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E. H. HUNTLINGER, President of the College.

### FOR THE FOURTH.

Official Program of Line of March and of Exercises in Cheney Hall.

The order of march: South Manchester Military Band, Committee of Arrangements, The Infant School, The Junior School, The Nations of the World, The Girls of the Senior School, A Company of Men.

Austin Cheney will act as grand marshal. Thomas Wright and John Jensen as marshals of the senior school, William S. Hyde and W. J. Crawford of the junior school and John H. Walsh of the men.

James Harrison will represent Uncle Sam, Fannie Band, the Goddess of Liberty, Hannah Fay, Great Britain; Annie Taylor, France; Eva Moore, Germany; Rachel Hobbs, Scandinavia; Jennie Freeman, Spain; Sarah Lewis, Italy; Lizzie Hyde, Australia; Annie Smith, Holland.

The exercises in Cheney hall will consist of music, prayer and short speeches by members of the Sunday school.

Thomas Chamberlain will speak for New England; Thomas D. Masley for the East; Fred Rolston for the Alleghany States; Thomas Franklin for the South; Robert Adams for the West; Edgar Wiggleworth for the North West; James H. Thornton for the Rocky Mountain States; Lorenz Hansen for Louisiana; William Thornton for Alaska; Robert McKinney for the new North West; William McCollum for the Central States; Thomas Fletcher for California; Thomas Robb for our Colonies.

The nation will speak their greeting; James Harrison as Uncle Sam will speak for the whole country; Mary Tedford, Mrs. Annie McCollum, Russia; Jennie Isabella Martin, Denmark.

The procession will form at the church at 9 o'clock and march down Park, Main, Hartford Road, Elm to Cheney hall.

After the exercises there will be a picnic at Cooper Hill. The games will begin at one o'clock. Baseball game called at 2.30.

Since the base ball note which appeared on page two of this paper regarding the game to be played on the Fourth of July between the St. Marys and the Oxford, was printed, we have been notified that the St. Marys will play the West Ends instead of the Oxford.

The report furnished us by the Oxford will play ball instead of ball. However, the West Ends will struggle for the honors on their own grounds and will give the St. Marys a good run for their money.

### PIANO DUET RECITAL.

A piano duet recital will be given in Cheney hall next Monday evening, June 30th, by Miss Mae E. Chapman, organist of the First Methodist Episcopal church, and Mr. Fred J. Bendall, baritone soloist at the First Congregational church, East Hartford.

The recital will begin at 8 o'clock. Admission will be free on invitation. The following choice musical program will be rendered:

1. Overture to "Tannhauser," Wagner
2. Prayer from "Lohengrin," Wagner
3. Song, "The Two Grenadiers," Schumann
4. Dance of the Bayaderes, Rubinstein
5. Ballet Music, from "Parsons," Rubinstein
6. Gavotte, op. 41, Scherzawka
7. Peer Gynt Suite, Grieg
8. Morning Mood, Grieg
9. Ase's Death, Grieg
10. Dance of Anitra, Grieg
11. In the Hall of the Mountain King, Grieg
12. In Dreamland, Max E. Chapman
13. 6 Violas, Max E. Chapman
14. There Little Girl Don't Cry, Stock
15. Gypsy Music, Max E. Chapman
16. Hungarian Dance, No. 3, Brahms
17. Bajadouriana, Op. 91, No. 30, Chopin
18. In Dismal Hollow, Merkel
19. Song, King of the Main, Marks
20. Rhapsodie Hongroise, No. 3, Liszt

### WESLEY DAY.

The 100th anniversary of John Wesley's birth occurs this week. The services at the South Methodist church next Sunday will be in commemoration of this event.

The Epworth League will hold a sunrise prayer meeting at 6 a. m. The bell will ring at 10.45 a. m. the pastor will preach on "Christ's Opportunity." In the Sunday school there will be a short exercise on "The Life of John Wesley." At 6 p. m. the program will include short talks on the following topics: "The Ancestry of the Wesley's," Miss Minnie Joyce; "John Wesley, the Founder of Methodism," Edward Agard; "Charles Wesley, the Fort of Methodism," E. N. Stanley; "The Heroes of Early Methodism," Miss Edna Hutchins; "Some Heroes of Early Methodism," R. G. Sealey; "The Success of Methodism," C. G. Nichols. The hymns of the Wesley's will be sung in this service.

Ladies please call at Mrs. Mollie Richardson's for your Fourth of July hats and trimmings.

Armon's lunch 25 cents a pound at Rutledge's Market.

