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SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN., FRIDAY, MAY 15, 1908.

THREE CENTS.

Profit by These Prices

You are cordially invited to come to the Public Market and take advantage of these offerings:

- Veal Cutlet 22c lb
Veal Chops 16c and 18c lb
Veal Roast 14c and 18c lb
Veal Stew 8c and 12c lb
Roast Pork 12c lb
Sausage 3 lbs 25c
Smoked Shoulders 8 1-2c lb
Skinned Back Hams 12 1-2c lb
Bacon in Strip or Piece 12 1-2c lb
Corned Beef 7c lb
Fat Salt Pork 10c lb
Pot Roast 14c lb
Eggs 5 doz for \$1.
Coffee 8 lbs for \$1.

Full line of Vegetables including Asparagus, Tomatoes, Radishes, Rhubarb, New Cabbage etc.

We want your trade and are making these sacrifices to get it.

PUBLIC MARKET COMPANY

Orange Hall Bldg. E.Center St. Telephone 63-4

BETTER THAN EVER

describes all we can say of our Spring line of RALSTON SHOES.

Experience is the Best Teacher and you should learn from your own experience that RALSTON SHOES give you the most foot comfort of any shoe made at \$4.00

There is More Style and Better Fit, More Wear and Better Materials in our RALSTON SHOES, because they are made of Good Materials all through.

The mere construction of a shoe does not count for much unless backed up by the proper materials.

Newest Styles in all leathers now in stock.

George W. Smith

PRESCILLE PLEASES.

Prescille, the hypnotist and telepathist pleased a fair sized audience at the Army last evening. The stony weather kept many from attending.

Some very amusing antics were performed by the subjects on the stage last evening, one of which occurred when Prescille told them that the water was coming in all around them and to swim for their lives. There were some great exhibitions of living and swimming immediately and to cap the climax the subject was put to sleep and they made several feet to awaken him, without avail.

At a reception given Rev. Charles N. and Mrs. Lovell at the North Congregational church last Friday evening they were presented with a purse containing \$90 in gold as a token of the friendship of the members of the church.

The church was very prettily decorated for the event and large numbers came to the ceremony to do honor to the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Lovell.

ST. JAMES CHURCH

CONTRACTS LET AND WORK ON LARGE ADDITIONS TO CHURCH NOW ACTIVELY IN PROGRESS

John A. Farrell being Wood Work-Ferris Brothers being Heating and Plumbing-Patrick Gorman Stone-work-New Rectory, New Sanctuary, New Bell Tower Improvements-To Have Another Altar. Contracts for the additions to the St. James church have been let and work is actively in progress.

The baptistry will be built on the north side of the church near the parsonage with a front entrance facing Main street. It will be 18 x 21 feet and two stories high bringing it to the height of the steeple roof of the main portion of the church building.

THROWN TO GROUND Edwin T. Ferris narrowly escapes serious injury. While endeavoring to stop a runaway horse on Main street Monday morning Edwin T. Ferris was thrown violently to the ground and a wheel of the wagon passed over his right foot causing some injury to the member.

ENLARGING CIRCLE. A regular meeting of Mary Loeber Circle, No. 823, Companions of the Cross, will be held in Foresters hall this evening. There are a dozen applications to be acted upon. It will be remembered that the Circle at this time is working under a dispensation which permits them to lower the initiation fee to \$1.00.

WILL BEAUTIFY GROUNDS. Because of the shade trees on the lawn of the South Methodist church church near the tramway serpentine, and because of the fact that there is much traffic of persons walking over the lawn at that point the grass doesn't give much opportunity to grow and as a result the place looks quite bare and looking somewhat unbecomingly. At a meeting of the church officials held Tuesday evening it was decided to grade and seed the lawn at that point and endeavor to keep it uniformly with the remainder of the grounds as regards appearance and attractiveness.

KEEP OFF TRACKS. John Anderson of this place went on a fishing trip to Bolton Saturday night and on the return home was walking on the railroad tracks when he slipped and fell. A crowd of men and women gathered around him and he was taken to the St. Francis hospital Hartford where he is at the present time receiving medical attention.

ANCHOR LINE. Glasgow and Londonbury. Baiting from New York every Tuesday. Head To Foot Clothier.

PLAYS WELL ATTENDED

Local People of Miss Coe Well Received at Parsons Theater.

A goodly number of persons from this place attended the performance given in Parsons theater, Hartford, Tuesday evening by pupils of Miss Clara M. Coe's School of Oratory, Hartford.

A Few of Holl's Special Bargains in Manchester Real Estate. Single house, six rooms, bath, electric lights, furnace, nearly new, on trolley line near the Center, \$2,450.

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The Boston Store

Dress Goods Specials

- Grey Plaid Panama 45c
48 in wide and our regular 50c goods
Tan Cashmere 35c
36 in. wide and our regular 50 quality
Vollé Crepe 25c
Two shades, Tan and Alice Blue
Plaid French Serge 50c
Brown, Invincible plaid, formerly 75c
Silk Dress Gingham 15c
About Six Designs of our 50c goods.

99c Shirt Waists

In this special price we have always excelled and we have added several new numbers this week which we positively know are selling at \$1.49 in some stores.

BOSTON STORE J. W. HALE

Fit Your Veranda With VUDOR PORCH SHADES

Don't put it off. You will never know the real luxury, comfort and enjoyment to be had from your porch until you do.

Vudor Shades keep out the sun but still do not prevent the air from circulating freely. They last for years.

The cost of fitting out an entire porch is often less than \$5.00. We are exclusive agents for Vudor Shades. We also sell the bamboo and the German shades. A 6-ft. bamboo costs but \$1.75.

Here are some other things you should ask to see when down our way:

- The Hallock Fireless Cooker
The New Perfection Oil Stove
The Wheeler Sliding Screen
The Eddy Refrigerator
Indian Hammocks and Screen Doors and
The Sturpis Steel Folding Go-cart for \$8.50

WATKINS BROS. Furniture and Piano Dealers

Hartford Piano Warerooms 227 Asylum Street

SAVING FUEL

Have you seen the Four-Bar Grate in the Summit Range? It is the Latest Idea in Fuel Saving.

W. E. HIBBARD. 61 NORTH MAIN ST. MANCHESTER. Street Fitting and Plumbing. Hardware, Paints, Etc. Etc.

ANCHOR LINE GLASGOW AND LONDONBURY

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SOCIAL SERENADE

MILITARY BAND ESCORT, FOREMAN WM. C. CHENEY FROM HIS RESIDENCE TO HOSE HOUSE.

