As an inducement to the ladies of So. Manchester and vicinity o have Suits Made-To-Order rather ready made, we will make you a suit, Guaranted Fit, of the Best Cloth, and Satin Lined, for only \$20.

Or if you bring the cloth we will charge you but \$8.50. We wish to direct especial attention to the fact that we can Make Ladies Suits To Order at Very Short Notice. If need be we can produce one in 48 hours. This is an accommodation that is well worth considering and something you never had a chance to get in South Manchester before.

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### CHRISTMAS AT THE CHURCHES

Misses Flora M. Stanley, Mabel Bur- without confusion. This equipment is Persons in the western and northern SALVATION ARMY the Salvation Army Citadel as follows. Sunday school, 9.30 a. m.

Holiness meeting, 11 a. m. have a prominent part.

Gospel service, 8 p. m. ents will be given to all the school. The ber 27:

ranged for the evening consisting of Hymn. Christmas songs and recitations by the Apostles Creed. young people and children. Spec. Prayer. selections by the band Anthem, The Heavens Are Telling. will be a feature of the evening. All children will be admitted free. Responsive Reading Adults will contribute ten cents to help The Gloria Patri. with the Xmas expenses. The Army Lesson from the New Testament. will meet as usual Christmas morning Offertory Solo, Little Town of Bethleat 6.30 for their early march from the

Center and will hold services in their Junior Hall at 7 o'clock. Services will Hymn. be held in the evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited to these services Adjutant and Mrs. Blackman, officere

ST. MARYS EPISCOPAL CHURCH Christmas Day

Sa. m. Holy Communion 9 a. m. Sunday School Carol service The special Christmas Te Deom will

e N. H. Allen's in E flat. The following anthems will be used for Christmas day and the two follow It Came Upon The Midnight

Silent Night,

The Angel Gabriel Was Sent From God. O'er the hills of Bethlehem, Shelley Cantata, The Holy Night. Brewer The cantata will be given Sunday wening, December 27th at 7 o'clock. Christmas morning at 9 15 o'clock priz-

will be given the Sunday school children; also gifts of candy, oranges, etc. SOUTH METHODIST CHURCH

"The Coming of the King," a Christmas cantata by Dudley Buck was given by the South Methodist choir last Sunfilled the church to overflowing, as a

wille gave this as a musical farewell as Responsive Scripture Reading. her last appearance as organist in the Hymn, const at the South Methodist church for the past eight years and it is with very deep regret that her resignation Offertory, Violin solo, has been accepted.

Mr. Brist

Miss Helen M. Lester, soprano solo- Anthem, Nazareth. let of the Union church, Rockville Morning sermon. sesisted, and the other soloists were Hymn Miss Flora M. Stanley, Mrs. C. G. Benediction. Nichols and Fred J. Bendall. The program as follows:

Hymn, Scripture reading; prayer, director.

Rev. William F. Davis; "Noel," prelude for organ; "Prophecy," soprano solo; "Advent." full chorus; "The Annunciaon," alto solo, soprano solo; "Across Church Christmas morning at six chorus, and soprano solo; bymn, full and the half-past ten o'clock masses will that if need be they can make to order a Orders for that purpose have this Rev. W. J. McGurk Farnestly Advocates equal efforts be made to stamp out chorus; remarks, Rev. William F. be solemn high masses. Davis; offertory; hymn, congregation

standing: "The Virgin's Lullaby," alto

Precaution To Save Life.

erected a large wooden pole at the corner of Main and School streets upon which were are to be attached for the new fire alarm auxiliary system to be placed in the old wooden buildings of

for saving the lives of our school child- use to them at any time.

BRINK'S BOWLING ALLEYS.

safeguards to prevent this

THURSDAY NIGHTS

Merkel Robert Dongan. MONDAY NIGHTS

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Thursday Nights... 3 Monday Nights .... 1 shelley between the Friday Nighte and the great White Plague and they will be Tueeday Nights. The teams are made pleased to have any requiring this ser-Godard up as follows: Tuesday Nights

Friday Nights Gounod Chas. A.Staye (c) Fred P. Geer Ernest Steinberg Albert Hemingway Charles Sault West Arthur Staye

LADIES TAKE NOTICE.

the Desert, "male chorus; "The Plains of o'clock, half past eight and half past ladies tailors, in a notice elsewhere in our fly of such persons except upon a physical past ten o'clock mass will advertising eclumns state that they are solo and full chorus; "The Departure be followed by the benediction of the prepared to make ladles suits to order at ber of the Board of Selectmen of the of the Shepherds," base solo, male most blessed sacrament. The six o'clock upprecedentedly short notice. They add Town of Manchester.

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prevent the accomplishment of the work tions near Hilltardville mills and vicinity

be found any where. hem, composed by Mrs. May Chap- ed in this building and with the ad- not be called upon to contribute to a Coming King. Anthem, Star of the Orient,

Mrs. May Chapman Holt, organist NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Sauday 10.45 a. m. The choir will be

Hayan Soprano solo, Anthem, Good Tidings, Dresden Amen. Christmas March.

Mrs. R. K. Anderson, organist and Philip Cheney... The Christmas tree exercises will take place Christmas Eve with prizes and The Cantata, What Happened to Santa, Henry Sander... NORTH METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday morning 10.45 a. m. day evening before an audience that H. Bristel, violinist, and the following filled the church to overflowing, as a music will be rendered:

Totals.......613 644 622 recommended by physicians and experts in the treatment of tuberculosis. They following is the standing of the teams: turned away being unable to gain Doxology, Apostles Creed and Gloria. Anthem, Joy to the World, the Lord Friday Nights..... 3 0 1,000

South Methodist church will take place Morning Scripture Lesson with Prayer next Sunday. Mrs. Holt has been or- Vocal solo, Angels From the Realms of Miss Myrtle Wood

Mr. Bristol Organ Postlude.

Miss Lura C. Watkins, organist and

ST. JAMES CHURCH -

. ST. BRIDGETS CHURCH

OLD WOODEN BUILDINGS OF NINTH - SELECTMEN MONDAY BY RESIDENTS OF SEVENTH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Plan To Send in Fire Alarms Without Leaving Building and Also To Notify Toughers To Withdraw Children From School
Without Confusion and is Safety—Every
Without Confusion and is Safety—Every

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For the Christmas table O'Leary's Bakery will be supplied

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Fine ribbon remnants very cheap.

the Ninth District schools. The purpose of this equipment is to enable persons while within the school buildings to send in alarms in cases of fires.

Four fire alarm stations will be ea. meeting assembled for the purpose teachers warning to look out for the district and all the work that has been

gess, Charlotte Veitch, Daisey Ferris, Elvie to be put up in the most thorough man-Ferris, Hannah Davis, Evelyn Thomp- ner known at the present time. The are presenting strenuous objections to son, Lena Todd, Agnes Finnegan, and apparatus is known as the Gamewell the formation of a fire district encompassmer. C. G. Nichols, Mrs. James Richsystem throughout with the exception ing the entire bounds of the Seventh Holiness meeting, II a. m.

The army work among the children, mond, Mrs. John Winterbottom, and free army work among the children, mrs. A. L. Hall; bass, James H. Keith, carefully looked after by Electrician L. is no possibility of a fire district ever William Davis, Louis S. Burr, Willard N. Heebner and the equipment will be being of any advantage to them, situated Hunt, F. J. Bendall, C. G. Nichols, first-class in every particular. It is as they are. There are no hydrants withhoped that the work of installing the in reach and water can be secured only Order of service at the South Metho- new auxiliary fire slarm system may be from cisterns and wells which are not Thursday night, December 24th. Pres- dist Episcopal Church Sunday, Decem- perfected during the Christmas vaca- adequate for use by a fire department. tion while the schools are not in seesion, Persons in the northern and western annual prizes will also be given out at Prelude, Meditation, violin, piano, organ but there is some doubt as to whether portions of the Seventh School District this time. A program has been ar. Mrs. Foulds, Miss Davis, Mrs Holt this can be accomplished or not. An. would present no objections whatever noying delays have already been ex- to having a fire district organized within perienced in the receipt of wires and the Seventh District, provided it was gongs for use in this system which may limited to the most thickly settled por-

> Haydn within the time desired. At all events where fire hydrants might eventually when the system can be completed it be secured. This would limit the exwill be one than which no better can pense of maintaining the fire district to those who were benefitted thereby and Fire escapes have recently been plac- people in the outlying sections would dition of this new device the equipment service which could be of no practical ren will be of the best. The disasters It would seem to be the course of pru visited upon other communities in the dence upon the part of the promoters of

burning of school buildings and con- the fire district to go late conference on sequent loss of life cannot well be du- this matter and effect a compromise plicated here. We have the necessary rather than ron the risk of a complete failure of their plans by an open contest in a meeting of the entire Seventh School District.

For Use of Tuberculesis Patients

Angels Message,

Offertory with violin obligato, Angels

Dressler

Offertory with Palma of Glory. Shelley

The bowting contests at Brink's alitys last Saturday evening the Thursday Results of the local tuberculosis association have received two window put it all over the Monday Nights in a shameful and heartless manner, to-our very great disappointment. Following of any sleeping apartment and persons in the result of the bowling: desiring the fresh air treatment at night ...106 105 108 the temperature of the bed room owing to opening of the window. Two of these tents are on hand here and will

out charge to employees of Chepey 134 Howard I. Taylor, president; Fred J. 110 Bendall, treasurer; Miss Ethel M. \_\_ Brainard, secretary. These tents are Won Lost Per Cent have been found to accomplish a great vention and cure of tuberculosis. This officers of the local association to help

vice make application for same. ORDER TO SALDON KEEPERS Fred Whippert (c) Selectmen Ferbid Selling of Intexicating

Liquors to Public Charges. The selectmen have taken action with Arthur J. Bendall reference to forbidding saloon keepers to sell sperituous and intoxicating liquors in the Town of Manchester to persons who are receiving aid from the town, or Suits Made to Order in Forty-Eight Hours past six months. The restriction also Steinhaus & Sons, the fashionable liquors to any member of the legal fam-

ladies tailor made suit in forty-eight week been placed with all the saloon

hours.

It is a known fact that ladies here are named in the restriction. This is a latter of the fact that many of the ills to which flesh is heir are brought on by the excessive

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Double breasted suits of

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ing Paper etc.

3c Buys Any of our 5c and some of our 10c Toys, Books, Games,

Until Saturday Night. 5c Buys Any of our 10c and some of our 15c Toys, Dolls, Writ-

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Writing Papers, Horses, Jap Boxes etc. 15c Buys Any of our 25c and some of our 35c. and 39c Books, Boxes, Calendars, Dolls, etc.

25c Buys Any of our 50c Toys, Fur-And so on throughout the remains of our Holi ay Stock. There are still some mighty attractive

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Make Her Happy Make Her Room Pretty MAKE it one she will be proud to show to her friends. Make t comfortable for her to read in, lounge in, sew in. Talk

ver with us for me can make it successful at very little cost 'illow furniture is especially suitable for a girl's bedroom is dainty, comfortable and reasonable in price. It is cool in summer and equally pleasant in winter. The arm chairs are ideal lounging places, the rocking chairs roomy and restful. Even the straight back chairs are comfortable. Tables of willow that are round or square or sewing tables with pockets for her work may be had. There are even

finished in red, green or natural color to suit your taste her a STEARNS & FOSTER MATTRESS and you will b her bed is comfortable. Many girls at school break down suse they don't have proper rest at night. Sleep is Nature's orative, and a STEARNS & FOSTER MATTRESS, soft and int, wooes sleep, and helps to make it sound and refreshing.

Made in four grades of superiority, \$10.50 to \$22.50. The Windsor grade, at \$13.50, is better than any other advertised mattress. We sell all STEARNS & POSTER goods on sixty nights guarantee. Your money back at the end of that time if you want it.

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We are not holding back until Spring and offering you that you do not want, but open the sale now when i

and all right in every particular. The price is the only

Step right in and examine our lines. They are fully up to

ng the prices so deeply. Come in and let us prove to yo

Thomas M. Trotter

### SHOPLIFTING

WOMEN BUILTY. ONE GOES TO JAIL ONE APPEALS

Considerable Plunder—Part Belonged To Local Store and Part Claimed By Hartford Stores Further Procedution to Follow Forthwith.

Mrs. John Travers late of the Ameri- Southern Italy and the teland of Sicily can Hotel pleaded guilty yesterday have been visited by an appalling calammorning in the local town court to the ity, the extent of which cannot yet be theft of a skirt from Rubinow's Special- grasped. An earthquake Monday mornty Shop and was fined \$7.00 and costs ing wrecked city after city and obliterby Deputy Judge Fred W. Mills, the sted smaller towns and villages without total amounting to \$17.88. Mrs. Trav- number. Then a tidal wave swept along was taken to jail. She refused to pay the Strait of Messina and added to the the fine and costs because she was told borror, drowning the people in their that as soon as she did she would be helpl asness and panic. Fire came to rearrested on charges of shoplifting in complete the work of destruction.

Mrs. Katherine Connors of Eldridge St. women and children were burned to had stolen a skirt from Mr. Rubinow's death. store and Mrs. Connors was also ar- CASUALTIES MAY REACH 150,000 rested but pleaded not guilty. Attorney
William S. Hyde appeared for Mrs.
Connors. The court found Mrs. Connors guilty and imposed a fine of \$7.00 and cests upon her, amounting to \$14.74
On behalf of Mrs. Counors Attorney
Hyde took an appeal and she was released on a bond of \$100 furnished by her brother.

