

When digestion is perfect, the blood is enriched with the elements that the body needs to repair waste and supply working energy. Goetz's bread is the best food for you.

HERE'S YOUR GOOD HEALTH AND YOUR FAMILY'S—MAY THEY ALL LIVE LONG AND PROSPER!

NEW ENGLAND BEER POPULAR EVERYWHERE. Its high reputation is not the result of accident but the product of brewing and aging from only the best materials.

THE HARTFORD THEATER AFTERNOONS 2c and 10c. EVENINGS 10c, 25c, 35c and 50c. Dorothy Donnelly in "The Thief"

Parsons Theater Tonight and Twice Tomorrow "The Queen of The Movies"

Ask For ORIGINAL HORLICK'S Avoid Imitations—Take No Substitute. Rich milk, malted grain in powder form.

Local Paragraphs INTERESTING ITEMS DROPPED DOWN FOR BUSY READERS. Miss Mary Conroy of the St. James parochial residence is sick and unable to be out of bed.

The banks here are closed all day today for inventory. J. Laidley of 46th street was in New York City over the Christmas holidays.

CHANGE IN POLICE BEATS SOUTH END HAS EXTRA PATROLMAN AND NEW BEATS ASSIGNED. Officer At Police Headquarters From Eleven P. M. Until Four A. M.—Traffic Officer At Center Withdrawn—Arrangements of Different Beats.

A Full Stock I CAN SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS IN WALL PAPERS VARNISHES PAINTS KALSOIMINE WHITE WASH BRUSHES AND ALL SUPPLIES. J. F. TYNAN 4 ORCHARD ST. South Manchester

I Use Pure Paint. I know it's pure for I make it myself. Fresh for every job with Carter White Lead, pure linseed oil and turpentine.

Imagine Buying a Piano for \$5.00. You can do it—and we'll give you a clean receipt for the piano if you come to our store during the next ten days.

Used Upright Pianos. One Willard & Brown Mahogany Case. One Fischer Ebony Case. One Guild Ebony Case.

Square Pianos. One Hallett & Davis. One Hardman. One Vox & Sons. One Fisher. One New York Union. One Albert W. Ladd. One Chickering. One Henry F. Miller.

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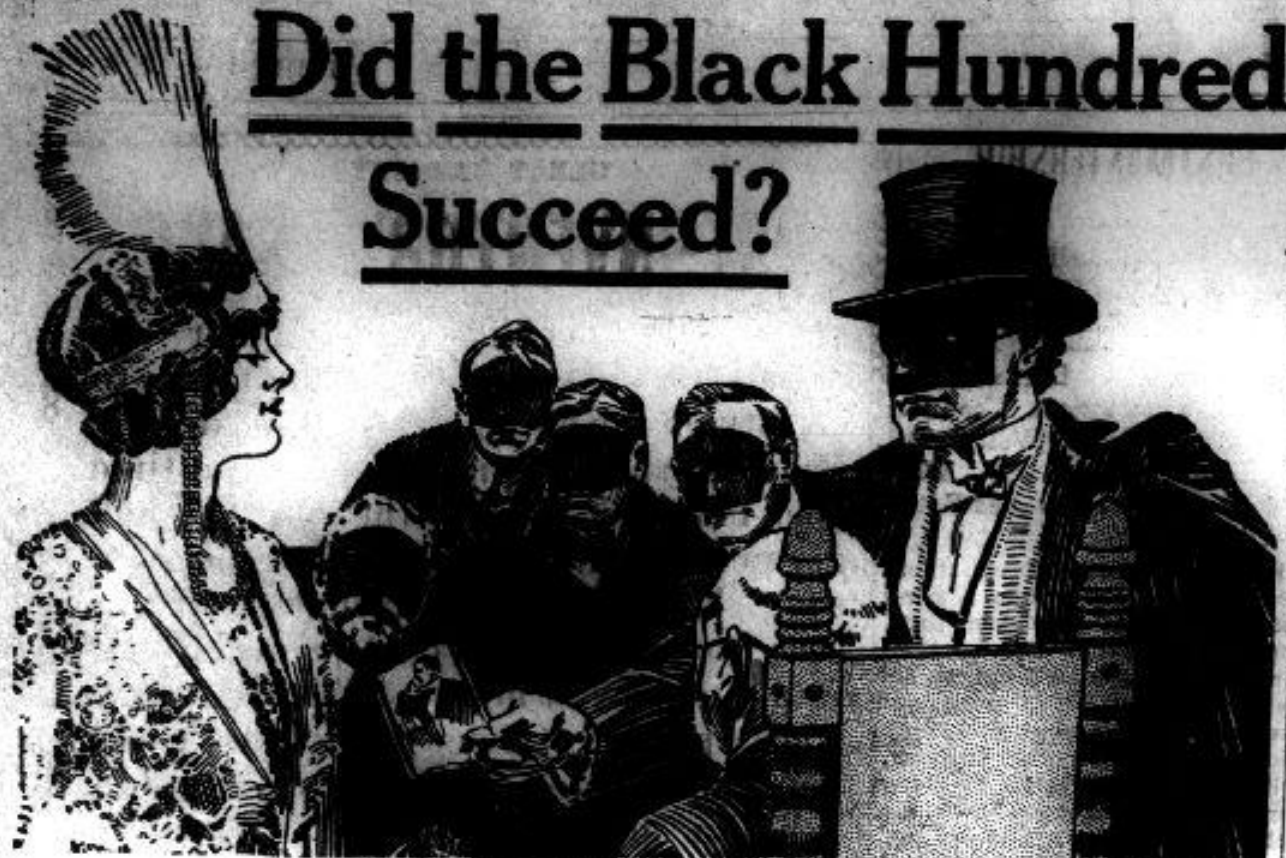
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PRE-Inventory SALE. A sale specially planned for the woman who is critically fastidious as to fit, style, fabric and finishing details of her garments and at the same time does not wish to pay the prices such garments command early in the season.

