

NOTICE

Annual Town Meeting

Notice is hereby given to all the legal voters of the Town of Manchester, Connecticut, that the annual town meeting of said town will be held in the Town Hall in said Town of Manchester, on Monday the 5th day of October, A. D. 1908, at six o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes, to wit:

- 1 For choice of the following officers:
2 Selectmen, 7 Constables, 6 Grand Jurors, 2 Auditors, 2 Registrars of Voters, 1 Assessor, for the term of one year, 1 Assessor for the term of two years, 1 Assessor for the term of three years, 3 members of Board of Relief, 2 School Visitors, a Collector of Taxes, an Agent of the Town Deposit Fund, 2 Directors of Public Library, and a Tree Warden.
3 To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow sufficient funds for the use of the town for the ensuing year, and give the note or notes of the town therefor.
4 To lay a tax for the payment of the State and County taxes, the support of Common Schools, and all other current expenses of the town for the next ensuing year, and to act upon the reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Library Directors and School Visitors for the past year.
5 To take action relative to appropriating a reasonable sum for the observance of Decoration Day to be expended under the direction of the selectmen.
6 To see if the town will provide for the repairs of its highways for the year next ensuing.
7 To see if the town will make an appropriation for the care of cemeteries for the year next ensuing.
8 To see if the town will authorize its Selectmen to appoint patrolmen and make a specific appropriation therefor.
9 To see if the town will make a specific appropriation for the fighting of the highways of said town or any of them.
10 To determine by ballot whether any person shall be licensed to sell spirituous and intoxicating liquors in said town for the next year ensuing from and after the first Monday of November 1908.
11 To determine if the said town will authorize its Selectmen to negotiate, pay or exchange any present or future loan to the town, and give a new note or notes in the name of the town for the same for such time not exceeding ten years, as in their opinions may be necessary.
12 To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to borrow a sum of money not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars for a period not to exceed ten years for the purpose of refunding outstanding notes of the town and to give the obligations of the town therefor.
13 To see if the town will authorize its treasurer to pay the principal and the interest of its outstanding bonds, as they become due, at the First National Bank in the City of Boston, Mass., notwithstanding that the bonds and coupons are by their tenor payable in the town of Manchester.
14 To see if the town will accept the Selectmen's layout of Hemlock street.
15 To see if the town will place lights on Roosevelt street.
16 To see if the town will place lights on Ridgewood street.
17 To see if the town will place lights on Wetherell street between Bridge street and Bidwell street and on Bidwell street between Wetherell and Keeney street and on Keeney street from Keeney street from Bidwell street to Mackintosh street.
18 To see what action the town will take upon the application of the owners of the land at the north

west corner of East Center street and Main street for an appropriation to pay for an alleged encroachment upon their property.

20 To see if the town will take such action as is necessary to drain surface water from West Center street, west of Cooper street, and also from Cooper street.

21 To hear a report of the special committee on revision of the by-laws of the town.

The polls will be open at six o'clock a. m., and close at four o'clock p. m.

ARTHUR B. KEENEY, WILLIAM E. ALVORD, JAMES BURNS, Selectmen of the Town of Manchester, Connecticut.

Come Early

To the Public Market to purchase the meats for your Sunday Dinner.

By so doing you will confer a favor upon us, you will enable us to serve you more satisfactorily, you will have a better opportunity to make your selections, you will be certain to have your orders delivered on time, and you will not have to endure any anxious half-hours wondering whether your marketman can get your meats to you in time to meet your needs.

It is always much more comfortable to do your shopping free from the anxieties of limited time and its consequent confusion. By so doing you retain that happy frame of mind that is so conducive to good health and the joys of well being.

For your information and profit we quote the following unusually attractive prices on meats.

Lamb Sale

- Legs of Spring Lamb.....16c lb.
Loin Lamb Chops.....16c lb.
Rib Lamb Chops.....14c lb.
Shoulder Lamb Chops 2 lbs for 25c
Shoulder Lamb Roast.....14c lb.
Lamb Stew.....6 to 8c lb.

Veal Sale

- Veal Cutlet.....20c lb.
Loin Veal Roast.....18c lb.
Shoulder Roast.....12c lb.
Loin Chops.....18c lb.
Rib Chops.....14c lb.
Shoulder Chops.....12c lb.
Veal Stew.....8 to 10c lb.

Beef Sale

- Fancy Pot Roast.....12c lb.
Best Rib Roast.....12c to 16c lb.
Shoulder Steak.....2 lbs for 25c
Round Steak.....15c lb.
Sirloin Steak.....20c lb.
Short Steak.....20c lb.
Porterhouse Steak.....25c lb.
Small Shoulder Hams.....10c lb.
Bacon in Strip or Half Strip 14c lb.
Corned Beef, the kind that pleases.....6c lb. up.

This sale is advertised and the above goods are guaranteed to be of the best.

Fruits and Vegetables in season. Save money by trading here.

Public Market Co.

Orange Hall Block East Center St. Telephone 63-4.

Gifts

OF Community Silver

Knives, Forks and Spoons in the new Flower de-Luce pattern will please the most fastidious. This flower design has a beauty and "style" hitherto found only in the best sterling.

LEONARD J. RICHMAN Jeweler and Optician

BRIDGE CELEBRATION

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The Hartford Bridge Celebration of October 7th, it was decided to send to Hartford a marching delegation of 1,000 men, recruited from among the workmen of the town's various mills, together with two brass bands and several decorative floats, the latter to be submitted for prizes.

The total cost to our Committee for uniforms, transportation of marchers, marching music, and other legitimate items, is estimated at about \$3000.

A subscription, representing a part of this amount is respectfully requested of you, as a patriotic Manchester association, which should be interested in having this town well represented in the parade.

Subscriptions should be made payable to J. W. Hale, Treasurer, South Manchester, Conn.

Yours very truly, Clifford D. Cheney, Chairman Executive Industrial Committee of Manchester.

Presenting this paper he was heartily in favor of the Manchester Business Men's Association taking hold of this matter with a will and doing all they could to make the big turn-out of Manchester's toilers a pronounced success. He felt that inasmuch as Cheney Brothers were going to so much labor and expense in the matter, their efforts should be rigorously seconded by the business men of the town. It was explained that the silk, the paper, the soap and bon ami, and the woolen industries of the town were to be represented in the parade, but that the one thousand men from here who are to do the marching would be representative of the town of Manchester as a whole. Each industry was to have its own float or floats, and its own employees, but all are to wear the same uniforms. The one difference will be that each industry will be represented by a different colored sash.

Cheney Brothers have very generously donated one thousand large silk flags mounted on shafts, same to be borne by the Manchester workers in this parade.

This will unquestionably be one of the striking features of the parade as no other large body of men marchers will be similarly equipped.

