

Fruits for Canning.

Call and see our Excellent Assortment of Fruits for Canning—We Have the Finest Peaches in Connecticut—They are Beauties

We are now unloading the Early Crawfords and the Wheatland Whites, of excellent quality. Next week we shall unload the Elbertas, and after these come the late Crawfords, the Yellow Smocks for eating, and the Globes. The prices are very low.

We Also have a Lot of Very Nice Bartlett Pears, Canning Plums and Grapes.

Aaron Johnson Dealer in the Best Things to Eat. 120 Chestnut Street, Just Below Monument Park.

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. Come up to our place and you will see the reason that price is not our object. We must dispose of this stock, as we cannot leave it where it is. Call at once at The Hartford Monumental Works, 120 and 122 Main St., Hartford, Conn. J. J. Moriarty, Agent.

Ranges.

Step in and see our new store and see the attractive line of Richmond and Acorn Ranges we have on exhibition. These goods have stood the test of time and have always been reliable. There is no better made. We will be glad to point out their merits. Call.

FOR RENT—We have a very desirable store to rent in our Oak Street block. Apply.

Ferris Brothers, Plumbing and Steam Fitting, Stone, Range and Furnace Work.

Are Your Valuables

Worth \$8.00? If so buy a Mellich's Safe. A guaranteed protection against fire and water of any dwelling or office building. Fire-robbed with other key or combination lock. Price from \$10.00 to \$50.00. Agents for the Victor Safe and Lock Co.'s Safes, for business purposes.

NOW READY.

The fall styles, plates and samples are now in. I am ready to execute all orders for ladies' and gentlemen's tailor made garments with promptness and skill. Your patronage is respectfully solicited. Repairing Garments a specialty.

Isaiah Symington, Merchant Tailor, Park Building, S. Manchester.

The Huntsinger College Publishes Facts and Facts Only

It is a fact that the school requires three whole floors of 30 Aylmton street. It is a fact that the school employs eight teachers regularly. It is a fact that we have one floor furnished with roll-top desks. It is a fact that our Typewriting Department is equipped with forty-one first-class machines. It is a fact that the text-books are loaned free of charge to pupils. It is a fact that the tuition, stationary and all supplies per pupil last year was only \$11.90 per month. It is a fact that we have a rest situation Department which placed 1064 graduates in situations in 70 months and 3 weeks ending September 16th. It is a fact that this school is nearly three times as large as any other business school of Hartford. It is a fact that Mr. Huntsinger teaches daily. It is a fact that the individual interests of each pupil are considered. We earnestly invite those who seek business training to call to see the school in session. We shall be pleased to explain the excellence of our courses, and the methods by which we obtain our wonderful results. E. A. HUNTINGER, 30 Aylmton St., near Main St., Hartford.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Taber Chapter Epworth League will hold a literary and social meeting next Wednesday, September 24, at 7:30 p. m. at the South Methodist church. The following program will be rendered: Piano Solo, Miss Pauline Beebe; Song, "Old Abe," Miss Beebe; "Who Killed Cock Robin," Children's Chorus; Address, "Birds of Our Neighborhood," Miss Leona S. Hannah; Reading, "The Sermon of St. Francis," Miss Louise Raddeley; Song, "Goodbye to Summer," Children's Chorus; Reading, George Trotter; Solo, Edward Agard Jr.; Piano solo, The vestry will be suitably and extensively decorated. All are cordially invited to attend.

APEL'S OPERA HOUSE.

"A TRIP TO THE CIRCUS." Miss May Prindle, the star in "A Trip to the Circus" has been a sensational talent and grace. She has held stock engagements as leading lady in such cities as Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia and for several years starred in her own company through the Western states. No actress can boast of a more elaborate wardrobe than Miss Prindle and none know how to wear it better than she. A forming picture of Miss May Prindle as Alice in "A Trip to the Circus" which will be seen at Apell's opera house Monday, September 22.

FORESTERS ANNIVERSARY.