NEXT FRIDAY

Did the Black Hundred Succeed?



Two mysterious hands are seen reaching into the safe—One Million Dollars disappears! Did the Black Hundred succeed in securing the fortune? Has this band of Russian Millionaires outwitted clever Stanley Hargreaves, New York man of affairs? The entire story of this baffling mystery will be told—only as Harold MacGrath can tell it—in this paper. Be sure to read

The Million Dollar Mystery

OPENING CHAPTERS

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"The Million Dollar Mystery" brings to light the mysterious ceremonies of the Black Hundred—a band of Russian Millionaires—how they have before appeared in her fanatical designs. It reveals the innermost secrets of this internationally known society. Into this thrilling story Harold MacGrath has brought more dramatic action—more unique adventures—more exciting romances—than have ever before appeared in his novels. His beautiful heroine, Florence Gray, will command your admiration by her daring deeds. His extraordinary climax are bound to grip you.

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PUBLIC FORUM

Under this heading we shall be pleased to receive communications from any of our readers upon topics of general interest and especially upon questions touching our local affairs. Ed. News

What is Blasphemy? Judging by the conclusion of "A Preacher's" last article and by his refusal to debate with me on any subject I think he intends to strike if he has not already struck. Let me assure him in the language of John Paul Jones that "I haven't begun to fight."

to the true spirit of Christ? Is it blasphemy when I say that true Christianity cannot be a patriot who believes that a single killing is murder but wholesale killing is honorable? Is it blasphemy when I mention the fact that the church is guilty of wholesale murder because she does not forbid men to join the army and the navy and does not protest against the manufacture of guns and bullets.

When speaking of my proposition for a debate, Mr. Preacher says that he told me in the plainest language possible that Christianity as it is preached and practiced today is not the original Christianity which Christ taught. If Mr. Preacher does not call that which he preaches and practices today Christianity, then what is it? In other words, what is the name of the religion that he preaches?

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IN GOLD TO BE GIVEN AWAY TO THE BOYS AND GIRLS. A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY TO WIN A BIG PRIZE Contest Starts Monday, Jan. 18 and Ends Saturday, Feb. 27, 1915

CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST

This contest will last six weeks, commencing Monday, January 18th, and ending Saturday, February 27th, 1915. Every boy and girl is eligible to compete. The Money Prizes will be awarded to the boy or girl selling the greatest number of pounds of coffee, irrespective of price. If you sell a pound of 30c coffee, it will count as much as a pound of 85c.