Headquarters for fireworks of all kinds at Conch's Confectionery. Come here and get your Fourth of July supplies. We have enough for all.

### LADIES AUXILIARY TO THE A. O. H.

Degrees Worked, Refreshments Served and Social Hour Enjoyed.

State President Mrs. Eleanor McCann, County Treasurer, Miss Maagie Murphy, and the officers and several of the members of the Ladies Auxiliary to the A. O. H. of this place, paid a fraternal visit to the division in Rockville last Monday evening, and took part in the celebration of the sixth anniversary of the division. Refreshments were served, speeches were made and a delightful social time was enjoyed at the conclusion of the regular division work. The ladies report having been cordially received and royally entertained by their Rockville sisters.

Large delegations of visiting sisters from Hartford and Rockville were present at the meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the A. O. H. in Cheney hall last Tuesday evening and were edited by the capable manner in which the degree team did their work. The initiatory ceremony was performed by the local degree team and elicited much praise from the visiting sisters. They were greeted with the new paraphernalia, and with the new degree work.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream, cake, etc., and the ladies were made, and the visitors were caused to feel that they were very welcome in South Manchester. They left for their respective homes bearing pleasant recollections of their visit with the Ladies Auxiliary to the A. O. H. of South Manchester.

### HOME AGAIN.

False Alarm in Dr. William Vall's Case—Reported Himself as Being Ill With Small Pox.

Miss Gertrude Abbey has recovered from an attack of small pox, and last Tuesday was released from the Detention house, where she had been since Sunday, June 23. The quarantine was removed from the Abbey and Brainerd residences last Monday. The patients at the Detention house are getting along as well as could be expected.

It is now confidently believed that Miss Ethel Brainerd will recover. She has had the terrible ordeal very well indeed, and must have been originally sound in order to survive the scourge which was visited upon her.

Frank Abbey and Mrs. Bush are releasing Mrs. Abbey may be recalled next week.

Dr. Vall is getting along comfortably. He had but a slight attack. Notwithstanding his advanced age, his vitality and general soundness are undiminished, and he is proving a winning point in his case.

Dr. William Vall is very much improved in health. Last Saturday he notified the authorities that he had small pox and requested that he be removed to the Detention house for treatment and care. Dr. Keating was sent there and on diagnosing the case decided that the sickness was not small pox, and that therefore it was not necessary to remove the doctor.

O. E. Mannel, an immense, was there with the conveyance used for transporting small pox patients to the Detention house, but the doctor was not given the privilege of having a ride in the vehicle, much to his own peace of mind and also that of his relatives and friends.

It seems now as if the authorities had gained control of the small pox situation, and it is earnestly hoped and expected that we will have no more of the dread scourge.

### ORANGEMEN'S EXCURSION.

Further particulars regarding the excursion which Washington Lyral Orange Lodge are to run to Savin Rock on the Fourth of July, are given here, with, as follows: The special excursion train will leave the South Manchester railroad station at 6.30 a. m., and will leave the Connecticut railroad station at 7.00 a. m. Persons taking the train at the South Manchester station will not have to change cars at all, as the South Manchester railroad company will bring the excursion train to Savin Rock every few minutes. It is a charming ride down the coast.

Returning the train will leave the Union Station at New Haven at 6.50 p. m. This will enable the party to reach home not later than 8 o'clock, making due allowance for all ordinary business inspection and free seats will be served to all. The location is the new Ferris block at the corner of Main and Oak streets. Substantial golden oak fixtures have been installed, everything new, modern, and in good taste, and there is no doubt that the new drug store will at once leap into popular favor. Mr. Wickes will be in charge, giving his personal attention to the details of the business, and will be ably assisted by Christie Glenney, a young man who has worked with Mr. Wickes for several years past, and who is himself quite popular. He is a careful and obliging clerk and is sure to win continued approval from the public in his new station.

### NEW GREEN HOUSE.

Seth Leslie Cheney is constantly making improvements at the Cheney farm and increasing the usefulness and output of the property. He has just placed an order with Lord & Burnham of New York for the construction of a greenhouse at the farm. The structure will be 40x100 feet and will be ready for use by September first. It will be used for the purpose of raising hot house vegetables.

### GREAT COST SALE.

We find that we are overstocked with a number of staple goods, and in order to reduce our stock and convert it into cash we shall give to the people of Manchester an opportunity to purchase our goods at very special prices, as at cost. If you wish to save money do not miss this sale, as it is an opportunity that does not happen every day. Which for our citizens which we shall have Saturday morning, June 28th. Don't miss this sale. Palace Market Co., Hiram A. Grant, Prop.

### CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to hereby tender my sincere thanks to the South Manchester Fire Department, and also to my many kind friends, for the heroic service so cheerfully rendered me at the fire last Wednesday night, in their very successful efforts at saving my property.

JOHN MATCHETT.

Farmer's butter 25 cents a pound, at Rutledge's Market.

Headquarters for Gough's bread and pastry at Conch's.

### FORESTERS ELECT OFFICERS.

The semi-annual meeting of Court Manchester, No. 107, Foresters of America, Incorporated, took place in Old Fellows hall last evening and resulted in choice being made of the following officers for the ensuing six months: Chief Ranger, G. S. Hanger, sub-chief ranger, Harry M. Burke; senior woodward, William Douglas; junior woodward, Walter Saunders; senior beadle, John Shaw; junior beadle, James Carney; trustee, William L. Buckland.

About 100 members were present. At the close of the evening's work, a collation was served, cigars were lighted, Fred H. Wall acted as toastmaster and remarks were made by many, and several songs were sung. A social time ensued. Hereafter the Foresters will meet on the first and third Tuesdays of their meeting nights to the second and fourth Fridays of each month, in order to meet the requirements of Masonic hall.

### ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE FOR THE FORMAL OPENING OF THE HANDSOME NEW STATION AT NEW HAVEN & CO.

and next Tuesday is the date set for this auspicious event. From 6 until 10 p. m. next Tuesday the beautiful new station fountain will be thrown open to public inspection and free seats will be served to all. The location is the new Ferris block at the corner of Main and Oak streets. Substantial golden oak fixtures have been installed, everything new, modern, and in good taste, and there is no doubt that the new drug store will at once leap into popular favor. Mr. Wickes will be in charge, giving his personal attention to the details of the business, and will be ably assisted by Christie Glenney, a young man who has worked with Mr. Wickes for several years past, and who is himself quite popular. He is a careful and obliging clerk and is sure to win continued approval from the public in his new station.

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### MISS ROGERS OF WESLEYAN IS SPENDING A FEW DAYS IN TOWN.

Next Monday he will go to Lake Placid in the Adirondack Mountains where he will spend the summer.

William J. Benig went to Passaic, N. J., last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Benig. He also attended the graduation exercises of the Passaic High School, where his sister was graduated.

Henry Keeney is having the Rogers house removed from Main street opposite the Ninth District school, to be replaced by a building to be used for a residence.

Paul Schendell, second son of Mrs. Schendell of North Main street, is dangerously ill with a bone disease, and great fears are entertained that he cannot recover. His condition is considered to be dangerous. The boy is fourteen years of age.

While riding on one of William Grady's cars last Monday, Willie Johnson, son of William Johnson of Spruce street, fell to the ground and one of the wheels of the heavy wagon passed over his wrist, breaking the bone. Dr. Bradley treated the wounded member.

Adolph Anderson of this place will go to the White Mountains next Monday where he has secured a position for the summer as a waiter in a newspaper published at Bethlehem, N. H. It is a weekly publication and is known as the "White Mountain Echo and Tourist's Register."

Rev. George H. Rogers, pastor of the Methodist church in Chester, Mass., spent a few days in town this week as the guest of his sister, Mrs. James Vetch of Church street. His wife and three children accompanied him. Mr. Rogers formerly resided here, where he is well known and has many devoted friends.

A largely attended meeting of Manchester Lodge, No. 73 F. and A. M. took place in Masonic hall last Tuesday evening. The third degree was exemplified. There were many visiting brethren from Hartford and surrounding towns. The ladies of the Eastern Star furnished the banquet that followed the labors of the evening.

Very True. Money makes the mare go; But about any rocky Has had experience to know one of our Quick Mail Gasolines, or Blue Flame Oil Stoves.

Not Talkative. "Suppose I was an absolutely perfect woman," she remarked sharply. "No," answered her husband. "What?" "I would growl because you had nothing to growl about."—Chicago Post.

The Clever. Mission Teacher—Yes, Tommy; if you cannot make it, you'd better check, also. Tommy—Yes, I'm too clever a dunker to get it in either cheek, mum!—Luck.

The Busy Man. "What ever induced you to learn to use the typewriting machine?" "Well, it's the only practical way I have ever found of avoiding the bother of dotting my 'i's and crossing my 't's."—Chicago Tribune.

A Pique for "Pop." Teddy—Pa! Pa—Yes, dear. Teddy—May I ask a question? Pa—Yes, I'm ready to answer. Teddy—Where's the wind when it don't blow?—N. Y. Times.

