

CONGRESS READY TO ADJOURN TODAY

House Work Is Done, While the Senate Hopes to Force a Vote on Currency This Afternoon.

BUILDING BILL THE CLUB

House Is Withholding Its Approval of That Measure Until Senate Accepts the Compromise Currency Bill.

Washington, May 28.—Aside from the currency bill both houses of congress are in good condition for final adjournment tomorrow.

The conferees on the general deficiency bill reached an agreement several days ago, and they will be ready to present their report as soon as the house shall act upon the omnibus building bill.

Anticipating that the building bill would become a law, the conferees committee has incorporated in the deficiency bill the amounts necessary to carry the former into effect.

That adjournment will be reached tomorrow the leaders of the house are confident. The senate leaders are not so confident but they are hopeful.

HILLHOUSE ALUMNI MEET

Hackett Endorsement and Matter of Gymnasium to Come Up.

The annual meeting of the Hillhouse High School Alumni association will be held this evening in Warner hall, and as several matters of great importance will come up there will doubtless be a large attendance.

The meeting tonight will begin at 7:45 o'clock and after the business meeting there will be music by the Girls' Glee club, followed by dancing.

GRAFT RUNNING RAMPANT

New York Presbyterian Pastor Flays Police Department.

Pittsburg, May 28.—Owing to not being provided with traveling expenses and in the absence of instruction as to its duty, the committee appointed to bring about closer relations with the Presbyterian church, reported to the United Presbyterian general assembly to-day that nothing tangible had been accomplished.

LAYMEN'S CONVENTION

Annual Event of Methodists at Epworth Church.

The annual meeting of the district stewards and the laymen's convention of the New Haven district of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held on Wednesday, June 17, in the Epworth Methodist Episcopal church in this city.

AUTO IN SEWER DITCH

Chauffeur's Boy Has Teeth Knocked Out in Accident.

The driving of an automobile into an excavation which had been made for the purpose of laying a sewer at the corner of Kimberly avenue and Grant street last night resulted in the throwing of two women out of the car and a little boy, the latter being slightly injured.

Neither of the women were hurt and the boy was only slightly injured. He had several of his front teeth knocked out and was somewhat bruised.

PASSED BAD MONEY

Italian Arrested for Using Bogus Fifty Cents.

For passing off on two men, A. B. Blakester and George McKenzie, one of the spurious fifty cent pieces which have been sent into this city, Antonio Laureolo of 226 Wallace street, was arrested last night by the Grand avenue police on a charge of passing counterfeit money.

N. H. ROAD OBJECTS

Does Not Like Certain Features of Massachusetts Legislative Measure.

Will not accept them. Also opposed to form of decree as presented by Attorney-General Malone.

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HEARST STILL GAINING

Gains Sixty-eight Votes in Majority Count.

New York, May 28.—When to-day's session of the McClellan-Hearst recount trial was concluded a total of forty-one votes had been added to William R. Hearst's vote in the 1905 majority election.

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METHODISTS DODGE AMUSEMENT VOTE

Strong Sentiment Materializes Against Allowing Matter to Be Discussed in Conference.

REJECT BISHOPS' ADVICE

Apparent Determination of Delegates Is to Let Dancing, Card Playing and Theaters Stand Tabooed.

Baltimore, May 28.—Adverse action to-day by the Methodist Episcopal general conference on an apparently unimportant motion is said to-night to have back of it a determination on the part of a large number of the delegates not to discuss the question of whether or not paragraph 248 of the Book of Discipline, which deals with amusements, shall be changed.

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PAPERS SENT 'ROUND WORLD

Will of Edward S. Hume and Walter Back Here from India and China.

Papers that have traveled about the world during the past few months have returned to the probate court in this city so that the will of the late Edward S. Hume, missionary to India may be admitted here to probate.

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NEWS SUMMARY

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JANITOR IS ACCUSED

Kent Hall Dining Room Loses Table and Silverware.

Accused of attempting to take tableware belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phetteplace, who have charge of the dining room connected with Kent Hall at 333 York street, William Davenport, colored, janitor of Kent hall, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detective Dorman and is held under charges of burglary and attempted theft. The Phetteplaces have been missing various tableware articles for some time past.

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BUSINESS MEN BACK THE ROAD

Citizens Believe Government Oppressive in Bringing Suit Against New Haven Lines.

SERVICE NOW VERY GOOD

Comparison Made With That Which Existed Before the Corporation Took Over the Small Companies.

The local merchants and business men are standing almost solidly by the New Haven road in its present suit by the federal government for violation of the anti-trust act.

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\$300,000,000 MORTGAGE

C. B. & Q. Files Deed for Debts, Purchases and Improvements.

Burlington, Ia., May 28.—The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad company to-day filed a \$300,000,000 mortgage here covering all its property.

RIGHTS FOR SENATOR

Sharp Contests Are Already on in Two Districts in This City.

TEN CANDIDATES SO FAR

Eighth and Tenth in Quarantaries as to Who to Send to Hartford.

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WEATHER RECORD.

Washington, May 28.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday: For New England: Showers Friday and Saturday; fresh east to southeast winds.

For Eastern New York: Showers Friday afternoon; light and on Saturday; fresh east to southeast winds.

Observations at United States weather bureau at New Haven, taken at 5 p. m. yesterday, seventy-fifth meridian time.

Table with columns: Locality, Wind, Dir., Vel., Pre., Weath.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

New Haven, May 28, 1908.

Table with columns: Temperature, Wind direction, Wind velocity, Weather, Minimum temperature, Maximum temperature, Minimum last year, Maximum last year.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Table with columns: Sun Sets, Sun Sets, High Water.

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Friday, May 29, '08.

Crawford-Plummer Co.

Ladies Tub Suits for Decoration Day



Tub Suits

THE COATS are handsome-tailored and perfect fitting. 30 and 36-inch lengths, French and strap seams. They are made by the tailors who work on our finest suits.

A special feature of our coats is the patent shoulder that hold the garment in perfect shape. It is unlike any other skeleton coat made. The ordinary coat—unless the figure is very full—hangs limp and unshapely. It is the only skeleton coat that sets like a tailor-made garment.

THE SKIRTS are made with the side plait or the full flare gored effects, with bias folds on the bottom.

Prices \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50.

Note—There are plenty of garments on the market cheaper in price, but there are none that are tailored better, that fit better or that keep their shape better before and after they are "tubbed."

THE SUITS.

Suits in striped galatea, natural linens and Manchester Ripps, in white, pink, lavender, light blue and oyster gray.



THE DAY.

A day when all will be out and when tub suits, above all, will be in evidence. Our assortment in all the various materials and styles is complete.

Tub Waists.

95c \$1.95 \$2.95

In Lawns, Madras, Linen and Lingerie. We quote these three special prices because they are the waists that nine out of ten ladies select. On this account we have always made an effort to give our patrons the strongest values obtainable at these popular prices. Our assortment was never so good as it is at the present time.

We are showing fine pin-tucked yoke in all-over embroidered waists at 95 cents that are easily worth \$1.50.

The same proportionate values obtain in the waists on our \$1.95 and \$2.95 tables.

If you want something extra fine we have an endless variety—running up to the beautiful handkerchief linen, hand-embroidered, at \$10.00.

798-800-802 CHAPEL STREET.

TUB SKIRTS.

They come in white, natural linen and Copenhagen. The materials are Indian head, linens and ripps. They are side plaited or full flare gored effects.

Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00.

The Momauguin

COSEY BEACH.

Now Open for The Season.

Two Special Days
DECORATION DAY
and **SUNDAY.**

A Special Concert on Both These Days,
Afternoon and Evening.

Trolley service runs direct to the Momauguin, where shore dinners as well as a la carte dinners will be served in the best possible manner.

Geo. T. White, Proprietor.

9x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs

A bale of 50 best quality Seamless Axminster Rugs just received at the new low price. Regular value \$32. No exchanges. This week **\$23.90**

English Perambulators \$19

Our regular \$25.00 Perambulators, in blue, red, green or brown, very special, this week only, at \$19.00.

THE CHAMERLAIN CO.
Crown and Orange Sts. "Corner"

AT LOCAL THEATERS

HYPERION.

Edison's New Leading Lady to be Seen in "Classmates."

Paulina Anthony, the new leading woman for Robert Edison, who will appear at the Hyperion Saturday, matinee and evening, May 30, in "Classmates," was born in Adrian, Michigan, 1887; receiving her preliminary education in the south, and later attending the Philadelphia Girls' school, from which she was graduated in 1902. Her professional debut was made with "The Lady Shore," in which Virginia Harned appeared. She later joined Chase's Theatre Stock company of Baltimore, where she appeared in a number of important parts. She then appeared with Robert Loraine in "Man and Superman," playing a small part and understanding the principal woman's role. Following this engagement Miss Anthony appeared with Raymond Hitchcock in "The Galloper" as leading woman. Last season she appeared as leading woman with Arnold Daly in "The Boys of Company B" at the Lyceum theatre, New York; and in the same capacity in the one-act play with Mr. Daly, "The Flag Station." It was due to the excellence of her work in "The Boys of Company B" that induced Henry B. Harris to engage her for the chief feminine role with Robert Edison in his present play, "Classmates."

"Sweet Kitty" Compared to "Jane." The production of "Jeannine" by the Hyperion Stock company on Monday night marked the 19th play given a "first night" under the direction of Mr. Oscar Eagle, who is rehearsing the play for next week with the company at the present time.

This company was organized for the purpose of giving five or six plays which have never been given in America. There is an enormous amount of hard work for everybody connected with such an undertaking, but on no one's shoulders does the responsibility fall as heavily as on those of the "producer." He must read and become familiar with the play entire—part by part—and must plan the action, business, stage arrangements and often costumes for the entire cast. All these things must be in accord with the lines of the play in the strictest sense of the word. Can you imagine what this all means to one man? Stage carpenters sometimes work for days on one bit of scenery; that is scene for one act alone, and for this also the "producer" is responsible. For the play "Jeannine," which is not only given here for the first time, but it is also the first production in English and had to be rewritten and arranged and is almost a verbatim copy. "Sweet Kitty," which will be given next week, is an English play, which is said to be as rich in comedy as "Jane"—and Mr. Eagle and the company are sure to get every bit of joy out of it that you can possibly hope for, because this Mr. Eagle is as hard a worker as any member of the company and his quick eye detects the necessity of a touch here or there that makes each part fit with the exact perfection that it should. His careful attention to detail, even the most minute, is "Helioscopic," and the adding of a word, a look or bit of action changes a part so greatly that the players themselves are infatuated.

Mr. Eagle has appeared here several times in leading parts, and with prom-

inent people. He was the first American to play Don Jose in the dramatization of "Carmen." He has played 354 parts during his stage life, and is certainly qualified to fill the position of stage director, and he does fill it. With so able a leader in charge of so able and splendid a company there are treats in store for us sure enough during the coming month.

