

South Manchester News

BIG COCOA SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

- WILLIAMS COCOA 1 lb. cans reg. price 35c special for Saturday 31c
WILLIAMS COCOA 20c size special for Saturday 17c can
WILLIAMS COCOA 10c size special for Saturday 8c can
OUR OWN PURE COCOA 1 lb. packed in Mason Jar 23c Jar
BAKERS COCOA 1-2 lb. can regular price 25c special for Saturday 21c

A Word About Our Meats

Are you particular about the Grade and Quality of your Meats? Are you particular about the way your meats are kept? If so it will be to your advantage to visit our Meat Department.

Citizens Cash Grocery

O. F. TOOP, Prop. 841 Main Street Telephone 17-3

Quality Groceries

We are thoroughly prepared to give you QUALITY GROCERIES. Every article in our high grade stock embodies the best on the market.

French, German and Italian Goods

French Peas, Mushrooms, Red Peppers, Grava Jelly, Gasse Grouse Pate, Tuffed Krais, Pate de foie gras, Pickled Walnuts, Figs au gratin.

Meats

Our meat department will be well stocked with the choicest Beef, Lamb, Veal, Native Pork, Chickens, Fowls etc. for tomorrow's trading.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

WE HAVE THE FAMOUS H. & R. OYSTERS

Fresh Every Friday Give these Oysters a trial and note their superior quality.

Park Hill Grocery

BENGTSON & COLE Props. Phone 170 Chestnut St. Prompt Delivery

Public Wants Crosswalks

During these muddy days of spring there is a crying demand for crosswalks on Main street in the business section. There are certain points between Eldridge and Pearl streets where there is unusually heavy traffic of persons going to and from their employment in the silk mills and also for the purpose of using the trolley cars.

Hugh McIntosh has returned from Port Arthur, Texas, where he has been employed in the oil industry. His ideas had been greatly exaggerated about opportunities for advancement in the Lone Star state and he hid him hither for the purpose of gathering in the gold.

An effort was made to burglariously enter the hardware store of the Manchester Plumbing & Supply Co. store one night this week. A rear window had been tampered with and so far as known no goods or other valuables were taken from the store.

Mrs. James Egan of West Corner street is critically ill and has been suffering from a complication of ailments for some time past. The last rites of the Catholic church were administered to her last week.

Local Paragraphs

George Williams of Russell street is driving a 1917 Pullman touring car. Stewart Dillon is driving a new 1917 Pullman delivery car.

The Womens Home Missionary Society of the South Methodist church will conduct a food sale at the store of Ferris Brothers tomorrow afternoon starting at three o'clock.

The Philtheas class of the South M. E. church will hold their regular meeting in the church parlors this evening.

The Methodist Young Men's Club will hold their weekly bowling session at the alleys of Hox No. 1 this evening.

The members of the Ninth District School faculty gave an informal dancing party at the assembly hall last Saturday evening. Music was furnished by George Rogers, pianist and Clarence Linder, violinist. Several guests were present from over town.

Milton Turkington of Winter street is now employed as stenographer with the Aetna Life Insurance Company of Hartford.

The Dewey-Hickman Company are conducting the opening of their remodelled store this week, to which cordial invitation is extended to the public at large.

C. E. House has been in Brooklyn, Mass. this week attending the annual meeting of the Kennedy Corporation in which he is a stockholder, and also witnessing the opening of a new retail store on Main street in that city.

R. H. Bryan, formerly of Bryans Knudt Kitchon on Main street is preparing to open a garage on Center street in front of the Manchester Lumber Company's office.

Miss Bessie Anderson has completed a three-years' course of study at the Hartford hospital and will add her name to the registry list of nurses in South Manchester.

The second degree of King David Lodge of Odd Fellows conferred the degree upon a class of candidates of Crescent Lodge, East Hartford, last evening. They were hospitably entertained and report having had a very joyous visit.

The Up and Doing Club of girls will give a minstrel show and what at Cheney hall, Monday evening, April 16. Tickets for the event have been issued and in keeping with their title, the young women will make some stir in the matter of converting the passboards into coin.

An illustrated lecture on the preparation of surgical dressings for war purposes and the distribution of same in the allied hospitals in Europe was given in Cheney hall this afternoon by Mrs. William E. McNamara, under the auspices of the South Manchester branch of the surgical dressings committee.

The Flower Club will give a dance at the Sub Alpine hall on Eldridge street Saturday evening, March 31. The Verdi orchestra will furnish the music for the event and one of the features will be a special waltz, for which a prize will be given.

A whist was held last Saturday evening at the home of Miss Theresa McCloskey of Maple street. The proceeds of which have been added to the building fund for the parochial school. The following were the prize winners: lady's first, Mary Langdon; second, Nellie Cleary; gentlemen's first, Joseph McCloskey; second, Thomas Martin. Refreshments were served and a good time enjoyed by all present.

The next in the series of Lenten exercises in the South Methodist church will be the presentation of illustrated pictures of "The Passion Play" as exhibited at Oberammergau. This will take place next Thursday evening.

Rt. Rev. Edward C. Acherson, D. D., Suffragan Bishop delivered the Lenten address in St. Mary's Episcopal church last Wednesday evening. Next Wednesday evening Rev. Nile W. Heermans, pastor of Grace church, Stafford Springs, will deliver the Lenten sermon.

The degree team of South Manchester Camp, Modern Woodmen of America gave a fancy drill at the dance given by the Hartford Woodmen in Foot Guard hall Wednesday evening. The dance was given at the request of the newly organized Woodmen band of Hartford.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney John M. Sherry of Elm Terrace is popularly recovering from a violent attack of pneumonia, aided and abetted by weakness of the heart. Mr. Sherry was able to come down stairs yesterday for the first time and sit for duty in the National Guard. Lated at Hartford, this 14th day of March, 1917.

Lucien F. Barpee, Benedict M. Holden, J. Moss Ives, Military Emergency Board "The Sky Riders"

The Girls Friendly Society under the direction of Miss Emily Cheney are to present "The Sky Riders" in Cheney hall Wednesday evening, April 25. This is a comedy in three acts and doubtless will furnish plenty of enjoyment to all who attend. Dancing will follow. The cast of characters is being made up at the present time and rehearsals will be put under way at the earliest possible moment. It is so far as possible persons having had experience back of the footlights will be chosen for the leading parts and a capable presentation is expected.

A son to George and Mrs. Jones of Mt. Nebo place. A daughter to Irving and Mrs. Keeney of Keeney street. A daughter to Julius and Mrs. Hoff of Griswold street.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills for Rheumatism and Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Safe—Advt.

RECRUITING OFFICE OPEN FOR HOME GUARD

IN OFFICE OF R. G. RICH, TINKER BLOCK, MAIN ST. SOUTH MANCHESTER

Men Between Ages 17-60 Years Asked To Enroll For Constabulary Duty Within State. Men Will Be Uniformed, Armed and Drilled.

By authority of an Act entitled "An Act concerning the Home Guard," enacted by the General Assembly of the State March 9, 1917 and approved by the Governor on the same day the governor has appointed the undersigned as Military Emergency Board of this State to take action to perfect and maintain a body of armed troops for constabulary duty within this state to be known as the Home Guard.

The following officers have been appointed for the Town of Manchester in order to carry the Act into effect: W. C. Cheney, J. D. Cheney, R. G. Rich, P. Cheney and Phillip Cheney. This recruiting board has opened an enrollment station at the office of R. G. Rich, Tinker block, Main street, South Manchester, which is kept open at convenient hours.

