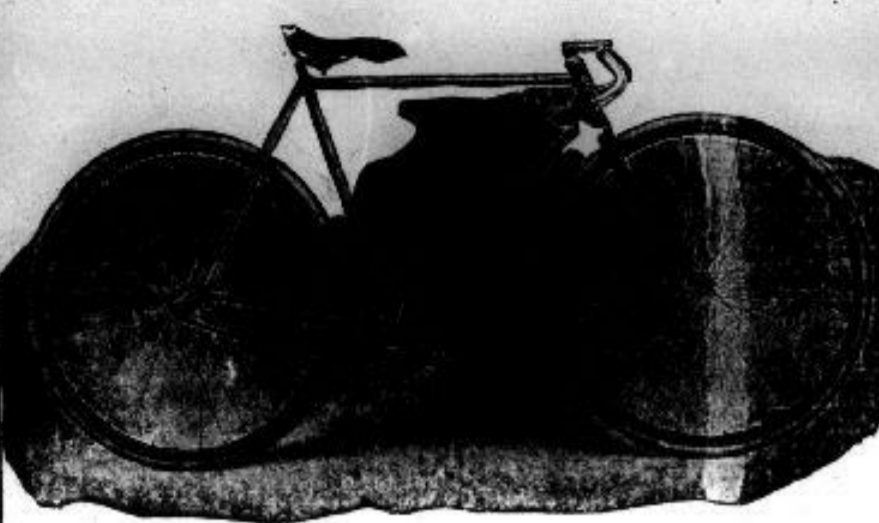


THEY'RE OFF



The weather is fast making way for the bicycle riding season and we have made ready for this season by placing on exhibition a very large stock of

HUDSON NEW ENGLAND HAVERFORD BICYCLES

which are fully guaranteed and which have established such reputations that they need no further explanation. Only remember that we stand firmly back of every bicycle we sell and that your satisfaction is sure.

The person who is ready to graduate from the bicycle can have a demonstration of the

HARLEY-DAVIDSON MOTOR CYCLE

which has, from its records been called "The Economical Machine." Come and look it over and we are sure you will be surprised at the good points it possesses.

We also have a large and excellent stock of BICYCLE TIRES which have our strong guarantee.

Why not have your bicycle put in good condition for the season?

Aside from our bicycle and motor cycle line, we have a full line of

ATHLETIC GOODS

and we are sure that the base ball player wanting a good bat will be pleased to learn that we have the famous LOUISVILLE SLUGGER BASE BALL BAT.

Madden Brothers

Old Cheney Block Telephone

LEADERS IN LOW PRICES

KITTELS MARKET 45 BISSELL STREET TELEPHONE 71-6
Specials for Saturday

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| Rib Roast.....16c | Porter House Steak.....24c |
| Boston Roast.....12c to 14c | Sirloin Steak.....18c to 20c |
| Shoulder Roast.....10c to 12c | 2 lbs Shoulder Steak.....25c |
| Leg of Lamb.....14c | Lamb Chops.....12c |
| Home Dressed Pork.....14c | Daisy Hams.....18c |
| Bolognas.....12c | Spring Chicken.....20c |
| Hamburg Steak.....12c | 2 lbs Frankfurts.....25c |
| Sausage Meat.....12c | Home Cured Bacon strip 18c |
| Salt Pork.....14c | Home Cured Bacon lb.....22c |
| Short Steak.....18c to 20c | Creamery Butter.....27c |

What Your Tailor?



BEFORE buying spring clothes you'll find it worth while to examine the nobby blue-gray mixtures, new shades of brown and tan, and blue, in the beautiful Spring woolsens just sent to us by

Ed. V. Price & Co.
MERCHANT TAILORS CHICAGO

We'll take your measure and have your selection made up as you want it, at a price within your ability to pay. And the clothes will satisfy you in every particular or you needn't take them.

Glenney & Hultman

Farr Block Main Street

Local Paragraphs

INTERESTING ITEMS BOILED DOWN FOR BUSY READERS.

A son has been born to John and Mrs. Milo of School street.

Charles Rutenburz, the main street blacksmith is spending the week with his daughter who is married and lives in The Windy City on the big lake.

Herman Montie is at the St. Francis hospital being treated for abscess of the ear.

Mrs. David Ford of Spruce street is recovering from an attack of grip and tonsillitis which distressed her severely for two weeks.

The spring vacation of the Ninth District schools will begin Friday evening, April 7, and continue until Tuesday morning, April 18.

Thomas McKimsey is having an addition built to his home on Bisell street. Contractor William Egan is doing the work.

Six candidates are to receive the third degree at the meeting of King David Lodge of Old Fellows this evening.

Miss Margaret White of Charter Oak street is regarding strength steadily at a sanatorium operated for several years by Dr. J. H. Gill at the old school building on the corner of Main and Charter Oaks streets.

Spring made its official bow Wednesday and brought us a typical March day full of sunshines and keen bracing winds. There is plenty of frost in the ground and the patches of snow in places where the sun's rays do not penetrate. Our faces are set to a shiver and our feet are shivering and our hearts are shivering.

Miss E. Keating of Elm Terrace is recovering from an attack of pneumonia which seriously threatened her life last week. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that her chances for restoration to health are bright at this writing.

The illness of Police Officer Will A. G. Glavin of Bigelow street continues to improve. The illness followed the attack of pneumonia some weeks ago but his heart action is weak and he is generally feeble because of protracted illness.

E. J. Holl has let the contract to have the Brainerd house at the corner of Main street and Brainerd place moved to the rear of the lot in order to make room for a business block which he proposes to erect there, as previously announced in these columns.

Frank Abbey was able to walk out from his home Wednesday afternoon as far as the corner of Main and Charter Oak streets and back. The early portion of the afternoon was mild, balmy and springlike and somewhat winter overcauts looked rather bulky, weighty and out of place.

A barber, Kosciuszko and one Lovens in a bar, James church Tuesday evening. He was ornate and dressed in a suit of his own time period. He was in a hurry and profited by the occasion. Father Kosciuszko has been transferred from South County to Dayville.

J. Albert Anderson of Walnut street is the chairman of the committee of the New Model Laundry on Laurel street. He went as a delegate from the local branch to the order, being one of the eight delegates from the State. The convention is in the State. The convention is in the State. The convention is in the State.

Miss Mabel Eneman daughter of William and Mrs. Eneman of Florence street has returned from the hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. It is only a matter of a short time now when she will be fully recovered and will never be troubled with that affliction again. The case was taken in time before it went too far and by so doing much suffering was avoided.

Henry Champagne who has had charge of the boiler and engine at The New Model Laundry on Laurel street will leave town tomorrow for Spencer, Mass. where he has secured a foremanship in a laundry. He has been here for the past year. Mr. Champagne is a single man and a member of Court Manchester Foresters of America.