NEW HAVEN.

Dibble's Moving Pictures Continue to Please Many.

Dibble's moving pictures continue to please and amuse at the New Haven theater. The pictures will be shown at the matinee only to-day, the house being required by the G. A. R. for their memorial exercises at night. On Saturday exhibitions will be given matinee and night. Illustrated songs are given in addition to the pictures. The famous lady banjoleists, Collins and Jewell, appear at intervals between the pictures, and do some excellent banjo playing which seems to give satisfaction judging from the hearty applause. The theater is cool and well ventilated so that visitors can sit and enjoy the entertainment.

POLI'S.

Polli Stock Company Makes Its Initial Bow Monday.

At the matinee on Monday next the Polli Stock company will make its bow to the public through the presentation of Belasco and De Mille's great play, "Men and Women." The leading woman, Miss Edna Archer Crawford, has been successfully identified with many of the leading stock companies of the country, and the same may be said of Harry Ingrain, who is to be the leading man. The supporting company is an exceptionally strong one. There will be daily matinees at popular prices, and patrons will find this theatre delightfully comfortable and cool.

Subscription list now open at box office.

HOMESTEAD RINK.

The Homestead Rink season at Savin Rock has opened up in earnest and the shrieks of delight from the rolling, swaying circle already serves as a storm warning to vessels between here and Long Island. The management has spared no effort in the arrangements for a successful season and from present indications the best year rolling ever had in Connecticut is in the making.

Already big crowds are attending the evening sessions with skating from 7 to 10, followed by a half hour's dancing. Some fine sport has already drawn the enthusiasts to the rink nightly. The seating capacity of the rink has been extended by 500 seats and the sides of the monster hall are lined with people each night between the dances which have proved an interesting innovation thus far in the season.

The next big feature day will be Decoration day, when the rink is to be open all day and one of the best crowds of the season will start things rolling. The monster organ with band accompaniment, which has been placed in the rink, will be a decided feature, and taken as a whole the outlook for a fine season at the Homestead rink is most assuring.

Vote for your favorite in the Journal-Courier's young ladies' popularity contest.

CIRCUS ADVANCE CAR.

Advance Agents Blaze Trail for Arrival of B. & B.'s.

Number one advance car of the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth, managed by Harry B. Graham and Frank J. O'Donnell as contracting press agent, spent yesterday in the city blazing the trail for the arrival in three weeks of the big circus.

The car carries a crew of 25 bill-posters, a boss bill-poster and a paste-maker, and some idea of the amount of work they do may be had from the fact that 19 barrels of flour are used every day for paste. A week from today Car No. 2 will arrive for a day's stay, and a week before the date of the show the third car will make its appearance, each with its separate crew of men and country brigades which do the billing in the surrounding country and neighboring towns.

During the day Mr. O'Donnell called at this office to emphasize the fact that the Barnum & Bailey circus is again giving a parade. "But not the old-fashioned parade, or anything like it," says Mr. O'Donnell, "but something altogether new in the biggest surprises ever sprung by a circus. The entire equipment was built in Europe, and 1,500 people from every corner of the earth take part in it. Circus-goers will recall the brilliant street spectacle that this circus used to give, but they are not a marker to this year's street display."

Another big surprise is the mid-air somersault of two automobiles advertised as "Autos that Pass in the Air." When the circus began its season at the Madison Square Garden in New York city this act created more talk than any thriller that has gone before. Speaking of business, Mr. O'Donnell says it is the biggest the show has ever done, all along the line. The New York engagement even surpassed that at the London Hippodrome.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Beers the Signature of *Chas. H. Pletcher*

Gillespie's Specials

AT THE DRUG COUNTER

Quinine Pills, 2-grain bottles of 100.....18c
Seidlitz Powders, regular size box.....19c
Charcoal Tablets.....10c

At the Toilet Goods Counter.

G. D. S. Tooth Powder......25
G. D. S. Tooth Brush......25

BOTH SPECIAL for......25

AT THE CIGAR COUNTER.

F. & D. PERFECTO.....6c each
CLOSING THEM OUT.
This Cigar costs wholesale \$65.00 per 1,000.

AT THE CANDY COUNTER

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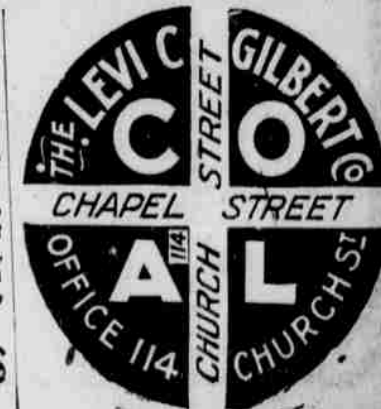
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OBITUARY NOTES

Mrs. Bridget R. Hayes.
The death of Mrs. Bridget Raleigh Hayes, widow of John Hayes, occurred yesterday. She was one of the oldest residents of New Haven and a woman of fine qualities. She leaves four children, Edward and Timothy Hayes, Mrs. S. Cobane and Mrs. A. Lawler, wife of Patrolman E. F. Lawler. She was the grandmother of Dr. J. J. Cobane. The funeral will be held from her late residence, 85 Haven street, that morning at 8:30 o'clock and from St. Francis' church at 9 o'clock, where a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated. Interment will be in St. Lawrence cemetery.

Mrs. John Miller.
The funeral of Mrs. Mary Campbell Miller took place from her home, 21 Pond street, yesterday afternoon. The Rev. D. D. Munro of Calvary Baptist church officiated. Interment was in Westville cemetery.

BIG TOURNAMENT PLANNED

Firemen of State to Assemble at Savin Rock Again This Year.
Plans for another State Firemen's tournament at Savin Rock, similar to that held by the West Haven Fire department two years ago, only on a much larger scale this time, are now under way by the West Haven department, assisted by the new Savin Rock Business Men's association. The tournament of two years ago was one of the biggest days Savin Rock has ever seen as aside from the 5,500 uniformed firemen, bands and drum corps that took part in the parade and races, one of the biggest crowds ever turned out to witness the events. The arrangements for the affair are as yet in the making. Last night a committee from the fire department and the Business Men's association met in the Savin Rock hose company quarters and arranged the preliminary details and these will be completed at a meeting of the Firemen's association at the same place on next Tuesday evening.
That the event will be a success is assured before its start. All the money necessary to defray the expenses has already been pledged and the visitors are therefore assured of an entertainment that will take precedence over all like affairs ever held in this state. At Tuesday night's meeting the entire affair will be turned over to a permanent committee, which will fix the dates and carry the details out to the finish.

CANALS OF VENICE.
Open in Conflagration of Dazzling Brilliance—A Water Wonder-Way.
In a conflagration of dazzling and surpassing brilliancy the marvelous scenic spectacle and gorgeous water wonder-way—the Canals of Venice—opened to the public at Savin Rock last night. The startling magnificence of this—Sam Speck's latest attraction—has eclipsed the most vivid imaginings of the beautiful, and no one was more surprised at the extravagant extent of the beauty displayed than the denizens of Savin Rock themselves.
To go into details of this splendid and exact reproduction of that delightful city of Italy—Venice—is merely a play with adjectives, and none seems too extravagant to use. The "frontpiece"—or that part of the many buildings facing the grove and containing the entrance—presents at night one mass of electric flame, and blazing from near the crest is the simple name "Venice." Through this wall of fire many poured last night to the gondolas, and after the mile ride emerged absolutely spellbound by the impressive exquisiteness of some of the scenes and the almost monstrosity of others. The ride through the labyrinth of canals seems almost ceaseless. It is the longest of its kind in the world and the memory of all the positive gorgeousness witnessed lingers long with one.
Particularly is one spellbound by the splendor of the scenes along the historic Grand canal, where the artist has drawn on his imagination some to depict with his brush the villa where Paul and his adored "Three Weeks" fame basked in the intense sunshine of their own love. Over the balcony hangs the famous tiger skin, while the delighted visitor may recognize other details of the villa. Flowering plants are rampant, and as one glides noiselessly with the deep blue waters he may well feel himself in an earthly "Garden of Eden."
Probably nothing is more startlingly effective than when the gondola shoots through a brief space of inky blackness and suddenly bursts into into a great amphitheater, the walls of which are adorned with reproductions of pictures of noted Italian painters. Over 2,000 high power incandescent lights in Venetian colors give this great chamber a rare atmosphere of sumptuousness, and here one is certainly in Glory-Land. And so it is from beginning to end a succession of startling surprises in the magnificent and marvelous—an example of the creative power, imagination and genius of the artist and the architect.
The Canals of Venice are as different from the Old Mill, which was antiently wiped out, as the Amazon river, in its tropical grandeur, is from the frozen Yukon.
An elaborate ceremony accompanied the opening of the Canals, during which Miss Hattie Inne broke a bottle of wine over the wheel for the christening, and Mrs. S. H. Speck touched the electric button which started the machinery. The Canals cost \$30,000 to construct. They are

TROLLEY LAYOUT APPROVED.
At an executive session of the aldermanic committee on railroads and bridges held in city hall last night the committee put an end to the discussion over the new layout of the trolley company's tracks at the corner of Grand avenue and State street by approving them and deciding to report favorably on the matter to the next meeting of the board. The matter has undergone a great deal of discussion and several propositions for changes have been made. The plans as approved last night will probably be passed by the board at the meeting next Monday night.



Reuben Hiout, of 16 Rose street, wearing the smile that won't come off. He has just sold his daily supply of fifty Journal-Couriers.

BUSINESS MEN BACK THE ROAD

(Continued from First Page.)
The bringing of the suit at this time is believed by all to be especially hard. The financial trouble through which the road along with the other corporations has gone, has been a strain. It is believed, and the government, should have waited until a time of comparative prosperity. The large expenditures of the road in giving the public better service and in improvements to the equipment in every line, should grant the road immunity, for the present at least, was the sentiment expressed by many of those interviewed.

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GARBAGE-CAN CASES UP

W. A. Teddy Will Fight His Cases—News of the Probate Court.

The interesting proposition of a grocery and meat dealer suing a customer who had traded with her and her husband for nearly twenty years and who still continues a running account at the store, was afforded in the common pleas court yesterday morning when Mrs. Nellie J. Henehan, wife of T. J. Henehan, doing business at 422 Congress avenue, being a suit for \$771.97 against Thomas Smollan, an Orange painter. The orders for the goods that were delivered were arranged in a bag, which was filled to bursting, and placed upon the lawyer's table in front of the bench of Judge Isaac Wolfe.

The complainant, Mrs. Henehan, was the first witness to assume the stand. It transpired that Mrs. Henehan had bought out her husband who had failed to make the business pay. The case was still on trial at the adjournment of trial at 3 o'clock.