RECRUITING INSTRUCTIONS Instructions for recruiting officers of the Home Guard, issued by the Military Emergency Board, defining who may and who may not be enrolled in the Home Guard.

Applicants for enlistment will be examined by surgeons appointed for that purpose. Unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 45, who are physically fit and liable for service in the National Guard or the Naval Militia of the State of Connecticut, will not be enlisted in the Home Guard.

Unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 45, who are physically fit for service in the National Guard or the United States Army or Navy, should make application at the recruiting stations of such organization.

All men between the ages of 18 and 45, residents in towns or adjacent to those towns in which a unit of the Home Guard is maintained, are eligible for service in the National Guard and should not seek enlistment in the Home Guard until the National Guard units in which the man desired to be enrolled are organized to the strength required by law.

All men between the ages of 17 and 60, residents in towns in which a unit of the National Guard is not maintained, or which is not adjacent to a town in which a unit of the National Guard is maintained, can enlist in the Home Guard.

Any person enlisting in the Home Guard, desiring to enlist in either the National Guard or Naval Militia of the State of Connecticut or the Army or Navy of the United States, will be discharged from the Home Guard.

Men enlisting in the Home Guard who may become liable for service in the National Guard or the United States Army or Navy at any future time, will be discharged from the Home Guard.

Men between the ages of 17 and 60, who have received an honorable discharge from the National Guard, the Naval Militia, or the Army or Navy of the United States, can be enlisted in the Home Guard irrespective of residence.

Recruits will be notified when to appear before examining surgeons and when to report for equipment and instructions.

In enlisting in the Home Guard will provide training and discipline and, in case of need, can furnish his enlisted strength in any time and between the ages of 18 and 45 and fit for duty in the National Guard.

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Meat Specials For Saturday

Your neighbors are buying their Meats at this store because they are getting the best quality of Meats at the Lowest Prices. Let us prove this to your satisfaction. Read over the following special prices on Meats for tonight and tomorrow.

- We sell the Best Native Veal. Veal Steak 28c lb, Veal Chops 24c lb, Veal Loaf 24c lb, Shoulder Veal 20c lb, Lamb Chops 28c lb, Leg of Lamb 24c lb, Shoulder Lamb 22c lb, Roast Loins of Pork 23c lb, Porterhouse Steak 28c lb, Sirloin Steak 26c lb, Round Steak 22c lb, Pot Roast 20c lb, Beef Roast 22c lb, Shoulder Steak 18c lb, Fancy Roasting Chickens 31c lb, Fowls 25c lb, Fresh Pork Shoulders 20c lb, Smoked Shoulders 19c lb, Best Hamburg Steak 16c lb, Fresh Pigs Feet 10c lb, Corn Beef 14c lb

FRUITS

Full line of Fruits—Grapes, Pears, Apples, Oranges, Bananas.

SPECIAL—STRAWBERRIES FOR TOMORROW

BOSCO & SANLORENZO

"The Delicatessen Shop" MAGNELL BLDG. MAIN STREET

Circle Theater SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT

Wed. and Thurs. March 28-29th Herbert Brenon Presents The World's Greatest Tragedienne

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Matinees 2:30-10c. Evenings 7:30-10c & 20c

Manhattan Cloak Co.

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NEW SILK DRESSES. Silk Taffetas, Crepe de Chine, Georgettes and combinations, offered in black and all of the new spring shades.

NEW SEASON'S SKIRTS, Wool Poplins, Serges, Plain Taffetas and Wool Fabric Skirts.

The Newest in Spring Coats, made from the season's leading materials.

Cheaper rents and small expenses make it possible to sell at a much lower price than on Main Street.

At least get our prices. Subscribe for The News \$1.50 for one year.

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\$1 Puts the Best Sewing Machine in Your Home

The "New Home" sewing machine club opened Wednesday morning—it is limited to 25 members. The club terms are \$1.00 to join and \$1.00 each week until the machine is paid for. Upon payment of the membership fee of \$1.00 the New Home which you select will be delivered immediately to your home.

The "New Home" is guaranteed for a Lifetime

The "New Home" is always ready to sew, easy to operate and is guaranteed to give satisfaction. The superior qualities, simplicity of mechanism, handsome appearance and long standing reputation for good service of the "New Home" command it to the most critical as the best sewing machine to own.

Portable Electric Sewing Machine

These outfits are practically self-operating. The speed of the machine is governed by the foot pressure. The cost of operating is no more than for the glow of one electric lamp. The satisfaction and pleasing features of these are the small space they occupy in the home when not in use, and that they may be carried from place to place to suit the operator.

You can secure an electric sewing machine on the club plan. Come in this evening and let us demonstrate its merits to you.

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Ready For Easter

Our store is all ready with a complete line of goods for the Easter Shopper. We invite you to inspect our goods and compare the quality and prices.

Man Bros DRY GOODS

NEW SPRING MODELS OF ADLERS CLOTHES

\$11 \$15 \$18 \$20

They are all the latest styles fresh from New York. They're a classy lot. Come in and look them over.

Men's Dress Shirts 50c to \$2.00 Men's Pure Silk Shirts Worth Much More \$4.50

Just received a new consignment of LADIES WAISTS. See them in our New Ladies Department.

A. Eger & Co.

At the meeting of the South End Lodge of Moose Wednesday evening it was voted to keep all members of the lodge who are enlisted with Company G in good financial standing until they are mustered out of the Federal service. There are over 500 ten Moose members with Company G.

Raymond Joyner of Pratt Institute is spending his Easter vacation at his home on Hill street.

TO WORK HOME GRADENS

The members of the committee recently appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to consider the matter of home gardening are actively taking hold of the duties assigned them and are energetically preparing to show the results of their work within a very short time. They have organized by choosing Horace L. Gardner as chairman and L. St. Claire Burr as secretary. They have already held several meetings and are studying out the best methods of conducting the new project which has been placed at their disposal. They are preparing application blanks which will be issued at once and may be secured from the several members of the committee.

Besides the two named above the following are members of the committee: F. A. Verplank, George A. Johnson, Robert J. Smith, William G. Cheney, R. LaMotte Russell, E. K. Hugh Crosby, G. H. Miller, Dr. C. E. Heselgrave and H. S. Busby all of South Manchester; W. H. Card of Manchester and W. G. Pitkin of Manchester. There is a total of 15 active and energetic men.

Cheney Brothers have generously offered the use of the large tract of land lying on Hartford road directly opposite the Seaman house, and known as the Turkington place. Also the land in the valley on the south side of Hartford road in the vicinity of Mad Mill.

There are altogether at the present time 50 acres of land available for the purposes of the home gardeners. These will be divided into plots containing approximately one-eighth of an acre which on the fifty acres mentioned above would furnish land for 400 home gardeners. This is a very nice start and it is expected that additional tracts of unoccupied lands will be made by persons who are generous disposed and willing to assist in this very laudable undertaking.

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It is proposed to divide the Home Guard into units of 20 men each, to assign necessary officers to each unit, and to thus keep the bodies from becoming too unwieldy. There are men enough enrolled now to form a substantial nucleus for Unit No. 2, and recruiting is going steadily on.

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Our Easter Display

We know our Easter Display will appeal to you. Come in and View Fashions Latest Creations and note the small prices for the seasons most stylish wearables.

Our Easter announcement on Page 3 of The News today tells more—Turn to it now.

