

South Manchester News

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SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN., FRIDAY, MAY 14, 1909.

THREE CENTS.

Special Price Reductions

Now that the rush is over we have decided to make special price reductions on Ladies Made to Order Suits.

Steinhaus & Son The Fashionable Ladies' Tailors.

A TRADE WINNER of Homefurnishings for May

Genuine Bargains For One Month to All Cash Buyers at

The Keith & Post Co.

We propose to make the month of May the banner month for cash sales.

You Can Save From 15 to 30 Per Cent at Our Store This Month.

We shall issue a new list each week of different articles, as it is impossible to name them all in one list.

- \$31.50 9x12 Body Brussels Rug now \$23.75
27.50 9x12 Axminster Rug now 19.25
19.50 9x12 Best Tapestry Rug now 15.95

SMALLER SIZES IN PROPORTION

- 95c All Wool Ingrain 79c
85c All Wool Ingrain 69c
75c All Wool Ingrain 59c
65c All Wool Ingrain 49c
50c All Wool Ingrain 39c

MADE AND LINED FREE.

- 45c Ingrain Stair Carpet 33c
39c Ingrain Stair Carpet 29c
\$1.50 Inlaid Linoleum \$1.29
1.25 Inlaid Linoleum 1.09
1.00 Inlaid Linoleum .87

LAI D FREE.

- 60c Fibre Matting 45c
50c Fibre Matting 39c
40c Fibre Matting 29c
35c Japan Matting 25c
25c Japan Matting 19c
35c China Matting 27c
25c China Matting 18c

THESE ARE ALL NEW FRESH PATTERNS AND VERY DESIRABLE.

- 45c Floor Oil Cloth 32c
35c Floor Oil Cloth 27c
25c Floor Oil Cloth 19c

DON'T PASS THIS BY. IT MEANS DOLLARS TO YOU.

If you want rockers, dining or kitchen chairs, couches, parlour suits, beds, mattresses or springs, dressers, sideboards or tables to go with your floor coverings, we have them at a price that will appeal to you.

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON ANY GO-CART OR CARRIAGE SOLD THIS WEEK

The Keith & Post Company COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS & UNDERTAKERS.

READING STANDARD BICYCLES

Built on honor and sold on merit. We will give you a Reading Standard with brake for \$6.

You can have your chairs caned here. Repairing, Sundries, Bicycles.

J.H. TROTTER South Manchester

RAPID TRANSIT

ON LOCAL TROLLEY LINES WILL BEGIN NEXT WEDNESDAY MORNING AFTER LONG EXPECTATION.

Running Time Between Here and Hartford Reduced to 45 Minutes—Was One Hour and a Quarter.

It is a pleasure to us to be able to inform our readers today that beginning next Wednesday May 13, a new rapid transit schedule will go into effect on the local trolley lines.

Close connections will be made by the trolley line with the Rockville line at Depot Square and the armory waits that have existed here will be eliminated by the new arrangement.

South Manchester Line—Leave South Manchester for Hartford—5:22 a. m., 6:32, 6:47, 7:07 and every half hour thereafter.

Manchester Green Line—Leave Manchester for Hartford—5:22 a. m., 6:32, 6:47, 7:07 and every half hour thereafter.

Rockville line—First car leaves Oakland Limit 5:40 a. m., for Hartford, 6:22 a. m., then hourly at 35 min. intervals.

ASULIKIT CLUB BURGLARIZED Thieves Make Clean Sweep of Summer Cottage.

The Asulikit Club cottage which is located on the shore of Lake Wanganung, South Coventry, was entered by burglars some time between last fall and this spring.

FREE SOUVENIR The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of 'The Count's' barber shop which appears in another column.

CHARGED WITH RAPE.

Wallace Skewes Tried to Police Court This Morning and Found Guilty.

Wallace Skewes, a boy who will not be 16 years until next November, was tried in chambers at the police court this morning upon a charge of assault with intent to rape.

The assault was committed yesterday morning about seven o'clock. The girl's father was called to the scene and he saw the accused and Skewes on a bicycle when she was going to the store and on her return over the lonely part of the road.

HOUSE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING Early This Morning, Occupants Have Miraculous Escape.

