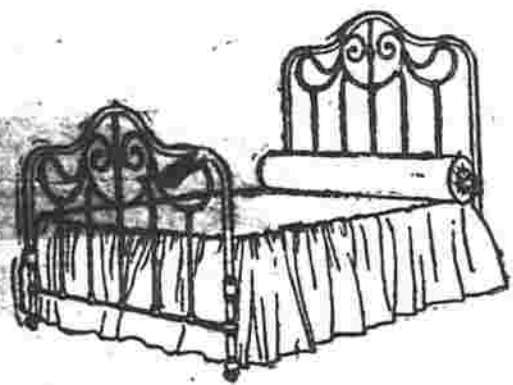


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MATINEE GIRLS GO BROKE.

Show at the Armory Had a Bad Night and Receipts Wouldn't Meet Expenses.

"The Gay Matinee Girls" company which made its initial appearance in town at the Armory theater Wednesday evening, failed to attract as large an audience as had been hoped. At least the paid admissions were not quite up to expectations and in order to give the house a less bleak appearance the manager threw open the doors at the close of the first act to a small army of youngsters who had been clamoring at the entrance from early in the evening. The small boys swarmed all over the house and picked out all the reserved seats that hadn't been appropriated by the paying patrons.

After the first act there was plenty of excitement for all. The merry dancing and joyous singing of the actors and actresses waxed merrier and more joyous every minute and the army of small boys applauded every climax to the echo. The company had all the latest song hits and the girls did their utmost to please, but with it all there was something lacking. The trouble was located in the box office where the manager was vainly trying to figure expenses. For Thursday night the show was billed for Stamford, which is considerably nearer the Rialto and much farther from Manchester than the funds of the company could carry. Then for tonight the show had a date in Stafford Springs to fill. That was another big jump and the manager simply couldn't see it. There was but one thing to do and that was quite obvious. The Stamford date must be cut and this meant a layover here for one day. So rather than be idle, which is just as fatal to the show business as to any other, it was decided to repeat "by special request" the performance. But unfortunately for the gay matinee girls last night, to use a sailor's expression, was "nasty" and despite a liberal sprinkling of the town with

the girls, the audience did not increase with the fleeting moments and as there was no possible chance of making expenses the enthusiasm of the girls dropped several degrees so that the manager lost no time in ordering the curtain rung down following the final climax. There was a sorrowful scene in the dressing room when the manager broke the news that he was about all in, although the girls must have had something of an inkling of the financial state of things. The girls then hustled up street to the hotel and turned in for the night. Not so with the manager. He had still something of a problem to figure out on the expense score, but in a way known only to his kind he measured up to his job and the company, girls and all, were able to leave town for Boston this morning.

ENLARGING OIL PLANT.

Valvoline Company Has Three New Oil Tanks—Business Continues! to Increase.

The Valvoline Oil company have a force of men busy at their storehouse in the Manchester freight yard, installing three new storage oil tanks. Each tank has a capacity of ten thousand gallons. The tanks will rest on concrete foundations. The storehouse will be enlarged so as to cover over the new tanks. Heretofore the company has had only two tanks, each with a capacity of four thousand gallons. All the oil received at the local station has come in barrels and the oil was emptied into these tanks and then gravitated to the oil wagons as needed. When the changes are all made the plant will have two kerosene engines, each two and a half horse power. These engines will be used in pumping the oil from the large storage tanks to the smaller ones above. The ten thousand gallon tanks are so situated that they can be filled from the large tanks that come on freight cars. The company owns its own tank cars. The Valvoline Oil company has increased its business in town at a rapid rate. The company started the business in Manchester three years ago with one man and a small delivery wagon. Now it requires three tank wagons, the largest of which has a capacity of eight hundred gallons, and gives steady employment to four men. The present manager, John F. Cullen, is active in the interest of the company and the increase in the business is largely due to his management.

MANY STUDENTS REGISTER.

In Two Evenings Superintendent F. A. Verplanck Enrolled 153 for the Night School Course.

The Manchester evening school will open for its eighth year next Monday evening, and it is expected that the attendance will be as large, if not larger than last year, which was a record breaker up to that time. Seventy-seven pupils enrolled at the high school building Wednesday evening and 76 more names were registered last evening, making a total of 153, which is practically the same number enrolled the first two nights last year. Those wishing to attend the school will have another opportunity to register at the high school building this evening.

The total enrollment last year was 261, with an average attendance of 252.7, or 69.01 per cent. Although the attendance was the largest in the history of the school and more teachers were hired it cost less per pupil than for any previous year.

Superintendent F. A. Verplanck will have charge of the evening school work this year as in the past year. The other teachers and the branches to be taught are as follows: W. S. Hyde, grammar grade; Miss Margaret Donovan, intermediate; Miss C. May O'Gorman, second year English; Miss Josephine Drago, beginners' English; T. M. Hamilton, woodwork; Frank Hutchins, mechanical drawing; Mrs. John Johnson and Miss Nettie Johnson, sewing; Alexander Rogers, stenography and typewriting; Miss Florence E. Ritter, cooking; Robert Purington, bookkeeping.

TO THE PACIFIC COAST.

John S. Cheney and E. S. Eja Entertain Business Men With Stories of Journeys There 60 Years

The Business Men's Association last evening the following delegates were chosen to the state convention to be held at Waterbury next Thursday: B. S. Carrier, George H. Howe, W. E. Hibbard and J. A. Alvord. A communication was presented asking for the appointment of a delegation to attend the meetings in Hartford today in the interest of the movement to improve navigation in the Connecticut river. The president appointed on the delegation: H. M. Burke, E. S. Eja, A. H. Skinner, Aaron Johnson and Fred W. Mills.

The question of an annual banquet this year was discussed and some doubt was expressed as to whether a suitable place could be found for holding it, as the Old Fellows hall which has been used for several years has been destroyed by fire. A preliminary committee consisting of E. T. Ferris, George W. Finlay and J. B. Hubbard were finally appointed to learn the feasibility of giving a banquet this year. They will report at the next meeting.

At the close of the business session E. S. Eja gave an informal talk on his recent trip to the Pacific coast. John S. Cheney also spoke in reminiscence of his trip to the Pacific coast 60 years ago. He made the journey around Cape Horn in the ship "Pacific" and was 194 days going there. At that time San Francisco consisted of about seventeen houses, most of them adobe. On the steamer were 100 passengers of the average age of twenty-six, and Mr. Cheney said that not more than six or eight of them are living today. At that time women were scarce in California, and during Mr. Cheney's four years' stay he did not once sit at the table with a lady. At the close of the meeting light refreshments were served.

A Summer in Norway.

Miss Minna Eliot Tenney, traveler and lecturer, will give her illustrated travel talk on the above subject at the Center Congregational church next Monday evening. She appears under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. Miss Tenney is a most entertaining speaker with graphic powers of description. A series of beautiful screen pictures of Norwegian scenes, which she describes in an interesting manner, makes the lecture doubly interesting. The public are invited and an admission of 25 cents will be charged for adults and 15 cents for children.

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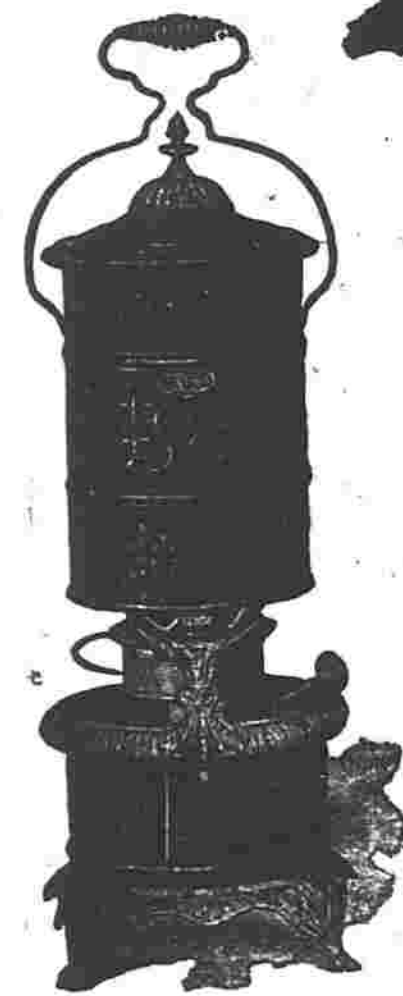
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GUIDE BARRILL ATTACKS COOK

Swears Doctor Never Got to
Top of Mt. McKinley.

SUMMIT WAS MILES AWAY

Declares He Was Promised \$200 and Directed to Alter Diary so as to Agree With Explorer's Claim to Have Completed the Ascent—Photographs in Dr. Cook's Book, He Says, Were Made at Heights Less Than 8,000 Feet.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 15.—In an affidavit supplemented by maps, photographs and other exhibits, Edward N. Barrill, the noted Alaskan guide, now a prosperous real estate dealer here, who accompanied Dr. Frederick A. Cook on the expedition during which the latter claims to have made the ascent of Mount McKinley on Sept. 16, 1906, makes sworn statement that Dr. Cook did not reach the summit, but manufactured records to establish the claim. The affidavit is corroborated by another from Walter F. Miller, photographer of the Cook Mount McKinley expedition.

Barrill states that Dr. Cook halted at an elevation of about 8,000 feet, although Mount McKinley is 20,390 feet to the summit and at the former elevation took a photograph published as "The Summit of Mount McKinley" in his book, "The Top of the Continent."

Says He Was Promised \$200. Barrill adds that Dr. Cook promised him \$200 and ordered him to doctor his diary so as to make it appear there in that they had actually gone up the whole 20,390 feet of the mountain and that the picture of the small peak was used because it looked just the same as the top of Mount McKinley as they saw it in the dim distance.

Barrill produces the pocket diary kept by him during the alleged ascent, which began on Sept. 9, 1906, and states that he was required by Dr. Cook to make many erasures and alterations in the original entries in the diary to back up the explorer's claim. He continues:

Told to Stop His Diary. "Dr. Cook first told me to stop my diary on Sept. 12, when we were in our fifth camp going up the glacier and at or near the point which Dr. Cook claimed as the top of Mount McKinley. This point was within sight of us at the time. Dr. Cook stated at this time and place that the same conditions existed there as did exist on the top of Mount McKinley and directed me to stop my diary until further orders. At this time Dr. Cook

was at the summit of Mount McKinley as he declares he placed records on the top of Mount McKinley.

"Will you say that the accusations contained in the Barrill affidavit are positively untrue?" he was asked.

"Decidedly yes," answered Dr. Cook. "So you did climb to the top of Mount McKinley, then?" was asked.

"You will find in my book concerning that expedition a more complete answer than I can possibly give you offhand. According to the two aneroid barometers we carried the altitude of the summit we reached was 20,350 feet. To say that we did not reach an altitude greater than 10,000 feet is so far from the facts in the case that I cannot believe Barrill would deny it.

"I cannot really understand why Barrill should have made such a statement as his affidavit contains if he was acting under normal conditions. I must say it surprises me. We were always on the most friendly terms. Until I know of the conditions under which this alleged affidavit was made I will make no specific reply to it. My account of the trip has been published. For the present it is the bald statement of one man against another.

"I never knew Barrill kept a diary, consequently I could not have asked him to alter it. Any statements of his that I suggested the changing of dates and altitude is all a lie.

"It appears to me that there was money behind his statement. He was perhaps annoyed that he had not been paid his wages, but that was not my fault, and I remedied the matter as soon as I got back from the pole.

"If an expedition of experienced mountaineers will follow the route that I took and will go to the top of Mount McKinley they will find there the records which I deposited on attaining the summit of the mountain in the manner described in my book, 'The Top of the Continent.'"

NEW YORK HONORS COOK.

Freedom of City and Gold Medal Presented to Explorer.

New York, Oct. 15.—There was a special meeting of the board of aldermen today, and a subcommittee brought Dr. Cook and his family from the Waldorf-Astoria to the aldermanic chamber.

He was welcomed by Patrick F. McGowan, president of the board, and an engrossed address, in which the unusual honor was conferred, was presented by Algerman Walsh.

Dr. Roswell O. Stebbins, chairman of the executive committee of the Arctic Club of America, presented a gold watch to the explorer, and an address was made by Anthony Flata, an arctic explorer.

SENATOR M'CARREN VERY NEAR DEATH

Doctors at Hospital Fear He Cannot Live Through Day.

New York, Oct. 15.—It was announced this forenoon that State Senator Patrick H. McCarren, the Brooklyn Democratic leader, who was operated upon Wednesday night for appendicitis, was sinking fast. The surgeons at St. Catherine's hospital feared that he would not survive until night.

Among those who called at the hospital was the Rev. Thomas Carroll, pastor of the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, which Senator McCarren attended.