Rev. F. B. Bartlett preached the Lenten sermon at St. Mary's Episcopal church Wednesday evening. Rev. Mr. Bartlett is taking a post graduate course at Harvard and is also serving at the Church of St. John the Evangelist at Duxbury, Mass. He is a native of South Manchester and was cordially greeted by a number of ardent admirers.

Mr. Maynet Tryon of South Main street will operate an operation for gall stones this week at the Charter Oak hospital. He is a considerably improved and was able to sit up Tuesday for half an hour. It is confidently hoped and expected that she will be able to return to her home in a few days.

Demonstrating Tour

Janitor William E. Gleason of the Ninth District schools left town this morning for a tour to demonstrate the possibilities of the vacuum cleaner system employed in the schools here for nearly three years past. Mr. Gleason goes first to Greenfield, Mass. From there he will take a Pullman sleeper and his next station will be Fort Wayne, Indiana. He will next go to Richmond, Indiana, to Cincinnati and Cleveland, Ohio, to Toledo and Albany, N. Y. and to Pittsfield, Mass. and from there home. He expects to be gone for two weeks and to return in time to do the house-cleaning during the spring vacation of the schools here. At each of the places he visits he will be met at the train by local agents who will bring him to the several buildings where the demonstrations of the vacuum cleaner are to be made. He will thus have an opportunity to see some of Uncle Sam's broad domains at short range, to have all his hotel and traveling expenses furnished and to be well paid for his services besides.

K. of C. Committees

The general committee which is arranging for the annual ball of Campbell Council, K. of C. to be held at Charter Hall in Easter Monday night is as follows: Robert J. Campbell, John F. Egan, Frederick Charter. They have appointed the following sub-committees: Reception, P. G. Hayes, chairman; D. F. Keen, E. F. Taylor, John F. Trotter, J. H. Egan, John F. Campbell, James F. Tashley, R. E. Carney, Edward J. Murphy, William Shea, Walter Buckley, Frederick Charter, John F. Ryan, Edward W. Post, R. J. Jordan, J. J. Swenson, F. G. Balkar, G. A. Brennan, P. J. O'Leary, Dr. J. A. Higgins, Thomas Packham, E. M. Burke, W. J. Flood, William Taylor, F. L. Doyle, George T. Coleman, Florio, D. F. Keen, director; Edward F. Taylor, assistant; John F. Trotter, Thomas Cruzat, T. P. Holloran, E. V. Harrington, J. F. Teobey, John F. Campbell.

Young Wife Leaves

Mrs. Herbert Russell of Arch street left her husband and baby boy Wednesday, March 8 and has not returned since. She had taken the leading part in the presentation of a five-act comedy drama entitled Belle, The Typewriter Girl at the Armory Opera House here the night prior to her departure. Mrs. Russell left a note for her husband the contents of which have not yet been made public. Mr. Russell is not disposed to give much to say for publication on the subject at this time. He has a theory as to the cause of his wife's going away but is not prepared to discuss it for publication as yet. He is one of our best citizens and his wife's name was a suburb of that city. She had appeared in professional theatricals at The Hub.

State President to Lecture

Rev. John J. Fitzgerald of Charter, President of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of Connecticut, will deliver a temperance lecture in St. Bridget's Church, at the north end, Thursday evening, March 30th, under the auspices of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society. He is a well known and one of the most prominent temperance workers in the State, and is widely known as an orator of rare and convincing ability, and has been greeted by large audiences wherever he has spoken. This will be his first official visit to Manchester since his election to the presidency of the State Union at the State Convention held in Hartford last August. The exercises will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Millinery Opening

Elsewhere in our advertising columns today will be found the announcement of a millinery opening by Mrs. Olive D. Miner of Main street, corner of Main. It will be her endeavor to meet the requirements of the trade in the millinery line and by giving her personal attention to the making of hats to order she hopes to merit a considerable portion of that kind of work in this community. She will be pleased to have the ladies call and inspect her display at her millinery parlors next week Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—when she has her opening days. Mrs. Miner devotes her entire time to millinery, as she gave up dressmaking last year. She is thus the better prepared to meet the needs of the ladies in the matter of made to order millinery. She has been serving the local public in this capacity for several years and her patronage is steadily growing.

Janitor Thomas Gray of the Hall of Records was suffering with lamboago last week and was unable to attend to his duties. J. Watson Golee was drafted to fill the vacancy temporarily. When Mr. Gray got out of doors Sunday he found it convenient to lean upon a staff. He is back at his position once more. Mr. Gray is a very vigorous man and is rarely unfit for duty.

Choose One of These

In selecting your bicycle for 1911 get the best value you can for your money. Select one of the following makes and your satisfaction will be sure to follow:

Tribune Iver-Johnson Cleveland Columbia Hartford Pierce

Indian Motor Cycles Ford Automobiles

Bicycles and Automobile Sundries. Repairing and Overhauling.

W. E. LUETTGENS

Sporting Goods Farr Block Telephone

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THREE CENTS

HALES

The Last Day of March With its Snow Storms and Thunder Storms

We have passed through one of the most disagreeable months of the year. Cold and stormy weather has placed a damper on the real spring buying, but we start tomorrow upon what ought to be one of the best months of the year.

Only Two Weeks to EASTER

You have two weeks left in which to decide on your new spring suit, hat and gloves. Our store is fairly teeming with new spring goods.

OUR SUITS at \$12.98 and \$15.98
These two prices represent our specialty. All wool suits, lined with a guaranteed satin lining, trimmed with Persian silk or silk braids. The new 27-inch coats and every one altered to fit you without any extra charge. Others at \$9.98 to \$28.50

DRESS SKIRTS \$2.98 to \$18.50
SHIRT WAISTS 99c to \$4.98
You ought to see the new kimono sleeve, Marquisettes, hand embroidered.

The Millinery Exhibit
A most entrancing array of stylish models. Your attention is solicited.

"Carters," "Forest Mills" Underwear. (None better made)
"Gordon Dye" and "Onyx" Hosiery. (The two best makes)
"Fownes" Gloves. Silk or kid. (Either short or long)
Choice and dainty Neckwear 25c and 50c Exclusive and original designs.

BIG SHOWING OF Housefurnishings in the Basement

New arrivals in 5c 10c 25c goods.

This Store Closes Every Mon., Wed. and Thurs. at 6:30 p.m.

THE J. W. HALE CO.
Manchester's Home of Dry Goods

GRAND BAKING CARNIVAL

With **A GLENWOOD RANGE** All This Week
At Watkins Brothers



Expert cooking demonstration with a Glenwood range at our store

Tomorrow Saturday Will Be

LITTLE COOKS DAY

We offer three beautiful prizes (now on display in our window) for the best batches of biscuit baked by a young lady under sixteen. Every one welcomed to compete. We supply everything needed.
FIRST PRIZE Solid Oak Writing Desk
SECOND PRIZE Reed Rocker
THIRD PRIZE Picture in Weathered Oak Frame

Young ladies desiring to compete in this baking contest will kindly register their names as soon as possible. Remember, all you have to do is come to our store, mix up a batch of biscuit and bake them in the Glenwood. We furnish all materials used and biscuit will be judged by a committee of disinterested ladies.