A tenement owned by Michael (German) place, two houses west of Mr. Gorman's residence, was struck by lightning this morning about three o'clock.

Lehigh COAL Special Price Quoted on 15 Tons or Over.

Class Initiation Next Week Thursday Followed by Entertainment.

THE LADIES OF SOUTH MANCHESTER COUNCIL, No. 46, Fraternal Benefit League will give piano solos at the conclusion of the stage entertainment.

SOUVENIR DAY The Count's Barber Shop WEDNESDAY MAY 12

Building & Loan Stockholders of the Manchester Building & Loan Association are hereby notified that their passbooks will be ready for delivery at the new store of C. E. House & Son on Oak street any time after 9 a. m. Tuesday, May 11, and not before.

BICYCLES BICYCLES

For The Next 15 Days 15 Per Cent. Off On All New Bicycles For Cash

- Tribune Pierce Iver Johnson Cleveland Princeton Mitchell

Repairing and Sundries. Edison Talking Machines and Records. New Departure Coaster Brakes put on for \$4.50.

W. E. LUETTGENS Bicycles Sundries Repairing

Lehigh COAL \$6.75 Ton

Advertisement for Souvenir Day at The Count's Barber Shop, Wednesday May 12, featuring a special price on 15 tons or over of Lehigh coal.

SAFE DEPOSIT facilities for bulky articles—valuable records etc., may be had at a trifling cost in our lower vault. Ask us about it.

Manchester Trust & Safe Deposit Co. 227 Asylum Street Hartford.

BOSTON STORE

Tonight will finish one of the most successful weeks we ever had. Why is it? Listen. We are buying goods at the lowest prices that a cash buying firm can command.



Fancy Light Plaids 25c Yd. White Goods Specials at 15c 18c 19c and 25c

And Shirt Waists! How's This? We shall have sold over 300 at 9 o'clock tonight from our opening last Saturday.

BOSTON STORE J. W. HALE

Tapestry Brussels RUGS \$10.75

This is one of the banner bargains to be picked up at our store this coming week.

- 9x12 Crex Grass Rugs \$ 7.75
9x12 All Wool Ingrain Rugs 7.75
9x11 Tapestry Brussels Rugs 10.75
9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs 14.50
9x12 Axminster Rugs 19.50
9x12 Axminster Rugs 22.50
9x12 Body Brussels Rugs 22.50

WATKINS BROTHERS Furniture and Piano Dealers

FINE SUCCESS.

Patriotic Extravaganza To Be Produced at Cheney Hall Tonight and Tomorrow.

The patriotic extravaganza, entitled 'The Old World and the New', was presented by local talent at Cheney hall last night before an audience of approximately 800 persons.

BUSINESS CHANGE Farr Brothers, the fruit dealers and confectioners in this place are negotiating for the purchase of the fountain and factory of the Cheney Drug Co.

Geo. W. Smith Long-Wear Clothes For Boys



THE SMART DRESSY KIND you will find them here.

Fire, Smoke and Water Sale

We will place on sale Saturday morning all goods damaged by fire, smoke or water. Among them are Boys' Suits, sizes 11 to 16 years 25c, 50c, 75c

