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Do you want a Wheel whose name is its guarantee? If so come and get one of Our Latest Model Columbias, Strongest, Lightest and Best.

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I have a large stock of COAL of all kinds and sizes on hand and under cover. Wood split all lengths always on hand.

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BURDOCK AND DANDELION BLOOD AND STOMACH BITTERS

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Wm. C. Brown & Co., Druggists, Pine Street, South Manchester.

HARD TIMES PRICES.

Every Saturday until further notice we will sell our

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AT 2 CTS. A POUND LESS THAN REGULAR PRICES

This is a genuine offer and we invite everybody to call and satisfy themselves, as by so doing we can save them money.

GRANT & COWLES,

FULLER'S BLOCK,

North Main Street, Manchester, Conn.

A NEW DEAL.

Having bought out H. L. Vibberts' Express, I shall run it to Hartford Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from South Manchester; Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays from North Manchester.

Orders left at F. W. Mills', Hale, Day & Co's, or at H. L. Vibberts' office will receive prompt attention. Hartford Headquarters, J. P. Allen's, U. S. Stables.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF MANCHESTER.

Before Ordering your Cemetery Work done, call and see us, and we will guarantee to suit you, in material, price and workmanship and will pay your fare both ways if you will place an order with us.

As we employ no agents, you will save the agents' commission by trading with us.

ELDREDGE & ADAMS, ROCKVILLE, CONN.

DON'T PAINT

THIS SPRING without seeing HUBBARD about it. He furnishes the best paints made and will do the work right.

Park St., So. Manchester.

Citizens' Bakery.

HOME MADE PIES and LOAF CAKE, SPECIALTIES.

D. Lull & Son, South Manchester, Conn.

TOWN NEWS.

In the Washington dispatches of April 1, to the Hartford "Courier," it was noted that Rollin M. Wood would soon be appointed postmaster at the South Manchester office and everybody hereabouts has been on the alert all week waiting to hear the announcement of the appointment being made, but at this writing it has not been done, in as far as we are advised.

Vice-President Maurice Maloney presided at the meeting of the Central Sectional Union of Catholic Total Abstinence Societies, held in Rockville this week and installed the officers. Their next Convention will be held in Hartford, in the latter part of August.

Miss Mary Gilpin, who has been employed as a domestic by Dr. W. R. Tinker set sail for the County Armagh, Ireland, last Saturday.

William Lawrence of Montague, Mass., a brother of Mrs. George F. Day, died Saturday March 31, after a contest of some five days with pneumonia. He was 31 years of age, leaves a wife and four daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Day and two of Mrs. Day's sisters, Mrs. Jennie Lamont, Mrs. Mary Devereux and Mrs. Payne of this place and Mrs. D. B. Russell of Hartford, attended the funeral.

In his introductory remarks last Sunday, Rev. Richard C. Grogan, the new pastor of St. Bridget's church, gave notice that he would do all in his power to do up both the societies organized for temperance work by his predecessor, Rev. W. J. Doolan, and in general to promote the interest and welfare of all concerned.

The Swedish children's sewing society "Fifteen" met at the residence of Mrs. Nelson, on Pleasant street, Mar. 24, under the leadership of M. Vihberg, Asst. assistant teachers, Mrs. A. Johnson, Mrs. C. Axelson and Mrs. G. Stenman were elected. It was decided to give an entertainment in the next future for the benefit of the "Orphanus Adolphus Orphan's Home."

FOR THE ISLE OF GREEN. Stuart Johnson, leader of the "Fifteen" Band and Thomas O'Neil, a prominent member of the same organization, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stevenson and Robert Adams, left here on Wednesday to set sail on the steamship Teutonic for their native home in Portland, County Armagh, Ireland.

BASKET BALL FOR CO. G. Sergeant Major Hynes of Hartford will be at the Armory next Monday evening, and bring out all the necessary equipments with him, so as to give the boys a lesson in the very popular game of basket ball. This will take place after the drill. An effort will then be made to organize a team by members of the Company and this carry on the sport in the same manner as being done by the military companies in the city.

SWANSON-BENSON. Andrew Swanson and Miss Hanna Benson are to be married Friday April 13. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. A. G. Olson in the Swedish Lutheran church, for which occasion the interior will be suitably decorated. Charles Benson and Leta Benson and Emma Anderson as maids of honor. A bridal feast will follow at the residence of Claas Peterson on Linden street, where the young couple will reside.

J. A. ARMSTRONG IN TOWN. J. A. Armstrong, now of Thompson, but formerly proprietor of the dry goods store in the Park building, here was in town this week removing with him in effects, which have been stored away in the house where Dr. Fluhb Brown now lives. The doctor did not move his household goods from Norfolk until this week, as there was not room enough in the building for the two sets of furniture. Mr. Armstrong's numerous friends here were pleased to see him.

APPOINTED AS GUARD. P. J. Ahern of Gardner street has secured a position as guard, in the state prison at Waterbury. He left here last Saturday and began his new duties on Sunday morning April 1. He expects to get home over Monday about once in two weeks, and will not move his family for the present. He has had a long wait for this position and his friends will be pleased to learn that he was finally successful.

GOOD WORK. E. T. Carrier has made a much needed improvement on the sidewalk in front of his residence by laying in a wooden curbing and raising up the walk. That has long been a bad place in wet weather and pedestrians will certainly appreciate the good work done. There is also ample room for some more of the same sort of labor on the property adjoining, which it is hoped will soon be performed.

Huntington's Business College placed 4 pupils in positions last week. The past 8 days it has entered 18 new ones. This school is a natural boon.

FINE SHOWING.

Tax payers will be interested and pleased to know the fact that, Tax Collector John Loomis has gathered for and paid in to the town treasury, the sum of \$41,200, on the roll call of 1903. Mr. Loomis made payment to Treasurer Wadsworth yesterday. This is close work, as it leaves probably less than \$1,000 to be collected, as the entire roll call was a little over \$42,000 and the discount of five per cent for advance payment had reduced the total amount some \$2,500.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD. At the annual meeting of the Sunday School board of the South Methodist church, held last Monday evening, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: R. N. Stanley, superintendent; Wm. Ferguson, assistant superintendent; E. L. G. Holmquist, secretary and treasurer; J. W. Brown, assistant secretary; Ora Capen, chorister; Lillie Davidson, Organist; Howard Taylor and Fitch Barber, librarians.

LUCIERS TOMORROW NIGHT. Luciers ministers will make their appearance before the fast-light in Armory Hall tomorrow evening and lovers of moral instruction will be given a treat. This combination of talented performers has been before the public for a long time and is well received by the press and people everywhere. It will be the first minstrel troupe to appear before an audience in the new Armory Hall and present under the name of a well-acted performance and it is expected to draw a large and profitable house.

NEW OFFICERS S. O. T. At their meeting last Friday evening, South Manchester Division No. 127 of T. O. T. chose the following officers for the coming three months: Mrs. Carrie Dutton, W. P.; Mary R. Callahan, W. A.; Albert Pink, R. S.; George White, A. R.; E. E. Hohen, F. S.; S. W. Kelley, L. O.; Treasurer: Ezekiel Benson, chaplain; Thomas Wright, Cond.; Alice Spencer, Asst. Cond.; Florence Taylor, L. S.; Thomas Connolly, O. S.; Wm. Sawyer, P. W. P.; It is expected that new officers will be installed this Friday evening.