Dr. Peter Hughes in the course of conversation said that Senator McCarren for a long time had been run down from overwork, the strain of his political life having told heavily upon him.

Members of the senator's family made it known that the aged mother of the sick man is still in ignorance of his critical illness and that she is yet under the care of a nurse in the senator's home. It was said that should she learn of his condition the shock of it would endanger her life.

The aged woman has always idolized the senator. His political activities kept him away from his home for sometimes a week at a time and then again for more than a month or two. She therefore does not miss him.

ELECTORAL BODY IN CHINA.

Provincial Assemblies, Chosen by the People, Meet For the First Time.

Pekin, Oct. 15.—A new era has dawned here in the establishment of constitutional government in China. In obedience to imperial decrees ordering the establishment of provincial electoral assemblies the assemblies met for the first time here.

An imperial edict admonishes the members regarding their deliberations and gives viceroys and governors instructions to supervise the deliberations. It also exhorts all to display patriotism. The event may be of great historical importance.

RUSSIA ANGRY AT FINLAND.

Refusal to Contribute to Imperial Defense May Cause a Crisis.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 15.—The conflict between Russia and Finland has grown very serious. It is believed that if the Finnish diet persists in its refusal to contribute \$4,000,000 to the Russian imperial defense fund the diet will be dissolved and the province of Viberg will be incorporated with Russia.

Such steps, it is thought, might lead to a Finnish revolution.

SUIT CASE CRIME SUSPECTS HELD

Cut Up Body Was That of
Amelia St. Jean.

OF "HUMAN FISH" COMPANY

Pretty Girl Whose Legs, Arms and Torso Were Found in Valise and in the Bushes Near Tiverton, R. I., Had Been Missing From Her Home in Woonsocket For Several Days. Chauffeur and Herb Doctor Are Detained by the Police.

Providence, R. I., Oct. 15.—It is completely established that the victim of the Tiverton suit case murder mystery was Miss Amelia St. Jean, daughter of Joseph St. Jean of Woonsocket, a pretty young factory girl who had a liking for the stage and who had appeared in the "Human Fish" company at county fairs.

The Fall River police have arrested Wilfred Thibeault, a chauffeur employed by a rich Fall River lawyer, and "Professor" Frank Hill, a herb doctor. They are held as suspects.

"I am convinced," said Joseph St. Jean, "that the murdered girl is my daughter, and, furthermore, I believe that the right men have been arrested."

Leading up to the identification of both the body and effects of the girl was the discovery of a portion of the clothing—several articles of underclothing, a torn shirt waist, a woman's hat and a pair of shoes. No traces of blood were found on the garments.

Mrs. J. B. Lamoreux of Fall River, Miss St. Jean's aunt, positively identified the hat and shoes as her own property loaned the niece a few days ago.

Amelia St. Jean was a mill operative, nineteen years old and exceptionally pretty. She had lived in Woonsocket four years and had worked in the spinning room of the Globe mill.

Was With "Human Fish" Company. She had been with the "Human Fish" company, which exhibited at fairs in Maine and elsewhere, during the summer, having returned about six weeks ago.

Four weeks ago she went to Fall River to join her father, who had been working there and living with his sister, Mrs. Lamoreux. On Friday last the girl left her aunt's home and has not been heard from since.

Even before the clothes were found by the examiner Stimpson began to feel fairly certain that the body was that of Miss St. Jean. The measurements of the body answer in almost every particular the description given out by the girl's mother in Woonsocket. The head is still missing, and it is believed that it was thrown into the Great Taunton river.

Autopsy Shows Throat Was Cut.

The autopsy upon the torso showed that a criminal operation upon the girl had been attempted. It is not known that the operation was the direct cause of the death. There were indications that the girl's throat had been cut and that her death was due to hemorrhage.

Thibeault, who is under arrest, is said to have taken the girl out lately, a fact which was known to her father. He is a married man with three children.

"Professor" Hill, according to the police, admits having been consulted by the St. Jean girl about an operation to which she submitted. He also admits she owned several bags such as that in which portions of the body were found. That bag contained the name "Frank Hill" written on the inside cover.

EARLY, CALLED LEPER, DRIVEN INTO EXILE

Soldier Forced to Leave His Home in Brooklyn.

New York, Oct. 15.—John R. Early, the former United States soldier who was isolated as an alleged leper on a reservation in Washington for almost a year, has been driven to leave his home in Brooklyn with his wife and children and has gone to live in seclusion in a country town in Connecticut under an assumed name.

Early's sudden departure followed a visit to Dr. Alonzo Blauvelt, assistant sanitary superintendent in charge of Brooklyn. He told the doctor neighbors had threatened they would compel the health department to drive him out of his house and into quarantine if he did not move of his own accord. Dr. Blauvelt assured Early the health board could not interfere with him, as leprosy is not considered here as a contagious disease.


Early decided to move to Connecticut, where the owner of a farm will let them live until next spring, rent and board free.

Dr. L. Duncan Bulkley, head of the New York Skin and Cancer hospital, says that Early has no trace of leprosy.

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The token that is going to China is a magnificent punch bowl more than two feet high and costing more than \$1,000. It is the joint gift of the officers and men of the battleships Louisiana, Virginia, Georgia, Wisconsin, Illinois, Kentucky, Kearsarge and Ohio, the vessels that visited Amoy and Hongkong under Rear Admiral Schroeder, the present commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet. At that time the vessels named constituted the second squadron of Admiral Sperry's command.

The visit to China of the American ships was the occasion of one of the most demonstrative welcomes ever extended foreigners by that rather extensive people, the visit being a combined event of entertainments, excursions and receptions tendered the Americans by the highest dignitaries in the Chinese empire.

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HAD GOOD TIME IN JAIL.

Roland Hinton Perry, Anti-alimony Sculptor, So Declares.

Roland Hinton Perry, the sculptor who was adjudged in contempt of court and sent to Ludlow street jail in New York city on April 1 last for failing to pay up his back alimony, finished his term of six months and was released. The artist praised the Ludlow street jail in a manner to make Warden Regan blush. As a jail, he said, it was absolutely ideal.

"But don't get the idea that it's a club," he said. "The difference is that in a club you are allowed the privilege of choosing your companions, while at Ludlow street"—He paused significantly and gave the idea that if one had to spend a day playing penuche it was far better to have congenial companionship.

"You must not think that I have any fault to find," he added. "I spent a pleasant summer on the whole. My room was remarkably cool. It was supplied with books and magazines, and about the only thing that I missed outside of my family and my work was exercise."

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George P. Huntley at the Parsons. George P. Huntley will be seen at the Parsons Theater this evening and Saturday, both matinee and evening, in the musical play, "Kitty Grey," in which he portrays the part of the Earl of Dulston. He wears a monocle, all of the time, and for the rest he is attired at various times in regimentals, a bathing suit and bath robe, evening clothes and the plain and ordinary everyday suit. He parts his shiny black hair severely in the middle and looks unutterably foolish things through his monocle while he says still more through his drawl.

"A Stubborn Cinderella.

"A Stubborn Cinderella" comes to the Parsons Theater next Tuesday evening and remains for two performances on Wednesday, matinee and evening. This is one of the latest Chicago productions and it comes almost direct from the New Princess Theater in that city where it has been playing to capacity houses since its opening. "A Stubborn Cinderella" is by the authors of "The Time, the Place and the Girl," and other successes, but unlike those plays it deals with people in a different social scale. The opening scene shows the campus of the Columbus University. Here it is that Mac, the hero, meets for the first time a certain Lady Leslie from Scotland, who has never in all her life spoken to a man. She is entirely unsophisticated and Mac looks good to her. Lady Leslie has come to this country to marry a man, she has never seen, having been betrothed to him during her childhood. The action of the piece hangs on the love affairs of these young people.

The Nazarene Trio.

The singing of Mrs. E. T. Campbell, wife of the evangelist now assisting Rev. Mr. Hartt, is a drawing feature in the special meetings in progress every night at the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene on Main street. "At the Battle Front," soprano and bass duet captures everybody. Sunday will be a high day in the Nazarene

meetings, and a large attendance is expected. Saturday night service will be held in McRoberts's hall on Spruce street. Rev. Mr. Campbell will preach and special songs, with organ and guitar accompaniment, will be interspersed throughout the meeting. The Nazarene Trio will remain to assist Mr. Hartt throughout October. The services are conducted every night at 7.30.

Town Expenses for September.

Morris & Co. \$47.09, W. J. Flood \$29.25, Thomas M. Trotter \$13.18, F. C. Strant \$12, Charles O. Treat \$215, Urrum Stenberg \$15, W. H. Grant Estate \$3.25, A. R. Woodbridge \$8.63, A. C. House \$16, Hartford Hospital \$6, F. E. Coleman \$3.75, J. W. Hale \$8, John S. Kinsley \$61.20, William Priess \$4, W. W. Cowles \$7, E. S. Kibbe & Co. \$61.71, George E. Hunt Com. \$135.36, The Southern New England Telephone Co. \$26.85, William F. Madden \$75.30, William G. Glenney \$75.30, John F. Sheridan \$83.94, Samuel G. Gordon \$75, William K. Campbell \$42.50, Rev. F. J. Murphy \$12, J. A. Alvord \$2.80, W. S. Hyde \$32, W. B. Porter \$15, C. N. Loomis Jr. \$10, W. J. Flood \$2.50, R. W. Pitkin \$100, P. J. O'Leary \$24, E. S. Carrier \$19.66, George W. Kunney \$49.65, F. W. Snow \$50, The F. T. Blish Hardware Co. \$6.45, Loose Wiles Biscuit Co. \$2.28, J. H. Stannard & Co. \$2.75, Public Market \$4.50, Thomas Gray \$71.20, The Herald Printing Co. \$486.90, Thomas Ferguson \$107.90, Thomas J. Smith \$71, H. O. Bowers Sec. \$634.58, Louis A. Pratt \$106.66, H. G. Keeney Com. \$53.90, Thomas J. Heritage Com. \$110, A. L. Brown Com. \$782.10, H. I. Taylor Com. \$106, Richard Jennings Com. \$95, Mrs. W. D. Monnier \$40, John Jensen Com. \$166.50, R. W. Pitkin Com. \$121, South Manchester Light, Power & Tramway Co. \$993.94, The Glastonbury Power Co. \$587.50, George W. Strant \$143.50, The F. T. Blish Hardware Co. \$3.10, Eugene Dietzger Co. \$2.78, John Proctor \$13.10, P. Reese \$3, Hiram G. Keeney \$2.90, W. E. Hibbard \$1.65, Manchester Lumber Co. \$4.03, David W. Matchett \$6.15, Charles O. W. Neilson \$5.25, D. S. Wall \$26.10, Valvoline Oil Co. \$4.77, H. L. Kern \$8.65, W. Leroy Ulrich \$109.25, The F. T. Blish Hardware Co. \$15.71, Keuffel & Esser Co. \$3.75, W. L. Ulrich, Supt. \$804.02, Cheney Brothers \$23.72, H. L. Tillotson, M. D. \$22.25, Mrs. Wm. Duncan \$16.75, Thomas C. Sloan M. D. \$12.25, Christopher Matheson \$8.50, Rubinow's Specialty Shop \$1, W. S. Gilman M. D. \$36.75, Wickes & Quinn \$3.80, J. A. Higgins M. D. \$42, T. Weldon & Co. \$7.95, T. H. Weldon M. D. \$4, St. Francis Hospital \$17.15, George A. Bidwell \$6, W. F. Duncan \$6.50, The Public Market \$5.06, Fred W. Mills \$3.50, Mrs. C. J. Messenger \$8, George W. Smith \$8, Connecticut Hospital for Insane \$839.29, E. C. Moriarty M. D. \$12, N. A. Burr M. D. \$5.75, The Public Market \$8.61, Agnes Riley \$8, Mrs. John Zimmerman \$10, Sarah G. Glenney \$9, Mrs. St. Mary's High \$14, John Hayes \$8, St. Mary's High for Aged \$24, F. B. Adams M. D. \$14, Edward Griswold \$10.50.

OBITUARY.

George B. Carey.

George Benham Carey, who was well and favorably known here when employed by the Glastonbury Power Company as chief electrical engineer met with a tragic death at Providence, R. I. last Sunday night. Mr. Carey, who possessed exceptional ability in his line, was superintending the installation of a heavy motor in the mill of the Normay Worsted Company on Callender street when the accident which caused his death at the Rhode Island General Hospital a few minutes later happened. The motor was being hoisted into place by a chain pulley when suddenly one of the supporting chains gave way and the massive piece of machinery crashed to the floor. Mr. Carey made a vain endeavor to get out of the way, but tripped and fell. A corner of the motor fell across his body, crushing in his ribs and breaking other bones. An ambulance was sent for and the dying man was conveyed to the hospital where he succumbed ten minutes later.