The anniversary committee of Court Manchester, No. 107, Foresters of America, met last Monday evening and took preliminary action on observing the sixth anniversary of the court. The committee is composed of Chief Ranger William F. McHale, Past Chief Ranger Robinson Crockett, William Dugan, Philip Fraher, John Jensen and Walter Saunders. October 2 was the day selected by the committee, and if Cheney Hall can be secured on that date, the event will be duly observed. An effort will be made to have the grand chief of the order and other grand lodge officers present. The society is in a very prosperous condition, having as members some of the town's representative citizens and many young men from all over the town and to themselves.

HIBERNIAN CONVENTION.

The semi-annual convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was held in Hartford yesterday, and the following delegates from this place were present: James Egan, Thomas J. Keating, Daniel Moriarty, William M. Quinn and Cornelius Foley. The following officers were elected: County President—Philip J. Sullivan, Thompsonville; County Vice-President—Patrick Healy, East Hartford; County Secretary—John J. Darby, Hartford; County Treasurer—Jeremiah T. McCarthy, Bristol.

GOING TO BOSTON.

John J. Sullivan of Spruce street left town yesterday for Boston, Mass., where he has secured a good situation with the Coeno-Chemical Company of New Haven. This concern conducts a branch office at Boston in the Colonial building, 100 Boylston street. Mr. Sullivan will operate a static electric machine, similar to that which he has been manipulating here for the past five years. He has had considerable experience in this field of work, under the very able tutelage of the late Dr. J. N. Parker, not only in the use of the static machine, but also with the Faradic and Galvanic machines. The new position which Mr. Sullivan with a good salary, and the chances for advancement are excellent. It is believed that he will prove to be a valuable man for this concern, and that his engagement with it will be a profitable and pleasant for all concerned.

BUSIER THAN EVER.

George R. Wright, the well known stove dealer, plumber and tinner on School street, reports that he never has busier than he is at present. He has the largest number of employees at work he ever had in his business experience. Orders are piling in for work steadily, and he is on the overhauling machine trying to keep up with the demands of trade. He has placed many of his handsome Crawford ranges on exhibition in Watkins Brothers' display window, so he had no time to arrange a suitable place for same in his own store.

PEACH SOCIAL.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge will give a peach social in Odd Fellows hall on Tuesday evening, September 23, at which peaches and cream will be served, also peach short cake, peach pie, salads, coffee, cake, and ice cream. The charge for the whole will be 25 cents. The Rebekahs wish it to be understood that this social is open to the public, and all are cordially invited to attend.

ROYAL BUMPER DEGREE.

Louis Salowitz, the shoe repairer in the Parnell building took the Royal Bumper Degree in Court Manchester Foresters of America last week. Ask Louis whether there was anything doing at that time or not. He remembers some parts of it very distinctly, and is apt to do so for some time. You might enquire as to how he enjoyed the initiation, and his acquaintance with the Foresters' goat.

MEMBER OF BOARD.

Aaron Johnson was elected a member of the Board of directors of the Seaside Land & Improvement Society. New Britain last week Thursday. The society owns about \$10,000 worth of real estate in New Britain. It has a capital stock of \$20,000 divided into shares of the par value of \$25.00 each. Mr. Johnson attended their meeting last week Thursday evening.

Top's bag of potato chips at Couch's.

NOT QUITE A BULL'S EYE.

While members of the Company G, C. N. G. rifle team were practicing at the targets on the South Main street range last week, one of the boys missed the target and accidentally shot a cow belonging to Walter N. Weir. The animal was grazing several hundred yards at the rear of the target and was not seen by the marksmen, and as the shot went wild, she received the bullet and now the interesting question arises as to where the responsibility for the death of the cow is to be placed. There are several phases of the question which are likely to be aired with more or less publicity.

DRAMGEMEN'S BAZAR.

Washington Loyal Orange Lodge No. 117 have decided to give a five night's bazar in their hall at 102½ Center street on the evenings of October 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, and season tickets for same will be issued next week. The proceeds on the bazar will be about \$555, of which amount \$75 is in cash. The capital prize will be \$50 in cash. There will be two \$10 cash prizes and one \$5 cash prize. It will therefore be seen that the chances for winning something worth while will be good. The season tickets will sell at 25 cents each. In addition to the season tickets there will be tickets sold on special prices.

DOWN AND UP.