RUBINOWS SPECIALTY SHOP

These men are to be uniformed, armed and drilled. Officers are to be sent here to bring the veterans back to the active practice of the drill and the raw recruits will receive their kindergarten instructions in the gentle art of military duties.

A recruiting office is established at the office of R. G. Rich in South Manchester and here is where the great bulk of the recruits are to be secured. Home Guards is being carried on.

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Society Brand Clothes

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SUITABLE clothes nowadays are the armor of aggressive men. Many victories are won with the help of clothes that are enough better than the rest to carry the final winning point in a contest. Among the new styles is this single breasted military type with lots of vigor. It can be fitted to all sizes, long, short, stout. Try one on and see how well it becomes you. Come now and secure an early-season choice.

Geo. W. Smith

Noted Lecturer Coming Much interest is being manifested in the coming lecture by Hon. Daniel A. Poling who is to speak in Assembly Hall Easter Monday night. Mr. Poling is associate president and national secretary of the United States Association of Christian Endeavor, Boston, Mass. He is a man of commanding eloquence and personal force. He is a citizenship leader of four million young people. He is one of the biggest young men produced in a hundred years. All the best of the country are to hear his address in Cheney Hall, some two years ago before the business Mens Association will gladly vouch for these statements.

He had for his subject at that time "The Grip That Holds." It was a mastery effort and was delivered with surpassing eloquence and ability. He thrilled his audience with his splendid dramatic and oratorical skill. His closing poem "Sail On," was a crowning masterpiece of the discourse.

Mr. Poling comes here under the auspices of the local branch of the W. C. T. U. Assembly hall should be crowded to capacity on the evening of April 9th to see and hear this distinguished lecturer.

Cantata Sunday Night

The beautiful cantata, "The Story of the Cross," by Dudley Buck, will be sung by a double quartet in the South Methodist church next Sunday evening, starting at 7:45 o'clock, under the direction of Miss Eunice E. Laesche, the church organist. The solo parts will be taken as follows: Miss Eunice Case, soprano; Miss Bertha Winslow, alto; F. J. Boudell, tenor; and the narrator, Mrs. N. C. Ingalls, tenor; will be the part of Jesus; Ned S. Webster of Hartford, bass, will represent the Father. The other solo parts will be Miss Margaretta Perovic of Hartford, soprano; Miss Elizabeth Murrell of New Britain, alto; and Edward F. Taylor of South Manchester, tenor. Miss Murrell will be heard in an offertory solo, "Gloria," by La Forge.

E. J. Holl returned from the Pacific Coast last night after an absence of two months.

Dorothy Dodd, Valois and Doris for Women and Growing Girls. Elite

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A housewife must give the first aid in colds, coughs and other ailments. Her promptness in applying the remedy often saves a serious illness. Her experience with remedies has led her to know that PERUNA is always reliable, that she should have it on hand for the immediate treatment of coughs and colds, and that it is always to be trusted.



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The experience of one woman, given herewith, is typical of thousands of letters that reach the Ferris Company from grateful friends who have found their homes incomplete, and their family safety in danger without PERUNA.

Colds and Catarrh

The great weight of testimony that has accumulated in the 44 years that PERUNA has been on the market proves it beyond question, to be the reliable family remedy, ever ready to take, preventing the serious effects of colds, coughs, grip and derangements of the digestive organs. This good is published from time to time and many families have profited by it.

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Seeds are properly spaced in this tissue paper tape. They germinate quicker and better because the paper absorbs and holds moisture. They assure healthier and more beautiful plants, more even stand and fine straight rows. Then in addition, there is a great saving of time and labor—your plant a whole row at a time, and no thinning out is necessary. Analyzers get expert results with Fakro Seedtape.

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Now on draft at leading Cafes and Hotels. It represents purity of ingredients and perfected modern, sanitary methods of brewing.

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Present this ad and your carfare will be allowed

FULL SET \$5.00 NO PAIN My \$5 Sets are life like and the finest fitting plates that dental science can produce. Unless you require a special plate \$5 is all you need to pay in this office for the best set of teeth. I have the reputation of making the most natural looking, the finest fitting and the best wearing teeth. No set ever leaves my office until the patient is perfectly satisfied as to fit and appearance. I give no personal guarantee FOR 10 YEARS with each set. Lady attendants—Take Elevator.

Dr. T. J. KING 504 Main St., Hartford, Conn. Hours: 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. (Sun. 12 p. m. to 5 p. m.)

GENERAL ALARM SUNDAY MORNING

DOUBLE TENEMENT ON OAK STREET OWNED BY FERRIS BROTHERS DESTROYED

Perilous Position of N. C. Ingalls and Family, Timely Discovery By Policemen Saved Lives. Fled In Night Cloths.

At twenty minutes of four last Sunday morning the fire alarm was rung in from box 44, Main and Oak streets and a strong fire was under way in the wooden double tenement owned by Ferris Brothers directly east of the so-called Ferris block on Main street. A general alarm brought out the entire fire department and it was two hours later when the recall was sounded. The wooden structure was completely gutted by the flames and very little was left but the masonry outer shell, the tin roof, the chimneys and the brick foundation. The damage was estimated at from \$12,000 to \$15,000 on building and stock.

The origin of the fire is not known. It is believed that the fire started either in the shoe repairing shop of Louis Dell, which was located in the basement, or in the hallway. Just off the shop, Captain William R. Campbell of the police force and Officer Frank J. Quish were on the Main street "beat". They had been smelling smoke for some time but were unable to locate the fire. They went on Purcell place to investigate, believing that it was coming from some wooden structure in that vicinity and when they turned down Oak street they then discovered where it was and immediately sent in an alarm. Meanwhile they busied themselves arousing the tenants who were sleeping in the upper part of the building. Officer William G. Glenney soon came to their assistance. Noah C. and Mrs. Ingalls and their daughter, Catherine, 7 years old, occupied the east tenement. They were all sound asleep and the officers experienced considerable difficulty in arousing them and informing them of their perilous position. The police had to throw stones at the windows and shoot in the effort to arouse Mr. Ingalls and family.

Mr. Ingalls said the fire alarm awoke him and he then heard the shouts and other demonstrations of the policemen. He hastened to the front room where his little daughter slept and found the room filled with smoke so that he could scarcely see. He heard the fire crackling in the partitions of that room but was so frightened that she could not give the alarm nor leave the room. Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls and their little daughter were obliged to flee from the building in their night clothes and hastened to the home of Mrs. Ellen L. Bockus in the Ferris block next adjoining. Mrs. Ingalls and her little daughter were furnished with clothing and W. E. Luettiges brought his automobile and took them up to the home of J. Howard Keith on Hollis street.

Mr. Ingalls borrowed some clothing from Ernest Bengtson, son-in-law of Mrs. Bockus, and when the flames were sufficiently subdued he went into his apartments recovered some mementos of his watch and other valuables which he hadn't time to collect in the hasty exit for his life on being apprised of his danger.

Miss Esther Albiston, sister of Assessor Joseph Albiston, occupied the west tenement alone. Officer William Glenney came to her assistance and found her endeavoring to make her way down the rear stairs. Miss Albiston is considerably advanced in years and was almost overcome with the smoke when the officer came to her rescue and brought her to the home of Mrs. Julia Davis in the Walden block nearby. After the fire was under control Miss Albiston's apartments were entered by friends and some money and bank books were restored to her.