PRIZES

- 1st \$500 IN GOLD
2d 400.00 IN GOLD
3rd 300.00 IN GOLD
4th 200.00 IN GOLD
5th 100.00 IN GOLD
6th to 10th 50.00 EACH IN GOLD
11th to 20th 25.00 EACH IN GOLD
21st to 70th 10.00 EACH IN GOLD
71st to 170th lac. 5.00 EACH IN GOLD

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any boy or girl who does not receive any of the above money prizes will receive their choice of a SILVER SILVER or GOLD FILLED WATCH. Retail value \$5.00; or PREMOTTIE JR. No. 1 CAMERA. Retail value the watch over \$5.00. Made by the Eastman Kodak Co.

OUR CUT PRICE LEADERS THIS WEEK

- MILK A&P, Van Camps, Peerless, Lion Evaporated 7 cts. Special this week 6c.
Net-a-Seed, Seedless Raisins package 10c.
Sultana Raisins 10c.
Iona Sultana Raisins 10c.
CN-Disinfectant small 8c.
CN-Disinfectant large 10c.
Iona Raisins No. 2 can 12c.
Iona Raisins No. 3 can 12c.

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Lead! These Mark-Downs Then Come to the Sale

- MEN'S DEPARTMENT
Men's \$25 and \$28 Suits and Overcoats \$22.00
Men's \$20 and \$22 Suits and Overcoats \$18.00
Men's \$16.50 and \$18 Suits and Overcoats \$14.50
Men's \$15 Suits and Overcoats \$12.50
BOYS AND CHILDREN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS 1-2 Price
WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT
Women's \$25 and \$30 Suits and Coats \$20.00
Women's \$20 and \$22 Suits and Coats \$15.00
Women's \$15 Suits and Coats \$10.00
Women's \$40 Pony Skin Coats \$20.00
Black Fox Muffs, value \$25 \$18.00
Black Fox Fur Suits, value \$20 \$15.00
Black Fox Fur Suits, value \$45 \$35.00
Red Fox Fur Suits, value \$25 \$18.00
ALL DRESSES AND WAISTS 25 per cent off

CASH OR CREDIT The B. Z. Brewer Co. HARTFORD'S LEADING CREDIT CLOTHIERS 321 Trumbull St. Hartford

HUNDREDS OF NEW BARGAINS THIS WEEK AT THE BIG STORE'S GENERAL INVENTORY SALE

WIS, SMITH & COMPANY, Hartford

Women's \$14.98 and \$16.98 TAILOR-MADE SUITS Long and Short Coat Models, at \$7.00
\$18.98 and \$20.00 TAILOR-MADE SUITS Ten Different Models, on sale at \$9.00
\$22.50 and \$24.98 TAILOR-MADE SUITS High Grade Suits Every One \$11.00
Women's and Misses' \$8.98 and \$10.00 WINTER COATS Your Choice at this sale \$5.00
Women's and Misses' \$12.00 to \$14.00 WINTER COATS All Wool Quality, on sale at \$6.00
Women's WINTER COATS, value up to \$16.98 On sale at \$8.00

FURNITURE At General Inventory Mark Down Prices
\$5.99 Golden Oak or Mahogany Finish Rockers \$3.69
\$22.00 Colonial Fireside Denim Upholstered Armchairs or Rockers \$14.99
\$12.75 Mahogany Colonial Sewing Tables \$7.99
\$22.75 Leatherette Upholstered Davenport Beds \$14.99
\$23.50 Genuine Leather Upholstered Lounging Chairs \$15.99
\$10.75 Mahogany Music Cabinets, \$8.75
\$6.75 Fumed Oak Mission Armchairs and Rockers \$4.69
\$58.75 Velour Upholstered 5-piece Parlor Suites \$44.95
\$44.75 Colonial Mahogany Buffets \$34.99
\$17.05 Fumed Oak Women's Desks \$13.95

\$26.75 Quartered Golden Oak Plank Top Dining Tables \$19.95
\$24.75 Quartered Golden Oak Combination Bookcases \$18.99
\$12.75 Steel Bed Couches with mattresses and bolster \$9.99
\$34.75 Square Tube Brass Beds \$22.75
\$19.75 Fumed Oak Mission Buffets \$14.99
\$4.50 Guaranteed National Lark Bed Springs \$3.49
\$12.75 combination desk, chair and paper basket, 3-piece for \$7.99
\$1.19 Genuine Feather Pillows 89c
\$34.75 Genuine Mahogany Colonial Four-Post Beds, \$24.95
\$8.75 Golden Oak Chiffoniers with mirror \$6.99
\$3.75 Combination Step Ladder Arm Chair \$2.49