The fact too that the Manchester battalions will all be in uniform, consisting of white duck military coat trimmed with brass buttons, white cap with visor, white gloves and a broad ribbon sash extending over the shoulder and under the arm will surely mark them out for friendly favor and recognition by the assembled multitude.

The Manchester Military band enlarged to twenty-four pieces, assisted by another large band from out of town will furnish music for the Manchester marchers. It is expected that there will be 800 silk workers in line and that the other 800 will be made up from the operatives of the J. T. Robertson Company, the Bon Ami Works, the Case Brothers paper mill at Highland Park, the mill of the Rogers Paper Manufacturing Company, the Oakland mill of the American Writing Paper Company, and the paper mill of the A. Willard Case Company.

It is expected that there will be ten thousand men in the big parade in Hartford, and that Manchester will furnish one-tenth of this monster body of marchers which will form a line three miles long.

R. O. Cheney, president of the South Manchester Railroad Company has made provisions with the Consolidated Railroad Company whereby a special train of twelve cars will be furnished free for the Manchester men in uniform. This train will leave the South Manchester station at ten o'clock a. m. sharp for Manchester and leave Manchester at 10.10 a. m. for Hartford. None will be allowed on this train but men in uniform and all must have their round trip tickets in advance. The hour for the return trip from Hartford

has not been announced as yet, but will be made known later.

James W. Cheney stated that there would be eight thousand seats in the grand stand that is being erected in Hartford, which are being sold at five dollars each. These sittings have backs, are numbered, are transferable, and are good for the three days and three nights of the celebration. Persons paying for these sittings may go and return at will and find their sittings unoccupied.

There are eighty-two boxes sending ten persons each, which sell at fifty dollars the box. There are twelve thousand and bleacher seats at fifty cents each. These are not numbered and can not be purchased in advance. They are good only while you hold them down personally. If you get up and "vacate" them for an instant the other fellow in waiting may take possession. The entire seating capacity of the grand stand will be approximately twenty-one thousand. It will cost \$2,000 to equip, transport and load the Manchester battalions and carry all the incidental expenses connected therewith. It is expected that a box lunch will be served the marchers when they are being formed in line on Bushnell Park. Ample and commodious toilet arrangements will be provided for all at the boxes, grand stand and bleachers.

The business men present at the special meeting last evening entered into the spirit of the movement with much enthusiasm. The following committee was appointed to solicit and collect funds to help in partially defraying expenses of the Manchester marchers in the big parade: R. La Motte Russell, George E. Keith, Jasper A. Fitch, William K. Hibbard, and E. Hugh Crosby.

It was voted that the business men of the town of Manchester be requested to close their stores all day Wednesday, October 7th, in honor of the big parade. Personal solicitation will also be had in order to have the matter of closing the stores made uniform.

James W. Cheney, who is taking a very active interest in the monster celebration, gave notice last evening that all members of the General Executive Committee of the Hartford Bridge Celebration are entitled to five invitations to the parade to be presented at the Board of Trade rooms in Hartford and are free to members of the Executive Committee only. None others can get them. They are not for sale. They are beautiful souvenirs of the biggest event ever witnessed in Connecticut, and will be well worth preserving.

The following were chosen as delegates from the Manchester Business Men's Association to attend the convention of the State Business Men's Association at New Haven Thursday, October 15: R. La Motte Russell, William E. Allen, and C. E. House. These delegates were authorized to appoint their own alternates.

"We have been selling our boys to pay the revenue," Mrs. Letticia Youmans.

We also have coat and blouse sweaters, but we sell the "Easy On" style. All comfortable—no wrinkled waist sleeves. Rubino's Specialty Shop. Sunchard milk chocolate the best Kandy Kitchen.

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\$100. in GOLD GIVEN AWAY FREE.

The KEITH & POST COMPANY

Will give absolutely free to any local fraternal, charitable or temperance society ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN GOLD. There are no strings on it. It ought to be easy money.

READ CAREFULLY ACT PROMPTLY AND THE MONEY IS YOURS.

There are two reasons why we do not make a practice of publicly taking notice of our competitors' advertisements. One is, it is against our business principles, and the other, we don't have time. But the glaring headlines and the more glaring MISREPRESENTATIONS OF FACTS by our competitors, Messrs Hohenthal and Benson, known as the Palace Furniture Co., compel us for this once to cast aside our principles and spend a little of our time.

To show the people of Manchester and vicinity (who we believe are too wise to be so easily deceived) that the advertisement of the above firm in the last issue of this paper is largely composed of statements which we hereby offer

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN GOLD

if they can prove them to be as they state them.

WE QUOTE FROM THEIR ADVERTISEMENT:

"You need not be told that the name of this store is synonymous with high honorable dealings, and we stand by and stake this reputation in this advertisement. The foundation of our success is confidence. The people turn more and more to this growing store because they know ANY STATEMENT MADE BY US IS PAST CONTRADICTION. THEY KNOW EVERY STATEMENT WE MAKE IS THE TRUTH, THE TRUTH IN ENTIRETY. It is exactly on "these lines that this closing out sale will be conducted."

Now these are strong words plainly stated, and coming from such reliable people as Mr. Hohenthal and Mr. Benson, we could hardly expect to find anything but the truth in the balance of their advertisement. But to give them a chance to obtain

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which we hereby agree to give absolutely free to any local fraternal, charitable or temperance society whom they may designate, and at the same time prove themselves to be the truthful, high, honorable dealing, worthy of the public confidence firm which they claim themselves to be.

If they will prove by showing their stock, stock book or invoices to any responsible, disinterested party the following statements contained in their advertisement of Sept. 18th, that they had in stock as they state at that time:

- 100 DOZEN DINING CHAIRS or 100 IRON BEDS or 100 CENTER TABLES or 200 ROCKERS or 500 RUGS or 50 KITCHEN RANGES or 50 COUCHES or 50 DRESSERS or ONE HALF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF STOCK STATED

If they fail to prove the truth of the above, which we agree to publish if proven, we fear the confidence of the trading public of Manchester in the balance of their advertisement will be somewhat shaken, and we advise them to look well to the foundation of their success.

We also agree to give a 10 PER CENT CASH DISCOUNT Below Any Advertised Price Quoted By Them.

Yours for the Truth and Square Dealings

The KEITH & POST CO.

Complete Housefurnishers and Undertakers

Purnell Building Main Street South Manchester

Hartford Opera House

H. H. JENNINGS, Prop. and Mgr. Matinee Daily 2.30. Evening 8.15. Thurs. Fri. Sat. September 25, 26, 27. FALSE FRIENDS

FRED WALDO FREE Frederick Waldo, the Manchester young man who was arrested in Hopedale, Mass., a year ago last July on the charge of assault upon his step-father, who he fired three shots, was allowed to go free when arraigned in court in Springfield, Wednesday. The case has been adjourned on several occasions and Waldo has been out on a \$5,000 bond.

