

CHARMING GIFTS FOR YOUNG GIRLS Things That Are Pretty For Her Christmas Stocking.

THE daily stockings worn in these lines, hand embroidered with an elegant pattern...

BATH TOWELS DE LUXE. An Up to Date Christmas Present For the Homeowner.

Nothing could be more acceptable in most homes than a set of bath towels wash cloths and bath and embroidered in the same color as the bathroom fitting.

HERE'S REAL LUXURY. A Box of Silk Hosiery is Always a Popular Gift.

No woman would wear a box of silk stockings for a Christmas present. Chosen wisely to match her gowns, they need no other embellishments.

FOR THE TINY CHRISTMAS BABY A Baby Basket or an Outfit For the wee one.

THIS basket is woven of gold and blue dandy with silk of any color preferred. It is equipped with every known article for baby's toilet—nappies, bonnet, brush and comb.

HANDSOME PRESENTS FOR FEMININITY Dainty Lingerie Always a Charming Gift.

Life is serious enough at best, and if the frequency of femininity delight let one let a provide her with them.

Fisher's THE WOMAN'S SHOP. OUR QUARTERLY MARK-DOWN SALE. WOMEN'S AND MISSES OUTER GARMENTS AND WAISTS.

GO TO A. Hausmann & Sons. For Over Thirty Years Dealers in FLORENTINE WINDOW and PICTURE GLASS.

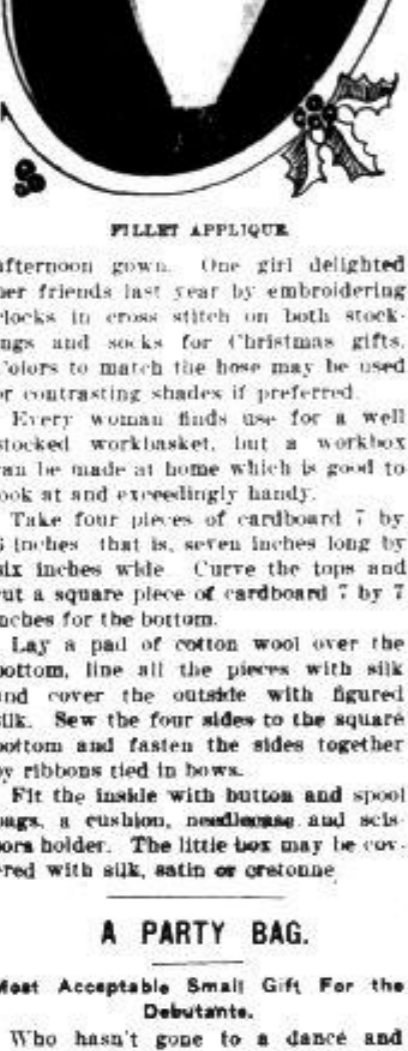
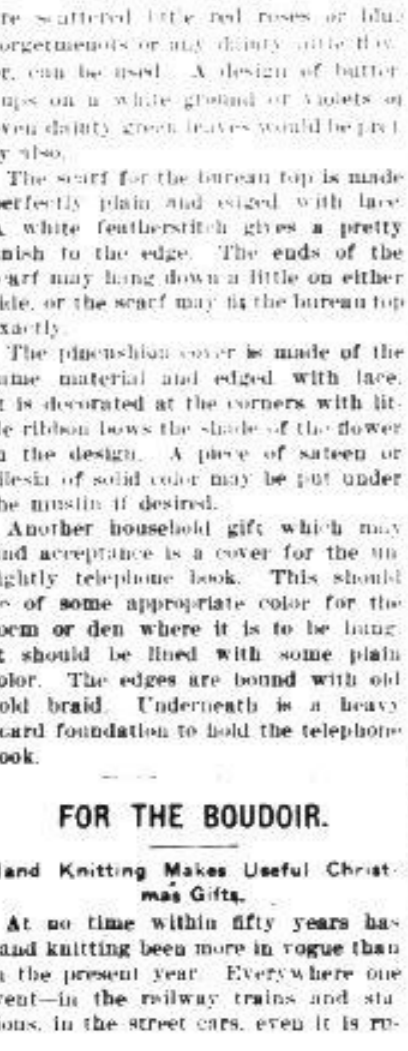
Present this ad and your carfare will be allowed FULL \$5.00 ET NO PAIN. My \$5.00 is the life line and best thing...

A Large Assortment of Felt and Rubber Boots and a splendid line of Arctic. Also a full line of Men's working Shoes.

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GIFT FURNITURE. Has all four floors and the basement of our store now. We have never had so complete a display of holiday gifts.

YOU'LL LIKE TO BUY GIFTS AT RUBINOWS. SPLENDID ASSORTMENTS OF SUITABLE GIFTS WILL BE FOUND HERE AT LOWEST PRICES.