PROOF OF FISH STORIES DEMANDED. Druggist P. B. Horton today gives notice that he will give a box of ten cent cigars to the person who can prove the largest and best string of trout caught by said person this season, and trout to be placed on exhibition for one day and evening in the show window of the Oxford Pharmacy. This he demands not on account of the intrinsic worth or value of the fish, but as a token of the sincerity and truthfulness of the fisherman. All anglers are hereby warned to take due notice thereof and govern themselves accordingly.

CHRISTOPHER BEIBER'S DEATH. Christopher Beiber of Center street died last week after a lingering illness with stomach trouble. He was 124 years old and was a native of Germany and his daughter, Mrs. C. G. Watkins, Dr. Plumb Brown and Fred Lach, rop awarded the medal to Uncle John when the audience was leaving the hall some one turned out the electric lights and kept lighting and turning them out at intervals of a few seconds apart until E. L. G. Holmquist came down and stopped the sport.

GRACIE ISLIEB WINS. A large audience assembled in the town hall last Saturday evening to listen to the elocutionary contest for a Democrat silver medal, and the program was carried out. The speakers were, Minnie Gotsberg, Annie Ladd, Minnie Curran, Annie Aitkin, Gracie Islieb and Nellie Aitkin, all of whom spoke very well indeed. The Judges, Mrs. C. G. Watkins, Dr. Plumb Brown and Fred Lach, rop awarded the medal to Gracie Islieb when the audience was leaving the hall some one turned out the electric lights and kept lighting and turning them out at intervals of a few seconds apart until E. L. G. Holmquist came down and stopped the sport.

POSTMASTER BALCH. Word was received here last Tuesday from Washington, that Charles I. Balch had been appointed postmaster at Manchester to succeed Levi Drake whose term of office expired in February. There was no formal objection to Mr. Balch's appointment. He has not yet received his commission and consequently no definite statement can be made as to what disposition will be made of the office or what has carried out in connection with it. The matters of location, arrangement and assistant are all to be determined after the commission is received. Mr. Balch will, in all probability, continue in his present position in the store of A. L. Brown & Co. in connection with an assistant, attend to the duties of postmaster.

Read what R. J. Weldon has to say on the slipper question, in his new advertisement elsewhere in THE NEWS.

Barbed wire at Ferris Brothers, 21 cts a pound.

The Glenwood Range.



Contains many new features combined with those proven by experience to be very valuable. Every detail has been considered at great length by men who have had long experience in the business, and nothing has been left undone to make this a perfect range. The castings are of the best quality of iron, and their smoothness and firmness of texture are remarkable. This range should be critically examined to fully comprehend all its many points of excellence.

The manufacturer of this range started in business in 1877. They were a half dozen of practical workmen, who had grown tired of strikes and joined themselves into a company to manufacture these goods, which, solely on their merits, in open competition with others, have pushed themselves to the front, until today these people turn out more ranges than any concern in New England.

T. P. AITKIN, Sole Agent for Manchester, Conn., Depot Square.

Low Prices On Meats.

I will sell meats for Cash at my market every Saturday until further notice, at the following Greatly Reduced Prices:

Porch and Sausages, 10 cts lb. Round Steak, 12 cts, 5 lbs. 50 cts. Roast Beef, 10 to 14 cts. Shoulder Steak, 10 cts. lb. Sirloin and Short Steaks, 15 cts lb. Vealhouse Steak, 20 cts. lb. Legs of Mutton, 12 cts. lb. Bologna and Frankfurts 2 cts. lb. Discount.

Remember these Saturday prices are for Cash only and at the Market.

O. E. MANNELL, Charter Oak Street, South Manchester, Conn.

LOW PRICES ON FURNITURE.

For Parlor and Kitchen, including Carpets, Stoves, Ranges, Crockery, Glass, China and Tin-ware, Clocks, Pictures and Frames, Pianos, Organs, Lamps, Curtains, Fixtures, Wall Papers and in fact everything needed for the household. Upholstering and Repairing. Baby Carriages, Trunks and Traveling Bags. I have a new Range called "The Household Pet." Ask to see it. Come and see me, and I will save you money. Undertaking in all its branches.

B. C. APEL, Furniture Dealer and Undertaker, Manchester, Conn. Apel's Open House Block.

MILLINERY!

Choice Trimmings, Hundreds of Untrimmed Hats from 25 cents up. Crepes, Crepe de Chine, Moire, Silks, Ribbons in Silk and Velvet, and in all the Latest Shades.

A handsome assortment of Flowers Almost impossible to distinguish them from the real. Novelties of the Very Latest Ideas.

Miss M. Quinn & Co., School Street, South Manchester, Ct.

CHALLENGE'S Adapted to any business or profession. Ruled, with printed headings, and indexed through to require the least possible writing to enter data and refer quickly to any name. Save time and CORRESPONDENCE money. 5,000 used and recorded. All kinds of Labor Saving Records on hand RECORDS or made to order.

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THE Good News Grand Range is the Finest Range in the Market.

The Model Grand Range has the Best Casting of any Range in the Market.

All kinds of Jobbing at Short Notice.

PLUMBING & TIN ROOFING.

HUGH MORIARTY, Main Street, South Manchester.

THE HOUSEKEEPERS ATTENTION.

Spring is here and you will want Paints and Wall Paper, Whitewash, Lime, Floor Paint, Paint Brushes and also Window Shades.

The best Kid Shoes in the state, for Ladies, \$1.50 per pair. Over 1000 pairs sold already, which proves their merits.

J.M. Burke, Main Street, South Manchester.

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SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN., APRIL 13, 1894.

FIVE CENTS.

Garden Seeds

AT

CHENEY'S STORE.

Everybody who has any land at all should raise vegetables this year. It costs much less to raise your own vegetables, than it costs to buy them.

Hawley's Seeds.

A complete stock of them can be found at our store. Guaranteed Seeds, all of them. Come and get your stock early. A big trade in seeds is coming our way.

CHENEY'S STORE.

Slippers and Low Shoes.

Oxford Ties, and all the latest styles in Ladies, Misses and Children's Shoes.

Some of the Latest Styles in Men's, Boys' and Youths' Shoes; also Men's Derby Hats and Caps a specialty.

Call and get prices. ROBERT J. WELDON, South Manchester Boot and Shoe Store.

VICTOR! VICTOR!! VICTOR!!!

Do you intend buying a Bicycle this season? If so, call at Ferris Brothers and examine the Victor which has always made the Price. Better this season than ever before, \$125.00. A fine Bicycle for \$85.00 and a number of good second-hand Bicycles cheap at

FERRIS BROTHERS.

SHOE TALK.

I have just laid in a large stock of Winter Shoes and am determined to sell them at Hard Times Prices.

Here are a few specimens: Men's Working Shoes, \$1.50. Men's Waterproof Shoes, \$1.60. Men's Pat. Leather Oxford Ties, \$1.50. Men's Genuine Kangaroo Shoes, \$3.00. Ladies Dongola Button Shoes, \$3.00. Ladies Kid Boots, (The Luna) \$2.00.