Mr. Carey formerly resided in New Britain and is survived by his wife, who was Miss Lotta Wells of that city. He was 31 years old. While employed by the Glastonbury Power Company his duties daily brought him to Manchester and he made a host of friends here who will be grieved to learn of his tragic and untimely end. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the Congregational church in West Hartford and the interment was in that place.

BOLTON.

Lewis Fanning was taken to the insane asylum in Middletown Monday.

Herbert W. Howell and family have moved from the Dewey farm which Italians purchased recently to the brick house of J. White Sumner at the Center.

Carlos Ruggles of Springfield was the guest of his mother, Mrs. F. E. Ruggles, the first of the week.

The Ladies' Aid society met in the Congregational parsonage this afternoon.

Rev. James H. Roberts of Willard street, Hartford, is to occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church Sunday.

Frederick Barnett has purchased the New England hotel. The lease of W. C. Tucker of South Manchester on the property holds good for one year longer.

Miss Mattie Buckland, who has been living with Mr. and Mrs. Cary Carpenter, is to leave them Monday and is to visit her sister in New York.

Miss Emma S. Brown of South Manchester and brother, Oliver C. Brown of New York, were visitors in town Tuesday.

The four-year-old son Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hotchkiss is in St. Francis hospital, Hartford, where he underwent an operation.

TOO MANY BOSSES.

That the city of Willimantic is afflicted with too many bosses is becoming more and more apparent as the years go by, and that the practice of having three men at about the wages of an ordinary mechanic to look after the departments of streets, water and sewers not proving to be the best thing for the city.

It is all the result of the practice of fixing the salary of heads of departments in advance of the selection of the official who is to do the work and draw the salary.

Simply because a man is a Republican or a Democrat and wants the \$900 that the common council annually votes to pay for the services of heads of departments, isn't conclusive evidence that it is good business policy for the city to place its affairs in their hands.—Willimantic Journal.

Second-hand ranges, Bay State, Hub, etc. \$5 to \$12. Watkins Brothers.

TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY Commissioners for Hartford County.

I hereby apply for a license to sell spirituous and intoxicating liquors, ale, lager beer, Rhine wine and cider at Cowles Hotel, 29 North Main street, Town of Manchester. My place of business is located 100 feet from a post office; is not located within two hundred feet in a direct line from any church edifice or public or parochial school, or the premises pertaining thereto, or any public library or cemetery.

Dated at Manchester, this 11th day of October A. D. 1909.

MICHAEL O'DONNELL, Applicant.

We, the undersigned, are electors and taxpayers, owning real estate, of the Town of Manchester, and hereby sign and endorse the foregoing application of Michael O'Donnell for said license, and hereby certify that said applicant is a suitable person to be licensed pursuant to said application.

Dated at Manchester, this 11th day of October A. D. 1909.

George H. Allen, Clinton W. Cowles, Dennis J. Mahoney, William Merrick, Thomas D. Coleman.

I hereby certify that the above-named signers and endorsers are electors and taxpayers, owning real estate in the Town of Manchester.

Dated at Manchester, this 11th day of October A. D. 1909. SANFORD M. BENTON, Town Clerk.

THE BEST OF EVERY NEW THING

In Draperies, Upholsteries, Fabrics, Portieres, Laces, etc.

that the market affords, will invariably be found here whether it be sold by the yard or in made up pieces.

Shirt Waist Boxes of every size and kind, moth-proof Cedar Chests, Screens, Pillows and Pillow Tops, Couch Covers and numerous other things will be found in our Upholstery Department in great variety. We take particular pride in this Department.

Let us show you the things that interest you. You will not care to look further when you have seen our line.

The Chas. R. Hart Co., 894-902 Main Street, Hartford

CLEVELAND'S LAST LETTER.

In It Ex-President Said Johnson Was Best Hope of Democrats.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 15.—E. Prentiss Bailey, veteran editor of the Utica Observer and close friend of Grover Cleveland, gives the text of a letter he received from the former president a few days before Mr. Cleveland went to Princeton, N. J., where he later died, and which Editor Bailey believes is the last letter that Cleveland wrote.

The ex-president's letter to Mr. Bailey is dated at Princeton, N. J., March 14, 1908, and its contents are particularly interesting in the light of the controversy precipitated a year ago by the so called Cleveland letter produced by Broughton Brandenburg.

The Bailey letter was written six days later than that date, and it shows that the ex-president was still with his party and instead of having Taft in mind was contemplating with satisfaction the possible nomination of John A. Johnson of Minnesota for the presidency by the Democrats.

He said in the letter, "Our best hope rests upon the nomination of Johnson of Minnesota."

MRS. EDDY WARNS

AUGUST A. STETSON.

Tells Her to Shake Off Grip of Animal Magnetism.

Boston, Oct. 15.—Bearing upon the recent removal of Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson of New York as a Christian Science practitioner, the official organ of Christian Science here has a com-



MRS. AUGUSTA E. STETSON.

Munication from Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy to Mrs. Stetson in which she says:

"Awake and arise from this temptation produced by animal magnetism upon yourself, allowing your students to defy you and me. Treat yourself for it and get your students to help you rise out of it. It will be your destruction if you do not do this."

A letter written by John V. Dittmore, secretary of the Christian Science board of directors, to the directors of the First church in New York says:

The recent inquiry conducted by this board disclosed the methods and practices of certain members of your church to be radically wrong, although the deplorable conditions may be unknown to the greater part of your membership.

We again call on you to arouse yourselves to the seriousness of the situation and to do your duty without fear or favor.

Mrs. Stetson and twenty-six of her disciples and associates in the New York church, the official organ declares, have been disciplined for false teachings, contrary to Christian science.

A new couch in your home for \$5.75 and a handsome souvenir too. Watkins Brothers' anniversary sale.

NICARAGUA REBELS

WIN BIG VICTORIES

Zelaya's Strongholds Seized, and Estrada Is President.

New Orleans, Oct. 15.—A cablegram from Colon announces that the Nicaraguan revolutionists, who have proclaimed General Juan Estrada president to supersede Zelaya, have won big victories, seizing Rivas, in the interior, and Corinto, the Pacific coast port of the republic.

There was hard fighting at Greytown when that city was taken by Colonel Ugarto and an army of several hundred revolutionists. Ugarto was subsequently re-enforced by General Cleamono and Estrada, brother of the revolutionary president, with the main force of the rebels.

The Americans, who are strong on the Atlantic coast, almost unanimously sympathize with the revolutionists, and it is feared that some of them will be drawn into the affair.

A Bluefields (Nicaragua) cable message says that the revolutionary forces under General Chamorra Estrada have attacked the last Zelaya, or government, stronghold at Castillo, where sharp fighting is in progress. The insurgents are carrying all before them.

The whole country has been aroused at the movement against the deposed President Zelaya, and the march of General Chamorra Estrada through the interior has been a triumphant advance. The Zelaya government is crushed. The last stand of the old government forces at Castillo will be the last fighting of the revolution.

It is said the Estrada brothers may split Nicaragua into two states, the Atlantic and Pacific, to be ruled under a main government, guided by Juan Estrada, the new president.

BASEBALL.

At New York—Boston (A. L.), 5; New York (N. L.), 4. Batteries—Pape, Wolters, Mathews, Hall and Carrigan; Crandall and Schiel.

At Detroit—Detroit (A. L.), 5; Pittsburgh (N. L.), 4. Batteries—Mullin and Schmidt; Phillipi, Camnitz, Willis and Gibson.

At Chicago—Chicago (N. L.), 2; Chicago (A. L.), 1. Batteries—Overall and Archer; Walsh and Sullivan.

Six Dutch Navy Men Killed. Maassluis, The Netherlands, Oct. 14.—While torpedo boats were engaged in clearing wrecks from the coast near Scheveningen a ship's pinnace was destroyed by an explosion of picric acid. A first lieutenant and five men were killed.

Weather Forecast.

Fair and colder; brisk southwest winds.

TAFT SEES GRAND CANYON.

But President Is Censured From Taking Dangerous Mule Ride.

Grand Canyon, Ariz., Oct. 15.—It took a lot of arguing on the part of President Taft's friends to dissuade him from making a dangerous trip to the bottom of the Grand canyon on muleback. The eight mile trail leading down from the Eltover hotel is steep and tortuous, but the president decided that he could make the descent safely. He appeared dressed in his riding trousers and puttees and was eager to start down the trail.

John Hays Hammond and Postmaster General Frank H. Hitchcock, however, decided that the president ought not to take the risk.

The possibility of the presidential mule stumbling on the brink of a precipice terrified them, so they made the president see the grand canyon from the top.

\$15 Tapestry Brussels rug \$12. Watkins Brothers' anniversary sale.

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A MEASURE OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

The Business Men's Association of Rockville has gone on record as favoring the appointment of a city milk inspector. At a special meeting the other evening the matter was brought up and several members spoke strongly in favor of such an appointment. The opinion was freely expressed that there is urgent need in Rockville for a milk inspector. It was said that milkmen, physicians and the citizens at large were favorable to the creation of such an office. The only milkmen who would be opposed to having their milk inspected are those against whom the public should be protected. The milk dealer who sells only a good, clean and pure fluid is usually glad to have his product inspected. He has nothing to fear from an inspection and the published announcement that his milk has stood the test is the best kind of an advertisement for his business. One of the Rockville business men expressed the opinion that most cases of typhoid fever were attributable to impure milk. Cows are sometimes watered from wells or cisterns that are never used by the people owning them for the reason that they know or believe that the water is not just what it should be. They reason ignorantly that it is all right for live stock. Water that is unfit for human beings to drink cannot be good for cows, horses or any other warm blooded animal. If water that is contaminated with typhoid germs is supplied to cows the milk from such cows is more than likely to be contaminated. Such milk distributed broadcast in a community may cause an epidemic of typhoid. On the theory that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure The Rockville Leader, though admittedly opposed to the creation of new offices, is in hearty accord with the resolution of the business men on the question of a milk inspector. The duty of a milk inspector is not only to inspect milk as taken from the dealers on the streets, but he is required to visit and inspect sources of supply. He can do a vast deal of good by testing the water that is daily supplied to the cows. If the source of the milk supply is up to standard there should be little trouble about the milk when it arrives in town. Pure water and feed, sanitary stables and healthy animals should be required and the rest will be easy. Some physicians claim, however, that milk should never be sold in the streets as the fluid must be exposed to the air and in consequence is liable to contamination from disease laden dust. Frequently milk men run short of their necessary supply and when such is the case buy from other dealers while enroute. Where this is done the milk should only be sold in sealed bottles and not openly poured from one can or bottle to another. While it is our opinion that the majority of Manchester milk peddlers are fair and square in their dealings with the public we are in hearty accord with the conclusions of the Rockville business men on this important matter. We would hail the appointment of a milk inspector here in the same spirit as is shown by The Leader. Section 22 of the amended act, which is to be voted upon by the legal voters of this town on November 2, gives the selectmen all the power that the general statutes confer upon the authorities of cities and boroughs in this matter. It is perhaps the most important section of the act to be voted upon, dealing as it does with the public health and safety, and if for no other reason it is to be hoped that the voters will give the act their official sanction.

THE POLAR CONTROVERSY.

The controversy over the discovery of the North Pole still continues to be the all absorbing topic of general conversation and from present appearances will continue to be for some time to come. Peary's shattering blow to Cook's claims was scheduled for last Wednesday and was delivered according to contract, but the general public still remains unconvinced. His whole proof seems to hinge on the statement of the two Eskimo boys who accompanied Cook on his venture across the ice. The naval commander and his companions on the Roosevelt assert over their signatures that the Eskimos laughed at Dr. Cook's story and said that his farthest north was a few miles northwest of Axel Heiberg Land, where they allege he encountered an open lead and was forced to turn back. In reply Dr. Cook maintains that the Eskimos were simply living up to their agreement with him not to divulge to Peary that he had reached the pole and there you are. The opinion is freely expressed by explorers in general that the Eskimos are apt to jug-

gle with the truth to suit the occasion and the truth of this belief seems to be borne out to considerable extent in the case in question. The worst blow that Cook's versatility has received to date in his claim for polar honors comes with the announcement of the sworn statement of Barrill, the guide who accompanied the explorer on his Mt. McKinley climb. This man flatly denies that Cook ever reached the summit of the peak in Alaska and quotes freely from his diary to prove it. Cook replies that the records of the climb are buried at the summit of the mountain, but like the polar controversy this will take time to prove. In the meantime the world must wait for an answer to the main controversy and listen patiently while the squable waxes merrily on.

TOWN PHYSICIAN'S WORK.

Dr. N. A. Burr, the New Appointee, Preparing to Take Hold.

