### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

ITEMS OF INTEREST CONCERN-ING NEW HAVEN PEOPLE

And Other People Known in This City-Interesting Social Events Here and

Mr. Henry Salsbury of the Philadelphia Dental College, is spending the vacation at his home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Kinner and daughter, Miss Susle Kinner will spend the Christmas holidays with their brother, George A. Kinner, in Danbury.

Mr. Arthur Parmelee leaves to-day to spend the Christmas vacation at his home in Worcester, Mast. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gillesple and family will spend Christmas with

their mother, Mrs. J. Rowe, of Chesh-Miss Mabel Salsbury, Miss Tillie Stettner and Miss Pauline Hasselbach have planned to spend the holidays

with frierids in New York city. There will be no more meetings of the Up-to-Date club of Westville until after the Christmas holidays. The first meeting of the new year will be held on January 10, at the home of Mrs. A.

O. Norton of Fountain street. Mr. A. Kalser of the Baltimore Medical school is spending the holiday vacation at his home, 36 Pearl street.

Miss Ida Cahn has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Myers of Boston. During her stay in that city several social affairs were given in honor of her and her flance, Mr. G. Kaiser of

J. J. Kraft and family of Park street will spend Christmas with their son, William J. Kraft, at Mamaroneck, New York, leaving Saturday.

The choir of Christ church is rehearsing the cantata, "Bethlehem," to be sung New Year's night under the direction of Mr. Baker. Walter Cowles will then assume his duties as organist at Christ church, the position now being filled by Mr. Jackson, who has substituted since Edmund Ender resigned to go to Ansonia,

Mr. and Mrs. William Hartung, of Elm street, will have as guests on Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartung, sr., Frank Hartung, jr., Miss Lulu Hartung, Mr. and Mrs. George Hartung, of Waterbury, and son, Per-

cey, and Miss C. Gerard. Miss Gertrude Harold of 382 George street, a well known teacher of plano, wifl leave Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents in Terryville, Ct.

Samuel Wassering of 87 York street will celebrate his confirmation Sunday by a dinner. Among the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. J. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. S. Konheim, Mr. and Mrs. C. Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lewis, Frank Debau, Arthur Patterson, Albert Griffin, H. Glasser, Herbert Spencer.

F. F. Dole of Blake street has gone to Philadelphia to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Marie Fleming, who lies seriously III.

John E. Judson, wife and children, Helen and John, of Pawtucket, R. I., and Theodore Judson of Leinster, Mass., will visit over the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Judson of Whitney avenue.

Retiring master of Trumbull lodge, George C. Phelps, was presented with a beautiful scarfpin at the complimentary dinner tendered him Tuesday night the members. The banquet was served in the Tontine hotel under the direction of Mr. Trecartin. E. M. Armstrong acted as toast master and at the head of the table sat Mr. Phelos, and at his side was W. R. Hoppin, the new worshipful master.

Mrs. Edward T. Root, of Providence, R. L, with her sons, Merrill and Winthrop, will spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. G. G. Merrill, of Whalley avenue.

Five hundred invitations were issued for the marriage of Miss Clara Haskell of East Haven and Rev. George F. Abel of Orchard Lake, Mich., which was solemnized at the East Haven Congregational church Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. A great many New Haven people were present at the ceremony. The church was handsomely decorated with greens in honor of the holiday time. The bride had as mald of honor Miss Anna Baldwin of this city, and as flower girl er cousin, Miss Marie Sanderson. The ushers were F. O. Jones, Mr. Weige, S. T. Haskell, two brothers of the bride. The best man was Dr. Peters of Philadelphia. The ceremony was performed by the bride's uncle, Rev. Mr. Sherwin, assisted by Rev. D. J. Clarke, pastor of the church. A reception at the home of the bride's father, Joseph A. Haskell, followed the ceremony. Many very beautiful gifts were received. Rev. and Mrs. Abel left for their home in Orchard Lake, Mich., where Mr. Abel has a parish.

Miss Jessie Ottarson of Main street, West Haven, has resigned her position with the telephone company,

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Moss of Cheshire will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage Saturday evening, for which invitations havebeen is sued. Each person is requested to impersonate a book.

Mrs. M. Kaiser of Howard avenue, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. Kaiser, have returned from a western trip, during which she visited relatives in

Chicago, Mrs. Hubbell and a lady companion from Woodbridge drove into Westville Tuesday and in attempting to cross the car track were tipped out of the

sleigh and the horse started on a mad run. Russell Miller caught the horse. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Riley have moved into their new house on the Boulevard, from 99 Kimberly avenue.

John Parker of the Medical school will go to New York city this week to spend some weeks, studying at one of New York and New Jersey. The resig-

the large hospitals there. R. W. Warren of Southbridge, Mass., entered upon his duties this week in the New Haven office of the International commended as his successor.

Correspondence school of Scranton, Pa. on Center street.

Mrs. George Bradley, Milton Bradley and Miss Bradley of West Chapel street eave soon to spend a few weeks in the south, most of the time to be spent at Palm Beach, Fla.

Owing to many counter attractions inidental to holiday time, the Jolly Six of Branford have decided to postpone the second dance of their series until Saturday evening, January 7, from which they will hold pleasant weekly assemblies until Lent. Harmony orchestra will play for dancing.

The annual New Year's reception of the Harmonic club, which has been in vogue since the inception of social affairs, will be held in the club house, Monday, January 2. Dancing, bowling and several pleasing novelties will be included in the order of pleasure. On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings,

January 3 and 4, St. Mary's choir and Sunday school of Branford will present "Golden Hair and the Three Bears," a juvenile operetta by J. As-

to: Broad. Miss Minnie Winter will leave soon to spend several months in Washington. D. C., where she has frequently visited and has a large circle of friends. Yesterday afternoon the Ladies' Benevolent society of Calvary Baptist

church held its last meeting before the colidays. Mrs. Wallace Fields was the nostess. Miss Fannie Beach, matron of the Mt. Carmel home for children, spoke to the ladies at 4:30 o'clock. Supper was served at 6:30. The ladies will be glad of any Christmas donations of outgrown or half-worn clothing, especially for children.

Great interest is felt in the concert dance of the Branford Military band to be given in Music hall this evening and a very large number of tickets have

W. A. Burr of Hartford who is wintering at his summer home, Rockdale, Short Beach, has been making quite extensive improvements at the cottage. These include an addition and a hot water furnace. The home is now desirable for any season of the year.

Miss Jennie Beers is planning for a dancing reception for her classes in Orange, to take place soon after Christmas. Miss Beers has had splendid success and if school duties permit, may extend the scope of her work in the near future.

The marriage of Miss Eva Mix Gilbert, daughter of Mrs. Emily M. Gilbert, and fornest King Rider is an-

The concert of the Cecella Ladies' quartette and the Home quartette of Springfield, scheduled for December 13, and postponed because of the heavy snow storm, will be given in Library hall, Branford, on Tuesday evening

January 10, Mrs. William Knapp entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Whist club at her home on First avenue yesterday. The Southern New England Tele-

phone company has placed instruments in the houses of the new subscribers above Oxford Center, and on Christian street. Those having the service now include C. H. Thayer, Albert Arnold, Mrs. R. B. Linsburnes, F. W. Hubbell, C. F. Armstrong, David B. Wheeler and John B. Cope. Those on Chestnut ditional sale. The defendant contend-Tree Hill who are to have it are G. W. Gable and Ole Madsen.

The newly elected officers of Georgia chapter, Order Eastern Star, are as follows: Worthy matron, Mrs. Walter N. Boynton; worthy patron, Walter N. Boynton; associate matron, Mrs. Lynde Rowland; secretary, Miss Fedelia Pard; treasurer, Mrs. Samuel Wilford; conductress, Mrs. Richard Madden; assoclate, Mrs. Arthur Merrill.

### CONNECTICUT FRUIT.

Award of Medals for Exhibits at the St. Louis Fair.

Willimantic, Dec. 21 .-- Professor A. G. Gulley, of the Connecticut Agricultural college, who had charge of the pomological exhibit from Connecticut at St. Louis, received notice last night of the awards to the Connecticut exhibitors. Three gold, eight silver and five bronze medals come to this state. The gold medals are: One for the entire exhibit, and one each to the Connecticut Pomological society and the Connecti-cut Agricultural college for large exhibits. The silver and bronze medals are awarded to private exhibitors, of whom there is only one in this section, Maxwell Brothers, of Rockville, who get a silver medal for their exhibit of cran-

### FOR THIS COUNTY.

Post surgeons appointed from New Haven county to assist in the military enrollment are as follows: Joseph H. Townsend, New Haven; William W. Hawkes, New Haven; Edward S. Moulton, New Haven; Thomas J. Kilmartin, Waterbury; Frank A. Benedict, Seymour; N. Nickerson, Meriden: George L. Beardsley, Derby; Louis E. Cooper Ansonia; E. B. Heady, Milford; J. D. McGaughey, Wallingford; C. F. Smith, Wallingford; A. J. Tenney, Branford; H. Walter Murless, Guilford.

GRACE CHURCH, HAMDEN. A meeting of the wardens and vestry of Grace church, Hamden, was held last Tuesday evening at the rectory to hear reports of clerk and treasurer and to arange plans for finances for the coming year. 'R. C. Finley, James Walter Bassett, Miss Edna Spencer, Miss Kate Austin were appointed on a committee

U. S. MAIL CIVIL SERVICE. Theodore Babcock, superintendent of the second section of the United States civil service commission, was in the city Tuesday on his annual visit and conferred with Pierce M. Maher, secretary of the local commission. This section includes the states of Connecticut. nation of John A. Hull as one of the local board was received, and Superintendent of Carriers Kennedy was re-

### IN AND ABOUT THE COURTS | terday that he should take an appeal to

BALTIMORE WOMAN CLAIMS WOODFIELD TRACT.

Says Land Which Caused Dispute With Mr. Griest Does Not Belong to City-New York Surrogate Court Appraise Philo S. Bennett Estate-Interesting Decision in Norman Printers' Supply Company vs. Ford-Attorney Blake Restrained from Turning Over Money to Man Who Has Attained Majority.

An heir has laid claim to Woodfield, the tract of land of forty-five acres in Westville which the city claims to own, and which has become the object of litigation between the city and John M. Greist. The heir is Mrs. Louise M. Mc-Cosh, of Baltimore, who says she is a lineal descendant of Elijah Thompson, who in his will, admitted to probate in 1826, devised that the property should revert to the city after none of his heirs had claimed it. As no one claimed it the city concluded that it was city land and prepared to lay out a park there. Mrs. McCosh, through Attorney W. H. Ely, has petitioned the superior court to have an order issued giving her right and title to the land.

BENNETT ESTATE APPRAISED. The expenses of administration here on the Philo Bennett estate are estimated at \$7,500, and he commissions that William Jennings Bryan, of Lincoln. Neb., the executor of the will, is entitled to are placed at \$2,990, he being the only executor who qualified. cific legacies amounting to \$203,700 were made. The interest of the widow, Grace

Imogene Bennett, is estimated at \$115,-

SUITS ON LICENSE BONDS. Hiram Jacobs, treasurer of New Haven county, has brought two suits, against Luigi Celone, of Derby, and the United States Fidelity and Guaranty company of Baltimore, Md., and the other against James Smith, of Ansonia and the same company. Celone and Smith have been convicted of violation of the law in selling liquor on Sunday. The damages claimed in each Instance are \$500. The suits are returnable before the court of common pleas of New Haven county on the first Tuesday in January. The liquor license bond was given by the company in both cases.

INTERESTING DECISION. Among the cases decided on Friday by the supreme court is one-the Norman Printers' Supply company vs. Ford which is of special interest to mer-The opinion has just been filed. It decided that the account books of a merchant are admissible for the purpose of proving the sort of contract that was entered into between the merchant and his customer. The plaintiff in the case claimed that certain goods had been sold to the defendant on ed that the goods had been sold out-

TRUSTEE RESTRAINED.

When he was about to turn over \$20,-000 to Frederick Hall White, the Harvard football player, who reached his majority Tuesday and who inherits between \$150,000 and \$200,000 from the estate of his mother, who died in this city many years ago, Lawyer James Kingsley Blake was served with papers at his home which restrain him from doing so.

The action is brought by Joslah J. White, of Brooklyn, the father of the boy, who has been engaged in litigation in the Connecticut and New York courts for years over the settlement of the estate of his wife, Eliza T. White. He sues for \$25,000, but does not specify the ground upon which he makes his claim. Mr. Blake has served at intervals as administrator on Mrs. White's estate and has defended various actions brough by Mr. White. When Mrs. White died she owned property in this city and in Portland, Conn. The Portland property is in the hands of a guardian for the young man.

DOTY CASE CONTINUED.

Only four of the twenty-nine counts of theft against Edward Doty, window dresser at the Gamble-Desmond store, who was arrested by Detective Donnelly Tuesday, were pressed in the city court yesterday. He was held in default of \$1,000 for trial to-morrow. Doty, during the whole court session, held his head in his hands and sobbed continually.

In Doty's room on Grove street, near Orange, were found goods valued at over \$400.

Doty is thirty-seven years old and has a wife, son and daughter, all of whom reside with him on Grove street,

ACCOUNTING POSTPONED. The account of Alderman Spreyer as administrator of the estate of the late George Gunn was to have come up for action yesterday before Judge Cleaveland on the acceptance of Mr. Spreyer's account, and Mrs. Gunn and her counsel, Mr. Tuttle, were on hand to exam-Lawyer Spreyer on his doings in the matter.

Judge Cleaveland assigned the hearing for next Wednesday afternoon at 2

BANKRUPTCY PETITIONS FILED. Creditors of the C. H. Bennett Shoe company, of Bridgeport, have filed a petition with the United States district court asking that the company be de-

Thomas J. MacDonald, of Litchfield has filed with the United States district court a petition in bankruptcy, giving his liabilities as \$8,581.35 and his asset

TO TAKE AN APPEAL. Attorney J. P. Goodhart stated yes-

the superior court from the decision of

Judge Cleaveland, of the probate court, in admitting to probate the will of the late William Button, of Button street. Goodhart is counsel for Mrs. French, a sister of Mr. Button, who was bequeathed but \$100 in her brother's will. She was the one who made the

The appeal will probably be tried be-fore a jury at the January term of the superior court.

PORTER GETS 180 DAYS-WEPT IN COURT

A sentence of 180 days in jail was imposed in the city court yesterday on Charles G. Porter, the Roxbury (Mass.) man who was arrested on complaint of President Hadley, of Yale university. There were six charges against him, including begging, idleness and traveling from places without lawful purpose. Porter conducted his own defense, beg-ging hard to be released and sobbing loudly when sentence was passed upon was passed upon

The prisoner's demonstrative sorrow apparently impressed the court room audience as overdone and several times the court officer had to rap for order to

suppress the titterin President Hadley was a witness gainst the prisoner, telling the story of the man's visit to his office in Wood-bridge hall and of the alleged attempt to get money on the plea that he was the son of a Yale graduate.

Professor J. A. W. Ingersoll, one of the men who assisted President Hadley in holding the stranger until the police arrived, was also a witness, and Thomas E. Clark, agent of the Yale postoffice sub-station, told of Porter's visit to him, asking for money

CONDUCTS OWN DEFENSE. James Swenney of Ansonia acted in his own defense against the charge of theft in the common pleas criminal court yesterday.

Sweeney was charged with disposing of wire belonging to the American Telephone company of Ansonia, which had been stolen by a man named Cribbins. The latter pleaded guilty and is now in the county jail.

Sweeney denied that he had anything o do with the disposition of the property, and the state claimed that he was a sort of a "fence." The jury went out at 12:30 and upon

their return they announced a disagree-COMMISSION TO RE-ASSESS. At the instance of Henry H. Ward

and Katherine L. Hungerford, through Attorney Seymour C. Loomis, Judge Gager will to morrow appoint a commission to re-assess benefits and damages in the extension of William street, West Haven, from Campbell avenue to Savin Action was recently brought against the borough by the present applicants on the ground the assessments previously laid were not valid.

ANOTHER SUIT AGAINST CITY. Hattie L. Melton, wife of James Melton, filed a notice with City Clerk Norris of a claim for damages. She alleges tory street a few days ago and sustained severe bodily injuries.

IVINS VS. M'GILL ENDED. Opened in the superior court before tion of William M. Ivins against George | are capital for gifts. W. McGill was yesterday concluded, arguments being presented this afternoon by Attorneys Bristol, Stoddard, Beach & Fisher for the plaintiff, and Harrison and Zacher for the plaintiff. Plaintiff.

vices as counsel to the defendant. Mary E. Tate has brought suit against Samuel Johnson to recover \$450, alleged to be due on account of a sale of a horse and trappings. Both parties re-

seeks to recover \$12,000 as fees for ser-

side in Hartford, Property in Derby avenue is attached in the suit.

CITY COURT CASES. Mary Dolan, who was arrested for thefts in stores by Detective Donnelly Tuesday night was fined \$3 and costs in

the city court yesterday. The cases of Donald E. Gardiner of Crown street, Jay S. Davis of 142 York street, and Walter S. Trible of 70 Oak street, all young boys, and all charged with burglary, the last two with an additional count of theft, were remanded until to morrow under \$400 bonds each. The boys have all been before the court previously and are charged with entering the Edward Bancroft Foote Boys' club on Chapel street and forcing open the monel till.

John Tully was discharged on a charge of begging, there being no evidence on which to secure a conviction. Charged with passing a fraudulent check for \$5 upon Gustav Flencke of this city. Frederick W. Irvine was re-

manded until Saturday.

COLLEGE GIRLS HOME. Miss Dorothy Osborn is home from Rosemary hall, Greenwich, to spend the holidays with her parents, Colonel and Mrs. N. G. Osborn of Bradley street. Miss Osborn will go to Yonkers to-day for a short visit with friends there. Other Rosemary girls at home for the Christmas vacation are Miss Margaret Phompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Grant Thompson, and Miss Doris Newberry, daughter of Mrs. Wolcott

Miss Marion Manross, Miss Eleanor Fox and Miss Ane Rounds, who are students at Smith college, are expected to return to their homes for the Christ- trip. mas vacation this forencon.

Pill Price,-The days of 25 cents a box for pills are numbered. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills at 10 cents a vial are surer, safer and pleasanter to take. Cure Constipation, Sick and Nervous Headaches, Dizziness, Lassitude, Heart-burn, Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite and all troubles arising from liver disorder. Sold by W. H. Hull and Gillespie & Co. earlier than usual.

### THE NEW POBLICATIONS.

SOME OF THE LATEST BOOKS OF THE SEASON.

Romantic Ireland" by M. F. Mansfield and Blanche McManus Mansfield-"The Sov'rane Herb and Smokers' Year"-The Calendar of Omar Khayyam"-"The Little Colonel" in Holiday Attire.

One of the particularly handsome and desirable holiday publications of the season is "Romantic Ireland," in two volumes neatly boxed, issued by L. C. Page & Co. Boston, It is a very acceptable addition to the admirable "Travel Lovers' Library," and is a product of the joint authorship of M. F. Mansfield and of Blanche McManus Mansfield, his wife, the woman being well known as an artist and illustrator, and as an au-

thor. Her husband is also an author. The present work is in two volumes and in general style follows the makeup of Mr. Field's "Rome." Mrs. Mansfield's distinctive contribution to the book is the illustrations, although she doubtless collaborated in the text.

The first volume of this work takes the reader from Muckross Abbey to the Cross of Cashel, with such intermediate presentations of ruin and castle, town and farm, type of character and occupation among the people, bog and hill and tower and valley, as fill it with interest and information, The second volume goes from The Cross and Tower of Monesterboice to the Holy Well, Kells and between the two gets in about fifty more illustrations which cover a country the like of which does not elsewhere lie out-of-doors. The list of gencral subjects will give the best idea, that can be conveyed of the scope of the whole. First comes an introductory and then A Travel chapter; then follow The Land and its People; Romance and Sentiment; Religious Art and Architecture: The Scotch-Irlah Blend: Irish Industries: Dublin and About There: Kilkenny to Cork Harbor; Queenstown, Cork and Blarney; Glengarriff and Bantry Bay; Killarney and About There; Around the Coast of Limerick; The Shannon and Ita Lakes: Galway and Its Bay; Achill t Sligo; The Donegal Highlands; Londonderry and the Giant's Causeway; Antrim and Dower; The Boyne Valley; Belfast and Armagh, Comprehensive and quite complete is the scope of this consideration and with nearly ninety illustrations taking in very much of the spirit of every scene, every type and every section the reader gets an idea of Ireland which is next to eeing it one's self, while to one who has seen it or any part that comes within the limit of this work, it is a vivid reminder of the "green isle" that is fraught with pleasure. Price, \$2.40; for sale by the E. P. Judd Co.

Two artistic book calendars for 1895 are "The Sov-rane Herb" and "The Smokers' Year" with drawings in color by Blanche McManus and "The Calendar of Omar Khayyam" also with pictures in color by Blanche McManus, both issued and in very attractive style by L. C. Page & Co., Boston. The great success of these calendars of last year similarly named was such as to Judge Wheeler on November 2, the ac- call for this new issue for 1905. They

"The 'Sov'rane Herb' and the Smoker's Year" contains excerpts from the wits and historians of all ages concerning the virtues of the "necessitous weed," illuminated by twelve drawings and decorations by Miss McManus, depleting the types of the smokers of various nations. Then there is a preface, a little screed concerning some of the virtues, negative or otherwise, of tobac-

"The Calendar of Omar Khayyam" centains selections from the quartrains of the poet Naishapur, as translated by Edward Fitzgerald, each of which is illustrated in color by Miss McManus. There is a rubalyat for each declining and reviving moon. The decorations are very artistic, Prices of each book, 75 cents; for sale at Judd's.

L. C. Page & Co. of Boston, have just issued a delightful holiday edition of "The Little Colonel," the pioneer of the famous "Little Colonel Series," which has become so widely known throughout the country as one of the best series of books for little people ever issued in America. This "Little Colonel ies" has given delight to many thousands of children. The new holiday edition is beautifully embellished with rich binding and colored pictures, and the price is \$1.25; for sale by the E. P. Judd

### PHYSICIANS HEAR ADDRESS.

Dr. Huddleston of New York at New Haven House.

The New Haven Medical association met last evening at the New Haven house to listen to Dr. J. H. Ruddleston of the New York city board of health who will give an address on "Municipal Control of Tuberculosis." After the meeting a reception to Dr. Huddleston was held under the direction of Dr. O'Connor, president of the associaton.

TO HAVE HOCKEY TEAM. A meeting of the New Haven High School Athletic association was held vesterday afternoon. Robert Merwin manager of the football team, reported a balance of \$7 for the season. It was voted to support a hockey team on condition that it make only one out of town

STREET MAIL COLLECTION. Pastmaster J. A. Howarth stated yes terday that on account of the heavy going the collectors of mail from the various street boxes are compelled to start making their rounds considerably earlier to make connections with outgoing mails at the local postoffice. Mail for the street boxes should be deposited

#### MISS HOLMES ENGAGED.

Will be the Soloist at Church of the Redeemer Sunday.

Miss Rebecca Wilda Holmes of New

York city, the well known violiniste, is to be the special soloist on Christmas Sunday at the Church of the Redeemer Miss Holmes has been heard on Christmas Sunday for several years past at this church and her renditions are always most delightful. She has a large number of admirers in this city. Professor Shepard has prepared a special Christmas programme. The Rev. Watson Lyman Phillips, D. D., pastor of the church, will preach.

### PLEASANT SLEIGHING PARTY.

Merry Party of New Haveners Enjoy

Spin to Orange, A pleasant sleighing party of about seventeen persons went in four sleighs from this city last evening to the residence of Frank Woodruff, a well known and prosperous farmer in Orange Center, where there was music and where supper was served. Included in the party were D. A. Blakeslee and wife, Theodore Blakeslee and wife. James Bishop and wife, B. B. Savage and wife, B. A. Booth and wife, A. M. Beebe and wife, E. W. Baldwin and wife, Dwight W. Blakeslee and wife and Mrs. H. S. Welch, all of New Haven, and D. A. Alling and wife of Tyler City, and R. J. Woodruff and wife of Orange

#### ILLNESS OF FRANK BALDWIN.

Janitor of Hutchinson Dormitory at

Death's Door. The many friends of Frank Baldwin, living at 42 Hotchkiss street, will be pained to learn of his serious illness with liver trouble and dropsy. Mr. Baldwin is jaintor of the Hotchinson students' apartment house and only gave up work a few days ago. He is very popular with the students, being a ant, genial man. His death was expected at any moment yesterday.

#### CHRISTMAS CARDS

For "Your Neighbors" Among the

Worthy Poor, For a number of years Rev. Mr. Mossman of the City Missionary association has sent out Christmas cards to some of the families known to him among the respectable poor pople of the city, not only as an acceptable Christmas gift, but as a help over a hard place that is pretty sure to come during the winter. A copy of the card is as follows:

Christmas Card, 1904. Value, 3-For ......

in exchange for food, fuel,

clothing, medicine, etc., for amount noted, during winter of 1904-5. Office of City Missionary Association, 201 Orange St., New Haven, Conn.

General Superintendent. These cards are sent only to those whose circumstances call for this safeguard against approaching distress and value of \$2, \$3, or \$5, and serve as a exist. valuable help in a sudden emergency. as well as a comfort in mind before hand. Mr. Mossman wishes to send this year to about fifty families among those who are in various ways known to the workers at the City Mission house, and will share the pleasure of doing so with any who may send funds to him for this

### CHRISTMAS IN THE GHETTO.

Strange Sight of Orthodox Jews Cele brating the Christian Festival.

The American Christmas suffers a strange fate in the Ghetto, Ninetenths of its Jews are from Russia. There, every church festival is purely religious, and on Christmas the Jews crouch behind barricaded doors in terror of outrage by peasants drunk with vodka. Here, we lay little stress on the religious side of it, and the majority of adult Jews in the Chetto do not know that it is anything more than the principal social festival of the year. Many of them think it is a kind of children's day, and nothing else. And so, in ignorance of its origin, many a Jew who is so orthodox that he would not allow an English book to lie on a table touch ing a volume of his holy Hebrew will merriment.

Peddlers, and those who work in the factories, feel the difference in the seabusiness, and fall into sympathy with their general environment. A very larige number of them give presents to the children, and allow them to hank up their stockings on Christmas eve. They will not, however, have a tree in their rooms. There are no Christmas dinners, the stores do not close, and the shops work on as usual. For their Santa Claus, the little ones must visit a settlement house, or their mor fortunate friends whose parents are les strict. And it is the less orthodox and their children who lead the way in adopting the new custom. Little Ra- flock of quail, and I would undertake to chel cries for a doll like Rebecca's on the floor below, and her orthodox mother cannot resist her tears.

Christmas has so far made its way mong the Jews as a social festival that it already eclipses the Fourth of July and Thanksgiving day. In preparation for it, Grand street, the main avenue of the Ghetto in New York, is choked for an entire week with pushcarts and crowding shoppers. The trees, mistletoe and glazed colored

Last Christmas fell on a Friday, and evening service at an East Side synarogue, many greeted each other with a of the salutation seemed unnoticed .-World's Work.

### FEEDING THE BIRDS.

NOW IS THEIR GREAT SEASON OF NEED.

E. Knight Sperry's Humane Device-Appeal of Fish and Game Warden Balley-Conditions Which Menace Bird Existence-Method of Distribu-

ting Proposed.

