

**BOSTON STORE.**

**Advance Showing of Spring Wash Goods THIS WEEK, PERCALES.**

Our showing in this staple cloth comprises all the new designs for this year. They are the very highest standard of quality.

**DIMITIES.**

Figured Dimities are in fashion for 1901. They will be more largely used this season for summer wear. We have them in a large line of colorings and they are attractively priced.

**PRINTED LAWS.**

In Printed Laws we feel that they deserve more than a passing inspection, as the variety is good and they were carefully selected both as to quality and style.

**GINGHAMS.**

Ginghams are to be extensively used this season, not only for their splendid washing qualities but also because they make up very pretty in the prevailing styles.

**WAIST SPECIALS.**

We just received a shipment of Flannel Waists. Their real value \$1.75 to \$2.00—Our price while they last \$1.29.

**SILK WAISTS.**

We are clearing out our Silk Waists. Getting ready for our new line for Spring. They will be attractively priced for this sale. Many less than cost.

**BOSTON STORE.**  
..... J. W. HALE.....

**A NEW INVOICE OF FANCY CRACKERS AND COOKIES**

Holmes & Cott's hand made water crackers, 90c. pkg.	Ballou's health biscuits, 30c. pkg.
Water wafers, 80c. pkg.	Franklin Mills
Kennedy's cheese straws, 18c. pkg.	entire wheat biscuits, 18c. pkg.
Champion wafers, 25c. pkg.	Pearson's Meringue biscuits, 10c. pkg.
Four o'clock teas, 25c. pkg.	C.D. Bos's lunch crackers, 3 lbs. 25c.
Butter Wafers, 10c. pkg.	Also a complete line of Goetz's cookies, crackers and pastries.
Champion crackers, 75c. pkg.	If you want fresh goods, here is the stock to select from.
Saltines, 25c. pkg.	

**Aaron Johnson, Dealer in The Best Things to Eat.**  
Chestnut Street, Just below Monument Park.

**HIBERNIAN FAIR**

Dancing	Season
Free	Tickets
Each	25
Evening	Cents.

**THE ARMORY**

**APRIL 9-13, 1901.**

**DR. A. ANGELL,**  
Specialist in the diseases of the  
**EYE AND EAR.**  
ROBINS 12 to 1. 93 Main St., Hartford.  
Bullerstein Building.  
Evening—Tuesday and Saturday, 7 to 8.

**SUN VAPOR STOVES**

We wish to call attention to the fact that we are agents for the Sun Vapor Stoves in South Manchester and vicinity, that we have the stoves now set up and on exhibition in our store and that we will be pleased to show their good points, explain their workings and give all necessary information. They produce neither smoke nor odor, are quick, simple, safe, reliable, economical and fully up to date. They are the latest and best vapor stoves on the market. Call and ask us about them.

**FERRIS BROS.** STEAK PITTSBURG, ROOSTERS, ETC.

**Bulletin No. 134.**

4 packages Mince Meat 25c	3 cans Fine Corn 25c
3 lb can Grated Pineapple 10c	Bargain in a New Tea 45c lb
Java Blend of Coffee in 1 lb can 25c, guaranteed to suit.	
Pabst Malt Extract, 20c bottle, \$2.25 doz	

**J. M. BURKE, 115 Spruce St.**

**Lamson & Hubbard ...Hats...**

All the New Styles of Spring Hats now in....

Call and see them.

Spring Style, 1901. G. E. HOUSE, MAIN STREET.

**MOCK COURT TRIAL.**

LARGE ATTENDANCE AND FINE SUCCESS—A GOODLY SUM REALIZED BY TABER CHAPTER UNDER WHOSE AUSPICES THE ENTERTAINMENT WAS GIVEN.

Mock Credit Due C. G. Nichols for the industry he employed in Managing the Preliminary Arrangements and interesting the Persons Who Took Part.

The mock court trial held in Cheney hall last Wednesday evening under the auspices of Taber Chapter, Epworth League, attracted a large audience and they were well entertained. The action was brought by Miss Alice B. Sault in a breach of promise case against William Carr. H. O. Kowars acted as Judge, Stanford A. Benton as clerk, George H. Hall as court officer, John M. Shewry as court crier and the following persons served as jurors: E. Hugh Crosby, Wm. M. Keating, James C. Bidwell, James C. Hutchison, Lawrence W. Case, William Hutchison, George Davidson, A. H. Skinner, C. P. Montgomery, W. S. Ferris, E. S. Elm and a Mr. Sheldon. They were all called from the audience to the jury box by names of distinguished American personages, ranging in rank from William McKinley to John L. Sullivan.