The three Hickman Brothers, the comic comedians, who have been crowding the theaters nightly through out the country, come to Anson's open house Saturday, September 20, in "Down and Up," described as an up-to-date musical comedy written expressly for them. The title expresses the entire plot, which consists of the adventures of "Mr. Dooley," made famous in the sketches by Dana which are now running in all the leading newspapers.

A FINE SUCCESS.

The entertainment given in the Parish House for the Parish Improvement Society of St. Mary's church last Tuesday evening, attracted a large and enthusiastic audience, and all were well pleased with the performance given. It was a fine success in every particular, and a considerable sum of money, boxes and Cox was the title of the farce that was given, and it was well presented. Refreshments were sold and had a generous patronage.

REV. MR. OHMAN'S LECTURE.

Rev. Mr. Ohman of New Britain will deliver a lecture on temperance in the auspices of the Swedish society here, Thursday evening September 25, at 7:30 o'clock. Recitations will be given and Miss Clara Wilson and Will Carr will sing. A large attendance is desired. Refreshments will be served after the program, for which a small fee will be charged.

BENEFIT DANCE.

The velvet weavers will have a benefit dance in the Armory opera house on Saturday evening, September 27th. Tickets for same are now on sale by the velvet weavers in the parlors of the Armory. An orchestra will furnish music. It is expected that there will be a large attendance.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL.

The High School Basketball team has organized for the fall season with Fred Raby and Edmund Rogers forward, Arnold Smith center, and John Pickles and Charles Paxton guards. Arthur Hagen and Frank Cohen will also play. Miss Behrend was formerly employed in the Boston store where her acquaintance with the public was very much enlarged.

REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE.

The new Republican Town Committee have organized by electing Attorney Alexander Arnold as chairman and Attorney Harry M. Burke as clerk and treasurer. A vote of thanks was passed to William C. Cheney, the retiring chairman, for the efficient manner in which he executed the duties of the office during his incumbency. It was voted unanimously to use the check list at the entrance to the hall on the occasion of the coming Republican caucus for nominating candidates for town officers. This method proved highly satisfactory at the last Republican caucus, and it was deemed expedient to repeat the performance.

WAGONS CARRIAGES HARNESSSES.

If you need anything in these lines, call on us. We have all that is new, stylish, serviceable and up-to-date. We are pioneers in the business here. Our prices are winter. Call and enquire. We'll do the rest. George H. Allen's Carriage Repository, Depot Square, Manchester.

BICYCLE REPAIRING.

Supplies of all kinds. Agency for Eagle, Tribune, National, Warwick and Reading Standard Bicycles, and Holly Motor Cycles. W. E. LUETTIGENS, 67 Main St., S. Manchester.

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Last Band Concert

Of The Season. HATCH'S MILITARY BAND at Laurel Park Sunday Sept. 21.

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Autumnal Opening Days.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 1, 2 and 3.

Millinery

The showing in this department is very attractive and comprises an endless variety of pretty headwear. Our motto, "The kind that suits," is more fully proven than ever.

Waists

Our display of Fall Waists is complete, consisting of Flannel, Serge, Pluque and Fancy Colored Duck.

All Else

These opening days in Fall Dry Goods bring out everything desirable in Dress Goods, Curtains, Draperies, Ribbons, Gloves, Underwear, Hosiery and Laces.

SPECIALS for SATURDAY

- Shoulder Steak, 10c lb
- Shoulder Roast, 10c lb
- Shoulder Cb'd, 10c lb
- Shoulder Lamb, 10c lb
- Shoulder Hams, 10c lb
- Whole Skinned Back Hams, 14c lb
- Fresh Oysters, 35c qt

The Palace Market Co.,

HIRAM A. GRANT, Prop.

New Shoe Stock.

Shoes at Cut Prices. WE SHALL OPEN OUR NEW SHOE DEPARTMENT SATURDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 27, WITH A FULL LINE OF MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES DIRECT FROM THE BEST MANUFACTURERS.

Keith's "KONQUEROR," \$3.50 Shoes, all styles, per pair \$3.00

The "WALKWELL" and "ALL RIGHT" \$3.50 Shoes, per pair \$3.00

All \$3.00 Shoes at \$2.50

All \$2.50 Shoes at \$1.95

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DON'T FORGET THAT WE SELL THE KIND OF CLOTHING YOU CAN DEPEND UPON. NO ONE SELLS ANY BETTER OTHERS GET MORE PROFIT—THAT'S ALL.