In accordance with his annual cusom, our townsman, Mr. E. Knight Sperry, brother of Congressman Sperry, has continued his receptacle in Woodbridge, on the Sperry farm, for the feeding of birds for the winter months, and many birds have found Mr. Sperry a friend in need during the inclement weather which we have had during this month. The arrangement is an ingenious affair, constructed from plans prepared by Mr. Sperry himself, whereby food is set out for the use of the birds and at the same time protected from all animals and the elements. He also has a similar plan in operation on the game preserve in East Hampton

in which he is interested. In connection with this tender hearted solicitude of Mr. Sperry for the birds comes the appeal of Edward H. Balley, of Danbury, fish and game warden, in which he says:

I would like to call the attention of all the sportsmen in this vicinity, and all others, that are interested in the propagation of game birds, to the conditions that are existing at present, owing to the heavy storms that have visited this section within the past few days. With a view of determining just how the birds were weathering the storms, several parties, of which I was one, went out in the country Saturday and yesterday, and we have found that the birds are in a deplorable condition for lack of shelter and sustenance, and that if they are not relieved at once comparatively few quall will survive the winter.

While partridge are hardy and will ook out for themselves, quail subsist on the seeds of weeds, etc., and must also have more or less grit matter to ald digestion. At present these cannot be found by them. To Illustrate the situation as we found it we sought out a flock of quali that we knew to have numbered nine but a short time ago. We found the birds, but there were but seven left, and one of these was frozen to death. On opening the bird we found that it had enten a number of sumach berries, which we understand is not one of the foods ordinarily enten by quail. The others were in a pitiuble plight, having no life and would run about like chickens, apparently having

no strength to wing. Another party went out yesterday and found a flock of five quall very near town. These were also in a sad plight. One of the number was straved unto death and the sportsman brought are to be used only in this way. They it home, hoping that with care he are filled out according to the condition might be able to pull the bird through and release it when better condition

> It is not alone a lack of food that will decimate a flock of quail at this time, as there is another foe in the hawk At this time quall have no cover and a hakw will exterminate a flock in short order. This can be obviated in a meas ure if those disposed to do so will scutter brush or corn stalk in a pile, leav ing a small opening in under where the birds may feed and roost. This cover should be at least six feet square and about eighteen inches from the ground hawk cannot then see the

This should be open on all sides else the birds may be the prey of a fox. The third menace is extreme cold. which cannot be combated more suc cessfully than by supplying the birds

with plenty to eat. All sportsmen hereabouts will realize what we have had to cope against in the matter of game propagation in the moneys and sent away and procure western birds. Those are the that we must now try and save if we expect hunting next fall. Quail are now at an almost prohibitive price, the quotations being standard at ten dol lars per dozen. There have been years before when we could not get birds, and for this reason we must all band toyet permit his children to join in the gether and make strenuous effort to

protect the ones now in this section. We ought, in my opinion, to contrib ute a few cents apiece, which would make an aggregate sum that would buy enough feed to supply all the quail the section during the winter

months. Another word as to means for distril uting food. I feel that there are many farmers hereabouts that would gladly scatter feed to the birds if they were given the grain by us. A great many do so now and have ever done, using their own grain. However, we would be glad to furnish the grain if we were notified of parties that would use it.

I would gladly hear from any one that is aware of the location of any see that they are fed.

### SPECIAL MUSIC

In Grace Church, Hamden. will be rendered at Grace church. Morning service at 10:45; evening service at 5 o'clock, assisted by the Sunday school children. All the scholars are requested to remain after the morning service to stores display every kind of toy and prepare for the carols and recitations for sweet-meat for the children, with glit- the Christmas tree exercises to be held tering gold and silver moss, candles, at the parish house, probably on Holy Innocents' day, Wednesday evening December 28.

when the people came out from the AN AUTOMOBILE CHRISTMAS TRIP Frederick H. Meyer, the treasurer of the Hotel Garde company, will "Merry Christmas." The strangeness the Yule-tide holidays with an automobile party at Mt. Vernon, N. Y., and Lakewood,

### GEN. KUROPATKIN'S CAREER

LEARNED PRACTICAL SIDE OF WAR UNDER SKOBELEFF.

Byen Hedin Tells of His Work as a Geographer and Author-Mission to Yakub Beg-Striet Disciplinarian-His Home Life-Hatred of Display Ostentation-Simplicity Equipment on the Field.

Among the memories of my nine wanderings in Asia which I treasure and value most, says Dr. Sven Hedin, in the London Times, not the least valuable are the hours I have spent in General Kuropatkin's compamy. And of all the distinguished men I have met, between St. Petersburg and Pekin and between Irkutsk and Haidarabad, there is only one who has left upon me the same deep and abiding impression-namely, Lord Curzon. It is in the hands of these two men that told me several particulars of the skirthe destinies of Asia have during the last few years in great part rested.

Even though these two typical reprevery different from one another; on the other hand, as both possess some of the best and noblest human qualities, they as Lord Curzon, and, like the Viceroy

Both are true ond zealous patriots, sensible of the heavy responsichance there is one point in which their careers are singularly alike. Both are geographers and explorers, both authors within the field of scientific geography, and both have won for themselves an honored place in the history of geographical discovery in Asia. General Kuropatkin's travels were made in that part of Asia the political future of which was to such a great extent destined to be placed in his own hands, and in his book, "Kashgaria," he has described, in a manner that cannot be excelled, his journey through the East Turkestan of Yakub

"But it was not of this 1 wished to speak, but about the personal impressions which General Kuropatkin made me. Alexei Nicolalevitch, Kuropatkin is the central figure in the great and striking drama which is now being enacted in the theater of war in Manchuria, and which all the world is watching in breathless expectation. At instinctively but inevitably excites our interest in the highest degree.

As a young man he served in the French foreign legion in Aigiers and took part in several mission soharithe same admirable degree of accuracy and knowledge that he has displayed in all the military experiences of his perfect mastery. Of other books that neither laxity nor weakness. he has written I may mention a capital Since then I have had several occa-

the practical side of war. thoroughness, leaving nothing to use for it he would look upon as abment. In point of popularity with the army he even rivals his former chief; whereas Skobeleffff by his mere presence possessed the power to electrify his men and kindle their enthusiasm. Kuropatkin inspires in his troops a feeling of unruffled calmness, confidence and security. They look upor him as their father, and know that he takes the same interest in every man would in his own son.

In 1876 Skobeleff, then still a young man, conquered the Khenate of Khokand, expelled its last ruler, Khedjar Fergana. But the Kara-Kirghiz and Kipchaks, who led a nomad existenc in the mountainous regions that surrounded the new province, were not so opposition; others fled across the mountains Yakub Beg of Kashgar, from whom they had a friendly reception. At that time Yakub Beg, who as an actual fact is one of the most notable of modern conquerors, was at the height of his power, having risen from the very lowest position a man could occupy in his country-namely, that of a balcha or "dancer" in a cafe in Tashkent-to be ruler over the whole of Central Asia. The Russians were afraid that this

man might, like a second Tamerlane, prove dangerous to their newly con quered provinces, over the Mohammedan population of which his name of Yakub Beg or Bedauolet (the Blessed), exercised a magical attraction. The warlike attitude of the Kara-Kirghiz led the Russians to suspect that Yakub Beg was intriguing against them, and they learned later on that he had purchased in Constantinople a large number of quick firing rifles, "through the intervention," says Kuropatkin in "Kashgaria," "of England,"

determining the boundaries between Fergana and Yakub Beg's empire, but, above all, with the object of ascertaining the extent of his military power and taking stock of the natural resources of the country, General Kaufmaun, governor-general of ((Russian) Turkestan, resolved in May, 1876, to despatch an embassy to Yakub Beg, and in selecting the chief of this mission companied by three Russian officers and an escort of fifteen Cossacks, Kur opatkin set out from Osh, but before he reached Gulcha his little troop was attacked by a band of Kara-Kirghiz. In the hostilities that ensued. Ishem Beg, the leader of the Kirghiz, was killed whereupon his followers beat a retreat. Kuropatkin, however, received a bullet through the right hand, and was obliged to return to Osh to have it operated upon. Thus the hand that now directs the Russian legions on the battle fields of Manchuria is but a mangled one. Kuropatkin preserves the revolver from which the unlucky shot vas fired in a glass case set into the wall of his house in St. Petersburg. On one occasion when Iwas calling upon him there he showed it to me and

The first time I personally had the honor to meet General Kuropatkin he sentatives of two great peoples are, by was royennig natchalnik, or "military commander," of the new province of Transcaspia. That was in October, 1890, and at Askabad, where he had his headquarters. When I called upon him are in several respects like one another. my overcoat was taken charge of by a and have many points in common. In Cossack, and I was ushered nto a large his manner and bearing General Kuro hall where I was recessed and my visit patkin is quite as simple and natural announced by an aide de camp. The walls of the noble apartment were of India, he treats all who are subject adorned with Asiatic weapons, ancient to his authority as men, listening to and modern, and with portraits of the as need help, and treating all, Imperial family. After I had waited a even the meanest among them, wit little, the general entered, dressed in greatest consideration, kindliness full uniform, for he was about to preside at a meeting of some sort. He is a short but strongly built man, with a both have devoted their life and best black beard and small but kindly and powers to the service of the country intelligent eyes. I was then just setwhich gave them birth, and both are ting out on my first journey to Kashgar, and Kuropatkin gave me a good which rests upon them. By a deal of information about the dingerous pass of Terckdavan.

Although I expected to find it buries in snow, he did not attempt to dissuade me from the journey; a northerner would not permit himself to be deterred by either snow or cold. When I let fall the remark that upon my return home I intended to write a book about Tur kestan, Kuropatkin replied, humorous ly, that there were no secrets in Askabad. I was at perfect liberty to go where I liked: I might freely visit all count the soldiers in the barracks, as vell as the big guns, the rifles and the cartridges in the magazines, sketch whatever I thought fit, and, he added, "You may even write articles about it all to the Times if you like." If I met with any difficulty I had only to report Turcoman militia on the plains outside the matter to him and he would see me righted.

It was interesting to observe with what energy and vigor Kuropatkin dithis present moment he is the man who rected the military and even the civil acairs of his province. Everything worked like clockwork, with the greatest regularity and punctuality. Every Tuesday he directed the manoeuvres of his troops, not seldom covering a ennes, and these he has described with march of twenty-five miles. On the following day he called his officers together and criticised the evolutions of the preceding day's march. In his Cosvaried and remarkable life. It was in sacks, their troubles, their wishes, their Algiers he learned to speak French needs, he took a direct personal interest, and always liked to see happy and in 1902, was then does not speak it with the vivacity and contented faces about him. But on the gesticulation of a Frenchman, but other hand he maintained a rigid milispeaks it slowly and quietly, yet with tary discipline, and would tolerate

description of the Russo-Turkish war slons of meeting General Kuroptakin, and several bandbooks on strategy and and when journeying to and from Asia the science of war. It was as chief of have never falled to call upon him, the staff to Skobeleff that he learned either at his house in St. Petersburg, or at his datcha, or villa, on one of the Yet how unlike is he to Skobeleff! islands of the Gulf of Finland; but, on Kuropatkin is a genuine orthodox Rus The latter loved war for its own sake, the other hand, although I have been and, like the Japanese, greeted the stir- invited to visit him on his estate at Tering trumpet signal to charge as the rijoki, in Finland, I have never been invitation to a feast-a man who, on able to do so. His villa, which is only his white horse and with the breast of twenty minutes' drive outside of St. his white uniform glittering with bril- Petersburg, is severely simple, not a pretical a man to put his trust in saliants and decorations, loved to gallop trace of luxury about it; a well to do to the front with a sublime contempt tchinovnik would hardly be able to abfor the showers of bullets falling all stain from turning up his nose at it. around him. General Kuropatkin re- And yet the general is a millionaire; gards was entirely from its serious side, but he is too honest and too proud a as an unavoidable evil, an art that man to employ his wealth in ministermust be studied with industry and ing to his own selfish pleasure—such a

against pomp and ceremony and en- the word; but in war he places his relideavored, even while at the summit of ance principally upon his men and his honor, and power, to preserve the sim- own counterstrokes of tactics and stratplicity of the soldier; indeed, it has seemed to him a simple matter of duty that the man who has the leading of fact that he is the ablest of living Rusthe army ought, in point of both conduct and manner of life, to set an example to the men under his charge. that marches in the ranks that he Anr even now, when the destinies of that are too stubborn for his plans and Russia are in his hands, when he is calculations. It is indeed had for a leading her armies through showers of man who, with such an honorable and shot and shell, when his name is daily brilliant career behind him, should upon thousands and thousands of lips Khan; pacified the country within a all the world over and heads the col- with and such an enormous responsibilcouple of months, and converted it into umns of all the newspapers in existence a Russian oblast under the name of -even now he is distinguished by the when he might reasonably look forward same outer simplicity; no recherche dishes, no choice wines are allowed to appear on his table; he makes no claim for special comforts, but leads the simeasily subdued. Some of them offered ple soldier's life; he shares the difficulties and troubles of his men, takes an interest in the well-being of each company, sees to it that no man wants for anything, visits the sick in the hospital, speaks words of kindness and encouragement to all, has time for everything and is at all times and under all circumstances calm and unruffled. I am convinced that the Japanese must have an unbounded admiration for their rival on the island. After a very rough great opponent.

Kuropatkin has always been a very hard worker, but even when Russian minister of war he did not forget the interests of his earlier life. He has al- week ago yesterday. When writing he ways remained a keen geographer and said the thermometer registered eighty has constantly kept himself abreast of degrees in the hotel corridor, and there the have more than once had occasion to down was invigorating, and Dr. Markwonder at his knowledge in this field. | wick expects to rapidly recover in that For instance, he has always closely followed even in detail every phase of the Lopnor controversy. In his book, "Kashgaria," he describes the discoveries which Prijevalsky made in the region of that lake; but when I subse-

With the object of clearing up all the great Russian discoverer's views uestions still undecided, as well as of Kuropatkin was one of the few Russcientific geographers who were convinced, and he gave up his country men's standpoint. Once, after I had been expressing to him my regret at having been forced to begin the dispute about the Lopnor with the Russian ge ographers, he answered quite calmly,

'It will do them good to have a lesson." In April, 1899, 1 met Kuropatkin several times. On one of these occasions we were sitting at his writing table discussing my contemplated journey when a Cossack entered bringing a huge bun dle of papers in a scaled portfolio. While the general was turning them ovtr I took the liberty of asking him what the meaning of the peculiar marks in blue pencil which I saw on the margins. Kuropatkin told me that they were the military reports of the week which the Czar had just read, and that the blue pencil marks were made by his Imperful Majesty's own hand. One particular mark meant "I ap prove," another expressed the opposite, while a third signified "I want further details," and so on. I gave utterance to my astonishment that the Czar found time to read through all those rewhereupon Kuropatkin swered: "Yes, and it is even more as-

tonishing how he finds the time for reading through all the reports of all the other ministries." Once when I was dining with General Kuropatkin he had as a guest a colonel who had recently returned from Fasho da. After dinner the latter was to present to the minister of war two Cossacks who had exhibited unusual proofs of courage and presence of mind by swimming across the Nile on some important errand. Kuropatkin invited me to accompany him to witness the ceremony, which was then about to take place. The Cossacks were waiting in the vestibule, each wearing the gold medal which he had that day received from the Czar. The general at once addressed the two men in a short speech, thanking them for the example they had set to their comrades in the army and then gave to each man as a me mento a gold watch in a case and a

roll of gold rubles. Everybody who has been brought into personal contact with General Kuropatkin must acknowledge that it would be difficult to meet with a more amiable and attractive personality, What most impresses one about the powerful yet harmonious nature of the nan is the air of unruffled calm and serenity which sits upon his features. His face bears the unmistakable stamp of goodness, consideration and self-con trol. At this moment he knows that all his tactical and strategical movements a subject of study and of criticism to numberless eager students. But I am convinced that even amid the thunder of the cannon at Liaoyang he was possessed of the same absolutely unshakof Askabad. Never has a deprecatory word been uttered about him behind his back, and never has a Russian general been regarded with greater confidence and love by all, from the Czar himself, down to the meanest soldier in the ranks. He will have nothing to do with favoritism or nepotism; he is known for his incorruptible sense of justice, and in making his promotions he has never been guided by any other considerations except those of merit and capacity. If he has any favorites at all in the army they re the simple Cos sacks. He has never abused his power His own brother, whom I met at Osh dinate post as pomoshnik or assistant to the district chief of hat small and insignificant town, which might, in deed, almost be regarded as a place of deportation in the hert of Asia,

I have heard people express astonishment that General Kuropatkin should carry ikons or sacred images with him to the seat of war in the far east. But it must not be forgotten that General sian of the old stamp, and notwithstanding his intimacy with western Europeans, especially Frenchmen, he has always remained a Russian. At the same time I believe he is much too cred images alone; his position renders it necessary that he should, at all events outwardly, show them all reverence, for nothing less than that is demanded of their leader by the Russian soldiers, who are often superstitious and generally have been brought up under the influence of ignorant priests. Nevertheless, Kuropatkin is himself a He has consistently set his face truly religious man in the best sense of

Nobody will, I suppose, dispute the sian strategists and commanders. But on the field of battle even the ablest general may find himself in situations have such a difficult problem to cope ity thrust upon him just at the time to the enjoyment of a well earned repose,-New York Sun,

### ARRIVES AT JAMAICA.

Rev. Dr. Markwick Experiences Very

Rough Voyage. Mrs. W. F. Markwick received a letter Tuesday morning from the Rev. Dr. Markwick, who left Ansonia two weeks ago for Jamaica to recover from his automobile accident, telling of his safe arpassage, the roughest, he says, he has ever experienced on the water-and he has traversed the Atlantic several times -he reached in safety Kingston' a progress of Asiatic discovery. I was very little air stirring. The trip southern clime .-- Ansonia Sentinel.

"Didn't you go to sleep during the classical programme?" asked Mrs. Cumrox, severely.

"No," answered her husband, "No quently showed him the untenability of such luck."-Washington Star.

PROFESSIONAL LIFE IN ITALY.

How the Average Worker Lives; What He Earns and Saves. The typical Italian professional man has an income of 10,000 lire, or about £400, a year with which to get along and bring up four children. At the out set he makes a great saving by avoiding the extravagances and the company of smart society.

With some exceptions, the Italian professional classes do not mix with the smart society, where alone entertaining on a large scale is done, and even it their own circle they hardly ever give a regular dinner party or even a large reception. They occasionally ask a friend or two in to a meal, the wife has an "at home day, and on certain festivals there is a large family gathering; but everything is done in the simplest

common in the Italian towns. detached and self-contained are there comparatively new. houses They are far more costly than flats, the accommodation is not so while good. Taxes are higher and there are many additional expenses. A flat of ten or twelve rooms, in which the hall, kitchen and other officen are in cluded, will cost 1,200 lire (£48) a year on the third or fourth floor of a large house or the ground floor, first or second of a smaller one. A groun floor flat sometimes includes a bit of garden. The rooms are larger and airler than those of a London house costing £150 a year, and far larger than those of a flat at £200 or £250 in a moderately good situation.

On the other hand, such apartments are usually unprovided with modern conveniences. There is no bathroom there are no hot water taps, except in the kitchen. The gtairs are badly kept and ill lighted, and there is little attempt at tasteful decorations, unless the house happens to be an old one with frescoed walls. Electric light is, how ever, coming into use and electric bells are almost universal. Lifts are very rare and only found in large and ex pensive flats. In Florence there are hardly any except in public buildings and hotels. The rent includes water and all repairs; the amount of the latter of course, depends a good deal on the virtues of the landlord.

Good Italian servants are the best in the world, for no other show so much consideration for their master, whom they often entertain a genuine affection. They have no high and mighty airs; they do not "give notice if they are requested to do some work not quite strictly within their province, no do they change their situations every three months. One family will keep one resident servant, who cooks the institutions in the town, might are matters of history and will afford and a mezzo servizio, or charwoman and attends to most of the housework who comes in for a few hours every day or two or three times a week. The "gen eral" receives from 15 to 25 lir (12s, to £1) a month, and the charwoman about 10 lire (8s.). Then there is food and an en calm with which he reviewed the allowance for wine which in Italy is a necessity rather than a luxury, and not an expensive item. The total cost per trastannum for servants amounts in this case to 40 lire (£18).

A frugality in contrast to our luxurlous living marks the Italian board. They have sufficient, but make no dis play. Climate naturally has much to do with the character of the daily menu Breakfast is reduced to vanishing point and consists of a cup of coffee and milk with or without bread and butter. Lunch at midday includes a light dish. a meat course, and fruit and cheese Dinner, at 6 or 7 P. M., consists of soup, two courses, and cheese and fruit, Pudding is eaten at dinner once or twice a week, or when guests are invited. Wine, usually red Chianti or Tuscany, is drank with both meals, and black coffee follows after. Afternoon tea is only taken in the highest families with English connections, but stray visitors are regaled with sweet wine and biscuits. Good wine costs from 6d to 1s 3d a flask containing nearly five pints. As sugar is very heavily taxed, jam, pudding and cakes are luxuries. The total thus spent on food and drink may be set down at

£112 a year. Nor have Italian husbands very much to complain of in the way of the growing handicap of marriage" on the score of feminine extravagance. The amount spent on clothes, however, does seem large. In the case in point it is not so very far from one-quarter of the entire

Education, being largely under the State control, is fairly cheap. In the primary schools there are no fees, and in the secondary ones they range from £4 to £6 a year. At the university they are comparatively higher, but are still remarkably low, a four or six years course costing from £18 to £34. The public schools-those, that is, under State control are the most popular. About £30 is the amount which the professional man may hope to put by yearly out of his £400.—Cornhill Maga-

### THE KISS IN POLITICS.

Rare Discretion Required in Management of Osculatory Campaign.

Tacitus observes that it would not be without advantage to examine those things, slight indeed in appearance, which are often the springs of the most important events. Another writer remarks that if you trace the necessary concatenation of human events a very little way back you may, perhaps, discover that a person's very going in or out of a door has been the means of coloring with misery or happiness the remaining current of his life. A stolen kiss, according to the current newspaper items, has become a burning political issue in Montana. It is charged that one of the Republican candidates for the Senate of that State met a young woman in Red Lodge and kissed her without her consent, whereat the flaming Red Lodge Picket, the leading Republican organ in the locality, bolted the offending Senator and demanded his withdrawal from the ticket; the County Chairman demanded his resignation; his fellow-partisans on the ticket resigned, and appeal is made to United States Senator Mantle, Chairman of the Republican State Committee, to ask for the osculatory candidate's withdrawal.

Without peering to closely into the Red Lodge incident, something palliative or exculpatory may be said for the kiss per see in politics, A baby-kissing campaign, for instance, has been worth more to candidates for the Legislature, Congress, the Governorship, than reams of thunderous and convincing

speeches on the tariff or the most viriolic abuse of the other side. Majoritles have turned upon the baby-kissing endurance of budding statesmen. Mothers have trudged miles to win a salute for a baby from the kissing candidate. The fiddle played its part in the election of a Governor of Tennessee but the triumphs of the baby-kissing politican have been legion, and are still sporadically reported from regions where the fine old traditions are pre-

served. The Red Lodge affair, however, suggestive as another instance of the againitities of small things shaping the destinies of men, and perhaps of nations. If the indiscreet Montana Senator be deposed for his escapade the State may lose a statesman who might have been summoned later to the Federal Senator-who might, by a stretch of the imagination, have been elected to the Presidency, so often has a pebble turned a rill and a little changed the course of history.

It is said that the natural tendency of the mind is to seek causation. It is related that a Rhode Island pig, which was held fast in the fence, was the remote cause of the declaration of war with Great Britain in 1812. As the story was recently told in the Public Ledger, the logic of the case is irrefutable. At the Rhode Island election in 1811 a precinct was lost to the Federalists by one vote because a Federa list farmer spent so much time rescu ing the pig that he arrived at the polls too late to cast his vote. The consequence was that a war representative was elected to the Legislature by a majority of one and a United States Senator, elevated by one vote, was sent from Rhode Island to Washington and war was declared by Congress against Great Britain by a majority of one. The Nation was plunged into the confilict by a Rhode Island pig, and who can tell what momentous results may follow the fallure of the Montana statesman's kissing campaign?-Philadiphia Ledger.

ABE HUMMEL ON ACTORS.

Famous Theatrical Lawyer Tells of Players as Witnesses.

A. H. Hummel, the well known theatrical lawyer, relates in the Theater Magazine for Christmas some amusing experiences with players in the law courts, Says Mr. Hummel:

I have found actors admirable witnesses as a general thing, though there are notable exceptions to this rule. Most of them show the good results of their training, and they are not afflicted with the stage fright that mars the testimony of many persons who attempt to speak to a great audience for the first time. They understand that they must keep up their voices so every syllable will reach the men in the jury box and all others concerned. When they are instructed to give concise answers to questions addressed to them and to volunteer no other information they are far more apt to obey than are persons in other walks of life. They realize that the lawyer is the stage nanager for their court performance and that he understands just where the limelight should be thrown and where the exit should be made. The talkative witness is usually detrimental to his own side, not only by weakening a climax, but by failing to impress upon a jury the exact point for which he was

Few women have done better on the witness stand than Sadie Martinot. She was of magnetic personality, and was the idol of college youths, who showed devotion by drinking wine out of her slipper, and by other feats too numerous to mention. Her popularity was unbounded at a time when she was summoned to appear in supplementary proceedings. The lawyer for the judgement creditor was a man whom she had known for some time. In his efforts to discover property that she owned, which could be applied to the settlement of the judgement, he in-quired about some diamond garter buckles, about which stories had ap-

peared in the newspapers. "Oh," she replied, with a sweetly naive smile. "We drank those last night at the dinner at which you were one of my guests. Those brought me enough to buy the Sauterne and the Burgundy, My diamond crescent was also eaten. What I got on it was barely enough to pay for the terrapin and canvass-back duck." The lawyer got nothing more in re-

turn for his impertiment questions than a laugh at his expense. Like other men, I enjoy appreciation of my services, and I am delighted when my elfents show that they are satisfied. An incident which I recoled with amusement is a trial before Chief Justice Van Brunt of the suprem court in which I represented Mme Fursch-Madi, the great dramatic soprano, the plantiff, and in which the American Conservatory of Music was the defendant. The singer claimed breach of contract, and sued for \$15,-000. She had a good case and she mad the best of it. Understanding the folbles of mankind, she brought into court twelve of her young lady pupils-on for each juror-and never was a jury more interested than was that body of men, as her fair proteges were never out of sight. As the verdict in her favor was announced, she fairly took me

No Particular Grief .- Fuddy-Jilson is a married man, I suppose? Duddy-Oh, no: it is natural for him to look the way he does. He was always of a melancholy disposition.-Boston Tran-

off my feet with surprise, rushing up

and kissing me with a resounding

amack.

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ROOTERS' WIT GROWING STALE

An Old "Fan" Declares That a "Hit" by a "Bleacherite" Is Rare. "It doesn't seem to me as if the rooters are as witty or original as they used to be," said the frizzled baseball zealot and fanatic. "I've been to every game on the home grounds this season, and to some games on foreign grounds, and I haven't heard more than half a dozen genuine funny remarks from the rooters' sections. I'm a bleacherite, or un god, too, occasionally, and it was in the bleachers where the fun used to be, you'll remember. Some days I stone to marin burners as a stepping go into the grand stand and some on the an emorphism to make acquaintant the bleachers, but, as I say, there's an absence of sure-enough witty cracks from the rooters nowadays that I deplore greatly. It used to be as good as the game to listen to the shrewd, really-and-truly funny things that mellow fans would have to say to the players. Some of their sayngs were as good as the best things you'd hear in the theater at a funny The chaps who got these things off did not set themselves deliberately to the task of being funny for the entertainment of the crowd, but their remarks rose involuntarily to their lips, and they were often so telling that they'd all but break up the games, while all hands including the players themselves, rocked with the enjoyment of the quips.