WM. E. GLEASON.

MAURICE J. TOOHY, Catholic Undertaker, WILLIAMS STREET, MANCHESTER, CONN.

Calls attended to at all hours of day or night. Hearse and Carriages on short notice.

Spring Suitings.

I have just opened up a choice new line of Spring Suitings of the latest patterns, and can fit you out in a nobby suit for a reasonable sum.

With a large new line of Ready Made Clothing for Men and Boys, I can suit anyone in style, price and quality. All my Spring Patterns are now in. You are cordially invited to inspect them.

C. E. HOUSE, Merchant Tailor and Outfitter, South Manchester, Conn.

TOWN NEWS.

Additional local news on pages 4 and 8.

John Sheridan has a violent attack of pneumonia.

H. Larson was enlisted as a recruit in Company G, last Monday evening.

M. S. Chapman returned from Washington D. C. last Wednesday.

Another "sugar boy" was born to Captain C. L. Bissell, last Monday.

Robert McDonald of Parson's Row is suffering with bronchitis.

John Lippin is now occupying Wm. J. Carr's tenement on Maple street.

Robert Metcalf welcomed another son into his household last Saturday.

Mrs. Fred H. Southwick has been ill this week and under Dr. Bradley's care.

Mrs. John Johnson is riding a new Hartford bicycle, purchased lately from Chas. E. House.

J. A. Murphy of Manchester was called away in Company G, last Monday evening.

Read what Watkins Brothers have to say in their new advertisement elsewhere in THE NEWS.

Mrs. Mary Chapman and her daughter Annie have been visiting with David Chapman at Steinhart, Long Island.

Wm. Joyce of Chicago, is expected to arrive here on a visit to parents and friends this week.

The Young Ladies Club will give a dance in Woodbridge Hall, Manchester, Green, Friday evening April 20.

Mrs. John Dawson moved into one of Cheney Brothers tenements on Charter Oak street last week Saturday.

Joseph Hunter moved into one of Wm. Murphy's tenements on Cottage street last Saturday.

Mr. C. S. Cheney who has been confined to his home with a severe cold, is, we are glad to say, improving.

John Thornton moved from West street to the house just vacated by Wm. John Marshall.

Will McCabe expects to move his household effects to William street next Monday, the 16.

Mrs. Sarah Bissell, mother of C. L. Bissell is still confined to her bed. She has been sick for quite a while.

Burdette Dickinson is whirling a new high frame Hartford wheel, purchased of Chas. E. House.

A good short article entitled "Encourage Home Talent," appears on page 5 of THE NEWS. Read it.

Rev. J. B. Ackley has been assigned as pastor of the Methodist church in Tolland, for the ensuing year.

Lyall & Foul's paper mill in Parkville, is now in operation. It has been shut down for another year.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Barber will entertain their Sunday school classes this Friday evening.

Rev. W. J. Doolan of Southington, made the Sacred Heart, Cadets of Manchester, a present of four snare drums, as many hats.

The nomination of Charles I. Balch as postmaster at Manchester was confirmed by the United States senate Wednesday April 11, 1894.

Rev. J. Tregaskis has been chosen to serve as pastor of the North Methodist church for another year. This starts him out on his second year in Manchester.

Lieut. H. R. Cheney was chosen as treasurer of Company G., at the last meeting of the Company last Monday evening, to succeed Lieut. W. B. Porter, resigned.

Considering the hard times, Manchester Lodge No 73 F and A. M. is in a prosperous condition, having three candidates in process of initiation and application for membership.

If the harvest carry out their agreement, as published elsewhere in THE NEWS, there will be no more shaving done by them on Sundays, beginning with Sunday April 22.

The newly elected officers of St. Mary's Total Abstinence society are: Maurice M. Maloney, president; John J. Toohy, vice president; James Hickey, secretary and Patrick McVeigh, treasurer.

Mrs. George Tealof of Eldredge street left here last Tuesday for the Hartford hospital, to undergo an operation. She has a host of friends who will anxiously await the result and earnestly hope it may prove successful.

Hugh McFarley's stove store and plumbing shop, corner of Eldredge and Main streets has been brightened up with a coat of paint this week. Mr. L. Russell and his assistants are doing the work.

In "The Haven of Culture," presented in "The Maugens Club" week, Mrs. W. B. Cheney took the character of Cassandra and Miss Emily Cheney that of Socrates, both of whom were well received by the audience and highly complimented by the press of the "City of Elms."

Rev. John McVay has been reappointed as pastor of the Methodist church at Barnside. This will enable him to carry on the good work in which he has labored so hard and successfully during the past year of building up and paying for his new church.

Rev. A. G. Olson will attend the meeting of the Swedish Lutheran ministers of the Hartford District, which will convene in New Britain next week Wednesday and Thursday. This in charge all the Swedish ministers in Connecticut.

Franklin Lewis and family left here Wednesday for an extended visit in the south. They will go to Bristol, Tennessee and spend a few days at the residence of Mrs. Henry Taylor who has moved into the Lewis residence.

A temperance rally was held for the town hall last evening, the attractions being singing by Mr. and Mrs. Beveridge of New Britain, and an address by Allen B. Lincoln, editor of the "New England Home," on "The Present Crisis and What to Do."

J. D. Humanson, who was injured by a fall some ten weeks ago, is still unable to do any work, although he manages to move about the streets somewhat. Originally this is Mr. Humanson's business week, but it does not seem as if he would be able to do much work for some time to come.

John Robinson, who is employed by H. G. and B. Cheney on the grounds at their homestead here, expects to get married to a young woman in New York city, Saturday April 14. He will continue in his present position and live in the house lately occupied by Leander H. Sooner, on Prospect street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bowen have just closed a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Gould at Glen Saint Mary, Florida, and have passed on to Bristol, East Tennessee. They intend to go from there to Washington, D. C. and visit the principal places in the national capital. While in Glen Saint Mary, they enjoyed a visit to what was once the home of C. M. Hastings, now of this place.

As there is to be a new high school class formed in the Ninth District school, persons from other schools who would like to take up the studies of latin and algebra, can do so now, and will have about eight weeks of these studies during the present term. The high school now numbers about 75 pupils. It is better for pupils and teachers to have all the class start at the same time.

Oliver Maguire has laid in a large line of new suitings for the spring trade, and his collection embraces designs that should please the most fastidious. He has some real bargains in ready-made clothing for men and boys.

PLEASANT PARTY. A surprise party was tendered to David Nelson at his home on Pleasant street on Friday evening last. Quite a large number of friends and relatives were present, and a very enjoyable evening was had of dancing, games, singing, etc. The musical party was conducted by William Brainerd, Richard McCann and Miss Maggie Richmond presiding at the organ.

Fire assortment of Ladies' and Boys' Shirt Waists at Cheney's Store.

PAINT. PAINT.

ARE YOU GOING TO PAINT YOUR HOME THIS YEAR?

At Cheney's Store you can find a complete line of Paints.

CLEVELAND RUBBER PAINT the best prepared paint made. JEWETT'S LEAD and CAMPBELL & THAYER'S LINSEED OIL.

Also TINTING COLORS for certain quantity white lead. W. B. CHENEY.