Too Much Color. Mrs. Tittle—Did you notice what a lot of color Miss Giddy had in her cheeks to-night? Mrs. Tittle—Yes; I was afraid she was going to have a trunk of paint to the head.—Judge.

Long Time Between. "Frank," said Mabel, tenderly, "doesn't it seem ages between Tuesday and Saturday night?" "Yes, indeed," replied Frank, thoughtlessly. "Sometimes it seems as though pay-day would never come."—Tribune.

They Got Wet. "What was the first thing the children of Israel did after they came through the Red sea?" asked a Sunday school teacher. "I 'spect they dried themselves," answered a small boy.—Little Chronicle.

Caustics. Ah, girl (meeting former patient)—Oh, good morning, Mr. Jones. How are you feeling this morning? Mr. Jones—Say, doctor, does it cost anything if I tell you?—Chicago Daily News.

Intellectual Improvement. "Since Gimpers got married he has been a different man." "Yes, No doubt his wife has been giving him a course of certain lectures."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Better Way. "I do wish mother'd put my pockets in upside down," Freddy said. "Cause then things wou'd fall out when I stand on my head."—Home Chat.

The Dear Ladies. E. U. Wright—They say Miss Angeline has a pair. Miss Confectionery—Yes, but the delectable about 15 years of it.—Detroit Free Press.

College loss with crushed fruits at Conch's confectionery.

### CHANGE OF PROGRAM.

Fourth of July Exercises Will Not Take Place in Cheney Hall As Previously Announced. Rev. J. A. Biddle Deemed It Impractical to Hold Services Indoors.

The program of exercises planned to be held in Cheney hall July Fourth by the young people of St. Mary's church has been changed by Rev. J. A. Biddle and the people are desirous of breathing the air of freedom on the glorious Fourth of July in the open air, rather than in a hall. To that end, the exercises will be held outdoors and the exercises will simply be as follows: The procession will form at the Episcopal church and set forth promptly at 9.30 o'clock headed by the South Manchester Military Band. The line of march will be down Park street to Main, to Hartford road, to Pine, to Pleasant, to the picnic grounds at Cooper Hill.

Miss Lizzie Hyde will there give the Address of the Nations to America. James Harrison, representing Uncle Sam will represent America. The audience will then sing American, and the young people will, without any further ceremony, abandon themselves to the enjoyment of the picnic.

In the procession the host bearing representatives of the nation will appear, as previously announced in these columns, and will be attended by the following persons: Alfred Rundi, John Pickles, William McKinney, Albert Crawford, Harry Shaw.

All the addresses etc. were prepared and memorized by the young people will be omitted. The athletic sports, as previously published, the large crowd of base ball between the St. Marys and the West Ends. This promises to be one of the features of the day's sports and will take place in the afternoon. The great deal of interest is being manifested in this game. Both sides will make a heroic effort to win.

In the forenoon, after the parade there will be a game of base ball between a team selected from players of St. Mary's parish and the Oxford. This, as we are informed, will not be the regular St. Mary's team. The latter will save their efforts for the encounter with the West Ends. They expect to be on the task of their strength and ability very thoroughly in this game, and it is believed that they would be equal to playing two games of such magnitude in one day.

The Oxford are on the war path and expect to come out of the game with a clean conscience. They are especially anxious to win. There will be no gallop, and all lovers of transport should be on the grounds. Great fair weather, they will have a royal time. Here's to the winner!

### QUARANTINE REMOVED.

Frank Abbey at His Home on Charter Oak Street—Miss Brainerd Recovering.

The quarantine on the Dr. Vall place has been removed and the doctor is able to be out of doors and about. His son, Dr. William Vall, is also well, apparently the disease has been brought under control for the present. At the Detention house the patients are getting along as well as could be expected. Frank Abbey will spend the Fourth of July at his home as he left the Detention house at 1 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Bush is convalescing nicely, and Miss Brainerd is considered to be out of immediate danger. The French much weakness remaining in her case however, and no doubt it will be still some weeks before she will be able to breathe the air of freedom. Her eyes are getting better, and she will not be deprived of her sight, as was at one time feared. She has passed through a terrible ordeal and it will take a long time before she can be fully restored. It is believed, however, that when she does get back to health she will be more robust than ever. Every blessing will have been purged from her system and she will come out of it almost a new woman. Her friends will be delighted to learn that her chances for recovery are so good. She is very popular and people have been extremely anxious as to her welfare.