"But nowadays the alleged funny fellows at the ball games appear to just lay themselves out to be funny. and, consequently, they're not the least bit entertaining. In fact, most of them are simply nuisances and bores, and they get on the nerves of everybody within the sound of their voices. No man can be deliberately and determinedly persistently funny for a whole afternoon at a ball game, and when you observe out of the ball of your eye that such a chap is just exuding noise for the sake of making hit, why along toward the middle of the game you feel like hitting him with a

"It can't be that all of the good things from the rooters' benches have been said yet, and that's one of the reasons why I can't explain the utter lack of spontanelty of the rooters' cracks at this day and date.

"There's a big voiced, 'Well, well, well' man used to get off his gigantic howl only a couple of times during the course of the game, and then only at the opportune points so that there was actual meat for mirth in his huge note of amazement.

"There seems, too, to be a good deal ss patience and a heap more bitteress among the fans nowadays than there used to be. The 'take-him-out' eople begin their unreasonable shout the instant a player of the home nine nakes the slightest kind of an error. and then the player loses his nerve, and has all that he can do to scramble through the game. It doesn't make any difference, apparently, to the prent generation of fans whether a man of the team has been sent, in a pinch, to cover a position that he is entirely new to. If he exhibits the most-natural and unavoidable little break in playing of the new position, they get at him with their wild demands that he be 'taken out,' and the result is always disastrous upon the player's game. Time was when a player had to make a number of bad breaks, and clearly show that he was out of form and in no shape to go ahead, before the

'take-him-out' shriekers got busy. "The rooters of to-day, too, seem to ne to be a a good deal too personal in their remarks to players, and I am not surprised that it has happened several times this season that players insulted in this manner have climbed into the stand and slugged their tormemors. The one-time rooter was funny without being bitter or mean. He was too

for instance, to the bow legs of a player, or to the ugliness of his face, or to some other physical characteristic that is liable to be a sore spot with the man in uniform. The rooters of to-day, I am bound to say, are wholly ungernerous and inconsiderate in their way of pointing of there things and garded. The hum of Christmas trade harping and chewing on them throughout the length of a long game double-header. It isn't square. I don't blame the ball players for resenting it, I could mention several re- year's end money markets. With the nowned actors who are extremely bow legged, but the galleryites don't bawl that fact at them when the actors are giving their performances. And I can't see why it isn't just as mean and it would be to hurl such remarks at actors on the stage.-Washington Star.

SALESWOMEN AND MARRIAGE.

Girls Look Upon Business as a Secondary Matter.

"At what age should a woman marry?" said the manager of a large department store to the writer the other day, "Why, at the parsonage, of course," he answered promptly with a smile. "And as many of them do so as possibly can—when the right man comes along. And, alas! too often when the wrong one dazzles his glitterng matrimonial proposition before

"Thirty years' experience in a departnent store, or what the same has developed into, leads me to believe that marriage to the saleswoman is too often looked upon as emancipation from a life more or less of strenuous work, under more or less pleasant conditions, maybe, but matrimony occupies too often too large a space in her mental perspective, and business is only secondary. That is the reason why there are so few really excellent saleswomenthey look upon business as a stepping ing an opportunity to make acquaintances through fellow workers of both sexes, perhaps by allowing one the privilege of storing up a little nest-egg in some bank, with which fund she can help some enterprising chap to start in business, or at least to furnish a pretty

home. leave department store work to found homes and undertake marital duties, and who are afterward discovered seeking for work again, having found marriage a failure, is comparatively low. The saleswoman is pretty well equipped for the battle of life, for her training in the store keeps her alert, anxious to emulate her superiors anl so be more worthy in the eyes of her employers or -her future husband. The age at which they undertake the latter responsibility is nearer twenty-five than younger, and by that time, if she has been in the business of selling goods for very long, she has probably a good fund of practical wisdom, a nice little bank account, or happily both. For that reason marriages of saleswomen are quite apt to be prosperous."-Philadelphia Inquirer.

THE OLD-TIME MATHEMATICS.

In the old-fashioned district school to master square root was an achievement, and they who with ease worked out problems in cube root formed an intellectual aristocracy. 'Not one boy or girl in a thousand has occasion perhaps, in after life, to extract the cube root of any number, and yet the comprehension of the problem to those who approached it with interest and curiosity was liberal education not to be despised. The teacher who could set before his pupils the processes to be used, with the meaning of them, with models showing how a cube was built up and how its root was extracted, entered with the few who could understand him into a world of thought in which the mind was enlarged and strengthened. If the children of our public schools today are incapable of pursuing such studies and the teachers see no good in them, something seems to have been lost out of our system of education. A student who does not know at least the general principles of conic sections has lost glimpses of the most sublime aspects of the universe in which he lives .- Christian Register

Knox-I hear you'rs getting up an amateur theatrical club.

Woodby-Yes, and now we're looking for a good motto for the club. What would you suggest?

Knox-What's the matter with: "Think twice before you act?"-Philadelphia Press.

### Financial.

YESTERBAY'S STOCK MARKET

Upward Movement Followed by an Abrapt Slump.

New York, Dec. 21 .- The strong up ward movement of prices of stocks or ood-humored and mellow and alive to dull trading, which became striking the rights of others to make allusion, yesterday was continued for a brief pe- Missouri Pacific ....... 108 1/2 108 1/2

at first seemed to run out simply and a lethrgie condition developed. Then prices turned abruptly downwards. Sharp declines were scored on a considerably larger volume of business than at any time during the previous day's advance. The coincidence of accelerated downward movement, with the appearance in Wall street of printed abstracts of the report of the commissioner of corporations, gave color to the supposition that the weakness was induced by the contents of the report.

Pennsylvania People's Gas Pressed Steel do pfd Pullman Palace Reading do 2 pfd Pullman Palace Reading do 2 pfd Republic Iron induced by the contents of the report. arce seemed do pfd.

Rock Island do pfd do p The recommendation in favor of federadmonition against injudicious attempts to extend speculative commitments and to advance prices at an unpropitious time. The manner of some of the selling was clearly intended to convey the impression of such operacests were back of the selling was not Wisconsin Central .... very significant and was not much rein the retail districts gives warning that the usual considerable holiday requirements for cash will have to be estimated with other factors in the year's end money markets. With the sailing of the large steamer which can reach foreign markets with remittances before the first of the year the exchange market went to pieces and flattened out to an almost nominal basis.

Last prices of stocks were not repeat. that the usual considerable holiday re-Bonds were heavy. Total sales, par value, \$3,200,000.

common to allude to the physical de- Last prices of stocks were not general fects or peculiarities of ball players as ly the lowest of the day, but the gains made yesterday were mostly wiped out, and the closing tone was easy.

> United States new 4s registered declined 14 per cent. on call.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Opening, Highest, Lowest Quotations On the New York Stock Exchange reported by l'rince & Whitely, Hankers and Brokers, 52 Broadway, New York, and 15 Center street, New Haven, Conn.

Open	. High	Low.	Close
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A., T. & S. Fe 85%	86 %	84%	85
B & O	100%	1034	100
Brooklyn R. T. 61 1/4	61%	59.54	59
Chem. & Objo. 4834	4834	4734	190
Chi. & Alton 43 1/2	43 %	43 1/4	431
Chi. Gt. West. 22%	12114	189	1001
Chi. North 209	209	20734	207
C., C., C., St. L. 91	21.5	91	91
Can. Pac130%	131	129 %	129
Del. & Hud187%	187%	186	186
D., L. & W330 Erie 3714	374	3614	251
do 1st pfd. 75 %	75%	74	.14
Gen Electric 155	155	15514	1541
L & N	14134	18814	139
Man. Elev 163 %	16334	163%	1637
Met. Secur 79 %	80 1	7834	78
M., K. & T. pfd 63	63 16	68	68
N. Y. C. & H 141%	142	139 %	140
N. Y., O. & W 43%	44	43%	431
Pacific Mail 4314	4316	42 7	42
Penn137 14	138	-36 14	138
People's Gas 107	7934	105 %	108
do 1st pfd. 9014	90%	9014	903
Rep. Iron 16%	16%	16	16
Rock Island 33%	34%	33.54	38
do pfd 8814	85%	84 %	84
South, Pac 34%	35 %	3834	34
do pfd 96%	97	96%	91
Tenn. Coal 72	34 96	89 15	34
Un. Pacific111 %	111%	109%	110
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The following are the closing prices reported by Prince & Whitely, Bankers and Brokers, 25 Brozdway, New York, and 15 Center street, New Haven, Conn.: Bid. Anked.

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	Chicago & Alton	47.54
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Reported over private wire of John Filkins & Co., 74 Broadway, New York. New Haven office, 840 Chapel street. Norman A. Tanner, Manager. Open. High. Low.Close.

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Mechanics	60	64	
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Consol. Elec. Maine . 10 7½
Edison, Boston ... 100 240
International Silver .200 ...
do pfd ... 100 34
New Haven Gas ... 25 50
New Haven Water ... 50 115
Peck. Stow & Wilcox 25 ...
Security Insurance ... 40 53
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#### WEATHER RECORD.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21, 8 p. m.
Forecast for Thursday-Friday—
For Eastern New York; Fair Thursday and Friday; warmer Friday in interior; light west winds,
For New England: Fair Thursday and Friday; slowly rising temperature; diminishing west winds.

Local Weather Report. New Haven, December 21.

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L. M. TARR, L.	Weather	aster, Bureau

#### Brief Mention

High water to-day, 10:24 a. m. Scribner's Magazine for February at the Pease, Lewis Co.'s.

A fine calendar for 1905 has been issued by McCusker & Schroeder.

The interior of the Congregational church, Westville, has been very tastefully decorated for Christmas.

gifts. Mallory's, Chapel corner York. Open evenings until Christmas. Mr. Spencer of Washington avenue, West Haven, who has been seriously

ill at her home with typhoid fever, is now convalescing rapidly. The educational department of the Young Women's Christian association

is to reopen January 3. The office of the W. C. A. opens December 28 for Ground has been broken forl two new houses which W. H. Lettney will build for himself in Lettney place, West Ha-

ven. They will be single residences heated by hot air and provided with many other modern conveniences. Arrangements have been perfected for an impressive exemplification of the

third degree of the Knights of Columbus by District Deputy Joseph E. culture at Washington has been inves-Ahearn and staff, which will take place tigating the nitrogen-gathering organnext Wednesday evening, December 28, isms which live on the roots of the vaa t139 Orange street.

day, December 28. The vested choir of are living beings and by their growth the church will assit and also a male on the roots of the plants in question quartet. A number of special solos will serve the purpose of gathering the nibe rendered and quite an elaborate pro- trogen from the air. Without them cial equality with all." gramme has been arranged.

liam R. Ballard and Miss Emily E. ber of the staff of the bureau of plant now regret that he elected to have to his copies home day after day, his ed on Willard street of that town, was ceeded in devising a method of growcis I. McCabe of this city. The price given is \$12,000. There is one house on ing them out to farmers, by whom they the bars have been let down and so-

Quinnipiac lodge, N. 1., I. O. O. F., initiated two candidates Monday night at its meeting in Odd Fellows' build-Officers were elected as follows: Noble grand, G. F. Gammons; vice noble grand, R. E. Boyden; secretary, F. N. Clark; treasurer, Dr. D. V. Alling; trustee for three years, D. R. Alling.

On account of the fact that Christmas and New Yeara's days will be celebrated on Monday this year the regular meetings of Pyramid lodge, A. O. U. W., which would be held on December 26 and January 2, will be held on December 27 and January 3, respectively. Next Tuesday evening the annual election of officers will take place and the successful candidates will be installed Tuesday, January 3.

REV. MR. STOKES IN WASHINGTON Anson Phelps Stokes, jr., secretary of Yale, has been called to Washington for two or three days on a short business trip. He will spend his Christmas vacation at his home in this city.

UNITY COURT, O. OF A. Unity court, O. of A., elected officers as follows: Royal matron, Mrs. Gertrude H. Holaday; royal matron, Cyrus W. Tuttle: assistant royal matron, Mrs. Smith; treasurer, Mrs. Eliztrude Johnson; conductress, Miss Grace installed January 16,

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### The Fournal and Courier BACTERIA PROVE AN AID,

CULTURE OF THEM IMPROVE pust season, but as yet it is too early WORN OUT LANDS.

ment of Agriculture-How the Soil in Bacteria Experiments-What the Crops Demand Different Organisms.

the department of agriculture at Wash- ing to plant. This work, therefore, is ington in the treatment of worn-out exceedingly valuable in two important lands by cultures of bacteria have so far shown satisfactory results. Revectch, and so forth, on land which hithports from the south now coming in erte has remained barren or would not have given the officials of the depart- produce these crops; (2), on land that tained that he was the head of the vilment much encouragement and show it greatly increases the yield. Some Thinking it to be his duty to make use that the little organisms are doing the soils are so deficit in the nitrifying ortively by increasing the productiveness cable to get a stand of any sort of clo- how many houses and how many peoof the soil in which they are disseminated from twenty-five to fifty per tion of the department was called to a cent. They are taking the place of the sixty-acre field in the south, upon which and females included, 60 persons in the hired hands, as it were, for through all leguminous crops had failed to village," replied the man. Puzzted by their use fields which were barren and grow. The trouble was due to the ab- receiving such an answer, the district profitless without a prodigious amount of labor and fertilizers are now made soil. This farmer is preparing to inc- "There is nothing wrong about that," to yield crops. Dr. B. T. Galloway, chief of the bu-

correspondent of the News on this subgen is sent out of the country every year in our principal export crops. Wheat, cotton, oats and barley carry away the principal supply of this exceedingly valuable material. For years the system of cropping in this country has been such as to rob the soil of its nitrogen, and this is especially true of the south, where the one-crop system of the cowpeas known as 'Little Iron.' tent. In more recent years the southern people have come to recognize the ment is constantly endeavoring to solve vetches, and so forth, in enriching the soil; but it is only very recently that the reason why these crops act, so ben- A BOOKER WASHINGTON INCI-Quaint and curious pieces for Xmas efficially has been thorough understood. All the crops mentioned have thing having a tendency to make practicable the securing the nitrogen from

'Recently the department of agririous clover crops, beans and so forth, the planters could not gather the ni-Property owned by the estate of Wil- trogen. Dr. George T. Moore, a memcan be utilized in inocculating the soil. This inocculation process is done farmer, for example, who has cowpeas Washington and secures a small quantity of the organisms direct from the laboratory. He is also sent two small packages of chemicals, one of salts, containing the mixture of sugar, potassium suiphate and magnesium sui phate, and the other simply ammonium sulphate. This mixture of salts is carefully dissolved in water, and the small package of sterllized cotton, con taining the nitrogen-gathering bacteria is placed in the solution. In about twenty-four hours the other package of he is good enough to eat with and the whole is then allowed to remain in a warm place for twenty or twenty-four hours. At the end of that time the solution is milky, showing that the bacteria or nitricying organisms, which were dropped in the nutritive preparation, have grown enor mously. With this material the farmer inocculates the seed by simply sprink ling the solution on the seed, the latter having been previously spread on the barn floor.

"The philosophy of all this is that the millions of bacteria are brought into contact with the seed, and just as abeth Ender; recorder, Miss K. Ger- soon as the first rootlet appears the organisms begin their work of gather A. Johnson; assistant condustress, Mrs. ing nitrogen from the air and storing Jeanie H. Dean. These officers will be it up in the root tissues. An examination of these roots later on shows little swellings from the size of a pea to the size of a hazelnut, and each of these contains millions of organisms exceedingly ripe in nitrogen. The advantage of this system is shown from the fact that seed treated as described, placed side by side with seed not treated, will frequently give an increase of twentyfive to fifty per cent. over the untreated seed. This increase, of course, is in growth. A farmer in Alabama, reportreceived Highest Award, Gold Medal, ing on the results of his work this year, at St. Louis Exposition. An artistic states that he received a package of table decoration that also pleases the the materinal early in May and decided palate. Very easy to prepare. Six to use the same on cowpeas. His soil choice flavors:-Lemon, Orange, Rasp- was very poor and sandy. The seed berry, Strawberry, Chocolate and Cher- for half an acre was treated with bacry. Order a package of each to-day of teria and a half an acre was planted your grocer, 10c. When you make ice with seed untreated. No manure of cream use Jell-O ICE-CREAM Powder. any kind was used. The peas have just All ingredients in the package. At all been harvested and carefully weighed. The half acre inoculated with bacteria interesting. Mallory's, Chapel corner

acre untreated yielded 750 pounds. In this case the bacteria almost doubled the yield. About twenty-five lots of bacteria have been sent into during the to secure returns. More than 128 different lots have been sent into various parts of Alabama, and about twenty-Experiments Being Made by Depart- five into Mississippi, also about fiftyone into Georgia.

"In the department's investigations Robbed of Nitrogen-Stery of the it has been found necessary to have different organisms for different crops. Thus, the organisms for cowpeas are Bacteria Do for the Land-Different not the same as those used for crimson clover or vetch. Farmers, thereforel in writing to the department, should The experiments now under way by state the kind of crop they are proposdirections. (1), it makes it practicable to grow crops like cowpeas, clover, ver crop on them. Recently the atten- ple there were in the village. sence of nitrifying organisms in the officer asked, "How can that be?" culate his entire field another season replied the head of the village. "Be of plant life, talked interestingly to the fields. The trouble is not due to the being mentioned." absence of nitrifying organisms, but to ject a few days ago, reviewing at length the method pursued by the deand the effect of their employment by sections, notably the Sea Island region, enemy on the battlefield, came bound

DENT IN KANSAS. One would hardly expect the color the power of gathering nitrogen from line to be drawn in "Bleeding Kansas" the air, storing it up in their roots, and then giving it up to the soil again, so tha other crops may utilize it. There is a great abundance of free nitrogen in brated on January 30 by a banquet, to the air, and so far the only successful which the Kansas Day Club has invitmethod of utilizing it has been through | ed the leading Republicans of the state. the use of the plants mentioned. The An invitation was sent to President other sources of nitrogen are found in W. T. Vernon, of Quindaro university, the use of various chemicals, such as a negro orator who did yeoman ser-nitrate of soda, guano and so forth. As vice for the Republicans during the rethe supply of these fertilizers becomes cent campaign. Professor Vernon is depleted the cost of nitrogen is grow-ing greater and greater, so that any toast, Mr. C. W. Mosher, an old resident of Kansas and a member of the club, has written a letter of protest to the large amounts present in the atmosphere is of intense interest to all "If you, sir, and your committee de-agriculturists." your privilege to do so, providing the negroes do not object, but I, with 99 into a rage and, raising his hand was per cent of the white people of Kansas, about to strike the man who had am not constructed that way, and, knocked against him, when the latter, while they may not write you in an effort to make that fact penetrate your A cantata is to be given by the Sun-and to which their power of gathering skull, depend upon it they will feel in-lay school of Trinity church Wednes-nitrogen is due. These little organisms sulted when anyone tries to thus clate the name of the state with a quest, the man replied: "Those who are function wherein the savage of Africa | handled by doctors nearly all die. It is is received and mingles on terms of so- better to be kicked."

Mr. Mosher, as will be seen, is a while in the laboratory and then send- right "on other questions." He fears to his school lessons, the father; through the medium of the seed. A Mr. Mosher, who vows he will not go to the Kansas day banquet, "It opens event will find more on the lists of invited guests. The next thing you will know some crank of this kind will be

The bomb thrown by Mosher has falled to explode, however; the Kansas Republicans, as might really be expected from the history of the border state, are standing by Professor Vernon, almost to a man, Judge Stonecker, enough to make Republican speeches salts, ammonium sulphate, is added, Republicans and talk at a Republican banquet. A political and not a social event, says Colonel N. H. Loomis, the Union Pacific general attorney of the dinner and he will be glad to sit down with the professor. Editor Tom Mc-Neal, who never takes anything tragically, says that he will be able to stand it if Vernon can, Judge W. R. Smith, opines that the professor's speech will "set beter with the guests than the grub will"—a painful reflec-tion on the Topeka hotels. "The Republicans," says Judge R. R. Welch, "are the friends of the negro, and not ashamed to have them either eat or speak at a Republican banquet."

If Mosher survived the attack of apoplexy which these sentiments, must have provoked, he is probably in the Democratic party by this time for the chairman of its state committee, who enjoys the picturesque name of Sann-Colonel Bill Sapp-approves with gusto of Mosher's refusal to celebrate Kansas day at the annual banquet, "The Ver-non affair," says the colonel, "Is in keeping with Republican practices. No negro will ever speak or eat at a Democratic banquet if I have anything to do with it. The Democratic party is the white man's party. Eliminate the negro vote and the Democrats can carry Kansas hands down." Sapp made a sad business of trying to carry Kansas at the late election. He was new at the business, but took hold with great enthusiasm. After a strenuous campaign he rounded up 84,800 votes for Parker. No wonder he sees a ray of hope amid the encircling gloom in any old issue .-From the New York Evening Sun.

Nothing modern: everything old and

JAPANESE FUNNY STORIES.

me Old Friends Seem to Be Known to the Mikado's People Also.

In a review of a collection of funny stories called "Koklel Hyaku Showa" by Mr. Kubo Tendzui the Japan Weekly Mail quotes the following as being peculiarly characteritic of Ja-

A certain government official, who in olden times used to be called a "Daikwan," but now is known as a "Guncho" (head of a district), having been recently appointed to a certain district, was engaged in a tour of inspection, when his notice was attracted by the approach of an old man who was too tipsy to walk straight. From side to side did this drunkard reel, his progress being as zigzag as that of a sanderling. Wondering who the man could be, the district officer accosted him and, after much difficulty, ascerof the occasion for obtaining reliable work set out for them quietly and effect ganisms that it is difficult or impracti- information, the district officer asked

"There are 100 houses and, male

through the medium of cowpeas. Some- sides these 60 there are any amount of reau of plant industry of the depart- times another difficulty is met with in people in the village, but since they are nent of agriculture, who is a store the south in the matter of getting these creatures who know not what it is to house of information on the mysteries leguminous crops to grow in certain drink they are not, I take it, worthy of

partment in breeding these organisms In certain parts of the cotton growing and shouting like men attacking an farmers in rehabilitating exhausted lands. Dr. Galloway said: "About one hundred million dollars' worth of nitrocowpeas which are used exclusively as tion of the master, was paralyzed a rotation crop with cotton. To over- They felt as though iron chains had come this difficulty the department has been placed around them, and not one been for several years endeavoring to of them moved hand or foot. They secure, by breeding and selection, a watched in terror to see what would type of cowpeas which is resistant to happen, when, lo and behold! the robthe attack of nematodes. This the de bers took their departure without steal ing a thing. Though they could not tell partment has succeeded in doing, and what was the meaning of this strange has distributed a considerable quantity proceeding, certain it was that the family was safe. But where was the head of the house? After searching and is co-operating with farmers to this and is dispensary. There he stood in the cowpeas, clovers, the velvet bean, vetches, and so forth, in enriching the through the rooms they found him in 'What are you doing here;" one of the members of his household. Smiling, he replied, "Those robbers were perhaps as noted as Kumasaka Chohan; but they may thank their stars that they have got off with their lives! Had they pushed maters a little further and entered this dispensary, not one of them would have left it alive." Amused by this remark, one of the members of the family rejoined: "Without a sword or a pistol, how could you have killed these robbers Can you kill robbers with a spoon? Whereupon the doctor, with fine selfassurance, replied: 'How many thousands of lives have I taken by means of this spoon! What to me are the lives of five or six robbers? Lucky chaps, to get off as they did.

> As a doctor was going along a road one day, a passer-by happened to prostrating himself on the ground, said "Please do not touch me with your

The son of an extremely illiterate man of violent antipathies, and he must peasant was in the habit of bringing Randall, late of Westville, and situat- industry, after much effort, has suc vote for President Roosevelt. He did hands and face covered with ink that so, he says, although awfully scandul- should have gone on his copy. Thinkyesterday transferred through William ing these organisms entirely outside of | ized by the invitation to Booker Wash- ing it well to exercise his paternal A. Pardee, administrator, to Mrs. Fran- the plants, propagating them for a lington, because the president was authority over the lad even in regard day, commanded the boy to show him cial equality is coming with a rush. "If his writing. Looking it over with the one negro takes part this time." says air of an expert peuman, he criticised various strokes: "This strokke is too long: this one too short. These two sow, sends to the department in the door to others. The next annual strokes are too far apart," observed the father. "But," said the boy, "the writing master tells us to write them as I have done." "Show me the copy," jerkbringing a negro into a white man's ed out the father. The boy produced parlor to a social gathering." amine closely upside down, "Why, you are holding it upside down!" exclaimed the lad. Not to be beaten the father replied: "Don't be so conceited! I am holding it for you to look at, of course, You could not read it were it turned the of Topeka, says that if Vernon is good other way. Listen to what is said to you and don't fancy you know everything."

The above reminds us of a story that concerns Taira Klymori, It is related that in the time of the Heiji rebellion, the rebels attacked Kiyomorl's camp very suddenly one day. Loosing his presence of mind, Klyomori put on his armor in a great hurry, the back part front. Some persons near pointed out the mistake he had made, "You have put your armor on the wrong way" they exclaimed. "It is not so," calmy answered Klyomori; "as the emperor is coming behind, I have put on the armor so as to have the front part facing him. It would be impolite to have the back part of one's armor facing an emperor," Without altering it he went out to battle.

The term "Yabu" is applied to doctors who prescribe wrong medicines Now, it happened once that a quack having been the means of killing the only son of a certain house, the parents determined to have their revenge on him. So they sued him at a court of law. The affair was eventually patched up by the worthy quack giving the bereaved parents his own son in return for the one he had killed. Not long after this event, the said quack heard a loud knocking at his door one night. On going to the door he was informed that one of his neighbors' wives was dangerously ill and that his presence was required at once Turning to his wife, he said: "This requires consideration, my dear. There is no knowing but that it may end in their taking you

A certain sammural having purchased a fine sword, was desirous of testing it. So he went to the beggar's quarter yielded 1,375 pounds, while the half York. Open evenings until Christmas, in Kyoto, and, accosting a beggar who

was standing in front of a hut, he said: I want to try this sword. I am willing to give you 100 ryo if you will let me kill you with it." "Won't you give me 56 ryo for letting you half kill me?" inquired the beggar.

NEW BREAD MAKING PROCESS. "The good housewives of this ountry," sailanofficial of the State Department the other day, "will be inter-

ested in a report recently received from United States Consul Mahin at Nottingham in regard to a newly invented process for making bread, the chief virtues of which are that it re duces the time and labor. "As is well known, most of the time required in the ordinary process of naking the stuff of life is in the preparation and treatment of the dough

After that has been mixed and must be left to rise, a process consuming anwhere from four to twelve hours. Under see new process, it is said that, this new operation is reduced to one hour's time. The process is as yet secret, but is said to require no additional plant or materials, the desired effect being produced by the action of emperatures. As a recent practical monstration, the bread was made up nto dough ready for the oven in 50 tinutes, and the batch of twenty-five oafs was produced from the raw flour in two hours and thirty-five minutes The flour was weighed and the number of loaves compared with the number produced by the ordinary process, and it was found that under the new pross eight more quartern loaves than usual were produced from a flour .- From the Washington Star.