Festive Gathering in Honor of Coming Nightingale-Preparation Made-Buffet Luncheon Served, Original Poem Read, Congratulatory Remarks Made and General Jolly Mark Festive Occasion.

Hose & Ladder Co. No. 4 took occasion last night to fittingly celebrate the coming wedding of their general foreman, Wm. C. Cheney and they did the affair in proper style, as is their usual custom.

Accompanied by the Military Band they marched to Foreman Cheney's home on Forest street where the foreman was entertaining President Frank Cheney Jr., of the South Manchester Fire District. Red fire was burned and upon the appearance of Mr. Cheney at the door the band struck up Hall to the



WILLIAM C. CHENEY General Foreman.

Chief, Harry M. Burke invited Mr. Cheney to the headquarters on School street, and Foreman Cheney had to throw up his hands and go with the boys. The firemen fell in line behind the band and marched to their home on School street. A large number of foremen followed the boys and were much surprised to hear the band playing and see the red fire burning.

After reassembling at the hose house all present shook the hand of Foreman Cheney, and Harry M. Burke, as master of ceremonies, introduced ex-Ambassador Chief F. Ernest Watkins. Mr. Watkins spoke of the good feeling and true friendship of the firemen.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY. A number of relatives and friends of Mrs. Della A. Cheney of Charter Oak St. assembled at her home last evening and enjoyed supper with her. It was Mrs. Cheney's birthday and her callers took that way of quietly celebrating the event.

PREPARING FOR ANNIVERSARY. The committee in charge of the anniversary of the local branch of the Ladies Auxiliary to the A. O. H. are anticipating a very pleasant time at their gathering to be held in Cheney hall Thursday evening, May 25th. Notices have been sent out to the members advising them that each may bring an invited friend other than members of the association.

Anniversary Sale

FIRST of SUITS, SKIRTS, WAISTS, SHIRT WAIST SUITS, WHITE DRESSES, INFANTS' and CHILDREN'S WEAR and FURNISHINGS BEGAN TODAY AT

Rubinows Specialty Shop

This means unusual money saving opportunities to you. Come, Buy and Save. All Are Welcome.

RUBINOW'S SPECIALTY SHOP. Next to Bank. South Manchester.

THE MONTH OF JUNE BRINGS MANY NEW HOMES TO FURNISH. It is the popular month of the year for weddings—and many a couple is doubtless planning to furnish a new home this year.

The Keith & Post Co.

have gained a reputation for furnishing new homes complete from a tin pan and a



QUAKER RANGE

for the kitchen to a handsomely furnished parlor, and giving you the best values in town or state. We are COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS and the first in town to be able to furnish your home from cellar to attic, and the only ones today who can give you everything needed in your home.

Wedding Presents

We also have an elegant line of goods suitable as gifts to young married couples. If you have a friend to whom you wish to make a good, substantial present, one that will be a reminder of your friendship as long as they have a home, call at our store.

CASH OR INSTALLMENTS

We feel sure we can assist you in a very satisfactory way to furnish your home in a manner which will please you.

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At short terminations of Transportation.

Entered as second-class matter at the South Manchester Post office.

RURAL MAIL CARRIERS

Will See Enlarge Their Duties by Carrying Money Orders.

Every farmer who now receives his mail by the rural free delivery is in the course of a few weeks to be able to make his collections by the same medium. Cash on money orders will be paid into his hands and all that he will be called upon to do is to sign the receipt. The money will be brought to his own door and this feature is the latest exemplification of the perfection of the rural mail delivery.

E. B. Mandall, assistant superintendent of the registration of mails and the money order department, has started out to perfect this system over the routes of the various counties of the state. The idea has been approved by the postmaster general and it has been in operation for several years. Under the plan the rural mail carriers have always taken applications for money orders but the new system provides for the payment of the same and in the course of a few weeks payments may be made to farmers up to \$100.

This is regarded as the highest development of the rural free mail delivery system and its benefits will be fully appreciated.—News, Sullivan, N.Y.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION MEETING.

The Spring Meeting of the Connecticut Library Association will be held at the George Maxwell Library, Rockville, Conn., Wednesday, May 20th, 1908. All interested in library work will be cordially welcomed.

The address of welcome will be delivered by Harry B. Marsh of Rockville. The program of the morning session consists of a Round-Table on Binding, Classification, Delivery Desk, Reference Work and Work with Children, each of which will be directed by a speaker especially experienced in this particular subject and one who will make the discussion interesting and profitable. It is intended to make these discussions as instructive and as practical as possible and especially helpful to the inexperienced librarian. The afternoon session will be addressed by Mr. Wilson, Librarian of the Clark University Library, of Worcester and by President Leiber of Trinity College whose subject is "The Old Town Library."

Mr. Wilson is an interesting speaker much sought for at Library Meetings, and the simple fact that President Leiber's name is in the program guarantees a thoughtful and inspiring address.

The afternoon session will be of interest to people who are not directly connected in library work, and all to whom the subject may appeal are earnestly invited to attend.

UP-TO-DATE IN STAFFORD.

An energetic and up-to-date firm in Stafford Springs has opened a trolley waiting room in a portion of their store at the trolley terminus in that very convenient location. Although the trolley is not going to be neglected in the matter of furnishing a waiting room for the public. We have been enjoying trolley privileges in this place for eleven years but we have no place such as the complete, business men of Stafford Springs are opening for trolley passengers in the purpose of the proprietors is to put a clean and neat room, to have an adequate and comfortable waiting room, to have a waiting room for a single person, to have a waiting room for a party of four, to have a waiting room for a party of six, to have a waiting room for a party of eight, to have a waiting room for a party of ten, to have a waiting room for a party of twelve, to have a waiting room for a party of fifteen, to have a waiting room for a party of twenty, to have a waiting room for a party of twenty-five, to have a waiting room for a party of thirty, to have a waiting room for a party of thirty-five, to have a waiting room for a party of forty, to have a waiting room for a party of forty-five, to have a waiting room for a party of fifty, to have a waiting room for a party of fifty-five, to have a waiting room for a party of sixty, to have a waiting room for a party of sixty-five, to have a waiting room for a party of seventy, to have a waiting room for a party of seventy-five, to have a waiting room for a party of eighty, to have a waiting room for a party of eighty-five, to have a waiting room for a party of ninety, to have a waiting room for a party of ninety-five, to have a waiting room for a party of one hundred.