Garbage Can Cases. Judge A. McClellan Mathewson in the police court yesterday overruled the demurrer of William A. Ledy, a real estate agent, to the charge of failing to provide garbage cans in sixteen different instances, and imposed a fine of \$2 on each, making a total of \$32 with costs. Attorney Reynolds, counsel for Ledy, immediately appealed, declaring his determination to fight the case to the highest court, if necessary.

Leek Sign Company Trouble. Sensational charges of high finance methods in the handling of the affairs of the Leek Sign and Bulletin corporation, which has an authorized capitalization of \$50,000 were made public yesterday when Judge R. H. Tynes sustained a temporary injunction asked for in a writ containing the charges. Suit is brought by President William A. Welch against William J. Valentine, secretary-treasurer, and George C. Leek, manager of the company.

Mason Estate. A hearing was held in the probate court yesterday morning on the application of Julius E. and Robert H. Norton of Guilford for release as bondsmen for Mrs. William L. Gray of the same town, who is the administratrix of the estate of her former husband, George R. Mason, who was a well known passenger conductor on the New Haven road. Mr. Mason died in 1899 leaving property worth \$15,000. Mrs. Grey, then Mrs. Mason, was appointed guardian of four minor children. The application calls for an accounting of her actions in handling the estate. Attorney Beers ap-

pears for the bondsmen and J. Birney Tuttle for Mrs. Gray. The action is a friendly one.

Leavenworth Estate. Judge Reed of the superior court yesterday handed down two decisions in the suits on the estate of Oscar N. Leavenworth. In one suit on the appeal from probate on the acceptance of the account of Mrs. Leavenworth as guardian over her son Frederick O. Leavenworth, Judge Reed orders the acceptance of the account. In another suit brought in the name of John P. Studley on the probate bond against Mrs. Leavenworth and ex-City Clerk Richard F. Lyon, the defendant's demurrer is sustained. Attorney George E. Beers and Judge A. Heaton Robertson were counsel for Mrs. Leavenworth.

Damages for New Haven Boat. News has been received in this city of the decision of the United States circuit court of appeals in Richmond, Va., affirming a decision of Judge Waddill of the United States district court for eastern Virginia in the suit of the owners of the four-masted schooner R. & T. Bargeaves of this city, against the schooner Eagle Wing of Taunton, Mass., and granting to the owners of the New Haven vessel damages for the vessel and her cargo, amounting to \$27,000.

Maltby Estate. The inventory of the estate of the late Oliver E. Maltby, who formerly lived in Philadelphia, Pa. was filed in the probate court yesterday morning. The entire estate in this city consists of real estate, amounting to \$10,142.

The appraisers are John T. Sloan and William B. Ely and the properties given are as follows: 99 Grand avenue, \$1,600; 66 Perkins street, \$500; 19 Saltonstall avenue, \$1,200; lot on Clinton avenue, \$500; lot on Clinton avenue, \$700; lot on Grafton street, \$500; Grand avenue, \$600; Chatham street, \$250; Clinton avenue, \$1,200; Lombard street, \$500; Chatham street, \$150; Grand avenue, \$1,200; 12 Ash water street, \$150; Front street, \$50; Downing street, \$250; Grafton street, \$50; five acres of land in East Haven, \$50.

Scholz Estate. Although Julius Scholz who resided at 257 Campbell avenue, is dead, his saloon at that address is flourishing under the management of his daughter, Mrs. Helene Ives, and her husband, Robert Ives. The latter is officiating as bartender at the rate of \$50 per month. In the probate court yesterday forenoon the other children of Scholz were protesting that Mrs. Ives, who is named as the executrix of the estate under the will of her father, had been mismanaging the estate, and asked for her removal, but after short hearing in which only the testimony of Mrs. Ives was heard, Judge John P. Studley suggested that the contending heirs come together, and that the saloon be sold, the proceeds to be distributed among the contestants. The heirs then went out into the corridor with Attorney Charles W. Everts, who appeared for the children other than Mrs. Ives and talked matters over. It was finally decided to sell the saloon.

Mrs. Ives testified that the saloon came under her control March 24. During two months the income was \$1,000. The profits were \$462, and the expenses \$598. The will of Julius Scholz showed that he left an estate worth between \$20,000 and \$30,000. To his daughter, Mrs. Helene Ives, he gave a house and lot in West Haven, and the rest of the property several buildings and lots, including the site and building on which the saloon stands, to be distributed equally among the other children. Stuff the ballot box for your favorite.

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HIGHWAYMAN IS CAPTURED

Alfred Wolcott Charged With Attempted Hold-Up of Fred Orr. A half hour after the attempted hold-up of Frederick W. Orr and another prominent gentleman of this city at Savin Rock, Wednesday afternoon, a suspicious character who gave the name of Alfred Wolcott was arrested by Railroad Policeman Robert Macdonald and locked up in answer to the charge. Mr. Orr immediately after the occurrence of which was told in the Journal-Courier yesterday morning complained to Policeman Macdonald, describing the man and the other soon had him in custody. In the Orange town court yesterday morning he was held by Judge Wilkinson until Monday next and in default of bonds went to jail. The hold-up as stated yesterday, occurred about 2:30 p. m., at the waiting station near Cox's Surf house. The other gentleman whose identity has not yet been established was being attacked when Mr. Orr came along from Cox's and then the man held both up and demanded money. He drew a knife to enforce his demand and the other man fled, leaving Mr. Orr alone. The latter picked up a stone and started to defend himself at which the highwayman ran. Wolcott claims never to have been arrested before and denies all knowledge of the affair.

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BIG SPEAKERS THERE

Final Afternoon Taken Up With the Reading of Papers on Technical Subjects.

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PROF. KENT ON CHURCH GOING

Speaks of Supreme Importance of Right Training of the Rising Generation.

CHURCH ATTENDANCE LOW

Interesting Address at Annual Meeting of Religious Education Federation Last Night.

The annual meeting of the New Haven branch of the Religious Education Federation was held at the chapel of the United Church last night. President Charles F. Kent presided, and there was a good attendance of teachers and others interested in the work of the Sunday schools. Prof. Kent read his annual report which contained many interesting items regarding the work of the federation. The various committees also made their reports, all of which were considered highly satisfactory. At the business session the election of directors took place and resulted as follows: For a term of three years, Rev. Francis T. Brown, Rev. Theodore Fischer, J. R. North, Dean E. L. Curtis and Thomas D. Jenkins.

Whitmore Pleads Alibi. Alleged Murderer Goes on Stand—Case to Jury To-day. New York, May 28.—With the telling of the defendant's own story on the witness stand late today, the trial of Theodore S. Whitmore of Brooklyn, charged with having murdered his wife and throwing her body into the Lampblack swamp, in Harrison, N. J., came to a close in the court of over and terminer in Jersey City, so far as the taking of testimony is concerned. The prosecution closed its case early in the day and with the giving of Whitmore's testimony the defense finished its presentation of evidence. Tomorrow will come the summing up by both sides and the giving of the case to the jury. Whitmore's main defense has been an alibi, and his appearance on the stand followed the giving of testimony by others in his behalf covering his movements in considerable detail on the night of the murder, locating him at one point at 11:30 o'clock in New York city and at another in the same city shortly after 1 o'clock in the morning, between which hours, it was the contention of the defense, it would have been impossible for him to have traveled to New Jersey and committed the crime with which the state charges him.

Westville. Samuel Holcher of Barnett street, has sold his house to Israel Goldstein of 88 Ward street. Mr. Holcher and family will move to West Haven. Mrs. Kate Praty of Central avenue, is spending a few weeks with relatives in Hartford. The Westville postoffice has these letters advertised: George D. Dudley, Henry McCormack and Ernest Stowe. The Westville postoffice will be open until 12 m. Memorial day and the carriers will make one delivery. The R. F. D. carriers will not make any delivery. The Edgewood team will play the Milford in the West Rock park grounds, Memorial day. The Edgewood baseball team will give a dance Friday evening in Masonic hall. Vote early and often for your favorite.

SOME TROUBLE FOR AUTOS

May Be Run Down by Trains, Fall Off Precipices or Attacked by Brigands.

Paris, May 28.—A special dispatch to the Mtin from Nikolai, dated May 28, says: "The American car in the New York-Paris automobile race continued along the tracks of the Trans-Siberian railroad and had a narrow escape from being run down by an express train and from falling over a precipice, 263 feet in descent, owing to the subsidence of badly laid ballast. Spies of brigand bands that have been captured recently state that the automobiles are in danger of being attacked, as it is believed by the brigands that they are very rich. The German car signalled that it was sixty miles in the lead at noon to-day."

STONE HITS ITALIAN

Something Done as Result of Hill Street Quarrel.

A fourteen year old lad by the name of John William Tompkins of Hill street got himself into trouble yesterday afternoon, apparently through his attempt to revenge himself on a certain ash wagon driver, whose wagon he had been hitching on to. The driver of the ash wagon had objected to his riding and hit him with his whip. Whereupon he picked up a stone and threw it at the ash man. According to the complaint on which he was arrested by Patrolman John J. Roche the stone went wide and struck an Italian who was not a party to the fracas, in the cheek. The boy's mother claims that the ash man returned the throw and that it was his stone which hit the Italian. The lad is under arrest on the charge of throwing stones in the street.

BRANDEGEE'S BILL PASSED

Appropriates \$20,000 for Park Named for Late Senator Platt.

Washington, May 28.—On motion of Senator Brandegee of Connecticut a house bill was passed by the senate to-day appropriating \$20,000 for the Platt National park in Oklahoma, the park being named after the late senator from Connecticut.

LIEUT.-GENERAL LEE DEAD.

Vicksburg, Miss., May 28.—Lieut.-Gen. Stephen D. Lee, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans and one of the last three surviving lieutenant-generals of the Confederacy, died here to-day at the residence of Capt. W. T. Ridby.

ANY WEAK PERSON

Can gain strength on Grape-Nuts FOOD

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FINANCIERS DO LITTLE.

Before the board of finance last night appeared James E. Wheeler of the board of education to present the request of that board that the \$2,000 still needed to pay the increase in teachers' salaries as per the schedule of the board be appropriated by the board of finance. As the mayor was not present, however, he did not present the matter, but it was arranged to leave it over until the meeting next week. A transfer of \$1,822.67 was made from the contingent fund to the fund for advertising to pay the newspaper bills for printing the revision of ordinances, the bills for which were approved last night.

GOING AWAY?

Then you will want your favorite newspaper to follow you. Address changed as often as desired, and no extra charge for mailing. Telephone 3981, or write the Circulation Manager, and the matter will receive prompt attention. THE MORNING JOURNAL-COURIER, 400 State Street.

Woman's Watchword Is Modesty.

Whatever threatens woman's delicate sense of modesty, frightens her. For this reason many a woman permits disease of the delicate womanly organs to become aggravated because she cannot bring herself to submit to the ordeal of unpleasant questionings, offensive examinations, and obnoxious local treatments, which most physicians think necessary. Doubtless thousands of the women who have taken advantage of Dr. Pierce's offer of free consultation by letter have been led to do so by the escape thus offered from a treatment repugnant to modesty.