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### JUDGE PARKER DINED BY NEW YORK LAWYERS

REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS threads, the 100-ton floating derrick ALIKE ATTEND AFFAIR.

Honor His Return to the Practice of Law-Elihu Root Expresses Pleasure and Welcomes Him With Full Heart and Friendship-Declares No Interests Will Suffer Left in His Hands.

New York, Dec. 21 .- Alton Brooks Parker, former chief justice of the court of appeals and democratic candidate for the presidency in the past elec- up the bay towards the warships. The tion, was the guest of honor to-night water was lashed into a write foam at a dinner given at the Waldorf-Astoria by the bench and bar of the city into panic, of New York. Republicans and democrais were present to honor the justice's return to the practice of law. Among the 450 present were many of the rectly for the Tacoma and Minneapolis, most prominent members of the legal profession in this city.

Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, of the appallate division of the supreme court, it swung around and struck the Texas was the presiding officer. The speakers included former Governor Frank S. Root, William B. Hornblower, and Judge Parker.

was decorated with ferns, palms and smilax.

Brien expressed the hope that Judge and made preparations for drydocking Parker had put aside the ermine but the battleship to-morrow. Several days for a short time and that he would wear it again.

"This is the occasion," he said in conclusion, "of honoring an honest judge, who has filled his office to the greatest of his ability."

After John E. Parsons had delivered an address of welcome to Judge Parker, Justice O'Brien asked for a toast to Judge Parker's "professional long life and happiness." It was drunk with

degree, towards the maintainance of abandoned for the present. such a high judicial standard as we all | The conference was attended by up- tive. would have, I beg you to regard it as ward of seventy-five well known repubin your efforts to keep the present high also not a few who are believed to be not to be convincing to a child. professional standing which the bar en opposed to his candidacy. Joys, as well as to uphold and strengthen our judiciary, whether local or state, a judiciary to which we unhesitatingly its character and personnel. ve our confidence and affection."

full heart and friendship and warm re- as I have all along claimed, that the lieving that his story would prove gard for the guest we honor, it is a delight to add my voice to the expres- Depew. I imagine its result may be to ions of esteem we give him here. I tone down Mr. Odell." can say that no interests, when committed to Judge Parker's hands, have not had just and upright consideration. We welcome him to our bar because we are proud of him and proud of our bar. William D. Hornblower said, conclud-

ing his address: "This is a remarkable tribute to Judge Parker as a man, as it comes from men of both political parties after a hot campaign. It is unusual that into a panic and are now camping in after such a campaign of turmoil we should come together and honor him as

Mr Black, who followed Mr Hornblower, said:

"There is no man in all the lists of universal esteem and respect that he disturbance was slight. has. If it were my right to propose a toast, it would be to the able and upright jurist, and the man now before the bar, who has shown the upright qualities all his life."

#### AN UNPARALLELED FLIGHT. Bird Flies from California to New York

State. Utica, N. Y., Dec. 21.-There has been an exhausted carrier pigeon which had

on its leg a tag bearing this inscription:

"A. C. H., 396." Adolf C. Harn, a pigeon fancier, lived in Dolgeville until a year ago when he migrated to the new Dolgeville in Southern California, taking his pigeons with him. It is supposed that the exhausted bird is one of his flock which returned to its old home. Such a flight is, however, unparalleled, the record being 1,072 miles from Little Rock, Ark.,

STRUCK BY TIDAL WAVE.

Kroonland Experiences Worst Voyage of Her Record.

to New York.

New York, Dec. 21 .- After a tempestus voyage, during which she was struck by a tidal wave, the Red Star line steam ship Kroonland arrived today from Antwerp. When the tidal wave struck the ship one of her pasengers was thrown across the deck nd had a leg broken, and a satior fell from the crow's nest but suffered no erious injury. On the second day out stewardess went insane and was placed under restraint. The voyage four story Dart building in Bank street witnesses to aver that there were torpe- were \$26,900, of which Britt received

### One Hundred Ton Floating Derrick Breaks from Connecticut.

New York, Dec. 21.-Breaking five great cables as if they had been Hercules, moored to the side of the new battleship Connecticut, broke adrift in the navy yard basin in Wallabout Bay to-day and crashed into the stern of he battleship Texas, smashing several plates and so injuring the war vessel that she will have to go into drydock.

In the basin when a fierce squall swept over it were the Texas, Illinois, Kentucky, Tacoma and Minneapolis. The Hercules was securely tied to the Connecticut and was landing great armor plates on the decks. The strain caused by the heavy wind caused the cables to break and the derrick started and the Hercules gained great momen-The naval officials were thrown

The tugs Narkeeta and Pentucket were hastily dispatched to catch the It had been expected that the case. fleeting der rchw,ki hieUshrdlushrdlu fleeting derrick, which was making dimoored close together. When almost upon the ships the Pentucket caught the Hercules and made fast to her. Before the derrick could be controlled

squarely in the stern post With the assistance of the Narkeeta took up the afternoon with his speech. Black, former Secretary of War Elihu the Hercules was towed out of harm's way and was soon tied up to the Connecticut, where the unloading of the On the cover of the menus was an armor plate was resumed. The Texas ers to tears at times by his references excellent portrait of Judge Parker, etch- had been coaling preparatory to joined on parchment. The banquet hall ing the coast squadron for the midwin-

Naval Constructor Baxter inspected In his opening address Justice O'- the vessel, ordered the coaling stopped must elapse before the Texas can be prepared for her cruise.

### NEW YORK SENATORSHIP,

### Conference of Republicans Favoring

Depew-Odell Missing. New York, Dec. 21.-The conference of republicans, called by United States Senator Thomas C. Platt in the interest man? of the re-election of United States Sena cheer. When the judge rose to speak ator Chauncey M. Depew by the comthe diners arose, waved handkerchlers, ing state legislature, was held accordand cheered. Judge Parker, after re ing to programme at the Fifth avenue that old man, her aged father. I leave turning thanks for the honor conferred hotel this morning. It was in session 'her in your hands, confident that you on him and expressing his apprecia- about three hours and adjourned, with- will acquit her and restore her to her tion of the warm welcome accorded to out day, after appointing a committee ilm on his entry into the ranks of the of seven, headed by former Lieutenant crything proclaims 'Peace on earth; bar of New York, paid a tribute to the Governor Woodruff to wait upon Goverentiment of good fellowship, which, he nor Odell, who was not invited, and in- her to take him home to the aged wife said, characterized the members of that form him of the sentiment as expressed body and made the practice of law in at the conference, No arrangement was her a chance to live a new life with the city of New York exceedingly at- made for a future report of the commit- them in her home. tractive. In conclusion Judge Parker tee to the conference which created it.

"If, while a member of the bench, I nor Odell and at 7 o'clock it was stated

After the conference, Senator Platt

"I am proud of it," said he, "It was Ellhu Root said in part: "Out of a truly representative and clearly showed and for the guest we honor, it is a sentiment of the people of the state is vincing to the jury," thundered the easure—more than a pleasure—it is a strongly for the re-election of Senator prosecutor.

### EARTHOUAKE SHOCKS.

Ten Slight and One Strong Felt in Panama

Chiriqui, Panama, Dec. 21.-There were ten slight earthquakes, followed by one strong shock, at about 12:30 last night. Numerous houses near here were damaged and people were thrown the streets. The disturbance is supposed to have been caused by the Poas volcano in Costa Rica.

Panama, Dec. 21.-Earthquake shocks were felt within a radius of 150 miles the bench in his state that had that of Panama and Colon last night. The

### LUSH MUST DECIDE.

### Up to Him Whether He Will Accept

Cleveland, Dec. 21.-Outfielder Billy Lush, of the Cleveland American league team, has been told by the management of the club to use his own judgment whether he shall accept the terms conditional upon his coaching the Yale found at Dolgeville, Herkimer county, baseball team for the coming season. The Yale contract calls for Lush's services until the first of July, the middle of the American league season. Lush can hold it as the defense theory of had written for permission from the Cleveland club, and, in view of the fact that the club has four other outfielders, the question of accepting the Yale contract is left to Lush's judgment.

#### RUSSIA BUYS DREXEL YACHT. Report That She Has Purchased Mar-

garita for \$650,000. London, Dec. 21.-It is stated that fine steam yacht Margarita, paying

The Margarita is a steel twin-screw, double-decked boat, 323 feet long over all, 272 feet long on the waterline, 37 feet beam and 17 draught. She is one and was built in 1900 at the yards of Scott & So., Greenock, Scotland, on designs by the late George L. Watson.

### Fire in New London.

New London, Dec. 21 .- Fire in the was the worst the vessel has ever ex- late yesterday afternoon caused a dam-

### BROKE CABLES LIKE THREAD. NAN PATTERSON'S CASE GOES TO JURY TO-DAY

CHARGE THIS MORNING.

Impassioned Arguments by the Prosecution and the Defense-Listeners son's Guilt.

New York, Dec. 21 .- Judge Vernon M. jured. Davis did not deliver his charge to the jury in the trial of Nan Patterson, the former actress, to-night, but sent the jurymen home to rest after a day spent listening to the arguments of counsel. would go to the jury before 6 o'clock, but Judge Davis put his charge over until to-morrow.

Abraham Levy, chief counsel for the defendant, occupied the time of the morning session with his argument, while Assistant District Attorney Rand

Both addresses were impassioned and eloquent, Mr. Levy swayed his listento his client and the home coming to Washington which he anticipated, Piacing a Bible on the railing in front of jurors, Mr. Levy read the eighth chapter of the gospel of St. John. He laid particular emphasis on the sen-"He that is without sin among you let his east the first stone, and

then he said to the jurors: "Will you say to her who sits before you here, in the words of Him who spoke at that time, Woman, go and sin-

"With the happiness of your own home before you and with the joy of the Christmas festival in anticipation are you going to condemn this young wo-

"Do not send her to her doom now when the entire world is rejoleing. See, she sits there abandoned by all except devoted old father at a time when evgood will to men.' I ask you to allow and mother who awaits them and give

Mr. Rand's argument was a severe arraignment of Miss Patterson and wen the prosecutor pitflessly condemned succeeded in contributing, in some small that the effort to find him had been ed the woman as the murderess of Caesar Young, she qualled under his invec-

"Actress, stony hearted, cruel mouthassurance of an earnest desire on licans, most of them classed as being in ed avenger that she is, the story she April 22. It was obligatory for the part to work side by side with you favor of Senator Depew, but there was 'told, the manner of her telling it, ought directors to place the second preferred Hartford hospital, where he has been and firemen of the freight train were creditors of the bankrupt firm that the my part to work side by side with you favor of Senator Depew, but there was 'told, the manner of her telling it, ought

Every action proclaims her guilty. I have never seen a real murderer who declared himself as greatly pleased with has not been distinguished by coolness, calmness and unruffled demeanor and conceit. Never yet was there a murderer who was not anxious to testify be-

In detail he held up her character to the jury and asked if a woman like her was able to have any love other than that of a 'beast,' "The beast in the woman called to the man, and the beast

in the man answered," he said. Miss Patterson's counsel were not pared by Mr. Rand, who, after saying that the defendant's testimony had been typewritten and learned by heart, "There are those among her defenders who are capable of preparing testimony which they know to be false. I name no names, and I stand ready to prove what I say if there is any question raised on that statement." J. Morgan Smith and his wife were

enounced by the lawyer. Most impressive was Mr. Rand's at- proposed institution. tempt to show the jury that Young could not have shot himself. The skeleton which had already appeared during the trial, was brought forward and the attorney went over the details of the entrance of the bullet and the direction it took after entering Young's body. During this recital Miss Patteron covered her face with her gloved hands. Mr. Rand used the revolver with which Young was killed to prove suicide would require you to hold it in order to inflict this wound and then pull the trigger, I will consent to your setting this defendant free on the spot," The remainder of the speech was

given over to controverting the testimony of the defense. After Mr. Rand's speech, Mr. Levy

"That was the most wonderful advocourts of twenty-four years.

#### Miss Patterson will be acquitted.' Russia Denies Bribery Charges.

London, Dec. 21.-The Russian embassome of the London papers that it has been destroyed. sent emissaries to Huli to bribe the fishermen of the trawler fleet. The embassy says it has no knowledge whatever of the alleged attempts to bribe gate receipts of the Britt-Nelson fight do boats among the fishing fleet off the \$8,877, Nelson \$5,918 and the Yosemite

### YOUNG GOULD NOT PRESENT. HARVARD MEN ASK FOR

Freshman for Their Dinner.

New York, Dec. 21 .- Although Kingdon Gould was not present to grace JUDGE DAVIS TO MAKE HIS their dinner, the Columbia sophomores had a merry gathering to-night at one of the uptown Broadway hotels. In a hard fight early in the day, in which about one hundred of the second-year men were pitted against the same numceeded in capturing H. B. McCutcheon, the vice-president of the class, and his brother. This battle took place directly in front of the One Hundred and Sixteenth street subway station on Broadway. The fancy work of the subway entrance was wrecked and not few of the students were severely in-

The firing of a revolver at some of the sophomores by Kingdon Gould the previous day somewhat dampened the arder of these young men, and, with the exception of the engagement at One Hundred and Sixteenth street, little effort was made to capture freahmen for the banquet.

Faculty lotervention in the Gould affair began to-day and an investigation will be made at once with a view to suspending the hazers of the young freshman. President Butler, it was announced had written to Professor Frederick R. Hutton, dean of the schools of applied science, asking him to institute a thorough bayesugation of the affair and enclosing a list of names men who President Butler thought had been most prominently identified Dean Hutton has requested office to-morrow.

Young Gould did not appear at Columbia to-day for lectures. The police professional coach idea, says: authorities have taken up the matter of his carrying the pistol and of his firing it in the streets of New York, but they claim they are hampered by the refusal on the part of the students to tell anything about the incident.

#### One Declared for First Time Since 187C.

Philadelphia, Dec. 21.-The directors of the Reading company, the holding mpany of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad company and the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron compny property, to-day declared a semi-annual dividend of 1 1-2 per cent. on the common stock. The dividend is payable on February 1 to stockholders of record January 14. On January 25. 1876, the old Philadelphia and Reading Railroad company paid its last dividend on common stock. Since that time the company has been twice in the hands of receivers, and the holding company was the outcome of the sec-

bnd receivership. May 10, 1905, to stockholders of record ties when his health will permit.

the common stock. ent, including Henry C. Frick, who was past months, recently elected.

### CARNEGIE'S OFFER.

### Will Duplicate \$400,000 Franklin Fund Conditionally.

Boston, Dec. 21 .- At a meeting of the Benjamin Franklin fund managers of this city to-day a letter was read from President Henry S. Prichett, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, containing a proposition from Andrew Carnegie to duplicate the present amount of the fund, provided the total be devoted to the establishment of a school for the industrial training of men and women along the lines of the Mechanics' and Tradesmen's school of New York and the Cooper Union. Mr. Carnegle further stipulated that the city of Boston should furnish a site for the

### JURY TOSSED COIN.

#### To Decide Case They Use This Method -Summoned Before Court.

New York, Dec. 21 .- On the charge that they had decided a criminal case by the toss of a coin, twelve jurymen lost his life. After the collision she fore Police Judge Higgins in Jersey repairs. that in no position could it have been, City. The charge is that in discussing held by Young to inflict the wound that the case of a man named Eckoff, caused his death. Facing the jury, with against whom a serious complaint had the pistol in his outstretched hand, the been made by a young woman, the juryprosecutor exclaimed: "Gentlemen, I men tossed a coin. If it fell "head" will give you this revolver to take into up Ecko was to be convicted. It did the jury room, and if any among you fall "head" up and a verdict of guilty was returned. To-day's Eckoff's attorney asked for a reversal of the verdict and the story of the coin tossing in the house of representatives to-day was told in court.

To Save Hickory Trees. Chicago, Dec. 21.-Increasing scarcity of hickory wood in the United States has so alarmed the manufacturers of wooden vehicles that at a meeting here cacy of any cause, the most masterful to-day of over 200 representatives of speech that I have ever heard in a those manufacturers, the advisability Russia has bought Anthony J. Drexel's criminal case in an experience in the of taking the matter before congress was discussed. Hickory trees have re-"In spite of that, I am confident that cently been attacked by an insect which it is said is fast destroying that class of timber. At to-day's meeting it was declared that unless the government took action in devising means by which these insects can be kept from breeding of the handsomest of American yachts sy has given The Associated Press a in ten years practically all hickory formal denial of the statement made in trees in the United States will have

### \$26.900 Taken in at Fight.

San Francisco, Dec. 21.-The total

# A PROFESSIONAL COACH

### WANT BETTER SHOWING IN FOOTBALL GAMES,

Believe that Crimson With Her Wealth of Material Should Win at Least Her Fair Share of Football Victories With continued Than See Harvard Always

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 21.-The Harvard Bulletin to day published a com- November last, he refused to answer, munication signed by fifty-four prominhas handled the Harvard teams.

"We believe," says the communication of material, should win at least her statement was correct. fair share of victories from Yale, whereas we have seen her win but four times you were in business? in twenty-five years. We should rather see football discontinued than see Harvard continuously represented by teams that might have won but do not win.

"The conditions of modern football are such as to demand the entire time and thought of a coach for three months of the year, and we believe that Harvard should employ a professional." Commenting on the communication, the Bulletin, which has opposed the

"If it is necessary to make athletics a business, there is no reason why a professional ecach should not be se cured for the football eleven as well as the crew.

"And if we are to pay a man, let us get the very best man there is. The READING COMMON DEVIDEND, athletic committee would probably not enger cars were almost completely teloppose the appointment of a paid foot-

#### Harvard Loses in Attendance.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 21.-The Harvard university catalogue for 1904-5, issued to-day, shows Harvard's registration this year, exclusive of the summer school and Radcliffe college, to be 3,136 as compared with 4,328 last year, or a loss of 192 in the university.

### SUPT. FENNELL RELIEVED.

#### A. R. Whaley Appointed Head of Nev York Division

Hartford, Dec. 21.-An official an-New Haven and Hartford railroad toond receivership.

day that on account of continued ill ing later thrown so that only the four tion of creditors, his election was not cars take that track. While going up confirmed by the referee, Stanley W. common stock, the directors declared a H. Fennell has been relieved of the susemi-annual dividend of 2 per cent, on perintendency of the New York divithe second preferred stock, payable sion. He will be assigned to other du-

stock on a 4 per cent, per annum basis for several days, under the special care before a dividend could be declared on of a physician. He is being treated for the only serious injuries. an injury to his right arm received For the first time in many months twenty years ago and which has given every director of the company was pres- him considerable trouble during the

> His successor as superintendent of the New York division is A. R. Whaley, who has been superintendent of the Worcester division. He will take charge of his new place at once. Mr. Whaley's assistant superintendent, C. F. Kennery, takes charge of the

### FERRYBOAT DESTROYED.

### Burned at Her Dock in New York Hulk to be Raised.

New York, Dec. 21 .- The ferryboat Paunpeck was practically destroyed by fire at a 14th street slip in Hoboken tonight. At 10:45 flames were discovered bursting from her hold, and in response to a fire alarm several engines from Hoboken and fire tugs of the Lackawanna railroad, to which company the Paunpeck belongs, responded. The fire had such a hold on the wheel that all efforts were turned to sinking her to save the hull and machinery. This was accompllished. The hulk will be raised.

Hudson river steamboat on December 3, when several persons were injured and a young man is believed to have were summoned to-day to appear be- was tied up at the 14th street slip for

### INAUGURAL BALL DISPUTE

#### Whole Matter Goes Over Until After the Holldays. Washington, Dec. 21.-An objection by

Mr. Mann of Illinois to unanimous consent to take up the inaugural resolution sent the whole matter over until after the holidays. Mr. Morrell of Pennsylvania, on behalf of the committee on the District of Columbia, was directed to move the passage of the senate resolution, which among other things provided for holding the inaugural ball in the pension building, as heretofore, but Messrs, Underwood of Alabama and Mann insisted that a quorum of the house should be present to consider the matter. Immediately after Mr. Mann's objection, the house adjourned until January 3, 1905. +

#### Fell 125 Feet and Still Lives. New York, Dec. 21.-After falling 135

feet from the central span to the Williamsburg bridge into the East river to-day, Charles Summerfield, a workman employed on the structure, was picked up by a tug and is still alive. The surgeons say no bones were broken, but the man was injured internally Summerfield held to a plank which fell with him and still had hold of it when he came to the surface,

### CONVENIENT IGNORANCE.

#### Senior Member of Munroe and Munro a Forgetful Man.

New York, Dec. 21.-George Hugh Munroe, member of the firm of Munroe & Munroe, was a witness before Commissioner Alexander at to-day's session of the inquiry in connection with the bankrupicy proceedings of the firm.

To many of the questions asked by Samuel Untermyer, representing the creditors, the witness replied either that

He stated that he had never looked into the books of the firm to note entries, leaving all that to the bookkeeper When he was asked how many shares

he did not know or that he could not

of Montreal and Boston Mining and Smelting company stock his firm had washed every day from September to upon advice of counse

"Were not the 1,779,724 3-4 shares of ent Harvard graduates, petitioning for Montreal and Boston dealt in by you a paid football coach instead of the between November 25 and December 7, graduate coach who for so many years more than the entire outstanding is, Chadwick. Under the date of Dece asked Mr. Untermyer, handing the witness a sheet showing transacin part, "that Harvard with her wealth actions. The witness admitted that this "You sold 91,000 shares the last day

"The figures show that."

"Whose stock was It?" "Our own, I bought stock to maintain

Witness said he did not consider his transactions sales, and also that some of his brokers bought and sold at the An adjournment was then taken un-

til to-morrow morning.

### COLLISION AT MIDDLETOWN.

#### Freight Train and One of Empty Par senger Cars Crash. Middletown, Dec. 21.-In a collision between a freight train and a train

omposed of an engine and four empty passenger cars here to-night, the passescoped and Brakeman Harry May of Hartford, who was on the rear end of the passenger train, was badly hurt. The accident occurred near the depot on the Valley division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, and blocked the tracks on the division for miny hours.

After unloading its passengers the train due here at 5:44 from Hartford, is accustomed to take the siding near the depot, this being the end of the run. To-night the usual plan was to be followed, and the engineer started to run his train up on the main track preparatory to coming back past the depot and taking the siding, which is just below. tee in bankruptcy for the affairs at a The train usually comes past the depot meeting of its creditors and stockholdnouncement is made by the New York, at a good rate of speed as the engine is unhooked, the switch of the sliding be- choice of Mr. Fitch by a large pro the track the freight train crashed into the rear of the passenger train and the cars of the latter were wrecked. Several against Mr. Fitch will be presented. freight cars were thrown off the rails somewhat bruised but May sustained

### LONDON IN BLACK FOG.

## More Dense Than Anything in Last Two ceiver appointed by the United States

London, Dec. 21.-London was envel-

oped this afternoon in a black fog more iense than anything witnessed during the last two years. As early as 2 p. m. the city was lighted up everywhere the same as at night, but even electricity and gas failed to dispel the gloom. The fog was particularly thick in the West End, where the streets were crowded with Christmas shoppers. In many places the traffic was almost completely stopped, and the greatest care was necessary to avoid accidents, a num of which have already been reported. As night closed and the density increased the effect was extremely welrd, transfers, according to a stater the most brilliant electric lights only serving to make the darkness visible. In the most crowded section of the center of London vehicle traffic was completely stopped, pedestrians lost their

trade. difficulty of driving to the station from Buckingham palace.

### SEE PROSPERITY AHEAD.

### Officials of Concerns About Pittsburg Looking for Men.

Pittsburg, Dec. 21 .- Officials of many industrial concerns in and about Pittsburg are searching for men to work in their plants. The bright prospects for an increased amount of business after the first of the year are responsible for this move, and thousands of unemploy- of introducing electric motive power on ed will be given steady work after January 1. For the month of December business in Pittsburg has increased

materially in almost every line. The starting up of many new works will give employment to thousands of idle men. One great difficulty already beginning to stare local business men in the face is a car shortage, which bids fair to outrival the famous shortage of 1901 and 1902; Almost every railroad entering the city has orders for far more cars than can possibly be supplied, and these orders are increasing daily.

#### Mills Starting Up. Sharon, Pa., Dec. 21.-Notices were

posted to-day by the American Sheet maining five mills of the plant will be placed in operation next Monday. Fifteen mills are now running. The starting of these mills will afford employment to 150 men, making 1,390 now at work. After Monday there will not be an idle tin mill owned by the correction.

Mainenana, New York via Southampton. Queenstown, Dec. 21.—Arrived: Steamer Pool (and proceeded). Naples, Dec. 21.—Sailed: Steamer Uaples, Dec. 20.—Arrived: Steamer Italia, New York. an idle tin mill owned by the company Steamer Hellig Olav, New York via Christiansand. in the country,

### DEMAND FOR POSSESSION OF CHADWICK JEWELS

#### RECEIVER AFTER PROPRIETOR OF HOFFMAN HOUSE.

The Latter is Notified That He is Held Responsible for a Faithful Accounting of Them-Receiver Will Pay Any Charges Against the Gems if Advised

New York, Dec. 21.-Nathan Loeser, ecciver in Cleveland of the affairs of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, made a demand to-day, through his legal representative in this city, on J. P. Caddagan, the proprietor of the Hoffman house, for all the jewelry and other valuables, alleged to be in his posses-sion, being held for the owner, Mrs. ber 19 Mr. Loeser wrote to him as fol-

"I wired you this morning as follows: 'I hereby demand of you all the property of Cassie L. Chadwick now in y possession or under your control, and I hereby notify you not to deliver same

to any other person.' "Information has reached me that certain property, consisting partially of valuables and jewelry, and belonging to Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, is now at the Hoffman house, and under your control, and I shall hold you responsible for a faithful accounting for same. If you will advise me as to the charges which you have thereon I shall arrange to pay

the same so that the property may be delivered to me in Cleveland."

Charles L. Greenhall, of this city, said to-night that as the representative of Louis Grossman, a Cleveland lawyer, he had called at the Hoffman house to day and seen Mr. Caddagan. He said that he had made demand for the property, but tht he did not receive any satisfaction nor did he learn whether there is any property of Mrs. Chad-wick's in the hotel. He declared that the proprietor said that he would communicate with him later through his

### BERRY & CO'S AFFAIRS.

#### Fitch Chosen as Trustee but Not Confirmed by Referee.

New York, Dec. 21.—Ashbel Fitch, as signee of the Consolidated Exchange brokerag first of Jacob Berry & Co., which went into involuntary bankruptcy several weeks ago, was chosen trusers to-day. Owing to opposition to the Dexter, who appointed next Tuesday The opposition to Mr. Fitch, it was was friendly to it, and had been chosen by the members of the concern, A creditor's protective committee opposed Mr Fitch on this ground, and supported the

The formal ballot gave Mr. Fitch the votes of 292 of the stockholders, repr senting \$202,000 of the firm's indebtedness, while Mr. Thomas received 226 votes, representing \$170,000 of the in-

choice of Edward S. Thomas, the

### TRANSFER FRAUDS.

### New York Companies Lose Fully \$1,000

a Day. New York, Dec. 21 .- The New York City Railway company loses fully \$1,000 a day through an illegal system of made to-day by the company's chief inspector in a police court. The inspector appeared as the complainant against four men who had been arrested chargway and policemen their sense of dis solicited from persons in the street. The rection. Torc-bboys did a roaring men pleaded ignorance of the transfer law, but were each held in \$100 ball for Queen Alexandra, who intended to trial. In presenting the case to the lished. The hulk will be raised. leave London for Sandringham this court the inspector said he had unaccount of the fog-and the consequent of the company where the employes by exchanging and repunching transfers were defrauding the company out of no

#### less than \$1,000 a day. ELECTRICITY ON-WEST SHORE,

#### President of Road Authorized to Make Necessary Contracts.

New York, Dec. 21.-President W. H. Newman of the West Shore railroad has been authorized to make the necessary contracts for the preliminary work that railroad. It is understood that the powerful electric motors which were recently tested on the New York Central will be in use on portions of the main line within the next year. Connections are to be made at convenient points between the West Shore proper and the new suburban trolley system which the Vanderbilts are developing in the central part of this state.