A Dainty Remembrance. A lobby in itself, as they offer such possibilities for most original gifts and favors.

FOR THE BOUDOIR. Hand Knitting Makes Useful Christmas Gifts.

A PARTY BAG. Most Acceptable Small Gift For the Debutante.

FOR A MAN FRIEND. Slumber Robe is a Gift That is Always Appreciated.

Hand in Parcel Reading. edges, forms a bag. Into this place a bright colored silk...

If You Make a Tobacco Pouch. If you are contemplating introducing a tobacco pouch for a man of your acquaintance...

SENDING CARDS. A Christmas card with a note of good wishes is a most acceptable gift.

BRUSHES AND LIPS. First take it to be decorated with a mirror in the center, outlined as a star...

Words About the Useful Gift. A useful present is sometimes a dilemma and a sure, old failing of its interest...

A Novel Copy. The woman who does duty and pleasure to all within the tent is a woman to be envied.

A Christmas Tissue Box. A necessary thing every household is a tissue box.

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Useful Xmas Gifts - From the Mens and Boys Store That are Right. The same good quality will be maintained in all our lines.

RUBINOWS SPECIALTY SHOP. Since 1907 Between Bank and P. O. So. Manchester. Christmas Parade. The salvation Army will assemble at the Center Christmas morning...

Taylor's Market

For years we have been doing business at the old stand here and satisfying a constantly enlarging circle of patrons. When the people of South Manchester and vicinity want something dependable in our line they know that they can always find it here. For our Christmas trade we shall have plenty of

York State Turkeys

These have always been satisfactory to our trade and we stick to them

WE SHALL ALSO HAVE

Home Dressed Chickens, Geese and Ducks

We carry the best meats on the market and can satisfy any call of the trade for these goods. We have an abundance of CEBELLY, VEGETABLES, FRUITS, MINCE MEATS, HUBBARD SQUASH, PUMPKINS, ORANGES, APPLES, BANANAS, FRIS, DATES, LEMONS, ETC. Whatever you need for the Christmas Dinner, if within the scope of a first class market you will find it here. Place Christmas orders early with us and you will not be disappointed. Call at the Old Stand or Telephone.

Taylor's Market

OLD CHENEY BLOCK MAIN AND CHARTER OAK STREETS SOUTH MANCHESTER TEL. 43

A PEEP INTO SPACE

Can the Finite Mind of Man Measure the Universe?

THE LIMITS OF THE VISIBLE

Science Says the Bounds of the Stellar System Are Definable and That the Universe is an Island of Stars in an Infinite Ocean of Ether.

To the visible universe there are at least two limits. It may be that the greatest telescopes have not yet reached the bottom, or the boundaries, of the entire system but they have at least reached the limits of what is visible to the human eye.

As a fact, however, there is a rapid falling off in the proportionate numbers at great distances. This is shown by Kapteyn's law of star density. Taking the "parsec" as the unit of measurement a parsec is equal to nineteen million million miles.

The fact that a fairly definite shape or outline has been found for the visible universe is in itself a proof that it is not unlimited in extent. We are virtually certain that it extends around to such a distance that we can assume roughly the form of a flat, irregular disk, the more distant parts or edges of which lie in the plane of the Milky Way.

After being tested to see that it is not an optical illusion, there is no positive evidence of the existence of other star systems. From time to time our eyes suggest that this or that nebula is an "island universe," dimly shining to us from its millions of light-years across immense distances.

As to the continuance of the Creative work in forming new stars and in the expansion of the universe, it is a question which has long been a subject of discussion. This work is in itself a process of evolution, and it is the law of evolution that suggests that the universe is a process of evolution.

It is well known that the human mind can not conceive of a thing as existing in itself, but only as existing in relation to something else. In this sense, the universe is a process of evolution, and it is the law of evolution that suggests that the universe is a process of evolution.

Accurate Information. "We had about the centurion in our Bible class today. What a centurion, pop?" "A centurion, my son, is a man who has lived to be a hundred years old. I'm glad you take after me and like to know things."—Baltimore American.

TAUGHT BY THE KING

A Lesson Given by Frederick William III. to His Stewards.

King Frederick William III. of Prussia was a man of few words. Whatever he had to say was always weighed and to the point, as the following anecdote from a foreign journal shows.

The king, who was accustomed to interest himself in all the details of court management, ordered his steward to take special pains to see that all the carriages were properly supplied with food and drink whenever they left for a journey of a day or so, but it sometimes happened that the steward neglected the drivers who carried any food, giving them a coin, perhaps, to buy what they wanted. That usually meant that the driver went hungry and the king did not have much opportunity to leave his horses and die at a certain rate.