Any sick woman may write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., in perfect confidence; all letters of consultation being treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers being sent in plain envelopes with no advertising or other printing upon them. Such consultation costs you nothing whether you take treatment from Dr. Pierce or not.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been long hailed as a "God-send to women." It makes weak women strong and sick women well. It enables women suffering from "female weakness," prolapsus uteri, retroversion, atony, and other displacements of the organs distinctly feminine, to cure themselves right in the privacy of their homes. Pelvic catarrhal drains, painful or irregular periods, backache, frequent headaches, weak nerves, dragging-down pain or distress in the lower abdominal, or pelvic, region, growing sensation in stomach, dizziness, or faint spells, and kindred conditions and symptoms are cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is not a secret or patent medicine, against the use of which most people of intelligence naturally object, but is, in fact, the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated and experienced physician in the treatment of woman's peculiar ailments and who is not afraid to publish all its ingredients, as he does, on its bottle-wrapper, attesting the correctness of the same under oath.

"Favorite Prescription" is the one medicine for woman's delicate ailments which contains neither alcohol nor harmful, habit-forming drugs. Being a pure glyceric extract of curative principles found in our most valuable native medicinal roots, as attested by many of the most eminent medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice.

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ed and is estimable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic diseases of the uterus. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency. You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this PROVEN REMEDY OF KNOWN COMPOSITION.

"The Blood is The Life." Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgment are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Foul, impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It enriches and purifies the blood thereby curing, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

In the cure of scrofulous swellings, enlarged glands, open eating ulcers, or old sores, the "Golden Medical Discovery" has performed the most marvelous cures. In cases of old sores, or open eating ulcers, it is well to apply to the open sores Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve, which possesses wonderful healing potency when used as an application to the sores in conjunction with the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" as a blood-cleansing constitutional treatment. If your druggist don't happen to have the "All-Healing Salve" in stock, you can readily procure it by enclosing fifty-four cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 325 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and if you write to him by return post, most druggists keep it as well as the "Golden Medical Discovery."

You can't afford to accept any medicine of inferior composition. Get a genuine "Golden Medical Discovery" which is a medicine of known composition, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle-wrapper, the same being attested as correct under oath. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. One to three a dose. Easy to take as candy.

Advertisement for J. Johnson & Sons, New Haven's Exclusive Clothiers. Store Closed All Day Saturday, Open Until 10 O'clock Friday Night. SPECIAL BROWN SUIT SALE \$15. Exceptional values in fine All-Wool Suitings, made in exclusive styles and perfect in tailoring. \$18. Suits made like the finest custom-made garments—nobby and exclusive garments. \$20. ANY WEAK PERSON Can gain strength on Grape-Nuts FOOD "There's a Reason."

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The Modern is a strictly two-price clothes shop—\$10.00 and \$15.00—two prices only. We hate to be compelled to dispose of these goods at a lower figure, but circumstances always alter cases, and because we are overstocked you will get the benefit. The "MODERN," in the short period of one year, has made a reputation for square dealing, and in nine cases out of ten we have sold our \$10 suits to people who have been in the habit of paying \$18 and \$20 for their clothes. Just notice the price we are putting on these garments.

The \$10 Suits Must Go at \$7.50

While the \$10 suits are in any case worth at least \$16, and we are compelled to dispose of them at \$7.50, we are also clearing up our \$15 suits. These suits, for style, cut, workmanship and material, are simply marvels. You never saw a finer fitting garment at any price. The fit on the shoulders, around the neck, below the arms—that's where good clothes show their quality. Just step in and examine them, and here's what we say about them:

The \$15 Suits Must Go at \$12.00

Think of it, right at the height of the season, just the time when everyone needs summer clothing, we are making these wonderful reductions. We are not waiting until July, after you have bought your summer garments, but NOW; this is the time you need them, and they are here at \$7.50 and \$12.00.

MODERN GUARANTEE. A New Suit Without Charge if This One Proves Unsatisfactory. MODERN.

MODERN

\$10 and \$15 Shop. 28 Church St., Opposite Poli's Theater.

REPORTS SHOW A PROSPEROUS YEAR

Annual Meeting of New Haven Orphan Asylum Yesterday an Encouraging One.

MISS PHIPPS PRESIDENT

Record of Work for Year as Shown in Review by Board of Managers—The Treasurer's Report.

The annual meeting of the New Haven Orphan Asylum was held yesterday afternoon at the United church chapel, and a large number of persons interested in the welfare of the orphans attended. In the absence of the president, Miss Lina M. Phipps, the meeting was presided over by Miss Ella B. Gilbert, one of the vice-presidents.

The most important business consisted of the election of officers, the reading of the report of the treasurer, Miss Josephine S. Newton and the report of the board of managers, read by Mrs. Townsend.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Miss Lina M. Phipps; vice-presidents, Miss Ella B. Gilbert, Mrs. N. D. Sperry; treasurer, Miss Josephine S. Newton; assistant treasurer, Miss Ella B. Gilbert; secretary, Mrs. Henry Champion; corresponding secretary, Miss Anna L. Bailey; recording secretary, Mrs. George H. Tuttle; providers, Mrs. N. D. Sperry, Mrs. Joseph H. Townsend; visitor, Mrs. Charles T. Candee; additional members of the executive committee, Mrs. Frank L. Bigelow, Mrs. Thomas A. Boetwick, Miss Anna P. Bradley, Mrs. John P. C. Foster, Mrs. John T. Manson; honorary managers, Mrs. Edward L. Barrett, Mrs. Henry O. Hotchkiss, Mrs. John W. Mansfield, Mrs. William D. Whitney; managers, Mrs. Henry Baldwin, Mrs. Franklin S. Bradley, Miss Mary B. Bristol, Mrs. John P. Cushing, Miss Grace E. Daggett, Mrs. George M. Duncan, Mrs. John S. Fowler, Miss Mary H. Hadley, Miss Elizabeth C. Hall, Mrs. John M. Hall, Mrs. George A. Harcourt, Mrs. Albert S. Holt, Mrs. F. K. Irwin, Miss Frances S. Ives, Mrs. Frederic L. Leighton, Mrs. Harry K. Lines, Mrs. Irving L. Lippincott, Mrs. Barton Mansfield, Mrs. Edwin H. McHenry, Mrs. Edward G. Merwin, Miss Flora Miller, Mrs. Willis E. Miller, Mrs. Curtis J. Monson, Jr., Miss Anna T. Nettleton, Mrs. Edward L. Nettleton, Mrs. Thomas B. Osborne, Mrs. C. B. Peets, Mrs. William L. Phelps, Mrs. Talcott H. Russell, Mrs. David B. Thompson, Miss Mary E. Townsend, Miss Eliza K. Twining, Miss Elinor F. Tyler, Mrs. Robert Veitch, Mrs. Henry A. Warner, Miss Florence M. Warwick, Mrs. Lewis S. Welch, Mrs. James

E. Wheeler; trustees, George W. Curtis, N. D. Sperry, George H. Ford, Henry W. Farnan, Henry C. White, Oliver S. White, Albert S. Holt, Burton Mansfield, George H. Tuttle.

The treasurer's report was as follows:

Receipts.	
Cash on hand, May 15, 1907	\$1,511.04
Donation day receipts	540.59
Other donations	61.59
Interest through G. W. Curtis	11,900.00
Interest through Board of Trustees of permanent fund	1,754.47
Board of Children at asylum	2,092.51
Legacy Mrs. B. A. Dufaul	50.00
Sale of industrial work and sundries	6.70
City appropriation	2,500.00
Total	\$20,126.72

Expenditures.	
Family expenses	\$15,157.77
Visiting children	299.71
Repairs	804.30
Books, printing, stationery, etc.	53.55
Insurance	106.00
Incidental	438.40
Salary of matron	600.00
Salary of first assistant matron	250.00
Salary of second assistant matron	300.00
Salary of house nursery matron	325.00
Salary of Nina Lynette, nursery matron	325.00
Salary of steward	500.00
Balance cash on hand	965.99
Total	\$20,126.72

Received and placed in the hands of Geo. W. Curtis, financial agent, legacy, Mrs. Nathan A. Baldwin, \$2,092.00. JOSEPHINE S. NEWTON, Treasurer. Examined and found correct, OLIVER S. WHITE, Auditor.

In behalf of the board of managers, Mrs. Bertha G. Townsend reported in part as follows: February 25, 1908, was the 75th birthday of the New Haven Orphan Asylum. On the evening of March 1, this occasion was commemorated by appropriate exercises in the United church. It cannot fail to be an inspiration to look backward for a moment over these years and review our history. The growth of this asylum, its loyal friends, those that have given liberally of their wealth, and others that have given themselves in its administration; the many children that have gone forth into the world calling it home. Surely we who are working in this latter day know little by experience of the struggles that the managers of earlier years endured for this beloved institution. It is with loving thoughts and tender memories that we turn from the years that have passed and relate the happenings from May 15, 1907 to May 15, 1908.

All institution life may be represented by a wonderfully complicated machine, each part dependent upon another part, and only as each does all expected of it does it move in perfect quietness and harmony, accomplishing that for which it was constructed. Perhaps an annual report should deal with the various parts of this machine—provisions, dry goods, plumbers, and plumbers' helpers, general repairs, etc., but to the mind of the writer, while these are all important, the children are what constitute the New Haven Orphan Asylum, and to them I shall confine myself as closely as possible.

Statistics show the number of children added during year 1907; average number, 118; new admissions, 18; returned to friends, 45; placed at service, 16; George Junior Republic, 1; died, 2. Present number under asylum care, 131.

In August Miss Miasler who had been our matron for several years, resigned because of ill health, and Miss Geary was promoted. Mrs. Douglas, first assistant matron, to the more responsible place of matron, and then in turn promoted each helper, filling the vacancy thus caused at the lower round of the ladder. This so far has proved a wise move, and we would gratefully acknowledge to all the workers in the institution our appreciation of their faithfulness and the endeavor to execute what the managers direct. To these faithful women falls the real moulding of the child life, a responsibility that by none can be held lightly.

In the house nursery Miss Geary still serves as mother, and while her flock is diminished just now by a part of them being temporary residents of the Ives cottage, owing to whooping cough, their love is shown by the fact that the first time they were sent out to play they made a straight line for the house nursery and announced, "Mamma Geary, we're all well now."

Mrs. Burns, matron for some time of the Nina-Lynette, has been replaced by Miss Hoag. It is with joy that we often see these very little people out for a stroll in the sunshine, and find as one manager reports, "the babies obstinately rosy and healthy."

In the work shop perhaps we find the greatest transformation. We have provided, upon the suggestion of Mr. Barnes, the manual training teacher, new benches and tools for the use of the boys, and under the direction of their teacher the results are most encouraging. Paper cutters, picture frames and book racks are numbered among the finished products. This manual work is a very important part of the boy's education.