UNDERWENT OPERATION

At St. Francis Hospital, Hartford, After Long Suffering.

Mrs. Chancy Weir of 110 Charter Oak street went to the St. Francis Hospital in Hartford last Friday and on Saturday morning underwent an operation for the removal of a tumor. The operation was performed by the Doctors Boucher and in so far as known at this writing was entirely satisfactory.

For the past three years Mrs. Weir has been suffering intensely from this malady and at three different times went to the Hartford hospital with a view to having the offending growth removed. The officials at the Hartford hospital didn't deem it prudent to undertake the delicate and dangerous operation and sought to relieve the situation by other methods. These proved ineffectual, however, and it became a case of life or death with Mrs. Weir. She consulted with the Doctors Boucher and they treated her for some time before undertaking the operation which was said to be one that was rarely successfully performed. They removed three ulcers of probably an inch in diameter each.

Mrs. Weir is very weak but it is believed that she will recover. She held this belief as she has been told by the opinion of the doctors and of the opinion that her troubles from that source will be permanently terminated. Mrs. Weir had been unable to take nourishment for a long time and was practically starving to death. It is earnestly hoped she may recover and have the very great privilege of once more enjoying the great blessing of genuine good health.

THE MEN

I am the Hen. And I'm all right too. And you can be hard for me. You're my real worth. For when you see me scratching and the yard. Digging up the seed. Your wife planted in the flower bed. And raising Old Ned. With the earth. The general you fly off your perch. And why a brick bat at me. And get red in the face. And get chaw. Me, you don't let the lot. You don't stop to think what a hot proposition I am. Nor what I've got to my credit. Why, you don't know that I contribute To lay 13 billion dozens Of eggs. Every year I'm alive! Let that soak in your cream a while. And tell me then. If you think the hen is a joke. Why, don't you know That a lot of folks 'ud go Dead broke? If it wasn't for me! I don't want to crow! Nor boast or Push myself like a rooster. But I'm too proud. That I'm not afraid. When it comes to eggs Of anything that goes On two legs.

The whole point in the shade: You hear me cackle? It's true. There are a few Things I won't back. And when it comes To shelling out The stuff that raises The mortgage of the farm I'm about The only cool man. Thing there is. And that's The reason why Your hens Ought to come off When I waddle by.—Agricultural Advertising.

NEW WAGONS.

Aaron Johnson of the Park Hill Grocery has put two handsome new delivery wagons into commission this week. They are the product of H. E. McCork's carriage factory in Hartford, and are well worthy of the reputation which Mr. McCork has for producing first-class work in this line. The words "new" in the above are in large, ornamental letters on the side of each wagon. The wagons are substantially made and are decorated in an attractive manner. They make a great advance over the old-fashioned wagons which Mr. Johnson has had in use up to this time.

IF INTERESTED

Those who are interested in the new wagons, should call on Aaron Johnson at the Park Hill Grocery, 110 Charter Oak street, Hartford, Conn., or on H. E. McCork, 110 Charter Oak street, Hartford, Conn.

Bred In the Bone.

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Martha Billings and Martha Scott had married rather late in life. Each was known to have "opinions," but it was generally agreed that they would live happily. So they did, but their ways were not exactly understood by their friends. Before they had been married two weeks Martha called Ezra the biggest fool in Saginaw county, and Ezra called her an old cat. Neither was the best of the best. They understood each other, they loved each other and they were true to each other.

They did not disseminate and play the hypocrite when a third party was present. Ezra had courted Martha for four years before marrying her, and she was the only woman he had ever loved, but this did not stand in the way of his saying to her in the presence of old Aunt Jackson, "Martha, if I had a chicken on the farm with less brains than you've got I'd wring its neck."

And then Martha felt in duty bound to go madly and reply, "Ezra Billings, if I didn't lend you round by a string round the sitting down on the hot stove I'd be sitting down on the hot stove and was practically starving to death. It is earnestly hoped she may recover and have the very great privilege of once more enjoying the great blessing of genuine good health."

It is time it got to be known that the couple married like a dog and a cat, and fifty families became more or less interested. In time they passed on to stronger terms and epithets. Between themselves they didn't mean anything by it. It was just a little harmless way of his when Ezra said to Martha in front of a tin peddler: "My woman, don't smile at me and ask my opinion about dishepa. If I hadn't been watching you like a hawk this morning, you'd have put Paris green in my coffee."

"That ain't the way to kill off horn-fools," replied Martha. "You're goin' to hit 'em with an ax as they are trying asleep in bed."

Of course the peddler passed it along, and of course the lightning rod and the windmill man passed it along, and so it went, and at last the neighbors woke up each morning expecting to find that foul murder had been done during the night.

Mr. and Mrs. Billings were members of one of the churches down in the village, and their pastor was finally appealed to. Being a conservative as well as a good man, he thought the matter over for a time and then preached a sermon to fit the subject. It was a hit at both, and the wife was heard to say, "You don't stop to think what a hot proposition I am. Nor what I've got to my credit. Why, you don't know that I contribute To lay 13 billion dozens Of eggs. Every year I'm alive! Let that soak in your cream a while. And tell me then. If you think the hen is a joke. Why, don't you know That a lot of folks 'ud go Dead broke? If it wasn't for me! I don't want to crow! Nor boast or Push myself like a rooster. But I'm too proud. That I'm not afraid. When it comes to eggs Of anything that goes On two legs."

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Little talk with Ezra. He was greeted with the greatest pleasure, but as soon as they had shaken hands the farmer began:

"Did Martha tell you that I threatened to choke her to death last night? 'T hope you didn't make use of any such language."

"But I did, though of course it was all in fun. What do you think that empty-headed idiot did yesterday afternoon? Because a bee stung her and she went at it and kicked over a whole lot, and the old horse was stung in thirty-seven different places."

"I suppose I could push her into the goose pond in such a way that people would call it a case of suicide, but I ain't do it. We love each other and don't mean nothing by our talk. You have probably heard a great lot, but you mustn't pay any attention to it."

The good man went away puzzled and unassisted, but resolved to let the matter rest. He told Deacon Harrow and Swift so when they dropped in to talk matters over, but they went away to do a little plotting and planning on the best of the best. They agreed that it was a scandalous case and called for heroic treatment.

A week passed away, and then one forenoon Deacon Swift dropped in to inquire where Ezra was. He knew well enough that he was down in the woods chopping and that Deacon Harrow was taking care of that end of the line.