At length the king became aware of his steward's failure to carry out his orders and awaited the next opportunity to bring the fact to his attention. He had not long to wait. That night the king stopped his coachman as he entered the courtyard and upon inquiry found that he had had his horse changed to a new horse. He held out a coin to the driver and said: "That is for your horse. You are to be paid for your horse. You are to be paid for your horse. You are to be paid for your horse."

MAPS ON GLOBES. The Spheres, Made of Brown Paper, Are Wonderfully Strong.

Many people could say of what substance globe maps are made and would be astonished to hear that brown paper is the chief material used. A matrix of wood is covered with strips of brown paper which have been well treated with varnish. The paper is laid on the matrix until it is about a sixteenth of an inch thick and the globe is like a round football. When this paper covering is dry it is cut midway between what will be the two poles, removed from the matrix, and after an hour has been laid in the sun. The spheres are glued together. These thin spheres of brown paper is coated with a composition plaster. The ingredients of which are a trade secret, and which left to dry.

When the globe has dried on a wooden stand, it is ready for use. It is a globe in every respect, and it is a globe in every respect, and it is a globe in every respect.

Tennyson and Barham. Tennyson was extremely eager to get on the job, and he was extremely eager to get on the job, and he was extremely eager to get on the job.

How Zamboni Bloom. Puck points are said to have the peculiarity of blooming at exactly the same time when in Europe and in America, the difference in climate and surroundings seeming to make no change in the plants blooming in the two countries.

EAST SIDE TROLLEY CARS ALL STOP IN FRONT OF OUR STORE

107 STATE STREET HARTFORD WHY PAY BIG PRICES FOR SHOES

The Price of shoes has advanced in the open market, but you do not need to pay the advanced prices for the latest and most up-to-date shoes if you buy here.

We ordered our stock months ago before the rise, and are, in a position to save you dollars on your shoe purchase. Our assortment is big and the styles are the very latest.

Manufacturers Sample Shoe Company

2 Doors West of Trolley Car Barn 107 STATE STREET HARTFORD

M Rosen Jeweler

1039 Main Street Hartford We have a full assortment of Holiday gifts. Diamonds, Watches, Rings, Lavalieres. Extra Specials in Watch Bracelets etc.

1039 Main Street Hartford

PINHURST

The Best Place for your own HOME

When In Hartford Call At Brennans Cafe

358 Asylum Street

Restaurant and Chop House

for Steaks and Chops, Welch Rarebits, Golden Bucks, Yorkshire Bucks, Planked Steaks, Plunked Chickens, Famous Cocktails to be found here.

LIQUORS and CIGARS Chop House Under Management

Smouke & McCaull

GO TO A. Hausmann & Sons

For Over Thirty Years Dealers In FLORENTINE WINDOW and PICTURE GLASS

Picture Framing, Glazing and Picture Moulding—All Kinds at Reasonable Prices.

EVERYBODY IS COMING TO THE BUSIEST STORE

WARM WINTER COATS in Variety

STYLES THE NEWEST AND KINDS ANY WOMAN WILL TAKE PRIDE IN OWNING AND WEARING

ITS TIME FOR FURS

We have enough cold weather to plainly show how they are needed. Another thing, Furs are about the most gift you can make to woman, girl or child.

COMFORTABLES

Lamb's wool filled, covered both sides with plain, silk, wool, some striped in fancy scroll designs, others novelty.

BOYS WEARABLES

An overcoat would make a fine gift. We have some dandies for boys 10 to 12 years, made with or without belts all with convertible collars.

Warm Flannelette Garments

For women and children, make sensible and acceptable gifts. Flannelette Gowns for women, at \$2.75, \$3.50 and \$4.50.

Pre-t-Xmas Silks

A Silk Dress Pattern for some woman of your family or acquaintance, would make a most acceptable gift. COME LET US SHOW YOU OUR FINE LINE OF SILK DRESS PATTERNS.

FOR CHRISTMAS IN CORNER STORE

Have you got all the necessities you want for your Christmas packages? Socks, Ties, Don't open, Gold or Silver Socks, Holy Bibbons, Red Cross Stamps, Coin Buttons, Buttons, Buttons. All these are still here in plenty!

USE THEM AS LAVISHLY AS POSSIBLE ON YOUR CHRISTMAS PACKAGES

NAM-PENCILS are great for the little ones. Three pencils with name in gilt in pretty box for 25c the set.

WARM WINTER COATS in Variety

STYLES THE NEWEST AND KINDS ANY WOMAN WILL TAKE PRIDE IN OWNING AND WEARING

TRAFT COMING HERE

Speaker Annual Banquet Manchester Chamber of Commerce. Hon. William Howard Taft, ex-president of the United States, will be the featured speaker at the annual banquet of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce.

Preparing for Summer

Ed. Hall, the well known local real estate man, has an idea to do the thing in a different way.

Practical Gifts

The big store of C. E. House & Son, Inc. is ready to help you in your selection of gift things for men and boys.

