOCK.

SEEDS! SEEDS!!

Call and look over our line of Garden, Flower Seeds, a full line of each, also GARDEN TOOLS.

D. J. WARD

Brink Block, Main Street. Telephone 33-12.

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Artistic Picture Framing. Large stock of mouldings to select from. Unframed and framed pictures. Glass, postcards and novelties. 12 West Center St. Next Trotter Block.

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A splendid grade, Ankle Strap Pumps, "QUEEN QUALITY" \$3 pr.

This is a favorite and very stylish foot covering for this season's wear. The one the women have been looking for, made of patent colt of good grade with welt sole, Cuban heel and a special value at \$3.00. Visit shoe department and get fitted to a pair.

Intending Rug and Carpet Buyers Profit Best by Coming Here.

Today's store news will give you but a slight idea of the ridiculously low prices for this week on dependable rugs, carpets, linoleums and matings. It will pay you to come and examine our offerings, some of which we tell of here.

- \$21.75 gives choice of 100 of the best 5-frame body Brussels rugs, carpet size, always priced \$29.
\$19.75, never before less than \$25 for Sanford Axminster rugs, all fine original patterns, 50 of them.
\$13.95 for 9x12 extra quality Tapestry Brussels rugs, \$18 grade in all over and medallion patterns.
\$6.50 for reversible Brussels rugs, plain and figured, reduced from \$9. Come quick, we have only 45.

- The celebrated Kashmir rug, 9x12 size, a bargain indeed \$11.75.
Wool and fibre rugs, 9x12, the \$13.75 kind, new patterns, \$9.
5-8 reversible 45x-stair carpet 35c yard. 3-7 regular 60c kind 45c.
All wool plain color stair carpet, never less than 50c for 25c.
100 pieces linoleums, 65c grade, six patterns, perfect goods, 35c yard.
Inlaid linoleum, wood and tile effect, regular \$1.65 kind \$1.50 yard.
75 rolls imported 95c inlaid linoleum, sale price 75c a yard.
100 pieces best 80c all wool stain carpeting, sale price 59c yd.

These are our biggest bargains offered.

BOSTON STORE SPECIAL TOMORROW! Table Oil Cloth at \$2 1-2c yard, 25c Veiling, tomorrow at 19c yard, 12c Cotton Batting, tomorrow at 9 1-2c, 25c Handkerchiefs at 19c, Elastic Belts, 10c, 25c Embroidered Dutch Collar, 19c. Many Other Specials // the store BOSTON STORE J. W. H.E.

RUBIN'S SPECIALTY SECOND BIRTHDAY SALE. We've passed another milestone in our career. We've rounded out another year of making good with the people of Manchester and vicinity. In face of general depression we are offering more goods and have done an ever increasing business. We thank you, one and all, for the confidence in us, in our method in our merchandise, that has made this growth possible: that has made RUBIN'S SPECIALTY SHOP the fastest growing store in South Mer. We are too young and too busy to talk besides we prefer to act. A visit to our store will demonstrate to you that we DO ACT AND TO YOUR BENEFIT. Come in and let us prove it. A list of our MONEY-SAVING BIRTHDAY OFFERS cheerfully mailed free upon request. Send postal card.

ABOUT TOWN.

E. J. Holl is in New York on a business trip. D. C. Hall, of Springfield, was in town yesterday. Henry Thompson is seriously ill with pneumonia at his boarding place on School street. Mr. and Mrs. Levi Drake, of Hartford, spent yesterday calling on their Manchester friends. Attorney W. S. Hyde went to Broad Brook Wednesday to spend the day with Dr. Backus and wife. Charles M. Murphy, of Hamlin street, has been suffering from a severe attack of sciatic rheumatism. Watkins Brothers have sold their Edison phonograph business, with the good will of their patrons to E. Luettgens. Mr. and Mrs. H. Ross Lewis and daughter, of West Center street, are visiting at Mr. Lewis's home in Everett, Pa. The annual May festival given by the Ladies' Guild of St. Bridget's church in the parish hall Wednesday evening was largely attended. Laurel Camp, Royal Neighbors of America, will hold a meeting Monday evening, May 17, at the home of Mrs. George Johnson, 1 Walker street.

Company F of Hartford held their field day on the Keeney street range yesterday. Company D of Bridgeport will take their turn tomorrow and Company B of Hartford will be at the range next Tuesday. Ralph Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin L. Brown, has secured a position as mail clerk in the office of Messrs. Fray & Clark, in New Britain. He graduated from the South Manchester high school this spring. Henry Morgan, of the Manchester Poultry Association, will give a demonstration on canning in the town hall Thursday evening, May 23. The public are invited to attend. A small admission will be charged. Edward F. Hills, of Prospect street, was stricken with a severe attack of indigestion while at work in Cheney Brothers' machine shop Wednesday forenoon and was taken to his home in an automobile. He is now improving. Joseph Albiston, of South Main street, who is at present doing jury duty in the superior court, supplied the court officials with choice flowers one day this week. Among the flowers were some choice varieties of pansies. South Manchester Division, one of Temperance, will meet this evening at the home of Miss Alice Mallon, of Cooper Hill street. The meeting is for discussion. A large attendance is desired.