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BOSTON STORE

Prepare for Bridge Week

Of course you will attend the celebration at Hartford next week. You want to attire yourself in the best way you possibly can. Everybody will. Let us show you what we are offering in the line of Shirt waists, Skirts, Fancy Goods etc.

ECRU NET WAISTS \$1.49 \$2.98 \$3.49 (Popular Prices, that we know will suit.)

BLACK TAFFETA WAISTS \$1.98 \$2.98 \$3.49 (Low prices, but excellent quality)

BLACK DRESS SKIRTS \$3.98 \$4.98 (Panamas, Mohairs, Nuns Veiling.)

'HEATHERBLOOM' TAFFETA SKIRTS \$1.49 (Black only. A great bargain.)

The Store That Has What the People Want (When They Want It.)

BOSTON STORE J. W. HALE

Assembly Hall Well Filled With Persons - Interested in No License Campaign

A No License rally was held in High School Assembly Hall last evening at which upwards of eight hundred persons assembled and listened for an hour and a quarter to the temperance address delivered by Hon. John T. Shea of East Cambridge, Mass. Mr. Shea made an earnest plea for no-license and discussed the question from a moral standpoint. His endeavor was to en-

lighten the voters in behalf of the boys and girls, by removing temptation from them as far as possible, thus enabling them to grow up to be better men and women than if exposed to the dangers of the open saloon.

Mr. Shea took occasion to give the lie to the slanderous statement made regarding him upon his visit to this town one year ago, namely: that on the Sunday night after delivering his no-license address in the Armory Opera House, he had to be assisted to bed in a local hotel while in an intoxicated condition. Mr. Shea publicly made known the fact last night that he is a member of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, and of the Father Matthew Total Abstinence Society of Boston.

He further emphatically and positively declared that he had never taken a drink of intoxicating liquor in his life and said he did not know the taste of liquor of any kind.

He strongly urged members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and of the Knights of Columbus of which he is also a member, to unite with the Catholic Total Abstinence workers in the military movements of the Manchester and the other Christian workers who are struggling to save the youth of this town from the baleful influences of the saloon. His closing advice was that they go to the polls next Monday and vote no-license.

Colonel John Hickey will have charge of the military organization of the marching battalions of Manchester. He has appointed as Adj. Gen. Captain Philip Cheney and John P. Robertson, and has also named forty captains who are to command twenty-four men each.

Colonel Hickey has also appointed a goodly number of aids and corporals who will assist in managing and directing the military movements of the Manchester and the other Christian workers who are struggling to save the youth of this town from the baleful influences of the saloon. His closing advice was that they go to the polls next Monday and vote no-license.

Cheney Brothers will have a float in the parade as will also J. T. Robertson and the bon ami employees.

Colonel Hickey requests that the marchers present themselves on Elm street at the 80, Manchester R.R. station at 10.30 next Wednesday forenoon in order that they may be formed in line and be ready to entrain promptly on time. A special train will leave the South Manchester station at 10.45 a. m. on that day and date.

It is deemed advisable to direct public attention to the fact that none but uniformed marchers will be permitted on this train. It must be understood that none of the marchers are to take their wives, or children, or sweethearts with them on this train. Round trip transportation will be free, and all uniformed men will have tickets in their pockets before boarding the train.

P. J. O'Leary, our local caterer, has been given the contract to furnish box lunches for the men who will march from this place. His order calls for one thousand lunches, which will in all probability be served while the battalions are forming on Bushnell Park, Hartford.

The marchers from the North End are requested to assemble on Depot square at 10.45 a. m. in order that they may be formed in line and be prepared to embark quickly on the special train leaving Depot square at eleven o'clock. The special train will leave Hartford for Manchester from the Union Station at 10.00 p. m. next Wednesday.

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Misses' Wool Knitted Sweaters in White, Grey and Red. \$1.50 quality. Sale price.....\$1.25

SKIRTS of chiffon panama in black and blue fully pleated, modified sheath effect on sides, finished with large buttons above hips One 3-in. and 2 quarter-in. silk folds in bottom. These skirts retail at \$10. Our special price \$6.98

Boys' Blouses in heavy Twill and Outing Flannel 19c

WAISTS! WAISTS! A leading manufacturer's sample line of Latest Fall Styles of Waists in pongee, linene, satin and nuns' veiling. About 50 styles, no two alike. On sale now at 48c to \$1.98

Extra help during this sale—prompt attention.

INDUSTRIAL PARADE

NEXT WEDNESDAY—ONE THOUSAND MANCHESTER MARCHERS TO BE IN LINE AT HARTFORD.

Bridge Celebration Next Week Greatest Demonstration in History of Connecticut—Costumes Distributed and Drills To Be Held Tonight and Tomorrow Night—Great Entertainment

The big industrial parade of next week Wednesday is dividing the honors at the present time with the local interest taken in the no-license campaign. One thousand outfits have been received here for the marchers and will be distributed at Cheshire hall tonight and tomorrow night. Drills will be held this evening and tomorrow evening by the several bodies of marchers who are to take part in the big parade. All local marchers will assemble on Elm street for that purpose tonight and tomorrow night in response to the calls of their respective captains.

The ranks of marchers are now recruited to the full quota, namely, eight hundred for the employees of Cheney Brothers, one hundred paper makers, one hundred soap makers and bon ami makers.

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# A Great \$10 Sale

We Close Tuesday, The First Day Of The Bridge Celebration at 12.30. WISE, SMITH & COMPANY, Hartford.

As the result of two very special purchases, one from the Matchless Specialty Company, the other from Rosenthal, Seigel & Company, both of New York City, and leaders in their line, we offer you, exclusive Fall models in

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Positively worth up to \$18.

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Guaranteed Priestley Cravennette, positively worth up to \$18, at

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At this price we offer you a choice selection in Fall Footwear equal in every way to any \$3.50 advertised shoe on the market. It's this kind of value-giving that has doubled our Men's Shoe Department.

**Come Early**  
If you want one of those \$2.00 \$2.50 and \$3.00 **Hats for \$1.00!**  
Only a few dozen remain.

**Genuine Reading Trousers**  
Cassimeres in Hair Line Stripes and Plain Grays. Regular price \$2. **Special for \$1.69!**



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# Attention A Moment! MANCHESTER VOTERS!

Reasons Why You Should Vote "LICENSE" on Monday:

Editorial Utterances of Hartford Papers:

The License Question (Hartford Courant.) Hartford is not ready for no-license. If the people should vote to have that policy for the city, the result would be illegal selling, bad liquor, general demoralization of the business, and a worse condition than we ever had under the loosest administration of the license system.