A Great Half Price Sale of Marabou Muffs and Capes
Main floor, center—two hundred and fifty-nine pieces in this sale at half price, come to-morrow
Lot 1 Consists of 6 and 8 strand marabou capes in natural and black, also styles in black, natural and colored combinations, values up to \$4 on sale at \$1.98
Lot 2 Comprises black and natural and combinations of black and white, natural and white in all marabou and marabou and ostrich, all extra large, full and fluffy values up to \$7.50 at \$3.49
Lot 3 Includes 10 strand marabou muffs in black, natural and first quality of down, large size, value \$5.98; sale price \$2.98
Lot 4 Brings you all marabou and combination black with white and natural with white, extra large size, full and fluffy; values up to \$7.98, on sale at \$3.68

Undermuslins Reduced
Gowns, combinations, skirts and princess slips, 75c undermuslins now 44c; \$1 undermuslins now 69c; \$1.00 undermuslins now 69c; \$1.50 undermuslins now 95c
Corsets Cut Priced
\$1 R. & G. and Thompson glove fitting 65c \$3 La Resita corsets \$1.59
\$2 Louise corsets \$1 \$3 Bon Ton corsets \$2.69 \$2 R. & G. corsets \$1.25c Brassieres, odd sizes 12 1-2c \$3.68

Women's New Lace Boots
Patent colt or dull calf, with fawn or black cloth tops. This season's most wanted style, regular \$3 quality, at the inventory sale \$2.49
House Dresses Kimonas
\$1.50 House dresses, percales and gingham 88c
\$1 to \$2 flannellette kimonas 69c
Petticoats
\$1 sixteen petticoats, all colors 48c
\$1.25 sixteen petticoats with flounce 69c
\$1 silk jersey top and silk messaline petticoats \$1.79

German china cups and saucers, pink decorations; regular 12c; value per pair 9c
Austrian china dinner set, 100 pieces, pink flower design; regular price \$15; inventory sale price \$12.50

Men's \$15.00 and \$18.00 Suits and Overcoats at \$9.00
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open Mr. Savage suggested at assembly that a new one be elected. The candidates were Mr. H. McCormick and Miss Francis Crosby, the former winning by the close ballot of 66 to 55. Mr. McCormick will have three days in which to drill the squad with songs, yells and cheers.

Youthful Longfellowians have written their favorite pastime of dropping poetry on the walls and applied their genius to the better advantage of composing new songs and cheers for Friday night. These have been handed in to Mr. McCormick and the best will be adopted as school yells.

There is a regular epidemic of both in the high school. It was at first thought that this was due to over-study but a close study of the victims proved this theory incorrect. The W. A. R. sewing circle held its weekly meeting at Miss E. Johnson's Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served and after that all the latest gossip of the day was carefully gone over.

The F. U. N. club composed mostly of senior girls meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Miss Dot Green of Main street. During the course of the evening plans were made for a dance to be held in Cheney hall very shortly. Miss Ethel Cornforth of Seymour visited the high school as the guest of Miss Ruth Ferguson '15 Tuesday and was very favorably impressed with the school in general.

Robert Patterson '13 has returned to school to take up a post graduate course that will enable him to take the Sheffield scientific exams in the fall of 1916.

The play was faster in the second period and within two minutes of the end of the game the G team lacked only four points to tie the game. Captain Madden of the Manchester High School led the game started but the G team made things interesting ending the half on the small end of an 18 to 12 score.

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Speakers for Banquet
Committee to Serve as Caterers Instead of M. J. Moriarty
At the annual banquet of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce which is to take place at Cheney Hall Thursday evening, January 15, Governor Marcus Hensley Holcomb, Congressman E. J. Hink Professor Walter E. Clark and Rev. Dr. William Scott will be the speakers. President William C. Cheney will be the toastmaster. Rev. Dr. Scott has been heard here before and is sure to deliver the tedium of the heavier discourses which Governor Holcomb, Congressman Hill and Professor Clark may deliver. Mr. Clark is professor of economics in the college of the City of New York. Mr. Scott is one of the most entertaining speakers ever heard in this town.