### A MUSICAL FOURTH AT LAUREL PARK.

The attendance at Laurel Park on such Fourth of July since it opened in 1895 has confirmed the managers in their first opinion that many people desire a place of entertainment free from the customary nerve-wrecking celebration which is usually provided for this occasion, consequently all persons going to Laurel Park on the Fourth are requested not to bring revolvers, horns, whistles, or any other kind of musical instruments. It is desired that nothing shall interfere with the thorough enjoyment of the musical treat which Hatch's Military Band, and Beaman & Hatch's Orchestra will furnish for the Fourth of July on this day. Continuous music will be furnished, the band alternating with the orchestra. The large dancing pavilion is now under the care of the large electric lighting fans ever manufactured, so that dancing can be enjoyed without discomfort, even on the hottest day. The old favorites in the Zoo are all in their places, and the people are expected to be on the grounds. Transport should be on the grounds. Great fair weather, they will have a royal time. Here's to the winner!

### Now is The Time...

To add to the comforts of life and make the duties of housekeeping much more pleasant by purchasing one of our Quick Mail Gasolines, or Blue Flame Oil Stoves.

We have a full and attractive line of these goods, with all the latest improvements. Step in and see them. We will gladly tell you of their many good qualities.

Remember that we sell the beautiful Crawford Ranges. There are none better.

GEORGE K. WRIGHT, Sole Dealer, 275 Main Street, Telephone 100.

### GET AFTER THEM NOW...

The time has arrived when you must declare war on potato bugs and other vermin that destroy your garden produce, flowers, etc. We have "Bug Death," a non-poisonous germicide, that is very effective. Have you tried it? If you are not particular as to the non-poisonous quality, we have plenty of Paris Green. You know what that will do. Let us supply you.

GEORGE HOWE, The Green House.

### Attention.

No. 1 Hay \$1.00 per cwt. White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers, 2 Steel Siphons 75c each. Berry Baskets, 40c per hundred.

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### SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

Let me show you the latest styles in long and short sleeves. We have special sizes for stout men. Men's sizes of above 50. Boy's sizes 25 cents. Also Jersey Ribbed Undershirts for men \$1.00 and \$1.50. We have the Balbriggan undersuits, 3 suits also. You want to see our novelties in neckwear. New invoice just opened. Call on me.

### BOSTON STORE.

#### SPECIALS FOR THE FOURTH

Hammocks. Our stock of hammocks this season comprises all the popular sorts and colors. We have them from 75c to \$4.00.

#### PARASOLS AND SUN UMBRELLAS.

It is a matter of comfort during hot weather for people out in the sun to carry a shade. We have a goodly variety of parasols for ladies and a big assortment of sun umbrellas and child's parasols.

#### SHIRT WAISTS.

We have always shown a big display of shirt waists. Our new arrivals of latest designs.

#### MILLINERY

All our trimmed hats have returned to just one half the former prices. A good time to get Fourth of July headwear at a big saving now.

#### WHITE SKIRTS

We can suit you in wash skirts. This season they come in pique, duck, and covert.

### BOSTON STORE.

J. W. HALE.



EASTMAN KODAKS.

A beautiful showing of high grade cameras, Tripods, Plates and Chemicals for Photography. Everything you may require. Inquire about the Brownie Camera. We have it in two sizes this year. No. 1 at \$1.00 and No. 2 at \$1.25.

C. TIFFANY, LEADING OPTICIAN, 115 CHERRY STREET.

### FLAG RAISING.

How and Ladder Company No. 1 will have a flag raising at 9 o'clock on the Eve of July 4th. K. D. Cheney has presented the company with a handsome silk flag 9x14 feet. This will be suspended from the hall trees in front of the house. Suitable ceremonies will be held and the event will be appropriately commemorated. It is one year today since the hook and ladder outfit was organized, by the addition of the horses. The boys believe that this event should be fittingly solemnized. When How and Ladder Company No. 1 set out to do anything they usually make a success. We anticipate that this event will be of a kind similar to others of its sort which have gone before. They are rather proud of their record in this particular and are anxious to make history of a creditable kind. Fireworks, refreshments, street addresses, etc. will be in order. A banquette bearing the inscription "How & Ladder Co. No. 1 will be suspended over the flag.

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THE GLORIOUS FOURTH OF JULY. The stores along Main street present a gaily decorated appearance. The windows are colored and everything indicates the arrival of the Glorious Fourth of July.

Shipments are estimated this year by the railroad people at one-third of the output of the state. There are other orchards of 100,000 to 150,000 trees, many with 250,000 to 500,000 trees.

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THE GEORGIA PEACH CROP.

J. H. Hale writes about the Progress of the Harvest.

The American peach king is now at Fort Valley, where he is harvesting the peach crop on his Georgia farm.

