

# South Manchester News

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Don't buy a Range until you see our Model Grand. It's away up in everything except price. Cooking schools recommend it. The manufacturers received the highest award at the World's Fair for various features of design, material and finish. Largest stock of Heating Stoves in town. For something to heat your house just examine our Volanteer and All Right Steam and Hot Water Boilers. For Room any of Fuel and Free Steaming Qualities they can't be equalled. Put one in your cellar, and keep coal, ashes and gas from your rooms and Save Money on your Coal Bill.

**HIBBARD & STANNARD,**  
No. 61 North Main Street, Manchester, Conn.

**THE FALL FASHION PLATES**  
Have now arrived and our patrons are invited to call and see the very latest designs that are out.

We have received a new line of Samples for Fall Suitings and will be pleased to show them to callers.

**OLOF NYSTROM, Merchant Tailor,**  
Park Building, 187 Main Street.

**Cheap Working Pants.**  
I have received a large new line of Working Pants, that I am selling for \$1.38 while they last.

These are Great Bargains and everyone needing such goods should call at once and secure a pair.

**CHAS. R. PETERSON,**  
Park Building, 187 Main Street.

**AMUSE THE CHILDREN.**  
The Latest Novelties on the market for amusing The Little Ones during the Long Winter Evenings are the SETS OF RUBBER STAMPS that I have just placed on sale.

They are away and beyond anything of the kind ever produced and are not to be compared with the ordinary brownie stamps that have been sold heretofore. They include a Drum Corps, Soldiers on Parade and in Battle, Cavalry, Butterflies, The Wild Wood, Cowboys, Farm Scenes, Landscapes, etc. An taking full cost with the outfit, and also a Set of Water Colors, put up in a neat tin box with everything necessary for the work. The outlines are made with the Rubber Stamps and the Water Colors are then worked in to suit the taste, thus affording the children not only amusement but instruction. Every child should have a set. They cost but 25 or 50 cents the set. Don't fail to inspect these goods. They are a great novelty. Have a good supply of Colored Crayons if wanted, instead of Water Colors. Have also the paper pads to be used in making the pictures. Can sell you a Picture Outfit for 10 cents. Am now receiving my Holiday Goods and placing them upon the shelves as fast as I can.

**R. M. BLYTH'S ORIGINAL VARIETY STORE.**  
307 Main Street.

**NEW MEAT MARKET.**

We have opened a New Meat Market, corner of Spruce and Maple streets, where we are carrying a full line of Choice Meats, including Beef, Pork, Hams, Mutton, Sausage, Frankfurters, Bolognae, etc. The Market is open Days and Evenings and all are invited to call. We also run our Meat Cart daily, with Mr. Anderson himself in charge.

**S. G. ANDERSON & CO.**  
Spruce street, Corner of Maple.

**NEW INVOICE OF GOODS.**

We invite the attention of our patrons to the fact that we have just received a new stock of umbrellas that we will sell from 50 cents to \$3.50 each. Blankets from \$2.25 to \$4.50. Comfortables and Quilts from \$1.00 to \$3.50. A full line of Woollen coats and Bay State Rubber Goods in all Sizes and Styles. Also a good assortment of Ladies Winter Dress Goods.

**WELCH & WARD**  
Dealers in Groceries, Dry Goods, Head and Footwear, etc.  
(Successors to A. Heriman.)  
No. 50 North Main Street, Manchester.

**Undertaking**

I have started an undertaking business at 207 Main Street, Opposite the Catholic Church, South Manchester, will carry a large assortment of up to date goods in my line, have had a large experience in embalming and funeral directing in Hartford, with the well known firm of Scott & Smith and am thoroughly familiar with all the details of the business.

Prompt, Careful and courteous service to all.

**Thomas J. Scott.**

**WALL PAPERS WINDOW GLASS PUTTY**  
HUBBARD'S, 4 Park Street.

**OGDEN'S STUDIO**  
THE NEW PHOTO  
**OREOTYPE**  
4 FOR 50 CENTS.  
175 MAIN STREET, SOUTH MANCHESTER.

## TOWN NEWS AND NOTES.

**Very Easy.**

Very easy are our terms for those Sunnyside lots. You don't need to pay much money down, and liberal time given on unpaid balances. Ask Mr. Fitch to show you the unsold lots. He'll do it with pleasure whether you buy or not.

**Sunnyside Lots.**  
(Foster Farm.)

The enumeration of children in the first eight districts of the town, between the ages of 4 and 16 years, has just been completed by Se. Harry Bissell and the whole number in these eight districts is 1017. The South Manchester school has an enumeration of 1190 making a total enumeration for the whole town of 2187, a total gain of 98 over last year.

James M. Burke celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of the marriage of his sister Mrs. John McCarthy, in Hartford last Saturday evening. A number of relatives and friends were present, brought supplies with them and enjoyed a most enjoyable feast. They also presented a number of nice presents to their host and hostess, among others being a hand some tea set. Mr. Burke has four married sisters living in Hartford.