Suggestions from Smiths

The store of George W. Smith in the Smith block is offering many practical gift suggestions for men, women and children these days.

Handkerchiefs for Gifts

THE LARGEST DISPLAY IN THE STATE. OVER 250 FEET OF COUNTER SPACE DEVOTED TO THE SALE OF HANKERCHIEFS.

A Good Story Makes a Nice Gift

We offer copies of all the favorite books, such as "The Boy Who Sailed", "The Boy Who Was a Hero", "The Boy Who Was a Pirate", etc.

Ribbons for Tying Xmas Parcels

No one will give you a gift without a ribbon. We have a full line of ribbons for tying parcels.

New Style Boots That Are Just In

Every woman interested in the latest footwear should look at the HAVANA BROWN KID BOOTS.

Obituary

MRS. MARY ANN POWERS. Mrs. Mary Ann Powers, wife of John Powers, died at her home in South Manchester.

Remember Marlow

In making your rounds for the purpose of holiday purchasing it will be well for you to keep in mind the fact that at Marlow there are to be found a collection of dolls not excelled in town for quantity and variety.

Coming Marriage

Announcement is made of the coming marriage of Miss Nellie Sandin, daughter of William and Mrs. Sandin of School street, and Loyden Clark, son of Frederick and Mrs. Clark of 142 North Main street.

The Manchester Sanitary and Sewer District has extended its mains to the Greenhurst tract. This accommodation will be greatly appreciated by persons who have established their homes in that attractive and healthy section of this town.

The Gift Makers Great Opportunity

USEFUL PRESENTS--BEAUTIFUL PRESENTS--APPROPRIATE PRESENTS

BOOKS

- Bibles \$1.00 to \$3.50
- Prayer Books \$1. and \$1.25
- Hymnals \$1.00 to \$5.00
- Popular Fiction 50c
- Boys Books 25c and 50c
- Girls Books 25c and 50c
- Gift Books 50c to \$1.25
- Children's Books 5c to 50c

BRASS

- Express Wazons 65c to \$4.50
- Horses 25c to \$1.25
- Games 10c to \$1.00
- Iron Stoves 75c to \$1.50
- Doll Carriages 25c up
- Set of Dishes 25c to \$1.00
- Tool Chests 50c to \$1.25
- Desk Sets \$3.00 and \$7.35
- Railroad Trays 25c to \$2.00
- Letter Openers 65c to \$1.00
- Ink Wells 50c to \$3.75
- Pen Trays 35c to \$1.25
- Tobacco Jars 85c to \$1.25
- Smokers Sets \$1.00 to \$2.25
- Mechanical Toys 50c to \$4.50
- Air Rifle 25c
- Trampolines 5c to \$1.00
- Drums 25c to \$1.25
- Magic Lanterns 50c to \$5.00
- Erector Sets 50c to \$3.75

Toilet Sets 50c to \$8.00

Manicure Sets 50c to \$1.00 Traveling Sets \$3.50 to \$5.50 Bathing Bags 11 to \$2 Music Rolls 75c to \$1.25 Pocket Books 25c to \$1.50 Combs 25c to 75c Brushes \$1.00 to \$1.75 Mirrors \$1.00

The New Gift

Narcissus Bulbs in Attractive Box For Christmas

Gibson Art and Davis Lines of Christmas Cards

Handy Boxes, Jewelry Cleaning Outfits, Tinzel Cord, Garland, Coin Cases, Tags, Labels, Sealing Wax Outfits, Tissue, Wrapping Paper.

A. T. Dewey & Company

845 Main Street Park Building South Manchester

THE PROBLEM "WHAT SHALL I GIVE" IS EASILY SOLVED AT THE BIG STORE

WHERE THE MERRIEST OF CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS CONGREGATE—WHERE HOLIDAY ASSORTMENTS ARE GREATER—WHERE YOUR MONEY WILL GO THE FARTHEST. COME TO THE BIG STORE. COME EARLY IN THE DAY. COME EARLY IN THE WEEK. SHOP EARLY.

Six Polar Bear Brothers

My, how they enjoy hanging out those Mystery Toy Packages from their cave in the big iceberg of the great Northland.



With true foresight we made heavy purchases in furs when the market prices were at the lowest point.

MATCHED FUR SETS

Tiger Coney Muff and Collar, cost elsewhere \$8.50. Our price the set \$6.98. Fox Muff and Collar, cost elsewhere \$20. Our price the set \$15.98.

SINGLE MUFFS

Black French Coney Pillow Muff, cost elsewhere \$6.50. Our price \$4.98. White Ireland Fox Barrel Muff, cost elsewhere \$6.50. Our price \$4.98.

Men's Fur Lined Overcoats

Our big assortment must be seen to be appreciated, muskrat, marmot, Jap mink, etc., with shells of fine all wool kersey.