From present indications the subcommittee on menu will prepare and serve the food at the annual banquet. They are to assemble tomorrow evening at the lodge of the Hebron Game Club and enjoy a dinner such as is intended for the banquet. Members of the committee volunteer to give their services free for this purpose at the banquet and the Chamber of Commerce is to provide the food. All freights intervals during the year social meetings of the Chamber are held and members prepare and serve substantial dinners on these occasions. It is intended to do likewise at the

Hartford Theater
All the striking costumes which Madam Olga Petrova wears in the Alce release, The Tigriss, which is being shown at the Hartford Theater the last three days of the week, were designed by the famous star herself. In The Tigriss Petrova wears many costumes which express eloquently the various shades of Stella Orloff, the character which she acts. In the earlier parts of the photoplay she is called upon to act the part of a wife whose sole thoughts are for her home, her husband and her child but in the latter part she has the part of a woman embittered by the loss of all she loves. The balance of the program includes a good Keystone Wild West Show and The Joke on Yellowtown. Aunt's Portrait and Heartbreakers are being shown. The Hartford Weekly is being shown. Columbia will play a return engagement at the Hartford all next week.

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WAS DESTROYED BY SUBMARINE

Britain Admits Formidable Was Sunk by Germans HIT BY TWO TORPEDOES

THE MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY

London, Jan. 8.—The Marquis of Crewe announced in the House of Commons that it was the definite opinion of the British admiralty that the battleship Formidable had been sunk by two torpedoes discharged by a submarine

TO CELEBRATE AT OPENING OF CANAL

President's Plan For Spending \$250,000 Is Approved

TO PROBE LIFE OF ROGERS

Grand Jury Will Look Into Affairs of New York Lawyer

VILLA'S PROMISE TO SCOTT

Says He Will Drive Carranza Forces From Mexico

DIRE STRIKE FULFILLED

Fire Started by Cronka Causes \$200,000 Loss in Pittsburgh Suburb

POLICE HUNT DROUGHT

Two Arrests in Connection With Death of Young Woman

Accused of Trying to Poison

Woman, Jan. 8.—Miss Irene A. Houghton, 21-year-old daughter of the Arlington hotel owner, died at an Arlington hospital, as the result, according to the authorities, of an illegal operation

BILL SENT TO CONFERENCE

House Rejects Negro Exclusion in Immigration Measure

ARIZONA'S ANTI-ALIEN LAW

Declared Unconstitutional by Special Court of Federal Judges

Officers Honored

Last Tuesday evening the officers of the Court Manchester No. 107 Post of the American Legion were installed for the ensuing term

Salvation Army

Major Thomas Cowan of New York will lead the afternoon and evening meetings of the Salvation Army next Sunday

Feathered Visitors to Panama

A number of birds from Panama are more winter visitors from the United States

Pony's Remarkable Jump

A remarkable feat was performed recently by a pony belonging to an officer at Aldershot, England, when it cleared an eight-foot hedge beside a railway embankment

Ice Cream Frozen Without Ice

An ice cream freezer, which is a miniature refrigerating plant, using compressed carbonic acid gas

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WEARING IRON RINGS Unusual Manifestations of Loyalty by German Women

A number of German women who are well known in this city, have exchanged their iron ones for the famous iron cross of Germany

May Be House Leader It is confidently believed here that Representative William S. Hyde of New Bedford, Lowell, Ansonia, New Bedford, will be appointed chairman of the judiciary committee of the general legislature, by Frank E. Hoyle of Windsor Locks who has just been chosen as speaker of the House

HOWARD IS NABBED Army Paymaster, Wanted in Vermont, Is Caught in Canada

Accidents On Icy Streets A number of accidents by falling on the icy sidewalks have occurred here during the past week

Should Read the Following Letter—Mrs. Slaak's Story About Her Child's Recovery is Entirely Releivable

And There Is Light It may be all right to sing "Farewell to Lincaster Square" but the cause of the people of the North, and the cause of their rejoicing is that they are now enjoying such a miniature "White Way" Ornament-standards with three large white globe lights such as illuminate the

CHARGES WERE WITHOUT BASIS Americans Not Sending Dumdum Bullets to Europe TO BE NO INVESTIGATION