The Germans (Gish in Fifth Avenue "Battery Park by Night" are all faithfully reproduced in "The Sleeping City."

All the boys are going to Patrick Clune's, 19 Charter Oak street, Thanksgiving Eve, for their turkeys and chickens. He's going to have plenty of them.

The local division of the Temperance Society will initiate a number of candidates in Cheney hall this Friday evening, and will have a musical and literary entertainment as well. The meeting promises to be an interesting one. On Friday evening, Nov. 21st, there will be another orange race, as the last one was a successful and created so much merriment that it will be repeated at that time.

At the annual meeting of the Colonial Dames of America, held in Hartford last Tuesday, Mrs. Frank W. Cheney of this place was chosen as first vice president. Mrs. E. D. Cheney is a member of the board of managers of the society. They have offered two prizes of \$25 each and two prizes of \$15 each to the pupils of the high schools in the state of Connecticut, during the coming year, for the best essays on the colonial history of Connecticut. A committee will arrange the conditions of the competitions and make them known later.

Frank Hawley and Miss Katharine Sullivan, both of Manchester, were united in marriage by Rev. R. C. Gragan last Wednesday morning. Patrick Sullivan was best man and Miss Margarette Sullivan was bridesmaid. The bride was attired in white silk and carried a bouquet of the bridegroom wore a light blue gown. A beautiful wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride on North School street. They left on the noon train for a wedding tour and on their return will reside on Oakland street.

Miss Alice B. Sault has taken the agency for Johnson's Cyclopedic for this town, and a large advertisement of the work will be found elsewhere in this paper. We wish to direct the attention of our readers to this advertisement, and especially to the unqualified endorsements that are given it by a number of people in our own town, who are acknowledged to be competent judges of such works, and who tell you over their own signatures, just what they think of it. It is acknowledged by many of the most eminent scholars and statesmen in the United States to be the best and cheapest cyclopedic extant, all things considered. It is worth wishing to consult Miss Sault on this matter, can notify her by postal, at 239 Main street, South Manchester, Conn., and she will call and give all information required.

C. D. Strickland & Son have leased the market place vacated by O. E. Mannell on Charter Oak street, have overhauled it generally, and put it in good condition throughout, and will open it tomorrow, Saturday, morning with a full line of choice meats of all kinds. They have secured the services of Joseph Fitch of Madison, Mass. who is an experienced meat cutter and will be in the market right along. Homekeepers will do well to take advantage of their opening day, as special prices will be given on meats on that occasion. Orders for meats can be given to the grocery store and the orders will be delivered by a special delivery team every morning.

**IT MEANS YOU.**  
Everybody with a bad back, a lame, weak or aching one, should take advantage of the Free distribution of Doan's Kidney Pills. Read about it in today's issue of this paper, and call at Cheney's drug store or at Ross's.

## Puritana

It cures from head to foot.



To make the cure of any disease complete and permanent, the purifying, complex and building-up process must begin and end in the stomach.

92% of all sickness is caused by an impure stomach. Puritana makes the Heart right, the Lungs right, the Liver right, the Blood right, the Kidney right, the Nerves right, the Health right, because it makes the Stomach right.

O. E. Mannell has made arrangements at his new market on Bissell street to do slaughtering of all kinds, and in his new advertisement in another column invites all persons having work of that kind to do to give him a call, as he is an experienced man and can do the work in proper form, besides having everything necessary for the operation. He has put out a good deal of money on his new market on Bissell street, in a position to serve the public better than ever and would be pleased to have all call and patronize him.

The South Manchester Military Band turned out in procession last Friday night, in celebration of the event of going on full time in the militia and saluting on several of the officers and directors of Cheney Brothers surrounded them. They were cordially received and hospitably entertained, and were thanked by members of the firm for this manifestation of good will and rejoicing at the prospect of better times.

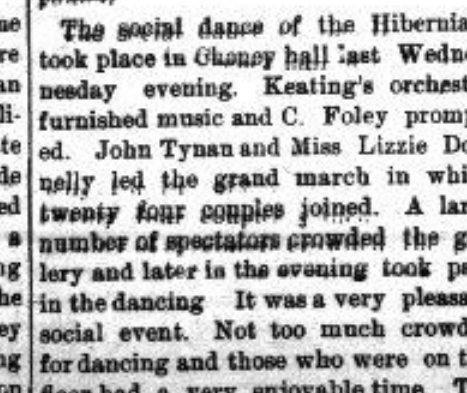
There will be a Display of Jewelry in the window right along, and I will be in the store evenings and will be pleased to have my friends and the general public call and look my stock over and get prices. Special Attention given to repairing. All work warranted.

..... Chas. H. Keeney, Building.