Ferris Brothers, who own the property are the heaviest losers, although their loss is partially covered with insurance. The building was insured for \$5,000. It is believed that it can not be repaired and in all probability a new brick building will rise phoenix like from its ashes. They also had losses on stock which was stored in a room at the rear of the Ferris building, and on their shop equipment and their stock in the main store. N. C. Ingalls' loss will probably be \$700 or \$800 partially covered by insurance. All the furniture belonging to Miss Esther Albiston was destroyed and some of it was antique, being more than 200 years old and valued beyond price.

The Hartford Tailoring Company occupied a work shop on the ground floor. They estimate their loss at \$300 and had no insurance. They didn't save a spool of thread.

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believed it should be removed. Maurice Ferris, however recalled the experience that had been encountered when a similar effort was made at the destruction of the House & Halo block, Main and Oak streets, some nine years ago. A large gasoline tank was then loaded upon a dump cart owned by the late Andrew Gardner and taken up Main street, as the cart rolled along one of the highway the gasoline splashed over and strewn the street. Falling embers from the fire ignited the flames and a trail of fire pursued the moving van up Main street, setting fire to every awning along the business line, bringing out all the garden hose which the merchants had for the purpose of extinguishing the flames, and time saving their several properties.

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Our Stocks of New Spring Merchandise Were Never Better To Make Selections From Than They Are At the Present

Each passing day reveals many new additions among our new Spring stocks. Not a day passes over our heads but that we receive something new to add to them.

One day it is Suits or Coats, another day Dresses or Skirts, another Waists or Furnishings, and so on down the gamut of merchandise, 'till at the present time our assortments of these goods are filled to the brim with the cream of the survival of the fittest of Dame Fashions own sublime creations for the days that are here as well as the days that are to come.

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Sport suits, suits for street and dressy wear, all are here in a wide range of materials, colors and styles. In sizes to fit all at prices to please everyone. Serge Suits \$11.98 to \$35.00 Velour, Bullira and Poplin Suits \$15.98 up

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For wear to business or to some social function you may be sure of finding here not one but many that you will be sure to admire, and desire. These few listed here will give you an idea of what they are like. Finest Quality of Georgette Crepe and Crepe-de-chine Dresses, hand embroidered and trimmed with contrasting colors, \$25.00 \$17.98 values, our price. Taffeta and Combinations of Crepe de chine and Taffeta Dresses, prices \$9.98 \$11.98 & \$14.98 Serge and Silk Poplin Dresses at \$5.99 \$6.98 \$7.98 and gradually go up to \$11.98

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Fancy Cotton Petticoats, 98c value, special price 79c Silk Top and Cotton Back Skirts, in all the Spring Shades, \$2.50 values, Special at \$1.98

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Just the kind you will delight in wearing during the warm days to come. Provide for those days when you can do so at these low prices. SILK CREPE AND SATIN CAMI SOLES \$1.50 values, special 98c SILK CHEPE CHEMISE, \$2.50 values, special \$1.98 CORSET 25c 50c & 98c COVERS 98c to \$1.98 CHEMISE 25c and 50c MUSLIN DRAWERS 50c 79c 98c MUSLIN SKIRTS 79c 98c and up \$2.98

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For your type of figure you can easily find a corset here that will fit it comfortably and stylishly thus laying a foundation upon which your new spring apparel will fit wrinklessly and faultlessly. All are attractively priced. R. & G'S WARNERS, AMERICAN LADY AND REDDEN CORSETS FEATURED. Prices range from 50c to \$25.00

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The preferences of fashionably dressed women are only included in this beautiful collection of coats. They are in various lengths many portraying modifications of the barrel effect. All are attractively priced. Sport Coats \$5.98 up Dress Coats \$9.98 to \$25.00

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Before you purchase elsewhere your suit or coat for your boy come and see the variety we have here. The saving on every suit purchased here will make it well worth while. Special For Easter ADJUSTABLE WALKING STILTS FREE with every purchase of a boys suit or coat to the amount of \$2.98 or over.

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In the summer wardrobe of every woman many of these pretty waists will find a dwelling place. For they are by far the prettiest we have ever had the pleasure of offering to you. Plain styles as well as numerous color effects are included. Glance at their low prices. Fine Voile Waists 98c to \$1.98 Crepe de chine Waists \$1.98 to \$2.98 Tub Silk Waists \$1.98 and \$2.98 Georgette Crepe Waists \$3.98 and \$4.98



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WANT ADS.

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WEEKS PROGRAM

THE CIRCLE

TONIGHT
Lionel Barrymore in **The Quitter**
BUSHMAN and **BAYNE** in **The Great Secret**
7th Episode

Saturday
Hank Mann in **There's Many a Fool**
Ann Pennington in **Susie Snowflake**

Sunday Eve.
Mme. Petrova in **The Black Butterfly**
2 Reel Comedy—Hearts-Pathe

Monday
Gladys Brockwell in **The Sins of Her Parents**
Black Diamond Comedy
Fetrical

Tuesday
Pauline Frederick in **The Worlds Great Snare**
Drew Comedy
Metro-Travelogue

Wednesday
Art Dramas
The Lash of Destiny
2 Reel Comedy

Thursday Vitagraph Special
E. H. Sothern—Edith Storey
An Enemy to the King
7 Reels

Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Bath are attending the New England Southern Conference which is in session at Providence, R. I. They left here last Tuesday morning, and will not return until the close of the conference next Monday. In accordance with the usual custom a considerable number of the people of that faith in this town will attend some portion of the conference, the largest number perhaps participating in the sessions next Sunday.

The opening of the Dewey-Richman Company store in the Purnell block last Thursday, Friday and Saturday proved to be a fine success. Many people accepted the invitation to call and were pleased to inspect the improvements that have been made in the store. The Dewey-Richman store has come to be one of the show places in South Manchester, owing to the recent extensive improvements made therein.

Work was started last Monday making necessary excavations for a garage which is being built for Richard Bryan on Center street near the railroad bridge. The building is to be of concrete and Patrick Gorman of this street has the contract.

All the school children in town are applying for the spring vacation, accepting of the 14th District.

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Why Declare War?

Washington is described as eager for a declaration of war, as a response to the sinking of American ships, while President Wilson, as far as can be inferred, is for vigorous prosecution of the policy of armed neutrality. That there is ample justification for a declaration of war in the wholly illegal and indefensible attacks upon American lives under the American flag can hardly be denied, and the question of the quality of our neutrality, if anyone chooses to challenge that it is not involved, because what Germany is doing to our ships is precisely what it has been doing to our neutral ships belonging to other countries when the question of war matters has never so much as come up. The German government has deliberately declared war on neutral shipping and has thereby given a complete count against it.

Children As Farmers

The suggestion has been made by the Department of the Interior that children can be put to work to raise crops on the small and large plots of ground in cities and villages.

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There are some six million school boys and school girls between the ages of nine and fifteen in this country. These children can be put to work in factories or shops as national and state laws forbid it.

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America needs a good navy on the land as well as on the sea. In the land navy there are three ships. One is the child in the home garden, one is the child in the public school, and one is the child in the factory or shop.

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Why not municipal school truck gardens to encourage agriculture and thrift, to give healthy avocation to energetic youngsters and incidentally add to the city's welfare.—News, Buffalo.

All-Americans

The only patriotic "replenisher" Americans in time of war are the Irish boys and girls in the day of American citizenship. It is enough for men and women of our race to know that some of the most brilliant pages in the history of the world are the pages of our race in American history. We know that citizenship is of the spirit, and that our part in the past has been engraved on the annals of the mighty edifice of our country. We know that true citizenship is of the spirit, and that our part in the past has been engraved on the annals of the mighty edifice of our country.