Dr. N. A. Burr, the newly appointed town physician, had a conference with Charity Superintendent Risley yesterday relative to his new work. Mr. Risley furnished him with a list containing the names of those persons who are liable to need the doctor's assistance. Dr. Burr will consult this list whenever called upon to answer a charity call. This will be done simply for the purpose of verification, however, for urgent calls and emergency cases will be attended to by the doctor the same as in his regular practice. Of necessity he will have frequent consultations with Mr. Risley, who is in constant communication with his charges and knows better than anyone else what attention they are apt to need, medical or otherwise. In connection with the appointment of a town physician it is worthy to note as a coincidence, if nothing else, that Vernon has just taken similar action. There the local physicians were consulted as to their opinions in the matter and it was decided to divide the work among the eight doctors of the town at an annual expense of \$600. The doctors will alternate two at a time for quarterly periods in administering to the poor. In Manchester, however, there was little or no competition for the position and practically all the local physicians concur in an expression of pleasure that Dr. Burr has received the appointment. All are agreed that he is a capable and painstaking physician and feel that he will deal well both with the town and its patients. Dr. Burr is 34 years old. His boyhood home was in Winchester, this State, where he received his academic education at the local one, being a graduate of Yale, Class of '98 and Yale Medical School, Class of '01. He has practiced in Manchester for the past five years and prior to coming here had a year's experience in Springfield, Mass. Besides this he had two years' training in New York hospitals. The selectmen feel that his appointment will prove a satisfaction to all as well as result in a saving to the town.

Main Street Sewer Completed.

The South Manchester Sanitary & Sewer District have completed the sewer work in Main street between Middle Turnpike and the Center and the excavating force is now busy digging a trench in Wadsworth avenue. It was at first planned to sewer as far as Wadsworth avenue, but in anticipation of the possible erection of a school house at the Center by the Ninth School district in the near future, the line was extended as far as the property recently acquired from Thomas O'Gorman by Cheney Brothers. Owing to the fact that Wadsworth avenue is located on high ground it will not be necessary to drive the sewer trench to any great depth and as a result the job will soon be completed. Summit street and Middle Turnpike between Summit street and Main street are yet to be sewered.

The following streets have been sewered north of the Center this summer: Newman street from West Center to the woods and thence easterly through the woods to Main street, Main street from the Center to Middle Turnpike, Russell street, Flower street, Wadsworth avenue and a trench has also been laid from Main street to Summit street north of the Spring mill. The residents of these streets are all anxious to connect their places with the sewer before the advent of cold weather and it is generally believed that everything will be ready within the next few weeks for making the connections.

BULKELEY'S POSITION.

The colored citizens of Hartford are preparing to present a loving cup to Senator Bulkeley, in grateful acknowledgement of his position upon the Brownsville affair. They should not forget, however, that Senator Foraker of Ohio was the leading champion of the cause of the colored soldiers so summarily expelled from the army by President Roosevelt. In that matter, Bulkeley was merely Foraker's "me too."—Bridgeport Farmer.

Genuine Turkish tufted chairs \$11.50. Watkins Brothers' anniversary sale.

PHYSICAL CULTURE CLASS.

Methodist Brotherhood Preparing for Second Season's Work in Gymnastics.

The Methodist Brotherhood of the South Methodist church will start the second season with their physical culture class in the Ninth district gymnasium one week from Monday night. Harold Davis of Hartford, who instructed the class last year, is now doing regular Y. M. C. A. work in Hartford. He has received several requests to instruct outside classes, but will be able to take only one. When spoken to the other day by a member of the Brotherhood Mr. Davis said he would choose between the local class and the class in Farmington, and he seemed to favor the former. Mr. Davis will come here on the opening night to start the class and in case he does not take it for the full course will send a substitute. The class last year was made up of about 60 men and boys and it was necessary to work in two divisions. On that account one division had to be idle while the other was on the floor and there was little time for much outside the regular work. This year the class will be limited to 30 or 35 and after the regular exercises the men will be instructed in general floor work. The members of last year's class, who wish to join this year, should hand in their applications.

STORE REMODELED.

Fine Showing by the Charles R. Hart Company.

The store of the Charles R. Hart Company, in the Sage-Allen building in Hartford has been remodeled and much improved. In the drapery department especially are great changes noted. There is now twice as much room available as there was formerly, and the stock is displayed to better advantage. The stock is absolutely new, including an endless variety of pretty patterns. Various suggestions for furnishing rooms are offered. In the rug department a new rug rack has been fitted which holds 240 rugs. These are suspended in such a manner that two rugs are to be seen at the same time. There is only one other rack of the same capacity in this country. The stock of Oriental rugs is a splendid one both as regards size, colorings and variety of weaves and patterns. The wall paper and the shades department have been much improved, and there is now available with which to view the numerous artistic designs in wall paper and the like. The Charles R. Hart Company has the largest stock of wall papers in the state, and the selection of suitable papers is rendered a simple matter by the many suggestions offered to patrons. The equipment of the store is such as to display the large stock of draperies, rugs, curtains and wall papers to the best advantage.

"Billy, the Kid."

In his new play, "Billy the Kid," by Joseph Santley and Walter Woods, the star gives an exhibition of horsemanship not often seen, even on the stage. The action of the play called for his exit at the end of the third act on horseback, but he makes his entrance on the animal as well. The horse he rides has a history. Every wild west show has a number of untrained western horses which are known as bucking bronchos. This horse was one of them and one of the most vicious in the equipment. The show was in New York this summer and as no one could do anything with the horse, the owners were glad to part with it for a tithe of its value. It fell into the hands of the actor, and many are the weary hours he spent, treating the horse with the utmost kindness, before he could even mount its back. Now the horse appears to recognize the mastery of the man, but there is no one else who can even throw a saddle across its back without taking his life practically into his hands. Yet with the star he is as gentle as a kitten and invariably receives his sugar each time he is ridden. "Billy, the Kid" will be presented at the Armory Opera House, next Thursday evening, Oct. 21. Reserved seats are on sale at Watkins Brothers' as usual.

Rogers-Moeller.

Moses Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers of Pearl street, and Miss Constina Moeller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Constant Moeller of Crown street, New Haven, will be married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moeller next Monday. The ceremony will be witnessed only by immediate relatives of the young couple. After a wedding trip to the Bermuda Islands they will reside in New Haven, where Mr. Rogers has built a new home. Mr. Rogers is employed as a traveling salesman for the Frank Goetz Bakery Company of New Haven.

Three pint 14 oz. nickel coffee pots 90c. Watkins Brothers' anniversary sale.

KANSAS OIL QUEEN.

Miss Kaessman, Who Operates a Big Refinery.

IS IN FINANCIAL TROUBLE.

Declares Rival Producers Are Trying to Wreat Her Half Million Dollar Company From Her—Does Not Blame Standard.

Miss Hermana Kaessman, head of the Sunflower State Refining company, who has been fighting legal proceedings to have her company put in the hands of a receiver, is known in Kansas as "the woman queen of the oil industry." She is the principal owner and conductor of the refinery at Niotaze, Kan., the largest in the midcontinent oil field and the most complete installation of its kind west of the Mississippi river, which has sucked the oil from under the Kansas prairies and converted it into a product of commerce and sent it out to the people by the hundreds of carloads. It is a brown eyed, soft voiced, cultured gentlewoman of forty, from Rochester, N. Y., who has held her hand to the helm of this big enterprise and guided it to such great success that, starting with a capital of \$30,000, \$14,000 in debts and \$3 in the treasury, it has grown to the proportions of an investment of more than \$500,000, with factory buildings covering thirty-five acres of Kansas prairie, with forty miles of pipe lines, owned and operated by the company, reaching out into the oil fields of Chautauqua county, seven miles of gas pipe lines furnishing fuel from 2,000 acres of Chautauqua county gas lands to keep the big refinery engines going and fifty-nine tank cars, either owned or leased by the company, to carry its product into the hands of the ultimate consumers of the middle west.

Began in Oil Business in 1903. Miss Kaessman's connection with the oil industry started back in Rochester, N. Y., in 1903. The Kansas oil fields were then in the earlier stages of their development. Miss Hermana Kaessman, a principal in the schools of Rochester, talked to the teachers in the Rochester schools and her women friends in the social set in which she moved of this new oil field in the west. And as she talked they listened, for before ever she set foot on Kansas soil she had made, through her savings and investments in tobacco stocks, something in the neighborhood of a personal fortune of \$200,000 and had demonstrated her right to speak with authority on subjects touching finance.

Some of this money had come to her through inheritance, but the great bulk of it had come to her because of her ability and to some extent because of her association with some widows and some maidens, women of independent means—invested in a concern which operated, as producers, in the Kansas oil fields in the vicinity of Wayside, in Chautauqua county.

This concern was known as the Richardson-Mott company. It is now the Sunflower State Refining company, with Miss Kaessman at its head.

Standard Not to Blame, She Says.

Miss Kaessman declares that her company's financial embarrassments are only temporary and are due to certain producers who, she says, are trying without warrant to create distrust of her concern among the banks and to destroy her credit. They are also aiming at taking the company from her, she says. She does not blame the Standard Oil company. She says that the Standard has shown her courtesies. She admits it may be because she is a woman, although she does not believe it. On one occasion when her storage capacity for fuel oil was exhausted the Standard allowed cars to be diverted from its own quota to help her out of the difficulty. She has not found them using with her the methods which they are reputed to apply to competing concerns.

It may be chivalry, she admits, or it may be some new policy of the oil trust, but certain she is that they have treated her with unusual courtesies.

CRADLING THE SUBMARINES.

"Mother" Ship Puts Little Boats to Bed at Her Side.

Putting submarine boats to bed by their "mother" ship interested spectators in New York the other day. The vessel called the parent of the underwater boats was the Castine. Each submarine flotilla is now accompanied wherever it goes by a parent ship, which is fitted with hooks, stanchions, bits and bollards, to which the submarines, when the day's or night's work is done, are made fast.

When the Castine came to anchor those who were watching her ashore were surprised to see four funny looking vessels slowly steaming up to her from the south. As each submarine came alongside the crew came up out of the shell, and in five minutes the vessel was securely made fast to the side of the mother ship. When it was all over the Castine was nesting two on either side, the Plunger and Porpoise being on her starboard and the Viper and Tarantula on her port.

Public Schools for Blind Children. The New York city board of education has opened its first classes or schools for the blind. The blind children are received in any one of five buildings in Manhattan and Brooklyn and study the Braille system of raised letter reading and writing.

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Other High-Grade Suits and Overcoats Tailored to Measure Quickly, \$20 to \$27.50
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FERRIS BROTHERS.

NOTICE. Special Town Meeting.

is hereby given to all the people of the town of Manchester, Connecticut, that a special town meeting of the said voters will be held in the town hall in said town of Manchester on Tuesday, the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1909 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes to wit:

To see what action the town will take upon the adoption of an Act of the General Assembly of the year 1909 of the State of Connecticut entitled "An Act Amending an Act Concerning the Nomination of Candidates for Public Office, and the Number, Powers and Duties of Town Officers in the Town of Manchester."

The vote will be taken by ballot enclosed in an envelope and cast with the same formalities and under the same requirements as now provided by law for ballots for town officers at town elections.

Those in favor of the ratification and adoption of the said Act will vote "YES," and those opposed to the ratification and adoption of the said Act will vote "NO."

The polls will open at 9 o'clock a. m. and close at 8 o'clock p. m.

Dated at Manchester, Connecticut, October 11, 1909.

HORACE B. CHENEY,
WILLIAM E. ALVORD,
ARTHUR B. KEENEY,
THOMAS F. HARRINGTON,
SAMUEL E. DART,
CLINTON W. COWLES,
JOHN M. WILLIAMS,
Selectmen of the Town of Manchester, Conn.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

The Selectmen of the Town of Manchester, Connecticut, have this day appointed WILLIAM E. HIBBARD a Sealer of Weights and Measures.

All persons selling merchandise in the said Manchester by weight and by measure are hereby warned that the laws requiring the weights and measures used for such purpose to be annually tried and stamped by the Sealer of Weights and Measures will be rigidly enforced, and that delinquent dealers will be liable for the statutory penalties.

JOHN M. WILLIAMS,
Secretary of the Board of Selectmen.
Manchester, Conn., Oct. 11, 1909.

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A COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT Manchester, within and for the district of Manchester on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1909.

Present, OLIN R. WOOD, Esq., Judge. Estate of Frank W. Cheney, late of Manchester, in said district, deceased.

Upon application of the executors for an order of sale of real estate belonging to said estate as per application on file.

ORDERED: That the said application be heard and determined at the probate office in Manchester on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1909 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and the court directs said executor to give public notice to all persons interested and to be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order once in some newspaper having a circulation in said probate district, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in said Manchester, 5 days before the said day of hearing and return make to this court.