C. E. HOUSE, Head to Foot Clothier.

Full line of school supplies at Couch's (Continuation Page 2)

INJUNCTION SERVED.

CHENEY BROTHERS INVOKE AID OF SUPERIOR COURT TO RESTRAIN STRIKING VELVET WEAVERS FROM PICKETING MILLS, TRAINS AND TROLLEY CARS.

Judge Thayer issues Temporary Injunction as Requested—Also Injunction for \$125,000 Damages—Result of Legal Action Will Be to Absolutely Stop all Action in Matter Named Above. Request is also Made by Cheney Bros. to Have Injunction Made Permanent.

A great surprise was given the striking velvet weavers here last Wednesday afternoon when Deputy Sheriff George H. Hall served a temporary writ of injunction upon as many of the strikers named as he could locate that day. The writ was issued by Judge Thayer of Norwich as a judge of the superior court, and will have the present effect of absolutely stopping all picketing of mills, trains, and trolleys here.

During the prevalence of the strike several of the striking velvet weavers have done some picketing about the mills, the trains and the trolleys, in the effort to dislocate men from working positions in the velvet mills. Arrests have been made for these and other acts, as mentioned in these columns from time to time. Fines have been imposed and paid, and the work of picketing has gone on. The effect of using this arm of the law will be to absolutely prevent any further action along these lines, under penalty of incurring contempt of court and receiving a fine of \$500 and imprisonment for three months.

The injunction was issued August 29th, 1902, but not served until Sept. 24th, 1902.

The papers were served Wednesday afternoon on the members of the union, known as the "Velvet Weavers' Union," Local No. 387, and attached to the extent of \$25,000 placed. The men enjoined are Edward Lillard, John Russell, Joseph Corveta, Thomas Chambers, John DeWitt, George M. Arthur, E. Johnson, George McKee, Fritz Pohl, J. W. Rogers, D. N. Jones, John Stevenson, Alexander Trotter, Carl Johnson, Adolph Swanson, Frederick Brunzel, Albert Anderson, Edward Dogevitch, Eli Hainesworth, Albin Johnson, George Leggett, John Lennon, William F. McHale, John Keardon, John Bunker, Thomas Vennert, John O'Brien, Samuel Curran, Thomas Freshburn, Nicholas Washkovich, Nathaniel Holmes, Thomas Jackson, Isaac Jackson, Joseph Kissel, Oscar Lind, George Murdock, John McCormack, John Hall and Joseph Heeger, all of the town of Manchester.

The complaint sets forth that on July 17, 1902, the plaintiff was engaged in the manufacture of silk and velvets in the town of Manchester, operating a plant which, when running at its full capacity employs 2,000 persons, composed of silk and velvet weavers and other artisans, and in which the plaintiff has invested more than \$8,000,000. The individual defendants on the date specified were in the employ of the plaintiff as velvet weavers. The complaint further states that "for many months the plaintiff had been manufacturing with its other velvets a cheaper and thinner grade of velvet, in the manufacture of which its officers and directors believed two looms could be operated simultaneously by one weaver, and such operation of the looms used in the manufacture of the said grade of velvet is possible and feasible and understood with danger or injury of any sort to the operator. And during said period of time the plaintiff has been desirous of testing the operations of two looms by one weaver in the manufacture of the aforesaid quality velvet, with a view to decreasing the cost of manufacture of such velvet to itself and to the public without diminishing the

THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Much Uncertainty As to Its Outcome—Unusual Conditions Exist in the Republican Ranks This Year.

The official call for the Republican caucus will be found in another column of THE NEWS. It will be noticed that the caucus will be held in the Armory opera house next Monday evening, September 29th, at 8 o'clock, because the Town hall could not be secured for that evening, as the Prohibitionists had it engaged in advance.

It is understood and agreed that the check list will be used at the entrance to the Armory, and that none but registered electors will be admitted. There is a strong feeling of uncertainty as to the result of the Republican caucus. Old campaigners are very much in doubt as to the issue of next Monday night's work. Rather an unusual condition confronts the Republicans in this town at present. The injection of the element of uncertainty as to the result of a Republican caucus here has never been known heretofore. The question "What is your opinion as to the result of next Monday night's caucus" is oft repeated, and as oft answered with shaking of heads, and expressions of doubt.