**BOX CALF SHOES.**  
These goods are Water Proof and also Crack Proof. I have the sole agency in Manchester for WHITE BROS., Box Calf Shoe. Every pair warranted. Call and examine them. We have them in the Bull Dog, Toe, Calf Lined; the Latest in Men's Footwear.

Look in South Bissell Window where we have a Box Calf Shoe Soakings. Prove to you that they will resist water.

**BOSTON SHOE STORE,**  
L. N. Charter, Prop. Park Building.



**Richard P. Lyman, M.D.V.**  
VETERINARIAN.  
GRADUATE OF OFFICE School of Veterinary Medicine, 328 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn. Telephone 60-4.

**DR. A. ANGELL,**  
Specialist in Diseases of the EYE AND EAR.  
NOTICE: 19 to 1. 312 Main St. Hartford, Conn. Bismarck Building. Eye-Exams - Tuesday and Saturday, 7 to 8.

**IF YOU ARE GOING**  
To buy a New Range, don't take an old style one with two flues, but be sure and have the

**NEW MAJEE GRANT RANGE**  
which has the Patent Sheet Fire, a Thermometer on the Oven Door and other valuable improvements which are not on any other range.

I am selling large numbers of them and have placed three inside of 90 hours recently.

Call and look them over before making your selection if you want the Very Latest and Best Range on the market.

**Here Are Some Bargains.**  
Puritan Hostess at Low Prices. Good Copper Bottom Wash Boilers 90c. Best Tinular Lanterns, 45c. Best Glass Oil Frigger, 80c. Large Wash Tub, 80c. Clothes Pins, 1 cent dozen. Large Oil Head, 15c. Galvan Oil Caps, 15c. Coal Stoves, 15c.

**E. T. CARRIER,**  
36 Charter Oak Street, 30 Asylum Street, Hartford, Conn.

## WE ARE NOW SELLING

Choke Turkeys and Chickens at Rock Bottom Prices and for your Thanksgiving Dinner we can make your heart rejoice. We have the handsome Colony you ever saw, for 2 cents a bunch. New Baidas and Churns, very choice. The Best Head Picked Apples that ever grew for \$1.00 a barrel, delivered in any part of the town. A set of the best turkey green, for 80 cents a bushel. The Very Best Farmer's Butter made, only 25 cents a pound. New Bread Making Yeast, put up in half pound and one pound casks, at 10 cents a pound. Be sure and try this. It's not equalled for the gamey. Full line of Dairy Supplies in Tins. Highest quality and lowest prices, for your Thanksgiving. Raymond's Flag Brand Peas are the best to be found. We have them. All our goods are new fully up-to-date and the choicest on the market. Get all your Thanksgiving Goods from

**LABAN ADAMS,**  
47-49 Charter Oak Street.

I am now looking out for your winter orders. I do not

**GIVE AWAY OVERCOATS**

but I make and fit them well and sell them so cheaply that you cannot afford to go without one. Look at my samples will convince you. Five Kersies \$20 to \$25 made to fit. Silk lining in sleeves if you wish.

**OLIVER MAGNELL, TAILOR,**  
267 Main Street, South Manchester, Conn.

**A VERY LITTLE MONEY**  
Will go a long way towards giving you home pretty, substantial and comfortable furnishings, provided you buy from me, as I carry almost everything that the average housekeeper needs and will give prices that are bound to win your trade.

I have high priced goods also if you want them.

Before you buy, step in and talk the matter over with me

It will pay you.

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

**JEWELRY FOR THE HOLIDAYS. . . .**

Having made arrangements with L. N. Charter of the Boston Shoe Store for use of one of his display windows and also for space inside the store, have opened with a full line of the Newest and Best things in the Jewelry line, including Watches, Clocks, Rings, Pins and also the celebrated Wm. Rogers Silverware.

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**C. D. & H. D. BURNHAM MARBLE WORKS**  
Monuments, Headstones & Fences of Marble, Brown Stone, American and Scotch Granite. Inscriptions cut on Monuments. 175 Elm Street, Hartford, Conn. No. 706 Main Street, Corner of Aron Street.

**NOTICE.**  
Having bought the building of Paul A. Siewe I will serve customers with Tea, Coffee, Spices, Butter, Pickled Peppers, etc. will make the best goods on the market, make prompt deliveries and will be pleased to supply the trade extensively in every particular.

**FREDERICK BIEBER,**  
Hartford, Conn.

**AMERICAN HAND LAUNDRY,**  
15 COTTAGE STREET.  
Why take chances of Disease by having your work done in a filthy place, when you can have it done by a healthy and Prosperous GOOD CLEAN WORK AND PROMPT DELIVERY in the way we do business. Send us a postal and have us call.

**DO YOU WALTZ?**  
Academy of Dancing, devoted to Beginners' Classes and Private Lessons, ladies' public conventions. Call for circular at 244 Main St., Hartford, Conn., Central Hall, Thursdays and Saturdays. Classes now forming.