### Shipping News.

New York, Dec. 21.—Arrived: Steamers Kroonland, Antwerp: Perugia, Naples; Menominee, London.

New York, Dec. 21.—Sailed: Steamers Rotterdam, Rotterdam and Boulogne; Majestic, Liverpool; United States, Christiansand and Copenhagen.

London, Dec. 29.—Arrived: Steamer Minnehaha, New York via Southampton.









# The Howe & Stetson Stores

evenings.

Announcements for TO-MORROW Thursday, Dec. 22

evenings

# Last Three Days

Every day the throng of happy Christmas buyers grows larger; and as it grows larger it grows more good-natured. For everyone is bent upon the same purpose-making another happy. Come and join the merry throng. Come to-day.



Do you know that you will find very pretty Christmas gifts with the Corsets?

### Waist and Kimono Patterns

Three yards will make a waist or kimono. Patterns—of fiannelette, 38c; of light or dark oxford waistings, 30c for a pattern. Neatly tied with red ribbon. Ten-yard Wrapper patterns—of percale, 80c; of flannel-ette or Scotch suitings, \$1.25 a pattern.

Mrs. Taylor is here demonstrating the "Universal" 3-minute Bread Mixer and the "Universal" Food Chopper.

### Toys at Greatly Reduced Prices

.It will pay you to come early for these. You must come early for these—if you want them. For at the new prices they'll all go in a jiffy. Dolls' Tea, Coffee and Chocolate Sets—
were 65c—now 50c
were \$1.00—now 75c
were \$1.25—now \$1.00

All our Saddle Horses and Horses and Wagons thatwere 25c—now 19c were 39c—now 25c were 50c—now 39c were \$1.00—now 79c

Elephants that shake their were 50e—now 39c 25c Wooly Dogs—19c Children's Rockerswere 25c-now 19c were 39c-now 25c

Black enameled Stoves with gold trimming-were 75c-now 59c Rocking Horses with seats-were 50c-now 39c Real Printing Presses-

were \$1.00-now 75c were \$1.50-now \$1.19 were \$3.25-now \$2.98 Get something in the way of a burnt-leather novelty-

were \$2.00-now \$1.59

### 19c to \$5.00. \$2.95 Dressing Sacques, \$1.95

Of all-wool ripple eiderdown, made in kimono style, collarless, and buttoning to the side. Neck, front and sleeves trimmed with white or black applique.

Lamps anywhere from 99c to \$25.00

### Gifts for Men Reduced

The prices are cut deeply. Everything of a holiday character most be closed out. We shall not carry anything over. Now is you chance to get much for little.

HOUSE COATS were \$15.00—now \$10.00 were \$10.00—now \$7.50 were \$7.50—now \$5.00 were \$5.00—now \$3.50 BATH ROBES were \$10.00-now \$7.5

SILK SUSPENDERS were \$3.00—now \$2.00 were \$2.50—now \$1.75 were \$2.00—now \$1.50 were \$1.50—now \$1.00 were \$1.00—now 75c NECKWEAR was \$1.50—now \$1.00 was \$1.00—now 75c

Among other practical gift things for men are handker-chiefs, half hose, underwear, pajamas, shirts, etc.

Yes, an Umbrella will be acceptable to anyone. 59c to \$15

### New Prices for Children's Coats

One lot is made up of Coats that were priced as high as \$18.50-all now \$10.00. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Another consists of \$8.75 to \$10.00 Coats-all now re-A third group is made up entirely of Military Coats that have been \$8.00—all now \$5.00.

Give a piece of Cut Glass. 14c to \$60.00

Women's \$5.95 Robes, \$3.95
Of all-wool ripple eiderdown in red, gray, light blue and lavender. Made in kimono style. Neck, front, sleeves and pockets trimmed with Persian satin.

THE HOWE & STETSON









4 yards (enough for a waist)
of Changeable Taffeta in
all colors, at 59c a yard,
worth 75c, costs only \$2.36.

15 yards (enough for a dress
or shirt waist suit) of the
same material would cost
only \$8.85. Not very same material would cost only \$8.85. Not very much for a dress, is it?

That's only two suggestions, Mr., Man. We can make many more suggestions to help you, if you'll let us.

Send a handsome Vase. 19c to \$22.79

### Silk Waists Sharply Reduced

One group of Waists is made up principally of black and brown soft-finish taffetas, prettily trimmed, and finished with atock and tie. Were \$5.00—now \$2.95.

Chiffon taffeta Waists in white, brown, light blue, royal and black, made with the very latest style-touches. Were \$5,95—now \$4.95.

Aprons of many sorts. 25c to \$1.00

### Jewelry, Toilet Articles, etc.

It's almost impossible for you to make any mistake if you choose the gifts from this list:

Fans—50c to \$5.00
Sterling silver Manicure
Sets—\$1.00 upward
Comb and Brush Sets—\$2.00
Ceifeloid Manicure Sets—

Toilet Sets—\$1.75 to \$5.50
Military Brush Sets in leather
cases—\$2.00 to \$2.50
Comb Sets—25c to \$5.00
Belts—25c to \$9.00
Belts—25c to \$9.00 \$1.50 to \$4.50

Sterling silver spoons, sugar sifters. sardine forks, bonbon scoops, mustard spoons, etc.—\$1.00 each. Powder Jars—25c Water Bottles—39c to \$2 Roger & Gallett's Perfumes

Muff Chains-50c to \$2.00 -25c to \$1.50 a box Vail Bros. Perfumes-25c to Hudnut's Perfumes-50c to

Colgate's Perfumes 25c and Mustaphon Beauty Mirrors will stand or hang, or you can put them around your neck for shaving—\$3.25 to \$3.75

Violat's Perfumes—\$3.00

Hudnut's Violet Sec Toilet.

Water—75c to \$1.40

Triplicate Mirrors—25c to \$6.75

Hat Pins—10c to \$1.25 Violat's Perfumes-\$3.00

Hand-painted Plagues from \$7.00 to \$12.00

### Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Neckwear for women, girls, children

It's the easiest thing in the world to choose a gift from the Gloves, Handkerchiefs or Neckwear that will be ap-propriate and pleasing.

And you can pay most any price.

A bit of Fancy China from 5c to \$5.00

### Rubber Boots, Slippers, Soles at greatly reduced prices

So your money will go even further than it usually does in this popular department.

Would a Stein please him? \$90 to \$5.97

### A Real Snap in Furs

Collarettes of Isabella fox in deep collar effect, lined with Skinner's eatin, and trimmed with genuine brush tails. Were \$12.50 and \$15.00—now reduced to \$9.95. First quality Isabella and sable opossum Victoria Scarfs, half lined with satin. Were \$7.50—now reduced to \$4.95,



Men's Tan and Black Vici Kid Slippers \$ .98
Men's Tan and B'k Vici Kid Opera Slippers 1.50
Men's Tan and B'k Vici Kid Everet Slippers 1.50
Men's Fine Vici Kid Ankle Slippers, Tan
and Black, 2.50
Men's Fine Tan Vici Kid Opera Slippers 2.00
Men's Fine Seal Goat Opera Chamois lined 2.50

Men's Felt Slippers.

Felt Sole Felt Slippers Felt Slippers, Leather Soles Felt Slippers, High Cut, Leather Soles Women's Felt Slippers.

Women's Gray, Black and Red Romeos,
Fur Trimmed,
Women's Red, and Black Felt Romeos,
Fur Trimmed,
Misses' and Children's Red Felt Romeos, \$1.50 1.00

Fur Trimmed, 1.00 Misses' and Children's Red Felt Slippers, low cut, 70c, 75c and 85c. 1.00

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS. ONLY GOOD SHOES.

THENEWHAVEN SHOE CO.,

Christmas Poultry.

842 AND 846 CHAPELST.

Fresh Arrivals

Each day-Thursday, Friday, Saturday,

Fancy Turkeys

Chickens, Geese, and Ducks. The prices are lower than ever and the quality perfect. We believe you can save money by buying of us.

Everything

That goes with the Christmas dinner Cape Cod Cranberries, Celery, Sweet

A Car Load

Of fancy Florida Oranges at ridiculously low prices. You should see them. MALAGA GRAPES, 10c per pound.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

D. M. WELCH & SON.

Fair Haven.

Congress Avenue. West Haven

LARGEST STOCK, LOWEST PRICES Turkeys Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Fowl,

Special Sales for Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

HOWARD AVE., COR. COLUMBUS. GRAND AVE., COR LLOYD ST. SHELTON AVE., COR. MUNSON ST.

> Special Candy Sales Every Day.

Special Christmas Candy Sales every day. now, till Christmas. Vast variety. Virtuous quality. Candy for all purposes, to to 40c lb, Specimen Specials, Wednesday and Thursday-

> 40 Cent Chocolates For 29c lb

Take the Fruit: Remember the direct shipments of fine Florida Oranges and Grape Fruit, Tempting Tangesines too. Best of Dates, Figs and Raisins. Sweet meaty Nuts all new: Pecans, Brazils, Fitherts, English Walnuts and Almends. By the pound separately or mixed.

BOSTON GROCERY CO.,

Chapel and Temple Streets. Branch Store, 1231 Chapel Street.

### LATEST FAIR HAVEN NEWS

EXTRA CARRIERS ON AT STA-TION A.

Special Meeting of Grand Avenue Baptist Congregation To-night-Officers Elected by Adelphi Louge, F. and A. M .- Sunday School Christmas Exercises-Funeral of Mrs. Howard.

The holiday business at Station A showed an increasing volume yesterday and a large amount of Christmas goods was forwarded. Beginning to-day two substitute carriers-James Gilligan and Thomas F. Ryan-will assist the nine regular carriers, continuing on duty through the week.

Beginning yesterday, the last collection in the evening at the letter boxes | was made a half hour earlier than usual. This has been necessitated owing to the obstructed sections of streets in the vicinity of the mail boxes where the snow has been plied up, as it requires more time to make the rounds. To make the mail collections sure Postmaster Howarth decided upon the change until the snow disappears.

This evening will occur the special church meeting at the Grand Avenue Baptist church, called to take action upon the resignation of the pastor, Rev. E. W. Stone and to consider the report of the committee appointed to urge him to reconsider his resignation. The meeting will be held in the chapel

St. Anthony's guild of St. Francis' church is preparing a number of baskets with materials for Christmas dinners for deserving families.

Miss Belle Meigs of Wolcott street is in New York, attending the wedding of Thirteen couples left here in a 'bus on

Northford.

Adelphi lodge, F. and A. M., has elect-Herbert M. Hayden, W. M.; William W.; Adam Sattig, treasurer; William S. J. S.; Edward N. Holaday, tyler; Chas. W. Evarts, chaplain; Wilfred T. npson, marshal; William S. Newon, Seth W. Langley, Dr. E. C. M. Hall, trustees.

The Christmas exercises for the primary department, will be held in the East Pearl Street M. E. church Saturday evening. There will be appropriate exercises and gifts for the little ones, On Monday evening will occur the usual Christmas concert for the Sunday school. The usual Christmas gifts will be omitted this year. The young people have been at work evenngs during the week winding evergreens for decorating the church. Mrs. Daniel W. Hatfield of Lloyd

street leaves to-day for her old home attraction. in Oberlin, Penn., on a visit to rela-

A large amount of supplies were brought by the pupils to Strong school yesterday and additional stores will be brought to-day. There were bushels of potatoes and piles of turnips, onlons and other vegetables. Upon a long table were shoes, articles of clothing, toys for the children and other supplies. se supplies will be distributed as gifts to deserving families for the school's annual Christmas remem-

brance. Elmer S. Wade, who is to deliver his illustrated lecture on the World's fair efore the East Rock lodge, A. O. U. W., has also been invited to give the ecture at Greenport, Long Island. The lantern pictures are presented by Chas.

The funeral of Mrs. Katherine, widow of James Howard, will take paice to-day at 8:30 at her late home, 138 Saltonstall avenue, and at 9 o'clock at St. Francis church. Her age was seventy years,

HOW WARE SECURED PRIVACY. One of the things which Mr Ware has found it hardest to endure is the utter absence of privacy at such a desk as his. Responsible for the handiing of \$150,000,000 a year, he has hardly been given, since he entered upon his duties 30 months ago, an hour for uninterrupted labor in his room. The office seekers, the attorneys, the hardluck story-tellers, the applicants for somebody's promotion, have sat with him whenever he has been most anxious to study a case in quiet. He had not been in his place a year before, having struggled in vain for weeks to read thoroughly the papers in connection with a most important piece of business, he gave up in despair, and rolling the documents up in a bundle, walked out of the Pension Building without saying a word to anyone. He sought a railway station and inquired at what time the next train started.

"For where?" asked the ticket agent "Oh, anywhere-I don't care-anywhere a good way off."

"There is a train just about to start for Charleston, S. C., if that will do." present for the first time in this city, "That suits me; give me a ticket." Miss Ida Conquest, for many years one In a few minutes he was speeding of the leading comediennes of the on his way southward, with no very definite idea of his actual destination In the early hours of the morning the cars were thrown off the track by a broken down freight train ahead. A number of his fellow-passengers were has engaged a large company of capain putting them to rights as well as ble actors, including: Cyril Scott, Daisy ble actors, and the cyril Sco hurt, and he buised himself earnestly might be. Then he hunted up a hotel and took a room, where he continued

the task of delving in the papers on which he had begun on the train. The next day he pushed on to Charleston, took a little exercise viewing the historic places in and about the city and Nichols, Milano Cary Tilden and Thom. Saturday. then plunged into work again at a las Kelly. hotel. At night he started for Washington, and on arriving returned to his desk as if he had never been away, although the whole office had been in a blue funk over his temporary disappearance. But he had his case mastered, and settled to his satisfaction .-Washington Special Boston Transcript.

in and rapidly being taken. Those not ly dependent upon his thoroughbred delight of the seekers after real good yet provided for must call or telephone quickly to No. 907.

Visit New Haven's Largest, Lightest and Handsomest Store.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER .22, 1904.

### These are Good Gifts for Boys.

Something new to wear on Christmas Day is sure to bring happiness to any boy-sort of rounds off the pleasure he finds in all his other gifts. Good things for boys to wear are here in such variety, and at such modest prices that buying is a pleasure and paying is easy.

Reefers, substantial garments, \$3.00 to \$6.50. Russian Overcoats, sizes 3 to 8, \$2.50 to \$3.75. Sailor Blouse and Russian Blouse Suits, \$2.50 to \$7.00. Buster Brown" Suits, \$5.00 to \$8.00.

Norfolk Suits, \$2.50 to \$6.00. "Little Giant" Suits, strongest suits made, \$5.00. Two-piece and three-piece suits, \$2.50 to \$7.00.

Boys' Overcoats from \$5.00 up. Long Belt-Back Coats, ages 7 to 16, \$2.00 to \$6.00. Separate Pants, 50c to \$1.50; of corduroy, 89c. Boys' Caps, Tams and Toques, 25c to \$1.25. "Wear-Well" Shoes from \$1.25 to \$2.50. Boys' Rubber Boots, from \$1.40 to \$3.00,

Stockings, Gloves, Underwear, Waists, Shirts, Neckwear, Mittens, all good and good to give him. STORE OPEN EVENINGS THIS WEEK,

These are all good gifts for men

91, 93 and 95 Church Street New Haven. BPRINGPINIA

NEW HAVEN

ENTERTAINMENTS.

Hyperion Theater "IN NEWPORT" TO-NIGHT.

At the Hyperion to-night Klaw & night is one of the most important in to the track, he induces Seymour in his the history of New Haven theatricals, and it will attract a brilliant audience policy against the mortgage named, on not only of townspeople but of promin- his entry winning the race; furthermore ent personages from New York, Boston, to solemnly obligate himself to commit Russia war concludes the bill. Philadelphia and elsewhere. Nearly suicide in case he loses, and in such a every one of note in the theatrical manner that it will appear to be the reworld will be represented. The organ- suit of pure accident, so that no objecization that will appear to-night in the tion to paying the face value of the enlivening comedy is the strongest that spolicy to Hunter will be interposed by has ever been formed to present music- the insurance company. The play is Thirteen couples left here in a bus on al comedy. In its ranks are such fam-thrilling and exciting and holds the at-ous artists as Fay Templeton, Peter F. tention from start to finish. Seat sale Dailey, Virginia Earle, Joseph Coyne, ed and installed the following officers: Lee Harrison, Butth Yerrington, Linear, Charles M. McDonald, Louis Kelso, Al- sharp. W. Hasse, S. W.; Burton Strickland, J. fred Fisher, and others whose names Rowe, secretary; Henry H. Bradley, S. Never before have so many talented are a magnet to draw theatergoers. D.; Asa L. Chamberlain, J. D.; Walter stage personages been gathered together D.; Asa L. Chambertain, J. D.; stage personages been gathered together.
S. Welton, S. S.; Charles E. Parcells, er in musical comedy. "In Newport", will display the recognized ability of these performers at its best. All are provided with roles that give them ample opportunity to show the peculiar talent that has made them such favorites, and the performance to-night will be one of the most enjoyable New Haven has witnessed for many a day.

The engagement of the Klaw and Erlanger Comedy company will continue to-morrow and Saturday nights, with Saturday matince, after which the big organization of 125 people will go to the Liberty theater in New York for a long season. New York and New Ha- York. The company is the same as was ven will be the only two cities in the seen in New York last season, when the country to witness the extraordinary play was first produced. There will be

"A CHILD WIFE."

Owing to the length of the perform-

ance the curtain will rise at 8 p.

now open.

There is a thrill for every minute in the new melodrama "The Child Wife," which William T. Keogh will present at the New Haven theater Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The play is by Charles Taylor, one of the best writers of melodrama. The story of "The Child Wife" in brief is the plotting of Herbert Small, a lawyer, to destroy the happiness of one Dwight Perkins, a young inventor, and his girl wife. The action of the play, which is rapid, takes place in a New England village, and in New York city. Manager Keogh has supplied an elaborate and complete scenic production-eleven big sets in all -designed and painted by Charles L. Carson, of the New Star theater, New a holiday matinee Christmas day and

motherless daughter and only child, sketch "The Liar," a delightful comedy from poverty. Hunter also has a horse hit; the Messenger boy trio with songs entered in the same race, and is the and comedy, Tascott, the coon shouter. owner, by purchase, as well, of a heavy Mooney and Holbein, with some gro mortgage on Seymour's ranch. Thwart-ed in his attempts to poison "Our Jes-ors with some of the most daring head Erlanger's elaborate production, "In sie," and to blow up with dynamite the and hand balancing feats performed in Newport," will be made. This first car in which she is stabled on her way evening attire; Martini and Maxmillian with some of the best feats of magic desperation to wager his life insurance and illusions seen here in some time. The electrograph with a lot of comedy views and a special series of the Japan-Prices: Evenings, 10c, 20c, 30c; daily matinee, 10c, 20c; ladies at the daily matinees, 10c; box seats, 50c

THE NOBLES AT POLI'S.

Milton and Dolly are Coming in Their New Act, "the Days of '49." For a half dozen years Milton and Dolly Nobles have been rated as about the most successful of the many dramatic stars who have entered vaudeville. Both are clever comedians with attractive and distinctive personalities and original methods. The distinguishing character of both are absolute nat uralness. They seem to live their char acters, rather than act them. Mr. Nobles' conceded talents as a writer, and his experience and skill as a constructor, have enabled him to make well worn themes appear new and attrac-

There was nothing new in "Why Walker Reformed" or "A Blue Grass Widow." But the old complications were so deftly handled, the dialogue s vastly superior to that usually heard in vaudeville theaters, and the acting so intelligent, so brisk and so convincing that the threadbare themes appeared new. Mr. Nobles announces "The Days of '49," as entirely original, and a marked departure from his previous

vaudeville productions. The man who wrote "From Sire to Son," "The Phoenix," "Love and Law," and "For Revenue Only," is certainly capable of giving to the vaudeville stage one act plays of better quality than any of his reliow members of the American Dramatists club have yet shown the disposition or ability to offer.

CUT GLASS FOR WEED.

Members of Foot Guard Give New Ma-The members of the fourth section of the Second company, Governor's Foot Guard, known familiarly as the Brownies, assembled last evening at the home of Leonard Bostwick, 604 Orange street, for the purpose of perpetrating a surthe company, Smith G. Weed, who residence is located next door to Mr. Bostwick's house.

The surprise was a splendid success when the members invaded Major Weed's home, Carleton E. Hoadley, acting as master of ceremonies, in a choice little speech presented Major Weed with a cut glass set consisting of thirty-nine pieces on behalf of the com-

During the evening songs were rendered by Dr. and Mrs. Brown, Walter S. Garde and Mr. Mory entertained the company with a recitation. J. E. Fairchild had charge of the arrangements. Weed was remembered with a handsome basket of flowers,

The ladies who assisted in the succesof the evening were Mrs. Woodruff, Mrs. Rollin S. Woodruff, Mrs. Bostwick, Mrs. Dr. Brown and Miss Bostwick, During the evening a buffet lunch was served. All present spent a most enjoyable evening.

THE LAZIEST OF ALL BIRDS.

Cowbird Builds Nest and Rears No Young.

he could compel any other bird to gather his food for him he would do so, but he cannot, so he scratches about all In "The Money Makers," which will Wednesday also. Dolly Kemper will day among the herds of cattle and sheep and goes to roost at night in ter Monday and Tuesday, December 26 matinee Tuesday to the ladies and chil- great bands of hundred of his relatives, always selecting a bushy tree, such as a cypress, for a night's perch. All up and down the Mississippi River Valley The New Haven theater offering for is the common summer home of this bird, for only in the depth of winter do they retreat to the warmer mesas of Mexico, whither most of the other birds have preceded them. In the spring folyear. It is in three acts. Mr. Ryley four acts from the pen of Hal Reid. lowing such a winter they are the first Fitzsimmons, in his new starring ve- to return, filling all the new-year all

You must not think that the glossy black and brown birds so plentiful around Southern California barnyards

The holiday trade will force many ladies and gentlemen to lunch down town. Our "Ready Dishes" printed on our daily menus, offer a tempting variety for a light lunch or a substantial meal. Cuisine and service perfect. Surroundings attractive. Ladies 'entrance on Church Street.

during the winter months are cowbirds, for they are not. They are called "grackles," and seem to be more like crows than blackbirds, You can find their nests, big bulky affairs, in the orange and cypress trees of almost any of your ranch homes. There are many, members to the blackbird family, the sweet voiced mendowlarks and the gorgeous, golden orioles, as well as the sober colored blackbirds and grackles, and of all these but one forces the hatching of her eggs and the feeding of her young on to another bird

In England, the cuckoo has this same habit, but the American cuckoo builds her fest and sits on her eggs as nicely as any robin or dove could do. Some times our road ruther so far forgets herself as to lay her eggs in the nest of a quail or a meadowlark, but not often, but when she does, the bird upon whom Mrs. Roadrunner tries to impose generally breaks the strange egg or else goes away and leaves the nest alone. Then the field mice and the wood rats have a feast, to which sometimes the roaddrunner, comes herself, for she is very fond of eggs as long as they are not her own. But the cowbird never makes any

poor job as that. Shealways elects the nest of some smaller bird-in egions where warbiers are plentiful the ome of one of these little singers is most frequently chosen-and there, a many eggs as she thinks the owner of the nest will submit to are laid. Some-times the Warbler goes right on in-cubating the intruder, but now and then the old birds get together and dump the eggs out on the ground. Nests have been found in which the warblers put a mud floor over the first nest and built another one on top of it, leaving their own eggs to spoil because they knew no other way to rid themselves of the cow-bird. If the cowbird comes back by the repaired nest she will put another egg in it, and generally this egg is hatched and raised by the foster pair on whom it has been forced.

It requires about ten or eleven days for the young cowbird to break the shell, while most other birds of its size are two or three days longer, and thus he has a good start on the other nest-lings in point of growth. When hatched the cowbird is larger than the sparrow or the warbler, and consequently gradually crowds them into the back ground, taking all the food that should belong to them. As they grow weaker from this, he grows stronger, and it is not long until he tipe them out of the nest and is sole master of the two old bird, who work ceaselessly to satisfy als awful appetite. In a very few days he gets too large for the little nest and roes out into the branches, where the old birds still continue to feed him in a way they never do their own young after they have left the nest. In Mexico and South America there is a owbird that sometimes builds a nest of her own and sits upon and hatches her own eggs, but no such thing ever happens among the black hobos of the oriole family found further north.

How many eggs a cowbird lays no one knows, but as many as seven have been found in one nest of the oven bird a kind of thrush found in the Eastern States. Usually, however, only one egg is laid in each nest, especially if the birds to whom the nest belongs are small and the nest too little to hold more than one of the cowbird's young in comfort. The parent cowbird never disturbs the eggs of any of the birds in whose nests she leaves her onw, knowing full well that if she did so the nes builder would in all probability desert her home or throw the strange egg out. Oftentimes more than one cowbird tays n the same nest, and as no two eggs of these birds are ever exactly alike in color, you may be sure that no cowbird knows her own egg half a minute after she has laid it.-Los Angeles Times .

SHOEMAKING IN THE BLACK FOREST

The Blark Forest of Germany, a re gion famous for centuries, is hundreds of years behind the present age in methods of living and conducting simple industries. This fact is strikingly exemplified in the primitive ways the natives follow in making leather and shoes. When a farmer kills his beef he takes the hide to the local tanner, who will keep it for two years before he considers it fit for the shoemaker. When the formed of the fact.

Then some morning the shoemaker omes to the farmer's house with his kit of tools, and for the time being is one of the family. Every Katrine and every Johann is marched before him and measured, and the work of making shoes for the family begins. It may take a month, more or less, but he sticks to his job until every one is shod, when he is away to the next customer needing his services.-From the Shoe

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# China

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COCK FIGHT IN CENTERVILLE. There was a report about the city last wening to the effect that there was a largely attended cock fight going on in Centerville. It was claimed that a crowd from Waterbury, with several pirds, went to Centerville last evening an dthat shortly after their arrival they were met by a 'bus load of young men from this city, who are said to be students. They had several birds with them, and it is said that it was a case of New Haven vs. Waterbury.

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matinees will be given on Tuesday and be the attraction at the Hyperion thea- hold a reception on the stage after the and 27, Manager Tem W. Ryley will dren. Seat sale now open,

PETER F. DAILY in "IN NEWPORT."