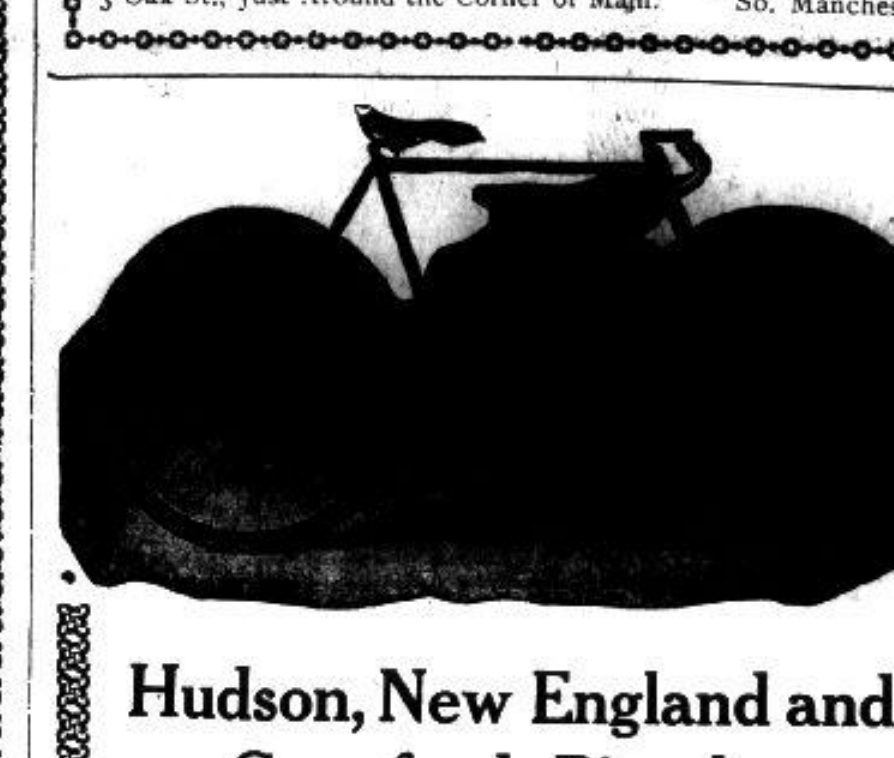
RUBINOW'S SPECIALTY SHOP

Store Open 9:30 Saturday Morning. Second Birthday Sale

We've passed another milestone in our business career. We've rounded out another year of "making good" with the people of South Manchester and vicinity.

SAY! we've got the niftiest line of Oxblood Ox-fords you ever saw. They can't be beat.

Frank O. Elliott The Shoe Man



Hudson, New England and Crawford Bicycles

Repairing We repair any make of a wheel and give it prompt attention.

Second-Hand Wheels We have a number of good second-hand wheels in good repair.

Base Ball Supplies We have a complete line of base ball supplies including base balls, bats, gloves of all kinds, shoes, masks, etc.



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This paper is mailed regularly to its subscribers and a definite order to discontinue is received and all arrears paid in full in the discretion of the publisher.

THIS paper is for sale at news stands of OLIVER MACMILLAN and F. W. WILLS, South Manchester, and by Newbury.

Office: Main Street. Near Con. Charter Office. At south terminus of TRAMWAY.

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

BARRY-MCCOLLUM

Apology to Teacher and Note for \$300 Without Security

The action which Miss Helen Barry of Norwich brought against Edward Green, of South Manchester, to recover damages of \$5,000, was to have a jury in the superior court last week, but it was settled, by the agreement of the parties, that the case should be tried in the superior court.

NEW TURNOUT AT CENTER

Saves Much Trouble for Trolley Men But Not So Convenient for Passengers

The new trolley turnout for the Manchester Green cars at the Center street station was put into use for the first time Saturday morning.

WEDDINGS

GILSON-CORDEIRA. Miss Constance Gilson of 14 Oak street and Frank Cordeira of Philadelphia were married by Rev. John J. Burke at St. Ann's church at 10 o'clock Saturday evening.

44 Stores Open an Account Lowest Prices

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BUY NOW-PAY LATER

Charter credit is offered freely to everybody at this store, and the advantage of our large stock and low prices are yours for the asking.

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' SUITS

Men's and Youths' Suits. Made of the best American wools, perfect fitting, becoming in style and reliably made.

LADIES' AND MISSES' SUITS

Ladies' and Misses' Suits. 3-piece suits, 2-piece suits and tailored made suits. In this line we make the most complete assortment.

Gately & Brennan

1101 Main St. Hartford

La France SHOES FOR WOMEN

Choose La France Shoes for Spring. You will be in good company. They are now worn by the most fastidious and discriminating women.

BOSTON SHOE STORE

215 Main St., S. Manchester. The regular monthly meeting of the board of selectmen was held at the hall of the town on Monday evening, May 10, 1909.

SELECTMEN MEET

MANY INTERESTED AND ANIMATED DISCUSSIONS HELD AND VARYING OPINIONS EXPRESSED

Establishing Street and Curb Lines and Grades on Main Street from Center to Birch Street.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of selectmen was held at the hall of the town on Monday evening, May 10, 1909.