Bryan Infirms Germany That United States Must Refrain as a Neutral-American Manufacturer Denies Charges Brought by Germans—British Reply to Wilson Protest Conciliatory on Wilson Protest

Washington, Jan. 8.—Another strongly charged has fallen to the ground. This is made clear in a note to the German ambassador from the United States, in which the United States government denies the charges brought by the Germans against the American manufacturer of dumdum bullets, and states that whether or not cartridges have been or are being manufactured in the United States for the use of the German army is a matter which is not accounted for by the placement of the soft-nosed bullet cartridges in small boxes and in the hands of the country, but that some of such ammunition will fit any gun used by any of the belligerent powers

The note concludes with the statement that the United States government will not be held responsible for the sale of such cartridges to the belligerent powers, but that some of such ammunition will fit any gun used by any of the belligerent powers

Secretary Bryan's answer to von Herzog's demand that the German government should be held responsible for the sale of such cartridges to the belligerent powers, but that some of such ammunition will fit any gun used by any of the belligerent powers

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THE GOTHAM SUBWAY FIRE Probe Postponed to Give Victims an Opportunity to Recover

New York, Jan. 8.—A warning from doctors that several fatalities might result if victims of the subway disaster were compelled to leave the hospital or their homes to testify caused District Attorney Perkins to postpone examination of witnesses

Perkins declined himself to make the trip to the hospital to examine the victims of the subway disaster, but that some of such ammunition will fit any gun used by any of the belligerent powers

DISSATISFIED WITH BUSINESS METHODS Large Textile Union Secedes From the National Body

Palmer, Mass., Jan. 8.—Extensive changes among the various textile unions in New England are continuing rapidly in the wake of the recent vote of the Fall River Textile Workers' association to disaffiliate from the National Textile Workers' association

The association is said to be the largest in the world and has been in existence since the time of the American Revolution

NEW ORLEANS CELEBRATION Hundreds Anniversary of Defeat of the British by Jackson

New Orleans, Jan. 8.—A three-day celebration of the 100th anniversary of the battle of New Orleans, which secured the independence of the United States, was here today

MERCER NOT ARRESTED German Denies That Cardinal Is Under Police Surveillance

The German police government in Belgium has denied an official denial of the report that Cardinal Mercier, the Belgian member of the cabinet, has been arrested by the German authorities

NEWS IN BRIEF Two horses were burned to death in an incendiary fire which did \$1000 damage to the Boston Elevated Railway

Fatal Elevator Accident Boston, Jan. 8.—Anthony A. Perry, 21, was almost instantly killed when he fell from the top of an elevator shaft at the Boston Elevated Railway building at 98 Beverly street, last night

Bankruptcies Over \$111,772 Boston, Jan. 8.—Schedules were filed in the United States district court at Boston today for the bankruptcy of the Boston Elevated Railway, showing liabilities of \$111,772 and assets of \$147,700

Not Unusual For Hayti The regular monthly meeting of the Hayti Chamber of Commerce and Industry has broken out in Hayti, the U. S. S. Wheeling is standing by to protect American interests

CZAR'S TROOPS PUSH FORWARD Combined Operations Are on Most Gigantic Scale

TURKS ARE DISPOSED OF BY RUSSIAN ARMY

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TO ASK REPARATION State Department Takes Up Question of Smith and Dutch

Washington, Jan. 8.—State department officials are preparing a note to Great Britain asking reparation for the families of Charles Dorn and Walter Smith, the two American freed slaves who were killed in the German submarine attack on the Niagara river

THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR'S POSITION The British ambassador in Washington is in a delicate position, as he is not only representing his own government but also the interests of the British people in the United States

MAINE SOLONS ARE STILL IN DEADLOCK Experience Difficulty in Selection of State Officials

Ansonia, Me., Jan. 8.—No choice had been reached at the end of the second day of the session of the Maine legislature for the selection of the state officials

NEW YORKERS TAKE THURSDAY NIGHT SIGHT IN ALL Joseph E. Hunker is the Democratic candidate for governor in the coming year

Anticipating a similar deadlock over the selection of the state officials, the Progressive state committee submitted a proposition seeking a way out of the difficulty

At the present time the allies are advancing slowly along the high road from Arras to Lille, with the object of intercepting a strong force of German troops which is reported to be moving toward the front