The local degree team of the Modern Woodmen are planning to go to East Hampton on the evening of May 23, where it will give a drill. The team will run a dance in connection with the drill. The members will go to East Hampton by bus. Charles Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Davis, of Main street, won second place in the broad jump event at the Yale-Princeton meet last Saturday. This gives him his second Y. Mr. Davis will take part in the Yale-Harvard meet at Yale field tomorrow. Rev. John F. Johnstone, pastor of the Capitol avenue Presbyterian church, of Hartford, will speak in Orange hall at 8.30 Sunday afternoon, on the subject of "Our Christian Character." Fred J. Bendall will sing. All are invited to attend. Wednesday was souvenir day at the Count's barber shop and each customer received a cake of Williams's Jersey Cream toilet soap in a nickel case. Jimmie reports a successful day and a big list of happy customers. He will give out souvenirs again next Tuesday afternoon and evening.

A number of the Manchester relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Dart, of Rockville, went to that place Tuesday afternoon to help them celebrate their golden wedding. Mrs. Dart is sister to Mrs. Lela Packard of this town. Another sister, Mrs. William Emily, of Franklin, Mass., was formerly a resident of this town.

Robert Moule, a milk dealer of Keeney street, met with a singular accident while making his rounds Wednesday morning. In hurrying up a flight of steps leading to a house on West Center street he suddenly snapped a bone in his left leg. Mr. Moule was attended by Dr. W. S. Gillam and afterwards taken to the Hartford hospital.

Word was received yesterday of the death of Louis Wilkes, of St. Paul, Minnesota. Mr. Wilkes died Sunday from a stroke of apoplexy. His funeral was held Wednesday. He was a son of the late O. P. Wilkes, of this place, who was for many years paymaster for Cheney Brothers, and was well known here. Mr. Wilkes was manager of the St. Paul branch of the Equitable Life Insurance company.

Seventy-five cent carpet, 59c per yard. Some mighty good values in odd dressers from \$8 up. Bicycles and tires at cost. Palace Furniture Com.

Mrs. Calvin Weidner has been visiting friends in North Adams, Mass., this week.

G. H. Allen yesterday sold his handsome new undertakers wagon, to Timothy Holloran, of 44 West Center street. The regular meeting of the South Manchester W. C. T. U. will be held in the Methodist church parlor at three o'clock next Tuesday afternoon.

The members of Drake Post, G. A. R., have accepted an invitation to be guests of Taber Chapter, Epworth League, at the South Methodist church on Wednesday evening, May 26.

G. H. Gardner, of Hop River, is the new section foreman of the South Manchester railroad, to succeed Everett Irons. Mr. Gardner's household goods arrived in town this afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society of the North Congregational church are arranging for an entertainment to be given week after next, the object being to raise money for extensive repairs on the church organ.

A woman residing on Main street made a quick trip to Hartford this morning. She left for the city on the 5.22 car, did an errand on Market street, and was back home with her clothes changed, ready for the day's work before seven o'clock.

Fred H. Wall, of this place, was elected at the Foresters' convention in Danbury yesterday to the position of sub chief ranger for the state of Connecticut, which puts him in line for the highest position in the gift of the state convention next year. Mr. Wall is past chief ranger of Court Manchester and has been an active worker in the order for years. His friends are much pleased at the deserved honor shown him.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. T. R. Adams.

Mrs. T. R. Adams, better known to Manchester people as Mrs. John D. Gallup, died last evening shortly after five o'clock, as a result of the accident Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Adams was burning some waste paper at the rear of her home on North Main street when in some unexplainable manner her skirts caught fire and before the fire was extinguished she was fatally burned. Mrs. George Andrews and Miss Hattie Fuller, neighbors, saw the accident. They ran to her assistance, secured pails of water and in this way put out the flames. Dr. Sharpe was near at hand and gave all the medical assistance possible. A trained nurse, who was calling at W. E. Hibbard's across the street, was called in and the injured woman was taken to the hospital. At first it was thought she would survive, but as the day wore on she became weaker and the end came as stated above.

Mrs. Adams was born in Ellington September 15, 1842. She was one of a family of eight children, four boys and four girls. November 3, 1865, she was married to John D. Gallup and most of her married life was spent in Manchester. She had an exceptionally kind and cheerful disposition and made friends readily. She was a good neighbor and much thought of by all who knew her. Three daughters and one son survive her. They are Mrs. E. E. Segar and Mrs. Charles B. Loomis, of this place, Mrs. W. R. Slocum and Howard Gallup, of Hartford. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Charles B. Sikes, of Ellington.

The funeral will be held from her late home Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Rev. Charles N. Lovell, of the North Congregational church, of which the deceased was a member, will officiate. A quartet from the church will sing. The burial will be in the family plot in the Buckland cemetery.

Another Store for Main Street.

John Hand, the grocer, has bought a building lot of the Eldridge estate on Main street, two lots south of the Cairns block at the corner of Main street and Middle Turnpike. He will begin work at once on the erection of a building containing a store and a tenement, both of which he will occupy. James Watson, the blacksmith, has bought the lot next south of Mr. Hand's property as an investment. The sales were made through the agency of A. H. Skinner.

O'LEARY'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

Max Shuman, of Hartford, has succeeded James McKay as managing baker at O'Leary's bakery and the changes in progress there will result in an improvement in quality and absolute uniformity in all the product of this popular bakery. O'Leary is satisfied with nothing but the best and he believes his customers appreciate his efforts in supplying the best possible quality in his bakery products.

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