Adamson Law Constitutional

The announcement that an agreement has been reached between the railroad brotherhood and the railroad managers as to conditions of employment was almost coincidental with the promulgation of the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States that the much discussed Adamson law is constitutional. The eight hour law is thus declared legal and incidentally the right of public service corporation employees to strike will be settled by Chief Justice White. We are rather of the opinion that the following is the real meaning of the Chief Justice's law will be found to be the real fact reaching things in the general opinion.

We have at no time felt that the threatened country-wide railroad strike could be accomplished. We had our doubts at the time the Adamson bill was enacted. We had greater doubts at the time the country was itself threatened with participation in the great European war. The enterprise was too indifferent to the public welfare to be undertaken. It is a confession of the fact that the danger by congressional action that

Tariff Commission

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Never was there a time when smart foot coverings were shown in such variety as now. The present fashions in dress make it imperative to be correctly booted. At our big shoe department we are prepared to fill every footwear need with the most stylish boots and low shoes and canvas. Every lady's idea of fashion's fancy will be found here. Let us fit you to Easter footwear.

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We carry the largest line in the city. All the new English cuts in dark mahogany black, with cloth tops or leather. Light Russia call. Several styles in lace or button, tan or black leathers.

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The most striking innovation in the new Spring style is the "Barrel" Silhouette cleverly designed to give the most smart and graceful effects. Fashion's devotees are dividing their favor between this style and the straight lines of the Grecian models. Richness of materials and striking novelty of designs are conspicuous in the fashions this Spring. There is such a splendid line of colorings you can take the broadest choice. Suits for the miss, for the woman of regular size; others for those who are of more ample proportions. Every size and every kind is here with a range of prices from \$20.00 up to \$175.00 each.

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Men's Footwear \$2.95 to \$7.45
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Final Standing of Inter-Class League

Seniors	Won	Lost
Seniors	6	4
Sophomores	4	6
Juniors	5	5
Freshman	1	8

School Events

It has been estimated that fully 800 parents and friends of pupils of the South Manchester schools will attend the exhibition last Friday evening. The library was used for a historical display, while Room 34 was used to show off the trade school work. German, French and English class rooms contained exhibitions pertaining to these studies. The program in the Assembly Hall was run off in a very pleasing manner.

Children As Farmers

The suggestion has been made by the Department of the Interior that children can be put to work to raise crops on the small and large plots of ground in cities and villages.

The idea is to thus add to the ordinary food supply and thus supply a partial remedy for the high cost of living.

The suggestion is a good one. It is a simple remedy and close at hand. It is simple and proximity are reasons why we have overlooked it. But the obvious is often the last thing we see.

There are some six million school boys and school girls between the ages of nine and fifteen in this country. These children can be put to work in factories or shops as national and state laws forbid it.

Then why not set them to work in the home garden, offers an idea opportunity for them to learn to work, and if this is carefully planned and supervised, the boy and girls in each family can grow up to be self-sufficient in the practical garden.

Why not in the home garden, will learn how to keep simple records, will realize the joy and responsibility of ownership, some of their time will be profitably employed and they will become proud and good citizens.

America needs a good navy on the land as well as on the sea. In the land navy there are three ships. One is the child in the home garden, one is the child in the public school, and one is the child in the factory or shop.

Let us not neglect the child in the home garden, which will leave our children the opportunity by providing lands, implements, seeds, ration and supervision in raising garden truck.

Why not municipal school truck gardens to encourage agriculture and thrift, to give healthy avocation to energetic youngsters and incidentally add to the city's welfare.—News, Buffalo.

MISS SHELDON WAS SHOWERED

A miscellaneous shower was given last Tuesday to Miss A. Sheldon of Pearl street last Monday evening at the home of Miss Alice Benson of Main street. The gifts for Miss Sheldon were attached to a ribbon around the neck of the paper and the other home decorations were of rainbow colors. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments were served. The whole combined to make a very delightful event. There were twenty-six young women in the party including some from out of town. Miss Sheldon is to be married next month to Arthur Klebes of East Hartford.

THE CIRCLE THEATER

LIST OF FEATURES

A Metro feature heads the program at the Circle this evening, Lionel Barrymore will be seen in "The Quitter". In addition Bushman and Bayne are featured in the seventh episode of "The Great Secret". Tomorrow, Hank Mann is featured in another of those popular Fox comedies, "There's Many a Fool". These comedies are becoming very popular at the Circle. This is evinced by the capacity houses which are being given whenever that popular Metro feature is shown in addition to the comedy, "Pretty Ann Pennington" is the story in a Famous Players, Paramount production, "Susie Snowflake". Sunday evening starts the most all star week at the Circle. Every feature that will be presented during the week is a special and is of the very highest quality and is being given in many sections of the city. "The Black Butterfly" is a new Metro production, Monday, Gladys Brockwell will be seen in a Fox production, "The Sins of Her Parents" Tuesday, "Paramount" Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, "The Worlds Great Snare" special, "The Worlds Great Snare" upon any man.

Going Some

E. L. G. Hohenhalt of Center street, South Manchester, left town last Tuesday for Washington, D. C. where he attended a conference of a committee representing the National Prohibition party, who were laying plans for matters to be presented to Congress next year. He arrived at the city of Brotherly Love last evening where he attended the 73rd annual meeting of Friendship Division. Some of the members of the division addressed the body. This evening he is to attend a Prohibition rally in New York City and tomorrow will be in Philadelphia. In addition Bushman and Bayne are present at the closing session of the New England Southern Conference of the Methodist church. Mr. Hohenhalt is a man of strong mind and body to endure the fatigues incident upon travel, speaking and conference work of various sorts. Mr. Hohenhalt is a member of the National Prohibition party and is a member of the National Prohibition party of Connecticut, and is also Worthy Patriarch of the Sons of Temperance of North America, the highest office that body can confer upon any man.

WILLIAM R. WILLIAMS

William R. Williams died at his home in South Manchester last Saturday afternoon at the age of 71. He was a native of Ireland, who had lived in this town for the past thirty years. He was first engaged in the grocery business at the North End and later came to South Manchester where he entered the employ of F. E. Williams who conducted a grocery store in the Ferris block. He continued his service there when Mr. Williams sold the store to S. J. Joseph, who is the proprietor at the present time. Mr. Williams worked for Mr. Joseph until within one week before his death. It was not realized that his condition was

OBITUARY

JOHN MORLARY
The funeral of John Morlary of Woodland street took place Monday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Bridget's church. The body was placed in the vault at the St. Bridget's cemetery. Mr. Morlary died Friday at the St. Francis hospital after a few days illness with pneumonia. He was 45 years old and unmarried. He lived at the North End for many years. He was survived by his mother, one sister, Miss Annie, and a brother, Jeremiah, who lives in Bridgeport.

MRS. JOHN ROBINSON
Mrs. John Robinson of 45 Walworth street died at her home yesterday morning after an illness extending over a period of two years, with an affection of the heart. The funeral is to take place tomorrow afternoon at the home at two o'clock, and at twelve Brigadier Joseph Atkinson of Boston, Mass. will conduct the funeral services. The Salvation Army O. E. Newton of the Vernon Methodist church is officiating. Miss Coleman was a native of Bolton, in her 8th year and lived in this portion of Manchester all her life. She was a devoted mother and was very fond of her home and will be cordially greeted by many friends both within and without the town.