FOR TWO WEEKS I WILL LEAD WITH

TOILET SOAPS. With prices so low it will pay you to purchase a year's supply.

Ten-cent Soap, 5 cents. Twenty-five-cent Soap, 16 cents. Fifty-cent Soap, 35 cents.

Look in my window in the Orford Hall Building.

F. B. HORTON PHARMACIST.

YOU CAN BUY Furniture

AND

Carpets

AT

WATKINS BROTHERS'

AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

Ash Chamber Sets, \$18.50 All wool Victoria, .75

Ash Chamber Sets, 20.00 Tapestry Brussels, .65

Oak Chamber Sets, 24.00 Best Tapestry Brussels, .90

Parlor Suits, \$32 to \$125 Body Brussels, .85, 1.00, 1.15 and 1.25

Oil Cloth, 20 cts. a yd. Best Moquettes, 1.25

All wool extra super carpet, .65

LOT OF HANDSOME RUGS JUST RECEIVED.

WATKINS BROTHERS.

CHILDREN'S COLUMN

Little Tommie two years. Little Totie two years. Sitte upon my knee. 'Till me just one story. 'Till me just one story. 'Till me just one story. 'Till me just one story.

Indian Games and Sports. Our sports were modelled by the life and customs of our people—indeed we practiced only what we expected to do when grown.

Anecdote of Bismarck. The Dentache Union publishes the following as a translation of "Prince Bismarck's good humor."

The races were an every-day occurrence. At noon the boys were usually gathered by some pleasant sheet of water, and as soon as the ponies were watered, they were allowed to graze.

White House Babies. There are now living three White House babies who are not yet two old as the title. Baby McKee has long been seven years old, and is enjoying a beautiful home in Indianapolis.

These Tairichun Mongols are much given to all forms of magic. Storm-dissipating they appear to have learned from the Kamba Tibetans; but the origin is not clear.

Jeweler. "I can't let you have an other engagement ring. Mr. Upton. You own me for three already."

During the last year the postmaster of this country handled nearly 4,000,000,000 stamped pieces of paper.

HERRING NETTERS.

A Cape Cod Industry That Smacks of Tennis. Weird Scenes at a Herring Creek by Moonlight.

When trout became legal fry the angler by virtue of statutory enactment Cape Codders go "herring."

When the herring have commenced to "run" into the ponds by the end of the salt creeks, a bright moonlight night is just suited for their destruction.

The fish apparently are frightened by the netting, if it is a crowd, there is an air of impatience that often results in derogatory netting and audible cuss words.

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HELL INTO THE FLAMES.

NINE FIREMEN KILLED IN A BURNING THEATRE. The Blazing Roof of the Davidson, at Milwaukee, Wis., Drops In, Carrying With It Those Who Were Fighting the Fire—Noble Deeds of Heroism.

The Davidson Theatre and Hotel, the finest playhouse in Milwaukee, Wis., and one of the handsomest and coolest theatres in the country, was destroyed by fire early a few mornings ago, and eight firemen lost their lives by the falling in of the roof.

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A BUILDING'S COLLAPSE.

A Number of Deaths Caused by the Wreck of a Tenement House. Four persons were killed and five wounded.

The collapse was witnessed by several persons. The cause of the collapse was the falling in of the roof.

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FATAL ELECTION FIGHTS.

BLOODSHED AT THE KANSAS CITY AND CHICAGO POLLS. A Murderous Collision Between the American Protective Association and Catholics at the Kansas City Election—One Man Dead—Shooting at Chicago.

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MURDERED BY STRIKERS.

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Jeweler. "I can't let you have an other engagement ring. Mr. Upton. You own me for three already."

During the last year the postmaster of this country handled nearly 4,000,000,000 stamped pieces of paper.

THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

Eastern and Middle States. The strikes in the coke region of Pennsylvania continued to further sections of violence.

Senator Hill's Views. An Epitome of His Speech on the Senate floor on the tariff question.

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Under the Engine. Seven Men Killed in an Accident at New Era, Mich.

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Table with columns for dates and numerical data, likely a calendar or schedule.

NATIONAL LOAN AND INVESTMENT CO. LOCAL ADVISORY BOARD FORMED.

A Local Advisory Board of the National Loan and Investment Company of Detroit, Michigan, was formed in the Cheney building, corner of Main and Charter Oak streets, Wednesday evening, March 29th, 1894, and the following were chosen to the respective positions:

President, M. S. Chapman; vice-president, Rev. D. A. Haggerty; treasurer, W. B. Cheney; secretary, W. J. Flood; Appraisal Committee, M. S. Chapman, C. E. Benton and James M. Bradley, Board of Directors, Dr. M. S. Bradley, Dr. T. H. Weldon, Dr. J. N. Parker and J. H. Cheney.

The organization was conducted by W. W. Smith, general state agent.

Subscriptions for stock will be received at the secretary's office here, where the blanks will be kept and full information given regarding the aims, objects and benefits of the new organization. Call and get some of the literature and study the matter up. It will pay you.

WANTED A BOY. A jolly boy. A boy full of vim. A boy who is square. A boy who can say no. A boy who scorns a lie. A boy who hates deceit. A boy who "sticks to it." A boy who despises slang. A boy who is aboveboard. A boy who never gives up. A boy who will never smoke. A boy who always always black. A boy who is always proud of his big sister. A boy who has forgotten how to waddle. A boy who thinks hard work no disgrace. A boy who stands at the head of his class. A boy who does chores without grumbling. A boy who believes that education is worth while. A boy who is a stranger to the street corners at night. A boy who thinks his mother above all mothers is a model. A boy who plays with all his might during play hours. A boy who does not know more than he knows. A boy who does not wait to be called a second time in the morning. A boy whose absence from Sunday school sets everybody wondering what has happened. -Boy's Brigade Courier.

MANCHESTER EXPRESS. I am running an express wagon to Hartford every day. Orders left at my residence, Mount Neba avenue, R. M. Blyth's, O. Magellan's, T. Weldon & Co.'s or Wm. Gossman's, will receive prompt attention. Has quarters, Hartford Cab Stables, Telephone connections. -JERRY MARRER.

Without pretty neckwear, no young man looks well dressed, no matter how expensive the rest of his wearing apparel may be. I have a collection of nice ones that are right up to date. Call and see them. Peter McFarlane.

Special bargains in Towels at Cheney's.

SUMMER RESORTS.

Clever Scheme of the New England Road. General Passenger Agent Babcock of the New York & New England road has gotten up a well worked circular letter, asking for information about the country towns along the line of that road. On one side are questions of the sort that draw out the facts. On the other side is:-

Boston, March 30, 1894. To Those Interested: -Being desirous of bringing the attractions of the various localities situated on the New York & New England Railroad, to the attention of the large number of persons in the cities and large towns who are looking for summer homes in a healthy and attractive country place, especially one easily and quickly accessible to the large metropolitan centers like New York and Boston, we intend inserting in our summer excursion books, the names of all respectable persons who will answer the questions on the reverse side of this free of charge.

We invite your careful perusal of our plans and hereby co-operation in the enterprise of bringing summer boarders to your homes for the coming season of 1894.

If you are at all interested and would like to increase your income by taking boarders in the summer, kindly fill in the answers to the questions on the back hereof.