OLIN R. WOOD, Judge.

8-20 Glenwood range with mantel \$27.50. Watkins Brothers' anniversary sale.

Children's wheel high chairs \$2.50. Watkins Brothers' anniversary sale.

GREAT HAVOC BY STORM IN SOUTH

Hurricane Sweeps Three States, Killing Scores.

MANY TOWNS ARE WRECKED

Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia Feel the Effects of Enormous Size Fall in Atlanta, and Thirty Persons Are Injured—Hundreds of Miles of Telephone and Telegraph Wires Blown Down and Trains Stalled.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 15.—The hurricane which swept Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia has wrecked many towns, and scores are reported killed. The wind blew at a rate of eighty or ninety miles an hour, and rain fell in torrents, accompanied by hailstones of enormous size.

Hundreds of miles of telephone and telegraph wires have been blown down and no communication of any character can be had with many towns known to have suffered severely. Reports from small towns in the extreme western counties of Tennessee state that a severe windstorm occurred in roofing houses, leveling telegraph poles and doing other damage.

Traveling trains from the storm swept area are stalled because of the lack of telegraph facilities in giving orders.

A severe electrical storm passed over Chattanooga, and telephone and street car service are badly hampered.

At Hixon, ten miles from Chattanooga, three inches of hail fell, and mason reports say the damage is extensive.

Cleveland, Tenn., twenty-eight miles from Chattanooga, reports the most damaging hail and wind storm in years.

All Wires Lost to Nashville. The telegraph and telephone companies here report all wires lost to Nashville. Covington, Tenn., the farthest point north which could be reached, reported a heavy windstorm. A few minutes later this point also was lost.

A telephone report from Stanton, Tenn., forty miles east, says that a furious windstorm prevailed there, doing great damage.

At Stanton, Tenn., fifteen houses were destroyed. At Brownsville and Dyersburg show windows were shattered. At Cortland and Decatur, Ala., houses were unroofed, and people were injured by falling chimneys. Buffalo, Mo., reports the night performance abandoned.

At Denmark, Tenn., Albert Barnes was killed, and his wife and others were injured.

Big Storm Hits Georgia. Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 15.—Atlanta was harried by a wind and hail storm, which caused \$100,000 damage and inflicted injuries on many persons. For twenty minutes the wind blew with tornado force, and hailstones of enormous size fell.

Many of the stones were as large as billiard balls, and they smashed plate glass windows. Nearly every window in the shopping district was shattered, and there is not a residence in the city with whole windows.

At least thirty persons were knocked down and injured by the hail. Horses in the streets were stamped, and in two cases frightened animals ran into stores. One horse ran into the Alenzer theater, causing a panic.

Storm General Over Georgia. Reports indicate that the storm was general in Georgia and that Atlanta was only on the edge.

Marietta, a town of 5,000 inhabitants, twenty miles north of Atlanta, was wrecked.

The trolley line between Marietta and Atlanta is out of commission, and there are six cars crowded with passengers marooned somewhere between the two places.

Not a town in north Georgia can be reached by either telephone or telegraph, and it is feared destruction has been widespread.

Mobs in Paris, Rome and Vienna in a State of Frenzy. Paris, Oct. 15.—The demonstrations in protest against the execution of Francisco Ferrer still continue. The Latin quarter here is seething, but several times a strong force of troops scattered the rioters.

Serious disturbances occurred at Lyons, where thousands of workmen, Socialists and anarchists paraded. They broke the windows of the reactionary newspapers and fought the police. Revolvers and other weapons were used without restraint.

A dispatch from Marseilles says meetings of protest against the execution of Ferrer are being organized throughout the south of France.

Dispatches from Rome and Vienna state that frenzied mobs in those cities have made riotous demonstrations.

CURRENT COMMENT.

AN IMPORTANT CASE.

A New Britain man has brought suit against the owner of a dog by which he was bitten. He claims that in consequence of the injuries inflicted by the defendant's dog he was obliged to give up his employment for some time because of blood poisoning, and he wants \$1,000 damages. The result of the suit will be awaited with interest. If it is found that he can recover damages, many dog-owners whose canine pets are now allowed to run about when and where they please will see to it that their dogs are placed under some restraint, particularly if the aforesaid dog owners own property.—Rockville Journal.

AFTER JAY'S MILLIONS.

Princes are suitors for the hand of Marjoria Gould, daughter of George Gould, the millionaire. It is said the father is opposed, but will leave the matter with his daughter to decide. It would seem from an off-hand view of the prince business and the Gould family in general that enough had happened in the past decade to last for some time to come.—Middletown Press.

ILLCIT DENTAL PARLORS.

New York has commenced a warfare upon unlicensed dentists, and tooth-pullers who are unable to produce sufficient proof of their proficiency in the trade will be dealt with severely and to the full limits of the laws made and provided for such cases. It is alleged that there are in the neighborhood of 500 dentists in Manhattan who are operating without a license. Many of these illicit "dental parlors" have been raided by police, and others are fearfully expecting visits from the blue-coats.—Waterbury Democrat.

TRIBUTE TO LOCAL RESIDENT.

Colonel Bob Eaton is not going to engage in any controversy with E. L. G. Hohenthal of the prohibition committee in reference to the latter's statement that Colonel Bob called out members of the general assembly to talk to brewers or their agents. This is a great disappointment because such a controversy might amplify Colonel Bob's well-known ideas of the lobby. Mr. Hohenthal evidently knows something about the lobby and something also about Colonel Bob and a joint debate even through the columns of the press would be instructive for the entire state. Colonel Bob says that Mr. Hohenthal is a Christian gentleman but Mr. Hohenthal makes no such holy reference to Colonel Bob.—New Britain Herald.

A DOUBTING THOMAS.

Charles W. Morse, "the wizard of finance," who was arrested in Europe and brought back to the United States charged with violation of the federal banking laws and for which he was sentenced to a term in prison, has cleared up indebtedness to the amount of \$7,500,000 while out on bail. And this in the face of his statement while in jail awaiting trial that he hadn't a dollar in the world. "Wizard" is applicable but a shorter and uglier word might fit his case.—Gulfport Shore Line Times.

WARMING UP IN NEW YORK.

The quickness with which the mayoralty contest in New York attains the high temperature of a polar controversy is not so trivial a fact that it should be ignored. Mr. Invs, who brought Hearst into the field, promptly calls Judge Gaynor a "pseudo-paranoid," and Judge Gaynor writes to a friend: "You see the base lot who are already barking and lying at my heels. I expect the opposition of every scoundrel, but I am ready to meet them all." After all, it will not be a "campaign of shivers," as a polar traveler might say. And Hearst has not begun to warm up.—Springfield Republican.

REFORM IN ORDER.

Reforms will always be in order and the real reformer will go down to defeat from the fact that the people are quick to leave the individual spending the best part of his existence in a battle for the people's rights. It is the foxy reformer who gets there at the present time. Watch New York politics from now on and you will witness an interesting result.—Penny Press.

TOLSTOI, THE WISE.

A self-righteous woman wrote to Tolstoi a few months ago that she hated his opinions so much she would like to kill him. Tolstoi replied that her letter had doubtless been provoked by words of his which he ought not to have written and that it had done him good. The woman thereupon experienced a complete change of heart and became one of his disciples.

North Methodist.

The Epworth League will hold a missionary rally Sunday evening. The program will be in charge of F. B. Clarke. The Ladies' Aid society, at their meeting Wednesday afternoon, voted to hold a rummage sale Wednesday and Thursday, October 27 and 28, afternoon and evening. Contributions of useful articles of every kind, especially outgrown clothing, will be solicited.

HOME DRESSED PORK FOR SATURDAY.

The first of the season and it is nice.

Home dressed Chickens and Fowls, home dressed Veal and Lamb. This is the kind of goods that takes the eye. It's worth anything you pay for it.

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Bacon Tomorrow 12 1-2c

Any way you want it. Come and share in this slaughter price of bacon. Fresh Shoulder, Fresh Pig's Liver, Fresh Pig's Feet, Fresh Pig's Head, Fresh Sausage in links and packages. A big display in FRUITS and VEGETABLES.

To every customer tomorrow we will give a beautiful picture free. FISH, OYSTERS and CLAMS. We have them all the time.

Universal Market

L. J. O'DOWD.

Will Take an Appeal.

A number of the residents of Main street, residing between the Center and the north end, have signified their intention of appealing from the decision of the selectmen in ordering adopted and recorded the recently established street lines on that thoroughfare. Just what line of action will be taken has not been given out, but the statement is made that the matter will shortly be put in the hands of an attorney. The only appeal that can be made from the selectmen's action is through the upper courts. The filing of a notice of appeal with the selectmen will of course have the effect of throwing the matter in the air until the appeal is threshed out in court and a decision rendered.

Death of Clarence Hodge.

Clarence W. Hodge died at his home on Parker street late Tuesday afternoon as the result of a kick from a horse a week before. Mr. Hodge had been employed as teamster for Judson Nettleton for the past five years or more. He was the son of Lyman Hodge of this town and was 42 years old. He is survived by his wife but no children. The funeral will be held from his late home tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. William F. Taylor of the North Methodist church will officiate. The burial will be in the East cemetery.

PRESIDENT STANDS BY KNEX.

Concurs in Crane's Dismissal and Accepts Minister's Resignation. Washington, Oct. 15.—The incident involving a change of official indiscretion against Charles R. Crane has been closed by President Taft in a telegram to Mr. Crane accepting the tender of his resignation of the office of minister to China. The telegram sent through Fred W. Carpenter, secretary to the president, was as follows: Convey to Mr. Crane the following: I concur in the letter under date of Oct. 12, which the secretary of state has addressed to you, and I greatly regret that the circumstances found to exist by him make it necessary for me to accept your resignation. Mr. Crane was dropped from the payroll of the state department. He took the oath of office on Aug. 4 last and had been minister to China for about two months and ten days. The salary of the post is \$12,000 a year. At this rate Mr. Crane will receive slightly more than \$2,500 for his services.

ORDAINED DESPITE "HERESY."

Rev. Mr. Black Installed as Pastor Despite Presbytery Opposition. New York, Oct. 15.—In the face of opposition of dissenting members of the New York presbytery who criticized his alleged heretical views the Rev. Archibald Black was ordained and installed as pastor of the Bedford Park Presbyterian church here. He is one of three graduates of Union Theological seminary who upon applying for license refused to subscribe to cardinal Scripture doctrine as to Christ's virgin birth, resurrection and miracles.

AN EDUCATIONAL BARGAIN.

FOR SALE: An education for one half cost to owner. I have in my possession a fully paid-in course in general chemistry in the I. C. S. which I will dispose of at one-half its cost to me. Besides permitting of a splendid education in the subject of chemistry ownership of the course gives possession of a handsome set of splendid works covering in full many branches of the subject as commercially applied. The course cost \$30 and will be sold for just one-half price. A splendid opportunity for a young man to obtain a thorough knowledge in this absorbing and valuable subject. Will be sold on easy terms. For particulars address I. C. S. Care of Herald, Manchester, Conn.

A COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT

Manchester, within and for the district of Manchester, on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1909.

Present, OLIN R. WOOD, Esq., Judge. Estate of Robert Hayden, late of Manchester, in said district, deceased.

The administratrix having exhibited her administration account with said estate, to this court for allowance, it is ORDERED: That the 31st day of October, A. D. 1909 at 9 o'clock, forenoon, at the probate office in Manchester be and the same is assigned for a hearing on the allowance of said administration account with said estate and this court directs the administratrix to give public notice to all persons interested therein to appear and be heard thereon by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper having a circulation in said district, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in the town where the deceased last dwelt, 5 days before said day of hearing and return make to this court.

OLIN R. WOOD, Judge.

ARMOR Opera House.

Thursday, October 21st.

"Billy the Kid"

A Stirring Drama of Western Life, Full of Action and Thrilling Situations.

Prices—25c, 35c, 50c. Reserved Seats on Sale at Watkins Brothers'.

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And Company of 75 in the musical hit—"KITTY GREY" JULIA SANDERSON As "Kitty." Prices—25c to \$2; seats selling.

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Large display of flat and hollow ware, sterling and superior plate.

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C. TIFFANY

WANTED, FOR SALE: Advertisements of 10 words or less inserted in this column for 5 cents each insertion, cash to accompany order.

FOR SALE: Bay horse sound and right every way, weight 1600 pounds; also gray horse, weight 1100 pounds. Sold cheap if taken at once. Bland street stable, S. D. Hart, Prop.

FOR SALE: A good piano, used only a short time. Owner will sell at a big sacrifice if taken before November 1. For particulars address H. M. Care Herald, Manchester. 6715.