CASUALTIES MAY REACH 150,000
Any adequate e-timate of the total casualties is as yet quite impossible.
The horror and destructiveness of this visitation probably will exceed that of any earthquake in Italy.
Reports of heavy loss of life are compling in every hour from city and town and nearly every village in the stricken

her brother.

The arrests were made Wednesday evening by Chief Sheridan and Officer Madden. They searched the apart ments of Mrs. Conners, with whom Mrs. Travers was boarding temporarily. Mrs. Travers was boarding temperarily since the burning of the American Hotel, and found a considerable collection of goods some of which have been identified as being the property of Hartford stores. These goods were in possession of Mrs. Travers

ession of Mrs. Travers. waists and other goods as having been Troofs are being poured into the zone. taken from that store. Mr. Moore of Sage, Allen & Co., Hartford was at the America are hurrying warships to the town court here vesterday and identi-fied some of the goods found in Mrs. The Pope has made an appeal to Fox & Co., Hartford also identified Collections will be taken in all the Cath-goods in the collection found as having olic churches of the diocese of Hartford

been taken from their respective stores. Aext Sunday for the relief of the earth These firms will take measures for the quake sufferers. ossention of Mrs. Travers on the Governor Woodruff has issued charge of shoplifting from their stores proclamation to the people of Connectias soon as her present term of imprison- out calling attention to the earthquake ment expires. It is quite likely that disaster and orging all to give as liberthese stores may also take steps for the ally as their means will permit. He arrest of Mrs. Connors on similar recommends that all payments be made It may be mentioned in this relation Society's agents. Mrs. Frank W. Chathat Mr. Rubinow on a previous occa- ney is the representative of that body

sion located goods that had been stolen in this place. officer recovered his property, half clad and starving, with no food or He kindly hesitated to make clothing and very little drinking water. any prosecution at the time A delage of rain and a violent icy wind and hoped that the thievery would not follow the fire. One hundred ten be continued, but finding that his good thousand are dead at Messina and nature was being imposed upon he let Reggio alone and many thousands in these present cases take their legal the villages. Fifteen hundred are lost course by notifying the proper authori- in Palmi. Heart rending appeals are ties. The cases were prosecuted by the issued for help. This earthquake was

never mind how thoroughly it may be everything in their power to help their

Sometimes a resort to court becomes a us to do more than give a mere skeleton necessity, as apparently was the case in of the horrible disaster which has bethe instance under consideration at the fallen Sunny Italy, in the limits of a present time. It is hoped these prose- brief newspaper article like this. entions may have a salutary effect and that the tendency to shoplift in this place will receive a strong and effective setback. Gentle means are not always Opened Last Night at Grand Central successful and in order to be really and truly kind one must at times appear to be The largest auto show ever assembled cruel. The exigencies of the case de- in the United States in point of num-

was used in part to pay a for bill of goods purchased from Rubinow's Specialty

There are 77 manufacturers of motor Shop by Mrs. Travers, on an order of the Town of Manchester secured from Select-sories exhibiting their products at this man A. B. Keeney. Mrs. Travers in-formed Selectman Keeney that she had no money and was in dire need of cloth-thousand electric lights are used. Skilled no money and was in dire need of clothing. She also got an order from the sel sectman for a two-dollar pair of shoes When she took the order to the store and was shown the shoes that sum would was shown the shoes that sum would tions and illuminations have all been took and the store and was shown the shoes that sum would tions and illuminations have all been took and the store and the store

Flames broke out in the devastated cities Mrs. Travers informed the court that and countless numbers of injured men,

A representative of Brown, Thomson The work of rescue is being pushed & Co., Hartford identified several shirt forward with every possible energy.

through the American Red Cross

from his store and on sending a police Thousands are roaming about Sicily town's prosecuting attorney, Charles R. vastly worse than war. Refugees are pouring into Naples. Troops and It is a very unusual occurrence here soldiers shoot down robters who persist have a prosecution in the local town in looting. Fires are still burning. Concourt for shoulifting. It is a well known tagion is feared. The authorities in fact that there is more or less of that charge at Messina telegraph for food sort of thing done about town but pro- saying that the multitudes are dying of prietors of stores have hesitated from hunger. All who are able to get away taking legal action in their own detence. from the place are doing so. Many are They have sought rather to guard their crazed with hunger. King Victor Emanproperty by careful personal supervision uel and Queen Helena are at Messina but the method is not always effective rendering all possible aid and doing

fated people. It is impossible for AUTO SHOW. Palace in New York City.

ber of exhibitors and splendor of decolighting effects cost \$30,000. Nine

stantly 24 hours all five days. Under Pearl street.

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and Venetian, in blue, black and green, formerly sold at \$17.98 to \$20. Clearance sale WAISTS 98c Fancy striped madras waists leated in tailor-made effect. Waists formerly sold at \$1.25.

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**INVENTORY SALE** Now that the holiday rush is over, beginning Saturday Morning we will put on a Sale of Odds and Ends of Holiday

Goods at Prices That Will Dispose of Them With Speed. Our method is not to carry goods over from one year to another until they become of no value. Call and look our stock over and if there is anything you

are in need of which we have on sale we will make the prices Half Price on Winter Caps

South Manchester:

**CLEARANCE SALE** 

en's dresses and coats, boys' suits and overcoats to be sold regard-

ess of cost. We do not carry goods over, hence the deep price

cutting. We here mention a few BARGAINS.

LADIES' SUITS \$10

Suits of broadcloth, cheviot

We have a number of Winter caps which sell regularly at Travers' collection as belonging to that firm. Mr. Sano of Wise, Smi'h & Co., help. He has headed the relief sub them at 25 cents each. If you want a Winter Cap this offer should certainly interest you. Step in and see them 50 cents each. In order to close them out rapidly you may have

> **Boston Shoe Store** ALEXANDER ROGERS, Proprietor.

# CLEARANCE SALE

In order to dispose of my stock of latest stylish millinery within the next few days it will be sold at one-

half of the regular price. Fine ribbon remnants very cheap.

Wings and trimmings of all kinds marked away down. Read these amazingly low prices and then come here and get your share of the great bargains:

87c velvet at..... 25c ribbon at......19c \$1.50 corsets at.... \$2.00 corsets at.....

Large assortment of ten-cent patterns for five cents each while This sale begins Monday, December 21st. Shirt waists made for 50 cents each until February

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OUR TWO SPECIALS

of this place is attending the show. In 1,880 coupons out of 2,888.

buy she decided to go and get another put in place during the past five days dollar and return for a three-dollar pair.

It ions and illuminations have all been put in place during the past five days dollar and return for a three-dollar pair.

I ions and illuminations have all been put in place during the past five days switch today and has one of the hired men serving refreshments to the troiley. William and Mrs. McNicoll of New York City spent Christmas day with Mrs. McNicoll's parents, E. T. and Mrs. Carrier of Charter Oat street.

Now is your time to buy comfortables and blankets at the Palace Furniture Co.'s.—46.

Stantly 24 hours all five days. Under Pearl street.

Mrs. James Lennon of School street.

Mrs. James Lennon of School street is a regular New Year's custom with received as a New Year's gift today a Hub range from the show. The building was not large show, The building was not large with the accommodate the number of the school street.

Now is your time to buy comfortables and blankets at the Palace Furniture contest and brought the winner in the c

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leaders of prominence, while his home next year or two, perhaps much longer. was two stories above.

men in Connecticut have as wide an The argument for keeping Mr. Hill in "all in" feelin' as we dropped like a O such a noisy, merry crowd sequaintance among public men as has the House would not be a good one at meteor without a stop. Fr. Howe and his many friends in this any time. It is particularly inapplicable I never saw a cellar so fixed up in all The infants from the baby room part of the state are heartily supporting to the present situation. Mr. Hill will my life. And playthings! My, there With older ones you'll see is candidacy for the assistant clerk be specially needed in the Senate. Our was oceans of em. We made a few A crowding at the gate to ask.

For some time past it has been plain their own and the public interest by do-dren what don't usually have much and that Mr. Howe and Sabin S. Russell of ing everything in their power to bring they do appreciate it so. I took out my Killingly were both shead of Charles W. their influence to bear in his behalf up old fashioned string purse and you With something in his face Cramer, the third candidate who has on the members of the Legislature who ought to see them klerks look. I handed Come blowing nasty smoke about been more or less prominent in the mst. will desire to consult their wishes in out a ten-dollar bill, 'cause I wanted.' As if he owned the place: ter, and there is no doubt now of Howe's choosing a United States senator. some change and the klerk took it just But we forgive such little things having a decisive majority over both The above seems to us to put the facts as though it had been a one and wadded For nature slipped a cog Russell and Cramer on the first ballot, so clearly and convincingly that we it up and stuck it in a little tiu cup and When he was born she meant

rears of his newspaper writing have necticut. een many.

Mr. Howe is close to the governorflect, whose cordial endorsement he as, and the latter's friends are his. Governor Woodruff and many other party leaders are for him, also. The ect that the 1907 members who have been re-elected will support him, is sig-

BURY MAKE VIGOROUS APPEAL

Advance Strong Reasons Why He Should Be Exaited to United States Senator- Meriden. ship-Business Interests of Connection Need His Skill, Knowledge and Ability

the business men of the state as regards This paper is for sale at news stands of out a circular letter as follows to each Standard Oil company Mirandy."

contatives and his friends feel confident ested in the financial and especially the pin'" and we went,

of December 18, thus editorially stated

Washington. All this should be of great advantage to the House, which, great advantage to the House, which, with Mr. Howe as assistant clerk, would start with two experienced clerks in stead of one, as usually, a state of affairs which should expedite matters in the opening weeks and aid toward the shorter session which is so desirable.

Mr. Howe has fithe cordial endorse Mr. Hill has earned his promotion. But the great point after all, is the Sanate the more service to Connection to the Sanate the more services and they said rag carpets for?" "Ezry," sex she, "I want to see if they're got any thing to beet the one I'm sewing rags for," I've got a compass on my watch chain and so I knew we woulden't get lost and helped to keep our bearings, We finally found the carpet department and they said rag carpets was in the thouse for fourteen years. It is the habit in states which have the most influence in Congress to advance efficient intended in the same old socks. He has a cure for all the ills for," I've got a compass on my watch chain and so I knew we woulden't get lost and helped to keep our bearings, We finally found the carpet department and they said rag carpets was in the habit in states which have the most influence in Congress to advance efficient intended in the same old socks. He has a cure for all the ills for," I've got a compass on my watch chain and so I knew we woulden't get lost and helped to keep our bearings, We finally found the carpet department and they said rag carpets for?" "Ezry," sex she, "I want to see if they're got any thing to beet the one I'm sewing rags for," I've got a compass on my watch chain and so I knew we woulden't get lost and helped to keep our bearings, We finally found the carpet department and they said rag carpets for?" "Ezry," sex she, "I'want to see if they're got any thing to beet the one I'm sewing rags for," I've got a compass on my watch chain and so I knew we woulden't get lost and helped to keep our bearings, which is so desirable. ment of the governor-elect in this cannecticut interests in the Senate than he besement, eight stories underneath and Who shakes hands with himself, didacy, as well as that of Governor can in the House from now on. The they had nothing at this height but And talks both long and loud about Woodruff and numerous other party tariff is to be the great question for the

for him. He is the only candidate from the central part of the state. Mr. Howe was born and brought up in Norwich in year. Mr. Hill is working on this samples of Brussels that she could get You ought to see the widowers castern Connecticut, also, and has many measure in the House now. He will to mend a thin spot in her carpet bag . And bachelors who smile friends in that end of the state.

He has latterly carried out a long When it goes to the Senate it will be a about grinning. I never saw as feller . And tarry for a while, cherished purpose to study law and to have him there, to take it in charge He said he was sorry but he hadn't.

When everybody knows egislative clerks shall be lawyers, and and give to the Senate the benefit of his . We got back to the elevatoor and the It's just to hear her speak, who some of the best of them have not been, trained experience and his special boy sez, "What floor?" And I sez "celknowledge of the measure in hand, lar," and he grivned and sed that it only

And when the public schools are usual qualifications for the office. Few which he has been engaged in shaping. run to the basement. Again I felt that At noon and four o'clock,

Mr. Howe has logically earned the earnestly commend it to your careful before I could stop her she had dropped A decent puppy dog. place, while the other candidates have consideration, believing that it repre- it in a brast pipe and sez I, "Hold on, But best of all I like the girls, not as yet won their spurs. His ser sents the view of an overwhelming ma- Miss, that was a ten-dollar bill." She They look so sweet and trim vices to the party statewise during the jority of the thoughtful citizens of Con-replied, "That's all right Uncle" (every- When mailing picture postal cards

Yours very truly, F. J. Kingsbury. J. P. Elton, H. L. Wade, E. O. Goss. H. H. Peck, George Rockwell,

of Waterbury; H. L. Wade is the president of the Waterbury Clock Company, strate, with a big buckle in the band on E. O. Gose is the treasurer of the Scovill the north-cest side. The price tag said Beorge L. Lilley of Waterbury Manufacturing Company; Hon. H. H. 27 but it had a red pencil mark drawn be inaugurated next week Wedness and is a man of large wealth and inflo- with a souvenir thrown in. ence; and George Rockwell is treasurer | What do you epise that rouvenir was?