**FALL HATS & FURNISHINGS.**  
You will want a new Fall hat soon.

We can show you the correct styles and give you the right prices.

A full line of Fall Furnishings, Boys School Suits, etc.

**C. E. HOUSE**  
Clothing Outfitter, 241 Main Street

## Cheneys' Store

**SPECIAL Dress Goods Sale**  
FOR NEXT TEN DAYS.

EVERY PIECE OF DRESS GOODS IN STOCK MARKED AT A SPECIAL CUT PRICE.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY DRESS GOODS CHEAP.

ASK FOR COPY MODES AND FABRICS AT OUR PATTERN COUNTER. FREE TO ALL.

WE QUOTE LOW PRICES FOR BLANKETS AND COMFORTABLES.

**FLOOR OIL CLOTH**  
ALL QUALITIES AND WIDTHS.

**Butterick's Patterns**  
MOST RELIABLE.

**WE'LL BE THERE!**

We are making arrangements for the Holiday Trade in Jewelry, our goods are now beginning to arrive and in due season we will be prepared to show you as Fine a line and as Large an assortment of Handsome Jewelry as was ever displayed in this town.

This is the old stand. Always in the lead, and when you want the Best and Handsomest in Jewelry, you can always find it here.

**C. TIFFANY, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN,**  
285 Main Street, South Manchester, Conn.

**NEW GROCERY STORE-----**

I wish to hereby inform the public that I have opened a new grocery store, on my own account. Am located in the Childs Block, No. 3 School street, carry a full line of choice groceries and vegetables, and will be glad to see any of my patrons. I will run my team every day to supply the trade and the store will be open every afternoon and evening for the present. I thank my many friends and the public for the generous patronage they have given me in the past and hope to have a continuance of the same in the future.

All Bills due Haling Brothers should be paid to me.

**JOHN A. HALING,**  
Childs Block, No. 3 School Street, South Manchester, Conn.

**SLAUGHTERING DONE.**

I wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that I am prepared to do slaughtering of cattle, sheep, hogs, calves, or anything in that line that may be called for, have every facility for doing the work, either at my market, or where ever else it may be required, and can serve the public on the shortest possible notice and do the work as it should be done.

When you have Slaughtering to do, come to headquarters and have it done.

**MANNEL'S CHARTER OAK MARKET.**  
BISSSELL STREET.

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## TOWN NEWS AND NOTES.

Additional local news on pages 4 and 5.

Mrs. Patrick Hurley of Meriden visited with relatives in town this week.

James Woodhouse has broken ground for a new residence on Birch street.

John Logan has started to build a cottage on Love lane.

Stephen and Mrs. Tobin of Rockville spent Thanksgiving in town.

Doctors Weidorn and Bradley of this place will attend the execution of Harlekin in Wetherfield next week.

A daughter was born to John and Mrs. Lewis of 76 Spruce street this Friday morning.

Dr. Bradley spent Thanksgiving at his home in East Jeffrey, New Hampshire.

Mrs. Walter Elliott of Paterson, N. J. is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. David Coburn of School street.

Misses May Kernan and Kitty Walsh of Springfield are the guests of Larry and Mrs. O'Dowd of Chestnut street.

The Misses Laura and Georgiana Manierre of Chestnut street are spending the week with friends in New Haven.

John A. Brightman, the jeweler who has been employed by C. Tiffany, has moved to in Boston.

John Hayes of New York spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Patrick and Mrs. Hayes of Oak street.

R. M. Blyth has something to say on the question of bird cages, in his new advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

A notice of how to secure a copy of the Eugene Field souvenir volume will be found in our advertising column.

C. D. Strickland & Son can interest you in potatoes if anyone can. Read what they say on the subject in another column.

Mrs. Philip Shaw of New Rochelle, N. Y., better known here as Miss Katie Fogel gave birth to a daughter last week.

Mrs. Andrew Gardner of Bissell street has been seriously ill for a couple of weeks past, but is slowly improving now.

Wm. Dougan of Charter Oak street has purchased a building lot on Bissell street and will have a residence put up at once.

Rev. H. H. and Mrs. Martin of Millville, Mass. arrived in town last Wednesday, and are the guests of their son, Harry C. Martin.

Staff Captain and Mrs. Cousins will hold a special meeting at the Stratford Army hall on Tuesday evening next, Dec. 1.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wetherell, an aged resident of the Green, sustained a shock last Friday and is in a critical condition.

Reuben F. Gray is home from Boston for the Thanksgiving holidays and Clinton Bissell of the Yale Scientific School is also here.

John Pentland has built a new barn on Foster street. The building is 16 x 30 feet and the work was done by John Foynt and Earl Cousins.