Mr. Hale writes to The Post at Fort Valley on June 27, Mr. Hale gives some interesting facts about the crop.

Dear Sir:—We began picking peaches and Japan plums on the 12th, eight days ahead of last year, and are now shipping four cars a day, each car holding about 400 six-bushel crates, or approximately 400 bushels to the car.

So that now our daily pick is about 1,800 bushels. Next week we shall have 2,000 to 3,000 bushels daily, not quite so large as the week following, until about the 10th of July, when we get into the main harvest of Belle and Elberta varieties.

The output will be about 10 cars a day. Georgia as a whole has less than one-half a crop this year, while our orchard has the largest crop we have ever had.

The season has been especially favorable. Fruit is of extra size, more free from blight than ever before, and the hot, dry weather we are now having has put on an extra color and quality that is bound to make the fruit appreciated on the market.

Up to this time all our fruit has been going to Philadelphia and New York, but I started Boston and Providence each a car yesterday and today we are loading our first for Hartford and New York. I like to have the home folks have as good as there is, so you may be sure that the car that C. S. Brewer will have to distribute early next Tuesday morning will contain a lot of beauties. I know you newspaper men are sleepy in the morning, but if you will drop down to Brewer's at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning, I am sure you will make you smile.

Of old bearing trees and those newly planted Georgia now has 15,000,000 peach trees, planted on about 90,000 acres of land. The Hale orchard is the largest single one with 250,000 trees, planted on about 2,500 acres of land, so level that all can be seen from our Outlook on top of the great packing shed.

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A NEIGHBORLY ACT.

About forty of John Matchett's friends assembled at the ruins of his mechanics shop last evening.

Matchett's shop had been destroyed by fire on Saturday last, and the debris to the east side of the brook, so that work might be started upon the new building. They had a chicken and a turkey dinner.

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\$1.49 Wash Skirts now .75 \$2.00 Wash Skirts now \$1.75 \$3.98 Wash Skirts now \$1.25

WRAPPERS. All our \$1.00 Wrappers now .69 All our \$1.25 Wrappers now .98 All our \$1.48 Wrappers now .98

Remember we pay our fare to Hartford on every purchase of one dollar or more.

KELLER BROS. 579 Main St. Hartford, Conn.

Rockville... Marble and Granite Works

Monuments. Enough cemetery stonework to supply all Hartford and surrounding towns for this year has just arrived.

Owing to delay at the quarries our stone work did not arrive in time and it is now piling in by the carload with not room enough for quarter of it.

Call at once at The Hartford Monumental Works, 100 Main St., Hartford, Conn.

Officers Elected. Officers were elected by King David Lodge, L. O. O. F., Friday evening, as follows: Noble grand, Fred P. Geer.

Knights of Pythias. Memorial Lodge K. of P., met, Friday evening, in the Brown & Patten building and elected the following officers: Chancellor commander, George W. Gammons.

Vacant Oak Hall. It has at last been definitely decided that the lodge must leave Oak Hall Building.

Will Assemble at St. Mary's Church. Washington Loyal Orange Lodge No. 117, will assemble at St. Mary's church next Sunday morning, July 5th.

Working in Hartford. The many friends of H. C. Martin of this place, will be pleased to learn that he has secured employment with Brown, Thomson & Co. of Hartford.

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To... Coffee Drinkers

If you want to know where your coffee stands, test it against the 5th Avenue Blend. The reputation of O'Donahue's 5th Avenue Java and Mocha has been established for years. It is known from one end of the country to the other as, not "one of the best," or "just as good," but as THE BEST.

All next week one-half pound of it will be GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE to everyone who purchases a pound and a half at the store of

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

Fireworks.

Larger display than ever. Greater assortment. Genuine Chinese crackers, besides the novelties of the year.

MAGNELL'S NEWS AND BOOK STORE

Don't Bring Revolvers, Torpedoes, Horns or Firecrackers to

Laurel Park

4th of July.

Hatch's Military Band and Boeman and Hatch's Orchestra will furnish

CONTINUOUS MUSIC FOR DANCING.

Row-boats, Swan boat and Electric Launch, Merry-go-round, Springs and Complete Zoo will furnish entertainment for all. Two cars leave City Hall for the Park every fifteen minutes.

California Fruits...

The delicious California Fruits are now in season and the cherries and apricots are already here. Others will be placed on sale in order of succession. Call and try them. Bananas are abundant, of excellent quality and at reasonable prices here.

FELIX FARR, Manufacturing Confectioner, Parson Building, South Manchester.