Watkins Brothers

High School Graduation

The annual graduation exercises of the South Manchester High School will be held at Assembly Hall, high school building next Thursday evening beginning at eight o'clock and the following program will be carried out:

- Hunting Song
- Smart
- High School Chorus
- Industrial Education For Women
- Emma Wilhelmina Barowski
- Ellis Island Immigrant Station
- Robert Bolgett Cowles
- Ave Maria
- Abt
- Girls' Glee Club
- Harford's Outdoor School
- Hazel Jane Trotter
- Superstition
- Marion Dale Richmond
- Night In Seville
- Spanish Song
- High School Chorus
- The Call of the Sky
- L. E. Curtis-Rose
- Joan of Arc
- Gertrude Carter
- Waltz from "Fau"
- Gould
- Girls' Glee Club
- Program
- Madeline Louise Berger
- Presentation of Diploma
- Mr. Elwell Cheney
- Chairman of Committee
- Consider and Hear
- Pittsford
- High School Chorus

Notice

There will be preaching at the Pentecostal church of the Nazarenes Sunday, April 2nd at 7:30 by one of the M. E. Conference preachers. Rev. A. Hart, pastor.

The Clerks Say

We, the clerks of The J. W. Hale Company, and of Rubenow's Specialty Shop, desire to let you express our sincere appreciation of their action in determining to continue closing their stores on Wednesday evenings, indefinitely, as they have just decided to do. We take this means of making our feelings in this matter known publicly.

Clerks of The J. W. Hale Company, and of Rubenow's Specialty Shop

A son has been born to Willard and Mrs. Hunt of Hartford. Mr. Hunt is the son of Mrs. Mary J. Hunt of School street, and is well known in this place.

Saturday Half Holiday

A petition has been presented to Cheney Brothers this week signed by many hundreds of their employees asking that the help be given a Saturday half-holiday beginning April first. There is no limit of time set by the signers when the half holiday system shall terminate. Many there are in the employ of Cheney Brothers who would hail with delight the granting of a Saturday half-holiday all the year around. While it was not expected that the Saturday half-holiday would begin tomorrow, nevertheless it is being given as a special favor.

The employees feel that the Saturday half-holiday is a good investment for most of them. It would give them better opportunity for outdoor recreation, would save them in a degree from doctor's bills and from buying medicines and would enable them to do better work while they are employed. They look anxiously forward to have their petition granted.

On To Buffalo

The ladies' team of South Manchester Camp Modern Woodmen of America are looking forward with pleasant anticipations to their trip to Buffalo. They will leave Hartford Sunday, June 18 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon by special train going by way of Springfield and are due to arrive in Buffalo that same day at 9:30 o'clock in the evening. The fare for the round trip is but \$18.85. Persons other than members of the order desiring to take advantage of this special price offered can do so by making application to the members of the degree team, who in turn will communicate with the Head Camp Club Committee who have arranged for these special rates. If any there be who desire to have the Woodmen secure their special hotel accommodations and rates, they can do so and will find that the committee will take good care of them in accordance with the price they choose to pay for their accommodations. The degree team intend to spend one week on this trip, as they cannot well afford to be longer than that away from their respective duties here.

The greatest Hamburg edging and finishing sale held in this vicinity starts Wednesday morning at 8:30. Rubenow's specialty shop.



When You Come to This Store to Buy Spring Clothes

You'll realize that there is no store in town like it. Not alone because of greater stocks, but because of our determination to give better values—a bigger dollar's worth for every dollar you spend on your spring outfit.

- SUITS - \$10 to \$25**
- OVERCOATS \$10 to \$25**
- EMERSON SHOES \$3.50 and \$4.00**
- SPRING HATS SPRING SHIRTS**
- SPRING NECKWEAR**
- BOYS' SPRING TOGS**

C. E. House & Son
Head to Foot Clothiers

SPECIAL SALE OF Boys' Spring Suits

A special purchase of these suits during my recent trip to New York enables me to offer them at the following low prices: WM. RUBINOW

- BOYS' GREY CHECKED SUITS**
Sailor collar, knickerbocker pants, patent leather belts, sizes 3 to 7 years. Special price \$1.79
- BOYS' GREY INVISIBLE STRIPED SUITS**
Double breasted, bloomer pants, sizes 9 to 15 years. Special price \$1.98
- PURE WOOL**
Elegantly Tailored Boys' Suits, newest shade of brown, mohair lining; we can save you \$3 on this suit. Our special price \$5.00

THESE SUITS ARE NOW ON DISPLAY IN OUR WINDOWS

EXQUISITE SPRING MILLINERY FOR MISSES AND CHILDREN

We hereby cordially invite you to call and see our assortment of ready-to-wear hats for misses and children. It is our first millinery showing and we shall endeavor to live up to our reputation as always first showing newest goods.

EXHIBIT DAYS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MARCH 31 AND APRIL 1

FREE! FREE! Another 42-piece dinner set given away absolutely free next Friday. A dollar purchase entitles you to a contest card. Be sure and get one.

This store is open Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays until 9 p.m. and closes Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

RUBINOWS SPECIALTY SHOP

The NEW YORK STORE

Johnson Block Main Street Near Bisell
S. & H. Green Trading Stamps Free With Every Cash Purchase

NEW SPRING WAISTS

- LAWN WAISTS Lace and hamburger trimmed front, tucked back 98c
- LAWN WAISTS Embroidered front 98c
- Best Gingham House Dresses \$1.39
- NUN'S VEILING WAISTS Only a few left, tailor-made, value \$2.50 now \$1.79
- LADIES HOUSE DRESSES A new shipment of house dresses just received. Neat patterns in best percale 98c

Beginning next week this store will be open Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evening.

Ralstons Are Pleasingly Different

Did you ever wonder why most shoe advertisements are much alike? The answer is an easy one—it is because the shoes are so very much alike. Shoes which are made over ordinary lasts can't help but look much alike and have just about the same fitting qualities. It's because Ralston Shoes are made over foot-moulded lasts (an exclusive Ralston feature) that they are so decidedly superior to the ordinary \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 shoes.

If you will come in and try on a pair you'll notice the difference in short order.

George W. Smith

Office: William F. Madden has moved from Wells street to Oak street to the home recently purchased by Andrew Gustafson.

Robert Kittle, the Blue-ell street butcher is suffering with rheumatism and has been unable to attend to business for a few days this week.

S. Manchester News W.J. FLOOD: Pub. and Prop. 70-1000, Cor. Main and Charter Oak Sts. Home Phone

Issued Every Friday Afternoon Subscription: \$1.50 a Year in Advance Three Cents a Copy

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THE PRACTICABLE. Those things that are not practicable are not desirable. There is nothing in the world that is really beneficial that does not lie within the reach of an informed understanding and a well protected purse.