Col. Newton and Mr. Perry, the lawyers in the case challenged nearly all of the jurors, and after satisfying themselves by suitable questions that the alleged jurors never read the papers, never had an opinion on any subject whatsoever, and similar tests, they were all pronounced to be thoroughly capable to perform the duties about to be imposed upon them. Before the breach of promise case was reached several minor cases were disposed of by the court without much ceremony.

The principal action of the evening however was the breach of promise trial. Miss Alice B. Sault, the plaintiff, appeared as Mrs. Jerusha R. Perkins, a widow whose affections had been seriously tampered with by William Carr, a boarder in Mrs. Perkins' boarding house, which was known by the euphemistic title of "Perkins' Paradise". The witness was Miss Ethel Brainard, Miss Edna Hutchins, Wm. E. Keith, Dr. Gillam and R. M. Root.

Miss Sault of course was the principal character in the group. Her make-up was that of an antiquated widow with a strong inclination favorable to the sterner sex, was very good indeed. She was an excellent counterpart of "Aunt Hoss" in "Zaza," with this difference that she did not manifest any disposition to "take something for her heart," as did Aunt Hoss. Her actions, gestures and speeches pleased the audience very much and while those present were not very demonstrative in their evidences of approval, they enjoyed her work in a quiet way that was highly pleasing to them. The story is too long to attempt to go into details here but it created plenty of fun for all. William E. Keith was an excellent witness. He had considerable testimony to give and he did his work well. William Carr as the defendant had much work cut out for him but managed it all right. Miss Brainard and Miss Hutchins both carried out their parts as witnesses very nicely indeed. Dr. Gillam had many questions to answer as an expert witness and at many points of the proceedings was put upon his own resources to find answers to the many questions propounded by the lawyers.

The roles of the leading personages in the trial were made very difficult because of the fact that they did not have any rehearsal. The lawyers of course who are doing the work night after night had their parts at their "longue's" ends, and plied their victims with questions in great number, and interrupted witnesses and principals at liberty. These things were particularly trying to the ladies who are not accustomed to court proceedings. In spite of these set backs however they all managed very well. Owing to the lengthy parts which the lawyers had in the trial, many of the local hits which Miss Sault, and Mr. Carr and others had, were omitted. This detracted somewhat from the local flavor which the trial would otherwise have had. There were many ludicrous situations and fun enough was afforded for all.

The case of course was decided in favor of the plaintiff and she was awarded damages to the amount of \$23 00.

**BIRD WARBLER.**

Charles Dennison Kellogg, the celebrated bird warbler, will give his illustrated lecture on "Birds and Their Songs," in Cheney hall tomorrow afternoon at half past two. Admission will be by card only. Tickets were distributed to the children of the Ninth District school today. The number of admissions will be limited to the capacity of Cheney hall. Through the generosity of Cheney Brothers this charming lecture will be free. It is intended primarily for the instruction and entertainment of the school children.

**A THRIVING SOCIETY.**

THE YOUNGEST SWEDISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY IN TOWN HAVING REMARKABLE GROWTH AND VERY SUCCESSFUL.

Enjoyable Entertainment in Masonic Hall Last Night by Scandia Lodge, No. 23, Order of Waa.—Large Attendance, Musical and Literary Entertainment, Refreshments and Dancing.

Scandia Lodge, No. 23, Order of Waa, the youngest and most thriving Swedish benevolent society in town, held an entertainment in Masonic hall last evening which tested the capacity of the hall, as over 200 persons were present, and which proved to be most successful in every way. An admission fee of 35 cents was charged, and the funds thus raised will be used to help the society in the good work it is performing in providing for its members in sickness or distress and in case of death. The following program was rendered:

Song. E. B. A. male quartet  
Address of Welcome. P. L. Bengtson  
Basso solo. Is Bergren  
Historical Sketch of the Society.  
August Bydin  
Male Quartet  
Song. Oscar Anderson  
Alexis Carlsson  
Duet. Veneta and Agnes Lindell  
Song. Male Quartet

At the conclusion of the musical and literary program refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake and hot coffee were served and then dancing was enjoyed for the remainder of the evening for which Frank Hanson's enlarged orchestra furnished delightful music, which has seldom been equaled even by Hato's celebrated orchestra. "O listen to the band!" The waltz, schottische, polka, mazourka, varsovienne, caprice, glide, South Manchester dip and all the latest South Manchester, Boston, New York, London, Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg and Stockholm movements were introduced, and joy was unconfined.