A FIGHT FOR LOVE Charles Frohman forces, as a star. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, De-"The Money Makers" is a racing come cember 29, 30, 31, is Robert Fitzsimmons dy imported from England, where it and Julia May Gifford in "A Fight for was the biggest comedy success of last Love," a sensational comedy drama in Atherton, Gertrude Douglas, Eugene supporting company is unuually well e- yard trees. O'Rourke, Lillian Thurgate, Annie lected. Among others appearing in the Wood, Nina Lyne, Mabel Dixey, Alleen cast are Frederick Watson; Daniel Sullivan, Frederick Backus, O. B. Collins, Daniel L. Moss, James Cripps, Joseph Newton Lindo, Herbert Ayling, Harry Westbrooke and Emily Dodd. Matinee Edmondson, Edward White, Maude C.

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The talk now is that Russia is planning to spend about two hundred millions in building a navy. She needs one.

The big game season in Maine is ended. The net result is about forty-three hundred and fifty deer and moose, while thirty persons have been wounded and fifteen killed, of whom six were "mistaken for deer."

Mrs. C. B. Cody of Portland, Oregon, ticipate in. speaking before the House committee of Congress in favor of the French bill providing for women suffrage, in the election of members of Congress, said: in iron and steel, and takes a little "It does not require brains to vote." That, of course, is not the reason why the women feel qualified to vote.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward doesn't think much of bridge whist. "Bridge has rulned several fine ladies," she says, brought some estates into the market, put up many thousand pounds' worth of jewels for sale at Christie's, separated husbands and wives who had rubbed along fairly well before, and destroyed many friendships."

ping intends to build a new port at and more degrees of heat are develop-Sukhum, in Transcaucasia, on the Black Sea, and at Temruk, on the jum; phosphorus and sulphur are exsouthern coast of the sea of Azov. The tracted from the ores. Furthermore, port of Revel, on the Baltic, whence the electric current can be easily regu- Chronicle. the fleet for the East sailed some time ago, will also be considerably enlarged. be economically generated wherever It is said that over 10,000,000 rubles will water power exists. By the electric he's be spent on the new Revel harbor.

canters in a London shop. As the pur- blast furnace. It has been estimated chase represented more money than he that the cost of electricity from the had on his person at the time, he gave | Chats rapids on the Ottawa river would that I have ordered?" his address at the hotel and instructed be only \$4.50 per horse power per anassistant made a note of the request, mines, and there are many other situfind the goods left at the hotel without demand for payment. When the parcel was unpacked, however, it developed that each decanter had been beautifully engraved in twining letters "C. O. D."

A French scientist has made many interesting observations of the behavior of wild animals aboard ship. Those that one might naturally think would not object to a sea voyage are the most restless. The polar bear, he says, is the only one that takes to the sea, and is quite jolly when aboard ship. All others violently resent a trip on water, and vociferously give vent to He whines pitifully, his eyes water con- Massachusetts senate; the vice-presi- kill a tog. his terrible paws. Horses are very bad H. P. Walcott, of the State board of that kind. If you want the dog killed age. Oxen are heroic in their attempts sewerage board; Mayor Peterson, of the judge, not to give away to seasickness. Ele- Salem: General S. C. Lawrence, of are amenable to medical treatment. A his endeavor to exterminate the moths ter containing three and a half pints diesex Fells, has expended three times of whiskey and seven ounces of qui- its value; Mayor Chandler, of Somer-

turned recently from the Philippines, is | On the executive committee are Mayor in New York. Mr. Swift is president of Buttrick, of Melrose; Cyrus E. Dallin, the Manila Electric Railroad and Light company, composed chiefly of American lington Heights Tree Protective Assocapitalists. "Our line, representing for- clation; James H. Bowditch, the tree ty miles of single track," said Mr. Swift, warden of Brookline; General Francis "will be completed by March I, which H. Appleton, of Worcester, both memwill be two years from the time the bers of the State board of agriculture; franchise was granted. The enterprise Allen Chamberlain, the tree warden of on Christmas Eve you'll find a represents an outlay for construction and equipment of \$4,000,000. The sys- erett. tem lies within the city of Manila, excepting about four miles, which spans the distance to Malabon, a convenient suburb. It is the universal custom to ride-few people walk, and the charges of the caramata drivers are exorbitant. Though I was accompanied by my wife. my caramata bill during six weeks in Manila was 50 per cent, more than my hotel bill. The great need of the Philippines is better transportation facilities. The country is rich in natural resources, and only the surface of its possibilities has been scratched, but the people in the various towns are isolated through lack of modern means of travel and business intercourse. Caribou carts are the only means of conveyance for of a personal record to be proud of."freight on land, and the water courses | Chicago Tribune,

are useful only to a limited degree, for they are either short of the proper stage or at a flood, and besides are only available to those who live along their banks,"

GOOD POLICE WORK.

Awhile ago some of the high-minded and high-placed men of Yale were disposed to criticise the police for what they called inefficiency. Lately two of the highest-minded and highest-placed men of Yale have incidentally shown the police how to catch crooks by catching them themselves. President Hadley's capture of "Charles B. Porter" was an efficient performance, and it has turned out to be important. Yesterday enough evidence was given against Porter to get him sent to jail for 180 days, and to show that he was a man of experience and achievement in dark ways. He has learned something at email advertisements, One Cent a Word Yale, as everybody who goes there ought to, and it will probably be a long day before he tackles a college presi-

Of course there is no jealousy of President Hadley among the police. He was not unpleasant to them in the late unpleasantness, and they do not deny that he did well in the Porter case, nor do they feel that they could have done any better than he did. They will be ready to heartfly co-operate with him in any other police work that he may undertake, and none of them will try to get "mentioned" when the mention belongs to him. They recognize that he is a good man in such an emergency as her, they are sometimes called on to par-

CANADA COMING. The United States does something modest pride in the size and value of that something. And now it appears that Canada isn't feeling small over what she is going to do in that line. For instance, the application of electricity to the smelting of ores promises important results for Canada. So far as magnetic iron ores is concerned, there is little doubt of the superiority of the electric over the blast furnace. The blast furnace does not yield sufficlent heat-probably not more than 2,000 degrees for the treatment of refrac-The Russian board of merchant ship- tory ores. By means of electricity 3,000 ed. By means of electricity, also, titanlated and kept under control, and can process steel can be produced for \$12 a ton and perhaps less, and at this A rich American ordered a set of de- rate it can undersell steel from the

ations equally favorable for the electric reduction of ores in different provinces in Canada.

Congratulations to Canada. She will help us feed the world, and also help thirds of an orange, which piece would us supply it with other things it needs. you take?" "Please, sir, the half!"

A NEW ASSOCIATION,

Massachusetts is going after the depression of the Gypsy and Brown-Tail Moth. It is an outcome of the recent conferences of municipal and other public authorities with various people sociation is largely official in character. their feeling until seasickness brings Its president is the Hon. George R. silence. The tiger suffers most of all. Jones, of Melrose, late president of the tinually, and he rubs his stomach with dents are Mayor Collins, of Boston; Dr. sallors and often perish on a sea voy- health and the metropolitan water and phants do not like the sea, but they Medford, who in the past few years, in good remedy is a bucketful of hot wa- on a certain tract of land near the Midville, and Mayor Weed, of Newton. The State forester, Alfred Akerman, of Charles M. Swift, of Detroit, who re- Cambridge, is the secretary-treasurer. of Arlington, the president of the Ar-Winchester, and Mayor Newton, of Ev-

The failure to secure any legislative action at the last session of the General Court was chiefly due to the fact that those interested did not agree upon what was wanted. Some wanted one bill, some another. Practically all the interests are now, however, represened by the new association, and it is believed something will be done. Perhaps if the news of the powerful association gets around among the moths they will discreetly retire from Massachusetts, but we hope they will not come into Connecticut.

"They say old Col. Hankthunder is as "He is-and with about the same kind

ANOTHER RUSSIAN TROUBLE. Russia is having all kinds of trouble A letter from Sevastopol to a London newspaper says that the recent disturbance at that Russian stronghold was nothing less than open mutiny on the part of practically the whole of the sailors, marines, and firemen on the vessels of the Black Sea fleet, from battleship to torpedo boat. Nearly 8,000 men participated in the demonstrations. The immediate cause of the disturbance was the refusal of a Beutenant and subsequently of the commander of the battleship Georgi Pobledonostzeff to allow a batch of the men in that vessel to go ashore. The men, in spite of a final signalled order from Admiral Chukhnin, the commander-in-chief, to put down the attempted Insubordination with a heavy hand, took to the vessel's boats and put off for the shore. calling upon their comrades on the Georgi Pobledonostzeff and the rest of the vessels of the fleet to follow their example, which they did with alacrity. In order to check the march of the mutineers, the assistance of the garrison troops of Sevastopol was invoked by the naval authorities. The garrison troops at first openly refused to turn out into the streets to shoot down their comrades and continued to manifest their sympathy, in spite of the threats of their officers that their disabedience would certainly be severely punished, Firearms were eventually used by some of the mutineers.

Poor old Russia. Few seem to love

Christmas Almost Present.

Tommy wants a pair of skates,
Tommy wants em now.
Mamma wants a Turkish rug,
Papa wants a cow.
Lolly wants a watch and chain,
Johnny draums of drums—
Wait and see what each'll get
When Merry Christmas comes.

Tommy'll get a handkerchief,

Fossibly a book.

Mamma'll get a catendar,

To tell her what to cook.

Papa'll get a box of fudge,

Dolly'll get a pin,

And Johnny'll get a painted box

To keep his collars in.

So it happens every year—
Always has, as yet—
Awful lot of things we want,
Mighty few we get.
Always happens, always will,
Don't know who's to blame,
Wish you all a very Merry
Christmas, just the same.
—Somerville Journal.

CLAIME.

In South America.—Senorita Sniffkins She's a daughter of the revolution, Senerita Smith-Which one? June, August, September or July?-Houston

Tess-I don't see why you shouldn't marry him. He's not bad looking, and got such a contented disposition. Jess-A contented disparition won't do. A contented man won't hustle and bring you in diamonds and things .-Philadelphia Press.

forever before I get the half chicken

"Oh, no, sir! I'm only waiting till the assistant to mark them C. O. D. The num. Near by are the Bristol iron half. Of course, I can't kill half a

The bishop of Kensington, at a prize distribution recently, told of a case in which a boy got the better of the examasked the examiner. "Suppose," "I offered you half an orange and two shouted the lad, "Stupid boy!" exclaimed the examiner, "I shall put a black mark against you for that." Subsequently a deputation of scholars waited structive moths again. There is now a on the examiner to convince him that Massachusetts Association for the Sup- he was wrong. ""Why am I wrong?" he inquired. "Because Tommy does not like oranges at all" was the conclusive

answer .- St. James Gazette. Judge Richard W. Clifford, of Chica go, is proverbial for his humorous storinterested in the subject. The new as- ies, and one of his latest is told of a into the circuit court one morning before court was called and said-

> "Well, my man, you don't come to you should go to a police court," said

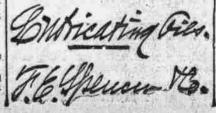
"I vant to git varrant for a man to

### The Last Word

ANY of the things we sell at Christmas time are staple the year round with us and we are therefore not afraid to carry a much larger stock than we should if we intended to close it out before Christmas. That DOLLAR means we have now on hand an immense stock of Cutlery, Skates, Sleds, Tools, Kitchen Goods and Novelties and that even at 10 o'clock good assortment of them,

We lost on the ill-fated Glen Island some machine bolts and a hitching post. With those exceptions our stock of Holiday Goods is all here.

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The German started to leave when the ndge inquired in an interested manner; "Did the dog blte you?"

Yeas, he blt me. "Well! was the dog mad?"

"Vas de tog madt? No, I vas madt." -Buffalo Commercial.

"Painless Dentistry."-"Will-will it when he said that the tooth must come

"Well, it will jar you a little, of course," he replied with a smile, "I-I never had a tooth pulled before," seeking some avenue of excape,

"But it will be all over in a second or two. Now-

"One moment, doctor. I am not sure can stand the pain. Folks have died in the dentist's chair. Don't you think I would better wait until to-morrow? "Madam," sternly replied the dentist, as he winked at his assistant, "let me hurt much?" she asked the dentist, say that I am giving 300 trading stamps to every woman who has a tooth pulled to-day, and the offer won't be good to-morrow! Therefore-

"Therefore go shead and pull it as quick as you can!" she said, as she she said, as she glanced around as if leaned back and opened her mouth and

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HANDKERCHIEFS.

New stock to-day, fresh from the importers, women's embroidered and lace edge handkerchiefs, men's plain hemstitched and initial handkerchiefs.

Men's large Silk Mufflers in white, black and grey, new effects.

MEN'S SUSPENDERS

In handsome boxes, especially put up for gifts, handsome webs and mountings, 50c to \$2.25 each.

APRONS.

The Afternoon Aprons are very attractive, and selling fast.

REAL DOWN QUILTS

Hundreds of these bright sateen and silk covered, real Down Comfortables, being sold for gifts, \$5.00 and upward.

OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT-GOWNS

Women's flannelette Nightgowns in plain white and pink and blue stripes, new assortment to-day, 50c and upward.

FLANNEL AND CHALLIE WAISTINGS

French and Scotch flannel Waistings, and French Challies, bought in lengths for waist, make very attractive presents, and very useful.

MISSES' FUR SETS

Very handsome sets of Squirrel, Real Beaver, Civet and other fashionable furs for misses.

CHILDREN'S FURS

Sets in Angora, Thibet, etc. WOMEN'S FURS

Persian Lamb and Nearseal Coats and a big assortment of Scarfs, Stoles, Ascots and Muffs, both round and pillow shape.

SILK PETTICOATS

See window display and note the price reductions on every Silk Petticoat in stock that sold at \$10 and over. A big concession on every one of them.

### There is a Sale of Silks and Dress Goods

going on here, that is of the greatest importance to Christmas shoppers, and Wednesday morning papers. Sale ends Thursday at closing hour.

### Specials in Wash Goods

St. Regis FLEECE FLANNELS; regular price 121/20,

At 9 cents a yard New spring MADRAS GINGHAMS regular price 25c,

At 15 cents a yard Pearl OUTING FLANNELS; regular At 6 cents a yard price 8c,

JACQUARD WAISTINGS; regular At 10 cents a yard price 15c,

Umbrellas that appeal to

the people of taste and are

made to last and do the duty

they were intended for. Cannot

say that of all Umbrellas we see.

More Specials for Thursday Plain and fancy TAFFETA RIBBONS,

At 19 cents a yard Women's Lambskin GLOVES, in all

colors; worth 89c, At 69 cents a pair

Hemstitched CHIFFON VEILING: At 39 cents a yard

### Hosiery Bargains for Thursday

Men's heavy mixed HOSE; worth 15c, At 10 cents a pair

Men's black cotton HOSE; worth-13c, At 9 cents a pair

Women's fleeced lined HOSIERY; At 9 cents a pair

Children's ribbed school HOSE; worth At 9 cents a pair

### White Skirts.

all silk; worth 25c,

What woman would not enjoy one of our \$2,00 white muslin and cambric SKIRTS with wide lace and embroidery trimmings. A great special

At \$1.19 each.

### Flannelette Night Gowns.

200 ready for Thursday shoppers; worth

At 42c each.



### Suggestions for Late Buvers

Scotch Flannel Skirts at \$1.75 to \$2.50. Outing Flannel Gowns at 50c to \$2.25. Outing Flannel Skirts at 25c to \$1.25. Sachet Bows for corsets at 75c to \$1.25, Tea Aprons at 25c to \$2.25 each. Nurse Aprons at 25c to \$1.75 each. Waitress Aprons at 25c to \$1.50 each. Maids' Aprons at 25c to \$1.50. Chafing Dish Aprons at 50c to \$1.50.

Pocketbooks at 25c to \$5.25 each.

Hand Bags at 50c to \$11.25 each. Toilet Sets at \$4.25 to \$6.25 each, Opera Bags at \$1.25 to \$2.08 each. Belts at 25c to \$2.08 each. Baskets at 25c to \$1.88 each, Picture Frames at 25c to \$2.98 each. Perfume at 25c to \$1.50 each. Papeterie at 10c to \$2.25 each. Mirrors at 75c to \$4.50 each. Work Boxes at 25c to \$1.25 each.

Bon Bon Dishes at 98c to \$1.19 each. Fancy Soaps at \$1.50 a box. Jewelled Back Combs at 25c to 50c each. Lace Collars at 75c to \$10.50. Lace Berthas at \$2.52 to \$10.50. Assorted box of Ruchings at 50c each, Pompadour Ruches at \$1.48 to \$10.00.

Silk Umbrellas at \$3.25 to \$6.75.

Challie Umbrellas at \$1.00 to \$3.00. Collar and Cuff Sets at 25c to \$1.88. Percale Dress Patterns at \$1.25.

# Suchard's

So-called are often sold at high prices early in the season and as the day approaches and the goods become shop worn, prices drop and the stock Eating Chocolates is cleared out at a song. Our goods are staple, and the assortment is kept up through the year which enables us to open a great variety at uniform reasonable prices. For the above reason and the fact that in our stock of

OPTICAL, FINE LEATHER AND TOILET SUNDRIES. may always be found something useful and acceptable to overybody. Our store has special attractions for those who leave the selection of gifts to

Christmas Goods.

E. L. WASHBURN & CO.

### 14 Church St. and 61-63 Center St.

# For Christmas.

half shell a specialty: also for stewing, scolloping, frying, and roasting. Specially nice Fish for this week will be Spanish Mackerel, Salmon, Hallbut, Live Frost Fish, Cod, Haddock, Striped Bass. LOBSTERS, AND PRAWNS. COD LIVER OIL.

PEOPLE'S FISH MARKET, W. H. WILSON & SON.

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24 Congress Avenue.

The Suchard Chocolates are in a class by themselves; a little ahead of all competitors. Chese Goods have received 32 Gold Medals. We are now able to offer these chocolates at the price of the every day sort.

> EXTRA LARGE CAKES, LARGE CAKES, MEDIUM CAKES. SMALL CAKES. LARGE CROQUETTES, .30 SMALL CROQUETTES, [were .28] .16

Johnson & Brother, 411-413 State St., oor. Court.

SUBWAY AIR HEALTHFUL AFTER ALL. It can saftely be assumed that the Among the possible causes of altered bacterial quality of the air in the Sub-

modified by comparative quiet. The throng at the stations, and distributed by the trains, are distributed under distinctly hostile to their pernicious activities. Fears concerning the chemic qualities of the air are no better justifled by theoretic considerations. Several observers are said to have found low oxygen contents, but Proffessor Chandler, examining 53 samples of air at the stations, found the average oxygen content to be about 20.55 per sent. It is dioxid or carbon monoxid, will be found anywhere in the tunnels. The neverfailing tide of poisonous gas which underlies all cities, may have access at some points to the New York Subway. Dwellings are liable to considerable health probably suffers great/damage from leakage into houses than is likely to sesult from Subway travel. A cheap and satisfactory means of testing the air will be to expose small ani- Medicine. mals. These, in general, are more susceptible to gaseous poisons. On this account, perhaps, the soulful antis may prefer to have tunnel labors exposed. chemic composition, the influence, of way is at present better than that of | human travel may be considered of

increase traffic within capacity of the roads will give the air of the tunnels anything like as high a degree of bac-terial pollution. The air of the Subway is the air of the streets, favorably bacteria, entering with the human conditions less faborable, if not indeed, unlikely that any serious deficiency of oxygen or poisonous amounts of carbon danger from this source, and public

the streets, and it is not probable that

minor importance. Even the contingency of a tie-up for an hour or two, will involve no sevious danger of crowd poisoning, and no prospect whatever of the ghastly horror which some have forboded. In short, it seems probable that these subterranean thoroughfares will improve the hygienic conditions of rapid transit in New York.-American

rooms, \$25.00 per month.

57 Church Street.

Lots to suit.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth, be sure and use that old and well tried remedy. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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WEST CHAPEL ST. \$5400 A house of nine re EDGEWOOD AVE. \$4000

HARRIET STREET \$2500

NEAR R.R. SHOPS \$1400

TWO unfurnished attle rooms, nicely finished. Large closets, 14 per month. Santy, this office. 46-

### FOR RENT

ROOMS IN THE YALE NATIONAL

AT BANK.

Perrier Jouet, Sp. Reserve, 2,70 31,00 BUILDING LOTS. DERBY AVENUE, WINCHESTER AVE. WASHINGTON AVE., Paul Masson, Extra Dry. . . 1.50 16.00 L. N. Renault & Co., Brut, 1.50 16.00 Gold Seal, Special Dry . . . 1.15 12.50 MORRIS COVE SHORE LOTS.

Buy of the owner. EDWARD M. CLARK,

FOR SALE. HOUSE and large lot on Whalley Ave. or would exchange for a farm.

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FOR SALE THE valuable property, 111 Broadway. J. C. PUNDERFORD.

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A handsome residence containing 12 rooms. Every thing modern and in first class repair. A good location for a professional man or for renting Room 402, Sudson, 202 Chapel St.

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For Rent January 1st. No. 791 Chap-

CHAS. H. WEBB,

### THEO, KEILER, TO LET. English Hall

Corner State and Court Streets.

Suitable for a Society.

KIRBY—Catherine, widow of Timothy Kirby, 27 Wallace street, died after a few days' illness of pneumonia. Funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church Friday morning at 3 o'clock, from a high mass. Interment in St. Lawrence cemetery.

It SEWELL—Josephine Sewell, 100 Olive BENJ. R. ENGLISH, 830 Chapel Street.

## FOR SALE.

The following improved real estate, which are bargains, and must be sold to settle up an estate:
two-family house on Rosette street.
A two-family house in West Haven.
Building lots in the city. Rises 7:15 | Moon Rises | H'h Water Sets 4:26 | 4:49 | 10:24 a. m.

> Money to Loan in Sums to Suit. L. G. HOADLEY.

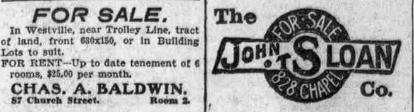
87 Orange Street.

# 500 CHRISTMAS TREES FRESH CUT will keep in the house 3 weeks. All of the trees are native sprince and are very fine. Prices very low according to size. Also wreaths, 10c spiece. All kinds of fresh and dried fruit, etc. At Oneto's, 1 Congress Avenue, corner George Street. d15-7t FOR RENT FOR \$13,000, a large brick building, containing two stores, four apartments; rents for \$1,500 per year. Business property, centrally located, on Court street, between Orange and State streets. Address d17.7tp P. O. BOX 1518.

One family house

Quinnipiac Avenue. Steam

heat, water and gas.



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FOR SALB-1,000 set patent Stove Brick. Every set warranted one year. Orders received 763 STATE STREET. Saw Shop.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING THE ANNUAL MEETING
Of the stockholders of The Second National Bank of New Haven, for the election of Directors and transaction of other lawful business, will be held at its Banking House, No. 137 Church Street, in the City of New Haven, on Tuesday, January 16th, 1905, between the hours of II a m and 12 noon,
CHAS. A, SHELDON,
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NATIONAL NEW HAVEN BANK.
Established 1792.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the election of didectors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting, will be held at their Banking House, on Tuesday, the 19th day of January, 1905. Polls open from 11 a. m. to 12 noon.

FRANK D. TROWBRIDGE.
d10-1m. Cashler.

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ANNOUNCEMENT. M. I. Wagner, Ladies' Tailor and Importer, formerly with the Edw. Malley Co., for sight years, will remove the first of January, 1903, to the Bowditch Buildsing, 162 Orange Street, upstairs.

### JUDSON'S.

custble and acceptable gifts. A canary in a cage would please lady friend. Beautiful startur blyde and new cages are shown in our second

Gold Fish, Globes and Aquaria.

Hofly, Mistletoe, and Wrenths. Fruits, every obtainable variety. The Mirror Store.

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### WEKNOW Chamberlain Metal Weather Strip

Does keep out the snow and storm. Does equalize temperature of house. Does stop all rattling of windows. Does deaden outside noises. Does away with need of double win-

Does cut down fuel bill. GILMOND & JOHNSTON.

150 Orange Street, New Haven, Conn.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

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A competitive examination will be held on Thursday, December 22 at 5 p. m., to ascertain the fitness of candidates for substitutes in the fire department. All applicants before taking the examination must possess the following requirements:

Must speak the English language understandingly.

Must be a legal voter.

Must have been a resident of the city five years immediately preceding the time of filing application.

Must not be less than 21 nor more than 35 years of age.

Must be at least 5 ft. 7 in. In height, without shoes.

Must be at least 138 lbs. in weight.

Application blanks and further information will be furnished daily at Room 10, City Hall, between 12 and 1 o'clock.

Applications must be filed on or before Wednesday. December 21 1904

Applications must be filed on or be-fore Wednesday, December 21, 1994. LUZERNE LUDINGTON, President Civil Service Board.

### WEST HAVEN POULTRY SHOW

SPLENDID EXHIBITION AT THE TOWN HALL.

All Kinds of Poultry, Pigeons and Cats -Pet Raccoon a Most Interesting Exhibit-List of Those Awarded Prizes Yesterday - Several Out-of-Town

The West Haven Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock association opened its third annual exhibition at the town hall in West Haven yesterday afternoon, and during he afternoon and evening there was a good attendance. The show is an exceedingly good one this year and the affair will undoubtedly be a great success. It would be a difficult matter to give an adequate description of the various feathered tribes, but suffice it to say that about every kind of poultry and pigeons is shown that can be seen in New England. There are also a number of very handsome pet cats.

One of the most amusing and pleasing features of the exhibition is a pet raccoon exhibited by its little mistress, Katie Leschke, of 122 Clark street, West Haven. The raccoon is one of the largest of its kind ever seen here and is as playful and harmless as a kitten. It was the center of attraction to all visitors yesterday as it sat in its little cage playing with a little toy horse. A most amusing thing is that whatever is given the animal to eat it always takes it in its paws and washes it in its drinking water before it eats it. little owner captured it shortly after it was born while visiting near Torrington, this state, and since that time it has been a great pet. Its two compan-ions at home, of which it is very fond, are two little Maltese kittens.

The committee in charge of the exhibition is a most efficient one, and it is doing all that is possible to make the show a success. The show will be continued to-day and to-morrow. The following prizes were awarded yesterdayı

Barred Plymouth Rock. Albert Storer—1, 2, 3 cock, 1, 2, 3 hen, 2, 3 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet, 1 pen. J. B. Smith—1 cockerel, 4 pullet, 2

J. J. Condon-3 pullet. C. W. Bunnell-4 cockerel. William Hogan-4 hen-Mrs. J. H. Hermance-4 pen, C. P. Jordan-3 pen. Buff Plymouth Rocks.

J. S. Zinck-1 cock, 2, 3 hen, 2 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet. George G. Whitmore-1 hen, 1 cockerel, 3 pullet.

H. W. Farnsworth-2 cock. F. W. Wright-2 pen. A. M. McArthur-3 cockerel, 1 pen. E. W. Crocker-4 cockerel, 4 pullet. White Plymouth Rock. Coretavis Poultry Yards-4 cock, 1

hen, 2 cockerel, 1 pullet, 2 pen. W. Crocker-2 cock, 4 cockerel, 2, 3 Fernwood Farm-3 cock, 2 hen, 4 pen. George S. Hinman-3 cockerel, 1 pen.