LOST: Five weeks ago, probably between North School street and Manchester Green, five 6-inch steel rings, painted green; finder please notify John H. Cheney, the florist, Manchester Green.

FOR RENT: A six room house at No. 8 Woodbridge street. For particulars enquire at A. L. Brown & Co's store on Depot square. 672.

FOR RENT: Six roomed tenement, all improvements, light. Windows all shaded. Call at No. 8 Russell street, opposite Flower and Main streets, South Manchester. 682.

FOR RENT: A six room lower flat with all the modern conveniences, steam heating, electric lights, hot and cold water, bath, closet etc. In first class repair. No. 8 North School street. Enquire at Dr. P. A. Sweet, No. 48 North Main street, Manchester. 777.

FOR SALE: Horse formerly used by the Palace Furniture Co. Apply to E. L. G. Hohenthal 89 Oloott street South Manchester. 862.

WANTED: Pullman, in large or small lots. Send description, price; etc., and I will call and look at them. Mark Cheney, box 714, South Manchester, or tel. 94-3.

TO RENT: A desirable tenement for a small family. Inquire at 13 Woodland street, Manchester. 861.

TO RENT: Desirable tenements on School, Vine and Wells streets. Apply to E. T. Carrer, 37 Charter Oak street. 862.

YOUNG MEN WANTED.

Government Pays From \$600 to \$1600 a Year, no Lay-Offs—Free Scholarships are Offered.

Railway mail clerks, city carriers, postoffice clerks rural mail carriers wanted. Examinations in the vicinity of Manchester soon. Short hours, salary twice monthly, annual vacation and life position. Thousands of appointments are to be made. Common education is all you need; city and country people have equal chance and political influence is unnecessary. Free examinations during October and November. No time to lose, write to Central Schools, Dept. 60, Rochester, N. Y.

NOTICE.

Having disposed of my practice to Dr. J. A. Sheehan I desire to give my business to him. All persons knowing themselves indebted to me are kindly requested to settle the same.

ALL AMERICAN BASEBALL TEAM

Nine Composed of Great Ball Players Would Cost Fortune.

QUARTET OF GREAT SLUGGERS

Wagner, Cobb, Lajoie and Crawford Would Make Any Pitcher Tremble. Mathewson and Gibson Selected as Battery For the Team.

By TOMMY CLARK.

Although the curtain has been rung on the 1909 baseball season the dyed in the wool fans will for some time be busily engaged in discussing the past performances of their favorites and selecting what would be the greatest team that ever appeared on the diamond were one club able to obtain the great stars in the big leagues. Looking over the big league timber for an All American team, the following team looks as if it could defeat any other team in the country: Pitcher, Christy Mathewson, New York Nationals; catcher, George Gibson, Pittsburg Nationals; first base, Hal Chase, New York Americans; second base, Napoleon Lajoie, Cleveland Americans; third base, Harry Steinfield, Chicago Nationals; shortstop, Hans Wagner, Pittsburg Nationals; left field, Fred Clarke, Pittsburg Nationals; center field, Sam Crawford, Detroit Americans; right field, Tyros Cobb, Detroit Americans; utility man, John Hummel, Brooklyn Nationals.

Of course it is impossible for one club to purchase the players mentioned, but if they were on the market it is a cinch that it would cost a small sized fortune to purchase the stars on the list.

For pitcher the writer selects Christy Mathewson. The latter is without a peer as a box artist. Year after year he twirls consistently and with him on the slab any team is almost sure of victory. Matty is always as cool as an icebox on a hot summer day.

Opinion is divided as to which has call on the title of "king of the sk and mitt," but the writer sticks

DUGAN LEADING JOCKEY.

Will Wind Up Season Ahead of Other Pigskin Pilots in East. Eddie Dugan will have no trouble in carrying off the riding honors on the eastern tracks this year. He has been on the job steadily, barring a suspension now and then, since Pimlico opened in April, and in spite of the talk about rough riding he has a larger following among horse players in the east than any other jockey. Dugan has been repeatedly scored by prominent owners for his alleged foul tactics in the saddle, but nobody has



EDDIE DUGAN, PREMIER HORSE PILOT OF 1909 SEASON.

ever accused him of dishonesty, for the little fellow is always trying his best apparently and is seldom criticized for poor work. Dugan has worn the silks of practically all the leading owners, including August Belmont, James R. Keene, S. C. Hildreth and John E. Madden. Incidentally he has ridden the best horses in training. But at that there appears to be some doubt whether Dugan is a better jockey than Vincent Powers, Butwell and Taplin.

TO START BIG ICE HOCKEY LEAGUE

Arrangements Being Made to Insure National Control of Sport.

LARGE CITIES IN CIRCUIT.

New York, Washington, Pittsburg, Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Paul and Others Expected to Be Members of New Professional Organization.

The great amount of trouble experienced by the promoters of professional ice hockey last season through the players jumping contracts has set the minds of these men to working, and their endeavors are along a line which promises to do more good for the great winter sport than anything that has been undertaken since the Canadian game was first put on a really solid footing. The players themselves cannot really be blamed for the part they have played in the deplorable doings. The hockey season is comparatively a very short one, and while it pays well while it lasts, the remuneration gained must be made to go a long way by the recipients.

When a stick wielder once enters the game for the stipend he can command he naturally is anxious and ready to play with the team offering the best inducements. Thus it will readily be seen that if a player is performing for a club in Pittsburg and a club in Canada offers him more money he will "clear out" for the district producing the most medium of exchange. Since there is no national or international body to govern the play the player's contract amounts to little more than a moral bond except when it comes to holding the club for money.

With such the case the various promoters have conceived the idea that a body with much the same functions as the national commission has to professional baseball in this country should be formed. This has been talked of in other years, but it has never assumed the proportions that are evidenced even at this early time. To those who follow hockey closely it appears that such a body may become a reality next winter.

At the same time the reports of a professional hockey league in this country, or probably two professional organizations, one in the east and one in the west, has been revived.

John T. McNamara of Houghton, Mich., manager of the old Portage Lake hockey champions, has for some time been in communication with Thomas W. Prior, manager of the ice rink company of Chicago, who is becoming deeply interested in hockey and who plans to introduce the sport to Chicago the coming winter. Mr. Prior favors the formation of an eastern and a western league, made up of such cities in the west as Chicago, Cleveland, Duluth, St. Paul or Minneapolis and Houghton and in the east of New York, Boston, Pittsburg, Philadelphia and others, with a series of world's championship games at the close of a season to determine the superiority of the two organizations.

While these leagues may not be formed for the coming winter, it is not improbable the preliminary steps toward the organization of the proposed governing board or commission will be taken before next year and that when another hockey season comes along every detail toward the government of the players and the conducting of the sport will have been perfected. It will then only be a question of a short time before professional hockey is introduced in the leading cities of the United States.

Canada, for years the home of hockey, has during the past few seasons taken up the professional sport with success, and in the event of leagues being formed the principal teams of the Dominion, such as Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Ottawa and others, are almost certain to be included. For a few years it would be necessary to import players from the adjoining country, but it would not be many years before American players were sufficiently developed to enter the professional ranks.

During the past two seasons amateur hockey exclusively has been played in northern Michigan, with excellent results. There have been a number of clever players turned out, some of whom would do for professional company, and others would develop each year until it would no longer be necessary to cross the border for men.

As to professional hockey being supported in New York next season, there does not appear to be even a remote chance of it. In the first place, the financial backers of the game in Gotham realize that it could not be conducted on a paying basis, and that's the strongest possible argument which can be brought to bear by the negative on the subject. The St. Nicholas rink has not a large enough seating capacity to permit of popular prices being charged, and until such conditions are provided the masses will not support the sport. It is said on good authority that the Clermont rink of Brooklyn will reopen as an ice emporium next season. If such should prove the case a decided impetus will be given the amateur game in New York.

Gleason's Playing Days Not Over. Kid Gleason of the Philadelphia Nationals is still lively as a cricket and says he is good for ten years more major league ball.

KEEP AN EYE ON STAGG.

Chicago's Football Coach Will Introduce Many New Plays on Minnesota.

A. A. Stagg, Chicago university's football coach, has sprung his 1909 sensation at Marshall field. He has given the Maroon football squad six brand new plays that he invented this summer, and more will follow. The result is an entirely new repertory for the Midway eleven this year, something produced for the sole purpose of winning the western championship.

The University of Chicago tricks will be new ones from the blow of the whistle. The plays are the result of Stagg's summer meditations on the subject of the forward pass and the ultra modern game of football.

Since Stagg's return a short time ago the Maroon players have known that he had something exciting up his sleeve, but they were scarcely prepared to be initiated in the new creations at once. The formations given the team have been pronounced winners, the squad of veterans working them with a skill that surprised the inventor.

According to Stagg, they all show advanced form over last year, and the coach thinks they will be able to make a glittering success of his new plan. Stagg sees in the new plays the only method of doing up Minnesota, the team that is now considered the strongest rival of Chicago.

Californians to Vote on Crew Question. California university students will vote on the question of crews.

FOOTBALL POINTERS

Dalton, the 180 pound naval cadet kicker, will play again this fall. Last year in practice he made kicks covering more than seventy yards.

Sherwin, Dartmouth's tackle, who kicked a field goal against Princeton last fall, will again be the strongest point in the Hawover team's line.

"Hurry Up" Yost believes there are great possibilities in the outside kick and is going to make it a prominent part of Michigan's offensive machine.

The failure to schedule games this year with Harvard, Chicago and Minnesota will mean a loss of about \$35,000 to the Carlisle Indians' gate receipts.

Northwestern university has a wonderful punfer in Ward, who, it is claimed, kicked the spheroid fifty-five and sixty yards consistently for an hour recently.

A line for comparison on Harvard and University of Chicago will be afforded this fall, as Cornell goes to Cambridge (Mass.) Nov. 6, and entertains Cornell in Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 13.

Coach Bencham of West Point says that Hyatt, the army's quarterback, will be one of the sensational players of the season. His work last year was first class, and he should come all the time.



CHRISTY MATHEWSON, NEW YORK NATIONALS' GREAT TWIRLER.

to Gibson of the Pirates. The latter proves his worth this season by catching nearly all the Pittsburg's games. His throwing arm has been unerring. There are other catchers who hit harder than Gibson, but he is a dangerous man in a pinch.

At first base Chase of the New York Americans has the package of cough drops on all initial sack scoopers.

Lajoie, the great Napoleon, until recently hindered by managerial duties, shines at second base when comparison is brought out as an electric light shines over a tallow candle.

Shortstop comes next, and the undisputed title belongs to the only Honus Wagner. His work with the Pirates this season and in other seasons has proved his sterling worth.

At the last sack of the diamond Harry Steinfield of the Chicago Nationals looks like the Sunday morning kid.

For left field one must select Fred Clarke, the great manager of the Pittsburgs. Clarke is without a peer as a guardian of left garden. He is also one of the best run getters and batters in the game.

For center Detroit puts the runner up in the person of Sam Crawford.

Next comes right garden, and Detroit puts another man on the pan in Tyros Cobb, the Georgia boy, who is the real sensation of the baseball world. With Wagner of Pittsburg, Cobb stands out as one of the greatest players that ever donned a spiked shoe.

For utility player Hummel of Brooklyn is the whole piece of broadcloth. He can play any position equally well. Mustered together as one club, does it seem possible to form such a team?

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There is a story that is told of Joseph Jefferson and the boys that had to do with the training of dogs. It appears that there was a gentleman in New Iberia who owned a very intelligent animal, and he was most anxious for Mr. Jefferson to see an example of his prowess. Accordingly he brought him to the island one day and put him through his various tricks, which were remarkably clever.

When the performance was over Mr. Jefferson expressed his appreciation and wonder at what the dog had done, but added that he had an animal that was even more remarkable. As the gentleman seemed to be in some doubt as to the truth of this statement the dog, a dejected, stupid looking beast, was produced, and Mr. Jefferson ordered him to go into his room and bring him a shoe.

Obediently the dog trotted into the house to presently reappear with the shoe in his mouth. Taking it from him, Mr. Jefferson patted him upon the head and told him to return to his room and bring him the slipper for his left foot.

"And, mind you, bring the left one," he cautioned as the animal trotted away.

When he returned in a moment with the left slipper the gentleman could hardly express his astonishment, but Mr. Jefferson waved the matter indifferently aside.

"It is nothing," said he. "However, we will now try something a little more difficult." Then, turning to the dog, he spoke to him very slowly and carefully. "Now go into the library," said he, "look upon the bottom shelf on the right hand side of the room and you will see a set of Dickens. Bring me the second volume. Remember, now, the second volume; not the first or the third, but the second."

When the dog returned in a few moments with the second volume in his mouth the gentleman retired in the utmost confusion, declaring that in comparison with such a prodigy his own much vaunted animal was little better than an imbecile.