If you have any neighbors or friends who would like to do the same, please hand them over a copy of this subject, or inform them that they can procure blank on application to the undersigned, or to the nearest ticket agent of the New York & New England Railroad.

Experience in such an enterprise has developed the fact, that the more names that appear from the same town or village, the more applications are drawn to that locality, showing that even city people, looking for quiet, have an eye on the possibility of companionship with other city people choosing the same locality.

It is evident then, that it would be to our mutual advantage to have you secure as many names from your friends and neighbors as possible.

Desiring to have the new edition of our excursion book, "Mountains Lakes and Sea Shore," go to press as early as possible, your prompt reply is earnestly requested.

Yours very truly, W. B. Babcock, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

Notice of call for a special town meeting appears in another column, and to its previous readers are respectfully referred. From what we can learn, there is every reason to believe that the meeting will be a large and interesting one, and it will doubtless be a difficult matter to secure a full and fair expression of the public verdict, as the town hall is not large enough to accommodate all the voters of the town at any one time. Precautions should be taken to admit legal voters, in preference to others, in as far as this is possible, and everyone should use his best efforts to maintain good order, and be fair and just in his treatment of his fellow man. It would be well, if such a thing was possible, to hold the meeting in a hall large enough to accommodate all the voters, so that they could hear the arguments offered, and thus be enabled to render a popular verdict in accordance with their best judgment, by the light thrown on the subject at the meeting, and then vote accordingly. Calmness and deliberation are necessary.

We do not believe it is a question of "electric railroad or no electric railroad," as has been stated, but in as far as we have been able to judge of the public mind in this matter, it seems to us to be a question of whether the town will pay for grading the streets for the coming of an electric railway, or allow the electric railway people to pay those bills themselves. All persons with whom we have conversed on this subject say, they want an electric railroad, but only put in the proviso named above. If the electric railway people will pay the bills, we do not think there will be any question whatever.

ROW AMONG CHINAMEN. Burglars entered the upper laundry in Purcell's building last Sunday night and stole some \$5. or six in cash, besides about all the shirts, collars, etc. that were in the place. They also tried to set fire to the building by pouring kerosene oil around and setting parties on fire. A box was placed over the latter, and presumably smothered the flames, so that no serious injury was done in that matter. Entrance was effected through the rear door. Arrests have been made among the Chinamen and a suit at law instituted. A chinaman lawyer was brought up from New York to defend the accused. A strong competition has existed between the rival Chinamen for a long time, and it is believed that this is the outcome of the quarrel, but that of course remains to be proven. The case was tried yesterday.

MARCH WEATHER IN APRIL. A snow storm set in last Saturday evening and continued through the night and all day Sunday. The temperature was not down to the freezing point, and the snow clung to the trees, presenting a pretty fairy-like scene. On Sunday morning the ground and houses top were covered with about an inch of snow, and although it kept falling more or less all day, it melted so that it did not accumulate. Cold and raw March winds have prevailed, with heavy frosts at about, after passing the ground as soil in mid-winter.

A second edition of this inseasonable weather was inaugurated on Wednesday morning April 11, when the wind blew again, and kept it up until about one o'clock in the afternoon, when a blinding snow storm set in which lasted some four hours and covered the ground with about eight inches of wet snow.

On Thursday morning April 12, it was found necessary to bring out the snow plows to clear the sidewalks and the merry jingle of sleigh bells resounded along the streets. Snow plows, snow shovels and sleighs being called into requisition in the middle of April, is certainly out of the regular order of things hereabouts, and no doubt will tax the memory of the oldest inhabitant to recall a similar occurrence. This came along just one month later in the season than the good blizzard.

MINSTRELS IN THE ARMY. A fair sized audience assembled in Armory Hall Saturday evening last, to witness the performance given by the Lester's Minstrels. The performance and performers had been well advertised, the expectations of the people were aroused to a high pitch, and judging from the very generous applause accorded to the performers, the initial interest and entertainment in the Army was pronounced success. Good singing, dancing and music abounded, the latter on quite a variety of instruments. The tambourine playing of Billy Freeman alone, was worth the price of admission, he keeping a dozen of them whirling all at one time, and performing seeming impossibilities with one and two tambourines at a time. Kenno, the Irish Coal, was worth the price of admission, he keeping a dozen of them whirling all at one time, and performing seeming impossibilities with one and two tambourines at a time. Kenno, the Irish Coal, was worth the price of admission, he keeping a dozen of them whirling all at one time, and performing seeming impossibilities with one and two tambourines at a time.

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RULE VII. All privy-vaults, cesspools or reservoirs named in Rule 6, shall be cleaned out at such times and in such manner as the Health Officer shall prescribe.

RULE VIII. No person shall keep and maintain upon his premises at any time any privy, water closet, cesspool, sink, drain, stable or pig sty except in a clean and indoffensive condition.

RULE IX. No sewage drain, privy-vault, cesspool or sink shall empty into any stream, pond or other source of water, nor shall any privy or stable be constructed so near such source, pond or other source of water that its contents will drain into the same.

RULE X. No person shall permit the accumulation or removal of the refuse, dirt, manure, or other material, in or about the immediate vicinity of any dwelling house or place of business under his control, or refuse matter such as swill, waste of meat, sour fish, fish or shells, bones, decaying vegetables, dead carcasses or any kind of offal in a state of decomposition.

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We are of the Opinion That This Man needs some repair work done. Don't hesitate to bring us your Wheel, no matter what accident may have happened to it and we will put it in first-class condition.

Changing Solid Tired Wheels to Pneumatics a Specialty. Do you want a Wheel whose name is its guarantee? If so come and get one of Our Latest Model Columbus, Strongest, Lightest and Best.

Then we have an elegant line of Cheap Grade Wheels. Also a stock of Second-Hand, that is selling at Hard Times Prices.

New and second-hand Stoves and Ranges. PLUMBING, STEAM AND HOT-WATER HEATING, TINNING AND GENERAL JOBBING.

Hibbard & Stannard. COAL! COAL!! I have a large stock of COAL of all kinds and sizes on hand and under cover.

Wool split all lengths always on hand. CAN FILL ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY. HENRY L. VIBBERTS, Branch Office, F. W. MILLS, PARK BUILDING, South Manchester, Conn. TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

TRY THOSE BURDOCK AND DANDELION BLOOD AND STOMACH BITTERS FOR SALE BY Wm. C. Brown & Co., Druggists, Pine Street, South Manchester.

HARD TIMES PRICES. Every Saturday until further notice we will sell our MEATS AT 2 CTS. A POUND LESS THAN REGULAR PRICES

This is a genuine offer and we invite everybody to call and satisfy themselves, as by so doing we can save them money.

GRANT & COWLES, FULLER'S BLOCK, North Main Street, Manchester, Conn.

A NEW DEAL. Having bought out H. L. Vibbert's Express, I shall run it to Hartford Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from South Manchester; Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays from North Manchester.

Orders left at F. W. Mills', Hale, Day & Co's, or at H. L. Vibbert's office will receive prompt attention. Hartford Headquarters, J. P. Allen's, U. S. Stables. TELEPHONE CONNECTION AT ALL PLACES. GEORGE A. CLARK.