"Ezra" queried Martha in reply, "why did you stand skunk in down in the woods chopping? I told him this morning that he wasn't worth the powder to blow him to Gehenna. I don't care if he don't die and let me marry a sensible man."

"Mrs. Billings, what if you should hear that Ezra was dead?" asked the interested. "I'm time to be a stronger terms and epithets. Between themselves they didn't mean anything by it. It was just a little harmless way of his when Ezra said to Martha in front of a tin peddler: 'My woman, don't smile at me and ask my opinion about dishepa. If I hadn't been watching you like a hawk this morning, you'd have put Paris green in my coffee.'"

"That ain't the way to kill off horn-fools," replied Martha. "You're goin' to hit 'em with an ax as they are trying asleep in bed."

Of course the peddler passed it along, and of course the lightning rod and the windmill man passed it along, and so it went, and at last the neighbors woke up each morning expecting to find that foul murder had been done during the night.

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Local Paragraphs

INTERESTING ITEMS BOILED DOWN FOR BUSY READERS.

The Annual Field Day of Company G will be held at the Keeney street grounds tomorrow.

Sergeant James Healy won the competitive drill of the Frank D. Cheney Co. at the Army last night. There was a large attendance. Dancing followed.

E. L. G. Honthal has been chosen marshal of the Memorial Day parade and is making selection of his mounted aids.

Mrs. Julia Morihan and her daughter Miss Mollie Morihan of West Center street are spending the week in New York City.

A son was born to Amiel and Mrs. Knave of 28 Walnut street last Wednesday.

E. J. Holl, the well known real estate dealer, has returned after spending several days on a business trip in New York City.

William Bronkie of South Main street is critically ill and it is feared that he cannot maintain his hold on the fragile thread of life much longer. He has been suffering with pulmonary troubles for a considerable time.

Frank Doyle and John F. Egan represented Campbell Council, No. 573, Knights of Columbus at the annual convention held in Meriden on Tuesday. It was intended that Frank G. Balkner, Grand Knight of Campbell Council should attend the convention as delegate but his recent illness at the St. Francis hospital prevented this and John F. Egan was chosen as an alternate.

E. Martin Ogden of South Manchester Lamp Modern Woodmen of America has been chosen as an alternate to the National Convention of the order to be held in Peoria, Ill. next month.

The Modern Woodmen of America in this place are planning for a class initiation to be held Wednesday evening, June 10th. District Deputy Hughes is working here now in the interest of this class initiation and it is his purpose to add to the membership of South Manchester Camp by at least fifty members on the day and date noted above.

John D. Stone has in course of construction another tenement on Olcott street near the McKee switch.

William McCarthy, the little Eldridge street boy who was accidentally struck upon the head recently with a beam ball over on Mt. Zion, suffering a fractured skull, is reported to be getting along as well as could be expected. The operation performed upon him at the St. Francis hospital was successful and it is believed that the boy will come out of it all right.

Alfred E. and Mrs. Magrell of New Britain spent last Sunday with relatives in this place.

Edward McVeigh of Myrtle street was thought to be critically ill last Monday afternoon when some entertainers called at his home. He rallied, however, and within a couple of days was able to be up and about.

Joseph Madden of School street was caught in the gear and the index finger of his right hand badly lacerated. It is believed that it will not be necessary to amputate the finger and that by other than surgical treatment it may be saved.

It would seem from the number of apple blossoms seen at this time that the apple crop will be a heavy one. Other fruit trees here are bringing out large quantities of bloom and indications point to plenty of fruit for this place.

The lilacs are in bloom hereabouts this week and fill the air with their fragrance. There is an abundance of these beautiful flowers here at this time.

Active preparations are in progress for the festival and may pole dance to be given by the children of St. Bridget's church in the parish hall next Thursday evening. Refreshments will be served free by the Ladies Aid Society and a very enjoyable time is anticipated. As usual a large gathering from South Manchester will join in the jollities of the occasion and all will be cordially welcomed.

GENTLE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Rev. Dr. George W. Reynolds, pastor of the Congregational church, will begin a series of sermons next Sunday evening on the Emmanuel Theory of Healing. His sermon Sunday morning on the Three Fold Nature of Man will be the introductory to that series. Services Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock; Sunday evening at 7.

Give us a trial on tea and coffee that are sold on their merits. Remember, no checks or prices given with these goods. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back. O. F. Toop.

Try New England Dairy brick ice cream. All flavors. Delivered as any quantity. Give us your Sunday order. The Dairy's Drug Co., Telephone 125-12-118.

The vegetable headquarters you will find a select assortment of new cabbage, spinach, new potatoes, carrots, new beets, green string beans, wax beans, Bermuda onions, lettuce, radishes, cucumbers, tomatoes, cauliflower, etc.

First Anniversary Sale

We have completed our first year's business and to show our appreciation to the public for their generous patronage, we are going to celebrate our First Anniversary with a sale at which we shall give them an opportunity to replenish their homes with up-to-date furniture at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. The time to profit by a sale is when you need the goods. New furnishings are always needed in the Spring. We can supply all your needs. THIS IS A MONEY SAVING SALE. Every department comes in for generous mark-downs. We mention just a few below.

Ranges Ranges. You need a good range. You make no mistake if you buy a H.T.R. We will set up in your house our \$35 range for \$31. pipe and zinc free. Our \$48 range set up in your house for \$45, pipe and zinc free.



Go-Carts. Our line of Go-Carts is complete. Don't fail to see our \$2.50 to \$7.50 Folding Carts. They're dandies. Housefurnishings. Toilet Sets, Dinner Sets, Kitchen Ware, Clocks, Pictures, and a thousand and one things that space will not permit us to mention.

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Welcoming a Wife.

By Lulu Johnston.
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Little Miss Merrington hurried from the postoffice clutching tightly the precious letter the clerk had just handed her. She had not needed to glance at the stamp to see that it was from Harvey Rial. The clear, bold handwriting of the address had told her that before the letter had been removed from the box in which it lay, together with the local paper.

There was a flush on the kindly little face not due to the spring breeze, but to the hope which had risen in her heart. Twenty years before, she and Harvey Rial had been engaged to be married. A lovers' quarrel and pride too stubborn to confess fault had resulted in Rial's marriage to Margaret Bond.

Then Miss Merrington had settled herself unconqueringly to a life of spinsterhood, rejoicing that her father's provision for her future did not make it necessary for her to marry.

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Now, then, two years had passed since Margaret had died, and Rial had taken his son to Europe in the hope that travel might benefit his health.