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Easter Sunday Is April 16th

Don't delay the selection of your new clothes. Visit The Surprise Store tomorrow and see the array of spring styles. Investigate and learn what other stores that do not make their own clothing can do.

Blue Serge Suits

Possible only in The Surprise Store at \$7.50. Men's and young men's suits of a strictly all wool pure worsted blue serge. This serge is a fine weave, full weight, dark blue navy serge, guaranteed absolutely fast color.

\$7.50

Special Suits

New lots of "special" \$10 suits just received. Choice of fully fifty different patterns in high grade pure worsteds and all wool cassimeres. Plain and fancy grays, tans and mixtures.

\$10

Men's Furnishings

Pure silk neckwear in all the new spring colorings and designs. Open end and reversible four-in-hand ties. Usual 50c value. Special.....25c

\$10



High Grade Suits

At \$15 you can select from a dozen different, distinctive smart spring 1911 models. Some with two and some with 3-button coats.

\$15

Finest Suits

Garments for \$20 that in every particular will delight the fastidious men. Suits that are all hand tailored and made of the finest fabrics from the world's best woolen and worsted mills.

\$20

Men's Trousers

Trousers for business wear. Made of very serviceable strong worsteds in medium and dark gray stripe effects. They are full cut, well tailored and will fit well.....\$1.50

Men's Hats

Specializing at \$1.45 hats that are exploited as "Special" at \$2.00 and \$3.50 in exclusive hat shops. Six new blocks in all dimensions in black berbers. Soft felt hats in trooper, golf, telescope and Alpine shapes in all the prevailing shades.....\$1.45

Easter Clothes For Boys

Every new idea in suits for the "young idea" will be found here. School suits, suits for confirmation and dress occasions, and suits for rough and ready wear—all are here at substantial savings that parents will appreciate.



Knicker Suits, sizes 7 to 16 and Russian blouse suits, sizes 3 to 8, of new fancy mixture materials and plain blue cheviot. Special.....\$1.50

Boys' and Children's suits at \$3 presenting choice of worsteds and chevions in double breasted knicker suits, sizes 7 to 16 and pretty little Russian blouse suits, sizes 3 to 8 years.....\$3.00

Pure worsted all wool blue serge suits sizes 7 to 17 years, and newest gray, tan and mixture suits. Also very high class Russian blouse suits. An assortment in all of nearly fifty different styles. Usual \$5 values, special.....\$3.50

For as little as \$2 you will find here very smart and serviceable mixture suits for boys 7 to 16 years. Cut on new roomy models, not skimping and exceedingly well made.....\$2.00

There is no reason to pay more than \$5 for a boy's suit if you come to The Surprise Store. No matter how fine quality you want, how smart style or how good tailoring, you will be satisfied with these splendid suits. Norfolk and double breasted knicker styles, many with a pair knicker pants.....\$5.00

The Surprise Store

33-35 Asylum Street Hartford Open Saturday Until 11 P.M.

Hogs. The above heading as appeared in any number of Connecticut papers the past week. It is all due to the fact that Selectman George H. Hunt, has badly mistaken his vocation. He should never have been content with being a farmer or even a town official. It is not too late for him to change now. He is fitted better than any man we ever knew to be the advertising agent for a patent medicine house. He would get "top of column, next to pure reading matter," every time. About ten days ago, as secretary of the Connecticut Berkshire Breeders Association he set out a circular to all the papers in the state and with the following "hook": "Is it too appropriate 't'igh to ask you to call attention to your paper as a news item to the enclosed circular inviting new members? There may be 'nothing in it' now, but if advertising is accumulative, then 'call' your bread upon the waters and it shall return to thee (as the best ham sandwich ever) after many days. If the request is too presumptuous, however you cannot possibly strike a better subject for a 'roast' than a good Berkshire pig."

Money is well spent in information and knowledge obtained, while 'swapping' points at the annual dinner, to say nothing of the strength gained, for every breeder's material benefit, by the welding together in a community of interest of all those engaged in such an important branch of the live stock industry." That the Secretary of the Berkshire Association is not only a royal good fellow but thoroughly believes in certain kinds of reciprocity, (and we are very sure that he will ultimately be a convert to the Canadian plan) is shown by his very generous offer to the Connecticut Editorial Association at its next meeting, which will be found elsewhere on this page.—Enquirer, Litchfield.

How To Treat A Man (By A Horse) When a man drops from sheer exhaustion or illness, promptly seize an end board or cart stake and pound him on the head or on the ribs. If this does not fully recuperate him, knock him violently in the stomach. This treatment will restore him if persistently adhered to. If a man finds his head too heavy, and feels that he will seriously strain him to proceed with a fence board or knob.

Poetry Didn't Bring The Ten A Pennsylvania farmer whose hog was killed by a train wrote to the company's claim agent for a settlement. He penned his communication thus: "Dear Sir—My razor had strolled down your track a week ago today. My twenty-nine came down the line and smuffed his life away. You can't blame me, the hog you see, slipped through a cattle gate, so kindly put a check for ten, the debt is liquidated." He received the following reply: "Old twenty-nine came down the line and killed your hog, we know, but razors don't run on railroad tracks quite often meet with you. Therefore my friend, we cannot send the check for which you pine. Just plant the dead, place 'er its head, 'Here lies a foolish swine.'"—Ex.

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AN IMPRESSIVE ASSEMBLAGE OF AUTHENTIC SPRING FASHIONS AN EXTREMELY SPECIAL SALE AT HARTFORDS LEADING SUIT DEPARTMENT

A forceful demonstration of the Wise, Smith & Co., method of selling the smartest styles, in exquisitely tailored garments at the lowest prices consistent with quality worthy of your patronage. Special advance arrangements with the best makers and designers in New York have borne fruit in the most distinctive display of thoroughly exclusive fashions to be found in the city of Hartford.



OUR SPECIAL WAISTS AT \$2.98. We are now offering at \$2.98 a fancy ribbon waist of messaline and lace, in blue, brown, pink, sea, gray, violet, white, cadet blue, pink and light blue, regular \$3.98 values at \$2.98

WOMENS TAILORED SUITS SPECIAL AT \$14.98. Plain tailored suits of all wool serge, short coat satin lined, two button front, with notch collar and revers, tailored cuffs, straight model skirt, trimmed border of self cloth and buttons, black, blue gray, tan and green, regular \$17.50 values, here at \$14.98

WOMENS TAILORED SUITS SPECIAL AT \$22.50. Novelty mixture wool worsted suits, short coat pea de cygne lined, notch collar and revers, straight model skirt, colors are olive, brown, green and garnet combination mixtures, regular \$25 values here at \$22.50

THREE SPECIAL OFFERS FROM OUR SKIRT STOCK. At \$3.98 all wool panama skirts in the new 'gore' straight effect model with border through center of self cloth with 5 tucked and 6 self buttons, in black, blue, gray and tan. A wide range of women's, misses and extra sizes.