HEATING CONTRACTS

If you have a job of Heating to be done for your factory, home or office let me talk to you and I will know about it and I will tell you whether you want Steam, Hot Water or Hot Air Heating, it's all one to me. I can do the job and do it right and carefully.

Gifts

Community Silver. have the "style" and appearance of the best Sterling. Let us show you the new Flower-De-Luce pattern in this ware. It has a dignity and a lasting beauty in marked contrast to the over-ornamentation of other plated ware.

PERSONS DESIROUS

of becoming competent and successful bookkeepers, stenographers and secretaries will find in the Hunt's Business School...

For Sale Choice Building Lots

At Lake Waugumbagog. SOUTH COVENTRY. Lots are situated fronting on west shore of Lake Waugumbagog...

W. L. BUCKLAND

FORNISHING UNDERTAKER AND EMBALMER. Licensed Undertaker and Embalmer. Sole agent for the best quality of caskets, day or night. Telephone connection. DEPOT SQUARE MANCHESTER

Leonard J. Richman

Jeweler with F. W. Mills. Hartford Theater COOK STOCK PLAYERS FRANK KEENAN

The Warrens of Virginia

Sandy Eve. Moving Pictures. ALL NEW WALK STRONGHEART. BOOT & SHOE REPAIRING

WE CLAIM IMMUNITY FROM ALL COMPETITION

If There's a Vestige of Competition in Hartford We Will Awaken It.

Although we acknowledge no competition that is worth talking about, but still allowing that there are one or two stores that yet strive to meet our prices on a barely few articles, we wish to make the emphatic statement that no matter what is advertised elsewhere we have and always will give you better goods for the same money or the same goods for less money than any other store.

ANNUAL GREAT MAY SALE OF FURNITURE IS NOW IN FULL PROGRESS--WISE, SMITH & CO., HARTFORD.

Don't Be Humbugged. We have positive knowledge that a certain Hartford store recently advertised Rugs as bought at a New York auction which to say the least is misleading inasmuch as no part of this auction lot of Rugs at this writing has arrived in this city.

Carpet Size Rugs

At Unmatchable Cut Prices. \$37.50 Royal Wilton Rugs, size 12x9 feet at this sale.....\$29.99

Palmer Hammocks. Past colors, complete with valance, regular \$1. At this sale 79c.

Canvas Hammocks. Made of 12 oz. canvas, complete with cushions, value \$10 Here at \$6.99

Wool Paper & Paint

Why is it that this department has grown to such proportions? Because our prices are way below all others.

CARPETS

At Prices Which No Other Store Can Possibly Quote. Axminster carpets that would cost \$1.25 elsewhere, here at this sale 95c.

Heavy China Mattings. Why pay 38c elsewhere? You can buy it at this sale for 25c yard.

Fancy Japanese Mattings. A new arrival from the Pacific coast, regular 29c grade, at this sale 22c yard.

Ingrain Squares. Wool Ingrain size 3 1/2 yds, worth \$5 but you pay only \$3.99

Smyrna Rugs. Reversible wool size 30x60 regular \$1.75 val at \$1.29

Door Mats. The serviceable, cocoa brush door mats, regular 45c kind at 34c

Our Line of Refrigerators

Only the best makes sold here, such as the Heywood, Wakefield-Boch and other kinds that you can depend upon.

\$9.99. \$13.75 Folding go-carts with steel frame and rubber tire wheels at this sale \$1.39

\$2.90 Collapsible go-cart at \$1.95

\$5.95 Collapsible go-carts with hood \$4.69

\$7.95 Alwin folding go-carts with hood, \$5.75

\$13.75 Alwin folding go-carts with hood, all colors, \$7.95

\$17.75 Roadster go-carts something new, \$10.85

\$15 Full size go-carts, rattan body and fine lace parasol, a wonderful value at \$8.88

\$16.75 Baby carriages with rattan hoods at \$11.99

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Now that the rush is over we have decided to make special price reductions on Ladies Made to Order Suits. Ladies, why not have your suits made to order instead of buying ready made? We can fit you so much nicer, and give your suits that stylish tailor made appearance that looks so smart and trim and neat and that is so dear to the heart of every lady.

We furnish the newest and best materials, our suits are always attractive, dresy and wear well, and besides we are giving special price reductions at the present time. Call and talk the matter over with us. We close Monday and Thursday evenings at 6 p. m.