IN FROM THE COUNTRY Uncle Ezry Visits a Department Store Company With Mirandy. (Connecticut Western News.)

ber 18, a meeting representative of the make the klerks just as much trobble settlings and swap it at the bank for choose, and he won. interests of Waterbury was held at the the store, and be just as tired out as would lie down and roll over, jump with an alert and singularly hostile teachers by the state school commisrooms of the Waterbury Business Men's them people what had a kupboard full of through the top of the jar and not element lined up and on the watch for sioner. Association to indorse the candidacy of Standard Oil stocks And I want to get touch a fin and on their hind him, eager to trip him and find their Clarence Maris, pyrologist to the state the Hon. E. J. Hill for the Senate. At some of that little narrow ribbon with feet and eat angle worms out of your own vindication in his fail. If ever it fire marshal, W. S. Rogers, has issued this meeting the following was unani- Holly berry and leaves on it to the around fingers. I took the jar in a paper bag was up to a man to "make good," it is pamphlets containing sixteen lessons mously adopted as embodying the busi- them saugage bags and molasses candy and started out when I met Mirandy right up to Mr. Lilley. Every ap for use in grammar and primary schools. ness sentiment of Waterbury, and, it is boxes that we give to some of our nay- looking me up. Sez she, "Exry, what pointment will be closely scrutinized, entitled "Dangers and Chemistry of

and in the contest for the assistant state of Connecticut, and the Naugatuck thought the change would do her good We got on the train and started. Valley in particular, are vitally inter for a day and so eass I, "We'll go shop Everything went all right until we This is naturally annoying, but at sentence in the first lesson is, "Using

the House caucus. No candidate with the ability and character of their represent stores and stepped inside, the down the back of the neck of a man confound his critics if he fulfile the as many as thirty children in Ohio every Tr. Howe's qualifications has ever sentatives in Congress, who are to aid in perlitest feller you ever saw stepped up reading Chauncey Depew's last speech. expectations of those who supported year." With this beginning comes a with a swaller tailed coat, shook hands The brakeman happened to be coming him and does the right thing when he lesson on the danger of matches, parlor sought this omce. He had been one of the corps of legislative correspondents Whereas. The next General Assembly with us and says he, "I see you belong along and the man asked him to close does anything. If his message rings matches and bird's eye matches and the way he with us and says he, "I see you belong along and the man asked him to close does anything. at Hartford for some sessions back and of the state will elect some republican to the Grange also," and then Mirandy the ventilator as he thought he felt the true with his pre-election promises, lesson ends thus: "Children, do not an martiors for some sessions once and to a seat in the United States Senate for says, 'For pity sake, Ezry there is some snow blow in. Then one of the fish and if his appointments are of high carry matches in your pockets. After the for three or four years was private sechay seed in your whiskers, brush it thought it was time to play a trick and character and his administration is using one be sure the fire on the stick is

> for the Fourth District, is a candidate pets." He bowed to the floor and says "Madam, that's my gold fish souvenir all the more notable from the way it or mamma, or the home you love so for that position, and his experience and he, "Medam, take the elect vatour seventh and I'm going to stock my mill dam was secured. All this is open to Mr. much." mastery of financial and tariff policies floor to the rite." And we stepped into and I'll send you a string some day." Lilley, and he is reckoned a very of the government fit him to render a s little square room about like a small. We finally reached home. Bub fed shrewd man. Just watch and see .service to the state and nation second clothes press or harnese closet and set the fish some canned angle worms and Courant. along and all of a sudden we both flew shopping trip. Mirandy was tared out city of Waterbury, irrespective of party up in the air and I began to feel seesick, but satisfied and my old arm chair with a string tied on the key and to the it pays to get away from home once in a handle and quicker than three wiggles while so as to appreciate what a comand urge all who believe in promoting and protecting the business interests of a lamb's tail (and that's grin' rome) fortable place home is when you got of Connecticut to request their we was at the seventh garret and the back boy what had hold of the handle opened the feller that met us down stairs, a In explaining the reason for calling the feller that met us down stairs, a bowing and scraping to meet us. I like to work for Uncle Sam,

> > whiskers yet. Mirandy was composed az a cucumber That visit the P. O.

county, New Haven county, is a unit Connecticut has important commercial Mirandy looked around, sot down and To lead the elephant to drink

Waterbury business men will be serving selections for some of the naybors' chil-

body calls me uncle); "It'll be back in a Or letters sealed to "him." minute." And I deklare before I had (We don't sell gum with postage time to tell Mirandy that my ten bad But if we did I guess gone up the flue; that tin cup popped The revenues of Uncle Sam out of another pipe with the right Would increase more or less.) change in it. We spent \$3.48 which in- \_A Third Class Rhymester in "The cluded Mirandy's Holly ribbon. I Postmaster. dodged away long enough from her to buy her a dozen chocolate colored bone The names of these signers are well hairpins and I'll give them to her Christ-

Hundreds of people wait for it, watch for it and now it is here with money connecticut men and affairs it may be worth the while to state that I can wash my sevings never before equalled. Wite, and the Co's semi-annual inventory is one of the leading citizens of the state, president of the state, president of the what it me that I can wash my forty first annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Congress carefully watched in the inter-state of legislation affecting women and affairs. As Mirandy was finishing her lunch association, a special daylight train, on the Northern Pacific, will carry delarging citizens of the state, president of the Same and speakers from Spokane to Green and Spokane to Green and

George L. Lilley of Waterbory will of the International Silver Company of A glass jar with three gold fish swim- the campaign memorable. Since his ming around in the water. They give election be is being puren d under the the whole business away, water and all election court act with the same pernotwithstanding the drouth. I don't sistence, not to say vin lictiveze a. It

need gold fish and how to get them is safe to say that never has a govome was a puzzle. I arranged to have ernor been inaugurated in this state Mirandy's hat shipped by freight De- against whom there was an ugiter senti mark the box "incubator." I also had lets in many parts of the state against drills shall be held in every school hav ers until a definite order to dis- nished bythe way the people of Water. I was never so thunderstrucked as I in mind that when Mirandy had got Mr. Lilley.

knowledge of the procedure and sffairs past fourteen years a most efficient Mirandy says to the clerk, "We'd like of a young lady, who exclaimed, "O those who opposed him to confess their If you are careless you may lose dear anowhenge of the procedure and shalls member of the lower House of Congress to see some of your latest style rag car- what a pretty little breast Lin." Says I, mistake and give hun an endorsement little brother, or sister, and maybe papa.

down to wait for the elervatoor to come we all set down to talk over the day's

AT THE VILLAGE POST-OFFICE But then I like to see the folks

J. OLIN HOWE

The argument that Mr. Hill is needed in the House of Representatives and should be kept there is complimentary without being convincing. Its use now is not for the purpose of keeping him in the House but to prevent his promotion to the Senste. Mr. Hill be converted by the Senste b

He's g. o. p. if a job's in sight. But when he isn't named

Into the lobby flock!

"Is there any mail for me "

POLITICAL METHODS

thus is received and all arrears paid bury have taken the matter up. The was the other evening when Mirandy tired wearing the hat that it would The personal burden that such a or over at least once a month and that recent meeting there has already been sez, "Ezry, let's go to the city shop make a good ben's nest and that would condition brings to the man must be every teacher in public, private or par-Leading citizens of the place have sent "Shoptin'," sez I, "why we ain't no I went to the klerk to get my jar of campaign as eaying that he would with thirty minutes a month to the instrucgold fish and I saked what they was good draw at once if getting out with the tion of pupils between the ages of 6 and "Don't take so much to go shoppin' as for anyway. "Why," says she, "They humiliation that it involved were not 14 years in fire dangers. The state fire My Dear Sir: The undersigned beg you think for Ezry," sez Mirandy. "I've will make nice gold plated fish balls or so much worse than staying in, taking marshal has been directed to prepare a leave to call your attention to the fact known people that would shop all day on keep them and when the gold wore off I what came to him, and winning at the lesson book with a different chapter or that on the evening of Friday, Decem- 98 cents and have just as much tun and could strain the water and take the gold polis. In this he chose as a man would lesson for each week of the school year banking, manufacturing and mercantile as though they bought half there was in bills. She said they was trained and As we have said, he comes into office weekly, the books to be distributed to

have you got in that beg?" Sez ! "I and an unworthy reason for it will be Fire" and calculated to inspire the Ohio Whereas, The business men of the Well, Mirandy's worked hard and I have got some gold fish for supper." sought. Every official act will be per-children with that sentiment said to be-

meden flying leap and landed in the lap clean and above trades, it will be for entirely out before you throw it away

of complimentary votes for Mr. Parker seventeen persons were burned to death and Dr. Knight Without going into this way in the state in 1907. the merits of the issue between the The pupil is also told how to kindle a Fairfield county ministers and Judge fire. He is told not to use "coal oil" Banks, that gentleman, by his letters and he is told that twelve persons are and remarks, has fully justified the burned to death yearly in Ohio by using position taken by the Enquirer that he oil to quicken a fire. Next come a such a responsible position as that of poorly protected flooring and the danger Speaker. It is a most significant fact of clothing taking fire through contact that a very large majority of the mem- with the kitchen stove. After this come bers of the Legislature of 1909, who chapters on the dangers of open fires, have served with him in previous ses- the best way of treating chimney fires sions, are opposed to his present candi- and incidentally stovepipes. In connecdacy.-Enquirer, Litchfield.

The Presidential electors meet at the office of the secretary of the state at | Let us ffy! said the fiea; noon on the second Monday of January, So they flew through a flaw in the fine." which this time will be the 11th of the and a third copy is deposited with a ly to forget in a hurry. judge. The Constitution requires the Sparks, what they are and what they

ELECTING THE PRESIDENT

-Courant.

ARMORY OPERA HOUSE

years. It tells a simple domestic story igniting Christmas trees last year. of New England life and has not a few The concluding lessons tell of the congenuinely effective dramatic situations, mon danger from fire in the district Several high-class specialties are in- schoolhouses and fire dangers from troduced throughout the piece. Special grease and oil. songs and Uncle Dan'l is proof that the and contain few long words. The the "real goods."

The National American Woman Suf- and water. Both pamphlets contain infrage Association has leased a commod-

ious house on H street in Washington, in which permanent legislative beadknown through the state, but, for the benefit of any people who may not time and from appearances I'll have a to Seattle, Wash., next July for the tion of other organizations of women

went around a curve and about a table- the same time it offers to the man a matches carelessly burns down more that he will land on the first ballot in tariff policies of the government, and in When we got to one of them big de-

> are made and commends the safety match and says that there should be a

most a certainty that Judge Malone of 1907 by having their clothing set afire Bristol will be the next Speaker. It has by matches and then adds directions for been admitted for quite a while that the fireproofing light cloths. The kerosens real contest is between him and Judge or, as it is called, the coal oil, lamp, is Banks. The latter seems to be losing strength daily while Judge Malone is keying with that are depicted; the Ohio gaining. The probabilities are that he child is told that two houses in his state will be elected on the first ballot, though are fired each week by the exploding or

ets and grav cheviots \$5. s, temperamentally, not fitted to fill warning against overheated stoves. terns \$10. tion with the dangers of rusty stove-

> pipes this little verse appears: In a pipe were imprisoned 'Let us flee!' said the fly.

month. They cast their votes for The moral effect of a verse like that President and vice-President and the should be considerable and should renrecord of the vote is forwarded to der unnecessary a reference to the Col-Washington by mail and by messenger, linwood disaster which Ohio is not like-

Congress to be in session on the second may accomplish, are made the subject Wednesday of February, and on that of a lesson, as are the ash heap and the day the vice-President in the presence coal pile. The children are told that of both houses opens and announces the conder dumps may burn and probably votes for President and vice-President, will if oil is thrown on them and further forms of spentaneous combustion. are described. The hazard of looking for a gas leak with a lighted match is Uncle Dan'l or the Messenger from fully described. Dangers from swing-Jarvis Section will be the offering at ing gas jets and the especial danger of the Armory Opera House, South Man. asphyxiation are described and exchester, Saturday evening, Jan. 2.

This is the play in which Barney Christmas tree. The pupil is told in McCauley and Mrs. Fiske first won such connection with this that twelve Ohio marked popular success for so many homes were burned by wax candles

attention has been given the seenic and The volume for primary pupils differs electrical effects. They do not write from that for the grammar grades only as good songs now-a-days as the old in the fact that the lessons are shorter real good plays of a few years ago were grammar pupils are taught that a fireproofing solution for cloth is made of sulphate of ammonium, carborate of OPENS HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON ammonium, borax, boracic acid, starch

formation which should be of value to

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\$100 Solid Mahogany \$75.00.

\$95 Solid Quartered Oak

\$69.00. \$60 Solid Mahogany \$39.99.

\$55 Solid Quartered Oak

\$45 Solid Quartered Oak

\$34.75. \$32 Solid Quartered Oak

Sis. oo Cotton Felt Sio. oo.

\$12.00 Cotton Felt \$8.99.

\$3.99.

\$23.99.

Evening Gowns and

Dresses up to \$39 now \$21.00. Dresses up to \$60 now \$37.00.

price 590 Inventory sale price 490 81.25 sale price 440 yd INVENTORY SALE PRICES on

U.S.M. Laundry Soap, 9 Cakes 250 | Large Size \$2.75 Oil Heaters at Granite Enamel 3-qt Pails 130 the inventory sale \$2 Granite Enamel 6-qt Preserving Full Size 100 Flour Sifters, turn with a crank 7c

Granite Enamel 6-qt Sauce Pans

HOSIERY and UNDERWEAR

Sideboards \$75 Golden Oak \$50. \$65 Golden Oak \$40. 358 Golden Oak \$38. \$50 Golden Oak \$14. \$45 Golden Oak \$32. \$18 Golden Oak \$28. \$28 Golden Oak \$21. garter tops: regular price 25 cents.