William Hogan-1 cockerel, 3 hen, 3 Frank H. Smith-4 hen, 1 cockerel, 4

White Wyandottes. D. C. Adams & Son-1 cock, 1, 3 hen, 2

pullet 3 hen. William H. Gough-2 pen. G. D. Young-1 cockerel. C. J. White-3 cockerel. William Swift-3 pullet. S. L. Talmadge-4 cock. W. W. Gale-2 cock, 2 hen, 4 pen. Arthur Melbourne-3 cock, 4 cockerel,

Pond Lily Poultry Yards-2 cockerel, 4 pullet, 1 pen. Silver Wyandottes. Fernwood Farm-1, 2 cock, 1, 2 hen, 1

John E. Garrish-4 hen-

2 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet, 1, 2 pen. Otto Makowsky-3 pullet. Golden Wyandottes. E. E. Thomas-1 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 2 pullet, 1 pen. Charles A. Kaschub & Son-2 cock-

orel, 1 pullet. C. F. Smith-2 pen. Buff Wyandottes. H. W. Farnsworth-1 cock, 1, 2 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet. Fernwood Farm-2 cock, 1 hen.

C. D. Hatch-1 pen. Partridge Wyandottes, Fernwood Farm—1, 3 cock, 1, 3 hen, 1, 2 cockerel, 2 pullet, 1 pen.

E. J. Crawford-2 cock, 2 hen, 3 cockerel, 1 pullet, 2 pen. Frederick T. Dellert-4 cock-Silver-Pengiled Wyandottes. Fernwood Farm-1, 2 cock, 1, 2 hen, 2,

8 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet. C. T. Andrews-1 cockerel. S. C. Rhode Island Reds. A. R. Kirchner-4 cockerel, 4 pullet. Sunbeam Poultry Yards-2 cock, hen, 3 cockerel, 2 pullet. J. H. Steele-3 hen, 1, 2 pen, E. O. Cornforth-1 cock, 1 hen, 1,

pullet, 1, 2 cockerel. R. C. Rhode Island Reds. George G. Whitmore-1 cock, 1 hen, 1 William S. Lush-1 pen.

H. S. Howard-2 cock, 2 hen, 2 cockerel, 1 pullet, 3, 4 hen. Charles E. Lockory-3 hen, 3 pullet. J. R. Lomas-3 cockerel, 4 pullet, 2

W. W. Gale-4 cockerel. Buff Brahmas. L. B. Fowler-1, 2 cock, 1, 2, 3 hen, cockerel, 1, 2, 3 pullet. Partridge Cochins.

H. S. Smith-1 cockerel, 1, 2, pullet. James Benzil-1 cock. C. W. Bunnell-1 pen. Boston Terrace Poultry Farm-2 cockerel, 2 pen.

Black Langshans. Paul P. Ives-1 cock, 1, 2 hen, 1, cockerel, 1, 2, 3 pullet, 1 pen. O. W. Reynolds-2 cock, 3 hen, 3, cockerel, 4 pullet, 2 pen.

White Langshans. E. E. Thomas-2 cock. S. C. White Leghorns. Edwards & Williams-1, 2, 3 cock, 1, 2 3, 4 hen, 1, 2, 3, 4 cockerel, 1, 2, 3, 4 pul-

C. W. Bunnell-3 pen W. G. Alexander-4 pen. Dark Brahmas. Frederick T. Dellert-1 cock, 1, 2,

hen, I cockerel, 1 pullet. Light Brahmas. R. J. Crane-1 cock.

American Dominiques. M. W. Shaflor-1 cockerel, 1 pullet. Store Open Erery Evening Until Christmas.

# A Whole GAMBI

# Store-ful of Gift Things.

With the Bridge of the State of

### Five Great Big Bargains For Thursday

You'll find them all over in the East Store, near the Muslin Underwear section:-

Children's Knit Drawer Leggins, white and Thursday 19cts

Infant's Short Kimonas, dear little things, and very warm. Thursday for 19cts

Children's, 6 months to 2 year size Flannel-

Clearance Sale Of **Eiderdown Dressing Sacques** 

ette Dresses, pink and blue stripe.

Our entire stock of them, new, just as desirable as these fine warm Dressing Sacques can well be. Any color you want all spread out on a special table in the East Store.

\$1.00 Sacques for 8gcts. \$2.25, \$2.50 Sacques for \$1.50 \$2.25, \$2.50 Sacques for \$1.98 \$2.98, \$3.25 Sacques for \$2.75

### Hand Crocheted Bed Slippers.

Women's and misses', 45c, 69c, 75c Pair Childrens', 45c Pair. Every price here is an Under-Price.

### Some Bargain In China, Bric-a-Brac.

Prices that won't hold after Thursday. And if there isn't anything in this list that ap-

peals to you come anyway for our China and Bric -a-Brac Store is the most fascinating place in this town today. Jammed, packed full of beautiful gift suggestions for all grades of purses;

Glass Punch Bowl on foot and six cups to match: Glass Wine Set, bottle and six glasses, with glass tray. \$1.00 Gilt Clocks, standing 15 inches high, genuine \$2,50 clock. \$1.00 5 In. Cut Glass Nappys, rich deep cutting, \$1.98 value at \$1.25 \$2.50 Silver Bread Tray, for 75 Cents Rogers' \$1.25 Cold Meat Forks, for Rogers' Pie Knives, for 50 Cents Silver Fruit Dish with glass bowl, for \$1.50 40 Piece Dinner Sets for the little one. Big enough for grown-

up tea parties and so pretty. Decorated with pink flowers and all gold stippled:-6 Plates, 6 Cups and Saucers, 6 Individual Butters. 2 Covered Dishes,

The Set complete Thursday for \$4.50

### Beautiful Snowy Christmas Table Linens

Beautiful gift things for so little and where can you find anything more givable than are these Snowy Table Linens?

Center Pieces of Plain, pure Linen, with fancy Drawn Work, 18 inch, for.....-63 ats 9 inch Fancy Drawn Work Doylies, for .-- 25 cts esch 64 inch Bleached and Cream Damask .... - 50 cts yd. Other Pure Irish Linen Damasks at -\$1,38, \$1,50 and \$2 yd.

Napkins, all of Purest Irish Linen ... \$1.50, \$1.85, \$2.19, \$2.50, \$2.98 and upwards the dox. Teneriffe Doylies and Center Pieces in sizes from 6

to 30 inches. Prices beginning at 19 cts. Then to \$5. And Table Damasks by the yard; all Purest of Irish

#### Men's House Coats And Lounging Robes.

We like to have people compare the finish of our House Coats, Smoking Jackets and Bath Robes with those sold in other stores. Ours are finished so much better.

### Dress Suit Cases---Bargains.



Never sold so many before as gifts. We letter them for you Free.

A Gift Suit Case, linen lined and finished with brush and comb, soap box, perfume bottle, nail and tooth brushes and whisk broom.

Grain Leather Travelling Bags, dull gold finish trimmings, best leather lining, a handsome gift,

Seal Brown Walrus Grain Travelling Bag, dull gold trimmings. Beauty at \$5.50

Genuine Alligator Travelling Bags of fine leather lining, best dull gold finish Special price \$5.50

#### Charming Candlesticks, Candleshades

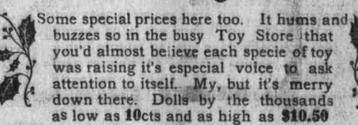
Fancy metal Candlesticks in bronze and and green, or bronze and gold, very ar-Choice of six designs 25cts

Fancy metal new design Candlestick. 50c Fancy Bronze and Gold Candleabra for

3 or 5 candles. \$1.50 and \$1.75

Fancy Candlestick, very graceful with silver lace metal shades, on red, all for \$1.19

# In The Toy Store.



Doll Tea Sets-ah, that's a subject we can't talk quietly about. So many kinds and all so pretty. Especially these at

and \$1.39 up to \$2.25 Dear Little Brittanica Tea Sets too and

25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.10

Tool Chests-another popular thing in the Toy Store. Thurs-

day the 25ct Tool Chests, quite complete, for

The 50c Tool Chests for 39cts Other Tool Chests, 75c to \$3.25 go den oak finish, with tray \$1.25

19cts

large reversible tray. Child's Reed Nursery Chairs,

cabinet style, large tray. Child's Cane Seat High Chairs

and \$6.50.

Child's oak Nursery Chairs with

A late shipment of

fine big Doll Go-Carts

Rubber tire Go-Carts,

reclining back, beauti-

fully upholstered, al-

most large enough for

real babies. Three

styles-\$4.15. \$5.75,

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### Stylish Furs Here For Christmas.

From a stock in which not a single piece of Fur is any but the newest cut, and 2 shape, and style. This fact makes our showing of Popular-Priced Furs absolutely unique. This fact makes it absolutely safe to buy Furs at Gamble-Desmond's whether for yourself or for gifts.

Isabella and Sable Fox Sets, \$25 to \$45 Sable Oppossum Sets. Martin full length Scarfs, with martin tails. \$20 to \$30.

Misses' Sets, French chinchilla and grey krimmer' \$12 to \$15 Children's Squirrel Sets. \$7.98 to \$12

Sable and Isabella Cluster Scarfs. \$6.50 Other Sets for children. 98c to \$5.98

### Carpet Sweepers

Nothing more acceptable for the housewife-we have only the best. Bissell Carpet Sweepers "American Queen" "Parlor Queen" "Ideal" and "Grand Rapids" Prices \$2 to \$3.75

### WALLINGFORD

Miss Jennie Peers and Miss Ethel Thursday evening, December 29, at the Bartholomew returned home yesterday Masonic hall, 87 Church street, New Haafternoon from Smith college for the Christmas vacation.

Court Samuel Simpson has elected the following officers: Chief ranger, David Burns, sub-chief ranger, M. Loughlin; recording secretary, P. E. Fitzgerald; financial secretary, George C. Rundle; treasurer, Charles O. Norton; senior woodward, J. F. Riley; junior woodward, Leonard Hesketh; senior beadle, Dennis Creedon; junior beadle, F. J. Daley; trustee three years. J. H. Becroft; lecturer, D. W. Lanouette; physician, Dr. J. D. McGaughey; druggist, G. A. Smith. The court received eight applications, elected sev-

en and initiated four. The annual meeting of the Simpson Hook and Ladder company was held Tuesday evening and officers were elected for the ensuing year. After the election a repast was served comprising in part a roast pig given by one of the members, G. H. Clayton.

Rev. W. A. Spinney, pastor of the services at the State Masonic home next Sunday afternoon.

Star of the Valley lodge, No. 17, S. of B., Tuesday evening received three applications and elected the following officers: Commander, Mrs. Anna Ohr; vice commander, Mrs. Clara Brow; past commander, Mrs. P. F. Coughlin; aid to commander, Mrs. J. Hall; marshal, Miss Anna Schomberg; scribe, Miss Lydia Schomberg; accountant, Mrs. W. Devlin; treasurer, Mrs. W. Gleadall; chaplain, Mrs. M. Lanouette; inside guard, Mrs. J. Deno; outside guard, Mrs. C. Rossi; organist, Miss Annis J. Calla-

Edward J. Fahey was taken to the St. Francis hospital in Hartford Tuesday for treatment. The members of Gustav Vasa lodge, O. of V., will hold their Christmas fes

tival a week from Saturday.

PAST MASTERS' ANNUAL.

ven at 7:30 o'clock, VOTE OF THE SATE. Figures Given by the Board of Can-

vassers.

Hartford, Dec. 21.-The state board of canvassers met at the capitol to-day to public the following figures after com-

pleting its work: othy Sullivan, S. L., 562.

For lieutenant governor, Rollin S. 1,513; Luther A. Davidson, pop., 596; J.

For state comptroller: Ashabel W. dem., 73,884; Dexter R. Porter, pro., tifled to be present at to-morrow's sea-1,509; Joseph Dobson, pop., 510; Cor- sion. nelius T. Woods, soc., 4,476; Thomas H. Farren, S. L., 633. For state treasurer: James F. Walsh,

rep., 109,588; John M. Ney, dem., 74,528; They Live in Burrows and are Pretty the bulb between his front feet and found I do not know. Outdoor Life. Arthur W. Chaffee, pro., 1,507; James Valette, pop., 524; Bartholomew Farren, soc., 4,443; Frederick Felterman, S. L.,

man, S. L., 572. AGED WOMAN GAINS FREEDOM.

New Haven County Past Masters, A. F. back to her farm on the outskirts of structing his view; so the little fellow, doubt if that plant is found on our and A. M., association will be held next the city to live to-day.

The case was compromised this more ing in the court of common pleas. Her eldest son was appointed a guardian over her, and as long as she acts prop erly she will be allowed her freedom.

STARIN AIDS INSPECTORS. Investigation Postponed Until To-day

to Get More Evidence. canvass the vote for state officers in the Chapman Wrecking company has stop-November election. The board made ped the work of searching the wreck and the ironwork and even the walking states. Woodruff, rep., 108,628; Henry A. Bish- beams have fallen into the hold, and

PRAIRIE SQUIRRELS.

and "Tame." As one is driving along the roads of

western Kansas it is not an infrequent For secretary of state: Theodore Bo- occurrence for a slender little animal hopper, and as the striped prairie squirdenwein, rep., 110,275; James Hunting to scurry across just in front of the rel is particularly fond of both the Y. W. C. A. opens December 28 for ton, dem., 73,807; L. M. Mahon, pop., 610; William E. White, pro., 1,531; Charles McBarnes, soc, 4,486; Emanuel Sher-Bridgeport, Dec. 21.-Old Mrs. Teresa dark, bright eyes are the noticeable feat flowersadd much to the attractiveness Moll, of this city, who is worth be ture. He is a gentle creature, as his of the prairie. The two varieties so tween \$30,000 and \$40,000 and who was countenance shows, and there is some-common here are low growing and ecently brought from the Westport thing almost pathetic in his standing have either pink or pink and white sanitarium on a writ of habeas corpus there so plainly exposed to danger, striped star-shaped flowers. The complaining that her relatives had con- When on "all fours" even a small clod striped prairie squirrel is also fond of The fourteenth annual meeting of the spired against her, was allowed to go would be as a mountain to him in ob- the bulb of the sheep sorrel, but I cake

when his curiosity is aroused, always western plains. stands erect upon his hind feet. I have sometimes looked down from an up-

for my close proximity. The wild onion is abundant on our western prairies, as are also the grassteam, then turn and, standing on his grasshopper and the bulb of the wild registration. hind feet, fearlessly watch you pass. plenty. And the wild onion not only While hurrying along the stripes and serves to satisfy the appetite of the litdots of the little prairie squirrel are the squirrel, but for a month or more in conspicuous, and when he faces you his the spring its numerous clusters of

One morning last October a striped

prairie squirrel became frightened at stairs window and noticed one of the my approach and darted into the nearprairie squirrels very near the house, est hole-a burrow larger than her own and light tapping on the window pane home. I stopped to watch proceedings would cause him to immediately as- In a little while the squirrel came to sume his usual attitude of observation. the mouth of the hole and looked out, Whether or not the squirrel ever but seeing me and no other cause for looked up and saw me I do not know, alarm she again disappeared in the but he was evidently on the alert for burrow. But she seemed uneasy and New York, Dec. 21.—The Merritt- danger. And his home was near-it kept returning every few minutes to was less than two rods from the house. look the field over. And soon the cause The striped prairie squirrel is some of her anxiety was explained. This of the burned steamer Glen Island, and times known by the name of thirteen time when she made her survey she will do nothing more, it is said, until lined squirrel or federation squirrel saw a gray ground squirrel approach For governor, Henry Roberts, 104,376; further instructions have been receive The name was given to it in 1821 be- ing, and although he was smaller than A. Heaton Robertson, 78,464; Oliver G. ed from the Starin company. Diver cause of the six or eight rows of longi-Beard, pro., 1,498; Joseph Sheldon, pop., Blomberg believes that the bodies of tudinal stripes with five or seven rows identify more afraid for him to find her 481; G. A. Sweetland, soc., 1,390; Tim- the dead have been wholly consumed of spots between suggesting the stars in his home than to brave an open run. Only the frame of the vessel remains and stripes of the thirteen, original But the gray squirrel had noticed the trespasser and instantly started in pur-When breaking ground last spring suit. As soon, however, as he noticed op, dem., 75.383; William Bailey, pro., only the smokestack remains standing, the prairie squirrels came very near to my presence he abandoned the chase The investigation adjourned until to me in their search for edible bulbs. In and ran into his burrow. The striped H. Hill, soc., 4,449; J. D. Carbon, S. L., morrow morning. It was found impossi- fact they paid no attention to the prairie squirrel soon disappeared in anble to get the witnesses subpoenced to ploughman, and it seemed that while other burrow, presumably her own. the investigation to-day to the inspect- searching for food the little company And I noticed its location and then First Baptist church will conduct the Mitchell, rep., 110,252; William Belcher, or's office, and all witnesses were no were enjoying all their usual social knew that I had been between her and pleasures. But the most pleasing part her own home, and this was the cause of the scene was to watch a squirrel of her seeking shelter in the burrow of enjoy a meal-he would grab a little the gray ground squirrel. This bulb and, while resting on his hind feet | dent occurred in eastern Kansas. How in a half-erect attitude, cunningly hold far west the gray ground squirred is nibble away, apparently caring nothing

> The educational department of the Young Women's Christian association is to reopen January 3. The office of the

are times when every man must be his case at Brown & Durham's it is highly own bootblack. Then he wants one of probable that she would be willing to those blacking cabinets which Brown & get very near it, even when it was Durham are showing with side bars for loaded-with books. These Gunns "go the polishing rag to be run on.

Traveler's Enide

Vew York

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For New York—\*1:38, \*4:50, x5:50, x6:40, \*8:00, x8:10, \$:28, \*9:25, 10:20 a.m. \*12:02, \*||1:23, \*1:27, \*2:18, 2:40, \*2:53, \*4:00, \*||1:25, \*1:27, \*2:18, 2:40, \*2:53, \*4:00, \*||1:25, \*1:27, \*2:18, 2:40, \*2:53, \*4:00, \*||1:25, \*1:35, \*4:56, \*5:12, 5:25, \*5:02, \*||2:25, \*1:50, \*8:55, \*8:02, \*||3:25, \*1:50, \*8:55, \*8:02, \*||3:25, \*1:50, \*8:55, \*8:02, \*||3:25, \*1:50, \*8:55, \*1:5, \*2:50, \*2:55, \*1:5, \*2:50, \*8:52, \*2:55,

\*2:55, 7:47, 3:50 (to Saybrook), 11:95, ||11:41 a. m., 12:05, \*2:41, \*2:58, 2:10, \*4:20, \*5:03, 5:15, 6:16 (to Saybrook), \*||6:41, \*7:91 p.m. Sundays \*7:91 p.m. \*12:05, \*2:58, \*5:08, \*7:91 p.m.

For Middletown. Willmantic, etc.— 7:35 a.m., 1:00, \*5:05 (to Worcester), 6:02 p.m. Sundays—7:20 p.m.

1.35 2.m., 1:00, "5:05 (to Worcester), 6:02 p.m. Sundays—7:20 p.m.

Por Shelburne Falls, etc.—7:50 a.m. 12:15 (to New Hartford), 4:04, 6:06 (to Wortfield) p.m.

For Waterbury via Cheshire—8:50 a.m., 1:45, 7:00 p.m. Sundays—9:00 a.m., 2:55, 8:05 p.m.

For Derby and Ansonia—7:00, 8:00, 3:35z, 9:40 a.m., 12:10, 2:35, "4:05z, 6:20, 7:40, 11:30 p.m. Sundays—8:30, 11:40, a.m., 3:30, 6:30, 8:30, p.m.

For Waterbury—7:00, 8:06, 9:40 a.m., 12:10, 2:35, 5:20, 7:40, 11:30 p.m. Sundays—8:30, 11:40 a.m., 6:30, 8:30 p.m.

For Winsted—7:30, 8:40 a.m., 12:10 2:35, 5:20, 7:40 p.m. Sundays—8:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.

For Pittafield, and intermediate-points —5:50, (via Bridgeport), 5:35 a.m., 4:05 p.m. Sundays—7:50 via Bridgeport), 5:3

For Danbury, via Derby Junction— 9:35 a.m., 4:05 p.m. Via Bridgeport, 5:50 a.m., 5:35 p.m. Via South Norwalk—4:50, 8:38 a.m., 12:02, 2:40, 5:12, 6:02 p.m. Sundays—7:50 a.m., 6:15 p.m.

For Litchfield—9:35 a.m., 4:05 p.m. Sundays—7:50 (via B'pt) a.m.
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ANNUAL ELECTION Of Wooster Lodge No. 79, A. F. and A. M., Last Night, Wooster lodge No. 79, A. F. and A. M., elected the following officers last even-

Worshipful master-Clarence G. Mi-Senior warden-Chester S. Ewing. Junior warden-Ernest A. Wells-Treasurer-Charles F. Root. Secretary-William H. Spock

Senior deacon-William F. Perry. The anniversary exercises and ban-quet of the lodge will take place on the first Wednesday in January. MR. BISHOP ELECTED. Noble P. Bishop, of this city, was elected one of the directors of the Mia-

nus Manufacturing company, of Mia-

nus, on Tuesday.

A GUNN NOBODY IS AFRAID OF. The late Mrs. Partington used to say GETTING THE START OF THE she was afraid of a gun without lock, stock or barrel. But if the timid old lady could see the Gunn elastic book-Two off," too, just as fast as the people are dollars buys a nice one in weathered shown their real superiority over every-cak.

### PLANS FOR EXPOSITION.

BIG AFFAIR WHICH BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION WILL HOLD.

To Take Place in February-Report The deceased was born in New Hart-Read from Manager Dobbins-\$1,000 Howe & Stetson to Have Central Section-Governor and Staff to be Pres-Fraternal Organismilons.

The New Haven Business Men's association yesterday afternoon listened to a report from Manager William E. Dobbins of the Business Men's exposition, to be held in this city February 11 to 18, 1905. Manager Dobbins gave an exceedingly promising report, and showed that he has the preliminary arrangements well in hand.

Although the work of disposing of floor space only began this week, \$1,000 worth has already been sold and a large amount has been given on options, the contracts for which will be closed this

The well known dry goods firm of Howe and Stetson has the central floor space. They have secured space having a fratage of eighty feet with a diameter of twenty feet. For this exhibit Mr. Howe has ordered a special design and the decorations will be the most elabrate ever seen at anything of the kind. The exhibit by this firm will be the pivot of the entire exjosition.

To the Campbell Cycle and Motor company has been sold the next largest | after an illness of only a few days. Mr. space, having a frontage of seventy and Mrs. Beers had been living for the feel. It is thirty feet long by fourteen past year or two at Algona, Ia., where

large exhibit by the New England his Iowa plant bimself and George Dairy company. This concern will have Thorpe has been handling his Hamden also a line of its finest ice creams and mill. Mrs. Beers has been greatly missthe exposition, and incidentally to of deserts is second to none.

Howe & Co. of York street will have an exhibit very similar, showing toothsome dainties in the ice cream and confectionary line. They have a space of Haven with great success. She was a forty by eight feet in size and are very fine organist and had supplied muplanning a gran display.

The two next largest exhibitors are Lightbourn & Pond of Broadway and S. E. Dibble of Grand avenue. The former concern will show its Syracuse plows and also take from its stock of hardware and paints. Mr. Dibble will exhibit its famous models of the famous Smith and Anthony ranges and furnaces and will have a general plumbing

S. H. Street of Crown street has been allotted space for an exhibt of cereal food products, showing his Perfection Buckwheat, which will be demonstrated and samples will be ready to convince

housewives of its nutritious properties. The New Haven Gas Light and Electric Light companies, the Hammond Typewriter company, Harvey-Lewis Co., opticians and photographic supply dealers, the National Cash Register company, Miner, Rend and Garette, all have options on space and will close their contracts this week for booths desirably located.

While the work of disposing of floor space is going on, the entertainment committee of which Mr. Edward I. At-The entertainment programme will in goods also arrive daily. clude somewonderful aerial acts and many of the most sensational acts in the country are being negotiated for.

The advertising of the affair has been looked after most carefully and pictorial billing has been ordered. One hundred thousand specially designed tickets, exact duplicates of the tickets used at the St. Louis fair, have been ordered.

Governor-Elect Roberts, who will then be governor, together with his 1 p. m. staff, and all thestate, town and county officials are to be invited to be pres ent. Special nights will be arranged for the local social and fraternal organizations.

Perhaps one of the most interesting features of the entire exposition for the children will center about a beautiful Shetland pony, purchased from the Fernwood Stock farm of Melrose, N. Y. This beautiful little creature is to be given to the child getting the most votes during the exposition. January 2, it is to be placed on exhibition in one of the store windows in some centrally located business house.

The little lady, whose name by the way is Neoskaletta, is a daughter of Howard B., winner of the gold medal other prizes. She is the pick of the foal of 1904 and the best of the hedr of the farms from which she comes.

She is beautifully marked and is black and white and valued at \$150. The firm of Hunn & Tuttle of this city has the contract for a catalogue, biography and cook book which will be issued to the extent of 10,000 copies. To the first 500 ladies visiting #1e exposition each afternoon and evening a copy of this book will be given. A special and it will make a most pleasing and desirable souvenit.

The business men of this city are most enthusiastic over the coming They have secured the Second regiment armory at a daily rental of \$50 and promise to make it the biggest affair of the kind ever held, and a large gucess.

YALE TERM CLOSED.

Winter Term of University Will Open

January 11, The final examinations of the fall term at Yale university were held yesterday, and most of the students of all departments left for their homes for the holiday recess. The winter term begins on January 11. During the three weeks vacation the university musical clubs will take a western and southern trip, going as far west as Colorado Springs and south to Nashville and Louisville. The Yale ockey team will make its annual trip to Pittsburg. Four games will be played in Pittsburg, one with the interscholastic team of Pittsburg and three with the University of OBITUARY NOTES,

Jonathan Dans, of Sidney, O., Formerly of New Haven.

John A. Dann, president of Dann Bros. & Co., received a telegram yeserday notifying him of the death of his brother Jonathan Dann of Sidney, O. ford, N. Y., in 1825, and in the sixtles was proprietor of a machine shop in the Worth of Floor Space Disposed of- building near the corner of Wall and State streets, now occupied by the New Haven Rattan company. He moved to Ohio late where he lived until his death. ent-Special Nights for Social and He was a staunch Methodist, a man of sterling character and honesty and respected by all who knew him. He leaves besides a widow two daughters and a son. He was a brother also of Isaac N. Dann of this city and Mrs. Esther Dann-Lewis of Denver, Col. William Dann, another brother, died but a few weeks ago,

> Catherine Kirby of 27 Wallace street died yesterday after a short filness with

JOSEPHINE SEWELL. Josephine Sewell died yesterday at

the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sewell of 100 Olive street, aged one year and six months, of pneumonia.

JOHN A. JOHNSON OF WEST HA-John A. Johnson of 4 Prospect street, West Haven, died suddenly yesterday morning. He leaves a widow.

MRS, IRA W. BEERS. Great sympathy is fel tin Hamden for Ira W. Beers, who has just lost his wife, who died on Friday of pneumonia, wide. Here Mr. Campbell will show his Mr. Beers bought a large milling plant line of automobiles and motorcycles, to- and coal business. Mrs. Beers had not gether with an extended line of bloycles enjoyed very good health for several and sundries. All the 1905 models will years past, and Mr. Beers thought a change of climate would be beneficial to A lunch room will be included in a himself and Mrs. Beers, so he has been soda water to tempt the fair visitors to ed since her removal from Hamden, as she was always planning entertainconvince housekeepers that their line ments and musicales for the church and local organizations, and being one of the finest planist in the town her services were sought for by every one. She had played several concerts in New sic at several large churches.