Men's Fur Caps

A serviceable and useful gift. For the man out of doors a good deal you couldn't give anything better.

Men's Smoking Jackets

We don't know of a more appropriate Holiday Gift than a Smoking Jacket. We have them in large variety, gray, brown, tan, blue and many other pretty mixtures.

Men's Suits and Overcoats

REDUCED IN PRICE BEFORE CHRISTMAS. We don't wait till January to reduce prices, but do it right now, giving you the advantage of liberal savings before Christmas.

Men's Sheepskin Lined Coats

Warm, strong, waterproof and will wear like iron, have extra deep collar of beaverized lamb-kin, inside yarn knit wristers, all pockets reinforced and stayed.

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS BOOKS

WHERE THE ASSORTMENTS ARE MOST COMPLETE AND SELECTION EASY AND HANDY AT THE BIG STORE'S HOLIDAY BOOK SHOP—MAIN FLOOR

Thousands of the newest and best selections for young and old. To enumerate all the titles would require a full page, suffice to say that there you will surely find the books you want and at very moderate prices.

POPULAR FICTION AT 45c Books That All Boys Like

A FEW OF THE HUNDREDS ARE: Laddie, The Gold Trail, The Blindness of Virtue, Stella Maris, Daughter of the Snows, Call of the Wild, Marcia Schuyler, The Devil's Garden.

Fine Sets of Tennyson, Shakespeare

In 13 volumes to the set, beautifully bound. Complete works of the poets in single volumes and standard works in sets. Beautiful booklets for remembrance or to accompany gifts.

FROM OUR BASEMENT

Cut Glass Vases, 12-inch size, worth \$3.50 special \$2.69. Fancy Decorated Glass Table Sets, gold band decoration, covered butter dish, sugar bowl and cream and spoon holder, the set \$1.25.

Our Holiday Suggestions

Christmas cheer chases away thoughts of war and trouble! The gifts that keep alive the cheerful spirit long after Christmas is past are the practical, serviceable ones.

THE SUIT AND OVERCOAT STORE COMPLETE

That is the best name we know for our daylight store. The stock is so complete that we feel it is impossible to have any particular style or pattern in mind between \$10 and \$25 in price that cannot be had here.

The Famous Boys Shop

Stands without equal for real value giving. For years we have made this department the favorite shopping center for parents seeking correct style and honest value for the boys.

C. E. HOUSE & SON INC.

Store Open Every Night Until Xmas

GRAND THEATER

"SOCIAL MAIDS" Joe Hartig's "Social Maids" featuring George Stone and Rita Pillard, the dancing deities, will be the Christmas week attraction at the Grand Theater, Hartford.

Christmas Gifts

Chosen from our stock of the following lines will be sure to please those who receive them. Big Ben Alarms \$2.50. Waterman Fountain Pens \$2.50 upwards.

Leonard J. Richman Jeweler and Optician

WENS BIBLE CLASS DEBATE

The Mens Bible Class held a debate at the South Methodist church last Monday evening upon the subject: "Resolved: That the United States Government should adopt a policy of adequate military preparations."

DANCE AFTER XMAS

Wednesday evening, the 29th a dance is to be given at Cheney Hall under the auspices of the Educational Club at Cheney Hall.

Gifts For Men and Boys

The store of Glenney & Hultman is prepared for your Christmas visit and firm stands ready to make some helpful suggestions for gift giving to the male portion of the family.

Winter Sports

Last Friday, Saturday and Sunday furnished the first skating of the season for youngsters hereabouts and right eagerly was the opportunity seized by the enthusiastic lovers of that beautiful outdoor form of recreation.

Daughters of Liberty

The annual meeting of the Daughters of Liberty, L. L. O. L. No. 125 was held in Orange hall last Monday evening.

Moose Meeting

The next regular meeting of Manchester Lodge No. 147 Royal Order of Moose is scheduled to be held in Foresters hall Wednesday evening, December 22.

Obituary

FRANK WINTERS Frank Winters died last Friday at the home of his son-in-law, James Matuse of Birch Mountain.

Setback Tournament

The setback tournament which has been in progress in Odd Fellows hall under the auspices of King David Lodge of Odd Fellows for the past two months will come to a close tomorrow evening with the final selection of Arthur E. Bowers who represented the board of selection in an appeal for contributions to the Belgian Relief Fund.

REAL ESTATE

Now is the time to buy well located Real Estate. Among the many I have to offer is a 12 roomed two-family house on Hamlin St. at \$3,000; one on Spruce St. at \$5,000; one and two-family houses at all prices, \$2,000 to \$5,000 a number of bargains in East Hartford; building lots \$500 to \$1000 each; all less than 3 minutes walk from Burnside Ave. a new 3-family flat pays better than eleven percent on investment. Head-quarters for Real Estate, Insurance & Safes.