Rev. O. T. Magnell of Williamstam spent Thanksgiving in town. His many friends here will be pleased to learn that he has been promoted to the position of assistant pastor.

Yesterday closed the football season in this place and the high school boys will take up their indoor athletics at once, under the direction of Professor Peterson.

Watkins Brothers have their large central display window filled with prizes for the Odd Fellows fair. It makes a good exhibit and is attracting much attention.

The town teams are putting in some good and much needed work on Hollister street, by cutting down the hill near D. W. Hollister's residence and filling in the low part near Main street.

In spite of many vexatious delays House & Haling's new brick block is steadily pursuing its course heavenward and it is hoped that they will be able to have it roofed in before winter sets in.

Advertisement Letters, at Manchester, Conn. Nov. 26, 1896.

Miss B. B. Kinnaman, Alice Smith, Francis B. Slaters, Samuel Saitton, Mrs. J. E. Thompson.

CHARLES I. BALCH, P. M.  
W. B. Cheney and H. C. Martin have been to New York to interview Santa Claus and soon after their return the Big Store will begin to put on holiday attire and a grand Christmas display will be given.

O. B. Chappell has been quite sick for the past two weeks with malaria and other troubles, but is slowly improving. Dr. Moore is attending him.

## Kills Kolds

**AYER'S LICORICE COUGH BALSAM**

**KURES KOFFS**

AYER'S LICORICE COUGH BALSAM

MONEY BACK IF IT DON'T.—25 CENTS.

**Cheney's Drug Store.**

**Watkins Brothers.**

**Dining Furniture . . . .**

WE HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF EXTENSION TABLES, SIDEBOARDS AND CHAIRS AND IF YOU INTEND TO FURNISH YOUR DINING ROOM, YOU WILL FIND PRICES RIGHT. OAK SIDEBOARDS AS LOW AS \$9.50. GOOD STRONG, SERVICEABLE DINING CHAIRS AT \$1.25.

We keep a large stock of trunks. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$12.00. Bags and Telescope Bags from 65 cents to \$1.50.

**Lamps. . . .**

We have added lamps to our line of goods and can show you a very handsome assortment at low prices.

**WATKINS BROTHERS.**

**TO RENT. . . .**

A room over Cheney's store, that is 20x20 feet, has electric lights and steam heat and is suitable for club, lodge or office purposes.

Address, or Apply to  
**MRS. S. G. CHENEY,**  
South Manchester, Conn.

**NOTICE. . . .**

ALL DISEASES HEALED  
**DOCTOR R. C. HANNON,**  
Christian or Divine Scientist,  
3048 School Street, South Manchester, Ct.

**I AM STILL IN IT.**

I have some good bargains in Misses Box Calf School shoes. Bargains in Men's Oil Grain Congress Shoes at \$1.40 a pair. Great Bargains in Child's Pileed Box Calf Shoes sizes, 6 to 8 at 50 Cents a pair.

Bankers Bull Dog Toe Shoes, 3 Sole, \$1.85 a pair.

Send in your orders for Poultry, Oysters, Cranberries, Oranges, Citrons, 18 cents a lb. Pop corn, 3 years old 4 cents a lb.

**J. M. Burke.**

**Buy Potatoes Now.**

We have just received Two Car Loads of as Prime Potatoes as you ever saw, and they were sent with orders to sell at once.

We will make it an object for you to Buy Potatoes from us, as we have twice as many as we ordered.

Our New Meat Market is in full swing and we are prepared to fill all orders in that line. Give us a Trial Order.

**C. D. Strickland & Son.**

Mexico is demanding a proposition to make military duty compulsory.

A scheme is on foot to have a general census of the whole world taken to mark the end of the century.

When a Philadelphia magistrate performs a marriage ceremony, he must give \$5 to the city.

The only fire-fighting facilities of the city of Gloucester, England, are those provided separately by the insurance companies.

President Harper of the University of Chicago, said the other day that forty years of experimenting with religious attendance at religious services had prepared him to admit that the success of the experiment had not been great.

Harry Landell tells in a recent magazine a story of a "Fallen Club," from which every member was ejected when he succeeded in life.

An indication, to Harper's Weekly, of the growth of British interest in American affairs appears in the recent contracts made by the Manchester Guardian, the Edinburgh Scotsman, the Glasgow Herald, the Dundee Advertiser, and other leading provincial newspapers.

What is needed in China, evidently, is a thorough reorganization of the financial system of the Empire on a modern, businesslike and honest basis.

It would be easily possible thus to double the revenues without in the least increasing the burdens of the taxpayers.

Paris is to adorn her coming exposition with an acre of the world 300 feet in diameter, repeating in little all its cosmological features and displaying the geographical outlines of all its nations.

The trial of alleged Cuban filibusters that have occurred from time to time with varying degrees of notoriety in their strict adherence to the letter of the law, an amusing contrast with the trials of Cuban filibusters that have lately taken place in Athens.