The sewing class meets on Saturdays morning under the guidance of volunteer teachers, and the girls here not only learn to sew, but receive instruction in manners and morals.

The health of the large family as a whole has been good. Slight epidemics of chickenpox and whooping cough have visited us. It is always hard when these occur, causing the entire family to be quarantined, as they are, of much that to them means pleasure. Perhaps it is best expressed by one of the boys who was heard to say: "Can't go to Sunday school 'cause we got the measles; can't go to church 'cause we got the measles, and can't have the measles 'cause we've had the measles."

On May 1, 1908, occurred the death of Charlotte Jackson. She died from tuberculosis, the disease that had deprived her of both parents. Archibald Kulman died in Nina-Lynette's nursery on August 14, 1907, of mal-nutrition.

Mrs. Frederic Ives, whose death occurred March 11, 1905, was a manager for nine years, treasurer for nineteen years, and while for the last ten years her name stood on the honorary list.

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New Haven's China Store.

Something new in the lettuce-leaf ware—a very attractive assortment, including:

Salad	Tea Pots,	Pitchers,
Bowls and Plates,	Asparagus Dishes,	Comports,
Olive Dishes,	Mayonaise	Cracker Jars
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Unique in shape, with the natural green tint.

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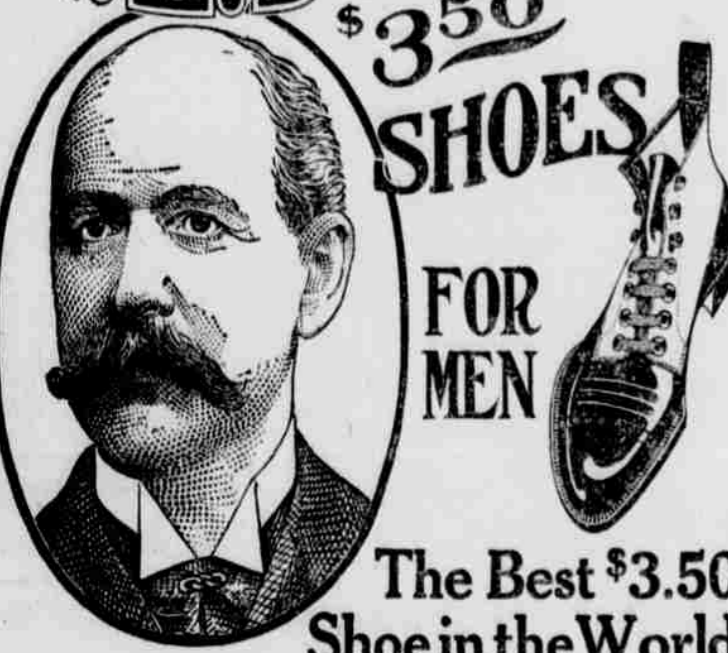
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Fast Color Eyelets Used Exclusively. Catalog Free. W. L. DOUGLAS, BROCKTON, MASS.

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15—18—20.

J. Johnson & Sons' Suit Prices for Decoration Day Sale.

For the accommodation of their patrons and the public J. Johnson & Sons, 85 Church street, will keep their store open this evening till 10 o'clock. It will be closed all day tomorrow.

In keeping with the natural demand for Decoration Day garments they are featuring to-day \$15, \$18 and \$20 men's suits.

When one sees the values in the \$15 brown suits offered, it is easy to realize that the \$18 and \$20 must qualify well with high priced custom made.

The reigning shades this season are browns and mouse colored, the latter are exceptionally nice—a very popular and very becoming shade.

Persons, not regular customers (regular customers know it) should bear in mind that every suit sold bears the Johnson guarantee—if not satisfactory in every particular, return the suit and money will be refunded.

"Edw. E. Hall & Son will close at sharp noon Saturday (Memorial day)."

AUCTION SALE

OF THE WELL KNOWN SPRING LAKE FARM, Southington, Conn. Decoration Day.

At 1 o'clock, May 30, rain or shine. The farm consists of 125 acres of early productive soil, located in Southington, Conn. The present owners reside in Boston and are unable to attend the farm property.

The farm is located one-half mile from railroad station, trolley, schools and churches; has two large peach orchards producing 2,000 baskets of peaches annually; two large asparagus beds, several acres of pine and chestnut timber, balance in mowing and pasture, cut seventy-five tons of best English hay; farm is fully stocked with best of registered Jersey cows and fully equipped with the latest of farming implements of every description, horses, carriages, etc., every article of which will be sold separately to the highest bidder.

This is the most beautiful spot in New England, having a magnificent lake on the farm fully stocked with trout; in the lake is an island and a club house on the island, boats and bathhouses, also ice house, which is leased for \$500 per year; a handsome set of buildings with all improvements. Terms to be made known at the sale. For further particulars inquire of EZRA F. PRATT, 294 Washington street, Boston, Mass.

NO "IF" IN PROSPECT TERRACE

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OUR SEVEN DAY MONEY PRESENTATION SALE

is an opportunity you can take advantage of if you will, but you must act quickly—it ends Monday, June 1, at 6 P. M.

Here is a chance to buy a most desirable building lot, 30 to 50 feet front, 100 to 150 feet deep four minutes, ride from Savin Rock, adjoining that beautiful tract on which stands the Connecticut Building (brought on from the World's Fair at Chicago), city gas and water on the property, trolley line and main turnpike right through it—one of the nicest localities on the west shore—and all you need pay is \$10 down and \$2 a week. This week we are paying your car fare down and back, and giving you (herewith) a coupon worth \$20 as a partial payment. If you die we give your heirs a deed to the lot. If you are sick or out of work we carry you along. We will not sell lots to objectionable parties, will not allow any spirituous liquors to be sold on the property—this is so stipulated in your deed. These are only a suggestion of what we are doing. Come down and see the property. Ask conductor to let you off at Prospect Terrace. Salesmen are on the property every day to show you around, talk with you and give you circulars giving full details. The opportunity is practical—it is grand.

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GOOD FOR TWENTY DOLLARS.

The New England Land Co. hereby agrees to accept this coupon for Twenty Dollars (\$20) as part payment on any lot selected by the holder at

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A desirable building lot, location central; price low to an immediate purchaser.

Money to loan in sums to suit.

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Two-family, 14-room house on Brownell street, but two years built, hardwood (ash) finish; convenient and desirable rooms of good size; separate stairs to third floor, pretty paper china closets; separate verandas. Lot 40x177; cement walks; turfed lawns; shade trees; choice neighborhood. Open, clean, healthy, near college, school and park, 12 minutes trolley ride to center with a 4 minute schedule.

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BEWHISKERED MASSACHUSETTS.

It begins to look as if the great state of Massachusetts was determined to outdo in legislative experiment the state of Kansas, when that state was under the control of the populists. In no other way can the conduct of the railroad committee of the Massachusetts legislature be considered. Its report on the proposed Boston and Maine merger, made late on Wednesday and printed yesterday morning in full in the news columns of The Journal-Courier, turns upon such reckless understanding of the rights of property that it might well excite the apprehension of the small householder resident there as well as the holder of the stocks and bonds of a public service corporation. If that kind of legislation can be approved in a state once noted for its conservative wisdom all things become possible in the line of impulsive experiment.

The bill to which reference is made in these emphatic words is entitled: "An act concerning the control of railroad corporations." The first section provides in the more or less confusing phraseology of statute law, that no outside corporation like the New Haven company can enter the state of Massachusetts and there purchase the controlling stock of a railroad company incorporated under the laws of that state without the consent of the general assembly. In other words, if the owners of the majority of the holdings of a railroad located there desire to sell out for reasons of their own, they may not do so to people willing for other good reasons to buy who live outside of the state unless the general assembly, a political body subject to the whims of partisan excitement, gives assent. If this actually becomes the requirement of the laws of Massachusetts, it can readily be seen to what an extent investors will withdraw from that field of investment. To deny a man or a set of men the right to dispose of their property upon terms attractive to them is to limit the field of corporate development to the state itself. We can imagine of no force more potent in forcing government ownership.

Section second begins to put the screws on the management of the New Haven railroad company by providing the manner in which the stock of the Boston and Maine under its control shall not be voted at stockholders meetings. The full significance of this proposed legislation is not seen until the two following sections are reached. Section third provides that the New Haven company may hold on for a while to the shares of stock in the Boston and Maine, which it has acquired in the usual way of acquiring stocks and bonds, and until the specified time has expired may acquire such additional stock as may be offered under a new issue, but it is forbidden to dispose of any of this stock to anybody without the consent of the railroad commission prior to the date set. Section four provides that while the New Haven Railroad company may fondle and finger its shares of stock to its heart's content, it shall not vote on any one of them at any meeting of the stockholders of the Boston and Maine but that the railroad commissioners of the state of Massachusetts may vote the stock "in such manner as they may deem to be for the best interest of the commonwealth." The remaining sections provide that the commissioners shall make a thorough inquiry into the railroad situation in that state, etc., etc., in order that when the time arrives when the owners of the Boston and Maine will be permitted to vote at stockholders meetings a comprehensive plan will have been conceived to which the general assembly may give approval. Penalties are provided for the violation of any of these provisions.

As we have already said this proposed law is worthy of Kansas in the days of its longest beard. It is startling to learn that Massachusetts proposes seriously and upon any pretext whatever to thus take from the owners of property their right to either manage it in their own way, or dispose of it because they are not permitted

to manage it in their own way. That eliminates at one stroke all of the rights and privileges which have hitherto attached to the ownership of stock in a private or public corporation. First to compel a corporation to cling to property, which it is conceivable it might dispose of at a handsome profit, and then deny it any voice in its control is to introduce a doctrine into the relationship of the state and its chartered creatures which suggests absolute confiscation. It becomes in fact confiscation when it is proposed that the railroad commissioners may and alone may vote this controlling stock as they deem best without any responsibility attached as to the character of the service given, the charges made or the dividends earned.

It is possible that this bill will become a law. It is inconceivable that it should in a country and state where assurances are supposed to exist that what a man earns in the sweat of his brow is his to enjoy and maintain. This is not a battle to be undertaken in behalf of a huge railroad corporation it is a battle which concerns the ownership of property everywhere. If this act of confiscation is approved, all acts of confiscation become possible.

Chief Fancher is quoted as saying that, if two strokes of the fire bells only were sounded whenever there was a fire to let the men off duty know where the blaze was, "some people might be driven insane trying to locate the blaze." If he ever said just that, we disagree with him—at least, we do not think the tendency toward insanity would be as great as when the public is being pounded over the head at fires with policemen's bills, as at present.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI.