The working men in the Republican party have chosen as their standard bearer for nomination as first selectman, Mr. Thomas H. Wood. Captain John Hickey is mentioned as the present choice of the conservative wing of the Republican party here for the nomination as first selectman.

Harry M. Burke is listed as the choice of the working men if the Republican party as nominee for the office of judge of probate. The elder element in the Republican party favor Judge Olin R. Wood, the present incumbent, as the man of their choice for that office.

As these are the two most important nominations on the list, the contest will in all probability be warmest as to the outcome of the caucus on these nominations. It promises to be an interesting gathering.

A Republican nomination in this town usually means an election. It will mean such this year. Thereby hangs a tale. The present industrial conditions have greatly upset all calculations, particularly those of the men who know all this writing. There are about 700 voters in the ranks of Organized labor in this town. Do you know how they will vote? Will they hang together, or will they hang separately? These are interesting queries.

THE STRIKE SITUATION.

A number of striking velvet weavers have returned to their work with Cheney Brothers this week, and a goodly number of others will be in operation. Several persons from out of town have also been secured, and these are at work learning to weave. Looms have been started in two of the three new velvet mills. What effect these facts may have upon the general strike situation remains to be seen. In as far as we can learn no official action has been taken looking to checking the strikers. The many of the strikers are still out. The probabilities are that a considerable number of them will not be likely to return, owing in part to the present legal action now in operation, and for entirely other reasons.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

George Dowd of 149 Main street is taken to the Hartford hospital Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Moore was treating him. The doctor stated that Mr. Dowd did not have a severe case, but he deemed it best to have him removed to the hospital, because he could there receive proper nursing and scientific treatment, thus tending to increase his chances for coming out of it all right.

SIMMONS—MURPHY.

Olin B. Simmons and Miss Lulu E. Murphy, both of this place were married by Rev. J. A. Bidde at the Episcopal rectory yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The witnesses were Olin B. Simmons, a brother of the groom, and Miss Beaulie E. Murphy, a sister of the bride. The ceremony was informal. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons will be with Mrs. Simmons' sister, Mrs. Oliver D. Miner, 43 Hartford road. Both are well known and are popular young people in this place. Mr. Simmons is a brick mason by trade and occupation.

Joseph Gibson Jr. of West Center street and Miss Deborah Smith of Birch street were married by Rev. J. A. Bidde at the Episcopal rectory yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Witnesses were A. Duncan and Miss Sarah Smith were witnesses. The bride could will be at the home of the groom's parents, James and Mrs. Gibson of 35 West Center street.

Ladies' Shoes at \$2.00

We offer for the Fall trade a complete line of shoes at the above price, and we think we have succeeded in making it worthy of notice.

These shoes are made on the latest style of lasts and in the following leathers: BOX CALF, ENAMEL, DONGOLA KID, PATENT LEATHER,

in either Lace or Button, Patent Tip or Kid Tip, and Heavy or Light Soles,

All at \$2.00 a Pair.

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Millinery and Dressmaking

On Friday Evening, September 26, we will open our Millinery and Dressmaking Rooms over Couch's confectionery. Now is the time to buy your hat as everything here is new and of the latest styles. Don't fail to give us a call whether you wish to purchase or not. We will be pleased to meet you. Respectfully,

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GEORGE K. WRIGHT, 412 BROADWAY, N. Y. CITY.

SPECIALS For SATURDAY SEPT. 27.

- Round Steak 14c
- Sirloin Steak 18c
- Best Rib Roasts 12 1/2c
- Smoked Shoulders 10c
- Best Legs Lamb 12 1/2c
- Best Lamb Chops 12 1/2c
- Fresh Killed Dressed Chicken 18c
- Tripe 5c
- Shoulder Steak 12c
- Short Steak 20 and 22c
- Plate Beef 10c
- 500 lbs Corned Beef 5c
- Shoulder Clod, Rump, Sirloin Flanks, any piece we have, worth to 12c, any cut 5c lb.
- 20 lbs Sugar 1.00
- Mason Fruit Jars 4pc doz 5c
- Good Cooking Ranges 5c
- Good Rice 5c
- Compare our beef with any in town. You will find it is not the cheap grass fed beef but the very best corn stock.
- Sadler's Store, Fine St., Heidecker Block.