DR. MAY, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

ROOM 1, CHEVY BUILDING, DR. MAY'S OFFICE, EVERY WEDNESDAY, 1:30 P. M. TO 7:30 P. M.

Auction Sale!

of Real Estate. The Charles S. Woodhouse property consisting of 4 houses (rental \$6.00 per month) and a large lot on Spruce street, South Manchester, will be sold at public auction on the premises

THURS. JULY 10, '02, 2 P. M.

This property will be sold to the highest bidder without reserve or limit.

JAMES H. WOODHOUSE, Administrator.

JOHN M. WILLIAMS, Auctioneer.

DR. M. M. MAINE, DENTIST

OFFICE HOURS: 10 A. M. TO 1 P. M. CHEVY BLOCK Over Post Office

DR. A. ANGELL, Specialist in the diseases of the EYE AND EAR.

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Actual Business Practice From The Start at The Huntsinger College.

This school has always over twice as many pupils in attendance as any other business college in Hartford. There is no guess-work in any part of its course. Actual transactions take place before entries are made in the books. This necessitates the writing of every bill, note, check, order, shipping receipt, etc., precisely as they are written in any up-to-date business office.

We placed 1000 graduates in situations in the sixty-nine months ending June 30th. Call to see the college, taking elevator just inside the entrance door.

Head your next ad.

E. F. HUNTJINGER, 15 ARCADE ST., HARTFORD.

A BIG SCOOP.

The People of South Manchester and Vicinity Will Have an Opportunity to Secure Bargains in Dry Goods, Notions Etc. at Prices Feared.

Readers of This News will be interested in the announcement that George W. Smith, the well known shoe dealer and men's outfitter in the new Chesley block, has purchased the entire stock and fixtures of the H. C. Martin dry goods store and beginning Saturday morning, July 5th, will open a closing out sale the like of which has never before been presented to the people of South Manchester and vicinity.

Mr. Smith does not intend to continue the dry goods business, and therefore has no use for the stock. In view of this fact he is plunging the knife relentlessly into prices and is marking the goods down to half price and, in many instances less. He wants to get rid of the contents of the store and get rid of them at once and certainly if low prices can accomplish their speedy removal, it will be done with dispatch.

In a large advertisement which appears on page 3 of this paper, Mr. Smith makes a statement regarding this matter. There are too many items to allow him to enumerate prices. Therefore he has refrained from employing that method of informing the public of the big scoop he is preparing for them. His well known integrity, and general conservatism are sufficient guarantee that when he makes an announcement that he has a big scoop, he will not go to just as he agrees. He has been doing business in this town for many years and has earned and won the public confidence. Therefore, in his behavior those who wish to take in for a share of these extraordinary bargains do so at once, as there will be no reserve in this sale.

Everything will be yours for the asking. Those who call early will have the full stock from which to select. There are many pretty offerings that are dear to the heart of every woman, and therefore while the opportunity lasts to secure them at such unheard of reductions all should avail themselves of the privilege.

An extra force of clerks will be employed to serve the public. Get right into the swirl and secure your portion of the choice offerings.

CONFIRMATION ADMINISTERED.

A class of nineteen persons was confirmed in the Swedish Lutheran church last Sunday evening. To Clinton Hicks and John Pym was assigned the difficult and dangerous task of painting the spires and cross. The top of the cross is 150 feet from the ground. It will be climbed later. Many persons watched the men while they were at work on the spires. Everybody knows that "Clint" is a good boy, but they did not expect to see him so close to heaven as he was last Monday morning while climbing the apex of that spire. He managed to get along comfortably in his exalted position. It takes a steady going man to do a piece of work like that.

WILL SELL AT AUCTION.

Investors in real estate hereabouts will have an opportunity to do something in that line next week. Thursday, July 10th, when John M. Williams will sell at public auction the Charles S. Woodhouse property on Spruce street, this place, to the highest bidder, without reserve or limitation. There are four buildings in the group belonging to a rental of \$60 per month. There is also a large strip of land at that point, which will be included in the sale. The official notice of the auction is made in our advertising columns, by the administrator, James H. Woodhouse.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS.

Does Not Feel Warranted in Continuing Under Present Circumstances-- Special Low Prices Offered on Footwear.

Isaac Proctor, who for several months past has been conducting a shoe store in the old Ferris block, announces the fact that he is going out of business. Mr. Proctor had a nice trade before the strike, but since that time his sales have fallen off to such an extent that he does not find it advisable to continue. Therefore he has determined to close out his entire stock at once, and to that end has instituted a closing out sale.