Buffets Inventory sale price 19c pair. \$115 Mahogany \$84.00. S100 Mahogany \$75.00. \$69 Quartered Oak \$45.00. \$55 Weathered Oak \$15.00. \$45 Weathered Oak \$31.00 \$18 Golden Oak \$28.75. \$34 Golden Oak \$26.75.

China Closets \$100 Mahogany \$73.00. Scs Golden Oak \$39.00. \$50 Mahogany \$25.00. \$40 Golden Oak \$28.75. \$35 Weathered Oak \$24.75 \$28 Golden Oak \$19.99. \$25 Golden Oak \$17.75.

Linens, Blankets Comfortables Dress Goods, Silks and Wash Goods The biggest bargains of the year Not a yard in our entire stock of at these popular basement depart. Dress Fabrics has escaped price 5c Bleached Twill Toweling 3 1/2c yd | White Domet Flannel; value oc.

10c Soft Finish Long Cloth for at the inventory sale 6 %c yd Women's and Children's Under-36-inch Figured Percale, light and wear, inventory sale price 7c vd. dark grounds, assorted patterns: rac Mercerized Table Damask, new. kind at 8c yd est patterns, regular 500 quality at Apron Ginghams in large, medium and small checks, value 7c sale price

Bleached Turkish Towels, large 4 1/2 c yd size, regular roc sale price 8c 36-inch Unbleached Cotton, reguest patterns, large assortment; reglar 6 %c kind at 5c yd ular price 7c Sale price 434c yd

Bleached Sheeting 9-4, soft finish Full 11-4 size Wool Blankets, regular price \$2.60, inventory sale price \$2.25 pair.

56-inch Plain Color Ladies' Cloth, all colors and black, regular price 30c sale price 20c yd Extra Heavy Sateon Figured Lined Comfortables, full size, new All our 50c Silk and Wool Dress patterns, regular price \$3.10 ln- Plaids, in a large assortment of colventory sale price \$2,50 each

orings, reduced to 37 1/2 c yd Linen Finish Bed Sheets.size 81x 54-inch Plaid and Check Cloaking oo, hemmed ready for use; regular light and dark colors, regular value

at the inventory sale 110 yd

Remnants of Outing Flannel, new-

Enamelware. Kitchen Goods and General Housefurnishings at Basement

Kettles 130 Tea Cans regular 10c size 7c

Granite Enamel 10-qt Stove Pots Granite, Enamel 4-qt Pudding at 350 Granite Enamel 6-qt Milk Pans at 450

Rattan Clothes Baskets 85c size Granite Enamel 10-qt Dish Pans at 550 Clothes Line, 50 feet for 70 Granite Enamel 14-qt Dish Pans Waste Baskets, various shapes, fancy patterns, values up to \$1. At

Granite Enamel 10-qt Pails 350 Women's and Children's

At Anniversary Cut Prices. Children's 1x1 Ribbed Hosiery made to sell at 100 now 50 pair Women's Full Fashioned Black Hosiery, extra long, spliced heel,

Women's Very Sheer Black Silk Hosiery, double sole and garter top inventory sale 6oc Women's Jersey Ribbed Fleeced Vests and Pants, run of the mill.

Women's lersey Ribbed Fleece Lined, Extra Heavy Underwear, large Alsatian Bow, all colors ribbon always 50c now 30c

Women's Natural 50 Per Cent. Wool Vests and Pants, always 750 Inventory sale price 500 Women's 29c Vests and Pants, inventory sale 230

Boy's Fleece Lined Shirts and at 29c. Inventry sale price 23c are now 121/c

MILLINERY All our Untrimmed Wool and French Felt Shapes, in all colors;

values \$2 to \$3 At the inventory

the inventory sale 50c.

Sugar Cans regular 190 size 120

Flour Cans regular 250 size 150

Rattan Clothes Baskets, 59c size

Rattan Clothes Baskets 75c size

All our \$5 \$6 and \$7.50 Tailor-Made Hats and right style at \$2.75 Over one hundred Sample Ready to Wear Hats worth \$2.95. \$3.50 and \$4.50 at \$1.50 The balance of our elegant \$10,

This regular \$1.25 hosiery at the \$15, \$20 and \$25 Model Hats are now offered at half price. All our Fancy Novelties, such as Coques, Wings, Owl Heads, Imitaworth 250 Inventory sale price 170 tion Paradise, uncurled Ostriches etc., at about half their real value.

Children's Trimmed Flats with

were \$3 Now \$1.80 Laces, Embroideries, Dress Trimmings

Fancy Dress Braids and Trim-Jersey Ribbed, fleece lined at the mings, all widths and all colors have been 12 1/2 to 190 now 90 yd A few Applique Laces in Ecru and Drawers, covered seams, none bet- Cream Color, have been 25c to 50c

Children's Sleeping Suits, sizes 3 to 10 years, sold everywhere at 29c wear, pin cushions, etc., 3 to 5 in. wide, reg. price &c to x236c, at 9c y

Contestants and Liberated Large Quan- ticip it d that another record breaking In the first game the Friday Nights had tities of Enthusiasm—Second Struggle gathering will assemble to cheer for little difficulty in winning by a score Between These Teams Socked their favorites The more the merrier. of 827 to 734. But in the second and

The largest attendance of the resson have it with great liberality.

witnessed the basket ball struggle at The Company G Basket Ball team Tuesday Nights

The High School pupils were out in considerable difference in their playing. force, boys and girls, and occupied the Furthermore the Company G team was stage. They enlivened the moments crippled by the loss of Curry, who is with spatches of songs and jubilant soff-ring with a sprained ankle, and cheers and yells and lent much interest, consequently they had to draft a new enthusiasm and picture-queness to the player for this game. The result was proceedings They had ample reasons that their team work was totally disand frequent occasions for outhursts organized but in spite of this fact they of enthusiasm because of the fact that gave the Criterions a very excellent their fellows put up a superb game and argument and proved themselves to be gave their heavier opponents many strong and worthy opponents. busy moments during the periods. The Before the big game this evening High team score, Tuesday Nights-845. score at the end of the first half was 9 between the High Schools and the High single score, F. P. Geer Tuesday

to 6 in favor of G. The High school boys lacked in avoir by a team composed of some High string of three, R. Veltch, Tuesdupois but they evened up the score in of the local players about town and the day Nights-507. quickness of execution, team work and High School second team. There is Following is the individual standing general ability to take advantage of considerable rivalry between these teams of the players: openings when presented. They proved and a very spirited introductory will themselves in every way contestants anrely be witnessed. worthy of their larger brethren.

They played the G boys to a tie and BANQUET AND INSTALLATION required an overtime session to determine the winner. Ferris of Company G Susset Rebekah Lodge To Make Merry at making the field goal that bore away | Odd Fellows Hall Next Monday Night.

In the second half Hickey, left guard ing officers of the Rebekah State Assemof the G team became nettled at the bly: Mrs. Dora C. Hair, president, of opposition presented him by Rollins, the Guilford: Mrs. Emms Lyons Nettleton. opposing forward for the High Schools, vice president, of this town, and Miss and came near precipitating a passage at Clara B. M. Douglass, warden, of Forarms by trying to present Rollins with setville. Also officers and members of a few right jabs to jaw, which the Ivy Rebekah Lodge of Glastonbury. A more calm Rollins deftly side stepped. bacquet will be served at 6,30 o'clock, The spectators immediately voiced their and the lodge meeting will open promptly disapproval of the breach of the rules of at 7.45 o'clock, as Sunset Lodge will conthe game and gave vent to vigorous and fer the degree, and immediately after oft repeated hisses, groans; etc. The that the officers for the ensuing year storm cloud promptly disappeared and will be installed by District Deputy Mrs. thegame went merrily on. Nellie L. Townsand, of Rockville, and

The proceedings in general, aside her staff. from the attempted pugilistic encounter, filled the spectators with much enthusiasm and vigorous and bearty cheering for both sides was abundant. The symhalf, because of the fact that they were whitened with a light sprinkling of

conclusion of the game round dancing much. In considerable portions it was hope to stay to the finish. followed until midnight, with the rough but in spite of that fact the boys Peerless orchestra furnishing music. and girls were eager for the sport and The game resulted as follows:

COMPANY G

S. M. H. S:

were present in large numbers.

Smythe, 1 f r g, Martin

the High Schools and the Company Gs Will be played in the Armory this eyening. New Year's day. The High School
boys are determined if possible to win
with South Manchester
from the military chaps togight and
There were three games played in the Largest Attendance of Season Cheered on will be worth witnessing and it is an Nights were successful in two of them-

tic and hearty support. Let the boys their gait and won both contests by

the Armory Opera House last Saturday played the Criterions at the Lyceum in evening, the coatestants being the Hartford Tuesday evening. The Lyceum South Manchester High Schools and the half is much smaller than the Armory Company Gs. the latter winning by a hall in this place where the G team are

Company G's there will be a preliminary Nights-200.

the laurels for the military contingent, Sunset Rehekah Lodge will have an the final score standing 20 to 18. | guests next Monday evening the follow-

CHRISTMAS DAY

Christmas day here was calm, full of pathy of the spectators was clearly with sunshine and altogether charming winthe High School boys in the second ter weather. Hills and valleys were 

will certainly give them a very excellent Manchester Bowling League series last argument at all events. The struggle Saturday evening and the Tuesday The game is well worthy of enthusias- third games the Tuesday Nights struck

TUESDAY NIGHT	18
Geer182	200
Veltch	168
Bendall127	149
Whippert183	147
Sault	
Montie	1.86
Total734	845
FRIDAY NIGHT	
Behrend198	182 .
C. Staye	128
Steinberg	188
Hemmingway175	148
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	C. WorswickM4	38	1
t	J. Winkler M 4	3 5	1
A	T. H. Weldon M 4	3.3	1
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y	R. Dougan Th . 6	8.8	1
	J. P. Cheney M 8	1.6	1.
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	H. Sander	4 6	1
	C. Bengs	5.0	1
1	J. Rau 2nd M 3	46	1/

very great encouragement of the High ger enjoyed the sport to a limited degree. and the Friday Nights will compete for The day throughout was mild and alto-honors. There promises to be something Elsewhere in their new advertisement and the General Public a Cordial one insertions. All in all it was a spirited contest and and Happy New Year We at the string of three games. The Company direct the attention of the capture the string of three games. The Company direct the attention of the capture the string of three games. The Company direct the attention of the capture the string of three games. afforded a great deal of entertainment for the large party present. At the large party present at the large party present. At the large party present at the large party present at the large party present. At the large party present at the large party present. At the large party present at the large party ing surface and enjoyed the ice very when the show commences and they to the fact that they are distributing tion to the fact that our New consecutive issues. Cash Must Accom-

# Something Great

in Cigars!

Smokers attention!

We start this week a new departure. Every Saturday we will sell

> THE OFFICIAL SEAL (A Regular Established 10c 3 for 25c Cigar) AT FIVE CENTS STRAIGHT.

This is a genuine 10c Cigar that has been made and sold regularly for 10c.

We will give you this great value on Saturdays

REMEMBER the time-SATURDAYS. The Place-RAPELYE'S. And the Cigar-THE OFFICIAL SEAL. Buy enough tomorrow to last a week.

The Rapelye Drug Co

MANCHESTER BOWLING LEAGUE

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BASE BALL DANCE.

goals from floor, Smythe 1. Ferris 5. Curry 2, W. Olsen 3, Hills 1, Martin 1. E. Olson 2, Clark 1. Rolline 2, Quish 3; goals, from fouls, Olson 9, Quish 4 referee, Wright; umpire. Goalee. Time two twenty minutes and half overtime.

The second game in the series between

Try O'Leary,s brown bread.

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Try O'Leary,s brown bread. orderly young people out for a good purchasers. ime in a very proper manner and they

made the most of their opportunities and pidding joyous welcome to 1909.

. DIG YOU NOTICE IT? M. Mazer, the coal dealer on Bissell faces on the ponds and this morning the street, is going to sell coal at \$7 a ton! skating is superb. The ice is as smooth Veal Stew 6c to 10c He says so in his advertisement which as a sheet of glass. The ground is not me says so in his advertisement which will be found in another column. He makes one condition on this order, namely, that you bring to him the advertisement which appears in this paper and this will entitle you to a ton of Lehigh Chestnut coal at the price named above. It is most tables and the price named above. It is most tables and the price named above. It is most tables and tables are closed at one p. m. for the day and evening. The banks are closed for the Shoulder Steak 120. above It is worth taking notice of this evening. The banks are closed for the fact, because the regular selling price of coal now is \$7.50 Fifty cents saved is as good as fifty cents earned, it has been

A PROPER ACT.

a few days here this week visiting work performed by them in saving my with friends on Maple street and on buildings from destruction by fire last Orange Hall Block E. Center St. going to the car Thursday morning on her return home found a pair of ladies gauntlets. Instead of taking them home to many would have done she brought them to this office and on the pair of ladies are many would have done she brought that they have my heartlest appreciation by hire last the process of the last process of the them to this office and asked us to ad- tion and thanks. vertise them. The gloves are new and might have been somebody's Christmas.