SPECIALS.

Men's Woolsack Rubber Boots, \$2 1/2 pair. Job in Ladies First Quality Rubbers, \$2 pair. Men's Fall Underwear 4c. Workmen's Union Box Calf Shoes \$3.00. Sweet Potatoes 12 lbs for 35c. Stone Jars, 1 gal. 35c; 2 gal. 85c. Full line of Children's School Shoes for fall wear. J. M. BURKE, 113 Spruce St. Telephone 14-3

Troops Out in Five Coal Producing Counties.

STRIKE ASSUMES A SERIOUS ASPECT

Reports From Every Section Show Apprehension—Non-Union Men Are Shut and Clashed and Houses Burned and Dynamited.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—The ten anthracite coal producing counties of Pennsylvania state troops are camped in five. Despite the presence of the troops in these districts rioting and general lawlessness continues in the entire hard coal territory, from Pottsville to the south, to the north to Williamsport, Dauphin county, on the south, a distance of more than 100 miles. The section of the strike region in the vicinity of Forest City, which has been comparatively quiet ever since the strike began, was greatly worried by yesterday by crowds of strikers interfering with and beating men who had come to work.

At the present time there are four coal regions, two companies of anti-riot troops, and other civil authorities are on duty in the coal fields. The Thirteenth regiment is camped at Olyphant, six miles north of Scranton, in a quarry at the foot of the mountain. The Twenty-first regiment and the Second Philadelphia are in New city. The Twenty-third is in the Panther creek on the top of Hill country. The Twenty-fourth is in the Twelfth and the Twenty-fifth is in the Lehigh valley.

This has been no big general strike, but a strike of a serious nature as to cause the authorities much apprehension. Every effort is being made by the government to reduce the sugar tax in the new sugar crop.

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Coal has been discovered at Wurtsboro, Sullivan county, N. Y. Henry Phelps of New York has \$100,000 to General Botta for the relief of destitute boys.

King Oscar's yacht, with the crown prince and crown princess on board, was wrecked on the rocks in the Baltic.

It was stated in Chicago that the present idea of a packing house combination.

New York city wholesale and retail coal dealers have declared that the supply of coal would be exhausted this week and predict a fuel famine.

Wednesday, Sept. 24.—The Rajah having claims to the throne have been kidnapped by the government.

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MRS. ROOSEVELT AWAITS HIS COMING

Pain in the Leg Operated Upon This Morning, and Dr. Lang Declared His Distinguished Patient to Be in Fine Condition.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—President Roosevelt returned to Washington at half past 6 last night via the Pennsylvania railroad from Indianapolis, where he was compelled to abandon his western trip because of an ailment on his leg which developed as a result of the train accident at Pittsburg.

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Assistance Granted by Great Britain

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 24.—The Boer general Botha. De Wet and De la Rey have issued a manifesto in the shape of an appeal to the civilized world.

This document recalls how after the terrible struggle in South Africa and the loss of their homes, their families and their property, they were compelled to accept the terms of the peace.

They were commissioned to proceed to England and appeal to the new government to ally the distress which is devastating the colonies and in the event of the failure of the mission to appeal to the civilized world for charitable contributions.

Continuing the general say that having failed to induce Great Britain to grant further assistance, it only remains for them to address themselves to the people of Europe and America.

They say the small amount given by Great Britain ever if multiplied tenfold would not suffice to cover the vast losses.

The manifesto is signed by General De la Rey, General De Wet and General Botha.

GENERAL CONFERENCES

Harvey of Mrs. Pultizer Found in Derby, Conn., Sept. 23.—William Harvey Young, for whom the police of New York have been searching in connection with the murder of Mrs. Anna Nelson Pultizer, has been found. He is admitted his identity and is also said to have made a confession regarding the killing of Mrs. Pultizer.