TO THE PEOPLE OF MANCHESTER. Before Ordering your Cemetery Work done, call and see us, and we will guarantee to suit you in material, price and workmanship and will pay you - fare both ways if you will place an order with us.

As we employ no agents, you will save the agents' commission by trading with us. ELDREDGE & ADAMS, ROCKVILLE, CONN.

DON'T PAINT THIS SPRING without seeing HUBBARD about it. He furnishes the best paints made and will do the work right. Park St., So. Manchester.

TOWN NEWS.

HARD TO DECIDE. Alexander Leggett, son of Wm. Leggett, is in the Hartford hospital and in a dangerous situation. The doctors there believe it necessary for them to amputate his leg in order to save his life, and he telephoned his father yesterday for the necessary permission. Mr. Leggett hesitated about giving his consent, and went into Hartford on the noon train yesterday to see the doctors and counsel with them and his son. It is a trying position to place a parent in, and one in which it is very difficult to decide.

DIQ NOT MATERIALIZE. Quite a number of spectators assembled at Army Hall last Monday evening to witness the introduction of the game of basket ball, but they were disappointed, as Sergeant Major Hynes and his companions did not arrive. The usual weekly drill was executed, and at nine o'clock the lights were put out and all were dismissed. No reasonable explanation of the disappointment could be given at the time. Captain C. L. Bissell has every reason to believe that the sergeant-major would be on hand.

MORE HIGH SCHOOL ROOM. At the opening of the summer term in the Ninth District school next week Tuesday, there will be an addition to the high school department, of some thirty pupils, and in order to accommodate them a partition has been removed in the northwest corner of the building on the top floor, where they will be grouped and taught. Promotions have been made throughout the school from kindergarten to high school and at the opening next week, there will be a general re-arrangement of matters and things in every department.

LUCIER'S MINSTRELS ARE POPULAR. The drawing quality of Lucier's minstrels had a fair test last Monday evening when in spite of the fact that they played to a large audience in Army Hall on Saturday evening, they were again greeted with a good sized attendance in Apol's opera house two nights later. It is very complimentary to the performers and managers to note this fact and also to Manager Apol, and speaks volumes for the popularity of these minstrels. To make so good a double showing at two places in succession in the same town and at times like the present. The people are always ready to laugh. There can be no objection about that fact.

SOCIETY "IDUN". An interesting meeting of the Society "Idun" was arranged to be held in the Swedish Lutheran church last evening, in which the Swedish quartet was furnished music, readings and recitations were included in the program, and a discussion on the question of "Who did most for the freedom of humanity." Regular appointees were chosen to handle opposing sides of this interesting and instructive historical question, the study of which cannot help but be beneficial to all concerned. The Society "Idun" is engaged in the laudable work of combining education, culture and refinement with pleasure, for the entertainment and benefit of its members.

LOOK WELL TO THE BITS. As Thomas Curran was returning from the Manchester station after driving Father Haggerty over to the train, last Monday, the horse became frightened and in trying to restrain him, the bit broke giving him free rein. He ran furiously, throwing Curran out and demolishing the carriage. Luckily the driver and harness were badly mutilated. This should be a warning to drivers to examine the bits from time to time and see that they are in good condition, for it may be that one's life would depend on even so small a matter. Mr. Curran was lucky to escape with his life and had Father Haggerty been with him when the accident occurred, there is no telling how serious the case might have been.

SOCIAL GATHERINGS. The United Order of The Golden Cross, will combine its next regular meeting, which occurs Thursday evening April 19, with a social, and hold the same at the home of E. T. Ferris. This society always had a good time on those occasions and this will be no exception from the regular order. A professional candy maker is engaged, and will be present to exemplify some of the mysteries of his handicraft, and the product of his skill will be partaken of by those present. This plan of combining social gatherings of this sort at the homes of members, was formerly in vogue, and proved very pleasing and profitable, so that it is now intended to renew this feature and thus add to the interest and pleasure of the meetings.

Cheney's Sons are showing very choice Spring Dress Goods at very low prices. Oh Yes - I polished up my roots January 1, 1894. If you want a good Tenonist call at 36 and 37 Charter Oak Street. E. T. CARRIER. The spring styles of ready made clothing are now on exhibition in C. E. House's store, and are quite attractive in style, price and quality.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Taber Chapter No. 6429 Epworth League, will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers etc. on Tuesday evening April 17. The vice presidents are expected to make reports of the work done in the different departments throughout the entire year, all of which will be very interesting to every member of the League and church.

ALL BIDS REJECTED. It is reported that, on some legal technicality, all the bids recently made for the supplying of envelopes for the United States government during the coming four years, have been rejected, and new bids are to be called for. The outcome of this matter will be watched with interest. It is something in which the whole people are more or less concerned with the manipulations of these things are deserving of note. The game is played for large stakes.

NOTICE. We, the undersigned barbers of the town of Manchester, recognizing the Sabbath as a day of rest, and believing that it is for the best interests for the community as well as for the promotion of good morals, to refrain from labor on that day, do hereby agree to keep closed our respective places of business from 12 o'clock midnight, Saturdays, until 7 o'clock a. m. Mondays, for the above agreement to take effect from the 23rd day of April, 1894. Peter Thimmmer, Thos. F. Moriarty, Michael F. Tanner, James Shaw, P. H. Dougherty, J. Roemert, Henry Smith, J. C. Newman, Manchester, Conn., April 11, 1894.

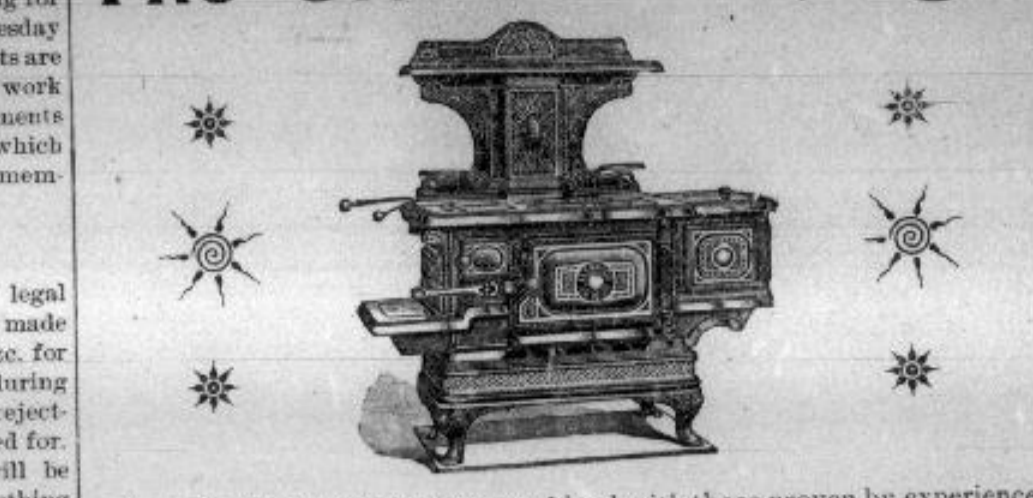
REGISTER YOUR DOGS. Dog owners will do well to give attention to the notices that are being posted about town during the past week, regarding the laws governing the registry of dogs. This duty must be performed on or before May 1, by having all dogs of the age of four months or over, registered, numbered and licensed for one year, at the town clerk's office, and having a collar bearing the owner's name and the registered number attached to each dog's neck. The fee for male and spayed dogs being \$1.15 each, and for female dogs \$1.10 each, for the year ending June 30, 1895. Failure to comply with the laws in this respect is punishable by a fine of not more than \$7, or imprisonment of not more than thirty days, or both. As town expenses have been quite high during the past winter, the hold Upholstering and Repairing, Baby Carriages, Trunks and Traveling Bags. I have a new Range called "The Household Pet." Ask to see it. Come and see me, and I will save you money. Undertaking in all its branches.