CARRIES \$500,000 Cargo Mercy Ship Harpalyce Sails From Boston For Belgium

Boston, Jan. 8.—At dusk last evening the Belgian mercy ship Harpalyce left her moorings at Commonwealth street and started for Belgium with the largest relief cargo that has yet left American shores

Never before has such a vast quantity of relief supplies been sent to Belgium, and the Harpalyce alone has carried a cargo valued at \$500,000

MANY FIREMEN OVERCOME Girls Taken Over Ladders to Safety During \$50,000 Fire at Boston

Boston, Jan. 8.—Fifteen serious girls were carried down over ladders to the courtyard in the rear of the four-story building, 14-22 Oliver street, by flames during the progress of a stubborn fire

In addition, fifteen twelve British were rescued by a ladder, two others being taken to a hospital for treatment, and one other was taken to a hospital at Salisbury place, having been rescued by firemen who were on duty at the time

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and philosophic discourse, interspersed with sketches of various types, largely Italian, drawn from his books of verse. Mr. Daly, who made his debut as a humorist eight years ago, has addressed delighted audiences in nearly every city of the country. He is a past president of the "American Press Humourists." He is particularly noted for his Italian dialect verse, in which field he was the pioneer. His first book, "Cannon" appeared in 1906, and won immediate praise from the critics. "Cannon" is now in its fifth thousand, and his third book, "Madrigal," published in November 1912, is already in its fourth thousand.

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Local Paragraphs

INTERESTING ITEMS BOILED DOWN FOR BUSY READERS. Roderick T. House of South Main street is historically ill with bronchitis.

While harvesting ice at Highland park Wednesday John Calhoun of Oak Grove street was thrown from the team into the lake.

Arthur U. DeForest, formerly of this place, but more recently of Cyra, Mass., has bought a small farm in Mt. Vernon, New York, and is now living there.

The St. Marys Young Mens Club will enjoy their annual turkey supper at the Parish Hall tomorrow evening.

Arthur Gerich won first prize, \$10 in gold, offered by the George E. Keith Furniture Company to the clerk who succeeded in selling the largest amount of baking powder within a given period.

Rev. William E. Schmidt, the newly appointed pastor of the German Lutheran Evangelical church on Cooper street will be installed next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock by Rev. William von Schenk of Rockville.

Spring weather prevailed here yesterday. Bright sunlight gladdened the earth all day and the wind blew down from the north with some of the day to freely admit the welcome visitor.

ST. JAMES PARISH

ANNUAL REPORT READ AT ALL MASSES LAST SUNDAY BY REV. W. J. MCGURK

Most Successful Year From Financial Standpoint in History of Parish. Many Permanent and Substantial Improvements Made, Including New and Modern House

There is considerable of an indebtedness on the church property, but as no large improvements are contemplated for the present year it is planned to make a vigorous effort to reduce the burden of debt now resting upon the parish.

The population of the parish, according to the census of 1913, was 2,306. The foreign nationalities represented in the parish are Italians, Germans, French, Canadians, Poles, Lithuanians, Slavs and Bohemians.

The fourth entertainment in the Popular Course is to be given at High school assembly hall next Wednesday evening and will introduce the Eichenheim Orchestra Club, seven distinguished instrumentalists selected from the Boston Symphony Orchestra and other leading musical organizations.

Following is the personnel: Henry Eichenheim and Julia Theodorowicz, violins; C. Wyanbergen, viola; J. Keller, cello; H. Parsley, bass; A. Chevrolet, flute; Buchanan Charles, piano; Henry Eichenheim, conductor.

William Rubinov and family have returned from New York City where Mrs. Rubinov, her son and daughter had been visiting for some weeks.

One Evil Prejud. There is no disgrace in being poor, we are told. And we're fully glad of it, for there are enough other disadvantages about it without that one.

A Member of The Rebeccas

A Bad Case of Nasal Catarrh Cured By Per-u-na.

That any case of nasal catarrh can be cured by an internal medicine is denied by some. Only a glance at our files would be necessary to convince any sane person that catarrh can be cured by the internal use of Peruna.

Announcement

The business of the Yale Dentists of South Manchester has increased to such an extent that it was found necessary for Dr. Herbert J. Lockhart to take of his dental office where he will be glad to meet his many patients who have had to go to Hartford and also many new ones.