At \$5.00 stylish fine quality panama skirts, 6-gore model with two panels of three knee plaits each, finished with braid and buttons, colors are black, blue and smoke in a wide range of women's, misses and extra sizes.

At \$6.98, misses and women's stylish black voile skirts, 9-gore models with two panels of eight knee plaits each. Entire front of embroidery over knee plaits, regular \$7 values at \$6.98

WOMENS TAILORED SUITS SPECIAL AT \$16.98. Your choice of several models in plain serge, hairline stripes or mannish mixtures, the coats are the new short models, guaranteed satin lined notch collar lined with satin, cuffs and bottom of coat braid trimmed, new model skirt trimmed with self cloth and soutache braid, regular \$20 values at \$16.98

WOMENS TAILORED SUITS SPECIAL AT \$24.98. Fine Botany serges in several models, 3-part coat, smartly trimmed, and skirt with straight lines trimmed to match coat, colors in blue, green, brown and black as well as novelty mixtures and black and white checks, regular \$27.50 values here at \$24.98

STYLISH SPRING COATS. At \$8.98 women's full length novelty mixture tweed coats, 3-button front, notch collar, inlaid with plain cloth, tailored cuffs, slit pockets, semi fitting back, colors are gray and tan, regular \$10.00 values, special at \$8.98

At \$11.98 women's plain tailored 32-inch long coats of blue and black all wool serge, semi fitting back, 3-button front, notch collar satin inlaid, regular \$15 values at \$11.98

At \$16.98 women's all wool full length serge coats, semi fitting back, body and sleeves satin lined, large sailor collar and edged with champagne colored silk and covered with black satin cuffs to match, regular \$20 values at \$16.98

WOMENS TAILORED SUITS SPECIAL AT \$18.98. Novelty striped of all wool worsteds, plain tailored, four button front coat, satin lined, notch collar and revers inlaid satin, slit pockets, new model skirt; blue, gray and black, regular \$22.50 values here at \$18.98

WOMENS TAILORED SUITS SPECIAL AT \$35.00. Copies of accepted foreign models, very hand some suits of fine imported worsted, short coat lined with pea de cygne, 2-button front, fancy strap pockets, notch collar, revers and cuffs of fancy stripe silk inlaid to match, straight model skirt, light and dark gray, tan and green, regular \$39.95 value \$35.00

MISSSES AND JUNIOR TAILOR MADE SUITS. For the little junior girl or young miss in sizes 12 to 20 years, we offer the largest and varied assortment to be found in New England. Our stock is complete in every detail as to the correctness of styles and charming new effects and popular colorings. Prices range from \$7.98 to \$35.00.

MISSSES TAILORED SUIT SPECIAL AT \$16.98. Handsome sailor collar short coat model suit of all wool serge, coat is 3-button front, satin lined, with sailor collar with braid edge and fancy patch pockets, new model gore skirt, comes in tan, copenhagen and navy blue, regular \$20.00 values, here at \$16.98.

MISSSES TAILORED SUITS SPECIAL AT \$19.98. A stunning model suit of French serge, short coat quality silk lined, collar, revers, cuffs and bottom of coat trimmed in fancy effects, new inlaid gore skirt, front panel of braid embroidery, these suits come in copenhagen, tan and blue, regular \$22.50 value \$19.98

WISE, SMITH & COMPANY :- HARTFORD

NOTICE OF THE TAX COLLECTOR. All persons liable by law to pay Town or Personal Taxes in the TOWN OF MANCHESTER. Are hereby notified that I will have a rate bill for 1910, of \$ 8 1/2 cents on the dollar, due and collectible on the 15th day of March, 1911, and that I will meet them at the

HALL OF RECORDS EACH WEEK DAY FROM MARCH 15th to APRIL 15th Inclusive, Excepting Friday, April 14. HOURS FROM 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

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Letters From The People. Ten-Cent Trolley Fare. Editor of The News: Believing your paper to be an important touch with the working man and also favorable to his views I am taking the liberty of forwarding this communication for publication with a view of enlightening your readers concerning the ten-cent fare issue and facts pertaining to same.

It will be recalled that Representatives Harry M. Burke and Aaron Johnson conducted a most vigilant fight in favor of the reduced fare between here and Hartford in the general assembly two years ago and, although the bill was defeated, that fight paved the way for what Manchester people thought would be a most successful fight this year. Both the Hon. W. S. Hyde and the Hon. Aaron Johnson pledged themselves to do all in their power if elected to the general assembly and they who attended the first hearing of the Railroad Committee on youth for the fulfillment of their promise. At that hearing the opposition to the ten-cent fare was furnished entirely by representatives of The Connecticut Company but last Tuesday's re-hearing was somewhat different.

Yours for justice, Willard B. Rogers, South Manchester, Conn., March 29, 1911.

Farwell Reception. A farwell reception was given Mrs. William Starke Tuesday afternoon at the home of her aunt, Mrs. B. J. Hartlett of Pine street by the ladies of the Temple Chapter Order of the Eastern Star, some 80 of whom united to give Mrs. Starke a genuine surprise—which indeed they did. Mrs. Bartlett invited Mrs. Starke to spend the afternoon with her and on her arrival she found the ladies in waiting to receive her. Music and social intercourse and a bonfire of good wishes were enjoyed. The great surprise of the occasion for Mrs. Starke was the presentation to her of gifts from her sister members. Mrs. Julia Hart presented her with a gold gold Eastern Star jewel in behalf of the officers of last year, among whom Mrs. Starke served as Ruth, and Mrs. L. N. Boehner presented her with a glass fruit dish in behalf of the lodge generally. Both Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Boehner also presented Mrs. Starke with a beautiful necklace of the lodge. Mrs. Starke thanked the ladies very kindly for these lovely testimonials of esteem. Mrs. and Mrs. Starke are preparing to leave town and move to Hartford where Mrs. Starke has recently secured an appointment as superintendent of the new and elegant state library building on Capital Hill. They will be back in town the last week of a large and devoted circle of admiring friends.

Expanding. Evidence of increasing prosperity are being shown day by day at Rutland Specialty Shop and efforts are being constantly made to meet public requirements. This is in keeping with the general development of the town and it is to be commended. As an evidence of progressive business Rutland Specialty Shop has this week added a line of tools to wear hats for ladies and misses—openings of which must now be seen there. The store has also been enlarged this week by removing the partitions on the north side of the room, taking away the office that was used by the watchman, and extending the balcony and substituting therefor a new balcony. This change permits the widening of the aisle and greatly to the facilities for displaying a considerably enlarged stock. Progress has ever been the watchword of Rutland Specialty Shop.