A Careful Business Man Is Careful of His Stationery

The Stationery That We Turn Out in Our Job Department is the BEST IN TOWN. WE STRIVE TO PLEASE OUR Customers.

Before Ordering Your Printing Elsewhere SEE US

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Dr. C. A. Humphreys DENTIST

A Full Stock I CAN SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS

WALL PAPERS VARNISHES PAINTS KALSOMINE WHITE WASH BRUSHES AND ALL SUPPLIES J. F. TYNAN ARCHITECT

Removal Notice

DR. D. C. Y. MOORE Now Located in the New Johnson Block. Home No. 4 Madison Ave. Tel. 296 will reach him at either place.

The Universal Tea Store

Formosa Tea 24c Mixed Tea 24c 50c Ceylon Tea 27c 27c Coffee 25c House & Hale Bldg. So. Manchester

House Bargain

On Bissell Street. Two-family house near Spruce Street \$2,600 easy TERMS

Looking After Your Teeth

is a duty, and should be a pleasure. Good teeth mean good looks, good digestion and good health.

HORLICK'S The Original MALTED MILK

FAD OF THE MONOCLE. It was introduced by a Dutch Dandy, Jonkheer Breeze.

The Entrance Hall. In planning for the entrance hall arrange for plenty of light.

WEATHERCOCKS. They Were Known Before Our Era and Were Then Called Tritons.

An Artist's Criticism. Faugere, the sculptor, told a captain story of Henner, the great artist, who never lived in Paris all his life.

GUNPOWDER PLANTS. Many Precautions Must Be Taken to Avoid Accidents.

Revels Entering. The celebration of modern civilization is being celebrated in a most unusual manner.

WELLINGTON'S COINTEGRITY. The Duke of Wellington was once sitting in his library reading when a servant entered to show a letter.

STORY OF A BUNCH OF KEYS. A young man of some family had a great deal of money.

THE ANSWER IS SIMPLE enough. The answer is simple enough.

THE BULL. The bull is a male ruminant, specific to his kind.

THE SPINAL COLUMN. The spinal column, or backbone, is the most important structure.

THE SPINNING WHEEL. The spinning wheel is a device used for spinning wool.

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Christmas Flowers. Potted Plants of All Kinds including Begonias, Azaleas, Primroses and Many Other Very Choice Flowering Plants.

Open All Day Christmas: Bon Ton Flower Shop. 525 Asylum St. Hartford Main 1. and Brainard Place New Johnson Block

WANT COLORED. POLIS THEATRE. GREAT DOUBLE BILL. Following 'The Man from Mexico' the 'Pol Players' will be seen in the only double bill to be offered this season.

FOR SALE. CASH FOR YOUR PROPERTY. I bring buyers and sellers together. I find the best prices for your property.

FOR SALE. One Boston building. One Boston building, 100 acres dairy farm. One Boston building.

FOR RENT. Four roomed flat. For RENT. Five roomed flat. For RENT. Six roomed flat.

MILLET AND BARBIZON. The Great Painter's 'Visit' to the Hamlet He immortalized.

The Good Old Times. At one time in Rome political office was not so desirable as it is now.

POSTMASTER LINCOLN. What Happened When He Was Called Upon to Square Accounts.

Blush and Diligence. Blush said to Elizabeth: 'You work too hard. For two hours you have been busy planning a gown. I hear you are going to wear it to the party.'

GILBERT AS A WIZARD. Curious Tricks of an Old Time Inventor.

Crater Lake's Gamy Trout. Whether it be from the temperature of the water or the quality of the food, but it is the trout of Crater Lake that is the most famous.

CARE OF GOOD CLOTHES. The Finer the Stuff the More Washings It Should Be.

MILITARY STRATEGY. Retreating Through a City is Dangerous to an Army.

Setting a Fashion. Some of the most successful fashions of the day were set by a young woman who lived in a small town.

Just Taking a Nap. Never Lie Down Dressed Without a Covering Over Your Feet.

The Chinaman's Window. 'How Low in China' said the Chinaman to the following Chinaman.

IT WAS A TOUGH STEAK. But the Restaurant Man Easily Found It When the Cook Came.

THE RULES OF THE CLERMONT. At the hotel of the 'Clermont' in Hartford, Conn., the following rules are observed.

FOR SALE. A finisher, for Pennsylvania, in piece and yarn dyed silk and cotton ribbons.

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with its roof and gas bill, bathed him in perspiration. To his poverty stricken imagination, Ginsburg, with his roll of bills and his smiling face, seemed to be a veritable prince in Palermo—the bare utterance of the name impelled him toward his partner, whom he fancied was uplifted in temporary forgetfulness of his plight.

As for Annabelle, he said in a low voice, "You're a man, aren't you? You'll do a lot for me, won't you?" "I'll do a lot for you, too," said the man, looking at her with a smile. "I'll do a lot for you, too," said the man, looking at her with a smile.