T. H. Wellow, M. D.

Hall this evening and open a New Year's South Manchester, December 31, 1908.

Parlor stoves between now and box which will contain presents for all.

THIS great yearly event following close upon the heels of Christmas (beginning January 2nd) brings to the thousands of bargain seekers and money savers special chances to be had at no other time.

Once in a twelve-months at the commencement of each year, we give you pick of our stock at cost (with the exception of a few price restrictions over which we have no control.)

I Keep in mind as the days roll by to closely watch our store doings in the newspapers. They will post you as to our plans for this month (January) and you'll be the wiser and richer for your trouble.

¶A penny saved is a penny earned, the savings here are easy ones, so keep yourself well posted as to our special sales.

Free of Cost

Base Ball Boys and Friends Make Merry to save the stamps received, one being lous consideration by careful and nace. Apply after 6 p.m. at 15 Wadsworth Ave.

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

for closing the old year in happy mood New Year's day opened full of sunshine and glad cheer today. It is a model winter day. The rain of Wedneeday evening covered the rough sur-

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Dougherty of Middletown spent Fire Department for the very efficient Public Market Co.

the prevalent to a large degree in mankind favoring the so-called under dog in any contest manifested itself to the leaguress and without thought of danto any contest manifested itself to the leaguress and without thought of danTomorrow night the Monday Nights

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free to customers beautiful hand paint- Year Prices on Meats are of a sort pany the Order. that are sure to merit attention it is necessary for the cash purchaser and to be well worthy of most ser-

Curry-E.Olson, c

C. Clark

Hickey, 1 g

r f, Rollins

Hills, r g

Score—Company G 20; S. M. H. S. 18; goals from floor, Smythe 1. Ferris 5, Curry 2, W. Olsen 3, Hills 1, Martin 1, president. Frank Anderson, second and the new year in.

The account social and dance given by the lose of the ensuing state of the person holding the hidden profits the following officers for the ensuing old year out and the new year in.

The stamps are numbered from one to 2,000, and in the distribution of each the found well pleasing and profitable to a constantly increasing line of the year and customers during the past year and to the person holding the hidden to the person hidden to the person holding the hidden to the person hidden to the person hidden to the person to the person hidden to the person to the it is our purpose to continue same miles and troller, only 35 minutes to Harrford mails twice day. Inquire E. L. Q. Hohenthal

Skin Back Hams 12c

Smoked Shoulders 846c. Bacon 14c Veal Cutlets 20c Veal Chops 14c, 16c Veal Roast 121/2c to 16c

Round Steak 15c Sirloin Steak 20c Short Steak 22c

Fresh made candy today. Kandy Sons of Temperance will meet in Cheney Kitchen. Hall this evening and open a New Year's smas at a great reduction. Come A two-ton electric boist has been in-

Pond, on Walker street. M. MAZER, Prop. South Manchester Division, No. 45,

FOR SALE-Watches, \$1.00 a week. John Cairns, Middle Turnpike. 39 tf

COR SALE-The genuine Rogers silverware
John Chiras Middle Turnuka 39 tf

WANTED.

WANTED-Girl to assist in kitchen work and wait on table. Depot Square Lunch Boom, Manchester. L.B. Adams, Prop. 4563

MISCELL ANEOUS.

Q UGS made out of disused ingrain carpets, also rag carpets etc. Thomas Sheard, 19 lower St.

OST—Bine woolen horse blanket Tues.or So. Main St between Charter Oak and Spring-seturn to P.N.Larson, 33 Charter Oak St. 45

FOUND

FOUND—A pair of lady's gruntlets on Maple St. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement. 45

All persons are hereby forbidden

Last Monday evening the American the flames from getting hold. Hotel building on Main street, right in the flames from getting hote.

Barns Endangered.

Dr. Weldon has a barn practically south of his block which as there was no time to save any of their belongings.

Cluding Mr. Ryan. The boarders, employees and Mr. Ryan also lost practically south of his block which as there was no time to save any of their belongings.

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Cluding Mr. Ryan. The boarders, employees and Mr. Ryan also lost practically south of his block which as there was no time to save any of their spected at intervals, all of the machines being located in metal booths. In location in Madison Square Garden, School were home for Christmas with their parents on North Elm street. operations of the fire to the American Hotel. By berief the ell of the American Hotel. By operations of the fire to the American heroic efforts the firemen saved this building alone. It was quite apparent that if there had been a strong building with contents. On the south side of the American Hotel kitchen is a street without incomparent that if there had been a strong of the American Hotel kitchen is a street without incomparent that if there had been a strong of the American Hotel kitchen is a street without incomparent that if there had been a strong of the American Hotel kitchen is a street without incomparent that if there had been a strong of the American Hotel kitchen is a street without incomparent that if there had been a strong of the American Hotel kitchen is a street without incomparent that if there had been a strong of the American Hotel. By here of the American Hotel. By here of the American Hotel building was ersected by veniencing the audience. In Poli's the winners. He made twelve entries, after the booth is suspended from the eleven of which received prizes.

In particular, the street wished with friends in Rhode leven vears ago. It had a frontage on while in Paragraph at the parent was dimensional to the property locate them without incomparent that if there had been a strong of the American Hotel kitchen is a strong of the America

need of a powerful portable steam fire pressure at all times to fight a fire. engine in this place. The ability to

besteam five engine of sufficient power to send water wherever needed during apy five within the limits of the S uth Manche-ter Fire District.

Where Fire Started

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The Fire started shortly after eight (clock, soon after the opening of the nowing picture entertainfent which was being conducted in the imperiar Thesiter, so called, on the ground floor in the northern portion of the American Hotel was being conducted in the imperiar Thesiter, so called, on the ground floor in the northern portion of the American Hotel was being conducted in the front part of the swe located in the something else is not definitely known, but whatever the cause might have of doors for two or three hours, but in the cause might have a cause might have the cause might have a cause might have the cause might have a cause might have a cause might have a cause might have the cause might have a cause mi the building where the picture mach. discomfort was overlooked.

cape by going back of the stage, and him to a place of refuge. reaching the second floor through the hotel entrance proper on Main street.

Some of the people not waiting for this means of exit and seeing a window

GASOLENE TANK REMOVED.

the hands of any 18-year-old boy, but should be handled by an experienced and competent man who has a license elsewhere in these columns will be charles Rogers of St. Lonie Mc.

might have happened had the theater Ferris barns should occasion require.

Why are moving picture machines hazand inviting. Any person in need of Mr. Ferguson is assistant janitor at the sent in from that station. In a very time to time. their way and were forcing themselves perial Theater in the American Hotel nite and cause an explosion, the film be- Palace Furniture Company. West Cen-

reach the scene.

fact that the night was unusually Harry Shurts, who was Mr. Ryan's trict police require that all moving picmonth The substation was opened Novand was very popular in this town. She a legitimate mark of conjugal attencalm. Although the fire burned fiercely assistant here and who was one of the ture machines be enclosed in booths of ember 2, 1908. in the principal part of the main building, and out through the roof the fire resisting construction and that all operators be licensed. In this state, flames accended directly into the sky relatives. It was expected that he would ontside of Hartford, there is no overwithout being turned either to the right be back in time to take charge of the sight or system of inspection maintained, walks near the corner of Main and North Arthur.

powerful factors in saving it from catch- owned by Mr. Case. Six films were de- which was adopted requiring that these BOILED DOWN FOR eving Picture Machine Cause of Burn- ing fire. At the east end of the Weldon stroyed. Five others were saved. These machines be placed in booths constructed BUSY READERS. alament in Progress Spec. block a wooden versada has been erect- were in Mr. Ryan's room and were moved of metal and that the operatives be ex-

erably sloged but the firemen prevented the flames from getting hold.

The hotel part of the building had ten boarders besides five other persons, in- the examination. Thus far 16 appli- the E. E. Hilliard Company in Hilliard.

duirements of the case. Sime of the streams at times were not thrown three feet in a direct line from the end of the nozzle. About ten o'clock the pressure was greatly augmented.

Stream Fire Engine Needed

The burning of the American Hotel building.

Hotel building.

Benefit of Fire Department.

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The great benefit of having a fire department such as this place is now pressure was greatly augmented.

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Hotel building.

Benefit of Fire Department.

The problem of the end of the inconvenience of traveling lecturers.

The condition of the place in South Manchester was reported to me several in the fire last Monday night. The chief suggestion for improvement is in the steam engine alluded to above which would insure adequate water pressure at all times to fight a fire.

Hotel building.

Benefit of Fire Department.

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LONG AND HARD FIGHT.

The entire equipment of the South want of sufficient water pressure. The business interests of this community are getting too large to be exposed to that very great danger. It should not be left to so changeable a thing as the wind to save our business blocks and habitations from destroction by fire. Other equipments we have in generous quantities, ments which has been practically and should be some state supervision requiring that mature operators only be embended as for the treated and should be treated as the machines should be treated as the machines should be treated as the machines should be treated as th ments we have in generous quantities, and Charter Oak streets ten years and of excellent aptitude but are sorely and Charter Oak streets ten years block may take the place of the wooden structure which has been practically and Charter Oak streets ten years block may take the place of the wooden structure which has been practically and Charter Oak streets ten years block may take the place of the wooden structure which has been practically and instrumental music will be rendered and impromptu remarks will be

opinion that the fire started from over. street from the fire and stood there for for the owners to call. In the scramble tivities continued until midnight when to be about once more. beated wires. Whether this was the three hours watching the work of de- to take the packages out of the laundry they saw the old year expire and bid the R. O Cheney returned Sunday even- officers Wednesday evening. January 6. case or whether it was caused by one struction go on and the work of the and carefully dispose them on the new year a glad welcome. Refrighments ing from a duck hunt in Virginia, where A collation will be served and a social of the films coming in contact with the fir men in their efforts to subdue the lawn of St. James church, some Peeping were served. are light used in the machine or whether flames. It was a charming winter Tom, consumed with curiosity, opened caused by faulty electric wiring, or by night but nevertheless considerably one of the packages and discovered that comething else is not definitely known, chilly for persons simply standing out instead of nicely finished laundry they

been the effect is that the front part of the excitement prevailing the personal making this discovery the boys used the ed with a purse of gold at the color of the hose house of Hose Christmas cantata last Sunday evening. ine stood was a mass of flames within an FAMILY LEET Wellion BLOCK and streets to their heart's contents, directly at the close of the services. department. He thinks it needs a new Wm. H. Abbot of Wilder, Vt., was the Dr. Weldon's children and wife were much to the discomfiture of the Celestial George Ferris, Jr., secretary and treasure coat of paint. LUCKY Escars

It luckily happened that there were not many people witnessing the en
The Weldon's children and wife were owner of the laundry whose little game of the choir presented the gift to Mrs.

Holt. It will be remembered that last preparing to install house meters over church choir. A large congregation

The Glastonbury Power Company are singers and members of the St. Marys

Sinday marked the close of Mrs. Holt's

tertainment at the time of the fire. Had the accident occured on the following night, which in this place is pay day, the probabilities are that the room would have been crowded to the door of the would have been crowded to the door of the would have been crowded to the door of the tertainment at the time of the fire. Had the mawsy from the impending danger to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the mumps, but it was deemed safer to take the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving of Mrs. Holt's leaving the congregation north and to improve their electric light-listened to the classic and inspiring morth and to improve their electric light-listened to the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving the congregation north and to improve their electric light-listened to the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving the congregation north and to improve their electric light-listened to the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving the congregation north and to improve their electric light-listened to the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving the congregation north and to improve their electric light-listened to the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving the congregation north and to improve their electric light-listened to the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving the congregation north and to improve their electric light-listened to the close of Mrs. Holt's leaving the close of M would have been crowded to the door with spectators and it is terrible to contemplate what might have been the result. As it was most of the persons who were within the theater made their esting a fire, so it was desired and would have been the would have been crowded to the door with spectators and it is terrible to contemplate what might have been the would have been crowded to the door with spectators and it is terrible to contemplate what might have been the words of spreciation will be installed as soon as possible.

The Connecticut Company have a number of the church because of Mrs. Holt's leaving. Mrs. Holt acknowledged will be installed as soon as possible.

The Connecticut Company have a number of men at work at Buckland building an addition to their severe current have also been purchased and will be installed as soon as possible.

The Connecticut Company have a number of men at work at Buckland building an addition to their severe. were within the theater made their es | ing a fire, so it was deemed safer to take | clearly that the operation of a moving picture machine should not be left in the hands of any 18-year-old boy, but

GASOLENE TANK REMOVED. this means of exit and seeing a window on the lot between the American Hotel entitling him to run same. It may cost found a statement made by the Keith & Thomas F. Young and wife and their on the north side leading into the yard at the rear of the Weldon block broke out the window and made their escape in that way. None could leave the building by the regular theater entrance building by the regular theater entrance book in which they keep a supply of gasoline for mercantile and the proprietor of the moving picture and the proprietor of the moving picture show more money to pay a skilled operator but this is of small consequence when the safety of the public is taken the proprietor of the moving picture show more money to pay a skilled operator but this is of small consequence when the safety of the public is taken they are selling parlor heaters at cost at the proprietor of the moving picture show more money to pay a skilled operator but this is of small consequence when the safety of the public is taken they are selling parlor heaters at cost at this time. They have placed the heaters at the proprietor of the moving picture show more money to pay a skilled operator but this is of small consequence when the safety of the public is taken at this time. They have placed the heaters at turned to his home in Reading, Pa., building by the regular theater entrance because of the rapid spread of the flames

LUCKY IT WASN'T PAY NIGHT.