The time seems to have come when the alumni and alumnae of the New Haven high school (and there are many of them influential in every walk of life in the city) should get a little closer together. The alumni association is no recent organization. Indeed, if the number of its members counted for anything, it would rank high among similar organizations throughout the country. But, unfortunately, names on the roster do not always mean hearty unity of action or maximum of utility.

A writer in the Teachers' Journal of recent date suggested that possibly the cause for this lack of enthusiasm was the fact that too much stress was put on the college preparatory courses at the school. The result has been that the scholars not in those courses have felt slighted. Not being "of the elect," they have thought the honors while in the school and afterwards in the alumni association were not for them, so they never developed a fervent school enthusiasm. The college-going scholars, on the other hand, have found so many interests in the days after graduation that they have had little time or inclination to work for the interests of the alumni association, which has depended mainly upon their efforts for its support and perpetuation.

The time has come for a halt. These petty jealousies should be put aside. The possibilities of the alumni association are so worth while that they necessitate it. It is not right that less than one per cent. of a membership of 4,000 should attend the meetings. Four thousand graduates should be able to exert the greatest sort of influence, not only at the school, but with the board of education and the city in general. Such is the case with other organizations of this character. This evening's meeting should see a change for the better.

The fact that no bar will be licensed within a block of the auditorium to be used by the democrats at the coming convention at Danvers by no means prophesies no drinking at that monster gathering. But the wisdom of the decision cannot be questioned. It ought to influence some prohibition votes at least. But the republicans cannot do otherwise than follow suit and obtain all that is coming to them, too.

WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME.

Like many another man of the same make-up, William Travers Jerome seems to be much misunderstood. For a certain class of newspapers it means any number of good stories not to try to understand him. When he does anything it is not as a man watching in a mirror the impression he is making; and when he talks it is not so much with the thought that there will be rhetoricians and hyper-critical persons only too ready to point out where he might have chosen better language, as that sound principled men will judge him by what he is at heart. As Collier's Weekly says, "The wisdom of Jerome's tongue is intermittent, but his integrity is solid, his courage is high and there is something well-nigh grand in the pellucid straightness which makes it easy to point his weakness."

To say of him that, in the present hearing being conducted by the order of Governor Hughes, he has shown that he takes his responsibilities flippantly, would be far from right. Rather it has been his ultra-consciousness that has made him appear in that light. He has not met statement with statement, argument with argument; he has rather been content to sit back and smile and joke when his opponents have told him he was

the "worst kind of an anarchist," "a would-be destroyer and debaucher of the sacred grand jury system," and "a perverter of the morals of the youth of New York." And why? "Because," he says, "I have hardly dared to treat it from any other standpoint; because, had I done so, I would not have been able to retain any self-possession."

Mr. Jerome is no cynic, in spite of his smiles at the hearing. He realizes the seriousness of the charges brought against him. He refers to the hearing as the bitterest thing that has come to him in his whole life. He realizes he is not always the essence of dignity, but he would rather be himself before the world, realizing his honorable obligations to those who split their tickets by the thousands to put him in office, than to be a dignified but insincere puppet. Mr. Jerome is one of those men who have hosts of true and loyal friends who place all trust in him but who has a few very bitter enemies. The independence of the upright man who feels the courage of his conviction and his good works is one thing; the independence of the demagogue who gets his secret orders from those "higher up," is another. One of the greatest differences is that the first is by far the scarcer of the two and, just as he is scarcer, must he suffer because he is mistaken to be of the second class.

Certain New York papers have tried to bully Mr. Jerome and, like most bullies, they have indulged in personal flings when they see they cannot nettie their opponent into a fight. The New York World says none of the testimony against him has been contradicted and for that reason it sticks to its first conclusion which it quotes: "There can be no public confidence in the enforcement of the criminal law in New York county so long as William Travers Jerome is district attorney." The World may forget that the burden of defense lies with them. Instead of Mr. Jerome lacking dignity, it may be the newspapers who have incited the investigation who are undignified in making such sweeping assertions before they have proved their case. Fairly they cannot say they have proved their case. This they seem to realize themselves, for their attorney is quoted as saying that, if Mr. Jerome is not removed as a result of the present hearing, new charges will be preferred against him, based upon his throwing of dice with the Ryan boys. Referring to the latter incident, Mr. Pierce, the attorney, said Mr. Jerome has been "setting a horrible and debasing example to the youth of the country." To this the commissioner replied: "If you hadn't brought it out yourself it would never have been known, so it is you who are responsible for any effect it may have on the young people," which seems to have hit the nail squarely on the head.

One thing is certain and that is that the district attorney will continue to think he is deceiving the public more when refraining from doing what he naturally would because of fear of any wrong impression he might make, than by being his true unvarnished self. It is not even to be suspected that the excellent young man that he has in office to help him, would remain to countenance such procedures as he is charged with.

With two Yale police judges and a Yale prosecuting attorney in the police court it has often been said that students are far more apt to get the better end of the bargain. The energetic way in which all hands, including the police, are getting after Yale auto spreaders these days seems to prove that this is far from being the case.

THE BOARD OF PARDONS.

The state board of pardons is scheduled to meet again on Monday at Hartford and listen to the reasons given by a large number of convicts why they should be given their freedom, either on parole or as fitted to enjoy all of the rights and privileges of independent citizenship. It is not a cheerful task that is set the members of the board, but it is one that under the laws of the state, enacted for the purpose of relieving both the legislature and the governor, must be done by a number especially designated.

It is a debatable question whether the Connecticut system of granting pardons is the best that could be devised. Obviously it would be a mistake to return to the practice of making the governor the deciding authority, for then he would be subjected to a torment of mind which it is unfair to put upon an officer of the government charged with responsibilities which he should be left free to study without side currents of a distracting nature. Nor should a return be had to the practice which gave the power of pardon to a legislative committee, or practically gave it to that committee whose recommendation for mercy were usually followed. It has been suggested that it would be well if less than a unanimous vote of the members of the board of pardons was required for a deserving convict to gain his parole or freedom. There is something disturbing in the thought that the will of one man can recommend a prisoner who has the sympathy of the other members. The very suggestion of that power reveals a weakness in the rules of the board.

Whether any convicts should be released at this time on account of good

behavior or the restoration of moral balance is also a debatable question. Theoretically a man who can be said to have earned his freedom should at once be favored, but, on the other hand, it is friendly to inquire at this time, when employment is scarce and idleness a plenty, whether it is wise to free men less apt than the average man to be able to take care of themselves and therefore more subject to temptation, to which unfortunately they have surrendered before.

News reports from New York tell of insufferably hot weather there yesterday. Even in the subway the atmosphere was stifling, we are told. Those ill-fated ones who have been through the subway in the summer months may well agree that it could not be expected to be otherwise.

OPEN-AIR BABIES' HOSPITAL.

The time of the year has come when we must seriously think again of the horrors of the summer, for it has its horrors no less hard to bear than those of the winter. Those intimately connected with the regulation of the milk supply have already been heard from. The important part milk plays in the infant mortality of the city cannot be overestimated, for just as the babies cannot live without milk, they cannot live with bad milk.

Last year Hartford witnessed the establishment of a new institution along this line which has been successful from the very first. Reference is made to the open-air hospital for babies conducted for several months in Riverside Park. The hospital is soon to be started with justified enthusiasm this year. Looked upon at first as a sort of fad of the Medical society, under the auspices of which it was run, it has won a place among the permanent institutions of the Capitol city which will well bear investigation and imitation here and elsewhere. The Society for the Improvement of the Condition of the Poor, which is probably in a better way to judge of the merits of the babies' hospital than most organizations, gives it its unqualified approval. The park board gives the pick of locations in the parks. The doctors give their services, public-spirited persons give funds freely. In short, the hospital has hit the bull's-eye.

Surely New Haven would benefit by a similar institution either run in connection with one of the hospitals or by the medical society. Many suitable park locations will suggest themselves at once, where there will be the best of conditions. The same general rules might well be adopted. In Hartford only children less than two years of age, which is the most critical period in the warm weather, are admitted. One of the best features in connection with the babies' hospital is the educational end of it. The mothers of the children are taught the basic hygienic principles of the care of children; of which they show a surprising ignorance and they in turn teach their neighbors. Who will take the initiative in such a worthy undertaking in New Haven?

The Yale men who conducted the Shingle Hill automobile race are to be congratulated. It was a great success from start to finish and, more than that, there was not the slightest accident. Even Cedrino, who has been in any number of similar contests, could not say too many good things about it. But, then, Cedrino came in first and he had little reason to make objections of any nature.

THE CITY MORE LIVABLE.

Those enthusiastic baseball fans who stood around the aldermanic chamber not long ago and with moans and bated breath heard the ministers rally against their favorite game as played on Sunday are now developing the "smile that won't come off" in view of the present agitation for playgrounds in different parts of the city, in which the initiative was taken by Captain Brewer and in which the city beautiful commission and its experts are now showing themselves greatly interested. Mr. Olmsted says the real object is "to make New Haven a more livable place for the people who must stay here the year round rather than to make it more beautiful for the small class who enjoy many privileges, including those of travel." Both he and Mr. Seymour class public playgrounds as among those things which make for a more livable city.

We are told the Improvement plans will surely include public baseball diamonds and playgrounds. Play fields will be suggested at the foot of Eagle rock, at Fort Hall, at Beaver Pond park, at Quinipiac park, and at Waterside park. "A boy without a playground is father to the man without a job," says Mr. Olmsted tritely. No more sensible viewpoint could be had. After all, play-fields are a question of morals and citizenship and the welfare of the state. In the last analysis, to say nothing of physical development. The city beautiful is a matter of aesthetics at best, which is far less important. Here, then, is to the new plan of work, that for the City More Livable.

General George Clinton's body is again in New York, which, as a colony, he ruled as governor in 1777. Truly time heals all wounds. The suggestion of such honors to the body of the servant of the king of England must make our revolutionary forefathers turn in their graves.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES.

Ho Does. (Waterbury American) The editor of the New Haven Journal-Courier comes strongly to the support of the Commissioner of the Board of Health of the City of New Haven in his theory that the report of the Bouteil committee makes Lilley impossible as Governor of Connecticut. He evidently takes the thing seriously.

Mr. Lilley. (Washington Post) The Post maintains that the Lilley charges and the investigation that followed were both vain and injurious, with no atom of good resulting to anybody. As the Springfield Republican remarks, it is home exposure mixed with a rashness that seems incredible, and took chances which no man of discretion would embrace for a moment. It accuses him of any bad intent, and thinks he was "undoubtedly inspired by a desire to perform a public service." It follows that his reckless, baseless charges and his lack of good faith in the investigation show him to be unfit to occupy the high office to which he is being nominated.