The society is organized all over the United States, but in this place it has not been in existence but six months. Notwithstanding that fact it has already about 100 members. Men and women are admitted on equal footing. It costs but 20 cents a month for dues and the initiation fee is graded according to age. Weekly sick benefits of \$5.00 per week are paid to men and women alike and at death the sum of \$100 is given by the grand lodge towards funeral expenses. This burial fund is maintained by separate assessments of 25 cents on each member whenever it may become necessary. The lodge during the first half-year of its existence has done good work in this community and demonstrated its usefulness in a very practical manner.

**BEAN BAKE LAST NIGHT.**

The bean bake given in Cheney hall last evening by Drake Post, No. 4, G. A. R. proved to be the most successful of the four so far given in the series. Bado's orchestra furnished music and Prof. C. Foley prompted. Young people from all the neighboring towns joined in the festivities and the scene in Cheney hall reminded one of the days a few years ago when the Drake Post bean bake was in the zenith of their glory and were looked forward by the community as among the most home like and enjoyable of family reunions. The management are delighted with the patronage their efforts are receiving.

**COMING BACK.**

J. D. Henderson has resigned his position as superintendent of the paper mill at Haddam, Mass., and came to town this week where he has been casting about for a rest. He intends to move his family back to this place. Mr. Henderson may find a situation hereabouts in the near future which will be more congenial to him. His many friends here would be delighted to have him relocate here and find suitable employment in town. His family too will be cordially welcomed on their return.

**POSTPONED.**

The Carpenters Union had planned on having a smoker in Furnell hall last evening and all arrangements were made accordingly when they received word that the gentlemen from out of town who had promised to be present and address them could not attend. The smoker was of necessity postponed, and at this writing it is not known when it will be held.

Cut flowers and potted plants at the Cassidy Kitchin.

Order your Spring suits at Magnell's. Special discount on cash orders during March.

A complete line of fine monuments of all prices and designs can be found at the works of Wm. Yergason, corner of Birch and Spruce streets. He will be pleased to give estimates for your work to be done before Decoration day. Give him a call before you buy. \$22 if

**LADIES WRAPPERS.**

Fine Assortment in Print and Percale at 75c to \$1.60  
Latest colorings and styles for spring.....

**H. C. MARTIN,**  
CHENEY BLOCK.

**The Shoemaker of 1801**

depended upon the strength and durability of his leather and workmanship, rather than upon the grace of style and elegance of shoes. The shoes of 1901, as seen at this store, combine the good qualities of the 1801 shoe with lightness, comfort and undoubted beauty. Our shoes are a triumph of artistic and mechanical perfection.

**GEORGE W. SMITH,**  
Cheney's, New Block.

**"ATTENTION."**

Watch Attention, Careful, experienced, painstaking attention. Attention that will keep its fine mechanism in perfect condition. It doesn't take much oil to make it mark time but it must have that mite—and have it at the right time. It is our business to correct all difficulties about a watch and make it keep correct time. If not worn out we can do it. It is our ambition to add to the reputation we think we have in no small measure already established of doing honest, thorough watch repairing.

**S. W. HALL, Watchmaker for C. TIFFANY.**  
LEARNERS/JEWELERS - NEW GARDEN BLOCK, No. 3-11 School Street

**WE ARE SELLING.....**

Genuine Imported Scotch Marmalades at 20c can  
Finest and Largest Package of Olives on the market 10c  
Our Prunes at 3 or 4 lbs for 25c are excellent values.  
Three-pound can Bartlett Peas 25c  
Our Pine Apple Chunks are very fine. Try them.  
Our Sealed Raisins in packages contain a coupon good for 5 cents, payable in either tea or coffee. The raisins cost but 13c for a pound package. Ask about them.

**GEORGE H. HOWE,**  
235 CHENEY SQUARE.

**"1900" Washer**  
Acme of Perfection

**Your Credit is Good Here.**

**JOHN CAIRNS,**  
235 CHENEY SQUARE.

**DR. M. M. MAINE**  
DENTIST

OFFICE HOURS: 10 to 12  
Cheney Block. Over Post Office

**EDWARD W. POST & CO.,**  
Undertakers, Embalmers and Funeral Directors.  
Night Calls at Office Promptly Answered.  
Cheney Bldg. Over Tiffany's Jewelry Store.

**Prunes Prunes**

500 pounds of choice California Prunes which we shall sell at the extremely low price of

**6c. per Pound 5 Pounds for 25c.**

See for yourself. Look in our South window.