"Ah, my friend, I ain't got it," Morris said to him in the direction of the tailor shop, "yes-a-ran. He just for slag a dat was my morning."

"The Annabelle would take a battered guitar from the corner and raise a sterno popper in his tin. She'll fidget with the next customer arrive."

Simultaneously Ginsburg would turn to his assistant and get out on the ground a form of lullaby fanfare.

"Perhaps," he would exclaim, "the gentle nicker mo-oh."

Nevertheless Annabelle entertained a wholesome respect for Morris. When they stood each at his place during the summer evening, Annabelle eyed without envy the future in Ginsburg's left hand trousers pocket. He knew that it contained a roll of bills as big around as a hickory branch and that the outer wrapper was yellow, for ever and anon Morris pulled it from his pocket and counted it slowly over, drawing each bill toward him with a loving thumb and finger.

The operation finished, he returned to his lullaby piece and scratched his straggling beard, calmly awaiting the inevitable question from Annabelle, which time she had gone through the program, and not once had the question failed of utterance.

"Say-a," Annabelle remarked, "you so reach a man, so much a man, I just for like know what's a matter you no get shave-a?"

Morris shrugged and smiled. "You ain't ask no question," he replied with the Talmudical question, "not in doch an foolish question?"

"It's a craxie," Annabelle opined to herself and sought the consolation of his battered guitar.

"If perhaps the collylog took another form."

"I just for like know," Annabelle would say as the roll was thrust back into Ginsburg's pocket, "how much a man you got?"

"Might you already got a wife in husband?" he said bitterly after the presentation, on paper, of his tenth and last roll of bills. "I'm interested in nothing if not persistent."

"I might," he replied automatically. "I might look you up sometime. Must I get married?"

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MANY HEARINGS Selection Plan Busy Season Next Monday Evening

The board of selection have mapped out a busy night for themselves at their semi-monthly meeting which will take place at the hall of records next Monday evening.

There are two building line hearings scheduled for this evening. A fifteen foot building line is proposed for both sides of Cottage street between Maple and Birch street, and a twenty foot building line is suggested for Cottage street between Park and Center streets.

The selection proposed to construct sidewalks on Wells, Avon, School, Church and Oakland streets. School street will be widened to 60 feet and a six foot sidewalk with curbing is proposed for the north side of the street between Park and Center streets.

Following these hearings the board will have an executive session when they will give their decisions on the above matters. It seems probable that the work of the board will close next Monday evening.

BROWN, THOMPSON BIG PLAYGROUND Santa Claus Makes His Headquarters At This Store

Santa Claus' playground would seem to be the joy department of the Brown, Thompson & Co. store where, during the Christmas season, the merry old fellow is to be seen in his element.

The Merry old fellow, who is so popular last year and the year before, has a real find this year at the Brown, Thompson & Co. store.

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Years night and have appointed the following committee to arrange for the affair: Antonio Bonzo, chairman; D. Camillo, secretary; M. Belli, treasurer; G. Gamba, E. Rossi, V. Ogliola and L. Godano.

Postmaster Quish hopes to get every Christmas mail delivered before Christmas eve. Hearings will run on alternate weeks, one matter mailed at the local office forward promptly.

The Sub-Alpine Club are planning on conducting a dance in their headquarters on Eldridge street.

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They lend their fragrance to high grade tobacco, fine toilet soaps, "chiffonettes" and other hair dressings and dyes, to cosmetics, to flavoring extracts used in confectionery and to many other things that gratify the sense of smell. (Continued)

FINANCIAL SENSE.

Take Care of What You Earn and Then Invest It Wisely. The greatest financial genius I ever knew and the richest man I ever knew personally once said to me: "There is no greater thing in this world than taking care of what you earn, and there is no better or surer way of taking care of your savings than to invest it in sound securities paying 5 or 6 per cent. And such securities are easy to find and easy to buy any year. So any man may be a financial genius if he will exercise the simplest common sense. I intend that I would be said of such a man that he was narrow and selfish." (Continued)

Mr. Trinder who spoke at the Modern Trade School said that educators were trying to do something helpful for the student who leaves school shortly after reaching the sixth grade and going out into the world to make his own living. He said that here in Connecticut we have about 100,000 children in school when either the sixth, seventh, or eighth grades are reached. These students he said, hold the opinion that they have enough schooling to handle their way through the world and find out later, perhaps, that they have made a mistake. (Continued)

At the annual meeting of Washington Loyal Orange Lodge the following officers were chosen for the coming year: Worthy Master, Henry Telford; deputy master, William J. Sinnaman; recording secretary, Frank Mullen; financial secretary, David Carson; treasurer, Thomas Higgins; director, commissionaire, Robert Telford; chaplain, Arneilbald Haugh; first conductor, Stewart Kennedy; second conductor, David Neville; inside tyler, Frank Deacon; outside tyler, William Gray; tinsler for three years, James H. Nell; delegate to supreme grand lodge, Robert Brown; alternate, Henry Telford. These officers are to be installed at Orange hall Friday evening, January 14, by Robert F. R. Brown. The Daughters of Liberty will be the guests of the Orangemen on that occasion. A turkey supper with all the other good things that usually accompany same will be served and enjoyed. The following committee has been appointed to make all the necessary arrangements for this important event: Hamilton McKel Jr., George Brown, Thomas Kennedy, Alexander Shields and Frank Mullen.