OBITUARY

MRS. BRIDGET TOTTON
Mrs. Bridget Totton of Spruce and Maple streets died at eleven o'clock last night after a lingering illness covering a period of one year and a half. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. A high mass of requiem for the repose of her soul will be sung at St. James church. Burial will be at the St. James cemetery. Mrs. Totton was

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Fire and Smoke Sale

Next Tuesday we will put on sale a large supply of goods damaged by the fire which occurred in our building Sunday morning. Most of the stock was only smoke or water damaged and is perfect except in appearance. Great bargains in Garden Tools. Be sure to come Tuesday.

Ferris Brothers

TOWN ADVERTISEMENT

MILK INSPECTOR'S REPORT FOR MARCH 1917.

Eighteen samples of milk have been collected by the Milk Inspector and sent to the State Laboratory of Middletown, Conn., for analysis.

Following are the reports of milk analysis received:

Mark or Name	No. of Bacteria per c. c.	Fat per cent.	Refractometer	Per Cent. Clean	General Grade
15. A. E. Loomis	4,000	3.9	38	90	93.3
17. W. Wagon	20,000	3.5	37.5	80	80
7. E. Jacobs	6,000	5.7	38	95	96.6
40. Finney Brothers	15,000	4.0	37.5	80	83.3
8. E. Kestey	300,000	3.8	38	90	75
45. D. W. Kelsey	3,000	3.4	38	90	91.6
9. E. Jacobs	25,000	5.7	38	95	91.6
31. H. G. and R. Cheney	2,500	5.7	38	95	93.3
19. Pitkin & Calhoun	27,000	5.4	38.5	90	83.3
14. A. Ferris	27,000	3.4	37	80	83.3
22. J. P. Foster	50,000	3.6	38	90	83.3
44. M. Perkins	500,000	4.0	38.5	90	80
4. W. Maguire	10,000	4.4	38	90	90
60. B. Cummings	12,000	4.3	38	95	90
68. C. Nelson	4,000	4.1	38.5	95	96.6
6. E. Lynch	50,000	4.1	38	85	83.3
72. A. Krasman	2,500	4.4	38	95	93.3
81. "Frenchie"	14,000	3.25	38	90	85

Milk must show 3.25 per cent of fat to be up to Legal Standard. Bacteria below 10,000 per c. c. indicates milk of very good quality. Bacteria from 10,000 to 50,000 per c. c. indicates milk of good quality. Bacteria from 50,000 to 100,000 per c. c. indicates milk of fair quality. Bacteria from 100,000 to 500,000 per c. c. indicates milk of unsatisfactory quality. Bacteria from 500,000 to 1,000,000 per c. c. indicates milk of bad quality. Bacteria over 1,000,000 per c. c. indicates milk of very bad quality. When milk contains over 200,000 per c. c. it indicates that conditions are unsatisfactory and should be inspected. The milk is usually too warm or has been kept too long.

Refractometer reading under 36 indicates watered milk. In reporting dirt by percentage an arbitrary scale is used in which 100 per cent. clean indicates no dirt. Milk drawn and shipped under clean conditions should not grade below 90 per cent.

Test for preservatives made only when especially requested. During hot weather in the larger cities it is very difficult to keep the number of bacteria below 100,000 but they should be kept below 200,000. THE GENERAL GRADE is determined by combining the figures for bacteria, fat, refractometer and dirt, 100 being a perfect score in which the fat is 4.5 per cent. or above, the bacteria below 5,000, the refractometer 37.5 or above and the cleanliness 100 per cent.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Local Paragraphs

INTERESTING ITEMS BOILED DOWN FOR BUSY READERS

The town has purchased a new Buick "4" for the use of the highway department.

A whist social took place last evening at the home of John Fogarty of Arch street, the net proceeds of which are to be added to the St. James parochial school fund.

Dr. Edward G. Dolan is having a residence built on Cambridge street, William Knoda has the contract.

Mrs. Louise Schendel of Main street is at the Wilson Sanatorium in Hartford undergoing treatment and it is reported to be improving.

At the regular meeting of Campbell Council Knights of Columbus last Monday evening, Grand Knight P. J. Hutchison and Junior Past Grand Knight R. E. Carney were chosen to represent the council as delegates at the state convention of the order which is to assemble at Bridgeport in the merry month of May. John F. Campbell and Thomas J. Quinn were chosen as alternates.

The Ladies Sewing Society of the Swedish Lutheran church held a social and sale in Cheney hall Wednesday evening. Piano solos and duets and a talk by John Cornell comprised the program and ice cream, home made cake and coffee were after consideration of the evening well enjoyed. The event as a whole was a fine success.

Rev. Chauncey B. Brewster, D. D., Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Connecticut will administer the rite of confirmation to a class of candidates at St. Mary's Episcopal church, South Manchester, Thursday, April 5.

"The Passion Play" as seen at Oberammergau was presented in stereoscopic pictures at the South Methodist church last evening. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. H. Bath, William E. Keith of South Manchester delivered the lecture explanatory of the views shown.

No doubt you will be invited to purchase a ticket for the First Easter dance, given by Nathan Hale Council, No. 4, Junior Order of American Mechanics. The event will take place at Tinker Hall Easter Monday evening. The Juniors intend to make matters exceedingly enjoyable for all who attend and expect to furnish them with the opportunity to meet a delightful evening as their guests.

The last in the series of Lenten discourses conducted at the Center church under the auspices of the Church Night Committee was delivered last evening by Hamilton Holt, editor of the New York Independent. Mr. Holt had for his subject "The League to Enforce Peace and Other Peace Programs of Today." The Salvation Army band furnished music for the occasion. The general subject of the several discourses was "War and Peace in the Progress of Civilization." The Church Night Committee succeeded in securing the services of very distinguished scholars and controversialists and the series as a whole was highly instructive and heartily enjoyed by goodly numbers at each session.

In accordance with their usual custom Campbell Council Knights of Columbus will give their Easter Monday ball in Cheney Hall Monday evening, April 9th. This is recognized as being one of the leading social functions of the year in South Manchester. The officers and members of Campbell Council met forth every effort to make matters very enjoyable for their guests. Hatsch orchestra furnishes the music and the young women provide very attractive gowns for the annual K. of C. ball. Many of the young men dancers will be seen in full evening dress and in paying the dues of members of the division who are now enlisted in Company G, or who may enlist hereafter, in order that sick benefits may be paid them in case of illness. It is also expected that the Court Manchester Forsters of America will take similar action at their next meeting. Both of these fraternities did but little last year when the military boys were sent down to the Mexican border for the defense of the United States.

Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday and will mark the opening of the final week of Lent. The church members of all ages should be especially diligent about town have observed the Lenten period with much more religious enthusiasm and fervor than ever before in this community. Extraordinary efforts have been put forth to bring in speakers of prominence and ability and the public have responded to the call, and have shown their interest and zeal by their attendance in large numbers.

While riding his bicycle to work in the silk mills last Friday morning Samuel Stevenson met with an accident which resulted in injuring his leg by wrenching, bruising his body generally and causing some damage to his wheel. The bicycle was caught in the trolley tracks with the results noted above. Mr. Stevenson is foreman for Cheney Brothers in the spinning department at the Old Mill.

The City Club expect to move into the new Gorman block on Oak street next week. They are presently located in the Ferris block.

The social rooms of the Knights of Columbus in the Ferris block are being redecorated and are to be refurbished as soon as the decorators finish their part.