It may readily be conceived what

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usual custom on Thesday nights. Luckly none were injured by being burned.
Attention was first directed to getting the people out of the people out of the theater and the the people out of the theater and the the people out of the theater and the theate occupants out of the hotel, and later and the then it was not deemed sale to with not fit persons to operate a machine. I deal and the prices are in proportion. Parents, Thomas and Mrs. O'Gorman of cently, according to the Pall Mall Garage alarm was sent in which, in the excitement prevailing for the first few of Hose Company No. 3 remained during proper person to assume such a responsition or one of the largest he is sure to get a Joseph O'Gorman of Holy Cross Col moments was delayed. The key was the entire night and at several intervals bility. The film of a moving picture is purchase at cost. obtained for Box 44 on the corner of found it necessary to put water on the extremely sensitive to heat, being ignit-Main and Oak streets and the slarm was mass of debris that would light up from able at 180 degrees. Should the film refew minutes after the flames had worked James Ryan, who operated the Image are lamp for three seconds, it would ig
2, which is located in the store of the daughter, all of Waterbury, spent Sun-

up through the cupola of the building was not in town at the time of the fire ing nothing more or less than celluloid. Farace Furniture Company. West Cou- day here with Miss A. B. Rudderham of the building was not in town at the time of the fire ing nothing more or less than celluloid. Ler street, show that there were \$158.56 25 Wells street. Charles and Mrs. Ed. before some of the fire companies could as he runs a moving picture show in An inexperienced or an amateur operator issued in money orders and that the stamp munds of Hartford were also the guests asked for and got her summons.

is located directly north of the American from! Henry F. Case, the owner of the the entrance, thus increasing the danger in Hotel building not more than four feet block. Mr. Ryan's property consisted to life. I recently inspected some of Local Paragraphs OF STUBBORN FIGHT BY

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American Hotel and has a slate roof theater and the bed and table linen.

The furnishings of the hotel were which were the furnishings of the hotel were which was adopted requiring that these BOILED DOWN FOR distant. The Weldon block has from principally of the picture machine, the these machines in Waterbury and New

taters Escaps Through Window and ed communicating with both floors. The by George Anderson, the operator. The amined and licensed. The building ing Rear Passage To Stairs—Front Exit paint on the end of the veranda nearest films are valued at one hundred dollars spector issues these licenses, while the the American hotel block was considered. Mr. Ryan carried no insurance, electrical department of the Hartford Charles Q. Treat has the contract to

ing some of these booths it was difficult New York City and sends home inforparent that if there had been a strong wind from either the north or south it bare saved the adjoining buildings.

Not Water Pressure Enough

Not Water Resoure Enough of the greatest activity of the period of the greatest activity of the fire was totally inadequate to the requirements of the case.

Sime of the American Hotel kitchen is a barn owned by Fetris Brothers. These barn

Anderson, a boy about 18 years old was in charge of the machine. He is of the St. James church, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, Will Month. The fest has been ill for a long time, is now able to be solation prize, Will Month. The fest has been ill for a long time, is now able to be solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, Will Month. The fest has been ill for a long time, is now able to be solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry, waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry waiting solation prize, which is across the shelves with supposed laundry waiting solation p

at the very enjoyable sport of shooting officer. PURSE OF GOLD

contents for footballs, littering the lawn Methodist church last Sunday moin ng Company No. 2, South Manchester Fire The chorus consisted of 27 voices. Mrs.

building an addition to their power

Thomas R. Raby of the Waranok

"The question is frequently asked: chased. The figures are very attractive day and is under Dr. Weldon's care, street. ardous? In the cause of the fire in a parlor stove will show good judgment Ninth District schools.

> lege is enjoying the Christmas vacation with his parents. Thomas and Mrs.

main in front of the light rays from its The receipts from postal substation No. Arthur and Mrs. Edmands and the Rockville and as Monday night is pay could easily do a great deal of harm, sales amounted to \$59.66. The stamp busi- of Miss Rudderham. Mrs. Arthur Ednight in Rockville Mr. Ryan was in the being unfamiliar with the possibilities ness was more than doubled over the munds is better known here as Miss in fact, wherein a black eye ranks first month and the money order busi- Effie Richardson who formerly conducted very much as a kiss does higher to "In the state of Massachusette the disness was six times more than the first a millinery business in the Ferris block Administered by a lawful owner, it is

Paul Carter of Redbank, N. J. the guest of his sister, Mrs. T. H. Well don at Christmas.

Carl and Mrs. Brink of Providence, R. L, spent Christmas with relatives by

George Trotter of Boston was at his home in this place for the Yuletide va-

"This is a most popular form of enter- was with his mother, Mrs. Ernest Miss Carrie Sobinson of Manchester

he has been enjoying himself for some time enjoyed. George M. Barber of weeks past. He reports usual success Gardner street will be the installing

ain Normal School is enjoying her Inn spent Christmas in Brooklyn, N. Y., Thomas and Mrs. Gardiner of Hackma-Christmas vacation with her parents,

given her a black eye. In middle class

or to the left. Firemen were stationed or to the left. Firemen were stationed or to the horth and south sides of the building and although this form of entertainment is school streets Wednesday evening striking and although this form of entertainment is school streets Wednesday evening striking her head and receiving other bruises and injuries.

Try O'I are poorly handled by incompetent operator, the conditional indication of the patrons of the patrons of the place in which the machines are located.

The Minth District schools will open on the winter term next Tuesday more on the winter term next Tuesday more.

wishes of all concerned.

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Miss Ethel Gardiner of the New Brit-

actly welcomed or invited as a sort of



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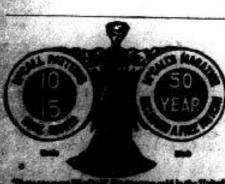
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DSSIBILITY OF PERMANENT SHORT- not like it, and the seed-cake is better AGE OF SUBSTANCES

eriments in a laboratory of its own, in usually finds its way to the paper mill

tent, of its weight in paper, so that the sait ripens. This plant, highly prized Felt his especial fault was hit. amount above mentioned would rep. since very ancient times on account of Their souls with new resolves did fill, resent no less than 28,000,000 tone of its strong fiber, yields an excellent And all exclaimed aloud: "We will

tons of paper in a year. So where is out of pretty nearly anything. Among Frequented narrow, proper ways But, it may be eatd, high grade been seaweeds, mummy-wrappings, Suggested by the sandwich man: papers cannot be made from straw. pineapple leaves, banana leaves, bean True enough. It is a circumstance of stalks, cabbage stalks, cat-tails, silk But ere the sandwich man did trace no importance, however, inasmuch as cocoons (unwrapped), pine cones, hay, A four days' journey from the place there will always be plenty of rags for hornets' nests (bornets were the original All things were as they were before the manufacture of such papers. The paper-makers), sunflower stalks, thistle- And no one ever hinted more:

on which newspapers are printed sons sufficiently obvious, if a satisfac-

experiments made up to date have shown that they will yield two entirely different kinds of paper. From the leaves, the busks, and the outside part of the stalks is obtained a paper of most satisfactory quality—excellent to date have shown is able to solve greatest pyramidal sanctuary. Here this simple problem. Asbestos in the greatest pyramidal sanctuary. Here the high priest retired aione to a small the high priest retired aione to a place of unusual distinction among the emitting that the busks, and the outside part of the east, and as the rising sun crimson among the emitting that the busk and the confident anticipation of the day is the confident anticipation of Mr. Belsemented thems received the sanctuary. Here the high priest retired aione to a small the hig A Monthly Magazine Devoted most satisfactory quality—excellent the market. It is easily woven and a he knelt and sprinkled thickly upon Belasco and everyone else who has been for book and writing paper. It seems kind of paper is made out of it for the marble floor the sacred meal.

to be substantially the same thing as paper made from spruce fiber, which But a paper with a surface for writing strike slantingly across the floor of the rehearsals.

Belasco and everyone else who has been fortunate enough to review her work at rehearsals. is the standard woodpulp, and is util- is what is wanted.

izable for the same purposes. So far, so good-highly promising,

no fiber worth mentioning. The paper from the leaves, husks, and outside of the stalks' on the other hand, has a noticably long fiber, and is correspond nauseous odors.

In other ceremonies human beings were killed and flayed, and the participants in the sacrifice enveloped them selves in the bloody skins of the victure.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teamout formed and and at the second of the victure.

Our Bath Room and Laun-

the stalks cannot be made commer- ach and intestines, and besides, one tri- in the feast of the new year.—New uric acid and other waste matter from cially profitable. At all events, this is angule will digest and prepare for assim- York Herald. the aspect in which the problem ap- ilation into the blood all your food the pears just now. It may be, however, same as a sound, healthy stomach would

hundreds of thousands of tons of it misery is waiting for you as soon as you go to waste every year in the United decide to begin taking Diapepsin. Tell the Jewish race is tried on the New ity, whose entire reputation, it is said, States. Paper of a commercial grade your druggist that you want Pape's Diacan be made out of it. But just how pepsin, because you want to be thor-

LOOK AHEAD

so that the figures who work out the story of The Easiest Way, are people

Walter, as a playwright, deals with breathing persons into his plots cons itutes the greatest measure of his acknowledged brilliance. He believes, and For many years.

"Cut it out!" -New Orleans Times-Democrat.

It is beyond question that there are tory paper could be made out of as- AZTECS' HORRIBLE HOLIDAY

tory quality? And can their manu. producing an asbestoe paper, no means the south, and the ceremonies carried and whose judgment of her capabilities no it condition to begin the day's work. facture be made successful from an has as yet been found by which its sur- on in his honor occupied a period of are based upon her rendition of the role After I had used Doan's Kidney Pills a economic standpoint? These are the take can be rendered sufficiently smooth several days. The initiatory rites between things which the government experts and hard to take ink from the pen with the color between the color of Juanita in The Rose of the Rancho.

This woman is an entirely different part and my condition was improved in every experiments made up to date have ing for anybody who is able to solve emn procession to the top of their the characterization demands an enor new Pills a number of times feeling that

HELPS MANY

SIMPLE RECIPE AT HOME AND TRY IT

Here in Town Say They Can Supply the

the blood which causes rheumatism. Some persons who suffer with the In striking opposition to the spirit of affliction may not feel inclined to place

man for the year just ending is looked A druggist here at home, when asked through and taken under advisement stated that he could either supply the

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Doan's Kidney Pills never fail you numanity, and his skill in putting living. Manchester, people know this. Read this Manchester case. Read how Doan's stood the test

his belief has the valuable endorsement It's local testimony and can be investiof the opinion of David Belasco that gated: The Essiest Way is by far the best work Mrs. David Wilson, 8 Mather street. Manchester., say: "It is now over ten It is a story of a woman, a man and years since Doan's Kidney Pills cured fate, with the woman and fate struggling me of kidney trouble and I am glad to

and the man, unable to interfere or to state that there has been no return of affuence the result, watching the battle the complaint. I amonly too pleased to with bated breath. Such a tale has not endore this splendid remedy whenever an before been put upon the stage and there opportunity presents itself. In 1868. I is little question that it will cause a was troubled a great deal with a lame



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Every Sunday Evening herman's Moving Pictures

Palangoin is certainly a man to avoid. People have told me stories room for a donkey to get into"-"Really? You do well to tell me, for son," said the girl pleasantly, ey he loaned me."-Paris Figaro.

Dolly-There's Miss Oldgirl. She until she got an excellent proposal opped the "excellent." - Illustrated hand and a frown on her brow.

A Noisy Caucus. If crews were to hold a meeting erybody's. ad swear at one another, would that e what they call a caw-cuss?"

"My dear," began the minister's wife, the matrimenial process is like that or "Ah, yes," laughed the keen house-"There you go again." he quickly in-trupted. "Always thinking of world-to a maid. Cynicus—Yes, and thei you're taken in.—Boston Transcript.

Joseph Medill of the Chicago Tribuns was somewhat deaf, although his ability at times to hear what was said is an ordinary tone of voice was frequent by remarked. It is related of him that he dropped into the business department of the office one day to make an inquiry about something that had occurred to him, and a young man whe had been in his employ only a few sense concert piece for violin is as entitled.

Von Bulow and Sarasate.

Von Bulow and Sarasate.

PARSONS THEATEN

DOCKSTADER'S MINSTRELS

Dockstader's Minstrels will be the attraction at Parsons Theater tonight and twice tomorrow.

One of the features of this season's presentation is the music. All this was written especially for the production by a staff of writers which Mr.

"I can't hear you," said the editor. "I can't hear you," said the editor.
"Mornings not to be seen.
"Oh, chase yourself around the block.
Afternoons not at home, The fresh young man made immediate arrangements to say goodby to mark that for such an important consings "Years' Years, Years," while Al. his job, but the great editor probably thought that the lesson he had re ticket. Six marks was in no way too success. "When Matilda Sings." with ceived was sufficient and did not dis much to pay."