Steinhaus & Son The Fashionable Ladies' Tailors. Open Evenings. 288 Main St. South Manchester

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Repairing and Sundries. Edison Talking Machines and Records. New Departure Coaster Brakes put on for \$4.50. W. E. LUETTGENS Bicycles Sundries Repairing. Edison Phonographs and Records Guns, Ammunition, Sporting Goods. Main Street Telephone Connection So. Manchester

Lehigh COAL Lehigh \$6.75 Ton Special Price Quoted on 15 Tons or Over. Phone 64-3 21 Bissell St.

RESOLUTIONS De the Death of Companion Theresa Gribben. Whereas: I have pleased the Great Ruler of the universe in his infinite wisdom to remove from our midst Companion Theresa Gribben. Therefore: Be it resolved that the members of Mary Lester Circle, Companions of the Forest of America, deplore the death of Companion Gribben, who, by her simplicity of character and her zeal in behalf of the circle, had endeavored herself to her sister Companions, and be it further Resolved: That these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our circle, a copy of the same, presented to the family of our deceased sister and that resolutions be published in a newspaper having circulation in the Town of Manchester. And be it further Resolved: That our chapter be draped for the customary period of mourning. Mrs. Nellie Hickey, C. C. Mrs. Ellen M. Stocken Mrs. Mary Hale.

PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT To Be Given for Benefit of St. Marys Episcopal Church. A play will be given in the parish hall of St. Marys Episcopal church Tuesday evening May 25, for the benefit of the church. The play is entitled "The Sinner's Family" and those who will take part are: "Ma Sweet, Miss Margaret Hyde, "Auntie Ann, Miss Elizabeth Fletcher, "Betsey Belvid, Miss Annie Hyde, "Caroline Cordelia, Miss Annie Smith, "Dorothy Dalton, Miss Louise Schenkel, "Elizabeth Eliza, Miss Caroline B. Underwood, Frances Ferris, "Miss Ethel I. Wilson, "Giorgiana Godalout, Miss Alice Dillon. These young ladies are enthusiastic workers behind the footlights, are also popular favorites and have had considerable experience in amateur theatricals, and are always able to give a good account of themselves when called upon as public entertainers. They too are to be seen toiling hard in a good cause. Help them.

REFUSED TO SELL Cheney Brothers made an offer to Manchester Lodge No. 73 A. F. & A. M. to purchase their land on Center street corner of Main for which they were willing to pay the sum of \$10,000, the purchase not to include the building. At a special meeting of the lodge held Tuesday evening, the Masons after discussing the matter very thoroughly decided not to sell. It is understood that Cheney Brothers intended to erect an annex to the Ninth District school at the junction of the streets named above.

MORE SOUVENIRS "Jimmie the Cont" announces here, with that he will make a second distribution of souvenirs at his barber shop next Tuesday afternoon and evening as he wishes to have all of his customers supplied. The distribution of souvenirs last Wednesday was a fine success, many persons taking advantage of the offering and all being highly pleased. It will be remembered that "Jimmie the Cont" gives absolutely free a cake of Williams Jersey Cream Toilet Soap together with a nickel-plated container.

POVERTY SOCIAL The Ladies Auxiliary to the A. O. H. are endeavoring to interest persons in their Poverty Social which is to take place in Cheney Hall Tuesday evening, May 25, previous notice of which has been given in these columns. Tickets are now on sale and a joyous event is anticipated.

At the regular monthly meeting of Hese Company No. 2 held last Monday evening George H. Howe and Thomas Crockett were chosen as delegates to the convention of the Connecticut State Firemen's Association at New London August 10-11. It was also voted last Monday evening to hold the annual outing of Hese No. 2 at Crystal Lake on the 12th, on the anniversary of the Battle of the Boyes.

Lamb tongue in glass jars. Fillet of mackerel, something tasty: try them when ordering. O. F. Toop.

Dress Suit Cases I have just received a large new line of Dress Suit Cases in Leather and Rattan. These were purchased in such large numbers and under such favorable circumstances that I can sell them at unusually low prices, quality, style and finish considered. The price range is from \$1. to \$10. each and is what is known as jobbers' rates. You will find here Steel Framed Sole Leather Cases, Cow Hide Cases with Telescope Covers, Rattan Cases and all the latest equipments known to the trade. This is a line of Suit Cases it will pay you to see before purchasing.