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Automobiles generally were put out of commission by the snow storm of last Monday. Sleighs and wagons were matted in as substitutes.

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Eastern Star Elects. The annual meeting of Trinity Chapter Order of the Eastern Star took place at Odd Fellows Hall Wednesday evening and closed with a social hour.

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Local Paragraphs

INTERESTING ITEMS BOILED DOWN FOR BUSY READERS. After an absence of some two months Henry Wilkie returned from a business trip to Hartford.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Health held in the City Hall on Wednesday evening the following officers for the ensuing year were elected.

Christmas Meats. Taylor's Market in the old Cheney block will be well prepared for the Christmas feast.

Fire Alarm Last Night. At eight o'clock last evening a fire alarm was sounded from Box No. 32, Charter Oak and Spruce streets.

That Christmas Turkey. If you are looking for a choice turkey for the Christmas feast let the Eldridge Street market supply that.

The Heavy stall owners are equipping at present the stalls of the big snow storm.

Homing Instinct of Bees

Fabre, the naturalist, tells a characteristic story about Darwin and himself. Darwin wished to explain the homing instinct of bees, and he labored for hours to reach a series of experiments with that purpose in view.

School Events

At a meeting of the S. M. H. S. Debating Club held Tuesday, the following executive committee was named.

The Athletic Association plans a visit to the city and will hold a meeting at the City Hall on Monday evening.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Debating Club, the following subjects were chosen for the next three regular meetings of the club.

The Stock Exchange use of the term "bear" is with reference to the natural pulling down.

At a meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the O. A. H. next Monday evening, officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Santa Claus Headquarters For Gift Buyers

The Christmas Season, with its gift giving, is upon us. The momentous question of what to give Father, Mother, Brother, Sister and the others must be decided.

Gentlemen's Sets. Traveling Sets of Brush, Comb, Soap Case, Tooth Brush Case and Hat Brush. \$1 to \$5.

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Furs. You will make no mistake in buying furs for gifts here. We bought our furs early and while prices have gone soaring.

Angora Sets. These sets of warm knitted wool Cap and Scarf will be in demand as the weather grows colder.

For Baby. Our stock of Infants Wear is very complete and we especially invite the mothers to inspect it.

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INDOOR RECREATION

AMUSEMENTS TO BE PROVIDED FOR PUPILS AT OPENING OF TERM. The opening of indoor recreation for pupils here, as foreshadowed in the columns of The South Manchester News several weeks ago.

Bazaar of Barnard School Mecca of Youngsters After School Hours on Holidays and During Vacations.

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At Citadel

The Christmas tree exercises for the Sunday school children of the Salvation Army will be presented at the Citadel, Christmas Eve.

Docking Discomfort

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Christmas At Bank

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LOCAL APPOINTMENTS

To Navy League of United States in Behalf of Preparedness. Charles Cheney, Harry G. Cheney and Richard G. Rich have been appointed to the membership committee of the Navy League.

The Navy League will be organized in this district in the active aggressive campaign which is carrying on in all parts of the country.

Miss Bennett, the supervisor of the Barnard school, has taken a deep interest in the boys' awakening camp and in giving this project for indoor recreation.

With the assistance of officials of the National Defense Societies, it was founded and chartered in 1912, and among its officers and members are Admiral Dewey, Theodore Roosevelt, Cardinal Gibbons, Dr. Rev. Philip Rieder and Dr. Lyman Abbott.

At Citadel

The Christmas tree exercises for the Sunday school children of the Salvation Army will be presented at the Citadel, Christmas Eve.

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SEWER ASSESSMENT

SELECTMEN PLAN TO COLLECT FOR PEARL AND HAMLIN ST. JOBS. Property Owners Prepared to Reject Plan of Assessment For Work Courts May Settle Matter.

The town has spent considerable money in the past two or three years in the construction of storm water sewers and at present the selectmen and the engineering department are planning one of the largest storm sewer jobs that have ever been undertaken in the town.

The selectmen have been reluctant to make this assessment, but have called in expert advice from Hartford and believe they have a plan formulated that will place the cost of the work on property owners who are benefited.

The total cost of the storm sewer job is estimated at \$40,000, and this amount will be assessed on the property owners in the watershed drained by the storm sewer.

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