Editorial Urging License in Hartford Times: "The Times printed on March 23 an article giving some reasons why the sale of liquors should continue to be licensed in Hartford according to the past custom here and in all the cities of the state. The article was merely a fresh declaration of the position this paper has always held, and this position is shared by practically every newspaper of consequence in the cities of Connecticut. It is ridiculous to pretend that these papers are all misinformed or that they are disposed to favor immoral practices, or that those who conduct them are unable to form a fair judgment on a problem they have all had plenty of occasion to study. They stand unitedly for the support of the law, and for safe and orderly life in the cities they represent, and everywhere through the state. They have not decided hastily, and this is one of the things in which they care nothing about politics. Their only concern is for the best solution of a serious problem. In view of these facts their agreement in opinion is of the highest consequence. It represents the best public opinion, including that of men who do not themselves use alcoholic beverages and would be glad if all others shared their views. "We, and probably all the others to whom we have referred, are satisfied that where prohibition law exists in a large town or city it is never enforced effectively, that it fosters illegal selling, encourages the sale of whiskey instead of beer or other mild beverages (because it is less bulky and more easily concealed) and deprives the city of a large revenue, in the case of Hartford about \$70,000 a year. The sale of bad liquor at high prices is not prevented, but the revenue which the licensing system provides is thrown away. But the \$70,000 is only the beginning. Figures collected among the various dealers, brewers and hotel-keepers show that these collectively pay to the town of Hartford, and in the shape of wages, to its citizens, insurance, coal, and supplies of various kinds, almost \$2,000,000 a year."

Prohibition Does Not Prohibit But LICENSE REGULATES

In 1893 New Britain voted no license by 931. In 1894 New Britain voted license by 1168. Last spring New Britain voted for license by a majority of 2321. Experience teaches.

Hartford Hot Shot, License by 5334 majority. Shall we close the Manchester saloons to benefit Hartford and other towns?

Hartford, a city where the average of intelligence runs high, voted last April for license by the stupendous majority of 5334 votes in face of an organized campaign by the probably well-meaning but misguided advocates of prohibition.

Should not the intelligent citizens of Manchester return as proportionately large a majority in favor of the well regulated licensed saloon, properly conducted by law respecting business men of Manchester in preference to the kitchen saloons, and the illicit, non-revenue paying dens, which were the experience in New Britain in 1893, and which are certain to spring up here, to cater to the natural wants of man.

Last year there were 10 stores and 4 hotels in town for the distribution of liquors. If no-license continues these stores will be vacant and it will deal a death blow to the hotels. The owners and tax payers of these properties will be the sufferers, while on the other hand the 14 licenses would give an annual revenue to Manchester of about \$6,000. The property owner always pays the cost, and the taxes will surely have to be increased, if Manchester remains in the dry column.

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**CROWN ACORN RANGE**  
(Made by Rathbone, Bard & Co., Albany, N.Y.)

The square form of the Crown Acorn oven increases its capacity, and is a source of daily satisfaction.

Other Crown Acorn features are the spring-balanced oven door with foot opener; an accurate heat-indicator that takes the place of guess-work; fire-box and grate-bar construction that prevents banking of ashes and makes a clean fire.

These, and many other special Crown Acorn features, are well worth a personal visit to

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Mr. and Mrs. Ned Nelson of Madison avenue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son last Tuesday.

Peter Jensen of Hartford, brother of John Jensen of Manchester, died, was critically ill at the St. Francis hospital in Hartford. He is suffering with blood poisoning.

A good place to trade is at Faulkner's tea store.

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The women of America are year by year becoming more and more attached to LaFrance shoes—a shoe made in strict accordance with the latest Parisian styles adapted to the uses and high standards of the American women.

Women are attracted by this shoe first because of its refined and beautiful appearance. Then they feel—then much to their surprise—that no other shoe they ever wore is so comfortably and healthily adapted to wear.

This is a shoe with a combination to be found in no shoe—due to new and improved methods of leather selection and workmanship.

More description does not do this shoe justice—try it on a revolution. We have still more new styles and sizes of LaFrance shoes, as we think they will give you some satisfactory new ideas.

**BOSTON SHOE STORE**  
209 Main St. So. Manchester

**BRIDGE WEEK SPECIALS**

**LADIES SUITS at \$18.75**

That are bound to make a hit. Material is full weight, glossy finish broadcloth. Coat is button through, 36-inches long, semi-fitting model, lined with guaranteed satin. The new design skirt has thirteen gored and buttoned down the front. Colors: black, blue, brown and green. Price.....\$18.75

**LADIES SUITS at \$22.50**

Made of best quality Broadcloth, in all the new shades, including Taupe and Moose Grey. The button through coat is a smart half-fitting model, 36-inches long, with slashed back and sides, bound with Soutache braid. Skirt is thirteen gored, flared model with wide folds, trimmed to match coat. Worth fully \$27.50, but priced at.....\$22.50

**MEN'S SUITS at \$16.75**

Made of cassimeres, tweeds and worsteds. Collars close fitting, shoulders perfectly shaped. Priced for bridge week only at.....\$16.75

Use our credit plan when buying. This method of stretching a dollar is used by every one else—WHY NOT YOU?

**The Caesar Misch Store.**  
687-695 Main St. L. & M. SIMON Hartford.

**THE**  
**Liquor Traffic Forced to "Show its Hand"**

The lips of the mother are cold with grief, and her children suffer and shrink. For the man who once could let it alone, is the pitiful slave to drink.

**FALL DISPLAY**  
Of Millinery, Cloaks, Shirt Waists, Etc., At Boston Store.

The fall opening at the Boston Store Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week was a fine success.

It is their endeavor year after year to present a larger, more beautiful, more varied and more attractive assortment of millinery, cloaks, shirt waists, fancy goods, etc., at each opening. They are continually on the alert for the latest and best in the several lines and are consequently striving to meet the many requirements of their lady patrons.

The large displays which may be seen at the Boston Store are really meritorious and should call the interest of all the ladies of South Manchester and vicinity. Great care has been taken to furnish the most charming of fashions from this season's output, and their millinery department is a veritable bower of beauty. A visit to the Boston Store and an inspection of the numerous lines of goods carried there is well worth while. We are sure that the ladies will appreciate the efforts being put forth for their convenience at the Boston Store.

**SOLD OUT**  
For a number of years Lohan E. Adams has had furnished rooms in the Ferris Block, which he kept for years, but has now sold the interest in same to Mrs. Henry B. Waterhouse, who is now commencing October 1st, 1908.

**HARTFORD OPERA HOUSE**  
The Governor and the Boss at the Hartford Opera House to-night and twice tomorrow.

**CECIL SPOONER IN NEW PLAY**  
"The Girl and the Detective" is the vehicle that will introduce the favorite dandy comedian Cecil Spooner, who is again one of the offerings in the entertainment line this season. She will be seen for the entire week beginning Oct. 5th at the Hartford Opera House.