Since then letters had come by every steamer—not the romantic epistles of youth, but certain ones which had been infused with a tender sentiment that was implied rather than expressed.

There was always the note of longing for home which had been wished Miss Merrington to share home with him.

His last letter had told that Harvey was well enough to return, and it was probable that the letter she now sootedly peered in her pocket would name his day of return.

Miss Merrington hurried into the "front room" with a trembling heart. She was taking a seat at the table, and she was looking at the letter in her pocket.

"I told you all there is to tell about London," wrote Rial. "This is just to say that I am sailing tomorrow. We are taking a boat from the Cape of Good Hope, and she will be here in ten days."

"That was all, scarcely a page of the familiar handwriting, but the light in her eyes, the smile on her lips, the beauty of the spring day faded.

For an hour or more she sat quietly in her chair, the letter in her hand, and she was looking at the letter in her pocket.

She was a little, slender, and she was looking at the letter in her pocket. She was a little, slender, and she was looking at the letter in her pocket.

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Story of The Frog

AN INDIAN LEGEND.

One night Samsonet and Skial-lal-tooter lay upon their blankets listening to the frogs in the pond near by.

"Do you know how there came to be frogs?" asked Samsonet.

"Yes; my people have a frog story," answered Skial-lal-tooter.

"We have one too," said Samsonet.

So Samsonet told this story:

The water in the brook had dried, and the poor earth people were dying of thirst.

"How can it have happened?" they asked. "Surely the water never failed us before."

Let one of the tribe said: "Let us send our bravest warrior into the north. Let him go to the land from which the spring comes and ask why the water has failed."

Now, Glooskap had seen the suffering of his people and had already made up his mind to help them, and while they were at council he bounded in upon them.

He was terrible to behold, for he had horns upon his head, and a terrible mask covered his head.

He had tomahawks in his hands, and from his back trailed a long string of forest fancies.

At first the council was struck with terror.

"Fear me not," said Glooskap. "I have come to help you. I will go into the land of the north, and I will ask the people why the water of the brook has failed."

Then the chief rolled out of his wigwam and came to speak with the brave warrior.

Never was there such a chief as this! He was fat and jolly. His head was like a watermelon, and his mouth stretched from ear to ear.

"Tell me," Glooskap roared again, "why does the water of the brook fail the people of the valley?"

DUMB ORATORY.

HARTFORD OPERA HOUSE.

The best vaudeville entertainment seen at the Hartford Opera House this season will be tonight and at matinee and evening performances tomorrow and the large attendance during the week has proven the popularity of vaudeville in this theater.

Although Young Corbett in a boxing exhibition is supposed to be the headliner, other numbers on the bill gave him more than a close run. Mabel Tern, a comic opera singer, took the audience by storm and seemed to be the favorite. Miss Bern is a beautiful and shapely woman and wore lavish costumes. She has a lyric soprano voice of fine quality, and her songs were generally successful.

Young Corbett was disappointing in that his exhibition was so very short. He boxed three one-minute rounds with his partner, "Emerson" Kelly. Corbett has good power, considerable flesh and looks very different from when he knocked out Terry McGovern in the old Coliseum in Hartford on Thanksgiving Day 1901, but at times flashes of his old skill show.

Another act of merit is The Dog Catcher, a one-act farce by Watson, Wallace and Keith. The sketch is not featured in the bill, makes the hit of the trio. Mr. and Mrs. John Cosar in Our Homeycom, depicting the usual misunderstanding when the husband and wife attempt to get away from each other for a few hours of absence, were generally successful.

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Tonight and Tomorrow

YOUNG CORBETT

Special Show and Double Bill

ALL Next Week

VAUDEVILLE SENSATION

Mat. 10c, 20c. Eve. 10c, 20c, 30c, 50c.

PARSONS THEATRE

THE HUNTER-BRADFORD PLAYERS

Every Night at 8:15. Matinees Tues., Thurs. and Sat. at 2:30.

Prices: Nights, 50c, 75c and 1.00. Mat. and the Week-End, 25c, 50c and 75c.

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All Next Week—Mrs. Faby's Greatest Success

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Emerson shoes are made in a large variety of lasts to suit the foot-needs of all. The special orthopedic last is particularly to business men, who are on their feet a great deal. Of strong, sensible lines it is made from tough, smoothly-finished, wear-resisting leathers, and fitted with Rock Oak soles.

We carry a full line of Emerson's from a good, heavy winter boot to a light, full dress shoe. Every Emerson carries with it our guarantee—"Honest all through."

C. E. HOUSE
South Manchester

BLIND MAN'S BUFF.

This Common Game is of Great Antiquity and French Origin.

Blind Man's buff is of French origin and of very great antiquity, having been introduced into England in the train of the Norman conqueror, the French name, "Colin Maillard," is that of a brave warrior, the memory of whose exploits still lives in the chronicles of the middle ages.

In the year 900 Liege reckoned among its valiant chiefs one Jean Colin. He acquired the name Maillard from his chosen weapon being a mallet, where, in battle he used literally to crush his opponents.

In one of the feuds which were of perpetual recurrence in those times he encountered the Count de Touraine in a pitched battle, and so runs the story, in the first onset Colin Maillard lost both his eyes.

He ordered his esquire to take him in the thicket of the night, and, furiously brandishing his mallet, did such fearful execution that victory soon declared itself for him.

When Robert of France heard of these feats of arms he was lavished favor and honors upon Colin, and so great was the fame of the exploit that it was commemorated in the pantomimic representation that formed part of the rude dramatic performances of the age. By degrees the children learned to act it for themselves, and it took the form of a familiar sport.

The blindfolded pursuer, as with handkerchiefs and extended hands, he gropes for a victim to pounce upon, in some degree repeats the action of Colin Maillard, the tradition of which is also traceable in the name "blind man's buff"—London M. A. P.

Wants Talk Nothing.

Mrs. Green (who thinks of hiring) is the girl honest? Can she be trusted. Mrs. Brown (the girl's former mistress): You need not be the least alarmed. She is perfectly honest. The time she was with me I never knew her to take a thing, not even my advice as to how things should be done—Boston Transcript.

Waits and Measures.

"What sort of a table do you set at your boarding house?" asked the young man who was contemplating a change. "A table of waits and measures," replied his friend, "the first long and the latter short."—Chicago News.

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Here Are Some Attractive Offerings That Will Please Prudent Housekeepers.