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Maine railroads are giving more of the crossing-tending jobs to women.

The recent storms in Florida are said to have completely destroyed about 1,000,000 acres of timber.

The Charleston (S. C.) News and Courier notes the shipment of a car-load of "palmetto extract" to Chicago, which it notes "is the first palmetto root extract to be used outside Florida and Georgia for making leather."

Katsura, the Japanese Governor-General of Formosa, intends to form a force of opinion by all resident Chinese under eighteen years of age.

Plymouth Church in Brooklyn, once known as Beecher's church and now as Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott's, has a bicycle rack, and encourages young people to come to Sunday school.

Despite innumerable explanations and demonstrations, the question continues to be asked whether 1899 or 1900 will be the closing year of the century.

In a plea of prohibitory laws, delinquency is much in vogue in Italy, so that it is not surprising that which is intended, actually to figure in the vital statistics as a cause of death.

Between 1879 and 1895 no less than 3,444 deaths were fought, 3,075 of them being with abscers. A total of 4,475 wounds were inflicted, less than those inflicted by the American Civil War.

It is significant that the greatest number takes place in hot weather, and the least in winter.

There is evidently some relationship between the state of the weather and that of the blood, or the temper.

Beechrook Tree, the English actor, has evolved an ingenious theory to explain why it is that heavy tragedy has almost disappeared from the stage.

A few weeks after Beth's arrival in Jump, having expressed a desire to visit a terpentine farm, her friend Mrs. Leigh planned a winter picnic to the most interesting still in the surrounding country.

Her route lay past her lover's home; and she was to see the man who had been her lover's friend, and himself intended going that day to the nearest village.



The day was one which brought a change into Beth's life. As a result, Herbert Landell became a frequent visitor to the home of the Leighs.

The present days were employed in the fashioning of dainty garments, in a preparation for a wedding not far distant.

With every stitch, went a thought of the piny woods where she had found what she felt to be her life's happiness.

She had gone to visit a friend in South Georgia, whose enticed home lay just on the outskirts of a small village.

Not long after her return, she was called upon by her prospective sister-in-law, who was to be her friend's bride.

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THE SOUTH MANCHESTER NEWS, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27 1896.

AMERICAN AGRICULTURE.

Interesting Facts from the Annual Report of Secretary Morton.

WE CAN SUPPLY THE WORLD.

A Very Flattering Picture of the Condition of Our Farming and Production... We can supply the world with products of the farm—seed for Congressmen.

Don't Tobacco Quit and Smoke Your Life Away... When illness or disease, or a Cancer, only a certain cure guaranteed.

Ringing in the Ear.

Notes in the ear, sometimes a ringing, buzzing sound, or snapping like the report of a pistol, are caused by catarrh, that exceedingly disagreeable and very common disease.

Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier... Hood's Pills, cure headache, etc.

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You rarely see a stub nose in the United States. The American organ is partly Roman and partly Celtic.

THE BLUES.

A GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE DREADFUL FEELING.

THE BLUES.

What is meant by this form of Aortic Misery—Where Doctors Make Mistakes.

THE BLUES.

When a cheerful, brave, light-hearted woman suddenly plunged into gloom.

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For some time she had been in bed, and back aches had slept poorly.

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AT THE SEAS' MEETING.

A Southern Pacific Vessel Wrecked With Loss of Life.

The Southern Pacific Railroad's steamer San Benito, which left Tacoma for San Francisco with a coal cargo of 5000 tons and a crew of forty-three men, was driven ashore on the north side of Point Arena, California, in a heavy gale.

BLENNHEIM CASTLE PUPETS.

The Marboroughs Entertain the Prince and Princess of Wales.

BRILLIANT PROGRAM ARRANGED.

The Young American Duchesses Honored by the British Royal Family—The Duchess of Marlborough Entertains the Prince and Princess of Wales.

The Duchess of Marlborough, who is the daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, is the only one of the British aristocracy who has visited the historical place of the Marlboroughs. At that time the head of the house was John Winston Churchill, grandfather of the present Duke.

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Washington News.

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ELKS' FATAL FUN.

The initiation of E. W. Curry Leads to a Fatal Result.

The Elks' fatal fun was a tragedy that resulted in the death of E. W. Curry, a young man who was initiated into the Elks' lodge.

WYLER UNDESIRABLE AND PORTO RICO THREATENS REVOLT.

MACEO CHECKMATES SPANISH.

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THE ELECTORAL VOTE.

McKinley Wins a Majority of Ninety-Six Electors.

The latest returns from Kentucky, Wyoming, the Dakotas, and other close States give Bryan a vote in Kentucky, the 37 votes of Wyoming and the 4 votes of South Dakota.

PLUCKY GIRL SENT TO JAIL.

She Fought the Man Who Attempted to Seduce Her.