What of Jerome? (Collier's) Now what of Jerome? Here, in the ebb water of his popularity, we wish to protest against the barfing of the park. Jerome is great in honesty. He walks naked before the world. It would be impossible for him, willing to shake dice for drinks at home, not to do the same act before mankind. Other districts, attorneys, judges, and judges for state's evidence in private, Jerome dines with Thomas where all can see. The wisdom of Jerome's integrity is intermittent, but his integrity is solid, his courage high, and there is something well-nigh grand in the pellucid straightness which makes it easy to point his weakness. Jerome has been wronged, and cruelly wronged, by an investigation which has done him a lifetime loss on essentials than on matters, and which made crimes of those qualities by which a few years ago the public love was won of removing him from office. The investigation was conducted with insincerity, and centered on those points which arouse shallow prejudices, and which were not the beginning in itself proper. However, opinions may differ about him, any just estimate leaves him so much above the average public official in ability, as well as in honesty, that the very notion of removing him is a farce. And now we come to the one important aspect of this investigation, full as it is of facts and unworthy insinuations. It is at bottom a gross case of newspaper oppression, and it is in the line of the American Journal and its World-wide district attorney whom they can bully; an official who will act as messenger for them.

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SAVINGS AND DOINGS.

Mr. Thompson, Canadian member of parliament for Yukon, declares that within five years the Klondike gold fields will be exhausted, and that as the result of the operation of the big dredging companies.

Microscopic print, to be read with a special magnifying apparatus, is advocated in France by R. Goldschmidt and Paul Otlet, who urge that the reduction would reduce the cost of small books to one-sixth, at the same time increasing library work and increasing the capacity of libraries.

Duchess Philip of Wurtemberg has contrived a bandage that is so scientifically constructed that manufacturers have taken out patents covering the right to make it in foreign countries. The duchess is said to be the most popular of all the royal ladies of Germany, and much of her popularity is due to her interest in the poor sick.

The new dry dock at Lorain, O., is 245 feet long and 125 feet wide. This makes it the greatest fresh water dry dock in the world and it comes within five feet of being as long as the new dock at the League Island navy yard. Four vessels, 405 feet long, have been launched on the Great Lakes within the year, and it is believed that vessels 700 feet long will be built within a few years.

Excepting those whose business interests are affected, directly or indirectly, by prohibitory legislation, Jews, as such, have little concern with the "temperance" war now being waged so fiercely in the south and middle west. Jews, almost without exception, keep sober even when liquor is accessible. They need no sumptuary laws and are on principle opposed to their enactment as invasions of personal rights and as establishing a dangerous precedent for un-American legislation.

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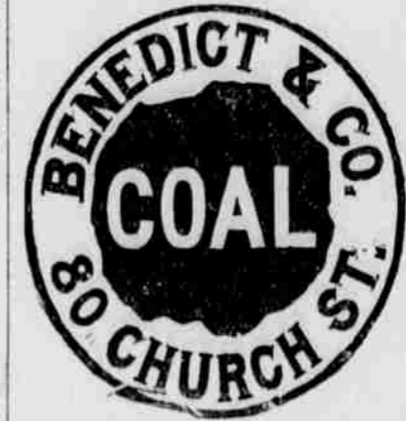
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VETERANS TO SPEAK

Public School Pupils to Hear Talks on Memorial Day Observances This Morning.

Professor Benjamin Jepson has appointed several members of Admiral Foote post to duty at the different public schools in the city this morning to make addresses to the pupils regarding the observance of Memorial day. This custom was established a year ago when the Grand Army veterans visited the various districts on the day before Decoration day. The schools close at noon today. The following comrades have been assigned to the several schools and will speak to the scholars: High school—A. H. Embler, Nathan Easterbrook. Strong—J. P. Studley, Willis B. Isbell. Dwight—A. C. Hendrick, Frank Carroll. Wooster—C. F. Bollman. Eaton—E. C. Dow, James Church. Zunder—W. M. Price, A. Bradley. Hamilton—Edward Griswold, George E. Dudley. Shelton—W. S. Wadham, F. S. Snow. Winchester—W. F. McNeil, W. H. Nichols. Roger Sherman—E. S. Wheeler, G. D. Barnes. Lovell—B. H. Cheney, F. D. Meeker. Hooker—J. McCarthy, J. H. Bulford.

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Humphrey street—Marshall Jerald, A. F. Downes. Quinipiac avenue—H. A. Loveland, J. W. Bechling. Barnes avenue—George P. Holt, L. F. Barnes. Morris Cove—Fred Hastings, M. A. Tanner. Dixwell avenue—H. W. Loomis, William H. Stevens.

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DEATHS. DONNELLY—In this city, May 27, 1908, Robert A. Donnelly, aged 17 years, son of Henry J. and Elizabeth Kivlan Donnelly. Funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, 57 Pearl street, Saturday morning at half-past eight. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. m29 1f. FIELD—In this city, May 28, 1908, at the home of his sister, Mrs. George P. North, 504 Chapel street, Frank B. Field of Lake Charles, La., aged 40 years. Services will be held at 634 Chapel street, Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Burial at Hamilton, Ontario, Saturday morning. m29 1f. HAIGHT—In this city, May 27, 1908, George E. Haight, in the 62d year of his age. Funeral services will be held at No. 840 Elm street, on Friday afternoon at half-past 3 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. m28 2t.

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PONIES OUTCLASSED

New Haven Plays Circles Around Springfield, Winning Easily.

BRIDGEPORT WHITEWASHED

Hartford Invincible—Long Canned by New Britain After Losing to Meriden.

Meriden. Murphy, ss..... 2 1 0 3 2 2 2

McKenna, p..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Beard, p..... 4 0 0 1 4 0 0

Totals..... 36 6 27 11 5

Score by innings: New Haven..... 4 0 0 2 1 3 0 0-10

Springfield..... 1 0 0 0 0 4 0 1-6

Sacrifice hit, Wilhelm; stolen bases, Connell 2, Simmons 2, Zacher, Duggan.

McAndrews 2; two-base hits, Simmons, Rising 2, Connell, Stankard; three-base hit, Stankard; base run, Sherwood.

Innings pitched, Wilhelm 9, McKenna 1-2, Beard 8 1/2; hits off McKenna 3, off Beard 7; bases on balls, by Wilhelm 6, by Beard 7; struck out by Wilhelm 6, by Beard 7.

Plies, Havel; passed balls, Hirst 3; time of game, 1:50; umpire, Kennedy; attendance, 900.

HARTFORD GETS ANOTHER

League Leaders Making a Run Away Race.

Hartford, May 28.—Four Hartford men had all the put outs to-day and there was nothing for the outsiders to do.

Swanson was very effective. Hogan Yancey was applauded for a daring attempt to steal home. He was out by a hair.

Umpire Wilkinson put O'Rourke out of the game in the seventh for offensive language.

The umpire squared off to the umpire and the latter ran for a bat to defend himself, but Yancey quieted him.

There were no close decisions, but O'Rourke and Fitzhenry nagged the umpire. Score:

Hartford. ab r h po a e

Wallace, rf..... 3 0 0 0 0 0

Swayne, cf..... 4 1 0 0 0 0

Gardner, 2b..... 3 0 1 0 7 0

Connelly, 1b..... 4 2 19 0 0 0

Noyes, 3b..... 2 1 1 2 1 0

Justice, if..... 2 1 1 0 0 0

Justice, ss..... 2 0 0 2 5 1

O'Leary, c..... 2 0 0 4 1 0

Swanson, p..... 3 0 1 0 5 0

Totals..... 25 5 6 27 19 1

Bridgeport. ab r h po a e

Bertwistle, rf..... 3 0 0 1 0 0

Beaumont, cf..... 4 0 2 1 0 0

O'Rourke, 2b..... 3 0 0 2 2 1

Ladd, cf..... 3 0 0 2 0 0

Cassidy, if..... 4 0 1 1 0 0

Hilt, ss..... 4 0 1 1 3 0

Fitzhenry, 2b..... 4 0 0 0 1 0

Kennedy, 1b..... 4 0 1 1 9 1

Romer, p..... 3 0 1 1 5 0

Phelan, 2b..... 1 0 0 2 1 0

Totals..... 33 0 6 24 14 1

Score by innings: Hartford..... 1 0 0 3 0 1 0 0-5

Bridgeport..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

Two base hit, Connelly; sacrifice hits, Wallace, Noyes, Justice; stolen bases, Swayne, Connelly, Yancey 2.

Hilt; bases on balls, off Swanson 4, off Romer 4; struck out by Swanson 4, by Romer 3; hit by pitched ball, by Swanson 1; passed ball, Beaumont; left on bases, Hartford 3, Bridgeport 5; bases on errors, Hartford 1, Bridgeport 1. Umpire, Wilkinson. Time, 1:55.

HOLYOKE BUNCHED HITS

Waterbury Had Good Lead But Bronkie Weakened and Lost.

Waterbury, May 28.—Holyoke bunched six hits off Bronkie in the seventh inning and these, coupled with two errors and a wild throw, netted six runs and the game.

Three fast double plays and the batting of Dolan, Swander and Bronkie were the features. The score:

Waterbury. ab r h po a e

Bastian, 2b..... 3 1 0 3 0 0

Fitzpatrick, 2b..... 5 1 1 4 5 0

Swander, if..... 4 1 3 2 0 1

Shinzel, 1b..... 5 1 2 11 0 1

Lepine, rf..... 3 1 1 0 0 0

Bronkie, p..... 3 1 2 0 3 0

Singleton, ss..... 3 0 1 0 7 1

Lucia, c..... 0 0 5 3 0 0

Rice, cf..... 4 0 0 2 0 1

Totals..... 34 6 10 27 15 4

Holyoke. ab r h po a e

Rodgers, cf..... 3 0 1 0 3 0

Dole, rf..... 5 1 4 1 0 0

Hambacher, if..... 4 1 0 1 0 1

Massey, 1b..... 2 1 0 19 0 0

Boucher, ss..... 5 1 1 0 5 0

Baker, 2b..... 5 0 1 2 4 1

Zemelock, 2b..... 4 0 2 2 5 1

Kerr, c..... 4 2 1 0 1 0

Schmidt, p..... 4 1 2 1 2 0

Totals..... 36 7 12 27 18 2

Score by innings: Waterbury..... 2 0 3 0 0 1 0 0-6

Holyoke..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-7

Two base hits, Bronkie 2, Swander, Rodgers; sacrifice hits, Swander, Bronkie, Massey; stolen bases, Baker, Rodgers; double plays, Singleton, Fitzpatrick and Shinzel 2, Boucher, Baker and Massey; left on bases, Waterbury 7, Holyoke 4; first base on balls, off Bronkie 4, off Schmidt 4; first base on errors, Waterbury 1, Holyoke 2; hit by pitcher, Rodgers; struck out by Bronkie 3, by Schmidt 1; wild pitch, Bronkie, time, 1:35; umpire, Rorty.

LONG IS RELEASED

New Britain Ties Can to Pitcher When Meriden Swatted Him.

New Britain, May 28.—Meriden won from New Britain this afternoon, 2 to 0.