**Citizens Cash Grocery, Porter & Toop, Props.**  
Leaders in Low Prices. 181 Main Street.

THE EVOLUTION OF A "STEADY"

BEGINNING OF AN AFFAIR OF SENTIMENT.

A March wind rattled the skeleton branches of the trees in New York's Central Park and an April sun brightened the mackerel in the sea...

She put her hand in his pocket and he trapped it, smiling down on her with a new feeling of sympathy...

"There's Tammy for ye," he said of the tiger. "Hello, Dick."

"Well, you don't let me leave the poor little bird," he said. "It might break those little bars."

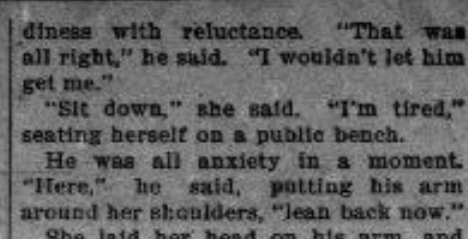
"He kept moving," he said, reluctantly. "The defense was lame, inasmuch as they had met only three times as yet..."

"The messages came by the patrols are tied to one of the tall feathers. Twelve men are detailed in the army each year to learn the methods for training carrier pigeons in all their details..."

"The largest horned beetle can carry 315 times its own weight. One has been known to walk away with a 21-1/2 pound weight..."

"A machine that washes and dries 500 dishes at a time has been invented, and it is guaranteed that it will save the washwoman a great deal of trouble..."

"The amount of light that can be obtained from five flies is not generally known. These insects have two bright spots on their thorax and two on their wings..."



A Delicious Salad. A delicious salad may be made of the turkey meat. Cut the meat into dice and mix with an equal quantity of celery...

CARRIER PIGEONS IN WAR. Successful experiments with the birds by the French Army and Navy.

A Delicious Lamb. A delicious lamb may be made by cutting the neck and shoulder into small pieces, dredging in flour...

Spring Chickens with Oysters. Slings and draw a small, tender chicken of about two pounds; wipe it, inside and out, with a wet towel...

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DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON

SUNDAY'S DISCOURSE BY THE NOTED DIVINE. Subject: The Prized Word—A Call For A New Open Friendship Between Those Who Make Newspapers and Those Who Read the Gospel.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage calls for a new open friendship between those who make newspapers and those who read the gospel...

A marked illustration of the truth of that maxim is in the advance of the Christian religion to take possession of the world...

In order to carry out the provisions of the consolidation, the capitalization of the United States Steel Corporation will be \$1,154,000,000.

That tendency of criticism in the theological seminaries is to fly from our text to look for some kind of excuse for the lawgiver...

Some of our best work is as much appreciated as was Milton's "Paradise Lost" and the immortal poem "Hammelin" of Thomas Campbell...

Men of the pencil and pen in all departments are being called upon to do their best in the day when people want to see that they are getting any of their money out of it...

London.—An Anarchist named Peroni committed suicide in Rome a few days ago after making some astonishing revelations. Among other things he said that he had been selected by the Emperor to kill King Edward...

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GIGANTIC STEEL TRUST

The Capital of the New Corporation Will Be \$1,154,000,000. CARNegie GETS \$25,000,000 CASH.

An Official Statement Issued by J. P. Morgan & Co. Relative to the Plan of Consolidation—Synopsis States That in Case the Project is Accepted...

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Ignored Distress Signals. A Coast Guardsman's Confession About the Rio de Janeiro.

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THE NEWS EPITOMIZED

WASHINGTON NEWS. In accordance with the provisions of the Naval Appropriation bill...

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FIRE IN A PENITENTIARY

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BUDGET OF STATE NEWS

Value New Speech at \$10,000. Declaring that he frightened her, Bartholomew has sued C. D. Parnelle...

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South Manchester News
W. J. FLOOD, Publisher.
Residence, 42 School street, South Manchester, Conn.
ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY.

APPEL'S OPERA HOUSE.
"THEY REMEMBER THE WAY."
A generation has passed since the good old ante-bellum days were with us, and with the decades now hurried forward in the dim past has disappeared the good old plantation dandy, at least that interesting, choppy individual who goes from actual life and lives now only in his counterfeit presentation on the ever productive stage.

This paper is mailed regularly to its subscribers until a definite order to discontinue is received and all arrears paid in full, unless in the discretion of the publisher a different course should be deemed advisable.

Table with columns for months (Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec) and rows for various items or events.

With this issue the News enters upon its fifth year. "Time as it goes steadily on."
A number of American flags were displayed about town last Monday in honor of the second inauguration of William McKinley as president of the United States.