The Mermaid was the name of a fa ly, to a "conference with Johannes" in the world. The entire company is mous London tavern frequented by (Brahms), at which he himself was included in the rendition of the chorus the reign of Queen Elizabeth. All the wit and talent of the time assembled there for convivial enjoyment. An One of the pet hobbies of Senator A new departure in songs is one callthors have made it the scene of great Christopher Magee was his newspaper, mind combats between such men as the Pittsburg Times. He kept the pa-Shakespeare, Ben Johnson, Beaumont, per well to the front, and it was a written. It cannot fail to haunt the Fletcher, Selden, Carew. Donne and credit to modern journalism. One memory. It is in line with Mr. Dockothers of reverential memory. It was morning the Times had been scooped stader's idea that the style of music the gathering place of the celebrated on a railway wreck.

Mermaid club, the origin of which is ascribed to Sir Walter Raleigh. The quaintance, "how do you console your self on the loss of that wreck story in the present musical entertainment will admit of great improvement.

Mermaid tavern was located in Bread self on the loss of that wreck story in the present musical entertainment will admit of great improvement.

Mr. Dockstader himself has several been often referred to in various ways.

The Mermaid in Bread street, the Mer the number who missed that ill fated Long Way With Me," "Going Up,

Cheapside and another in Cornhill, but wheel was caught in a deep rut in the pavement and could not be budged. Origin of the Word "Bogus."

The word "bogus" is said by Dr. Ogilwho about the year 1835 flooded the but to mules."-Philadelphia Press. A. W. Hollister; secretary, Keeney B.

"Take the case of bees," one said.
"Take the case of bees," one said.
"This bogses was the surar case as "Because the queen bee rules the hive. Stable Blankets and Robes delivered in its dry, crushed state from of

with useless rubbish.

Again, according to Brewer, there is in French argot or thieves slang a word "bogue," which signifies the rind of a green chestnut or the case of a der to please his royal master, that the Society Seger

saind, and possibly its most delicious ber the linesulating salad, as good for the diges-

frewater."-Exchange. Too Much For Him.

He called one day on an old school some dead and wounded." friend and was shown into a room where his chum's sister was busy ar ranging a quantity of dried grass which she had collected.

"What a quantity of dried grass you my daughter." have collected, Miss Ritchie!" he said need not now give him back the mon- When he arrived home all the humon to her you won't have money enough was crushed out of him forever .- Lon to do it."-Liverpool Mercury.

> door. Mrs. O'Toole stood in the door | sist invalids." politely. "I'm looking for Mr. stay here much longer." O'Toole." "So'm I," said Mrs. O'Toole, shifting

Youngly-Did you ever notice that this can of milk is a picture!" making a call? You go to adore, you wife; "a fine water color."-Exchange, Has anything happened? Host (grean-

her club over to her other hand,-Ev

"But, my dear, you wrong me," she mid. "This bonnet is perfectly beavent,"

The fixtremes.

Lobster and champagne for supperture only."

Lobster and champagne for supperture that's high jinks. Sewdest, and near collection of heating sloves at low prices. If you better place? Hostens—Yes, but I don't know if she'll stay. Poor Bridget was very hard to suit.—Beston Traveller.

By observations on a collection of march words, it isn't being a point the provent. In other words, it isn't being has established that their maximum age is ten years.

you old granny!" muttered the impa- "But perhaps he did not ring the songs. He is singing "You have Changtient employee just above his breath. bell. (He never plays under 1,000 en the Winter in My Heart to Glad "I am not an old granny," said Mr. francs—he received this sum here at a Springtime," "Sweet Moments at private musicale.) For secretary he Home" and a new ballad. Will Oak-

> success, "When Mattlda Sings," with Bulow did make his acquaintance, rare sweetness and grace. This number however, as he refers in a later letter is participated in by Herbert Willito Sarasate coming, quite unexpected son, the highest singing male soprano

He Preferred Mules.

three thoroughfares, so that it has "By congratulating ourselves," he an. sougs that are entirely new. They are

maid in Friday street and the Mermald train."

In Cheap street were, however, all one On another occasion as the senator O'Brien sings "Every body Turned and and the same. It was the nearest to was approaching the Times building Looked at Me." Bread street. The Mermald was destroyed in the great London are. There was approaching the noticed a crowd gathered about a wagon which was alled with huge rolls of newspaper. A

"Senator," laughed a friend, "they managed at last to get your paper into "Yes," answered Mr. Magee, his eyes Thomas Heritage; overseer, Irving rie to be derived from Bogbese, the twinkling with good humor, and I'm Keepey; lecturer. Thomas Brown; name of a notorious American swindler not trusting to men to get it out again, chaplain, Adolph Nipper, jr.; treasurer,

counterfeit bills, sham mortgages, etc.

Others connect the word with "bogy," s In a woman's club, over tea and acarecrow or goblin, and so applied to anything fictitions or chimerical.

Lowell in the "Biglow Papers" says:

In a woman's club, over tea and assistant, Mabel Loomis; Pomons, many instances of the foolish vanity of males.

Lowell in the "Biglow Papers" says:

Vanity of males.

This bogainse was the sugar cane as because she is the absolute mistress the mill, also called can trash and fit few hundred years ago denied her sex. have elected the following officers:Presionly for burning, being synonymous

He called her the king bee.

With useless rubbish.

"Pliny wrote somewhere. The king in Carlson; recording secretary, Charles

of a green chestnut or the case of a watch, and this also brings us to the large bee, the ruler of the hives, be longed to the gentler sex.

Manchester

Mancheste and wisest and fairest, the hive's absolute lord, was a female. No, all the A gournet as he mixed a saiad of proofs notwithstanding. Shekespeare Alfred C. Anderson; financial secretary, chicory said: "The world's queerest called her a male. Don't you remem- Emil Peterson; treasurer, Nils Anderson: marshall, Emil Johnson; librariar

one, is eaten by the Inoits of northwest "Creatures that by a rule in nature teach Emil Brandt; trustee for eighteen Greenland. It is a saind of undigested The act of order to a peopled kingdom.

moss from the stomach of a fresh They have a king and officers of sorts.

Check Lobrech Control of Street Adolph Occar Johnson; outside guard, Adolph killed reindeer, a bitter, sharp, stim -New Orleans Times-Democrat. Anderson: organist. Walter Olson:

Kandy Kitchen, South Manchester. Inoits live almost exclusively on fish. During one of Speaker Cannon's bit. son, Occar L. Anderson. The officers hence sailed are a favorite dish with them. But no sailed in their minds compares with that which they wrest from the slaughtered reindeer. They say this sailed is crisper, tenderer and more appetizing than any other, and more appetizing than any other, and lic service. Some of his friends be they say it wards off indigestion. They came alarmed at fills, and one of them fight for it, they spend their last penny on it, quite as the Indians do with

"Joe, Smith and Jones have just lost lege?"
their positions in the postoffice. What "Oh, yes. are we going to do about it?" Smithson used to labor under the im- Uncle Joe took another puff at his "I thought he didn't care for lanpression that he was a born humorist, cigar and then answered, with a benev- guages?" out he has given up trying to be funny olent smile: "Nothing. If you go into "He doesn't, as a rule, but next year battle, you have got to expect to have the football team is to have Greek

"Young man," said her father, "I don't want you to be too attentive to Then his humor burst forth. "Nice timid young man, "I had hoped to Well, sir, when he's tired of sitting in "Why-er-really," stammered the "Make yourself at home, Mr. Smith "Exactly, and I'd like to have you one spot he can change to another, marry her, but if you're too attentive can't he, sir?-Winnipeg Telegram.

"Help you!" scoffed the trate house. Laye, near Paris. The landlord was med to say she would never marry The stranger advanced toward the wife. "Well, I guess not. I only as an adept in preparing cutlets, and Al-May-And now? Dolly-Oh, now she's way with a rough stick in her left "Well, mum," responded Beefsteak very fond of these, ran up a bill to the Ben as he tried to remove the buildog amount of £1,000. When a settlement "Good morning," said the stranger from his shins, "I'll be an invalid if I was suggested the author wrote back and expressed his inability to pay, but sent a live eagle and proposed that the

The Poor Milkman Again. The milkman was boiling over with exhibiting it. Making the best of it. "And you mean to say my milk don't his living sign drew much attention to look right?" he snapped. "Why, lady,

Restless.

Caller—So your cook has passed away to a better place? Hostess—Yes, but I don't know if she'll stay. Poor Bridget was very hard to suit.—Boston Tray-change.

with it. His playing also of the Sainthad been in his employ only a few
months undertook in a loud tone of
voice to enlighten him.

"What did you say?" asked Mr. Me
fill, putting his hand to his ear.

The young man repeated the question in a still louder voice.

"I are the playing also of the SaintSaens concert piece for violin is as entrancing as interesting. It is a shame
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signals and Harry is trying for the

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spots? Now. Tommy, answer me!

Tommy-Yes, sir; he can. Teacher-

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Who plainty rushed too much the can.
The sandwich man ne'er turned aside;
Only the legend writ replied:
"Cut it out!" pulp thus rendered unobtainable, there taken all they went. Excellent could be plenty of other available paper can be made from those stalks-

question, through a special investiga-tion authorized by congress, which Colorado river, where it affords a shelter gave \$10,000 for the purpose. A study for numberless jack rabits and coyotes. of it is being carried on by the forest Tests have shown that this bemp will service and the plant bureau, working yield a first-rate paper. together, the latter gifbering facts in Jute is used on a considerable scale r-gard to materials, while the former in this country for making brown wrapindertakes practical paper making ex. Ling papers. Bagging of this material

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the manufactured product in sheets, paper.

problem is to furnish stuff for papers down, ivory shavings, and asbestos. ot lower grade-particularily the kind It would be very desirable, for rea-

in fact But, unfortunately, only one-Pronunciations (Century Dictionary). stalks is of this kind. The rest is pith

> noticably long fiber, and is correspondingly tough.
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> Such being the case, why not reject the pith, and use only the good parte?
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> There isn't any reason except that it would not pay. Unless the pith can be ntilized the manufacure of paper from the leaves, hushs and outside of gas from stomach and cleanse the stom-the stalks cannot be made commercially and intestines, and besides, one tri-Telephone would not pay. Unless the pith can be minutes.

that some way out will be found. Pos- do it. that some way out will be found. Possibly the pith can be turned to account by mixing it with other and more fibrous materials.

In striking opposition to the spirit of joy and happiness which pervades count by mixing it with other and rests—gets itself in order, cleans upmore fibrous materials.

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The next thing the forest burean count is the spirit of joy and happiness which pervades who have tried it say the relief who also observe the New Year for being effected without the slightest in-

good? And at what cost? The oughly cured of indigestion. Chinese have manufactured paper from rice straw for many centuries. Then there is the refuse of the sugquantities are thrown away. There is no question of the fact that good paper can be made out of it. Recently a planter in Trinidad claimed to have invented a process by which, at very small cost, each refuse could be converted into paper worth twenty four dollars a ton. Supposing this to be correct, it would pay to grow to be correct, it would pay to grow to be correct, it would pay to grow to a total a process by which, at very small cost, each refuse could be converted into paper worth twenty four dollars a ton. Supposing this to be correct, it would pay to grow to be correct, it would pay to grow to be correct, it would pay to grow to a total pay to grow to a total pay to grow the placed during the month of January. You avoid all discontinued and delay, and get greater attention to details by ordering now than it is possible to give on "rush orders". See advertisement page 7.

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Everything at every counter at every commerced attention to details by ordering now than it is possible to give on "rush orders" attention to details by ordering now than it is possible to give on "rush orders" at me old home, what a spread I'd have dis New Year's Wishes.

Weary Wraggles—If I was only back at me old home, what a spread I'd have dis New Year's day! Oh, fur de wings uv a dove!

Hungty Hanh—Oh, fur de wings uv a moker and all the members are urgently requested to be present.

Everything at every counter at every be converted into paper worth twentyfour dollars a ton. Supposing this
to be correct, it would pay to grow
the case for paper, the sugar being
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to the cotton-seed produced in a twelve-month in the cotton belt. Fed to farm "Cut It Out!" stock along with the seed, it does the RNBENT TARING ACTION TO AVERT animals no good. Cattle and sheep do without it. A machine has been invented which, it is claimed, will separate the lint from the seed. If it cau

northwest annually produces one and

The government has settled this wild hemp, now covering vast areas in

To begin with, there are unlimited great quantities of straw are utilized as

The world uses, only about 8,000,000. The fact is that paper can be made. So all braced up and for three days the materials used for the purpose have And followed fully up the plan

many vegetable materials, readily ob bestos. Such a interest paper, being They Celebrated the New Year With tainable in enormous quantities, which fireproof, would be of necessity pretainable in enormous quantities, which can be utilized for making paper. But how good will the papers be? And how cheap? Will they be of satisfactory quality? And can their manner producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the result of the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same producing an asbestoe paper, no means to the same paper.