Working Shirts I have a good line of working shirts in black and white stripe, all black, black drills and blue chambrays. These are shirts that sell regularly for 50c each. My price on these shirts for a short time is 39c each.

L. Symington Merchant Tailor, Men's Furnishings 208 Main St. So. Manchester

OUR HOME FURNISHING SALE

For the month of May more than fulfilled our expectations for the first week. We advertised floor coverings especially and the people responded quickly and satisfactorily and many took advantage of our special prices and expressed themselves as highly pleased with the bargains obtained.

The Keith & Post Co. can be relied upon to give you just what they advertise. We shall specialize on different articles each week of this month, but OUR ENTIRE STOCK OFFERED AT REDUCED PRICES whether specified or not. Any price quoted will hold good during this month. Any article not specified can be bought at a reduced price of from 15 to 30 PER CENT.

This Week We Mention Ranges, Blue Flame Stoves Go-Carts and Refrigerators



QUAKER RANGES The Queen of the Kitchen. All Quakers Guaranteed Perfect Bakers. 20 Per Cent. Discount. \$55.00 Cabinet Range for \$44.00 50.00 Range for 40.00 45.00 Range for 36.00 39.00 Range for 31.00 32.50 Range for 26.00 25.00 Range for 20.00

Blue Flame Summer Cook Stoves The New Perfection-Wick and Wickless \$ 5.50 2-Burner Stove.....\$4.45 7.50 2-Burner Stove..... 5.95 7.50 2-Burner High Stove..... 5.95 9.75 3-Burner High Stove..... 7.75 10.75 3-Burner High Wick Stove 8.50

Go-Carts and Carriages of all kinds from the light folder to the elegant sleeping coach. The celebrated Heywood Coaches Kelley Carts Allwin Folders None more reliable or better known. A clean cut Discount of 20% on every one.

Refrigerators The finest line we ever saw for the money to be sold at the beginning of the season at close cut prices. Our line is too large to quote prices in detail; sufficient to say we can sell you one from \$5.35 to \$24.50. that would sell regularly for \$6.95 to \$37. It's worth saving. Call and look them over.

The Keith & Post Company COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS & UNDERTAKERS. Main Street South Manchester

BOSTON STORE Great Bargains in MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

39c Corset Covers for 25c These covers are made of fine long cloth, trimmed with five rows of lace or one row each of humberg and lace. While they last the price remains 25c

25c Corset Covers for 15c These are plain blouse covers trimmed with one row of St. Gaud. lace, a great cover for wear. Sizes 34 to 44 and the price 15c

For Saturday Only Children's Hose 7c pair Only four pairs to a customer. All sizes.



Long Lisle Gloves 25c pair These gloves are 20 inches long of a fine lisle in either white or black. All the best sizes. While they last they are 25c a pair and as good as most 50c gloves. Only 10 dozen in the lot.

NEXT THURSDAY FIRE SALE DAY. BOSTON STORE J. W. HALE

50 New Refrigerators are being wheeled into line on our floor as we write. That reminds us it is again time to call your attention to the kind of Refrigerators we sell. It is The kind that keeps the ice longest. The kind that keeps the food best. The kind that out-lasts your neighbors.

The Baldwin, The Columbia, The Domestic, The Champion, The Eddy, The New Opalite (Porcelain Lined) A fine line of all these makes is now ready for your inspection. Old Hickory Veranda Chairs \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.50 to \$7.50. Porch Screens 6 feet wide in four grades 75c, \$1.50, \$3 and \$3.50. Hammocks.

WATKINS BROTHERS Furniture and Piano Dealers Undertakers. Main and School Sts. South Manchester 227 Asylum Street Hartford.

BAND ON PARADE The Military Band was on parade in South Manchester Wednesday night and furnished some excellent new marches to the great delight of the people along the line. A body of enthusiastic youngsters accompanied the band over the entire route and enjoyed every selection given. The members of the band are diligently at work in the effort to improve themselves in the art of band music and are spending a good deal of money as well as putting in much labor in the effort.