THE LARGEST LINE OF BABY CARRIAGES AND GO-CARTS

WATKINS BROS.
DUNN'S ADJUSTABLE GO-CARTS
CARRIAGES OF THE HEYWOOD MAKE

which are considered the best on the market.
We have a full line of fitted with velvet cushions and parosols; also a fine of

Large Attendance at Athletic Carnival Given by Company G.—Program of Varied Athletics Well Enjoyed and Plenty of Excitement.
The athletic carnival given in the Armory last Saturday evening by Company G. N. G. attracted the largest attendance of any of their kind during the present season.

For the potato race there were four entries as follows: Michael Sullivan, Robert Crawford, and the two were dispersed. The other two were lively scrambling and finally the race was won by Michael Sullivan.

WATKINS BROS.
DEATH OF WINNIE DWYER.
Winnie Dwyer died at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. P. C. Chase of Charter Oak street last Friday, after a lingering illness of nearly one year.

55th Annual Statement
OF THE
CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Table showing financial statement for 1900, including assets, liabilities, and surplus.

1851. FIFTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT 1901.
OF THE
PHOENIX MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT.

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Reserve on Policies in force, \$6,780,531.98
Death Claims Outstanding, 1,075,000
Notified Death Claims, 15,318.00
Installment Claim Liability, 27,457.00
Special Policy Reserve, 132,427.00
Premiums Paid in advance, 8,707.00
Surplus, 504,656.73

THERE are persons in this world who are almost successful, almost religious, almost happy. But "almost" is a dangerous word. If you jump 4 feet after a ferry-boat which is 4 1/2 feet away, you fall into the water as surely as a child who jumps only 1 foot. And you sink just as deep, for you go to the bottom. "Almost as good as Seal Brand" coffee means nothing. The Seal is Chase & Sanborn's guarantee. With no seal you are nowhere. Insist upon Seal Brand Coffee.

ANOTHER CARNIVAL COMING.
Company G. N. G. have decided to hold another athletic carnival in the Armory on Saturday evening, March 30.

ST. JAMES CHURCH NOTES.
Rev. W. J. McKim of this place preached the Lenten sermon in the Catholic church at Collinsville last Wednesday evening.

FREE DANCING.
The committee in charge of the Hibbard fair which is to be held in the Armory on the evening of April 9 to 13 inclusive, have decided to give free dancing each evening.

MEMORIAL DAY
MARBLE AND GRANITE STATUARY AND CEMETERY WORK
ORDER YOUR CEMETERY WORK NOW.
Keep in mind it takes from three to four months to make a monument after it is ordered.

GIVEN A GOLDEN BRACELET.
About thirty boys and girls, friends of Miss Mamie Gull of Spring street, assembled at her residence unexpectedly last Saturday evening and gave her a surprise party.

APETTES
Created and Maintained by Vinol.
THAT THE FOOD IS DIGESTED IS AS EQUALLY NECESSARY.

WE GUARANTEE THAT VINOL WILL AID DIGESTION.
Vinol is the greatest aid to digestion that we have ever known. It is a medicinal food and is so beneficial upon the stomach that it accomplishes its purpose in a most rapid manner.

WILL GRADUATE THIS MONTH.
There are twelve young persons who are diligently employed in the work of preparing to be graduated from the South Manchester High School on Friday evening, March 29.

THE REAL WIDOW BROWN
WHOLESALE FUN SPLENDID SINGING RICH COSTUMES.
DIRECTION OF A. G. SCAMMON.
PRICES - 25, 35, 50c

SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES.
Rev. John Tillen of Rock Island, Illinois will preach in the Swedish Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock.

A VENERABLE ELM FELLE.
Joseph Doude fell the venerable elm which has cast its kindly shade at the corner of Main and Elm streets for years before these streets were known.

BASKET BALL.
The South Manchester High School basketball team announced the Williams High school boys a return game of basket ball at the Armory here last Saturday afternoon and the result was that the Thruway City boys won by a score of 17 to 8.

TOOK STRYCHNINE.
Theodore Hopfer came to the conclusion that it would be better for him to take pleasure in Him and He brought Him to a speedy termination.

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HAVE YOU ANY?
In connection with the forthcoming Bi-Centennial Celebration of the founding of Yale University next October there will be a Special Loan Exhibition of portraits and other paintings by Col. John Trumbull.

THE PIERCE BICYCLE
Because it requires less repair than any other wheel in the world.
You don't have to pay for two bicycles before the season is over.

TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL.
August Swanson, who was temporarily employed by the Fern street milkman, was chopping down the last week Friday and in some unaccountable manner managed to let the fall of the tree strike his right leg between the knee and hip.

FRIENDS ENTERTAINED.
Dr. Robert C. Hanson, professor of divine science, with Mrs. Hanson, are invited to a gathering of ninety forty persons in their rooms at 284 Asylum street, Saturday evening.

W. C. T. U.
A JOLLY PARTY.
About 25 friends of W. J. and Mrs. Chappell assembled at their residence on Spruce street last week Thursday evening and had a royal good time.

AT THE ARMORY.
We all have a certain weakness for widows, especially when they are so captivating as "The Real Widow Brown" which is now being presented at the Armory.

RESERVE ON POLICIES IN FORCE, \$6,780,531.98
DEATH CLAIMS OUTSTANDING, 1,075,000
NOTIFIED DEATH CLAIMS, 15,318.00
INSTALLMENT CLAIM LIABILITY, 27,457.00
SPECIAL POLICY RESERVE, 132,427.00
PREMIUMS PAID IN ADVANCE, 8,707.00
SURPLUS, 504,656.73

THIS COMPANY HAS PAID TO ITS POLICY-HOLDERS SINCE ORGANIZATION FOR DEATH LOSSES, MATURED ENDOWMENTS, DIVIDENDS AND SURRENDERED POLICIES, MORE THAN \$42,500,000.

ALARMING MORTALITY.

Noticeable Among the Weak and Ailing. Spring the Time Death Reaps Its Largest Harvest.

There is a Way of Eluding the Grim Destroyer.

Every Spring it is noticeable how many people are taken away that we have been accustomed to see in our daily life. Statistics show that on no other season of the year does so many deaths occur.

Especially large is the mortality among the weak and sickly people. The reason for this is apparent. The body is weakened by age or disease has much to contend with during the winter months. Inactive exercise frequently has been taken.

From many people, who have experienced benefit from this greatest of all life-lengtheners comes the following testimonial: Mrs. W. L. Hynes, Elizabeth, N.Y. I feel it my duty to tell how much benefit Dr. Green's Nervura has done for me.

At the close of the session of the Fifty-third Congress Vice-President Roosevelt was sworn in and immediately delivered the inaugural address.

The inauguration ceremony was held in the Senate Chamber in the presence of the President, the Cabinet and the members of the Supreme Court.

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President McKinley takes the Oath in the presence of a Large Multitude - Delivers His Inaugural Address During a Rainstorm - President Roosevelt Becomes Vice-President.

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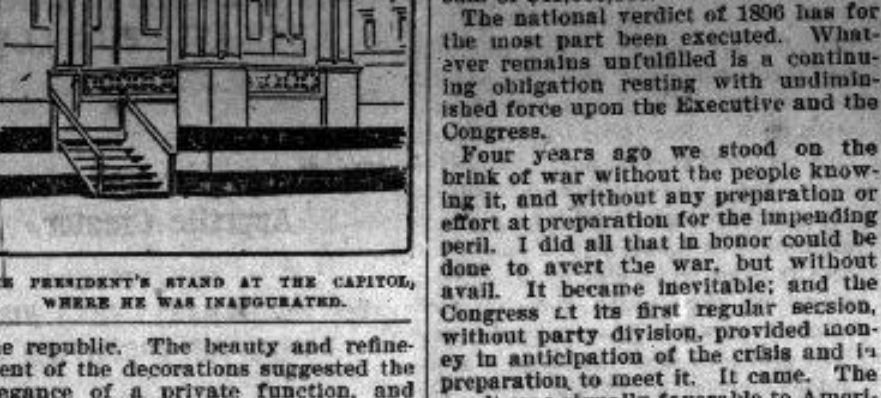
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Washington, D. C., President McKinley's second inaugural address is as follows: My Fellow Citizens: When we assembled here on the 4th of March, 1897, to inaugurate my administration, we were gathered here on the 4th of March, 1901, to inaugurate my second administration.



THE PRESIDENT'S STATE AT THE CAPITOL. The President and his cabinet members are shown standing in a large, ornate room.

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TRISE M. P. IN CONTEMPT.

Sixteen Members Carried Off by the Police After a Fight. GAVE 'BOBBIES' A LIVELY TUSSELE.

The Nationalists Refused to Leave Their Seats For a Division on the Education Budget. Not Wore Forcibly Ejected After a Great Fight—Carried Out Strongly Opposed to the President.