And I may add that Mr. Jefferson enjoyed the joke fully as much as did the boys, who, according to a prearranged plan, had placed each successive article in the prodigy's mouth. As to the prodigy, his one accomplishment consisted of trotting into the house and trotting out of it again.—Nevill G. Henshaw in Bob-bins.

National League's New Umpire. William Brannan, who this season umpired in the Wisconsin-Illinois league, has quit that league and joined the National league corps of arbiters. Brannan is a giant, standing six feet three inches.

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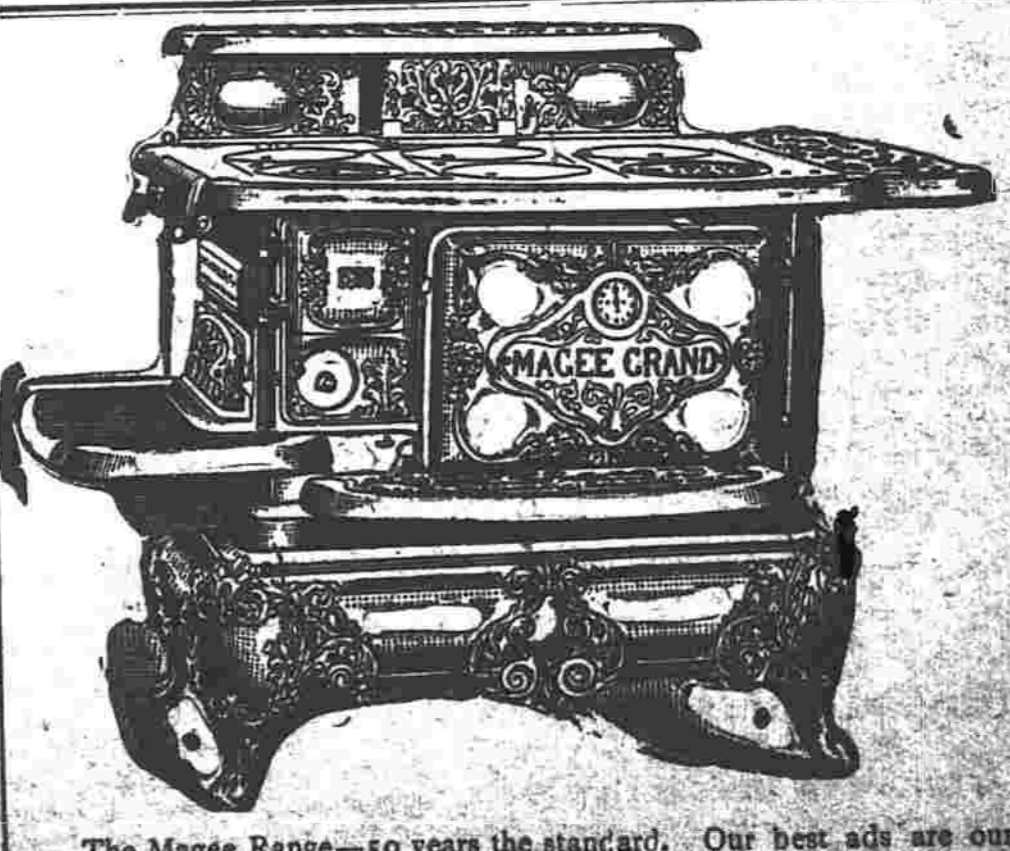
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ASSESSORS' NOTICE

The inhabitants of the **Town of Manchester** liable to pay taxes, are hereby notified and required to return to the ASSESSORS ON OR BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT, a list of all property owned by them on the first day of October, 1909, and the Assessors will meet them for the purpose of receiving their lists, at

HALL OF RECORDS
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15 TO FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

Inclusive, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 25 TO MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1
Inclusive, from 1 p. m. to 8 p. m.

Evenings are for the convenience of those who cannot come to the day sessions. Taxpayers are requested to come in the daytime if possible and not crowd the evening sessions.

Persons owning pianos are urged to hand in lists of same to save the 10 per cent. addition.

All lists of REAL ESTATE must give the boundaries of the land, as by law required, or they will not be accepted.

The law allowing two acres of land to be valued with dwelling has been repealed.

All dwellings and buildings of any kind must be listed and valued separately from the land on which they stand.

Non-residents must hand in a list made out and sworn to, either personally or by their attorneys or agents. If not so handed to the Assessors on or before November 1st, 10 per cent. must be added.

Lists of resident property owners will be accepted only from such owners or their legally appointed agents.

PLEASE TAKE NOTE THAT ALL MEETINGS WILL BE AT HALL OF RECORDS.

Persons neglecting to attend to their lists on or before the 2d day of November will have 10 per cent. added to same.

All persons liable to give in lists of taxable property are urged to appear before the Assessors.

Persons making out their lists will be obliged to make oath and sign the same.

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Many Steps In Preparation For a Big Gridiron Eleven.

HARD WORK FOR CANDIDATES.

The General Public Has Vague, If Any, Idea of the Severe Training Football Players Undergo Before They Land on Varsity Eleven.

Few, except those in the game realize what the early days of the training season mean to the football players. While the days are still uncomfortable with summer heat the football player begins the first course in the preparation which is to harden him for the big contests scheduled three months away.

This preparation varies in a multitude of ways. Some combine business and training by selecting a vocation which gives them plenty of hard work in the open air, while others in perhaps more fortunate circumstances



O'FLAHERTY, CANDIDATE FOR QUARTER ON HARVARD ELEVEN.

train a few hours a day on the outskirts of some seashore or mountain summer resort.

Under the supervision of their captain, coaches and trainer the more serious work is begun. For the first few days little is attempted beyond the kicking and catching of the football, running practice to improve the wind and endurance of the candidates and possibly an occasional lineup for illustrative purposes with all scrimmage work eliminated.

At the beginning of the second week the half hour of practice is lengthened into twice the time, and while the rudimentary instruction is continued, tackling, defensive and offensive formations and a little scrimmage work are injected into the training. The mile or more run around the track, followed by shower baths and a rubdown, closes a day's work.

Next the scrub or second team, as it is known, is called into operation, and the practice begins to acquire the aspect of a regular football game. As the players of the two teams contend under the watchful eyes of the coaches the latter point out and rectify errors in form and tactics which the players may develop.

The training table is started, and the rubbers begin to be called into use at the end of each afternoon's work in order to massage away the bruises and strains incidental to the practice. By the middle of October both the coaches and trainers know the physical and mental peculiarities of their charges and fit the training schedule to meet their requirements so far as is possible.

The squad of perhaps sixty-five candidates has been reduced 50 per cent by the elimination of those unfit from one cause or another to stand the strain of football play, and the remaining candidates are beginning to be divided into those mystic sections known as varsity and second squads.

Now approaches the period when, with the big games less than a month away, the eleven players with their individual ability and playing peculiarities must be welded into a perfect football machine that acts with relentless force at the command of the quarterback.

Afternoon practice is augmented by early morning work, consisting of drop kicking, tackling and other features of the play in which certain members of the squad may be deficient. Thus the men who win mention during the preliminary games of the football season round into form for the struggle which brings victory or defeat.

VANDERBILT CUP RACE.

Annual Event to Be Held Oct. 30—Automobile Gossip.

Great interest is being displayed on the part of manufacturers and private owners in the approaching Vanderbilt cup race, which is to take place Oct. 30 on Long Island, New York. Many entries have been already made, and it is assured that a large field, possibly thirty-five or forty cars, will be at the starting line when the great race is started.

The last obstacle in the way of the running of the Vanderbilt cup race was removed recently when the contest board of the American Automobile association granted a sanction to hold the contest. There was never any doubt that a sanction would be granted, but a slight change had to be made in the rules of the A. A. A. so as to provide for the large entry fee of the Vanderbilt. The rules of the A. A. A. stipulated that sanction could only be granted for a race in which the prize or trophy offered was not worth ten times the value of the entry fee. The entry fee for the different classes in the Vanderbilt range from \$250 to \$500.

The Vanderbilt cup race suffered a temporary setback last year owing to the trouble between the American Automobile association and the Automobile Club of America, but this year with the elimination of the grand prize contest the Vanderbilt cup looms up greater than before. The Lowell race was a splendid contest, the Long Island Automobile Derby was also a notable event, and the Philadelphia one in Fairmount park furnished a wonderful contest, but the Vanderbilt must take rank above all of these.

One reason that this year's race should have a better influence on trade conditions generally is that this fall for the first time all of the cars will be strictly stock classes of the 1910 models sold to the public, which will be seen in competition for the first time.

From a spectacular standpoint the attractiveness of the race has been greatly increased this year by the shortening of the course from twenty odd miles to twelve and sixty-four hundredths miles, of which five and fifteen hundredths miles will be on the Motor parkway proper and the remaining seven and forty-nine hundredths miles on the highways of Nassau county.

Automobile enthusiasts in Oakland, Cal., are awaiting with interest the automobile road races to be held over the San Leandro course on Oct. 23. Several contests have already been provided for, and they include a 250 mile race, to be known as the Portola road race. A cup valued at \$2,500 will go to the winner. The other two races are at distances of 150 miles and 200 miles. Several small car events are likely to be included in the program.

There is a new automobile sign on the market. It produces the desired effect of making pedestrians and other members of the road without warning them to death. It has a mellow warble and is easily distinguished from other signaling devices.

Great care should be taken of the spare inner tubes it is advisable to carry when on a long run, and they should be so stowed in the car as not to be damaged in any way. It is really astonishing the careless way many motorists carry these spare tubes. They are often thrown in the tool boxes or lockers without sufficient and usually, in fact, without any protective covering whatever and there exposed to influences most destructive to rubber. Subjected to friction from tools and other articles when the vehicle is in motion, the rubber rapidly deteriorates, this deterioration being assisted and hastened by the presence and contact of oil or greasy articles. The proper way to carry the tubes is to have them kept in a suitable box or a strong rubber cloth bag, the interior of which is well treated with powdered talc, the latter acting as a lubricant so that any slight friction which may take place between the inside of the box or bag and the tube has no bad effect. Thus protected, an air tube may be kept folded up for a long period without losing anything of its durability or elasticity.

Many Basketball Leagues.

Professional basketball leagues are likely to be numerous in the east this fall. One is proposed for Philadelphia and adjoining towns. A Hudson valley (New York) state circuit includes Troy, Hudson, Catskill, Poughkeepsie, Kingston, Newburg, Yonkers and Paterson, N. J.

COMING SPORT EVENTS

England will send a cricket eleven to Australia next month.

Jim Jeffries, the retired heavyweight champion, who is now in France, is expected back in this country Oct. 22.

St. Louis sportsmen, headed by Joseph A. Murphy, plan to build a big athletic field, at which all kinds of sports will be played.

Al Kaufman, the California heavyweight who made such a poor showing against Jack Johnson in their ten round bout at Colma, Cal., a short time ago, has been matched to meet "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien for six rounds in Philadelphia Oct. 27.

A new race track on which races will be run every winter will be built in the federal district of Mexico. It will be completed within five months, and night racing may be held. It will be built by a St. Louis company headed by Colonel R. Pateo of that city.

YOST LOOKS FOR WINNING ELEVEN

Michigan Has Eight Men Who Have Earned Their "M."

TEAM LIGHT, BUT FAST.

Coach "Hurry Up" Yost Says There Will Be but Few Giants on Football Team This Season—Wolverines Have Wealth of Material to Draw From.

The first few weeks of Michigan's preparation for the football season have passed, and in that time the prospects of the Wolverines for a winning team have steadily brightened. The display of optimism in the Michigan camp is due not so much to the fact that the three veterans who had not been expected are on hand as to the surprising showing being made by the new men.

With Captain Alleridge, Wassmund, Benbrook, Watkins, Ranney, Loell, Riley and possibly Casey in the squad Michigan will have no less than eight "M" men trying for the team, which of itself is causing Yost considerable satisfaction. His chief delight, however, is in the work of the new men, some of whom are expected to give the older players a hard battle for positions.

From the time that football began to be seriously thought of this fall it was evident that Michigan would have a wealth of strong back field material, assuring Yost of the offensive part of his organization. At that time, though, the line looked weak, and it was thought that there would lie the greatest weakness of the eleven. However, with plenty of substitute back field material Yost is doing this season what he has long wanted to do—playing fast, shifty men in the line. There are likely to be few giants on the Michigan team this year, although Benbrook, Riley and Conklin weigh 200 pounds each or more. To accomplish his purpose Yost is using former back field men at tackle and even guard, and, while the team this year will probably average pounds lighter than recent elevens, it will make up in speed what it loses in weight.