WILLIE R. FERRIS DANGEROUSLY ILL. Willie R. Ferris, son of Wm. S. Ferris, was taken down with pneumonia and peritonitis last Saturday night. He had worked in the shop all day, as he is learning the plumber's trade with his father, and although he had a slight cold for several days, nothing serious was thought of it. He did not complain much on Saturday evening, but during the night he had a chill, and yet did not give any alarm, but on Sunday it was deemed expedient to call in Dr. Bradley, who found that they had a collective chill during the night, was then suffering with pneumonia and peritonitis and in a very dangerous situation. They immediately set about applying such remedies as were found necessary, and while he was watching and working with him day and night ever since. Willie is about 17 years old, a good, strong, healthy boy, of excellent habits and qualities, and it is earnestly to be hoped that he will recover.

COURT MARTIAL. While a large audience was enjoying the sport of witnessing the performance given by Lucier's minstrels in Army Hall last Saturday evening, quite a different sort of play was being enacted in the officers' quarters of the same building. Major Schmitz and Colonel Bartlett went out from Hartford, for the purpose of conducting a court-martial on Thomas Benson, for unbecoming language used by him to Captain C. L. Bissell, on a recent occasion, in which the captain saw fit to exclude ex-members from listening to the deliberations of a company business meeting. Witnesses were heard pro and con, and the higher officials were permitted to learn at first hand of how the boys felt on both sides of certain questions, over which there has been considerable feeling for a long time past. Major Schmitz, who conducted the court-martial, reserved his decision in favor of Benson, and has made an excellent record for himself during that period. His term expired Wednesday April 11. It is quite a serious matter, however, that he received a dishonorable discharge, after serving faithfully for so long a period. We believe this is the first time he has had any serious trouble in the Company.

Nice variety Prints, 3 cents per yard at Cheney's Sons. C. E. House has just opened up a nice new line of spring suits and jackets and pajamas patterns, that are bound to be good sellers. They are right up to date in every way and advise to please. Handsome yard wide Percales 13 1/2 cts. yd. at Cheney's Sons.

The Glenwood Range.



Contains many new features combined with those proven by experience to be very valuable. Every detail has been considered at great length by men who have had long experience in the business, and nothing has been left undone to make this a perfect range. The castings are of the best quality of iron, and their smoothness and fineness of texture are remarkable. This range should be critically examined to fully comprehend all its many points of excellence.

T. P. AITKIN, Sole Agent for Manchester, Conn., Depot Square.

Low Prices On Meats. I will sell meats for Cash at my market every Saturday until further notice, at the following Greatly Reduced Prices:

Pork and Sausages, 10 cts. lb. Round Steak, 12 cts., 5 lbs. 50 cts. Shoulder Steak, 10 cts. Sirloin and Short Steaks, 18 cts. lb. Porterhouse Steak, 20 cts. lb. Legs of Lamb, 13 cts. lb. Legs of Mutton, 12 cts. lb. Bologna and Frankfurts 2 cts. lb. Discount.

Remember these Saturday prices are for Cash only and at the Market. O. E. MANNELL, Charter Oak Street, South Manchester, Conn.

LOW PRICES ON FURNITURE. For Parlor and Kitchen, including Carpets, Stoves, Ranges, Crockery, Glass, China and Tin-ware, Clocks, Pictures and Frames, Pianos, Organs, Lamps, Curtains, Fixtures, Wall Papers and in fact everything needed for the household. Upholstering and Repairing. Baby Carriages, Trunks and Traveling Bags. I have a new Range called "The Household Pet." Ask to see it. Come and see me, and I will save you money. Undertaking in all its branches.

B. C. APEL, Furniture Dealer and Undertaker. Chapel Opera House Block, Manchester, Conn.

MILLINERY! Choicest Trimmings, Hundreds of Untrimmed Hats from 25 cents up. Crepes, Crepe de Chine, Moire, Silks, Ribbons in Silk and Velvet, and in all the Latest Shades.

A handsome assortment of Flowers Almost impossible to distinguish them from the real. Novelties of the Very Latest Ideas. Miss M. Quinn & Co., School Street, South Manchester, Ct.

CHALLENGE. Adapted to any business or profession. Ruled, with printed headings, and indexed through to require the least possible writing to enter data and refer quickly to any name. Save time and CORRESPONDENCE money. 5,000 used and recorded. All kinds of Labor Saving Records on hand RECORDS or-made to order.

CHALLENGE, Publisher, 10 Spruce St., New York.

I have Just Received my stock of CLARK'S COVE FERTILIZERS and now is the time to use them either for grass or potatoes. All kinds of Grass, Garden and Flower Seeds. Have also Seed Potatoes. Timothy Seed \$2.40 per bu. Hoes, Shovels and Rakes for planting time. Poultry Netting 70 cents a hundred.

If you want a price on barbed and plain wire, call and see me. HUGH MORIARTY, Main Street, South Manchester. J.M. BURKE.

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FIVE CENTS.

Garden Seeds AT CHENEY'S STORE. Everybody who has any land at all should raise vegetables this year. It costs much less to raise your own vegetables, than it costs to buy them.

Hawley's Seeds. A complete stock of them can be found at our store. Guaranteed Seeds, all of them. Come and get your stock early. A big trade in seeds is coming our way.

CHENEY'S STORE. SLIPPERS and LOW SHOES. Oxford Ties, and all the latest styles in Ladies, Misses and Children's Shoes. Some of the Latest Styles in Men's, Boys' and Youths' Shoes; also Men's Derby Hats and Caps a specialty.

Call and get prices. ROBERT J. WELDON, South Manchester Boot and Shoe Store.

VICTOR! VICTOR!! VICTOR!!! Do you intend buying a Bicycle this season? If so, call at Ferris Brothers and examine the Victor which has always made the Price. Better this season than ever, \$125.00. A fine Bicycle for \$85.00 and a number of good second-hand Bicycles cheap at FERRIS BROTHERS.

Neglige Shirts. In assorted colors, 40 cents each. Regular Custom Made goods. Never sold less than 50 cents each. SUMMER UNDERWEAR. Nice Assortment from 25 cents a garment up. NECKWEAR. NECKWEAR. Prettiest line in town. Latest tints and styles at rock bottom prices. W. E. Gleason, Charter Oak Street, South Manchester, Conn.

YOUNG'S PERFUMES. IN ALL THE CHOICEST ODORS. These are the very best goods on the market. Step in and try them. T. WELDON & CO., Weldon's Block, Main St., South Manchester, Ct.