The presentation will mark the first appearance of this clever artist in his new comedy drama entitled "The Girl and the Detective" which is destined to please the public fancy, owing, as it does, from the pen of Chas. E. Blaney and J. Seale Dawley. The name of Cecil Spooner is such a household word that it is not necessary to dwell upon her abilities as a comedienne and actress and exponent of cleverly written roles and plays. "The Girl and the Detective" deals with life as we know it to-day in all large cities. The heroine is an honest orphan, a well-to-do street dealer in an orphan asylum by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to children. She escapes and becomes the unwilling witness to one of the big crimes of the day, she is accused of participating in the affair, great complications take place between the Police Department and Haggarty, one of the greatest detectives in the Pinkerton employ, in trying to unravel the mystery; she becomes known to the one that gave her the alarm. The story is written around a European diplomat who has been induced to invest in one of the many get-rich schemes by a promoter by the name of Tracey. To save himself from disgrace he is forced to put up thousands of bonds entrusted to him, until he can get money from his people in Europe. Tracey refuses to return the bonds, his wife offers to sacrifice the family jewels to save him. He is discovered dead upon her return home and all points to suicide. The complications ensuing give great scope for many startling situations and magnificent comic and stage effects showing the interior of Editorial Room at night of one of the large daily papers; a big steel plant in operation. The play is in four acts, between the third and fourth acts of the play Miss Spooner will present her own version of the much talked of "Salome Dance" and her original specialty "I can do what special effects of the most gorgeous kinds are used to perfect this novelty. In the capable cost supporting Miss Spooner are the well known actors Geo. Palmer Moor, Lou Hiscall.

**OF INTEREST TO WOMEN**  
The late Bishop Potter was a sympathizer with the woman suffrage movement.

Dr. Mary Lahan of Cincinnati has been appointed house physician to the Ohio State Hospital for the Insane at Columbus, Ohio.

Baroness Alexander Gripenberg, who has spent the greater part of her life in working for women's progress in Finland, has just been re-elected to the National Finnish Parliament.

In Holland a Dutch Men's League to help secure suffrage for Holland women is being formed. The first of such leagues was organized in England. The Lutheran church in Holland has given votes to the women members in church matters.

In Dublin, Ireland, there are now 18 women who have been elected to serve as poor law guardians. Mr. and Mrs. Haselton who were at the head of the Ireland division in the great woman suffrage demonstration in London are both more than 80 years old, but vigorously walked the entire three miles.

A "College Woman's Evening" will be one of the features of the convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association to be held in Buffalo, Oct. 15th to 21st.

There will also be a "Pioneer Evening" in commemoration of the Seneca Falls convention, thirty years ago, the first Woman's Rights convention ever held. The addresses will be made by the descendants or near relatives of the descendants or near relatives of the women who took part in that historic convention and some of the early suffragists.

**AS TO LICENSE**  
**OPINIONS OF EMINENT CLERGYMEN ON THE QUESTION.**

People of whatever faith will be interested in the opinions of some of the country's most learned and honored clergymen. Many more might be added, but these show the general trend of thought—

**BISHOP POTTER OF NEW YORK**  
Our prohibitory laws, whether we put them in operation on one day only, or on all days, are as stupid as they are ineffectual.

**BISHOP CLARK OF RHODE ISLAND**  
Prohibition has been disastrous to the cause of temperance.

**BISHOP GRAFTON OF WISCONSIN**  
I cannot see the benefit of compulsory abstinence.

**CARDINAL GIBBONS OF BALTIMORE**  
I am persuaded that it is practically impossible to put prohibition into effect in any large community, and the best means, therefore, to promote temperance is to limit the number of saloons by high license.

**BISHOP HALL OF VERMONT**  
Prohibition drives underground the mischief which it seeks to cure, making it more difficult to deal with the evil, and impossible to regulate the trade.

**MASSACHUSETTS PASTOR WHO FAVORS LICENSE**  
In October of last year, the Rev. Earl C. Davis, the working pastor of Unity church of Pittsfield, created a sensation in the No-License League and Berkshire Ministers' Club by announcing that he was in favor of license, speaking substantially as follows: "I believe in the licensed city from a moral standpoint. "I was born and brought up in Maine. I live in Auburn and Lewiston. What I saw in Maine prompts me to my action now, and that is the reason I have taken this stand. "From what I observed in Maine I believe that no-license in Pittsfield would mean the establishment of innumerable kitchen dives that would be followed or run in connection with houses of ill-repute, and morally the effect would be infinitely worse than with the open saloon under a supervision of authorities. "Auburn and Lewiston in Maine are about the size of Pittsfield. In Auburn alone there are 160 kitchen dives, and as many more in Lewiston under a so-called prohibition regime. "ARCHBISHOP RYAN OF PHILADELPHIA I am in favor of total abstinence for all persons who desire or need it. I favor high license and every means consistent with true principles and due respect for individual liberty, to promote the practice of temperance. "EX-GOV. RUSSELL OF MASSACHUSETTS Prohibition has been enacted in this state, thoroughly tried and repealed by its sponsors as a confessed failure. "RESULTS AT RIVERHEAD, R. I. Replying to an inquiry, the Rev. Mr. Wasson, rector of Grace Church, Riverhead, said among other things, under date of November 1, 1907: "We have had just six months' trial of license, and the results have been highly beneficial morally as well as financially. There has been far less drunkenness, and our village has been quiet and orderly. When the no-license law was in operation, secret Sunday selling was the rule. Now, I am informed by persons who know, there is not one saloon keeper that violates the Sunday law. I feel morally certain that, if the question were to be voted on today, the majority for license would be twice as large as it was last spring. In short, reason and common sense have been justified by time and experience. The influence of the fanatics has been reduced almost to the zero mark, for which I am devoutly thankful. "UNDER PROHIBITION There are instances without number in the five states where prohibition is supposed to be enforced, where property has decreased in value, where innumerable stores and tenements are vacant by reason of it, where taxes have greatly increased, and where the general status of the towns and cities have greatly deteriorated. These conditions are especially true of Ohio towns where prohibition prevailed. "LITTLE RHODY'S EXPERIENCE. Step over the border to our little neighbor and you will learn that the depressing effect of the law was so severely felt that after one year's trial the merchants, manufacturers and property owners united in a petition, signed by the best men of Providence, representing \$49,000,000 of property, asking the abolition of the law.

**VOTE FOR LICENSE!**  
LIQUOR DEALERS ASSOCIATION OF MANCHESTER

**FUNDS FOR TRAVELERS**  
Let Us Supply You With Travelers' Checks or Letters of Credit Available Anywhere. Foreign Exchange.