The surprises of the season to date, aside from the announcement of the return of Loell and Riley of the vet-



CAPTAIN ALLERIDGE, WHO WILL LEAD MICHIGAN GRIDIRON MEN.

erans and Edmunds and Conklin of the promising new candidates, has been the work of Benbrook and Bertrand. Yost has been working Benbrook, formerly a guard on the team, at center since the first day of practice, and, to the surprise of every one, including Yost and Benbrook himself, the big Chicagoan has shown well at the new position. If he continues the pace, there will be a merry fight for the pivotal position between Benbrook and Loell, who played center on the 1906 eleven, when the faculty kept Schulz from playing.

Wasmund, quarterback for two seasons, is again with the team and is handling the signal practice more accurately than ever. At this, though, he has always been strong, his weakness lying in his inability to stop runners who have passed the secondary line of defense. For that reason Yost is anxious to develop a more deadly tackler for the fullback position on defensive, which will shift Wasmund to loose half when Michigan is not in possession of the ball. Because of his well known ability as a tackler and general defensive player Bertrand has had a few tryouts at quarterback in the last few days, and although new to the position he is rapidly acquiring the knack of receiving the ball from the center, and it is barely possible that the Detroit veteran will have a job on his hands to retain the quarterback job.

RISE OF A PRINCESS.

Wife of Austria's Heir Recognized at Last by Emperor.

NOW KNOWN AS "HIGHNESS."

After Nine Years Francis Ferdinand's Morganatic Spouse Is Honored by Her Husband's Uncle—Helped by the Kaiser.

By granting the title of "highness" to the Princess of Hohenberg, morganatic wife of Archduke Francis Ferdinand of Austria-Hungary, the old ruler of the dual monarchy, Emperor Francis Joseph, has renewed the discussion of the exact status of the princess and the possibility of her sitting on the throne with her husband, who is nephew and heir to the aged emperor. The princess and her husband will shortly visit the kaiser at Berlin, where they will receive great honors.

The kaiser is said to be responsible for the new honor accorded to the princess, although it is known that the aged Francis Joseph has been in a relenting mood for some time past, and chapters in what is now called "A Romance of International Love and Politics" seem to be written fast. The children of this morganatic marriage are the Princess Sophia, aged eight; Prince Maximilian Charles, aged seven, and Prince Ernest, aged five.



PRINCESS OF HOHENBERG.

The kaiser's reasons for inducing the emperor to honor his heir's wife, according to the Austrian authorities, is due to a desire to promote better feelings toward Germany on the part of the new duchess, who has been a steadfast opponent of pan-Germanism.

Married to Archduke in 1900.

The wife of the heir to the Austrian throne is the daughter of Count Chotek, former Austrian ambassador to Belgium. At the time of her marriage to Francis Ferdinand, July 1, 1900, she received from the emperor the title Princess of Hohenberg.

Archduke Francis Joseph is the only heir to the throne in the history of Austria who contracted a morganatic marriage for the sake of his wife, who is a member of an old Bohemian family. The archduke for ten years resisted all the imperial efforts to marry him to a woman of his own rank. The emperor himself vainly endeavored to stop the marriage, but finally gave his consent. At the wedding the archduke took an oath that he would not declare his wife either empress or queen or his children as members of the imperial house. But now Hungarian lawyers say that this renunciation does not apply to Hungary and that the princess may become queen of that kingdom, which is part of the dual empire. Indeed, there are many in Austria who now believe that the renunciation will not be too rigidly adhered to in Austria and that her highness, who was born Countess Sophia Chotek, may be empress as well as queen.

More Honors For the Princess.

It is understood in court circles that this evidence of the emperor's relenting after nine years of obduracy will be followed by other honors bestowed upon the once unrecognized morganatic wife of the Austrian heir.

The new duchess, it is understood, intends to approach the Vatican in an effort to induce the pope to annul the archbishop's vows of renunciation which stand between her elder son and succession to the Austrian throne.

NEWS BY TELEPHONE.

American Company to Furnish Service Similar to European.

The Telephone Newspaper company of America, with offices in New York, announced that probably within a year's time it will be in a position to furnish subscribers with news of general interest, political happenings, baseball reports by innings and a score of other branches of current events by telephone to a subscriber's home.

While this is the first telephone newspaper company in this country, the plan of distributing news by telephone from central stations has met with more or less success in London, Paris, Vienna and Budapest. It is understood that the same general lines will be followed in America.

Manley M. Gillam, who will head the new company as president, said that the "newspaper" would try to supply its subscribers with every branch of news and as an added inducement will furnish during the evenings, while the opera season is on, a vocal and instrumental musical service. Patents controlling the appliance of transmitting and receiving news, he said, are owned by Cornelius Balassa, one of the directors of the company.

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NOTICE

Tax Collector.

All persons liable by law to pay taxes in the Eighth School District of Manchester are hereby notified that I shall on October 1, 1909, have a rate bill for the collection of three mills upon the dollar, laid on the list of 1908, due the collector October 1st, 1909, and payable into the treasury October 15, 1909. I will be at the Herald office on Saturday, October 9, and Saturday, October 16, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., for the collection of said taxes.

TAKE NOTICE.

The law provides that if any taxes shall remain unpaid one month after the same shall become due, interest at the rate of nine per cent. shall be charged from the time that such tax becomes due until the same is paid, also lawful fees for travel or collecting after November 15, 1909.

THOMAS FERGUSON,
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ABOUT TOWN.

John Griffin has moved from Woodbridge street to Edward street.

George L. Fish of Bolton is breaking in as a conductor on the Rockville line. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cowles of West Center street have been visiting relatives in Glastonbury this week.

Edward Bronkie of the 129th Coast Artillery, stationed at Newport, R.I., is home on a ten days' furlough.

Thomas Waddell is laying a concrete walk in front of the Center Congregational parsonage on Main street.

N. C. Ingalls left yesterday afternoon for a few days' visit with his wife and daughter in New Bedford, Mass.

The Eighth district's tax collector will be at the office of The Herald all day tomorrow to receive the annual three mill tax.

J. A. Alvord's store and house at the Green have been wired for electricity and the lights were turned on last evening for the first time.

Mrs. W. F. Taylor, who has been visiting relatives in Manchester, N. H., for the past three weeks, returned home yesterday afternoon.

The Manchester Green Improvement society will hold its regular meeting tonight at Bliss Hall. An informal program of entertainment will be carried out.

Nine candidates were initiated to the first and second degrees at the meeting of Manchester Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, in Cheney hall Wednesday evening.

Miss Sadie Miller, formerly with the Rubnow Specialty Shop and for a number of years clerk at the Boston Store, has entered the employ of the New York Store.

The last public meeting for the reception of members of the local nest of Owls was held in Foresters' hall Wednesday evening. Eight new members were received.

Clinton G. Williams, while picking apples at his farm in Buckland yesterday, fell from a ladder and was badly bruised. Fortunately no bones were broken. He will be laid up for a few days.

J. T. Robertson with his wife and daughter, are expected home this evening. They have been in the West for the past six weeks visiting the Seattle exposition and other points of interest in the West.

Mrs. H. A. Nettleton, president of the Rebekah State Assembly, visited the Central Village lodge Tuesday evening and yesterday and today has been attending the Rhode Island state assembly in Providence.

The employees of the Southern New England Telephone Company, who are installing the subway system at the Center, are at present engaged in the work of putting in a manhole at the junction of Main and Center streets.

Thomas Finnegan, who has been at the Hartford hospital the past two weeks, expects to be able to return home tomorrow. Mr. Finnegan strained his leg in jumping when a boy and has had more or less trouble with it since then.

Members of the First Company, Governor's Foot Guard, will hold a shoot at the Keeney street range next Tuesday. The shooting will begin at ten o'clock. Captain William C. Cheney is making the arrangements for the event.

The district meeting of the Sons of Temperance, including the Manchester, South Manchester and Hartford divisions, will be held with the South Manchester division in Cheney hall this evening. A musical and literary program will be given and refreshments will be served.

A party of about twenty-five of the friends of Miss Grace Titus assembled at her home on North Elm street Wednesday evening and gave her a linen shower. Miss Titus is to be married to Alfred Howland, the local agent for the Adams Express Co. Miss Titus received a number of very useful presents.

Rev. and Mrs. David L. Yale of Enfield, formerly of Talcottville, celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary last Monday evening. A large number of the members and friends of his church met at the parsonage to assist them. The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. Yale. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

W. L. Buckland, who returned home from his western trip the early part of the week, has traveled in every state in the Union, with the exception of four. During his recent trip he visited the exposition at Seattle and a number of the prominent cities of the West. Mr. Buckland thinks that Portland, Oregon, is one of the leading cities of the West.

The large water tank on the top of the Carlyle Johnson building has been newly painted and bears the name of the firm which can be easily read by people coming to town by train. The company has made many improvements on the plant during the past summer. Its business is steadily increasing and the firm bids fair to become one of the thriving industries of the town.

Don't forget that the place to hire a team is the Bissell Street Stables, S. D. Paul, Prop.

Thomas F. Moriarty of Norwich was a town today calling on his friends.

Dr. Thomas G. Sloan has changed his afternoon office hours to two to three.

The Military Band of South Manchester will give a dance in Cheney hall next Tuesday evening.

Miss Mary Sullivan of Woodland street, returned today from a three weeks visit in New York city.

L. J. Richmond is away on a vacation trip, which includes visits to Albany, New York and Boston.

The ladies of the North Methodist church have set Wednesday evening, November 10, as the date of their annual chicken pie supper.

Frederick Williams of Oakland street, who has been employed by the Carlyle Johnson Co., has purchased a place in Bridgeport and will move there next week, accompanied by his mother.

The souvenir plates, cups and saucers of the Martha Washington pattern, which Watkins Brothers are giving away to purchasers during their anniversary sale, are much admired and are in great demand.

The regular monthly meeting of the Manchester Poultry Association was held last evening in the town hall. The attendance was small and the evening was given up to an informal discussion of poultry topics.

John J., the seven-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy of Hartford, died Tuesday forenoon at the home of Mrs. Murphy's mother, Mrs. Julia Sullivan of Pine street. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon with burial in St. James cemetery.

Mrs. Benjamin Lailey and two children of Norwich, Mass., are visiting her brother Thomas Ferguson. Mrs. Lailey is accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Uphill, who, with her daughter, is stopping at Andrew Ferguson's on Birch street.

Roller skating is to be revived in Manchester this winter. Chief Sheridan, who is now managing the Armory, has received 300 pairs of skates and the fun will begin one week from tomorrow. After that the Armory will be open for roller skating each Wednesday and Saturday afternoon.

The newly elected officers of St. Mary's T. A. B. society are: President, James F. Touhey; vice president, Thomas F. Shea; treasurer, F. H. Wall; financial secretary, Theodore Champagne; recording secretary, William Talton; executive committee, Edward Hickey, Fred Chartier, George Bryan. These officers will be installed at a later meeting.

The macadam work on Charter Oak street has been steadily progressing during the past week and about 1500 feet of first course stone has been put down. The second course or inch stone has been laid for about 1,000 feet and between 500 and 600 feet has been top dressed. The macadam is hauled from the south trolley terminus by the traction engine.

Frank Cheney Jr. and Horace B. Cheney have been appointed members of the reception committee and Col. John Hickey chairman of the military committee in connection with the formal opening of the new state armory and arsenal in Hartford the twelfth of next month. President Taft, Governor Weeks and staff, Governor Hughes and staff of New York and Major General Bell and other military attaches will be present.

The work of oiling the road between Burnside and Love Lane was strated yesterday by employees of the state highway department. The oil was drawn from a tank on Case & Marshall's siding in Woodland. The work of oiling the highway was started at the Burnside end and by night the job had been completed as far as Laurel Park. At present the oil is rather thick on the surface and until it has a chance to soak in automobilists will do well to use caution in traveling over the road.

The second annual dance of the Italian Christopher Columbus Benevolent Society given in Cheney hall Tuesday evening in observance of Columbus day, was attended by over 200 people. Naturally, the gathering was made up largely of our Italian residents but a large number of English speaking people were also present. The Peerless orchestra of seven pieces gave a concert program in the early evening after which a dance program of 16 numbers was carried out. Prof. C. Foley prompted. Refreshments were served in the lower hall at intermission.

About 125 members of Manchester Lodge of Masons attended the annual Past Masters' night last Tuesday evening. The Master Mason degree was conferred on Walter M. Saunders. Past Master William Ferguson filled the principal chair. Among the prominent visitors present were Past Grand Master Havens and Asa P. Fitch. At the close refreshments were enjoyed in the lower hall. Owing to the illness of Past Master J. D. Henderson who was to act as toastmaster, Past Master F. A. Verplanck acted in that capacity. Short speeches were made by a number of the visitors and prominent members of the lodge.

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