- Roast Pork..... 12c lb
- Sausage..... 3 lbs 25c
- Smoked Shoulders..... 9c lb
- Skinned Back Hams..... 121-2c lb
- Bacon in Strip or Piece..... 121-2c lb
- Heavy Fat Salt Pork..... 10c lb
- Pot Roast..... 14c lb
- Prime Rib of Roast Beef..... 16 to 20c lb
- Fowls..... 18c lb
- Molasses..... 45c gallon
- Eggs..... 23c doz
- Coffee..... 2 lbs for 25c

Full Line of Vegetables. Also Tomato Plants and Flowers. We Want Your Trade and Are Endeavoring to Merit It. Try Us and You Will Find It Pays to Let Us Serve You.

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Experience is the Best Teacher and you should learn from your own experience that RALSTON SHOES give you the most foot comfort of any shoe made at \$4.00

There is More Style and Better Fit, More Wear and Better Materials in our RALSTON SHOES, because they are made of Good Materials all through.

The mere construction of a shoe does not count for much unless backed up by the proper materials.

Newest Styles in all leathers now in stock.

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Sit Down And Think It Over

You want Shoes and Hose. Where is the best place to buy? We would suggest that you look in the Boston Shoe Store window and be convinced that we are in line with up-to-date city stores but a little Below City Prices.

A glance at our show window will convince you that we have by far the Largest and Best Assorted Lines of Tan and Black Oxfords that have ever been shown in this town.

Ladies' Tan and Black Oxfords in many different shapes and makes from \$1.38 to \$3.50. Men's in all the latest fads in Tan and Black ranging in price from \$2.00 to \$5.00.

Boys' Misses and Children's in many different colors, styles and shapes at prices to suit all. Ask to see our New Revolving Rubber Heels, the latest thing out.

We are also agents for the Anchor Line Steamship Company.

Boston Shoe Store

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Do You Want

A Manchester farm of fifty acres, or one with 30 acres, stock and tools with each within eight minutes walk of trolley? Good buildings, best well divided, wood and timber on both.

One of 100 acres in Bolton with 15 head of stock, with tools included, present right on offer. Plenty others at all prices.

A fine house with six rooms on West Center street. About one and one half acres of land on Summer street. Would suit in any good lot; price \$700, and cheap.

The Southwestern Mutual Life with a record of 80 years. Prompt payment of claims by its dividends to policy holders; low cost of insurance; superior adjusted policy holders.

A. H. SKINNER

Bank Building, Main St. South Manchester

AT CHENEY FARM

BUY PLACE AT PRESENT TIME. BUT-DOOR CROPS WELL UNDER CULTIVATION. ENLARGING OUTPUT OF PRODUCTS.

Some interesting features of Hethouse Farm, to be seen there now—will build new and larger greenhouses at once—making specialty of French, English and General Market.

The Cheney farm is a busy place at the present time and the spring work has started there in full swing. Notwithstanding the backwardness of the season, a number of crops are already well advanced in the fields and are being cultivated day by day.

Thomas L. Brown, the farm foreman has about a dozen men at work under Mr. Cheney's superintendence and already the young crops are progressing well. It is the purpose of the farmer to cultivate the farm more extensively this year than last and he expects to be in a position to supply vegetables, etc. for the general trade about town in much excess of the amount required to enrich the Cheney family.

Mr. Cheney has rows of peas and cabbage planted and fairly well advanced in the field at the present. He also has about a quarter acre of Noroton Beauty potatoes under cultivation now and are growing nicely.

Mr. Cheney expects to put out 10,000 sprague plants this year and in two years hence will doubtless be in a position to supply the local market with this succulent vegetable in great quantities. Mr. Cheney also has beds of lettuce, celery, beets, and tomato plants which will be ready for the market in a short time if the weather continues warm.

An inspection of his greenhouses at the present time affords an attractive sight. In one compartment he has tomatoes in bearing, the vines carrying bunches of fair sized tomatoes. During the cool nights and sunless days artificial heat is employed, but when there is sunshine such as we have been enjoying this week the natural heat is ample to push along the plants at a satisfactory pace.

The most interesting growth of all is seen in the greenhouses devoted to cucumbers at this time. The earth in this compartment is strongly fertilized and the plants give forth an amazing growth. They reach almost half a foot to the roof and fill the space completely with vines which are in bearing at the present time and from which very choice cucumbers are being called day by day.

Mr. Cheney has been picking cucumbers from this greenhouse for the past two weeks and the supply is steadily increasing.

Another interesting exhibit under glass is the rhubarb supply of what is known as the wine variety of rhubarb. The stalks of this rhubarb are white colored, are not so large as the mammoth cream kinds that grow in the open field, but are very much more choice, tender and palatable.

Mr. Cheney intends to try the experiment next season of growing these wine varieties of rhubarb in total darkness. This is an experiment of somewhat recent invention and is said to give a very delicate and delicious flavor to the rhubarb and to furnish it without the excessive acidity which is characteristic of the wine varieties grown out of doors.

The season for the wine varieties of rhubarb is about past now and the mammoth varieties out of doors are coming along to take the place of the wine varieties. Mr. Cheney is making a specialty of growing French endive under glass, and is the first person in the United States to grow this succulent vegetable in this manner for the general market. He is planning to enlarge his output of French endive for next year's use.

This is grown in the field and afterwards placed in the greenhouse and is given a course which is kept in darkness and there the French endive becomes his salad, crisp, tender and appetizing.

Mr. Cheney also during the past winter has kept a supply of mushrooms which are grown in the dark. His mushrooms from three to four crops of mushrooms during the year. At this time his supply of the present crop is practically exhausted.

Mr. Cheney is making preparations for the construction of a new greenhouse directly south of his present one. This will be 200 feet long and 100 feet wide, which will be more than double the length of his present greenhouses, and will enlarge his capacity for producing hothouse vegetables during the years that are to come. Mr. Cheney is very enthusiastic in the work on the farm and in the greenhouse and is giving his business his entire attention. He very courteously showed a representative of The News about the place this week furnishing the general information regarding same as outlined above.

DO IT NOW.

Place your fire insurance in the Liverpool and London Globe Insurance Company or North British and Mercantile Insurance Company, two of the largest insurance companies in the world. Recommended by Thomas D. Walker.

SETTLER.

Quart and pint bottles for bottling beer sold by Faulkner the 15c.

Thompson's human grape fruit, same as usual. 12c. 12c. 12c.