Eight Bells, a small woman, nineteen years of age, was sent to jail at Elizabeth, N. J., for three months, for assaulting a six foot man.

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HIBBARD & STANNARD, No. 61 North Main Street, Manchester, Conn.

THE FALL FASHION PLATES Have now arrived and our patrons are invited to call and see the very latest designs that are out.

We have received a new line of Samples for Fall Suitings and will be pleased to show them to callers.

OLOF NYSTROM, Merchant Tailor, Park Building, 187 Main Street.

Cheap Working Pants. I have received a large new line of Working Pants, that I am selling for \$1.38 while they last.

These are Great Bargains and everyone needing such goods should call at once and secure a pair.

CHAS. R. PETERSON, Park Building, 187 Main Street.

R. M. Blyth's Variety Store. Last week we spoke about RUBBER STAMPS and they are selling fast. This week we want to tell you about BIRD CAGES.

We have carried Bird Cages right along, but have just placed on sale a large New Line of Cages, Hooks, Springs, Seed Feeders, Seed Cups, Bird Gravel, Bird Seed, Cuttle Fish and all Bird Fanciers' Supplies.

We are busy every day now making ready for the Holiday Trade. The variety and assortment in these lines were never equalled and prices are extremely low.

I wish to call your attention to our New Magic Pocket Dime Registering Bank. It Registers up to \$2.00 and is a Great Novelty.

In order to accommodate our customers, we now carry the New York and Hartford Daily Papers.

R. M. BLYTH.

NEW MEAT MARKET. We have opened a New Meat Market, corner of Spruce and Maple streets, where we are carrying a full line of Choice Meats, including Beef, Pork, Hams, Mutton, Sausage, Frankfurts, Bologna etc.

The Market is open Days and Evenings and all are invited to call. We also run our Meat Cart daily, with Mr. Anderson himself in charge.

S. G. ANDERSON & CO., Spruce street, Corner of Maple.

NEW INVOICE OF GOODS. We invite the attention of our patrons to the fact that we have just received a new stock of umbrellas that we will sell from 50 cents to \$2.50 each. Blankets from \$2.35 to \$4.50.

Comfortable and Quits from \$1.00 to \$3.50. A full line of Woollen and Day Day Rubber Goods in all Sizes and Styles. Also a good assortment of Ladies Winter Dress Goods.

WELCH & WARD, Dealers in Groceries, Dry Goods, Head and Footwear etc. (Successors to A. Heston's.) No. 50 North Main Street, Manchester.

Undertaking. I have started an undertaking business at 207 Main Street, Opposite the Catholic Church, South Manchester, will carry a large assortment of up to date goods in my line, have had a large experience in embalming and funeral directing in Hartford, with the well known firm of Scott & Smith and am thoroughly familiar with all the details of the business.

Prompt, Careful and courteous service to all. Thomas J. Scott.

FOR WALL PAPERS WINDOW GLASS PUTTY KUBARD'S, 6 Park Street.

OGDEN'S STUDIO THE NEW PHOTO OROTYPE 4. FOR 50 CENTS.

TOWN NEWS AND NOTES.

Dr. T. H. Weldon of this place, assisted by his brother, Dr. John Weldon and also by Dr. Geo. W. May, both of Willimantic, performed a surgical operation for cancer on Mrs. Anna McGinnis of School street last Friday.

The South Manchester Railroad Company have made extensive improvements in the matter of getting coal delivered to the power house of the local train.

Advertised Letters, South Manchester, Conn., Nov. 24, 1896. Solomon Anderson, Mrs. Sarah Black, J. J. Fennessy, Mrs. Jennie Ferguson, Miss B. O. Kinsman, Mrs. Sarah Poppie.

Postal Card. Mrs. Chas. A. Frost. ROLLS M. ROOD, F. M. George E. Barber has a gang of men at work building a temporary shed for the tramway company, at the junction of Love lane and Hilliard street, where they will store their open cars during the winter.

According to the returns filed in the railroad commissioners office for the year ending Sept. 30, 1896, the showing of the Hartford, Manchester & Rockville Tramway Company is as follows: Capital stock, \$300,000; debt, \$300,000; cost of construction and equipment, \$204,875; number of miles of electric railway operated, 18.63; gross earnings, \$54,861; gross operating expenses, \$49,065; net earnings, \$5,796.

A political organization to be known as the Manchester Bismarck Debating Club has been formed and the following officers have been chosen: F. B. Horton, president; M. O'Connell vice president; R. P. Bissell, secretary and C. O. Treat, treasurer.

Whitmore Eumous, who has been clerk and treasurer of the Eighth school district for a number of years past, has resigned the office, because he has moved to Hartford, and W. E. Hibbard, of the well known firm of Hibbard & Stannard, stores dealer and steam fitter etc. has been chosen to fill the vacancy.