O. K. and Mrs. House and H. B. and Mrs. House went to Springfield, Mass., yesterday to attend the opening of a new Kennedy clothing store, Main and Taylor streets. This makes the eighth Kennedy store to be opened in Massachusetts cities.

The regular meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Miss Mary Ferguson, Main and Charter Oak streets.

A victoria concert will be given at Watkins Brothers store this evening beginning at 8:00. The new April records, which are now on sale, will be played at the concert, and the public will thus have an opportunity of knowing just how delightful the music is.

The Odd Fellows closed their net-work series with the session of last Saturday evening at Odd Fellows hall. First prizes were won by Fryer and Martin, and seconds by McKay and Dickson. The first prize was awarded to John Server whose score was 690. John Fogarty and Alexander Shields each had a score of 676 and were awarded second prizes.

Well, they're all going to Sub Alpine Hall tomorrow evening to attend the dance that is to be given by The Flower Club. A special wait is listed as the feature of the evening and the Verdi orchestra is to furnish the music. The open door will be maintained at Sub Alpine hall tomorrow evening and all the youngsters are cordially invited to attend.

The officers and members of the Holy Name Society of St. James church are to conduct a whist party at Tinker hall Friday evening. The whist party is to be given in the parlors of the church. The net proceeds of the whist will be added to the parochial school fund.

A whist party was given at the home of Miss Nellie Cleary on Newmarket street last Monday evening. The following were the prize winners: first, Michael Reardon; second, Joseph Madden; consolation, Fred Kenne. First, Mrs. J. Logan; second, Miss Margaret Donnell; consolation, Mrs. Claire Blake. The proceeds of the whist will be added to the St. James parochial school fund.

The members of the local Equal Franchise League will assemble next Monday at the home of Mrs. Frank B. Cheney, 86 Forest street, E. C. Hohenthal will deliver an address upon the subject of "Notes From My Scrap Book."

James Metcalf of South Manchester and Miss Mary E. Chappell, daughter of Frank and Mrs. Chappell of Village street, Rockville, were married yesterday in Rockville. Rev. Percy E. Thomas, pastor of the Congregational church performed the ceremony. Mr. Metcalf is employed in Cheney Brothers silk mills and his bride and his fair young bride will make their home in South Manchester.

R. LaMotte Russell will deliver an address on banking before the South Methodist Young Men's Club Wednesday evening, April 11. It is expected that Mr. Russell will speak before the young men next Wednesday evening, but different arrangements had to be made and the meeting was postponed to the date named above.

Work on the interior finish of the new recreation building on Educational street has been removed. Men are now at work removing the debris which accumulated about the building. It is expected that at the next meeting of the local division of Hibernians arrangements will be made for paying the dues of members of the division who are now enlisted in Company G, or who may enlist hereafter, in order that sick benefits may be paid them in case of illness. It is also expected that the Court Manchester Forsters of America will take similar action at their next meeting. Both of these fraternities did but little last year when the military boys were sent down to the Mexican border for the defense of the United States.

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MR. LONERGAN HERE TONIGHT

Congressman Augustine Lonergan's "goodbye speech" to his district before departing for Washington to attend one of the most momentous sessions of congress in the history of the country will be made in Manchester. He will speak in the Forsters hall at the south end this evening, and tomorrow he will depart for Washington in order to be on hand at the convening of congress Monday, when President Wilson will make known his plans for addressing congress.



CONGRESSMAN LONERGAN

congress and imparting his conclusions as to the attitude of the United States in the critical situation which now confronts the country.

As previously announced, Mr. Lonergan's address will be confined to "official Washington," and will give first-hand impressions of the important and absorbing work of legislation for one hundred millions of people. The functions of the ten great departments of the national government will be explained by the congressman, with data as to how each department is conducted under the direction of a cabinet officer and a corps of assistants; when it is known that each department is split into ten from ten to forty bureaus, each bureau being really a department in itself. An idea of the vast proportions of our national government can be had.

The congressman's address will be preceded by a musical program. The arrangements are being made by the current events committee of the Manchester Democratic Club.

Miss Louise B. Donthwaite has returned to Hartford after visiting relatives in this place.

The regular Saturday night dance of the Samost Trio will take place at Tinker hall tomorrow evening.

Tonight will be a big night at the Park theater as the Athletic baseball club will stage a vaudeville and moving picture program. The vaudeville program was among the best of the last Friday. The feature picture this evening will be "The Undertow".

Miss Alice C. Persons, teacher of music in the Ninth District Schools is to spend a period of several weeks in North Dakota, for which purpose she left here yesterday. She goes on a matter of business.

Miss Clance of New York City, but formerly of South Manchester is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Mary O'Gorman of Main street. She intends to extend her visit for several weeks.

A son, Charles Freeman, was born last Friday to Representative and Mrs. C. Dennison Talbot of Talcottville. The happy parents now have three girls and one boy in their family.

The camp meeting services which are being conducted by the Salvation Army are arousing a great deal of enthusiasm and interest and are being continued throughout the entire week. Officers from adjoining corps have been assisting in the work. The camp meeting will be in progress all of last week, was pushed with much energy and to the great spiritual benefit of the participants.

Victorious But Conquered. Victories are often purchased at great cost. Sometimes the victory becomes a defeat. What ticksles the national fancy may drive men to extremes but the extremes may bring consequences little dreamed of. No nation is so dangerously near calamity as it is in the moment of its triumph. Then it is that the bars of resentment are lowered and follies appear. In the guise of festive hermits of continents. One can't rise and by rising tamper with principles. No man ever got above his honor and the gain worthy of himself. The fact that you rise is evidence that you will and four powers to keep you in high station.

Expiring Opinions. The reason why opinions are so important to our settings is that we are paid with least more than our own. Honor and consequence are not to be gained over but above his honor and the gain worthy of himself. The fact that you rise is evidence that you will and four powers to keep you in high station.

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 - Veal Loaf..... 24c lb
 - Shoulder Veal..... 20c lb
 - Lamb Chops..... 28c lb
 - Leg of Lamb..... 26c lb
 - Shoulder Lamb..... 24c lb
 - Roast Loins of Pork..... 24c lb
 - Porterhouse Steak..... 28c lb
 - Sirloin Steak..... 26c lb
 - Pot Roast..... 22c lb
 - Beef Roast..... 22c lb
 - Shoulder Steak..... 18c lb
 - Fancy Roasting Chickens..... 31c lb
 - Fresh Pork Shoulders..... 21c lb
 - Smoked Shoulders..... 20c lb
 - Best Hamburg Steak..... 16c lb
 - Corn Beef..... 14c lb

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Wills—What system do these military executors work on? Gills—One person runs the machine, and the other is just an observer, but both of them fight. Willis—I see; just like being married.—Toledo Blade.

Proper Illustration. It is a mistake, avers the Illuminating Engineer Society, to use a bright light against a dark background, and while an artistic fixture is well enough as a decoration, yet lamps which in themselves are good and suitable still stand out unless the fixtures are in the right position. In planning the illumination of a room it is only common sense to determine just what you are going to use that room for, and then to arrange the lighting. By doing this it should be possible for people of middle age to add years of excellent eyesight, which otherwise would soon diminish. Where children of various ages are in a family the matter of artificial light is of great importance. The general health of a growing boy or girl may be seriously affected by careless lighting, especially in rooms where they read or study their lessons.