**MANCHESTER TRUST & SAFE DEPOSIT CO**

\$5 MILLINERY SPECIAL

This year we are making a specialty of beautiful trimmed hats at \$5. We could not do this in our own store, and therefore, we are now offering these hats at our special price. The hats are made in our own millinery, and trimmed by the most experienced hands of our newly opened store.

George Kelly and his sister Miss Florence of Washington, D. C. are the guests of their uncle George W. Ferris and family of Pine street. They expect to remain here for a number of weeks.

**WE CERTAINLY HAVE A DANDY LINE OF PARLOR HEATERS**

And cordially invite all persons in need of such to call and see them.

Our prices range from \$19 to \$18 and never mind at which figure you focus your purchase here it will yield you excellent value for your investment.

We also have wood stoves.

Autumn has arrived and no one knows how soon these handy comfort bringers will render you most excellent service.

Be among the early purchasers of a Parlor Heater and you will be well rewarded for your foresight.

**THOMAS M. TROTTER**  
219 Main St. Telephone Connection. So. Manchester

**Improve the Opportunity**

and buy a nearly new two-family house with 13 rooms on West Center street. One on Spruce street with 13 rooms, price of each \$8,500, money taken for a quick buyer. One acre on Bigelow street with 2-family house. Two family houses, price \$1,400 to \$4,500. Only one building lot left on Ridge street. One on Foster street. 4 on Elliott street. Others in all parts of the town. You buy lots, not cheap prices. 34 acres wood and timber, two miles from the village; \$25 per acre. A 15-acre farm on Parker street with 7-roomed house, barn and henry. \$1,500 and cheap. Forty-four acre farm near trolley with complete tools and stock. Would exchange for village property. Farms all sizes at all prices. All kinds of property bought and sold on commission.

The 1908 policy written by the North-western is up-to-date in every respect. Let me give you rates.

**A.H. SKINNER Broker, Not Speculator**  
Bank Building Main St. South Manchester

**Why not have that Monument, Grave Mark or Set of Posts set up at once, when Nature helps to beautify the resting place of your departed relatives, and allow their friends to find such resting places when visiting the cemeteries?**

At Breen's Monumental works you can find set up as in cemeteries (no chance of disappointment in size or quality) everything from a five-dollar Grave Mark to a most classical figure Monument.

Employing Hartford's best mechanics in all lines, and up-to-date machinery, and strict attention to all details of the business, guarantees the Very Best at the lowest possible prices by

**The Hartford Monumental Works**  
P. J. BREEN, Proprietor  
1066 Main Street Hartford  
M. J. MORIARTY 35 Main Street LOCAL AGENT

**BRIDGE CELEBRATION**

OCTOBER 6, 7 and 8.

While waiting for the parade call at

**Moriarty's Cafe, 26 Market Street, Hartford, Just off State Street.**

Where you will find

**Best Quality Ales and Lager Beer on Draught.**  
**Choice Line of Imported and Domestic Cigars.**  
**Fine California Wines 25c a Quart.**  
**High Grade Whiskies 75c and \$1. a quart.**

Place Entirely Remodeled.

**WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE**

National Convention To Be Held at Buffalo.

The Fortieth Convention of the National Woman's Suffrage Association will be held in Buffalo, N. Y., October 15-21, 1908, and will celebrate the Sixtieth anniversary of the historic convention of Seneca Falls, N. Y., which first formulated women's resistance to arbitrary limitations of their rights and privileges under law and in government.

This convention will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Building.

Among the prominent persons who have already accepted invitations to be present and speak are Miss Jane Addams, Mrs. Florence Kelley, Mrs. Katharine Reed Babinette, Charles Edward Russell, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Rev. Antoinette Brown Blackwell, President M. Cary Thomas of Bryn Mawr, and Mrs. Harriot Stanton Blatch.

**LEFT NAVY**

Peter Sweeney, the eldest son of Mrs. Ellen Sweeney of West Center street has returned to his home after service in the United States navy for over two years. Peter thinks he has had enough of navy life and says he will stay at home in the future. He has been at most around the world and has seen a great deal in the past two years.

**AN AMERICAN HUSTLER**

**CATCHY TITLE OF FOUR-ACT DRAMA TO BE PRESENTED BY LOCAL TALENT AT CHENEY HALL.**

Secret of Modern Woodmen of America Degree Team—Proceeds of Production To Be Employed for Procuring them Paraphernalia With Which to Carry o Their Work.

The South Manchester Dramatic Club are preparing to put on the four-act drama entitled "An American Hustler," at Cheney Hall, Friday evening, October 30th. The entertainment is for the benefit of the South Manchester Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, 9230, De-grove Team. All the money over the actual expense of the presentation of the play will be employed for equipping the degree team with necessary costumes for carrying on their work. The feeble orchestra will furnish incidental music. The play will be staged under the personal supervision of Stage Manager Chester W. Hill. Reserved seating at thirty-five cents each have been placed on sale this week. The general admission is twenty-five cents each person. Adolph Nipper, general manager of the South Manchester Dramatic Club and Thomas Brown, assistant manager of same, are the executive staff who are in charge of the managerial work of the production. The following is the cast of characters:

Robert Better—better known as Major Bob, an American Hustler, editor of The Eagle's Stream, Paradise, Idaho, afterwards of the law firm of Duxum & Better, Chicago—John McLaughlin.

Francis Rad-Don—professional gambler, owner of the finest club room in Paradise, afterwards guardian of an heiress—Chester W. Hill.

Stephen Dallas—a young miner of Paradise, in hard luck, afterwards a gentleman of fortune on his travels—Otto Nelson.

Old Joe—a miner who doesn't mine, in Paradise—John Marley.

DeWitt Duxum—a prosperous Chicago lawyer—John Marley.

Bart Binks—clerk in Duxum & Better's law office—Robert Smith.

Annus Harper—known as "Mellie," Old Joe's daughter, in Paradise, afterwards an heiress in Chicago—Miss Carrie Denison.

Priscilla Fagg—principal of a Young Ladies' Seminary in Chicago—Miss Gertrude Burke.

Annie Lovell—a deserted wife—Miss Ella Williams.

Mary—Miss Fagg's maid—Miss Rose Nelson.

**GONE TO PATERNON**

Spring Silk Company Concentrate Manufacturers To Save Money

The Spring Silk Company who for the past year have been occupying the mill owned by James Trotter on Bigelow Brook near Main street, have this week moved their machinery and tools to Paterson, N. J., and have given up possession of the mill in this place. The Spring Silk Company are the owners of the Manhattan Silk Company of New Jersey, and have taken over the work which they conducted here and suited it with their Paterson mill. They thus combine their two plants in order to save the cost of manufacture.