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SOCIAL SERENADE

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Friendship that existed between the groom and his best man, and also of the loyal and kind-hearted acts of Foreman Cheney. Some reminiscences were also related. Mr. Watkins extended, on behalf of the active and honorary members of the company their best wishes and felt sure that Foreman Cheney's wedded life would be a happy one. Mr. Watkins then presented Mr. Cheney with a mahogany high-top which had been consigned in one corner by the Stars and Stripes, and hoped that it would serve as a gentle reminder of the kind regard the friends of the bride and groom had for their friend.

For a number of years past the St. Mary's Young Men's Club have made a practice of taking an excursion from here to Savin Rock, and have always selected Saturday as the day for their annual outing. They have always been very successful on these occasions, except in one or two instances when down-pour rain prevented. Given suitable weather there is little doubt of the success of their present undertaking.

They have always put on efficient committees whose foresight and energy enabled them to achieve successful success as the years roll by. That they will have a similar experience this year admits of no doubt as the young men in charge are all capable, and have sufficient enterprise and executive ability to carry on the project to a successful issue.

OBITUARY

WILFRED HESTON

Wilfred, the infant son of John and Mrs. Heston of Spruce street died of pneumonia last Sunday and was buried at five o'clock Monday afternoon at Manning B. Bennett, pastor of the St. Mary's Episcopal church officiated. Interment was in the East cemetery.

Mrs. NELSON SKINNER

Mrs. Nelson Skinner, wife of Nelson Skinner of Highland Park, died Saturday in her 92nd year. Her funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at Rev. W. F. Davis, pastor of the South Methodist church officiating. Burial was at the East cemetery. The bearers were: Town Clerk Sanford M. Benton, E. T. Carrier, George H. Barber and George Davidson.

Mrs. Skinner was a devoted member of the South Methodist church, in the welfare of which she had labored continuously for almost half a century and retained an active interest in its well-being until within a very short time preceding her death. Besides her husband she leaves a son, Alfred Skinner of Bridgton, a brother, William Gleason of Bridgton, and a grandson who has been making their home with her at Highland Park. They will return to their mother in Bridgton.

ANNIVERSARY SALE

Palace Furniture Company Yes in Business.

The Palace Furniture Company is the Trotter Block on West Center street has rounded out one year's business and in their large advertisement which appears elsewhere in our columns today will be found a statement by the firm in which they call public attention to this fact.

They are emphasizing their first anniversary by a mark-down sale of more than ordinary importance. The goods they designate in their advertisement are such as housekeepers find them in the greatest need of at the present time when they are in the throes of house cleaning. Ranges, carpets, furniture, mattresses, door screens, window screens, hammocks, blue flame oil stoves, table sets, dinner sets, kitchenware, clocks, and such like are included in the list, and for all of these different lines they are naming prices that are very attractive indeed. They are endeavoring to make it worth your while to buy in quantity, and their stock and to become steady patrons of their extraordinary bargains they are presenting at this time in honor of their first anniversary. Besides the goods mentioned in the advertisement there are many others which neither time nor space permit to be catalogued in their advertisement.

TRANSFERRED LARGE BOLLER.

Patrick Calhoun of Oak Grove street, the well known truckman and horse dealer, had the contract to move the large boiler from the Manchester freight station and place it in position in the new boiler house which is being constructed at the St. James church.

The boiler weighs three and one half tons and was heavy proposition to handle. Mr. Calhoun with a heavy truck, a strong team of horses and with the aid of four able bodied men managed the job easily, and the boiler is now securely placed in its location in the new boilerhouse. Charles O. Tracy has the contract to build the brick foundation under the boiler. The boiler room will have a concrete floor as one of the necessary arrangements for same can be made.

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A Few of Holl's Special Bargains In Manchester Real Estate

Single house, six rooms, bath, electric lights, furnace, newly new, on trolley line near the Center, \$2,950.

Double tenement near the trolley, four rooms and bath to each rent, \$2,700.

Double tenement, five rooms large lot, barn, henery, with 25 chickens and cow, \$2,300.

A newly new double tenement of ten rooms, bath, electric lights, finished in hard wood, large lot, sewer, connections, will pay ten per cent on purchase price and can be bought on easy terms, price \$2,900.

Two double tenements near the Center, one with extra lot, both in ideal locations, modern improvements, \$3,000 and \$4,100 respectively.

An eight acre farm, three miles from the mill, five-roomed house, equal to new, barn and chicken coop with 50 hens and good horse and buggy, price \$1,700.

Seven acres of tobacco land with shed for 3 acres and new stripping room, price \$850.

Farm of sixteen acres, two-tenement house, large barn and henery, brook runs through the place, one mile from town, and a money maker for the right party, price \$3,400.

Building lots in all sections from \$50. to \$1,500. Office open every evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

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Watch Buying Advice

Intelligent watch buying requires judgment on your part in two things, the case and the works.

The case is the constituent part of a watch and is made of metal or two factories that are unrelated. The works are fitted in the case by the jeweler and depends upon the cost of the case.

This you can buy a very fine case containing a cheap movement and think you are getting a bargain; or you may buy a cheap case containing a fine movement and be deceived again.

It is the proper combination of the two that makes the watch of worth.

No watch deception at our store.

LEONARD J. RICHMAN Jeweler and Optician With F. W. Mills.

SAVING FUEL

Have you seen the Four-Bar Grate in the Summit Range? It is the Latest Idea in Fuel Saving.

Call and see the famous Summit Ranges.

W. E. HIBBARD 51 NORTH ST. MANCHESTER Steam Fitting and Plumbing Hardware, Paints, Oil Etc.

PREPARING FOR TOWN DIRECTORY.

Judge E. O. Bowers' is making arrangements for the compilation of the forthcoming Manchester directory which will be distributed some time in September next. The arrangements have not at this writing been definitely completed but Mr. Bowers expects to start representatives on the work of compiling very soon.

A trial will tell you the quality of our work. Ready to please.

Don't Forget This, We Sell Shirts

And they are good SHIRTS, too. We are the agents for the well known and justly celebrated MONARCH Shirts. We have all their newest Spring Patterns in stock and ask you only

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MEMORIAL DAY

LARGE ADDESSIONS MADE TO WAGON RANKS BY F. OF A AND VETERANS OF LATER WAR.

Order of Exercises at Cheney Hall Which Will Begin Promptly at 2 O'clock—Salvation Army Brass Band in New Uniforms Will Head Procession—Right of Way Streets Given for Parade.