WILL TAKE EXAMINATIONS John Francis Foley, son of Mitchell and Mrs. Foley of Summer street is completing a three-year course at the Georgetown Law School and is preparing to take the examinations for admission to the Connecticut state bar. Mr. Foley is 21 years of age and is a graduate of the South Manchester High School in the class of 1906. His many friends here earnestly hope he may be successful in this undertaking, and that he may soon be recognized as a limb of the law by the legal practitioners of the Nutmeg State.

Women's and misses' tailor-made suits at half and many at even less than catalog prices. A limited lot of tailored suits at \$30. A good selection of tailored suits at \$18.00. A good selection of tailored suits at \$15.00. A large stock of tailored suits at \$12.00. Wide Smith & Co., Hartford.

GRANGERS MARK MERRY TEARING DOWN FOUNDATIONS

Delightful Entertainment Presented by Amateurs at Cheney Hall Last Night. A three-act comedy entitled "The Blundering Mr. Brown" was ably presented at Cheney hall last evening under the auspices of Manchester Grange Patrons of Highbury, the performers being principally Eastford people. Alexander M. Green, the veteran editor of Fraternal News, the veteran pianist of wide experience and a man known generally in fraternal circles up and down the state of Connecticut was manager of the production and also represented one of the characters in the play. Mrs. F. S. Forbes acted as prompter for the performance. In addition to this Mr. Green entertained the audience with a great variety of piano songs, both of his own composition and those of other composers. Mrs. Gerda Johnson and Miss Gerda E. Johnson of this place favored with piano solo at play. The accompaniment was given by Mrs. H. C. Brainerd, Maggie Murphy, Miriam E. Jencks.

CAST OF CHARACTERS The cast of characters appearing in "The Blundering Mr. Brown" follows: Daniel Brown, John L. Haven, John Armstrong, Frank S. Brainerd, Dr. Horton, Frank S. Forbes, Walter Dolan, A. M. Green, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Horace G. Williams, Clara Brown, Mrs. Julia A. Williams, Bertha, Mrs. H. C. Brainerd, Maggie Murphy, Miriam E. Jencks.

NEW WINDOWS PUT IN New display windows have been placed in Frank Elliott's shoe store on Oak street this week. Since the burning of the House & Hale block the windows in Mr. Elliott's store have been broken and patched and the front of the building blistered from the attacks of the flames. The building is now being repainted by A. Hausmann & Sons and when completed will be very much improved in appearance. Mr. Elliott has not been able to make necessary display of goods in his windows because of the bad condition in which the windows were left by the fire.

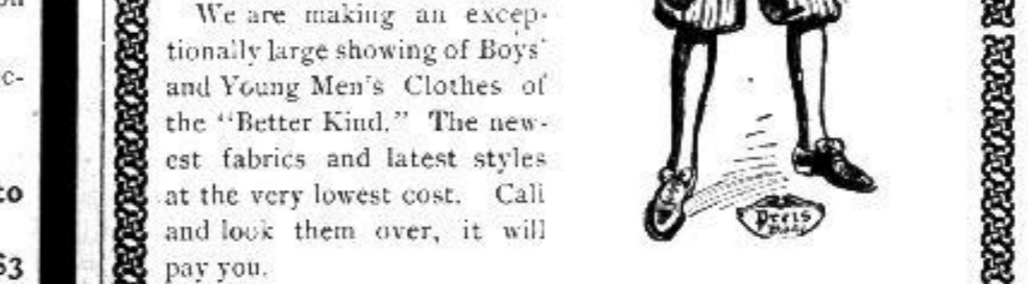
THE BEST JAPANESE REC. 4 pounds for 25 cents at Aaron Johnson's—4944 Quality in the drinking of tea and coffee is very essential. Better have one good cup of either than six poor ones. Try mine you want tea or coffee. No checks given with these goods. O. F. Toop. Corporate seal may need cleaning! Don't forget we do it. Keith & Post St.

RILEY—REARDON Mrs. Fannie D. Riley of East Hartford and John C. Reardon of Superior street will be married in East Hartford next week. Mr. Reardon is a well known and popular conductor in the employ of the Connecticut Company. They will take up housekeeping in this place.