> DEATHS AND FUNERALS IN MIL-FORD.

> Word was received in Milford Tuesday of the death in Brooklyn Monday evening of Elton Wilcox, the nineyear-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox at St. John's hospital, where he was operated on last Thursday for appendicitis. The remains are to be brought to Milford for burial.

> Tuesday the remains of Samuel Lester Beard, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Beard, who died in 1891, while they were residents of New Britain, were brought to Milford for burial,

> Rev. Nathan T. Merwin officiated at the funeral Tuesday of the late Mrs. Charles Munson, which was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. James F. Bristol. The pallbearers were Luke Platt, George Mallett, George W. Munson and D. L. Nettleton.

### Ruying Gifts at Kirby & Son's.

Throngs are at Kirby's daily buying of the diamonds and other precious stones, watches, silverware, rings, pins,

### ANNUAL MEETING

Of Bankers' Loan and Investment Co. The annual meeting of the Bankers' Loan and Investment company, in which many New Haveners are interested, is called to be held at the office of tre company, 74-76 Wall street, New York city, on Tuesday, January 17, at

INTERSTATE COMMISSION MEETS.

To Hold Meeting in New York With State Shell Fish Commission to Consider Legislation.

The members of the interstate commission held a meeting in the Exchange building yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This commission was appointed by Governor Chamberlain some time ago for the purpose of bringing about a set of laws to protect the ownership of oyster grounds and the lobster fisheries in the sound. This commission is to act in conjunction with the New York State shell fish commission, and it is proposed to draw up a code of laws which can be adopted simultaneously by both state legislatures. When this at the world's fair and taker of many is done the entire shore fronts of the two states will be thoroughly protected, all chances of conflict as to jurisdiction, therefore, being obliterated.

All the members of the commission were present except William A. Lewis, of Bridgeport. The members stated after the meeting that, as the report has not yet been completed and submitted to the governor, there was nothing at present to say about it. It was voted to hold a meeting in New York city next week in conjunction with the cover is being designed in New York | New York state commission. Just not been decided. The commission hopes to complete its work in a short while.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Israel Putnam Lodge Chooses Officials for Next Year.

Israel Putnam lodge No. 31, A. O. U. W., held a meeting last evening and

vear: M. W .- Charles H. Clark. Overseer-John A. Hall. Guide-A. H. Barclay-Inside watch-Thomas Flynn, Outside watch-Frederick G. Lee. Recorder-L. Knollmeyer. Financier-Walter A. Whitaker. Receiver-William P. Neville. Organist-J. H. Kirschner. Representative to the grand lodge-L.

Knolley. Alternate-John W. Seery. Trustees-R. C. Lightbourn ant Dr. W. C. Welch.

The installation of officers will take place in February. There were about fifty present.

SERIOUS FIRES IN STATE.

THE HAY MEMORIAL CHAPEL BURNED.

Nothing Saved-Origin of the Fire is Unknown-Briggs Hotel in Ridgefield Burned.

Simsbury, Dec. 21.—The memorial chapel erected at the Westminster school by Secretary of State John Hay in memory of his son Adelbert Hay, whose death was caused by a fall from a hotel window in New Haven in 1901, was burned at noon to-day, nothing but the brick walls remaining. The chapel was dedicated November

1, 1902, and was a handsome building.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Noth-

ing was saved from the building. The

loss is partially covered by insurance. A big pipe organ was in the chapel. The furnishings as well as the chapel were the gift of Secretary and Mrs. Hay and the cost was estimated at \$10,000. Bishop Chauncey Brewster of the Episcopal church, formerly dedicated the chapel, the date being the birthday of Adelbert Stone Hay, who was a pupil of Westminster school at Debbs Ferry, N. Y., preparing for Yale, where he graduated in 1898. The dedication was

BRIGGS HOTEL BURNED. Ridgefield, Dec. 21.—The Briggs hotel at Peach Lake, a summer resort several miles from here, was burned to the ground early to-day. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Falmer, the proprietor, were the

the occasion of a reunion of the Hay

family.

only occupants. The fire was discovered in the bath oom, having evidently started from an off stove. The blaze spread so rapidly that there was no change to save the building. The property was owned by C. W. Nichols of Philadelphia. The loss is about \$6,500, and is partially covered by insurance.

PLUM STONES FOR PAVEMENT. Other Materials That Have Been Used

to Make Streets. The streets of London are not yet paved with gold, despite popular tradition to the contrary, but one of the busiest southeastern metropolitan suburbs has discovered that plum stones constitute a hightly serviceable and inexpensive substitute for ordinary materlal.

This suburb is the center of the jam and preservers' manufacturing industry. During the season the fruit often deteriorates and the Magistrate thereupon confiscates the consignment. It is no uncommon circumstance for from 50 to 100 tons of fruit to be condemned in

a single day. Instead of being discharged into barges and dumped into the sea, the fruit is distroyed in a much more hygienic manner. It is consigned to the refuse, destructer, and the ashes are collected, and by various processes are compressed in slabs like stone, which they resemble very closely.

\*A well known sugar refinery utilizes the dross from the product for paving. The waste is very thick, viscous liquid What to do with it was a thorny problem for some time.

At last one of the employees conceived the idea of mixing it with the ashes, the latter being applied in sufficient quantities to render the mass solid and stable. The mixture is then cut into small bricks and conpressed.

In the north of England many of the roads are laid with glass slag. This refuse is the waste from factories, and nany years, as no commercial use musical, concert and other attractions. Hable firm rarries in profusion. New was found for it, the slag was left to accumulate in huge mounds, disfiguring the countryside.

A Paris inventor, however, came to the rescue. He devised a process for preparing this refuse and burning it into small blocks. The slag was melted, and by a secret treatment its brittle qually was successfully overcor

Experiments are now being carried out to prove the efficiency of steel for road paving. The steel is two inches thick and is in large plates, which are bolted together.

One town, whose great desire is to reducethe noise of the traffic in streets to the minimum, has paved some of the thoroughfares with a composition of cork and other material. The cork first granulated and then mixed with a preparation which solidifies the powdered cork and converts it into a solid, durable substance.

India rubber is also used for the same irpose, being laid three inches in thickness, but the high cost of the material precludes its extensive adoption. -From Pearson's

THE J. S. WILLIAMS PLAN.

How It Strikes a Virginia Democratic Editor.

Such a course of action would bring

us a good deal more ridicule than sympathy. It would be the return of a whole people to the baby ultimatum, "I won't play." It would be an attempt to ignor the United States government, to boycott Congress and to secede politically while remaining physically part of the Union. . . If we should lose some representatives, fifteen or twenty, we should not be ruined. A number of gentlemen who are in politics would lose their jobs, but the mass what day the meeting will be held has of the people would not suffer seriously, The sensible course for us to take in such conditions would be to give all our energies to bringing in white immigration, developing our natural resources and acquiring the population necessary to restore our representation by the next census. We can see no sense in Mr. Williams's suggestion of "passive resistance." Sometimes it happens in extreme cases, when a very dear or profound principle is involved, that elected the following officers for next individuals and communities are required by loyalty, duty and self-respect to throw considerations of prudence and material interest to the winds; but we can find no such requirements in this case. It is all a question of law. The common sense and material interests of people and politicians alike will rebel against Mr. Williams's suggestion. All the men in the South with congressional aspirations would not be willing to sacrifice seats and salarles for the sake of fifteen or twenty who might be thrown out. The people of the South need many things from Congress, including public buildings, harbor improvements

and improvements of public roads. There is no reason why we should

EVERYBODY WELCOME

# Hull's Christmas Store.

Not many shopping days are left till the 25th, but every one will be a busy day, and must be used to the highest advantage. The crowds of gift seekers every day thronging our floors and every section of this institution attest the warm place that Hull's store occupies in the hearts of the people. Come in and see the Christmasy things and choose while assortments are at their tullest and best. NOW is the time.

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19e, 49e, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.28, \$1.28,

#### Chocolate Pots

50c, 98c, \$1.19, \$1.48, \$1.69, \$1.88, \$2.25, \$2.48, \$2.88, OLIVE DISHES. 25c to 98c.

#### Jewel Boxes

98e \$1.98, to \$3.98. GLOVE BOXES.

TRINKET BOXES.

### Fern Dishes

10r. 25c. 49c, 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98, to \$10.00.

### Smart Hand Bags

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### Pocketbooks for Gents

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#### Work Boxes

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### Cigars

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#### Stationery

IN FANCY BOXES. 25c, 33c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, 81.50, 81.98 to 82.98

#### Perfumes

10e 19c, 25c, 40c, 88c, to \$4.08. SACHET POWDERS.

### Mirrors

25c, 49c, 79c, 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98 to

### Razors

Hull's Guaranteed, \$1.50. The Gem Safety, \$1.25. The Gillette Safety, \$5.00.

### Ingersoll Watches

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98c, \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$4.50, \$4.98, \$8.75 to \$19.00.

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50c, 5Sc, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.25, \$2.98, \$3.48, to \$10.00.

### Leather Toilet Cases

\$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98, \$9.75, \$11.75, 12.75, to \$19.95.

### **Mixed Chocolates**

50c per pound. 80c pound.

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Ash Trays, 25c.

Cigar Cases, 25c, 49c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.48, \$1.08, \$2.98.

# Hull's Corner Drug Stores,

Corner Chapel and State Streets.

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surrender or delay these and refuse to take anything because we are denied all we think we should have-Richmond News-Letter.



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If this question is givng you trouble, why not select one of the many useful things to be Stound in our store? Hose, Neckwear,

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Man in Love With Widow Kills Self, Woman and Sheriff.

Lockport, N. Y., Dec. 21.-Fred Jones a clerk in a store at Newfane, shot and killed Mrs. Abble Goodrich and Constable William C. Gray late this afternoon and then shot himself fatally.

Jones was a sultor for Mrs. Goodrich

who was a widow with several children and well to do. Being older than Jones she objected to his attentions. Jones, it is alleged, had threatened to kill her and burn her property in consequences of which she to-day obtained a warrant for his arrest, which was given to Constable Gray to serve. This afternoon Gray went to the store where Jones was employed. Jones requested permission to send for Mrs. Goodrich in order that he might settle the matter with her. Upon her arrival they had some words resulting in Jones drawing a revolver and shooting her in the head. Constable Gray sprang toward Jones when he also received a bullet in the temple. Jones then placed the revolver at his own temple and fired. All three are dead.

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Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.
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Dec. 22, 23, 24—Matinee Saturday,
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Makes a New Era and Makes a New
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MESSENGER BOY TRIO.
8—OTHER BIG FEATURES—8
Prices—Evenings, 10-20-30 cents, Afternoons, 10-20 cents, Ladies at matinees, 10 cents. Box seats 50 cents.

District of New Haven, ss. Probate
Court. December 20, 1904.
ESTATE of CHRISTOPHER F. ENNIS.
late of New Haven, in said District,
deceased.
The Court of Probate for the District
of New Haven hath limited and appointed six months from the date hereof
for the creditors of said deceased to
bring in their claims against said estate. Those who neglect to exhibit
their claims within said time will be
deberred.
All persons indebted to said estate
are requested to make immediate payment to
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Magnelia Springs, Florids. Ideal olimate, dry; free from mosquitoes. Boating, fishing, shooting, golf, tennis, and
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Store Open Evenings.
until Christmas, for the accommodation of all persons
who do not find it convenient to buy earlier in the day. Glance over this list of suggestions, bearing in mind that the prices quoted do not, in all instances, cover the entire lines carried; then check off on the list such items as you may want and bring this advertisement with you to Malley's—the Christmas Headquarters—for reference. Already the record assortments of Holiday Goods gathered here are honeycombed with price reductions, made to insure a certain clearance during this final week of Christmas shopping.

### For Young Men.

Collar and Cuff Boxes, made of celluloid 75c to \$5.00
Signet Rings, solid gold \$1.25 to \$15.00
Silk Watch Fobs, plated and filled charms, 50c to \$7.50 ea.
Watch Chains, in different links 50c to \$7.50 ea.
Lockets, all kinds 50c to \$13.50 ea.
Silver Plated Handle Shaving Brushes at 50c and \$1.00 ea.
Sterling Silver Back Clothes Brushes \$1.25 to \$4.50 ea.
Blanket Bath Robes \$3.00 to \$10.00 ea.
Worsted Sweaters \$1.50 to \$5.00 ea.
Boxing Gloves from \$1.00 to \$5.50 a set
Whitely Exercisers from 40c to \$4.00 ea.
Striking Bags \$1.00 to \$5.50 ea.
Fancy Vests \$2.00 to \$5.00 ea.
Smoking Jackets \$4.00 to \$10.00 ea.
House Robes\$3.00 to \$10.00
Linen Handkerchiefs 5c to \$1.00 ea.
Brownie Cameras \$1.00 to \$5.00 ea.
Mufflers 50c to \$2.50 ea.

### For Young Women.

Slippers 50c to \$2.00 a p	r.
Kodaks \$5.00 to \$20.00 e	a.
Taffeta Silk Petticoats, changeable shades, \$3.95 to \$15.00 e	а.
Satteen Petticoats, black, nicely trimmed 50c to \$4.50 e	a.
Flannelette Petticoats, warm 25c to \$1.25 e	
26-inch Umbrellas 29c to \$10.00 e	
Fur Scarfs \$3.00 to \$75.00 e	a.
Gold Filled Chains, with solid gold slides, \$2.00 to \$7.50 e	a,
Blouse Sweaters, latest patterns \$1.35 to \$6.50 e	a.
Chatelaine Watches, plain and fancy cases, \$2.75 to \$31.00 e	
Silk Waists \$3.00 to \$25.00 e	
Knit Skirts, made of wool 50c to \$2.00 e	
Corsets 50c to \$4.00 p	
Ribbon Girdles 50c to \$1.	
Fur Muffs \$4.00 to \$75.0	
Fur Sets \$5.00 to \$125.0	
Fur Coats \$25.00 to \$225.0	
Fur-Lined Coats \$25.00 to \$75.00	00

### For Housewives.

Sewing Machines, best makes \$16.50 to \$25.00 ea.
Shoulder Capes, made of Shetland floss \$1.00 to \$3.50 ea.
Fancy Tea Aprons, in a variety of materials, 25c to \$2.50 ea.
Tablecolths and Napkins, with doz. napkins \$1.75 a set
Hemstitched Tablecloths, with doz. napkins, \$4.50 to \$15.00 set
Tapestry Squares, for sofa pillow tops 15c to 75c ea.
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Smyrna Rugs, very pretty
Felt Julietes \$1.00 to \$2.00 a pair
Solid Gold Thimbles, fancy designs \$2.50 ea.
Sewing Sets, all kinds 25c to \$3.50 ea.
Chafing Dishes, various styles and materials, \$3.50 to \$14.00 ea.
Five O'Clock Tea Kettles, all complete \$1.50 to \$6.00 ea.
Table Covers 75c to \$3.50
Lace Bed Sets \$475 to \$12.50
Portieres \$2.25 to \$25.00
Couch Covers 95c to \$7.50

### For Elderly Ladies.

Morris Chairs, beautifully carved \$3.75 to \$36.50 ea
Couches from \$5.95 to \$22.75 es
Knit Skirts, very warm and all wool 50c to \$2.00 es
Silk Scarfs 25c to \$4.50 es
Handkerchiefs 5c to \$10.0
House Slippers of all kind 50c to \$2.00 a pai
Initial Handkerchiefs 5c to \$10.00 er
Stockings 9c to 75c pai
Sewing Sets, all kinds 25c to \$3.50 ea
Rockers \$1.95 to \$19.75 ea
Eyeglasses and Spectacles 25c to \$2.5
Pancy Tea Aprons, in a variety of materials, 25c to \$2.50 ea
Shoulder Capes, made of Shetland floss \$1.00 to \$3.50 es
Muffs \$4.00 to \$75.00 es
Wool Fascinators, in many pretty shades 25c to \$1.35 ea
Pictures 10c to \$15.0
Fur-Lined Gloves \$4 00 a pai
Fleeced-Lined Gloves \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.65 a pi
Fleeced-Lined Gloves \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.65 a pi Slippers

### For Business Men.

Diamond Rings, offered at \$10.00 to \$69.50
Shaving Mugs, silver plated \$1.00 to \$4.00
Fur-Lined Gloves \$4.00
Shaving Mirrors, gold plated frame 50c to \$10.00 ea.
Military Hair Brushes, ebony, silver mounted \$1.69 to \$5.50
Watches \$10.00 to \$35.00
Traveler's Handy Toilet Sets, in leather cases, 50c to \$10.00 ea.
Smoking Sets, wood, brass trimmed \$1.00 to \$6.50 ea.
Suspenders 25c to \$2.50 ea.
Ash Trays, pretty, odd shapes 25c to \$1.75 ea.
Suit Cases, many styles, all good leather 95c to \$19.45 ea.
Trunks, variety of materials \$1.40 to \$39.50 ea.
Umbrellas, 28-inch 50c to \$10.00 ea.
Drinking Flasks, leather cases 50c to \$20.00 ea.
Underwear 39c to \$2.75 each article
Cardigan Jackets \$2.00 to \$4.25 ea.
Half Hose 121/2c to 75c pr.
Sweaters \$1,50 to \$5.00 ea.
Suits, latest styles, good fit \$10.00 to \$25.00
Overcoats, the kind that hang right \$10.00 to \$25.00
Fancy Vests\$2.00 to \$5.00

### For Old Gentlemen.

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9	Cigar Cases, of real leather from 50c to \$5.00 ca.
	House Robes \$3.00 to \$10.00 ea.
i	Fleeced-Lined Gloves \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 a pr.
	Fur Lined Gloves \$4.00 pair
	Handkerchiefs 5c to \$1.00 ea
	Silk Mufflers 50c to \$2.50 ea.
	Watches \$10.00 to \$35.00
	Cuff Buttons, plain Roman, solid gold 25c to \$10.00 pr.
	Morris Chairs, beautifully carved \$3.75 to \$36.50 ea.
	Match Safes, sterling silver 75c to \$5.00 ea.
	Suspenders 25c to \$2.50 a pr.
	Smoking Jackets \$4.00 to \$10.00
	Bath Robes \$3.00 to \$10.00
	Walking Canes 50c to \$4.00
	Night Robes 50c to \$2.25
	Ash Trays 25c to \$1.75
	Watches \$10.00 to \$35.00
	Playing Cards Ioc to 75c a pack
	Slippers 50c to \$2.00 a pair
i.	Umbrellas 50c to \$10.00
	Reading Glasses 25c to \$2.50
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### For Girls, 4 to 10 Yrs.

Writing Desks, roll tops 95c es
Kindergarten Beads 45c to \$1.8
Small Chairs, white enamel and red rockers, 19c to 79c ea
Doll Carriages, of willow and rattan 50c to \$7.00 er
Doll Trunks, made like large ones 25c to \$2.75 ea
Doll's Hats and Caps 10c to 50c es
Toy Flat Irons, like large ones 5c to 12c es
Dressed Dolls, jointed bodies 21c to \$9.00 ea
Rag Dolls, all kinds 25c to 45c er
Dolls' Slippers, of leather, many colors 9c to 25c pai
Handkerchiefs 5c to \$10.00 es
Silver Chain Bracelets of very pretty designs, 50c to \$4.50 ea
Solid Gold Rings, set with a variety of stones, 50c and u
Silver Plated Napkin Rings, plain or chased 59c et
Silver Plated Cups, gold lined, pretty patterns, 29c to \$1.25 ex
Dolls' Dresses, made of many materials 20c to 50c ea
Toy Stoves, made like large ones 21c es
Toy Kitchens, with cooking utensils 50c es
Toy Pianos 18c to \$4.25 es
Children's Dresses\$1.00 to \$10.00
Children's Coats \$3.50 to \$15.0

## For Girls, 10 to 16 Yrs.

	Manicure Sets, sterling silver at 50c to \$7.00 ea.  Perfume Atomizers, made of glass, at 25c to \$2.50 ea.  Toilet Sets, brush, comb and mirror \$1.00 to \$12.50 ea.
1	Jewel Cases, metal frame and trimming at 50c to \$10.00
1	Stocking 9c to 75c a pair
4	Box of Candy, all kinds in fancy boxes 20c to \$3.50
4	Umbrellas
1	Belts, of silk and satin at 50c to \$3.50 ca.
The second second	Garters, put in fancy boxes       from 25c to \$1.75 ea.         Top Collars       5c to 50c ea.         Stock Ties       12½c to \$3.00 ea.         Kid Gloves       \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a pr.         Solid Gold Rings, all kinds       from 50c to \$34.50         Woolen Mittens       25c and 39c a pr.         Woolen Gloves       25c and \$1.00 a pr.         Silk-Lined Gloves       \$1.25 a pr.         Writing Paper       25c to \$5.00 a box         Lunch Box       10c and 25c
1	Napkin Ring

### **Other Presents for Men**

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l	Waste Paper Baskets, plain and fancy shapes, 25c to \$1.50 ea.
ı	Roll and Flat Top Desks \$9.75 to \$58.00 ea.
l	Stationery from 25c to \$5.00 a box
ł	Ink Stands, gold and silver plated, from 25c to \$10.00 ea.
	House Robes
۱	Cigar Cases, of real leather from 25c to \$3.00 ea.
ı	Pin Trays, in large and varied assortment 25c to \$2.00 ea.
l	Leather Change and Bill Folds, seal and morocco, 25c to \$3.50
ı	Smoking Sets, variety of designs and styles, \$1.00 to \$6.50 ea
ł	Match Safes, silver plated, German silver 75c to \$5.00 ea
l	Tobacco Pouches, plain or fancy rubber 25c to \$1.00 ea
ı	Ash Receivers, fancy wood 25c to \$1.75 ea
1	Pipe Racks, odd designs 75c to \$1.75 ea
ı	Blanket Bath Robes \$3.00 to \$10.00 ea
I	28-inch Umbrellas 50c to \$10.00 ea
ı	Medicine Cases, good quality 50c to \$3.50 ea
ı	Waterman Fountain Pens\$2.50 to \$7.00 ea
١	Fur-Lined Gloves \$4.00

### For The Babies.

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į	Shoes, with soft soles 25c to \$1.25 pair
	Infants' Bootees, fancy trimmed 10c to \$1.00 ea.
	Infants' Sacques, hand crocheted 25c to \$3.50 ea.
	Infants' Gowns, made of flannel 50c to \$3.75 ea.
ì	Children's Cloth Coats, 2 to 6 years \$1.50 to \$10.00 ea.
1	Babies' Coats, long and short \$1.50 to \$15.00 ea.
	High Chairs, strongly made, with table \$1.95 to \$6.75
	Baby Toilet Sets 75c to \$3.00 ea.
	Capes, variety of styles
	Stuffed Dogs, Sheep, etc 4c to \$1.50 ea.
	Rattles 5c and 10c ea.
	Roller Chimes 22c to 75c ea.
	Horns 5c to 40c ea.
	Dancing Dolls 25c ea.
	Rag Dolls 25c to 45c
	Baby Caps 25c to \$4.50
	Baby Dresses 25c to \$6.50

### For Boys, 4 to 10 Yrs.

Rubber Boots \$1.35 to \$3.00 a pair
Rocking Horses, with stirrups 65c to \$8.25 ea.
Soldier Uniforms, all complete 25c to \$1.25 ea.
Drums, all kinds
Sailor Blouse Suits \$3.50 to \$7.50
Pocket Knives, gun metal handles 10c to \$1.50 ea.
Black Wool Ribbed Hose 9c to 50c pr
Handkerchiefs
Worsted Sweaters 75c to \$1.50 ea
Carts, made of wood, on two wheels 25c ca
Tool Chests, made of wood 20c to \$2.55 a set
Suspenders 25c to \$2.50 pr
Watches, nickel 79c to \$3.50 ea
Wool Gloves and Mittens 25c and 39c pr
Mechanical Engines, run long distance 50c to \$3.25 ea
Mechanical Boats, move in water 30c to \$2.35 ea

## For Boys, 10 to 16 Yrs.

į	Knives, many styles and varieties 10c to \$1.50 ca.	
9	Boxing Gloves \$1.00 to \$5.50 a set	
9	Worsted Sweaters 75c to \$1.50 ea.	
	Whitely Exercisers 40c to \$4.00 ea.	
8	Overcoats \$2.50 to \$8.00 ea.	
	Reefers, for boys 3 to 10 years old \$1.35 to \$5.00	
Ī	Kid Gloves \$1.00 to \$1.50 pr.	
1	Mufflers, all silk 50c to \$2,50 ea.	
	Neckwear 25c to \$1.50	
	Tool Chests, made of wood 20c to \$2.55 a set	
	Ribbed Hose gc to 50c a pr.	
9	Skates, all kinds 50c to \$5.00 a pr.	
	Lunch Boxes, good size 10c and 25c ea.	
	Toy Writing Desks, roll tops 95c ea.	
	Punching Bags \$1.00 to \$5.50	
	Brownie Camera \$1.00 and \$2.00	
	Hockey Sticks 20c to 75c	
	Handkerchiefs from 2c each up	ı
	Underwear	ı
	Tool Chest	ı
	Pocket Knife 10c to \$1.50	ı
	Watches \$10.00 to \$35.00	۱

### For Working Men.

Working Gloves 50c, 75c, \$1.00
Fleeced-Lined Gloves \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
Smoking Sets, variety of designs and styles, \$1.00 to \$6.50
Clothes Brushes, hard wood backs from 25c to \$3.50 ea.
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Suspenders

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### Miscellaneous.

Pearl Opera Glasses \$3.00 to \$14.50 p	r.
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Women's Coats \$7.50 to \$50.00 e	a.
Linen Waists\$3.00 to \$5.00 e	a.
Children's Dresses \$1.00 to \$10.00 e	
Children's Coats\$3.50 to \$15.00 e	
Sterling Silver Thimbles 19c to 50c e	a.
Brooch Pins 25c to \$69.50 e	
Carriage Bags \$1.00 to \$16.50 e	
Jeweled Belt Buckles \$1.00 to \$10.00 e	
Silk Opera Bags \$1.00 to \$10.00 e	a.
Celluloid Brushes and Mirrors 50c to \$3.50 e	
Fancy Perfumes 25c to \$3.49 a bott	
Women's Rain Coats \$10.00 to \$40.0	
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Pictures 10c to \$15.0	
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Table Spoons, silver plated, for dozen \$1.60 to \$8.00
Fruit Knives, sliver plated \$3.25 to \$8.00 doz.
Nut Pick Sets, nickel and silver plated, \$1.25 to \$2.25 a set
Salt and Pepper Shakers, silver tops 10c to 50c ea.
Sugar Spoons, sterling silver       35c to 95c ea.         Bon Bon Spoons, sterling silver       95c ea.         Bread Trays silver plated       \$1.50 to \$3.50 ea.         Dinner Sets, handsomely decorated       \$7.50 to \$75.00 a set         Roger & Gallett Perfumes, new odors, lasting, 81c to \$1.43 ea.         Napkin Rings, silver plated       59c to \$2.25 ea.         Oil Heaters, well-known makes       \$2.70, \$3.95 and \$5.00 ca.         Cut Glass, in great variety       25c to \$48.00 ea.         China Cups and Saucers, three sizes       10c to \$2.50 ea.

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