Postal Savings Banks. The officials of the postoffice department at Washington, D. C. are so well satisfied with the workings of the postal savings banks throughout the United States, as follows: Bristol, Conn., weekly, R. I., Boston, Mass., Dover, N. H., and Waterville, Me. Our enterprising neighbors in the bustling borough of Bristol are to be congratulated upon this addition to their business equipment. The small department will be accumulated thereby accordingly. The service will be installed within a few months.

Nice Home or Investment. 12 room 2 family house near Center where new school and other new buildings are fast increasing land values. Must be sold at once. Has bath, lights, well finished, fine condition. Large veranda around front and side. Old but not dilapidated. For less than \$3000. Will sell to quick buyer for \$2000. Easy terms. Faulkner, Bank Bldg.

High grade foreign and domestic wall papers at reasonable prices. Manchester Wall Paper Store, 41 Spruce street.

Back From South. Edmund A. Rogers, son of Alexander and Mrs. Rogers of School street came to town last Saturday evening very much to the surprise of his parents as he had not apprised them of his coming. For the past year and a half Mr. Rogers has been living in Texas and New Mexico. He has recently recovered from a severe illness with a fever but has completely overcome its effect and now is looking hale and hearty. He expects to re-enter the employ of his uncle, David C. Alder, who is doing business in New York City and in Paterson, N. J. He was cordially greeted by his many friends in this place where he was born and where he spent most of his life.

An eight-pound boy was born Tuesday morning to Christopher and Mrs. Glennie. Mother and child are getting on nicely. Mr. Glennie has been handling out cigars store to customers and friends coming into the store of Glennie & Hillman, the popular young shoe dealers on Main street in the Park block, and extending congratulations.

Window glass, mirrors, picture framing, varnishing, etc. Manchester Wall Paper Store, 41 Spruce street.

How to Cure Chronic Colds and Bronchitis. Blueval, Ont., May 4, 1910. I was sick for two years with a chronic cold and bronchitis and a consequent run-down condition. I received no benefit from doctors, and had to give up work. VINOL was recommended and from the second bottle I commenced to improve. —I gained in weight and strength, my cold and bronchial trouble disappeared, and I am at work again. I want to recommend VINOL to anyone who is in need of such a medicine.—Thomas Hirston. It is the combined action of the curative elements of the cold's fever aided by the blood making and strength creating properties of tonic iron contained in VINOL which makes it so successful in curing stubborn colds and bronchitis. VINOL is a constitutional remedy for chronic coughs, colds, bronchitis and pulmonary troubles, and a palliative for coughs, croup and asthma. Try a bottle of VINOL. If you don't think it helped you, we will return your money. J. H. Quinn & Co., Druggists, South Manchester, Conn.

THE HALL OF FAME. ABRAHAM LINCOLN—Sixteenth president of United States. Born Hardin county, Ky., Feb. 12, 1809; died Washington, April 15, 1865. Having been shot in back, he died a few hours later. He was a native of Kentucky and in 1831 he was elected to the U. S. House of Representatives. He was a member of Congress 1846-48. Admitted to the bar in 1836. He was elected to the U. S. Senate in 1848, and served in the U. S. Army during the Mexican War. He was elected to the U. S. House of Representatives in 1850, and re-elected in 1852 and 1854.

Have a Hudson New England or Haverford Bicycle

and your satisfaction will be sure. Remember that the above bicycles are strongly guaranteed and that we stand ready to back this guarantee at all times. You are not taking a chance in buying one of these bicycles. Come and look over our large exhibition.

The Harley-Davidson Motor Cycle

is sure to meet the satisfaction of a person looking for a motor cycle with nice lines, simplicity, neatness, all the latest improvements and which is built to stay.

Athletic Goods

We have a complete line of Athletic Goods, which can be found The Louisville Slugger Base Ball Bat which is used by all the "Big Leaguers." Why not have your bicycle put in good running order now? Remember that all our Bicycle Tires are fully guaranteed for this year.

Madden Brothers

Old Cheney Block Main Cor. Charter Oak Telephone

Conference Here

The New England Southern Conference is holding its sessions here this week and has some 250 accredited delegates besides other out of town people interested in its sessions. It is estimated that there are at least 400 persons attending the conference from out of town. Sessions are being held daily in accordance with the program published in these columns last week. The people of the town have responded freely when called upon to provide stopping places for many of the visitors. Our hotels are accommodating as many as they can but the number so housed is comparatively few. The conference restaurant at Cheney Hall is furnishing meals for fully 250 persons daily.

The big musical evening of the conference was Wednesday when talented artists gave their efforts at Cheney Hall. The hall was filled notwithstanding the fact that a heavy thunder storm prevailed throughout the evening. The electric lights were put out of commission by the lightning but the gas was soon lighted and the business of the Conference went forward without much interruption. The electric lights were out for about one-half hour.

The details of the big conference are being managed smoothly and the committees having the work in charge are doing heroic service. The Conference as a whole is proving a fine success so far as good management can make it such.

One Year Old

Dillon & Tryon, the young merchants who own the Central Market in Orange Hall, East Center street, have been in business just one year and are highly pleased with the success they have had. They are celebrating the event just now by offering the public special prices on Spiced Sunday morning at all most the market. Among other things they are selling strictly fresh eggs at 21 cents a dozen or five dozen for one dollar. Well, that is going some when you think the 45 to 55 cents a dozen you have been paying during the past year. Read their advertisement in another column of The News today.

Death of Clarence Hastings

Clarence Hastings died at his home in Akron, Ohio, Wednesday night from heart consumption. The body is being brought here for burial. A telegram received here this morning stated that the funeral party was expected to arrive here Sunday morning at seven o'clock. It is not known exactly what time the burial will take place. The present plan is to take the body direct from the Manchester station to the East cemetery. Burial will be private. His mother, Mrs. E. C. Hastings, and his sister, Mrs. Fitch B. Barber, left here a week ago today for Akron. They are coming back with the body as it is his wife.

Past Masters Night

Past masters night was observed last Tuesday evening by Manchester Lodge No. 13 A. F. and A. M. when the master master's degree was conferred upon Frank Spencer of Manchester. A substantial collation was served at the close of the work of the evening, the banquet all being especially decorated with flowers, colored electric lights and garlands of evergreens for the occasion. Music, song and speech added to the festivities of the evening and a right royal time was enjoyed. The attendance was unusually large including brethren from neighboring lodges and some of the ministers who are attending the Methodist conference in this place this week.

Something New

E. T. Carrier, the Charter Oak street store dealer has just received a Crawford Pattern Range, having a glass door, which is something entirely new and is just being put on the market. The importance and utility of this improvement will impress itself upon anyone seeing it. The whole size of the oven door is made of soft glass which is so annealed that it will not be affected by the amount of heat which the oven door is cooking range is subjected. This device enables the housewife to watch the progress of her bread, biscuits or cakes while baking, or the browning of her roasts of meat, and this without opening the oven door and thus letting in the colder air and lowering the temperature of the oven. The usual thermometer is also in place on the oven door.