The grocers, butchers and bakers were the busiest men in town last Wednesday, supplying customers with needs for Thanksgiving Day, and all reporting having had an excellent Thanksgiving trade. The outlook for brighter business prospects is most cheering, makes people better natured, more inclined to enter into the spirit of the day with enthusiasm, and feelings of gratitude and rejoicing.

The five deers that were shot in Maine by F. E. Watkins, Dr. W. B. Tinker, Harry B. Cheney and John Davernport Cheney, and was on exhibition in the display window of Watkins Brothers furniture store last week, were cut up by W. H. Grant and lucious morsels of venison were distributed among friends in town as far as they could reach.

W. H. Childs of New York was in town last Wednesday and held a consultation with the selectmen and R. O. Cheney, with reference to the matter of adjusting the settlement of the East cemetery, by the acquisition of land on the west side of the cemetery, as proposed at the late town meeting.

A fair sized audience greeted the Sleeping City as presented by the Scoville & Childs company at the opening of the theatrical season in the Armory last Tuesday evening and were furnished with unlimited fun from start to close. They gave an endless variety of songs, laughable sketches, and speeches and kept the sport going along at a lively rate all the way through.

There was nothing whatever about the play to indicate a Sleeping City and to call it such is a misnomer, as it was very much greater at one point and there was not the slightest trace of somnolence about it anywhere.

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I wish to hereby inform the public that I have opened a new grocery store, on my own account. Am located in the Childs Block, No. 3 School street, will carry a full line of choice groceries and vegetables, and will be glad to see any or all of my patrons. I will run my store every day to supply the trade and to carry the contract to place a hot water heater in the new residence of Hiram Grant at the Center.

John A. Haling, South Manchester, Conn.

SLAUGHTERING DONE.

I wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that I am prepared to do slaughtering of cattle, sheep, calves, or anything in that line that may be called for, having every facility for doing the work, either at my market, or wherever else it may be required, and can serve the public on the shortest possible notice and do the work as it should be done.

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TOWN NEWS AND NOTES.

Additional local news on pages 4 and 5. The Heptastops will elect officers at their meeting next Monday evening.

On Saturday last an eleven pound son was born to James and Mrs. Finnegan of Spruce street.

Dr. U. M. Weideman received \$100 from the United States government this Friday morning, as a back-pension.

The temperature this Friday morning was seven degrees above zero, at seven o'clock.

J. W. and Mrs. Bailey of Willimantic are the guests of W. J. Chappell and family of Spruce street.

Christmas will fall on Friday this year and the year 1897 will begin on Friday.

Orford Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W. will nominate officers next week Thursday evening.

Rev. C. C. Grogan united George Carter and Veronica Gault in marriage last Tuesday morning.

There will be a Thanksgiving vacation there was no meeting of the Boothia this week.

The Tolland county commissioners have refused to grant a license to W. B. Martin at Bolton Notch on the ground of his being an unentitled person.

Rev. C. H. Barber will celebrate the tenth anniversary of his pastoral in the North Congregational church next Sunday.

The new schedule of trains that went into effect on the New England railroad last Sunday, will be found in our advertising columns.

Special meetings will be held in the vestry of the North M. E. church every evening next week, excepting Saturday evening.

Mrs. Margaret Brome of East Saginaw, Mich., is visiting with her brother, Hamilton Brome of Main street. She has not seen him before in 29 years.

Kasper Hartman was hanged in Wethersfield at 12:30 a. m. yesterday, for the cold blooded murder of Louise Marie Trebbe.

The Hibernian and Ladies Auxiliary of the A. O. U. W. will elect officers for the coming year in Cheney hall next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Adolf Johnson, lately from Mill Plain this state, moved from one of T. O'Gorman's tenements on Charter Oak street, to 41 School street, where she is keeping board.

A basket ball team is being organized in Company G, and this with other features will add to the entertainment of the members during the present winter season.

Thomas Connelly, David and Lillie Hubbard and Alice Keyson drove a span of horses to Willimantic last Sunday. They went to visit Patrick and Mrs. Hussey.

The South Manchester W. C. T. U. will hold their regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. Eliza Hastings, 328 Main street on Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 2:30 p. m.

T. P. Aitkin has just finished putting in a steam heater in the residence of James Hitchcock on Laurel street, and has the contract to place a hot water heater in the new residence of Hiram Grant at the Center.

Lot E. Lahey has entered Cheney's drug store for the study of pharmacy. It is an institution that boasts a number of capable graduates who have been fairly successful and whose example others may emulate, with pleasure and profit to themselves and also to the proprietor.

Advertised Letters, South Manchester, Conn., Dec. 1, 1896. Carl E. Anderson, Mrs. James Dord, Etta Gorman, Mrs. Jane Gordon, Rev. John Hottelmann, Wm H Jones, Daniel Manning, Wm Weir, Mrs. Nelson Thompson, Richard Wilson.

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