TAKEN TO RETREAT Mrs. Rebekah Anderson, wife of James Anderson of Hartford Road was taken to the Retreat for Insane at Middletown today by Officer W. J. Madden. Mrs. Anderson was at the retreat for a couple of months during the past winter but was released on the belief that no further trouble would ensue. Lately, however, evidence of mental aberration have appeared and it was deemed best to bring her back to Middletown.

Lamb tongue in glass jars. Fillet of mackerel, something tasty: try them when ordering. O. F. Toop. Plants, flowers and cemetery vase. Kandy Kitchen.

If You Want Long-Wear Clothes For Boys THE SMART DRESSY KIND you will find them here. We are making an exceptionally large showing of Boys' and Young Men's Clothes of the "Better Kind." The newest fabrics and latest styles at the very lowest cost. Call and look them over, it will pay you.



Geo. W. Smith

Blue Serge Suits \$10. and \$14.75 All Wool Fine Blue Serge Suits extra good for the money, \$10. a suit. An elegant extra fine fast color at \$14.75 worth \$18 Spring Suits in all the new shades. Large assortment fresh from the makers \$8.00 to \$22.50. Straw Hats 25c to \$5.00. Panama Hats \$5. to \$7.50. Children's Straw Hats 25c 50c and 75c.

C. E. HOUSE & SON HEAD TO FOOT CLOTHIERS. Oak St. near corner of Main So. Manchester

Second Birth-Day Sale Now On Economize Buy and Save

Children's School House sale price 5c pair. J. & P. Coats' Darning Cotton, all colors 8 spools 6c. Laces worth 7 1/2c and 10c yd. sale price 5c yd. Hamburg worth 12 1/2c to 18c yd. sale price 10c yd. Waists worth \$1.95 to \$2.95 sale price \$1.45. Waists worth \$1.95 to \$1.48 sale price 79c. Belts worth 50c sale price 39c.

Dainty White Dresses for children 2 to 6 years. Made of sheer lawn, pretty French style, tucked back, yoke of solid lace and humberg insertion, fine humberg edging around neck and cuffs. A \$1.95 dress on sale now \$1.25. Ask to see it—call for No. 9379 dress.

Tiffany Oxfords for Men See Them—and get posted. Try a pair—and be happy. They Live Up To Every Expectation. It Pays to Go Around the Corner.

Frank O. Elliott The Shoe Man 3 Oak St., Just Around the Corner of Main. So. Manchester

Old Dutch Coffee

Have you tried our Old Dutch Coffee? It is the Best Coffee Ever Sold in the Town of Manchester for 20c a Pound. It takes the place of the regular 35c Coffee on your table. This coffee has been sold for the last 30 years under the trade mark of the "Old Dutch Coffee." We have the sole agency for the sale of Old Dutch Coffee in this town.

We took the agency for Old Dutch Coffee some time ago and are surprised ourselves at the amount of the product we have disposed of. It seems to meet the popular fancy, to suit in point of taste and quality and flavor as well as in price. It satisfies in all these important particulars. Could you ask for more? Those who have tried it are delighted with it. May we add you, gentle reader, to our already large list of satisfied patrons in the use of Old Dutch Coffee? If so the pleasure and profit will be largely yours.

Aaron Johnson Dealer in the Best Things to Eat. Chestnut St. Cor. Linden So. Manchester

CENTER CHURCH NOTES REAL ESTATE SALES Dr. Cooper of New York city will preach in the Center Congregational church next Sunday morning. Drake Post No. 4 G. A. R. will attend divine service in a body at the Center Congregational church Sunday morning, May 30. Rev. Dr. George W. Reynolds will preach a sermon suitable for the occasion. A. H. Shidner has sold for the Eldridge estate to John Hand and James Watson each a building lot on Main street south of John Cairns property. For George Bryan, Enfield, Mass., one-half acre of land on the south side of Oak street to Meredith Stevenson, adjoining his own property. For August Seibert his farm on Spencer street to Charles H. Daniels of Bristol. Mr. Daniels expects to move his family to the farm next week. Reliable flour: just the thing for shortcake. Try a package and you will order again. O. F. Toop. Ice cream, candy, peanuts and post cards for Decoration Day, Kandy Kitchen.