This range is made by the famous Crawford range manufacturers of the Pittsburgh, Pa. firm who own the patent rights to this glass oven door and the reputation of the Crawford people is a sufficient guarantee for the quality of the range independent of the new glass door which speaks for itself.

Mr. Carrier would be pleased to have the public call at his store and inspect this new piece of kitchen service. It can be found only at his store. It is really a useful range to any kitchen range and is destined to come into popular favor. Call and see it for yourselves and also tell your neighbors about it.

Beautiful Home For Sale

The 6 room home near the center, with light, bath, furnace, cement cellar, hard wood finish, fine chicken coop, advertised at \$2050, will now be sold to a quick buyer for \$2350. Easy terms. House could not be built for this price and is worth considerable. This D. Faulkner, Real Estate Insurance, Steamship Tickets.

TEN CENT FARE

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ments put the matter to a vote, and if his statement was not borne out by that vote he wouldn't ask the committee to report in favor of the ten-cent fare. Attorney Lucius Robinson speaking for The Connecticut Company read an editorial notice from The Manchester Herald opposing the proposed granting of a ten-cent fare. Mr. Robinson said it was a local paper and might fairly be taken to represent the local sentiment of the Town of Manchester. A voice exclaimed "It represents the local sentiment of the people of the Town of Manchester but damn little in this case." Practically every resident of Manchester present laughed outright and uttered protest's against the reading of the notice. When Mr. Robinson finished reading the newspaper article he referred to the figures presented by Auditor Campbell which he admitted were theoretical.

Isiah Springston rose and inquired from local sources did that editorial which Mr. Robinson had just read emanate. As Mr. Robinson did not answer the question, Mr. Springston proceeded to state that it was written according to suggestion of Mr. Robinson and that financial interests in the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company are owned by some of the Cheneys.

H. O. Bowers said that he had no doubt authority that that particular editorial was written by one of the proprietors of the paper as the result of an interview held with H. race B. Cheney Tuesday morning. Announcements of the appointments are not expected to be made before Sunday or Monday.

Alexander Arnott corroborated what had been said relative to the good condition of the road in the case of the proprietors of the paper as the result of an interview held with H. race B. Cheney Tuesday morning. Announcements of the appointments are not expected to be made before Sunday or Monday.

A BUSINESS MAN

Who has "Too many irons in the fire" cannot do justice to all of them. We devote all of our time and experience to the shoe business and consequently are better prepared to serve shoe buyers than those who divide their attention between several departments.

The spring lines of shoes, thousands of dollars worth of which are already on our shelves, are unsurpassed even in the largest city stores. They are the acme of nobly appearance, comfort and durability and the prices are right. Comparatively low expenses enable us to undermine city prices.

In addition to soliciting consideration before you make your spring purchases we wish to thank the public of Manchester for its generous patronage during the past winter as the increase in our sales in rubber goods alone aggregated many hundreds of dollars, which was undoubtedly due to the low prices, at which we have been selling rubber goods.

ODDS AND ENDS WAY BELOW COST AS WE CARRY

NO DEAD STOCK
STEAMSHIP TICKETS

BOSTON SHOE STORE

209 Main St. Alex. Rogers, Prop.

SOUVENIRS

Post Card Views So. Manchester
Largest Assortment in Town

A. T. DEWEY & CO.

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Choose One of These

In selecting your bicycle for 1911 get the best value you can for your money. Select one of the following makes and your satisfaction will be sure to follow

- Tribune
- Iver-Johnson
- Cleveland
- Columbia
- Hartford
- Pierce
- Indian Motor Cycles
- Ford Automobiles

Bicycles and Automobile Sundries.
Repairing and Overhauling.

W. E. LUETTGENS

Sporting Goods Farr Block Telephone

Spring Fashion Exhibit

COME—See what the season has brought forth in apparel for men and young men. COME Not to buy but to look at what we consider the richest displays of wearables ever shown in Manchester.

Men's and Young Men's Suits \$10 to \$25

Spring Overcoats \$15 to \$25

NEW MODLES---NEW FABRIC DESIGNS

Furnishings

The famous Cluett Shirts—choice from a collection of beautiful patterns, \$1.50 and more. Special displays of only the best in Neckwear—every wanted color and shade—25c and 50c GLOVES—HALF HOSE

Select Your Spring Hat Now

Let it be a Lamson & Hubbard or a Crofut & Knapp at \$3.00. Come here and we'll see that you get the style and shape that is most becoming to you.

Emerson Shoes \$3.50 & \$4

Dorothy Dodd Shoes \$3.50 and \$4.00

C. E. House & Son

Head to Foot Clothiers

South Manchester News

HALES Spring at Last SEVEN SHOPPING DAYS TO EASTER

Follow the Crowd Headed for Hales

We never were in a better position to satisfy the people of Manchester than we are today. With our up-to-date, modern store filled with the best that the world produces and offering you every inducement that price and quality will permit we ask for your attention.

Our Millinery

The most exacting find satisfaction from a stock that is not only distinctly stylish; but unusually reasonable.

Our Garments

All wool garments made to wear as well as look at. We fit everyone from baby to grandma.

Our Corsets

The leading makes always carried in stock from \$1.00 to \$5.00

Our Underwear

Forest Mills and Carter's are well known to say more. Our stock ranges from 10c to \$6.00 a garment. From cotton to silk.

Our Hosiery

The leading makes such as "Onyx" Gordon Dye "Leyton." We carry the best 25c and 50c hosiery sold in America, without exception.

Our Gloves

For over 40 years Fowles gloves have stood the test. We carry both silk and kid. Over twenty two hundred pairs of gloves in stock.

Our Fancy Goods

Our running counter offers you the latest and our neckwear stock is worth your earnest attention.

The Muslin Underwear

Kept under glass all the time, it comes to you as sweet and fresh as the day it was made.

For Baby

This week we are making a special showing for the baby. See our window display. It means that we can fit him complete from tip to toe with the cheap cotton or the finest silk.

In the Basement

All the New Housefurnishing Goods at the lowest prices. Special for this week. INITIAL TUMBLERS 50c doz.

THE J. W. HALE CO.

Manchesters Home of Dry Goods

Against Army Appropriation

The committee on Appropriations will give a hearing at the Capitol in Hartford next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of listening to the protests of persons here who are opposed to having any state funds appropriated for the construction of a new armory in this place. A hearing has already been held at which those favoring such an appropriation were heard, but the opponents of the bill were not admitted to the hearing. In order to satisfy local demands Representative W. S. Hyde has arranged for another hearing, as noted above. It is expected that a number from here who are opposed to the measure will be present and be heard at that time.

Mr. James Sullivan of Pine street is suffering with varicose veins one of which was ruptured last week. She is unable to be out of bed.