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HOME GARDENING URGENT NECESSITY

There is very urgent need of householders taking hold of the Home Garden project and looking ahead to meet the high prices for some products that are sure to ensue. Now that war is against the German government is an actuality everything points to a continuance and aggravation of the high price period which has nation-wide and is sure to continue during the life of the hostilities. The Allies depend upon the United States to supply them with food. They are not in a position to do this for themselves and therefore the demand for American grown table products is beyond question sure to be maintained at high cost prices. There is no possible chance to avoid this.

In such an emergency therefore it behooves the householder to supply for his own table, in so far as is humanly, the necessary staple garden products by means of the Home Garden plan. This will bring the vegetables to him at first cost. He will get his supplies direct from Mother Nature. There will be no commissions to be paid. He can have his needs supplied at the simple expense of his own foresight and labor. The chance is now given householders to take hold of this problem with a will and seize the opportunity past by. The springtime is here. The period of preparation for planting is at hand. Do not delay.

If you have not made application for a garden plot do it today. Any member of the committee will apply you with a blank application which they will fill out for you. It is up to you to supply the rest. The facts in the case. They will ask you certain questions which you can readily answer. The applications must be made early in order that the committee may know how many Home Gardeners they will have to supply.

In addition to the lands on the West Side of South Manchester mentioned in The News last week, the Cheney family has secured a garden plot. Land is now available in the fertile valley directly east of Charter Oak street. This is to be plowed at once. The plowing, harrowing and sowing of fertilizer is to be carried on by the committee. Garden plots 50X100 feet are being laid out. One 100-pound bag of fertilizer will be needed for each garden plot.

The committee having charge of the Home Garden project comprises the following persons: Horace L. Gardner, chairman; L. St. C. Barr, secretary; F. A. Verplanck, George A. Johnson, Robert J. Smith, William Cheney, R. LaMotte Russell, Earl Seaman, E. Hugh Crosby, G. H. Miller, Dr. C. E. Houghgrieve and H. S. Beahan, all of South Manchester; W. H. Card of Manchester, and W. C. Pitts of Manchester Green. Blank applications for more information regarding the project will gladly be supplied.

St. Marys Church

Bishop Chauncey B. Brewster confirmed a class of 32 persons at St. Marys Episcopal church last evening. The church was well filled with relatives of the young people who received the rite, and also by other members of the parish. Bishop Brewster delivered a sermon appropriate to the occasion in which he gave some sound advice to the young persons who are setting out on the voyage of life after having arrived at the age of discretion where they are held responsible for their own conduct. The ceremonies were very impressive and doubtless will be long remembered by all upon whose heads the hands of the bishop were laid in administering of the sacrament of Holy Communion at 10:15. In addition to the regular morning service, infant baptism will take place at three o'clock and in the evening at seven. Evening service is scheduled, together with an Easter sermon by the pastor, Rev. M. B. Bennett.

A sunrise meeting of the Epworth League is to take place at the South Methodist church, Easter Sunday morning at seven o'clock.

LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO OPEN AIR SCHOOL

The following additional contributions to the Open Air School Fund are hereby acknowledged by Mrs. E. L. G. Hohenthal of The Educational Club who is treasurer of the committee appointed by the club to collect money for the maintenance of the school. This is the fifth list of contributors to be published in The News.

R. Foster	\$2.00
Franz Donahue	5.00
F. A. Leib	5.00
George Strant	3.00
L. N. Hoebner	3.00

COMPANY G LEAVES TOWN

Without any demonstration whatever Company G, First Infantry U. S. A., left town Wednesday afternoon for military duty. The boys marched from the armory up Main street to the Center where they boarded trolley cars for Hartford. Beyond the Center City their destination was not made known. They are moving under sealed orders. It is understood to be the determination of the military authorities to assign military companies for duty at other than their own home towns. This is done with the view of preventing any embarrassing situations developing because of relationships or friendships which might arise. He can have his needs supplied at the simple expense of his own foresight and labor. The chance is now given householders to take hold of this problem with a will and seize the opportunity past by. The springtime is here. The period of preparation for planting is at hand. Do not delay.

The boys were on a hike to Bolton at that hour. A telephone message was sent to James Matthews, proprietor of the New England Hotel at Bolton to notify the battalion on sight that they were wanted at the armory here. This was done and the soldiers were met by Mr. Matthews for South Manchester. Meanwhile an automobile truck was dispatched after them in order to hasten their return.

The boys were called away. The fire alarm siren was not sounded. The children of the Lincoln school at the Center were dismissed in order that they might give the soldiers a cheery departure, which they did with a will.

Little Archie Benson, brother of Clerk John A. Benson, marched with the boys from the armory to the Center and carried a large American flag in the procession.

Soldiers' Dependents

Under a new law recently passed by the Connecticut legislature the wife of a Connecticut soldier in military duty is to receive \$20 each month during the term of his service, and for each child under 16 years the state pays the sum of \$2 a month additional. When the boys were sent to the Mexican Border to do military duty last year no such provision was made by the state for dependents of the soldiers. This task also involves the lines of general interest, corporations, cities, boroughs and towns respectively where such dependents lived. Insurance policies on the lives of soldiers are issued by civilian employers, corporations and such like. This action by the state legislature is working along the lines of general insurance and is an excellent provision. When the burden is distributed upon every taxpayer in the state the load upon any single individual becomes exceedingly light. It is extending the hand of help to the overburdened and is a truly Christian duty. It is one of the seven corporal works of mercy.

DARTMOUTH STUDENTS ENLIST IN NAVY

Ollie O'Gorman of South Manchester has enlisted in the United States Navy and will enter the service next week Thursday. He is a sophomore at Dartmouth College and some 300 of his college friends have taken similar action. They expect to be assigned to the proposed Massachusetts fleet that is being organized by the United States Navy Department, and to engage in the gulf but persuasive occupation of chasing German submarines upon the high seas. The Dartmouth boys are filled with enthusiasm in the present crisis which confronts the United States and are willing to do their bit in order to sustain and support President Woodrow Wilson in his present determined stand upon the question of war against the German government and to take the chance of sacrificing their young lives in defense of the Stars and Stripes, of home and of native land, should such a sacrifice become necessary or expedient.

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Special for Easter

Silk Taffeta Dresses in newest shades, \$15 values \$11.98.
Fine Wool Velour Coats Just arrived—New Models \$25 values \$14.98.
Diagonal Cord Coat with large double collar, has belt and 2 buckles in back. \$15 value, Saturday \$9.98.
Envelope Chemise of fine nanosilk, prettily trimmed, 98c value, Saturday 75c.
Silk Petticoats. Made of heavy durable silk, in all the bright spring colors, \$5 values special at \$4.48. \$3.98 values at \$3.25.
Newest of dainty Georgette crepe Waists in all the new shades, Special at \$4.98.

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WONDERFUL BARGAINS IN OUR NEW LADIES' DEPARTMENT

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For tomorrow we will make a special showing of the latest Spring Suits, just in time for Easter. No two suits alike. Many styles and all the popular colors. The price tomorrow \$21

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Georgette Crepe Waists \$5.00

Exceptionally fine waists for Easter Wear. Many pretty styles, neatly trimmed and a large variety of colors. While they last \$5.00.

Edman Bros DRY GOODS

Porterfield—Hanson. Miss Ann Porterfield of Highland Park and Arthur J. Hanson of the North End were married Wednesday afternoon by Rev. E. W. Studley, pastor of the North Methodist church. The marriage took place at the parsonage and was entirely informal.

Special Easter services are planned for all of the churches