In the guise of a tramp he had been wandering about the country for several days when he was arrested by the Derby police on suspicion. Although with him were found a number of letters which testified to his identity, he was not recognized by the officers, the prisoner at first stoutly denied any connection with the murder.

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Wear now unloading the Early Crawfords and the Wheatland Whites, of excellent quality. Next week we shall unload the Elbertas, and after these come the late Crawfords, the Yellow Smocks for eating, and the Globes. The prices are very low.

We Also Have a Lot of Very Nice Bartlett Pears, Canning Plums and Grapes.

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

Monuments, Headstones and Posts

For this month we will sell Marble Posts, with raised letters, \$3. each. A Grave Mark for \$8. A Monument for \$50.

The Hartford Monumental Works, 340 Main St., Hartford, Conn.

Ranges.

Step in and see our new store and see the attractive line of Richmond and Aaron Ranges we have on exhibition. These goods have stood the test of time and have always been reliable.

FOR RENT--We have a very desirable store to rent in Oak street block. Apply

Ferris Brothers, Plumbing and Steam Heating, Stores Ranges and Furnaces.

Are Your Valuables Worth \$8.00?

If you buy a Mellich's safe a guaranteed protection against fire and theft in any dwelling or office building. Furnished with either key or combination lock. Price from \$8.00 to \$100.00.

Agents for the Victor Safe and Lock Co.'s safes, for business purposes.

NOW READY.

The fall styles, plates and samples are now in our ready to execute all orders for ladies and gentlemen's tailor made garments with promptness and skill. Your patronage is respectfully solicited.

Repairing Garments a specialty.

Isaiah Symington, Merchant Tailor, Park Building, S. Manchester.

THE BUSINESS TRAINING GIVEN AT The Huntsinger College

pays, whether you keep books for others or for yourself. A fine handwriting is very valuable, and no one is too tall in arithmetic. Short-hand is especially adapted to girls, and no one operates a typewriting machine too quickly and accurately.

The entire cost per pupil last year for tuition and all stationery, supplies, etc., was only \$11.90 per month. New pupils enter every week. Call to see the college.

E. M. HUNTJINGER, Hartford.

MIDNIGHT FUSILLADE.

Attack West Side Boarding House with Stones and Pistol Shots. The customary quietness of this village was rudely disturbed by a band of assailants who, on the night of Tuesday morning, an attack on the west side boarding house about 1 o'clock.

Twenty-five boarders, all new employees at the velvet mills, have been living there for the past week or two. These men have been accompanied to and from work by deputy sheriffs, and do not leave the house after dark.

What a Big Week at Parsons' Theater, Hartford, Office. FLORODORA. Three most attractive bookings start the first week of October at Parsons' theater, Hartford.

FORESTERS WILL CELEBRATE. The sixth anniversary of the founding of the Forests of America incorporated, will be fittingly celebrated in Cheney hall on Thursday evening, October 2, beginning at 7 o'clock.

ST. BRIGIDE'S FAIR. Besides the grand first part of minstrelsy by the young ladies of St. Brigide's parish, and the many other stage novelties to be given at the fair beginning October 4th, the management has engaged A. W. Merriman of Hartford, known on the stage as "Walter Tom" to appear in first class comedy.

TROLLEY ACCIDENT. Two cars on the Hartford, Manchester and Rockville tramway line came together about 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon between Talbotville and Rockville.

NEW SHOE STORE. In his large advertisement which will be found elsewhere in this issue, C. E. House, our well known shoemaker and outfitter, gives notice that he has added a shoe department to his large store, and that beginning tomorrow evening he will be in readiness to supply the trade with all requirements in first class footwear.

THE PETERSBURG EXPRESS. The dedication of the monument to the First Connecticut Heavy Artillery at the capitol grounds in Hartford yesterday was a fine success.

REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE. The Republican Town Committee, dated at Manchester, Conn., Sept. 25, 1902.

AMUSEMENTS.

ARMORY OPERA HOUSE.

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Whatever you buy here will be good, whether it be a little pin or a diamond.

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Carriage Painting...

I have rented the Matchett Carriage Shop on South Main St., and will open same Oct. 13th. Your orders respectfully solicited.

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SPORTING GOODS.

Guns, Ammunition and Sporting Goods of all kinds will be kept on sale here in their season.