Daniel Shaw has returned from the hospital where he passed safely through an attack of pneumonia. He looks ruddy and strong, but says that his looks are deceptive to the public.

The Wednesday evening store closing movement has been adopted permanently by the group of stores in the thickly settled business section of the city. They are observing that agreement during the winter months. They signed a writing to that effect this week.

Rev. W. E. Taylor was reappointed as pastor of the North Methodist church by the New England Southern Conference which closed its sessions here last Monday after a week's deliberations. Rev. Mr. Taylor will enter upon the eighth year of his pastorate at the North Methodist church.

Killed By Trolley Wreck

Conductor George Ferguson of Middleburg was instantly killed in a trolley wreck Monday shortly after midnight at the junction of Union and West streets in Rockville. Motorman James A. Wilcox of Rockville was running the car. He lost control of the car as it came down Union Hill. When the car reached the curve it jumped the tracks and turned on its side at the curbing across the street, tearing the body of the car in part from the trucks and pinning Conductor Ferguson under the wheels. It is said he was hurled through the windows by the terrific impact. There were but two passengers on the car at the time of the accident and both were from this place, namely, Robert Metcalf and William Nave. Mr. Metcalf was cut about the head and face by flying glass and somewhat bruised beside. Mr. Nave escaped without much injury and was able to go to work the next morning.

Funeral of Conductor Ferguson

The funeral of Conductor Ferguson took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. W. F. Taylor of the North Methodist church officiating. Burial was at the Rockland cemetery. Wastings Lodge and Orange Lodge and Memorial Lodge, Knights of Pythias and a number of the trolley employees turned out in a body and marched to the cemetery.

Mr. Ferguson leaves a widow and two small children a boy of six years and a girl of two.

He also leaves his parents, Joseph and Mrs. Ferguson of North School street and three brothers, Thomas of Rockville, William of Hillardville and Robert of Hartford.

Olivet To Calvary

The inspiring cantata Olivet to Calvary will be sung at the South M. E. church in this place next Thursday evening under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Crowell, the organist and director. Mrs. Mason, soprano, and Fredrick Hastings, tenor, both of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. Florence Keating, Cooke, contralto and Frederick Greenwood, both of Hartford will sing the leading parts and will be supported by a chorus of 45 voices. This religious musical composition was sung at the South M. E. Church here last year and attracted much attention. The church was crowded to overflowing despite the inclemency of the weather. More than one hundred persons were unable to gain admission. There is no charge for the privileges of the concert. A solemn requiem high mass will be sung at the St. James church at nine o'clock. Burial will be at the St. James cemetery.

Mr. Durkin was a native of Ireland, was born in 1816 and left his native land for free America thirty seven years ago. He came to Manchester fifty years ago. He spent the major portion of his long life on the farm. He is survived by his aged widow, by two daughters, Mrs. John Digney and Miss Mary Durkin, all of whom live together on East Center street.

Selectmen To Meet

The regular monthly public meeting of the board of selectmen will be held at the Hall of Records next Monday evening at eight o'clock. Persons having any grievances to be heard or any petitions to present may appear then and there and free their minds. The selectmen hold these public meetings for just such purposes and it is the privilege of the populace to take advantage of same and bring their causes of complaint into the light of publicity. Do not suffer in silence. Come out and be heard. If you cannot do the talking for yourself interest some friend who can or retain some attorney to do it for you.

W. C. T. U.

The local meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Danford M. Benton on Cheney street next Tuesday afternoon, April 11, at 2:45 o'clock. Miss Miller, who represents The Connecticut Bible Society will address the meeting and talk of her work among foreign speaking people in the cities among the girls of the same class in the industrial schools.

You Are Invited

To call and inspect the records of the insurance companies represented by Faulkner's Fire Insurance Agency in Bank Bldg. and see for yourself that they are some of the oldest, strongest and largest companies. Our system is such that expirations are carefully looked after and your interests always protected.

There will be a men's meeting at Van the Haller's, 100 Asylum street, Hartford, Saturday, April 15, to decide on your new Easter hat. All are invited.

Graduation Last Evening

The eighteenth annual graduating exercises of the South Manchester High School took place at A-assembly Hall last evening and thirty-four graduates received their diplomas. Because of an unwelcome visitation of measles at the last moment, Marion Dale Richmond, daughter of Robert and Mrs. Richmond of South Main street could not attend and consequently did not receive her diploma in the usual public manner. She was also listed as one of the graduates, who through superior educational proclivity was permitted to represent the class as a speaker. The class of '11 is the largest graduated here in 40 years. The speakers all acquitted themselves in a creditable manner and their efforts were enthusiastically greeted by the large and friendly audience which filled the hall. The program was published in these columns last week.

Appropriation Granted

A special meeting of the Ninth School District incorporated was held at Assembly Hall Wednesday evening and an additional appropriation of \$10,000 for the new school building now in course of construction at the corner of Public and a number of the trolley employees turned out in a body and marched to the cemetery.

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Obituary

MATTHEW DUKIN

Matthew Durkin died at his home on East Center street yesterday morning at the ripe age of 85 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will be at the St. James cemetery.

Mr. Durkin was a native of Ireland, was born in 1816 and left his native land for free America thirty seven years ago. He came to Manchester fifty years ago. He spent the major portion of his long life on the farm. He is survived by his aged widow, by two daughters, Mrs. John Digney and Miss Mary Durkin, all of whom live together on East Center street.

Ralstons Are Pleasingly Different

Did you ever wonder why most shoe advertisements are much alike? The answer is an easy one—it is because the shoes are so very much alike. Shoes which are made over ordinary lasts can't help but look much alike and have just about the same fitting qualities. It's because Ralston Shoes are made over foot-moulded lasts (an exclusive Ralston feature) that they are so decidedly superior to the ordinary \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 shoes.

If you will come in and try on a pair you'll notice the difference in short order.

George W. Smith

Special Meat Prices for Saturday

- Rib Roast.....16c
- Boston Roast.....12c to 14c
- Shoulder Roast.....10c to 12c
- Leg of Lamb.....14c
- Lamb Steaks.....5c
- Home Dressed Pork.....14c
- Bolognas.....12c
- Hamburg Steak.....12c
- 3 lbs Frankfurts.....25c
- Sausage Meat.....12c
- Salt Pork.....14c
- Short Steak.....18c
- Porter House Steak.....24c
- Spiced Steak.....16c to 18c
- 3 lbs Shoulder Steak.....25c
- Lamb Chops.....18c
- Daisy Ham.....18c
- Spring Chicken.....20c
- Fresh Sliced Ham.....15c
- Home Cured Bacon lb.....22c
- Home Cured Bacon lb.....22c
- Smoked Shoulders.....12-12c
- Fresh Pork Shoulders.....13c
- Home Veal Chops.....18c
- Creamery Butter.....27c

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