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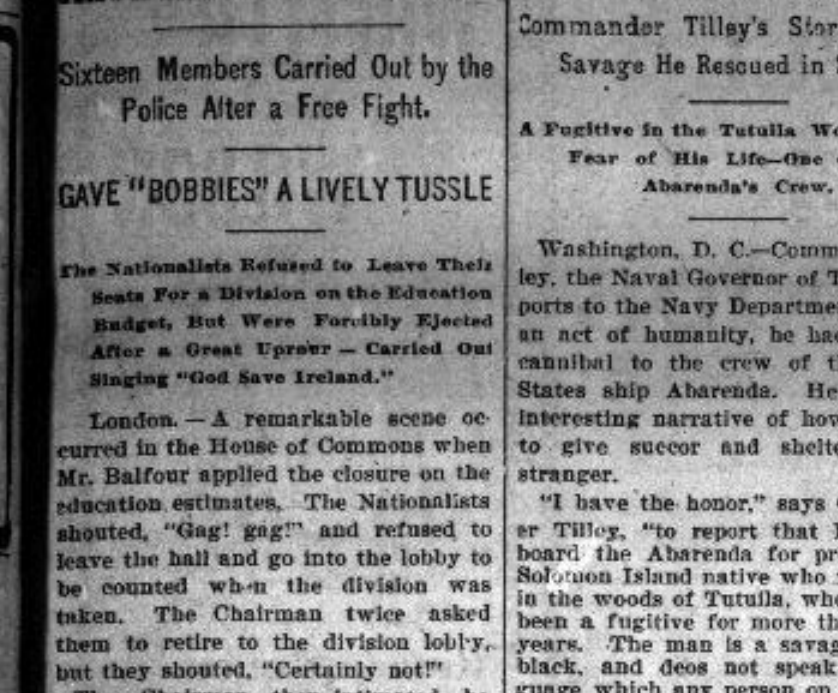
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W. L. DOUGLAS'S \$3 & \$3.50 SHOES.



It Cures Constipation! Take one-half glassful on arising in the morning and you will feel the remarkable effects in half an hour.

Complete External and Internal Treatment. THE SET \$1.25. Consisting of CUTICURA SOAP to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales, and soften the thickened cuticle.

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THE ENGLISH IN INDIA.

The first British attempts to reach India from the northeast and the west were made in 1858, but the East India Company, which practically ruled the land for many years, was not chartered until 1800. Here are some of the more important dates since that time.

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Save Money by using Hydro-Carbon Incandescent Lamps, which give you a 100 Candle Power Light, 5 Hours Per Night for 25 Cents Per Month.

SWEDISH BOOKS. We have lately added a line of Swedish books to our Book Department. The assortment includes all the popular books.

MAGNELL'S NEWS AND BOOK STORE. I wish to hereby inform the public that I will run my team daily in South Manchester and vicinity selling fish, oysters, clams, lobsters, etc.

Building Lots. 20 on Main St. North of Center. 3 on Wadsworth avenue. 2 on Madison.

Heavy Discount. For the next 30 days we will give a discount of 15 per cent on all goods bought here.

YOUR PHOTOGRAPH ON PORCELAIN. Ogden's Studio, 170 Main St.

MY SITUATION. I am a stenographer with the United Mill Company, Hartford, was secured by Huntzinger's Business College.

ST. JAMES UNION. At the regular meeting of St. James Union held last evening the question "Resolved, That the whipping post should be re-established," was discussed and decision was rendered in favor of the affirmative.

FOURTH QUARTERLY CONFERENCE. The fourth quarterly conference of the South Methodist church will take place this evening and will be in charge of Rev. J. J. Bates.

MORGAN-SUMNERVILLE. Thomas Morgan and Miss Margaret J. Summerville, both of this place, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. J. A. Biddle last Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

HAS PNEUMONIA. Robert Aitkin of Edridge street is suffering with pneumonia and is in a critical condition. He is young and vigorous however and it is hoped that he will get safely through.

MORE DIGGING. Men have been at work during this week making excavations for the new building Milo L. Russell is going to erect next north of his residence.

BENEFIT OF ST. BRIDGET'S. "Under Southern Skies" a war drama, will be produced by the St. Bridget's Dramatic Society for the benefit of St. Bridget's church in April.

HAS GONE SOUTH. William C. Joyce left town last Wednesday morning for a trip to the South, in order to escape the scathing and merciless March winds that are rendering life hereabouts such a burden.

VOLNEY B. CUSHING. Volney B. Cushing of Malve will lecture in the Town hall next Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock on the subject "Politics and the Saloon."