He is offering great reductions in prices and is giving the people of South Manchester and vicinity an opportunity to secure footwear at practically wholesale prices. His stock is all clean, new and up-to-date, and persons wishing to save money in the purchase of footwear will do well to attend this sale. Many people having a number of children to furnish with shoes, will find this an excellent opportunity to do so and have money left to pay for a celebration of the Glorious Fourth of July for the little ones besides. Although the money may not be saved, it will be made to go further and provide more of the comforts so well as the enjoyments of life and thus make the children happy.

THREE WEEKS' VACATION.

Rev. T. J. Everett and family are at Birch Island, Lakeport, New England, where they intend to remain for three weeks, including three Sundays. Mrs. Everett and her children went there last week Saturday, and Mr. Everett will preach at that place on Sunday, July 20th. Announcement of this fact will be made later. Meetings will be held during Mr. Everett's absence.

ST. JAMES CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. W. J. McGuck is spending the week in retreat at Holy Cross College, Worcester, Mass. It is expected that he will return Saturday evening.

The St. James Union will approach Holy Communion on Monday, July 7th, at 8:30 a. m. mass next Sunday. This is their quarterly practice.

The banns of marriage were announced for the first time in St. James church on Sunday, July 6th, between Joseph Manning of Hartford and Miss Mary Garvey of this place.

Next Sunday will be the first Sunday of the July vacation quarter.

During the months of July and August High Mass, Vespers and Sunday school will be omitted. Baptisms will take place during the same period at 9:30 a. m. on Sundays.

On the morning of July Fourth, the first Friday in the month, masses will take place in St. James church at 5:30 and 7 o'clock.

DR. TINKER'S PARENTS HERE.

Dr. W. R. Tinker's father and mother are here as his guests for the summer. They came all the way from California, where they have been for several years. Miss Mary is attending High school there and is making excellent progress. Out of a class of 450 pupils, she received one of the four medals distributed by the Board of Regents for general excellence in studies. This is considerable of a distinction, and demonstrates the fact that she has been diligent in the pursuit of her studies, and that she is making the most of her opportunities for acquiring such information as may be had at this institution of learning. Her parents are very anxious that she should continue her education at this place, and are willing to pay the expense of her board and tuition. Her father is a physician, and her mother is a teacher. They are both very successful in their respective professions, and are very proud of their daughter's achievements.

BACK FROM YONKERS.

The Misses Katie, Nellie and Mary Morley returned from Yonkers, N. Y., this week. Miss Katie and Miss Nellie are school teachers and have been employed as such in Yonkers for several years past. Miss Mary is attending High school there and is making excellent progress. Out of a class of 450 pupils, she received one of the four medals distributed by the Board of Regents for general excellence in studies. This is considerable of a distinction, and demonstrates the fact that she has been diligent in the pursuit of her studies, and that she is making the most of her opportunities for acquiring such information as may be had at this institution of learning. Her parents are very anxious that she should continue her education at this place, and are willing to pay the expense of her board and tuition. Her father is a physician, and her mother is a teacher. They are both very successful in their respective professions, and are very proud of their daughter's achievements.

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HEADQUARTERS FOR FIREWORKS of all kinds at O'Connell's Confectionery. Come here and get your Fourth of July supplies. We have enough for all.

IN QUEST OF BOHEMIA

BY ALFRED GALPIN.

When the ice man called in the morning she told him that she wouldn't take any more ice from him as she could get it much cheaper from another dealer. The ice man was troubled for a while. Then he said cheerfully: "Folks, you see, but you don't want any of that ice; you can't use it for ice water, for it's been analyzed and is full of them deadly microbes."—N. Y. Times.

What's in a name.

Down Towne—I hired a new typewriter this morning.

Upon Downe—Why, where is she? I don't see her around.

Down Towne—When I learned that her name was Simmons, I fired her.

Upon Downe—What for?

Down Towne—Why, do you suppose I want my letters signed "per Simmons"?"—Princeton Tiger.

The Muskrat's Revenge.

De Notis (sarcastic)—I'll get even with that old bear yet.

Friend—How can you, a poor man, do that? You can't get even with an insatiable old millionaire?

"He has seven daughters."

"If you can't get even with an insatiable old millionaire?"

"I'll write a popular song."—N. Y. Weekly.

Isotopic Advice.

Countryman—I spoke to our herb doctor and he advised me that I should—

Doctor (interrupting)—Oh! he gave you some isotopic advice, I don't doubt.

Countryman—He advised me to see you.—T. B. B.

Good Advice.

"Why do you make your daughter spend so much time over her music lessons?"

"Her teacher thinks there is a great deal of promise in her voice."

"But don't you think you ought to get her a piano?"

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