**ENLARGING BUSINESS**

E. E. Scratton, dealer in teas, coffees, etc. on Spruce street near the corner of Wells finds his business increasing to such an extent that his store building was not large enough to meet the requirements of the trade. He therefore has had another building erected at the rear of his store. It is 20 x 30 feet and a story and one-half in height, is a shingled building throughout and was completed by George M. Barber, the well known contractor. Mr. Scratton will use the upper part as a storehouse and the lower part as a place for his wagons, sleds, etc.

**CHANGE OF TIMETABLE**

A change of time table will go into effect on the Connecticut Railroad next Sunday. Persons having occasion to go to New York or way stations, to Boston, or way stations, to Springfield, or way stations, will do well to make some enquiries regarding the train they desire to take.

**SELLING THE EARTH AGAIN**

To those who are looking for desirable real estate in Manchester I would say, see me before buying. I have absolutely the finest building lots for the price in town. Have also a big list of tenement property, both single and double—paying upwards of 9 per cent on the money invested.

Several well located farms including two at Manchester Green and one on South Main street.

If you have property for sale list it with me, I can sell it no matter where it is located, providing the price is right. No sale, no pay.

**EDWARD J. HOLL**  
Real Estate and Fire Insurance Phone 171-14  
Post Office Block South Manchester.

**MILLINERY OPENING**

Our Millinery Opening this week has been a fine success and we are highly pleased accordingly.

**WE are showing the Largest and most attractive collection of up-to-date Millinery we ever displayed.**

**ALL the ladies of So. Manchester and vicinity are hereby cordially invited to call and see these charming millinery creations.**

**NUHN & HOLLORAN MILLINERS**  
New Cheney Block South Manchester

**Gifts OF Community Silver**

Knives, Forks and Spoons in the new Flower-de-Luce pattern will please the most fastidious. This flower design has a beauty and "style" seldom found only in the best sterling.

More than triple-plated—will last a lifetime.

**LEONARD J. RICHMAN Jeweler and Optician**  
79th St. N. Y. City

**HUNTERS! TAKE NOTICE!**

Hunters are forbidden to trespass upon our property at Highland Park for the purpose of shooting game. Any person violating this order will be prosecuted to the extent of the law.

As we have stocked our grounds with Belgian hares, visitors are requested to leave their dogs at home.

TONTICA SPRINGS CO. CASE BROTHERS A WELLS CASE

If you have never become acquainted with the deliciousness of Bosc's ice cream just step into Park Brothers ice cream parlors, confectionery and fruit store and make the test. If you once learn the fine quality you will become a steady patron of Bosc's ice cream.

Headquarters for picture framing at reasonable prices. Palace Picture Co.

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NOTICE

Annual Town Meeting

Notice is hereby given to all the legal voters of the Town of Manchester, Connecticut, that the annual town meeting of said town will be held in the Town Hall in said Town of Manchester, on Monday the 9th day of October, A. D. 1908, at six o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes, to wit:

- 1. For choice of the following officers: 7 Selectmen, 7 Constables, 6 Grand Jurors, 2 Auditors, 2 Registrars of Voters, 1 Assessor, for the term of one year, 1 Assessor for the term of two years, 1 Assessor for the term of three years, 3 members of Board of Relief, 2 School Visitors, a Collector of Taxes, an Agent of the Town Deposit Fund, 2 Directors of Public Library, and a Tree Warden.

The License Question

Whenever you cast your vote on the license question next Monday, there can be but one vote in justice to yourself to vote upon the ever present question of what means to buy and where to buy them.

TAFT AS A SPEAKER

His Talks to the People Winning Many Votes.

DOESN'T POSE AS AN ORATOR.

Word Pictures Not Needed to State Facts Plainly—Republican Candidate's Clearness and Sincerity Carry Conviction.

From being decidedly apprehensive as to the outcome of Judge Taft's speaking tour Republican leaders are now confident that the plainness and directness of the campaign was the decision to let the Republican candidate visit as many sections of the country as possible between now and election day and talk to as many voters as the time will permit.

Arthur B. Keeney, William E. Alvord, James Burns, Selectmen of the Town of Manchester, Connecticut.

BRIDGE CELEBRATION

THE GREAT DISPLAY.

THE BRIDGE DISPLAY.

The first division ended with the engine float, and the Cheney Brothers regiment of men, numbering 1,000, then came in view with a file of 16 men leading the procession.

The bridge dedication ceremonies closed in a blaze of glory with the fireworks display and river illumination in Hartford last evening.

WATKINS BROTHERS

Furniture and Piano Dealers

High Grade Wood Air Tights \$13.50 \$15.00 \$17.25 and a desirable line at much lower prices.

Extraordinary Inducements

Large Organization of Women Working for Success.

IRON BEDS

We never offered bigger bargains in Beds, Mattresses and Springs than those listed below. They mean big savings to those who buy now.

Full Sized Iron Bed, brass knob, seven fillers, extension foot, for only \$2.96

SPRINGS

A reinforced steel frame woven wire Spring with 1 1/4 inch sides, regular \$3.50 value for \$2.23

MATTRESSES

Just think of it! A full size, a piece soft top mattress, covered in good ticking for only \$2.35

PILLOWS, BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES

and all the other requisites for the bed chamber.

The KEITH & POST COMPANY

Complete Housefurnishers and Undertakers

PURNELL BUILDING MAIN STREET

ATTENTION MACCABEES! South Manchester Tent, No. 18, Knights of the Maccabees have been invited and have accepted the invitation to take part in the bridge dedication parade, by the Hartford members.

IF YOU ARE A JUDGE OF GOOD SHOES

This advertisement will not be necessary to inform you that the Boston Shoe Store is prepared to supply the people of Manchester with Fall and Winter Shoes such as have never been offered in this place before and at prices which by far underme the prices of any city store.

WATKINS BROTHERS

Furniture and Piano Dealers

Hartford Piano and Sewing Machine Warerooms 227 Asylum Street.

Most Attractive Heating Stoves

AND LOTS OF THEM AT BOTTOM PRICES

Three sizes of "BONNIE" Coal Heaters direct or indirect draft \$12.50 to \$18.50

Three sizes of "RIVAL" Coal Heaters \$10, \$11.50, \$12.50

Also EMPIRE, EMPRESS and RUBY HERALD Coal Stoves

High Grade Wood Air Tights

\$13.50 \$15.00 \$17.25 and a desirable line at much lower prices.

BOSTON SHOE STORE

A. Rogers, Prop. Park Building South Manchester

Every Store Guaranteed

Ferris Brothers

Headquarters For Heaters

South Manchester News

VOL. XVI, NO. 33. SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1908. THREE CENTS.

BOSTON STORE

The Store That Has WHAT the people want WHEN they want it.

Ladies Coat Sweaters \$1.25 to \$4.98

We are showing a splendid line of Ladies Coat Sweaters in plain grey and white at a variety of prices that will meet the sharpest competition.