"NUMB-A-MINUTE" DOES IT

Cleaning FREE with all work. Full Set \$5.00. White Crowns \$4.00. Gold Crowns 22k \$4.50. Gold Fillings \$1.00 up.

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to hereby thank our many good friends and neighbors for their kind deeds and words of comfort during the illness and at the death of our beloved husband, Mr. William J. Rubinov.

Three Reasons Why You Should Buy Your Piano NOW. 1st You have a choice of the greatest number of Pianos. 2nd You can save from 15 to 25 per cent. by buying now. 3rd None of these pianos can be duplicated.

WATKINS BROTHERS Inc.

Upsets Old Belief. People generally heretofore are prone to believe that heavy and long continued rains are absolutely necessary in the fall in order to furnish us with sufficient water to carry us through the intense ice forming periods.

GREAT GOAT SALE

Our Mid-Winter Clearance brings to you bargains in Women's and Children's Coats such as are seldom equalled. Here are some samples.

LADIES COATS. About a dozen coats in this lot, fancy wools, boucler belines etc. values from \$10 to \$12., your choice for \$5 98. CHILDREN'S COATS. Exceptional values in coats, sizes 2 to 6 years. Fine little coats worth up to \$4.98. To close out at \$2 98. GIRLS COATS \$3.98. At this price choose from all our better coats, sizes 6 to 14 years and values up to \$6.98. PERCALES 7 1/2c YARD. We had such a big demand for our percales at this price during our Clearance Sale that we ordered another big shipment which has arrived and will be placed on sale tonight starting at 7.30 o'clock.

FURS Half-Price. All odd pieces of furs, scarfs and muffs now marked at Half-Price. This is your big opportunity to get a fur piece for a small outlay.

T. A. DALY, AGAIN

Paid Second Visit to South Manchester Last Night. Thomas A. Daly, editor of the Catholic Standard and Times of Philadelphia, and a post-graduate and lecturer of international repute, delivered his famous lecture entitled "You're I Have Laughed At—And With" last evening at High School Assembly Hall.

Boxing Tonight. The fight fans are all on edge for the boxing and wrestling match at the Agony this evening.

Hyde Honored

As was generally expected William S. Hyde of this place has been appointed the new chairman of the House committee by the speaker of the House, Frank E. Healey.

Charter Revision.

The Charter Revision Committee met last evening and agreed upon a number of proposed changes in the town charter. These are to be submitted to the voters of the town and will be subject to public discussion.

Turner-Weisy

John Turner of West Center street and Miss Susie Weisy of 88 School street were married Saturday afternoon at the German Lutheran church on Winter street by the pastor, Rev. Herman Steppich.

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the voters of the Ninth School District incorporated is summoned to assemble at High School Hall next Tuesday evening at seven o'clock.

Highway Robbery

While returning from the annual meeting of the St. Marys Young Mens Society after midnight last Saturday, Bert Judd of Cooper street was assailed by two highwaymen between

Great Jan. Pre-Inventory Sale NOW IN PROGRESS.

For tonight and tomorrow we offer more than 100 Ladies and Misses Coats of this seasons most stylish models and fabrics at 33 to 50 per cent. below their former prices.



- \$10.00 CHINCHILLA COATS, navy, brown and gray now \$5.98. \$11.98 CHINCHILLA COATS, white and rose, now \$6.75. \$11.98 ZIBELINE COATS, black and Russian Green, now \$7.75.

Clearance of Children's Coats

- \$8.00 Coats now \$5.00. \$5.00 Coats now \$3.75. \$7.98 Coats now \$4.98. \$3.98 Coats now \$2.25. \$6.00 Coats now \$3.98. \$2.98 and \$3.98 Odd Coats now \$2.00.

RUBINOW'S SPECIALTY SHOP. Come to this sale for Bargains.

UP-TO-DATE SHOE REPAIRING. Rubber Heals at half price. For \$25c Rubber Heals \$1.00 Women's \$1.50.

SAM YULYES. ALL WORK GUARANTEED. FREE SHOE WAX EVERY JOB.

two stockholders on Elm terrace and robbed of \$5. He was also considerably beaten in his efforts to drive off the assailants and his eyes were injured in the struggle. He had \$15 in another pocket which the bandits did not discover.