Memorial Day exercises will begin at Cheney hall at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 30th, with the following order of exercises:

- 1 Singing, Cover Them Over with Beautiful Flowers, Scandia Quintet
- 2 Service by Drake Post, Scandia Quintet
- 3 Singing, The Vacant Chair, Scandia Quintet
- 4 Address of Welcome, Scandia Quintet
- 5 Singing, Tinting on the Old Camp Ground, Scandia Quintet
- 6 Prayer, Rev. Manning B. Bennett
- 7 Singing, Nearer My God, Scandia Quintet
- 8 Oration, Dr. H. E. Peabody
- 9 America, Quintet and audience
- 10 Benediction.

Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Reynolds, W. W. Green, Commander of the Cheney Hall last evening by a good sized assemblage of his friends. The evening's exercises opened with an address of welcome by the president of the lodge, Oscar L. Anderson, after which an entertainment was furnished. The Scandia quintet sang several numbers which were heartily enjoyed. Charles G. Wides, of Worcester, Mass., known as the "bobo juggler," furnished lots of amusement and his efforts were loudly applauded. A program of fourteen numbers followed the entertainment for which Johnson & Wetman's orchestra furnished music and Prof. C. Foley provided refreshments which were furnished during the intermission and the eighth anniversary went down in the history of the lodge as a very pleasant affair.

CONTRACT LET

Last evening the board of directors of the Washington Local Orange Lodge let the contract to furnish chairs for Orange hall. There are to be 100 single seats and 100 double seats. The chairs are to be made of order and of maple. The order was secured under competition among the local furniture dealers. It was deemed necessary to have these new chairs here before the coming of the convention of the Orangemen which is to assemble here, as soon previously noted in these columns.

WILL MOVE TO TOWN

Dr. George W. May of Williamstown, who has had an office in the Cheney block for the past few years, and who has been coming to town every week has decided to move to this place and will take up his residence here about June 1st. Dr. May has been in the habit of coming here every Thursday, but his patronage has grown to such proportions that he has found it incumbent upon him to locate here.

MAY POLE DANCE.

The May pole dance and entertainment given in the parish hall of St. Bridget's church last evening had a large attendance. The program of fifteen numbers comprised solo, duets, trios, monologues and sketches by the young people of the parish, assisted by some talent from St. James parish. The May pole dance, a pretty number by twelve misses, was repeatedly encored. Refreshments were served after the entertainment. The proceeds of the affair will be applied toward the organ fund.

MIBERNIANS ATTENTION!

An important meeting of the A. O. H. will be held at Foresters' Hall next Tuesday evening, May 22nd. Several important matters are to come up for consideration and the officers are very anxious that all members should attend.

PLEASE YOUR

Please me. Let us try it. Faulkner the 15c. Telephone 64-72. Office 9 Wall street.

We carry Sollowers' chocolate and cocoa. Try it. O. F. Toop.

How about your little girl? Does she want a Dutch cut? If so take her up to the Coast's Barber Shop.

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THE BOSTON STORE

Specials This Week

11c yard For Fruit and Hill Cotton

\$1.49 For a \$2.49 Shirt Waist Suit

19c yard For Voile Crepe, Tan and Blue, worth 25c.

25c For Children's Gingham Dresses up to 6 years.

SOIESHEEN

The new fabric that everybody is talking about. Everybody wants it. It looks and feels like silk but will wear and wash vastly better. Tuesday noon we received a piece of Tan by express and it was gone by night. This will give you but a slight idea of the demand for it. By the time you read this advertisement we expect to have a full line of colors. Better come and see it yourself.

BOSTON STORE

J. W. HALE

Vudor

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Will Outwear Two Ordinary Hammocks.

As Good As A \$6.00 Hammock They Cost But \$4.00

ORDINARY hammocks give out first in the middle of the bed of the hammock, and in the supporting cords at the ends. Ordinary hammocks the fabric is no heavier or stronger in the middle of the bed than at the sides. The bed of the Vudor Hammock is woven with a gradually increased number of warps to the inch from the sides to the middle, so that the hammock is strongest where the most strength is needed. This is a patented feature and can be found in no other hammock. Another exclusive feature of the Vudor Re-enforced Hammock is the manner in which the supporting cords are arranged and attached to the bed of the hammock.

We are local agents for Vudor Re-enforced Hammocks and will be glad to show them to you, feeling sure that you will at once recognize and appreciate their superiority.

We also carry an extensive stock of the Vudor Porch Shades, also the bamboo and German Shades. A 6-foot bamboo Screen, costs but.....\$1.75

A fresh Shipment of Stylish Veranda Chairs is just being unpacked as we write and they are good ones all.

WATKINS BROS.

Furniture and Piano Dealers Undertakers Hartford Piano Warerooms 227 Asylum Street

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RUBINOW'S SPECIALTY SHOP

Boy's Double Breasted Suits 9 to 14 years. Sale Price.....\$1.69

OUR FIRST Anniversary Sale

is now in full swing. We fully appreciate your generous patronage for the past year and to show our appreciation we are now holding our first birthday celebration which means unusual money saving opportunities to you. Hundreds of satisfied customers have taken advantage of our offerings for the past week. Come, join the crowd, we will endeavor to make the second week's ANNIVERSARY SALE offerings surpass the first.

Nothing is Good Enough That Can Be Improved. Here's a partial list of money saving values:

WOMEN'S SUITS WOMEN'S COATS of black polka dotted lawn. Well made and fast colors. Anniversary sale price.....\$3.98

SKIRTS Light Panama Skirts in black, blue and brown. Full pleated and have fold of same cloth at bottom. Anniversary sale price.....\$3.98

WAISTS Women's Sheer Lawn Waists trimmed with assorted patterns of embroidery and lace.....59c

Allover eyelet Embroidery Waists, black, front and sleeves to match. Anniversary price.....\$1.79

Mid-Season Sale

Housefurnishings

The Keith & Post Co.

This is the time of the year when you are going to refurnish your home if possible, and although a little unusual we are going to offer some special inducements right in the mid-season for you to do your trading at our store. Our reasons for doing this are that we have an unusually heavy stock of goods on hand and we desire if possible to turn a portion of them into cash as quickly as possible. To do this we realize that we must cut the price and cut it deep. This we have done as you will see by reading the partial list given below. We are

COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS

And if we have not mentioned just the article you are in need of, just bear in mind that we have it, and you can buy it at a very low price during our

Mid-Season Sale

All printed linoleums, either in 6 or 12 foot widths 50c yard. All wool ingrain carpets.....62c yard. One-half wool ingrain carpets.....42c yard.

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