WESLEY HOLLISTER. Wesley Hollister, of the Candy Kitchen, has been elected to the position of Treasurer of the St. James Union.

WANTED-Can accommodate two or three persons with room. Located at 50 Bissell street, South Manchester.

WE SELL OUR GOODS. THE CELEBRATED HIGH GRADE WHEELER AND WILSON. Rotary Motion and Ball Bearing.

at Rock Bottom Prices. Why? Because we get CASH FOR THEM! Please take note of the following prices and compare them with what you are paying.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY. Roast Pork.....11c. Good Fowls.....10c. Choice Fowls.....12-13c.

THE PALACE MARKET CO. Old Cheney Bldg. Hiram A. Grant, Prop.

BLACKSMITHING AND WOOD WORKING. Having rented the Blacksmith shop on Charter Oak Street, owned by Geo. F. Day, and having secured the services of CHARLES CLEMON.

NOTICE. For reasons best known to myself I have removed to arrive on Pine Street corner of Pleasant and am temporarily located in my old stand at No. 3 School Street.

HOME MADE CANDIES... FERRIS BROS. Sole Dealers, Spruce St.

COAL. I am now able to supply my customers with all-rail coal. WESLEY HOLLISTER, CHARTER OAK ST.

Wm T. Parks, Successor to J. F. Sheridan & Bro. I shall make it a point to carry the Very Best Quality of Coal of all sizes.

BOSTON STORE. Advance Showing of Spring Wash Goods THIS WEEK. PERCALES. DIMITIES. PRINTED LAWS.

GINGHAMS. Gingham is to be extensively used this season, not only for their splendid washing qualities but also because they make up very pretty in the prevailing styles.

WAIST SPECIALS. We are clearing out our Silk Waists. Getting ready for our new line for Spring. They will be attractively priced for sale.

A NEW INVOICE OF FANCY CRACKERS AND COOKIES. Holmes & Cutt's hand made water crackers, 25c. pkg. Franklin Mills.

Aaron Johnson, Dealer in The Best Things to Eat. 111 Chestnut Street, Just Below Monument Park.

HIBERNIAN FAIR. THE ARMORY. APRIL 9-13, 1901. EDWARD W. POST & CO., Undertakers, Embalmers and Funeral Directors.

SUN VAPOR STOVES. We wish to call attention to the fact that we are agents for the Sun Vapor Stoves in South Manchester and vicinity.

Bulletin No. 136. Evaporated Peaches 10c lb. Finest Molasses 50c gal. Just opened a new line of Men's Dress Shirts at 45, 58 and 75c each.

Lamson & Hubbard. All the New Styles of Spring Hats now in... Call and see them.

CLAMBAKE LAST NIGHT. Provision for the Inner Man. Hose Company No. 1 had a social meeting last evening which included among other features a clam-bake.

A STRONG WAR PLAY. Excellent Production Promised in "Under Southern Skies" by St. Bridget's Dramatic Club.

"CLAY TALK." Under the caption of "Clay Talk," Enoch S. Woods, the well known Hartford sculptor will address the pupils of the Ninth District school in Cheney.

ATLETIC CARIVAL. Owing to the fact that the Armory will be otherwise engaged on the evening of March 26th, the amusement committee of Company G, C. N. G., has decided to change the date of their athletic carnival to Tuesday evening, April 2nd.

ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCE. The Swedish social club, of this place will give an entertainment and dance in the Armory on Saturday evening, March 30th.

DR. M. M. MAINE DENTIST. OFFICE HOURS: 10 to 12, 2 to 5. Cheney Block, Over Post Office.

NOTICE. I have opened a Tinning and Plumbing shop at No. 15 Chestnut street, opposite Aaron Johnson's store.

MAURICE MADDEN, OLD CHENEY BUILDING. FOR SALE. The A. M. Brown property on Pine St. One Two-Ten House.

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HOSIERY BUYERS. will find our stock the kind that wear well, look well and keep their color. Our Fast Black Hosiery is reliable.

The Shoemaker of 1801. depended upon the strength and durability of his leather and workmanship, rather than upon the great size and elegance of shoes.

"ATTENTION." Watch Attention, Careful, experienced, painstaking attention. Attention that will keep correct.

SOMETHING NEW. We have just received a choice line of the following goods that we can undersell any other store.

GO TO CAIRNS... When you want Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Clocks, Lamps, Carving Sets, Albums, Lace Curtains, Portieres, Table Covers, Rugs, Clothes Wringers, Art Squares, Carpet Sweepers, Iron Beds, Washing Machines.

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