Children's Sweaters 75c to \$1.49

Our showing of Children's Sweaters is meeting with the heartiest approval as is evident by the splendid business we have already done.

Blanket Specials For Two Weeks.

12-4 Fine Wool Finish Blankets \$1.49 Reg. Price \$1.69

12-4 Heavy Wool Finish Blankets \$1.69 Reg. Price \$1.98

These are both extra size blankets and at their regular price are cheaper than anything we ever offered before.

Full Sized Iron Bed, brass knob, seven fillers, extension foot, for only \$2.96

The best value ever offered for the money.

Full Sized Iron Bed, brass knobs, scroll fillers, a pretty and substantial bed at only \$3.95

Full Sized Bed with brass knobs, head and foot rails, a nice bed for little money. \$4.95

An attractive line of Iron Beds finished in fancy colored enamels to suit all tastes and purses. It will be a pleasure to show them.

BOSTON STORE

J. W. HALE

A Great Showing of Cotton Felt Mattresses

Our show windows this week should prove both interesting and instructive, in view of the widespread and growing use of cotton felt mattresses.

In three big piles we show every grade of cotton felt mattresses representing all the well known makes, while in the back ground and scattered about the floor may be seen bits of the white cotton right in the shell.

An ordinary cotton mattress you know is made by stuffing a tick full of loose cotton.

A cotton felt mattress is made by spinning out the cotton into webs the size of the mattress, forty webs to a layer, nine layers to a mattress.

Cotton felt mattresses vary in price according to the quality of the cotton and ticking.

Bent's "Georgia," "Rosefell" etc. are \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$11.00 and \$12.00.

Stearns & Foster mattresses are \$10.50 to \$22.50.

Ostermoor \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00 and upwards as high as \$55.00.

WATKINS BROTHERS

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Hartford Piano and Sewing Machine Warerooms 227 Asylum Street.

CRISP STYLES FOR FALL

There's all the snap of the season—the breeze and briskness of fall in our new models, just out of their wrappings.

You should see them and make your selections now.

All the new shades and patterns are here; many of them exclusive; some will be hard to get later in the season.

Suits, Rain Coats and Overcoats \$10. to \$22

C. E. HOUSE

Head to Foot Clothing

78 years.

With commendable perseverance he sought another partner, with the same

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BRIDGE CELEBRATION

THREE DAYS' FESTIVITIES COME TO CLOSE IN BLAZE OF GLORY LAST EVENING.

Greatest Pageant Ever Witnessed in Hartford—Civil, Industrial and Military Parades Leading Features, Closing Last Evening with Magnificent Display of Fireworks—All Safely Handled.

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RUBINOW'S Specialty Shop

New Neckwear For Men and Women.

Misses' Suits

Just received a shipment of Misses' Suits in several of this Fall's Leading Styles, in newest colors and shades of materials, sizes 12, 14, 16 and 18 or 20, 22. Popular Prices \$11.98 to \$22.50.

The Wonderful Figure Builder

Once in a while a garment comes along that revolutionizes dress fitting. Years ago it was the straight front corset. Now it is the Sahlin Perfect Form, Illustrated herewith.

100,000 new wearers will voice their approval of this form of wear with 1908 fall styles.

There's no need of padding or interlining. It produces the perfect figure healthfully and with perfect comfort.

We refund the money of any dissatisfied purchaser. Special Offering \$1.

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WOULD YOU SAVE 80 PER CENT

of the cost of your food flavorings? You can do it and still have the very best flavors by using

NO-AL PURE FOOD FLAVORS

Not a liquid, but a creamy paste in tubes. One 25-cent tube is equal to 10 ozs. of the BEST alcoholic extract; not cheap extract, mind you, but the best.

We only ask housekeepers to give No-Al Flavors a trial, being convinced that they will give excellent satisfaction.

WE HAVE THE FOLLOWING FLAVORS:

Almond, Ginger, Onion, Sage, Allspice, Orange, Peppermint, Sassafras, Banana, Lemon, Pineapple, Strawberry, Celery, Mint, Pistachio, Vanilla, Cinnamon, Maple, Raspberry, Violet, Clove, Nutmeg, Rose, Wintergreen

AARON JOHNSON

Dealer in The Best Things to Eat.

CHESTNUT STREET SOUTH MANCHESTER

NOBBY CLOTHING

We always keep the best. Every man wants to appear at his best. If you want to look as well dressed as the other gentlemen, come here and let us help you select your Fall Suit or Topcoat. They will add the finishing touches to your appearance.

Why pay more for inferior, ill fitting clothing when you can purchase stylish, snappy, good quality clothing here at a less price?

GENTLEMEN! Sit up and take notice of the clothing we are offering you this Fall. It is the masterpiece of expert workmen. It has that "Custom Look" that you fail to see in other makes.

If you have never worn a Morse-Made Suit or Topcoat now is the time to try one. You will find our stock complete and the clothing superior in fit, style and durability to the other kinds you have been wearing, besides being sold at a much lower price.

Ask to see the Popular Priced "Morse-Made Clothing" for Men and Boys. We will be pleased to have you pass judgment on it.

Fall Furnishings and Hats. Fall Footwear.

GEO. W. SMITH

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Shoulder Steak 3 lbs 25c

Round Steak 20c

Sirloin Steak 20c

Short Steak 20c

Porterhouse 25c

Sausage 2 lbs 25c

Fresh Beef Liver 10c

Shoulder Lamb Chops 2 lbs 25c

Rib Lamb Chops 14c

Loin Lamb Chops 16c

Roasts

Legs of Spring Lamb 16c

Prime Rib Roast Beef 12c-16c

Best Pot Roast 12c

Fine Oven Roasts 14c

Choice Fowl 20c

Veal

Veal Cutlet 20c

Loin Roast Veal 16c

Shoulder Roast Veal 12c

Loin Veal Chops 16c

Rib Veal Chops 14c

Smoked Shoulder 10c

Bacon in Strip or Strip 14c

Lamb Stew 7c

Veal Stew 7c-10c

Molasses 50c gal.

Royal Lunch Crackers 3 lbs 25c

Public Market Co.

Orange Hall Bldg. E. Center St. Telephone 64-3.

NOTICE!

This is to inform the public that my children, Mrs. Annie MacCallum and William McCollum, having left my domicile without sufficient cause or provocation on my part, I hereby sever all relations with them, and they will not be responsible for any bills contracted by them or any of their debts.

Archibald McCollum, 31 School Street, South Manchester, Conn., October 7, 1908.

The great cause of poverty is drink—Alcoholism!

Prohibition in Maine proves that the law can make it easier for a man to do right and harder for him to do wrong.

Congressman Charles E. Littlefield.

Try a cream skin, patent leather, or smooth, tan dress. It preserves and protects the leather from cracking. Colors: Black, Parson, Forty Black.

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