W. E. LUTTGENS, Dealer in Bicycles, Sporting Goods, Saddles, etc., etc. 223 Main St., So. Manchester.

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WATERBURY, CHAS. SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO REPAIRING AND JEWELRY WATCH REPAIRING.

EXCURSION TO BOSTON

and the interesting and instructive MECHANICS FAIR. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27.

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REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The Registered Republican Electors of the town of Manchester are requested to meet in caucus at the Armory Opera House, Monday evening, Sept. 29, 1902.

ARMORY OPERA HOUSE

For the purpose of nominating a town ticket for the election of Captains of the district of Manchester for the district to be held November 4, 1902.

REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE

ALEXANDER ARNOTT, Chairman. Dated at Manchester, Conn., Sept. 25, 1902.

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WORKING MEN ARRIVED AGAINST CONSERVATIVES IN MOST EARNEST CONTEST FOR NOMINATIONS OF FAVORITES.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

CONTEST STARTED IN REPUBLICAN CAUCUS CARRIED INTO DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS AND HARRY W. BURKE NOMINATED AS JUDGE OF PROBATE.

Harry M. Burke was Chairman of the caucus and failed to secure nomination as Judge of Probate--Only Four Votes.

The Republican caucus was held in the Armory opera house last Monday evening, and was one of the largest and most exciting ever held in this town.

Administration was by check list only, and only registered Republican voters and members of the press were permitted to enter.

It was 8:30 o'clock when the meeting was called to order. The caucus was called to order by Dr. T. H. Weldon.

In calling the meeting to order, Alexander Rogers, chairman of the Republican town committee, expressed the hope that the caucus would be an orderly one, even as orderly as the Republican caucus had been.

He hoped that every citizen would be fair and honorable, and all would act as gentlemen, as all were supposed to be good Republicans, and be believed that all good Republicans should be gentlemen, and a respectable Republican caucus was wanted.

He then called for nominations for chairman of the caucus.

Alexander Rogers nominated Harry M. Burke for that office.

Richard W. Pitkin nominated Frederick A. Verplanck on motion of John Joyce.

Seconded by Wm. C. Cheney, it was agreed unanimously that the vote be taken by ballot.

Mr. Arnott appointed the following persons as tellers: John Joyce, Alexander Rogers, John P. Cheney and George W. Wadsworth.

No Voters at Strangers' Office. F. E. Watkins suggested that the voters deposit their ballots at the speaker's table, and that they vote in sections, in order to avoid confusion.

This was greeted with loud cries of "No! No!" The chairman stated that he had appointed honest tellers, believed that there would be an honest vote, and that they would vote in sections.

It was agreed that this precaution was not necessary. Mr. C. Chapman protested that there could be no fair ballot while there were so many people standing up at the rear of the hall, and insisted that they be seated.

John S. Hickey also argued that all who were standing at the rear of the hall come forward and be seated.

HARRY M. BURKE CHAIRMAN. The ballot was then taken and resulted as follows: Whole number of ballots cast, 591; necessary for a choice, 295.

Which number Harry M. Burke had 297, and Frederick A. Verplanck 294. Great cheers followed within and without.

Chairs and benches around the hall were filled with voters, and the hall on the announcement of the vote. The news spread about town almost immediately, and cheering was heard along Main street.

William E. Keith was chosen as clerk by acclamation. The call for the caucus was read by the chair.

On motion of F. H. Whitton it was voted by acclamation that a ballot be taken for first selectman. Alexander Arnott placed the name of Thomas H. Weldon in nomination, said he was capable that he had a mind of his own, and that if elected he would be the selectman, that he would treat the rich and the poor alike, and the poor and the rich alike, that he was qualified in every way for the duties of the office, as well as any human being in town.

M. S. Chapman nominated John Hickey in a lengthy, forcible and eloquent speech, lauding his military achievements, his honesty and his general reliability, and expressed the belief that he would make a selectman fit to take rank among the best officials who ever served the town.

He urged his hearers to nominate him and elect him, and he would guarantee that Mr. Hickey would be as successful as a selectman, as he had been as a military man.

Isaiah Symington seconded the nomination of T. H. Weldon, and stated that a business man was wanted as first selectman, and not a soldier.

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