Spring Suitings. I have just opened up a choice new line of Spring Suitings of the latest patterns, and can fit you out in a nobby suit for a reasonable sum. With a large new line of Ready Made Clothing for Men and Boys, I can suit anyone in style, price and quality. All my Spring Patterns are now in. You are cordially invited to inspect them. C. E. HOUSE, Merchant Tailor and Outfitter, South Manchester, Conn.

TOWN NEWS.

Additional local news on pages 4 and 8. Miss Lillie Richardson is sick. S. Parnell and family will take up their residence in Orford hall next week. A daughter was born to P. A. Reese of Main street this week.

Mr. Brown now occupies the premises of Thomas Hayes, jr. at Highland Park. Walter Lewis and Miss Mary Kelleher are to be married Monday April 30. David Gleason of East Windsor, was in town last Wednesday.

Jay Magrell of Hartford was in town last Wednesday. Captain Jenkins of the Salvation Army has two children sick with the measles. John Joyce has decided to remain in the west for the present.

Mrs. Louis Heeber is visiting her parents in Webster, Mass. Miss Katie Sullivan of Maple street is visiting friends in Boston. James Sullivan moved from Maple to Hackmatack street this week.

A son was born to Wm. Rogers of Bisell street last Saturday. Albert Crockett of Oak street has a slight attack of typhoid fever. Read what Chas. S. Woodhouse has to say in his advertisement on page 5.

Otto Nelson of Linden street is suffering with rheumatism. Frank Root and family visited relatives in Canaan this week. Mrs. E. J. Hayes of Hartford, sister of Druggist Rootwick, died this week. Mr. Rootwick attended the funeral.

Christopher C. Parker left town yesterday for a visit of a few weeks with friends in Westport and Shelton. The school children are now laboring hard with the final term of the closing school year.

James Aitkin has gone to Stamford, where he is employed at his trade as machinist. When you want anything in the printing line, bring your orders to the office of THE NEWS.

Mrs. Wm. Raby and her son, Freddie, have returned from Lawrence, Mass. where they were visiting. James Robinson and Miss Sarah Rafter were united in marriage last Saturday.

John Fitzgerald's little daughter died of bronchitis last week Saturday and was buried on Monday. P. M. Gorman has gone to the West Hartford reservoir, for the summer, to run the engine.

Drake Post G. A. R. gave one of their ever popular socials and bean cakes in Cheney Hall last evening. Mrs. Heron Practice of Main street is dangerously ill with peritonitis. Doctors Weldon and Tinker held a consultation on her case, Thursday night. It is extremely doubtful whether she will recover. She was taken down last Tuesday. The trouble started with a strain.

At the morning services in the North Methodist church, last Sunday, Rev. J. Triggakis, the pastor, preached from I place Tuesday afternoon. Rev. J. A. Bible officiating. Musician Thomas Benson's many friends will be pleased to learn that he received an honorable discharge from Company G, First Regiment, C. N. G. As his term had expired, he was allowed to "depart in peace" and this ends the Court Martial, in as far as that particular case is concerned.

A. W. Green has bought a Model B. Stearns wheel from John C. Joyce, the local agent. The wheel is a beauty, and struts down to 31 pounds. Williams Brassell has also purchased a Stearns Model B. from Mr. Joyce, that weighs only 26 pounds. The Stearns wheel has some very excellent features and is first class in every particular. Mrs. Rosa Paul, mother of Judge McConville of Hartford, died in Burrside last week, aged 70 years. She was buried in the Catholic Cemetery here services being held in St. Bridget's church by Rev. Richard Grogan, Thursday morning. Mrs. Paul was an old resident of Manchester, where she had many friends. Judge McConville is a native of this town.

SODA WATER We are right at home there. You know what people say; Soda at Cheney's Drug Store the best in town. It's delicious, it's cold, it's the kind that suits. Hold your thirst till you get to our store.

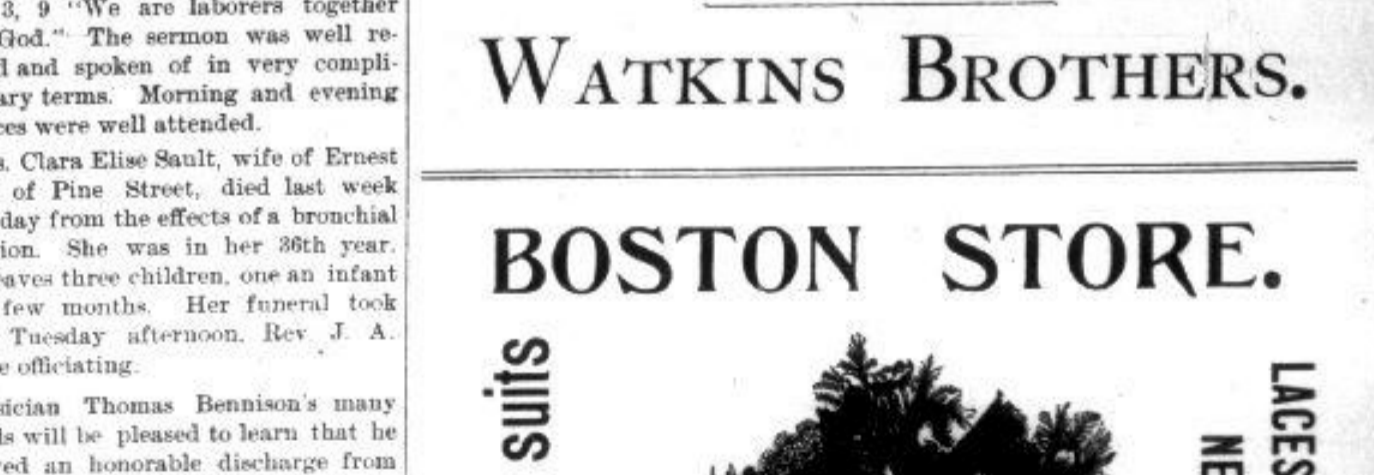
WE ARE NOW READY. CHENEY'S DRUG STORE. For TWO WEEKS I WILL LEAD WITH TOILET SOAPS. With prices so low it will pay you to purchase a year's supply. Ten-cent Soap, 5 cents. Twenty-five-cent Soap, 16 cents. Fifty-cent Soap, 35 cents. Look in my window in the Orford Hall Building. F. B. HORTON PHARMACIST.

YOU CAN BUY Furniture AND = = Carpets AT WATKINS BROTHERS' AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, and Additional Price. Includes Ash Chamber Sets (\$18.50), Tapestry Brussels (.75), Oak Chamber Sets (24.00), Best Tapestry Brussels (.90), Parlor Suits (\$32 to \$125), Body Brussels (85, 1.00, 1.15 and 1.25), Oil Cloth (20 cts. a yd), Best Moquettes, 1.25, All wool ingrain carpet (.50), All wool extra super carpet (.65).

LOT OF HANDSOME RUGS JUST RECEIVED. WATKINS BROTHERS.

BOSTON STORE. LACES, RIBBONS, KID GLOVES IN NEW SHADES, FLOWERS. Millinery the kind that suits.



OUR SPECIAL "THE AMARANTH." The Boston Store, ORFORD BUILDING, South Manchester, Ct.