MISERY IN STOMACH

and You Feel Fine. -the inside of the stalks. Reper can Why not start now-today, and forbe made from this pith; they will show ever rid yourself of stomach trouble you samples of it at the offices of the and indigestion? A dieted stomach of a grewsome and horrible nature, forest service, from its own laboratory. gets the blues and grumbles. Give it a consisting mainly in sacrificing youths Course in Letter Writing and Punct- But it is useless-stiff, brittle and algood eat, then take Pape's Diapepsin to to the gods. It is said that they were together unlike any commercial grade start the digestive juices working. feasted for days previous to the cere cist the following; f paper. Take a piece of it in your There will be no dyspepsia or belching mony that they might be in a whole-Compound Words: How to Write hand, and you can crumble it with a of gas or cructations of undigested some and pleasing condition upon their Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half pinch. Why? Simply because it has food; no feeling like a lump of lead in last and the war god's first great day. ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce;

ar cane, known as "bagasse." Some The Hartford Monumental Works, whether he should live or die, prosper of it is used for fuel under the boilers 1066 Main street, Hartford, are offering or be poor. On the day of atonement in the sugar mills, but enormous a discount of ten per cent. on all Dec. the fate is sealed and nothing can quantities are thrown away. There oration Day orders placed during the change it any more.—Chicago; Tribune. At the regular monthly meeting of

Honey Appropriated and Experiments Se- be so separated, the paper manufacturers There passed a sandwich man with Whose legend filled a single line:

be n enable to as peur in Harsford has strongly influenced his selection of that actly what you'd city as the place for the premiers of any!"

face so haggard may be called character photography. The people of his plays are emph-troubly Meant poker play- human; their appeal to an audience is night and made as neighbors, as in Paid in Full, the individuals of whose story were imwhat thing was mediately recognizable to everybody who watched them walk on the stage

who have their being in every large city

and who are seen and known as well as understood and appreciated by the great body of their fellows.

out blurring. Here is a chance for ing, when the chief priest and his sub-

tiny temple the bended priest beholds a miracle. Faintly at first, then strongor and stronger, grows an imprint in the meal of the naked foot of their war god. Upon this miraculous manifestathird of the pulp yielded by the corn- And ladigestion Vanishes in Five Minutes tion the high priest announces to the

assembled couriers that their god has returned to them and that the grand festal occasion is inaugurated.

The Jewish New Year. The next thing the forest bureau is going to tackle, at the experimental paper laboratory, is rice straw. Many

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SONDAY SCHOOL OF ST. MARYS EPIS-COPAL CHURCH TURNS OUT IN

Large Assemblage Almost Filled Chency Hall Tuesday Evening To Witness The Widow Mullims' Christmas. Three-Act Comedy Capably Presented By Local Talent.

The Christmas entertainment entitled The Widow Mullins' Christmas was presented by local talent at Cheney Hall Tuesday evening for the entertainment of the Sanday school of St. Marys Episcopal church.

It was a comedy in three acts and for an hour and a half entertained an audience that almost filled the main hall and gallery. At least one half of those assembled were the Sunday School children who were given the places of honor in the portion of the hall nearest the stage, the adults occupying such sitings at the rear as were found. It was a joyons, happy gathering of hearty oungsters who were eagerly in quest of a laugh and at every opportunity gave abundant evidence of their very

The story told was of the struggles of the Widow Mullins in bringing up a family of 18 children. The scenes of the play were laid in her humble home and illustrated the simple life of the poor widow who by her labors at the wash tub sought to properly bring up a large family of children, seven girls and six boys. It also illustrated that although there was lack of wealth and of social refinements in the home of the Widow Mullins, nevertheless, there was abounding good cheer and her numerous progeny were not withone disposition and ability to enjoy the

The story went on to tell of the two sons of a wealthy neighbor who were kind hearted enough to impersonate Santa Claus and his assistant named Zero, to invade the Mullins household by means of the chimney and to bring gifts of toys and other remembrances for each member of the Mullins household, to the very great delight of the children and to the hearty appreciation of the widow. On Christmas Eve at the conclusion of the toil of the day the Widow Mulline assembled her children about her and each gave a recitation or sang a little song in honor of the Christmas festival and all retired to bed in joyous anticipation of what Santa Claus might bring them while they alept. It came to pass that while Santa Claus and Zero were in the widow's spartments inspecting the Christmas gifts which they brought all the a covered the intruders to the very great delight of the Mullinses. Santa Claus finding that he was a prisoner made the best of the situation and told the happy Mullinses that he had brought presents to all, which he at once proceeded to distribute among them. Great rejoicing ensued and the final scene of the play closed with all the children and the widow Mullius singing a cheery good-night

The cast of characters was published n these columns last week. The principal character, that of the Widow Mullins, devolved apon Miss Margaret Hyde. John W. Marley rep-

It was a nice little comedy and served as a fitting vehicle to give the Sunday School children of St. Marys church a very agreeable Christmas entertain-

tions were rendered by Harry Trotter, with Miss Eva Wartley at the plane. Albert Dewey acted as stage manager and had the entertainment in charge. Mr. Dewey also made the announce-

after ten o'clock. It was also a halfhour late in starting.

It was quite difficult to restrain the

ALUMNI DANCE

The Alumni Association of the South station at 6.25, will leave Hartford Manchester High School, had a dance in hereafter, beginning Monday morning, Assembly Hall Monday evening. It was at 6.15, arriving at the Pine street sta-This will be a decided change of program a great advantage, however to comand the young people believe they will muters as, under the present arrangelike it better. One thing certain, it ment they are brought to the Pine street will furnish vastly more work for the station 25 minutes before seven in the

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Production were present as usual and

the commuters from Hartford, who are as long as it lasts (Providi employed in this place.

The car which has been leaving Hartord at 5.45 and reaching the Pine street interrupted more or less by the burning tion at 6.50, thus allowing operatives Hartford at 7.15 in the evening. It will of the American Hotel building which ten minutes time to get to the silk mills therefore be seen that under the procalled out a number of the merry dancers and be at their work at seven o'clock. posed new schedule, commuters from in their evening finery to witness the It will be noticed that the running time Hartford to this place, will save about gine room in Chency Brothers mill ation have decided to serve a banquet. will be made in 25 mmutes. It will be much appreciated.

Now is your time to buy comfortables and blankets at the Palace Ferniture Co.'s.—44.

The Rapelye Drng Company are making a special offer for Saturdays only that should be of interest to all who moke. They are offering a ten-cent digar at five cents straight but the sating at Gibb Hollow. A light rain outling at the straight but the sating at the Hollow. A light rain outling as the Hartford bound cer to Pies the Hartford of the weak. What do you think the ten to shelter and stopped the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak. What do you think appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the weak appears in another column they tell about this offer mitted absolutely pure Ast for the same street, ont f

## It was quite difficult to restrain the boisterousness of the large Sunday School assembled but all in all they behaved quite well and withheld their childish exuberance as thoroughly as could be expected under the circum-tramway which is intended to benefit

der.) 'I assure you EVERY BIT OF IT IS BETTER. Order now. M. MAZER

r Bissell Street

spectacle. Instead of having a Christ- on this trip is greatly shortened as the an hour and a half in traveling time Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, mas dance next year the Alumni Associ- run from the city to Pine street station each day, which will certainly be very stopped the machinery and as a result sent the employees of the weaving mills on the north side of Forest street and

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Women's Caracultary down at Wise, Smith's big Inventory Sale, Hartford.

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WOODMEN OF AMERICA AT CHENEY HALL LAST WIGHT.

This Season Fancy Drill Gives By Dogree Team Well Received-Danoing Followed Until Midnight-Peerless Orchestra Played-Zero Weather.

Venerable Counsel E. M. Ogden way stations. introduced Deputy Head Counsel Jo- The floor director will be Captain seph R. Hughes who spoke entertain. Philip Cheney; assistant, Sergeant Fred ingly and briefly regarding the Modern Hills; aids, Sergeant James P. Hynes, Woodmen of America. He mentioned Sergeant Charles Grabowski, Corporal among other things that this is the Mark P. Dwyer, Corporal John C. Anlargest fraternal organization of the derson, Private John J. Quish, Private United States, told of the efforts Harry Bissell. United States, told of the efforts being made by that body to provide protection for the families of its members and encouraged the ladies present to do all they could to induce their husbands, fathers and brothers to join the local camp. Mr. Hughes stated that between now and the first of May it was the purpose of South Manchester Camp to increase their membership by Camp to increase their membership by Camp to increase their membership by ex Corporal Patrick Connors.

the aid of all present. and dancing under the direction of Prof.

. Foley began. The festivities were The officers of South Manchester Should this be so he will be e camp extended every courtesy possible possible honors and courtesies and his to their guests and did all they could to visit to Spath Manchester will be made

cess in every particular and the com-

mittee having the work in charge are to

their efforts. The following officers

Venerable Counsel, E M. Ogden;

worthy adviser, Howard I. Taylor;

banker, Henry Morgan; clerk, John H.

Bissell; assistant clerk, Charles Bissell;

escort, Joseph Hainsworth; managers,

Alexis Tournaud, Charles Staye, Ned

Nelson; watchman, Frank Montie;

sentry, L. J. Sullivan; physicians, Drs.

W. S. Gillam and Edward G. Moriarty,

GOVERNOR GLENN COMING

The third in the Popular Entertain-

ment Course series of public entertain-

ments will take place at High School

Assembly Hall Thursday evening, Jan-

uary 14. The attraction will be Gover-

nor R. B. Glenn of North Carolina who

will lecture on the subject, "The

New South." It will be remem-

bered that Governor Glenn was to have spoken here last year but demands

business in the legislature of North Caro-

line were such that he could not leave

He sent assurances that he will undoubt

edly be here next Thursday. The gov-

ernor is spoken of as being an eloquent

speaker and a capable entertainer. He

has a fund of jokes and and spicy remin-

iscenses and observations that are high-

pjoyable treat.

y diverting and will make his lecture an

Health Officer Dr. W. R. Tinker has

be complimented upon the outcome of

were installed

largely without spoken command, unds. The town was honored in 1896 by the direction of Chief Forester Henry E. Governor O. Vincent Coffin and staff.

Phelan, who used a whistle to indicate The Military Ball that year was held in the change of movements. The degree the Armory and was a very brilliant team received hearty applanes from the affair. Should Governor Lilley find it audience for their pleasing exhibition convenient to attend the Military Ball to A punch bowl was placed in the vesti- be given by Company G in Cheney Hall bule of the half and the contents were on the 21st, he will find himself in dispensed free to all who wished. mighty pleasant company and he will Mrs. A. M. Perkins of the Kandy have the privilege of being present at

The night was clear and cold and admirably adapted for dancing. It might The Palace Furniture Company are properly be called a zero night but the slaughtering prices on mattresses, comardor and enthusiasm of the Woodmen fortables and blankets during their inand their friends was not in the least ventory cale, 46 chilled by the efforts of old Boreas. The public installation was a fine suc-

### MILITARY BALL

OMPANY & FIRST INFANTRY C. B. AT CHENEY HALL THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 21

Everyhedy Will Want To See "Teddy" Reserveit Jr.—Unusual Interest in Propesed Visit of Distinguished Guests-

Modern Woodmen of America, held on by Company G. First Infantry, C. N. their installation of officers, fency drill, G., will take place at Chency Hall social and dance at Cheney hall last Thursday evening. January 21st. The evening and attracted the largest Beeman and Hatch orchestra of twelve gathering of people that have been seen pieces will furnish music and Prof. C. there this season. It is estimated that Foley will prompt. There will be a conthere were upwards of 600 persons in cert from 8 un'il 9 o'clock. The grand through their maneuvers in placing the morning. Tickets for gentleman with various officers in their stations for lady are one dollar each. Ladies' tickets

installation, Ben B. Parker playing the 50 cents each. These tickets will be accompanying march on the plane while distributed at the regular meeting of the degree team were in action. Deputy Company G in the Armory next Monday Head Counsel Joseph R. Hughes of evening, At the close of the ball trolley Hartford was the installing officer. service will be supplied to Hartford and

one hundred and to that end he becought Committee of arrangements: Captain

Pailip Cheney, chairman; First Lieuten-At the conclusion of Deputy Head ant John F. Hickey, First Sergeant Counsel Hughes remarks the Peerless James P. Hynes, Quarter Master Ser-Orchestre took their places on the stage geant Joseph F, Sullivan, Corporal John It is expected that Governor George

L. Lilley and staff will attend the 37th Annual Military Ball of Company G. make them comfortable and happy.

An exhibition drill was given by the degree team in which many tancy move ments were shown, and were made tended the Military Ball in this place.

The gaments are new, stylish a nd in every way desirable, but we have more of them than we care to have at this time of the year. Hence the

Children's Plush Coats, only sizes 3 and 4 left, were \$5.98 now \$2.98

Flannel Coats for children 2 to 6 years in red and blue, warmly inlined, only \$1.98 now, worth \$2.98 Misses' Coats full length in red only, clearance sale price ... \$1.89 Misses Coats in brown and blue, made of all wool kersey, neatly

BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES at 25% to 33% price reactions during our Clearance Sale. Speak quick they'll move fast at

Winter. We are not holding back until Spring and offering you

Step right in and examine our lines. They are fully up to date and all right in every particular. The price is the only cheap thing about these heaters. We intend to close them all out and that is why we are

cutting the prices so deeply. Come in and let us prove to you e real merit of this offering. Some Good Second Hand Self Feeders at Great Bargains.

Thomas M. Trotter

**INVENTORY SALE** Now that the holiday rush is over, beginning Saturday Morning we will put on a Sale of Odds and Ends of Holiday Goods at Prices That Will Dispose of Them With Speed.

Our method is not to carry goods over from one year to nother until they become of no value. Call and look our stock over and if there is anything you re in need of which we have on sale we will make the prices

## Half Price on Winter Caps

We have a number of Winter caps which sell regularly at 0 cents each. In order to close them out rapidly you may have Kitchen had light refreshments on sale one of the most fashionable public guththem at 25 cents each. If you want a Winter Cap this offer

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Everything marked down. All new goods, new styles and new patterns. Everything reliable, the best of its kind, and guaranteed absolutely satisfactory.

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down; they are our original low prices marked down, giving you bargain op-

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portunities that you have never had before.

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