New Britain practically lost the game in the second inning when Long was taken out and given his release.

Ward replacing him and Page, who caught Ward, was succeeded by Rufange. In the fifth inning Rufange was struck by a foul tip and badly injured.

The score:

New Britain. ab r h po a e

Waterman, ss..... 4 1 0 1 5 1

McCabe, cf..... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Marsans, if..... 3 0 0 2 0 1

Finn, cf..... 4 0 0 1 0 0

Burns, 2b..... 4 0 1 5 3 0

Bunyan, 1b..... 4 0 0 12 1 1

Totals..... 37 10 11 27 11 3

Springfield. ab r h po a e

McAndrews, 3b..... 4 1 0 1 2 2

Hirst, c..... 3 1 0 9 2 0

Yale, 1b..... 5 3 1 7 0 0

Stankard, 2b..... 5 0 2 1 0 0

Rising, if..... 5 0 2 1 0 0

Westlake, cf..... 4 0 1 0 1 0

Waite, rf..... 4 0 1 1 0 0

Totals..... 40 11 21 11 3



OTHER GAMES.

At Hamilton, N. Y.—Middlebury 3, Colgate 2 (13 innings).

At Princeton—Mercersburg Academy 6, Princeton freshmen 2.

At Worcester—Holy Cross 1, Seton Hall 1 (41 innings).

At Fairmont, W. Va.—Cincinnati 5, Fairmont 3 (12 innings).

At Buffalo—Buffalo (E. L.) 11, New York (N. L.) 12.

At Hamilton—Hamilton 1, Toronto 6.

At Middletown—Wesleyan 7, Hamilton 1.

At Lewiston, Me.—Bates 7, Tufts 6.

At Rochester—Rochester (E. L.) 6, Brooklyn (N. L.) 3.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

At Fall River—Lowell 1 1/2, Fall River 0 (13 innings).

At Haverhill—Brookline 5 Haverhill 3.

At New Bedford—New Bedford 2, Lawrence 1.

At Worcester—Lynn 3, Worcester 0.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Montreal—Montreal 4, Newark 4 (called in seventh catch a train).

CALEDONIANS WIN.

Defeat Second Team at Carpet Bowling Last Night.

The champion caledonian carpet bowling team added another victory to its record last night by defeating the second string of their own club.

The score was as follows: Menzies' rink beat Stevenson's 27 to 19.

Peterson's rink beat Murray's 27 to 14.

Morton's rink beat Thompson's 27 to 15.

Total, 76 to 43 in favor of first team.

CHANCE'S TEAM WON

Chicago Takes First Game in St. Louis Series in Missouri.

Chicago, May 28.—Chicago won the first game in its series in Missouri, 4 to 2.

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YANKS LOSE AGAIN

St. Louis Makes It Three Straight, While Senators Down Cleveland.

St. Louis, May 28.—St. Louis made it three straight from the New Yorks today, having just a shade on them in batting.

Four base running spoiled a New York Rally in the eighth inning when the locals were in a fair way to win the game.

Rube Waddell rejoined the St. Louis team today. The score:

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WALL STREET NOTES

Collapse in Gould Group at Midday Unsettles Entire List.

FOREIGN BANK RATE DOWN

Many Railroad Reports of a Mixed Character—\$1,000,000 More Gold Goes.

After general firmness in stocks, excepting the Gould group, a collapse in the latter issues at midday and early in the afternoon, greatly unsettled the entire list.

The reduction in the Bank of England's minimum discount rate to 2 1/2 per cent probably marks the culmination, for the present at least, of the gold export movement.

A large number of railroad reports came to hand which were of an exceedingly mixed character. Some were fairly favorable, but others were distinctly poor.

London bought a few thousand shares of Union Pacific and U. S. Steel and sold a little Wabash, but the foreign trading was not a factor in the market.

An explanation of the delay in issuing the Union Pacific bonds is that the company has been borrowing all the money it needed for immediate requirements in the open market.

The sale of 100 shares of Lackawanna stock at 50 1/2 this afternoon, a decline of 29 1/2 points from the previous transaction, was thought to represent liquidation by some person who may have been caught by the decline in the remainder of the list and "needed the money."

There was \$1,000,000 more gold exported today than had been announced as engaged yesterday. Shipments today totaled \$1,500,000, bringing the movement to Europe since April 15 to \$38,550,000.

CLOSING PRICES.

Table listing closing prices for various stocks and bonds, including Adams Express, Amalgamated Copper, American Car Foundry, etc.

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Mass. Corn, Mohawk, North Brit, etc.

LOCAL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table listing local stock quotations for various companies like City National, Second National, etc.

Miscellaneous Stocks.

Table listing miscellaneous stocks such as American Brass, American Hardware, etc.

Railroad Stocks.

Table listing railroad stocks including Boston & Albany, Conn. R. & L., etc.

Miscellaneous Bonds.

Table listing miscellaneous bonds like Berkshire St. B., Boston & Albany, etc.

Miscellaneous Bonds.

Table listing miscellaneous bonds including Adams Express, Boston Elec., etc.

STOCK MARKET REVIEW.

Demoralizing Break in Gould Stocks Shows Market's Real Strength.

New York, May 28.—The stock market to-day had to sustain some rude buffets in the demoralizing breaks in the Gould stocks, and the power of resistance to this influence which was displayed somewhat reassured speculative sentiment.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Table listing New York stock market data, including reported over private wires of Princeton and Whiteley members.

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Table listing Boston stock market data, including reported over private wires of Hornblower & Weeks members.

tion of the National Bank of Commerce and the National City bank, the new bank to have something like \$50,000,000 capitalization.

The National City bank is mainly controlled by Standard Oil interests, who are known for their shrewdness in speculative undertakings.

PITTSBURGH BROKERS FAIL.

Pittsburgh, May 28.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed late yesterday afternoon in the United States court against George W. MacMullen and Sanford B. Evans, doing business as George W. MacMullen & Co., stock brokers.

Judge James Young appointed the Guarantee Title and Trust company receiver. The bond was fixed at \$100,000.

MAY WHEAT \$1.09 3-4.

Shorts Boost Prices—May Corn Advances to 82 1-2.

Chicago, May 28.—Shorts have been the buyers of May wheat, and prices to-day touched \$1.09 3-4.

RYAN OUT ON \$25,000 BAIL.

New York, May 28.—Pleading not guilty to five indictments for grand larceny in connection with the affairs of T. A. McIntyre & Co., George C. Ryan, who is said to be a member of the confederate, was arraigned to-day before Judge Roosevelt.

MEXICAN BANK BILL PASSED.

Mexico City, May 28.—The chamber of deputies passed the banking bill yesterday. In its essential features the bill regulates the establishment of new banks, provides for an examination of existing institutions by a representative of the finance department.

MILLIONS FOR CHINESE ROAD.

New York, May 28.—It was learned to-day that the Hong Kong and Shanghai bank has issued a loan of \$7,500,000 to the Shanghai Hangchow Ning-Po railroad.

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BIG BANKS MAY MERGE.

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Through A Shop Window

White embroidered dress robes of exquisite fineness are among the newest and most attractive things in the shops.

Very handsome are waists of black flax lace, made over sheer black silk which can be worn for dress occasions with equal good taste.

Smartest among the fascinating bits of neckwear I found at the Crawford-Plummer Co.'s store were the dainty new "Gibson Collars" in a variety of styles.

A new comb is being shown which makes it easy to wear the popular ribbon garniture in the hair. There are a number of attractive ways that the ribbon can be used with this simple device.

A beautiful kimono of real Japanese effect is made of pale lavender crepe and is embroidered with apple blossoms in a faint pink. The obi and facing are of purple.

Falke ribbon has displaced taffetas for all purposes where a plain color is needed, while in fancy ribbons the pompadour effects remain in high favor. The tinsel ribbons which were popular during the winter are not shown in a great variety of designs, and for millinery purposes the falke is the smartest thing. Eight yards are considered not too much for winding around the crown and making one of the new big bows.

Fashions for little ones seem to have settled in European blouses, especially for those youngsters under seven years old. They are really a most convenient form of dress and one that well deserves the popularity with which it is received. The costume is very becoming and the little under-knickers make it very practical and useful for children.

A black leather traveling bag can always be kept in capital condition by mixing one tablespoonful of sweet oil with two teaspoonfuls of milk and rubbing it well into the bag. After it has thoroughly dried it should be polished with a piece of chamolite leather.

Priscilla PROSPEROUS YEAR

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the love of this work ever burned within her, and it was always with eager interest she listened to the accounts of asylum happenings.

Each holiday has been appropriately celebrated. Valentine day a supper in the playroom with postoffice and valentines for everybody; Washington's birthday a little play given by the children themselves—and a fascinating little group it was that delighted the managers present.

On Easter day the children go down to St. Paul's for the Easter festival of the Sunday school. This is a rare treat, and each year they sing an Easter carol, are reviewed in the catechism, and acquit themselves with credit. An unusual surprise awaited them at supper this year, when each child found by his or her plate an Easter gift from a new found friend of the asylum.

In no way can the joy that this day gives be better described than by the children themselves. A girl writes: "Easter Sunday will soon be here. I suppose the asylum children will soon begin to learn their Easter carols. I wonder if they will have cards given to them at St. Paul's church, and if they will have eggs, and Easter lilies on the dining room tables."

Another says: "I received the paper and program of the asylum anniversary. Thank you. I did enjoy reading it. How I would like to have been there and heard the children sing. I remember that hymn you

taught us when we sang at St. Paul's church one Easter."

Fourth of July with its charm of noise for the small boy, toy pistols with which to make it, fireworks in the evening, and best of all, no accidents.

Wednesday, July 24. Play Ridge cottage was offered to the asylum for the day. This meant an all day picnic, and from morning until evening it was a day of delight.

Mrs. Townsend also told of the visits made during the year, speaking of trips to Marvelwood, East Rock and other places. Extracts from several letters received during the year were read, these being from boys and girls who had been brought under the care of the local asylum. Continuing, the report of the board of managers says:

We would acknowledge the twenty-five years of loving service that Miss Twining has given the asylum as recording secretary. While Miss Twining declines to serve the asylum longer in this capacity, she will serve as manager. Her loss to the executive committee is distinct gain to the board of managers.

Mrs. Ella C. Bradley, our able corresponding secretary from 1895 to 1908, has resigned. Mrs. Bradley will also be identified with us as manager.

To our physicians for their service, to the druggists who have so long supplied our needs, to Mr. Fenton for his wise help, to the newspapers for gratuitous printing, and friends too numerous to mention, we would extend our hearty thanks for all that has been done for us, and bespeak your continued love and interest for the coming year.

Before closing this report I want to plead for a little more intimacy between children and managers. I would not attempt to dictate to you what should be done, but with more effort on our part individually could we not put more into the lives or into a single life among the many. We recognize that we are doing much for them as a whole, but the plant that has individual care develops more perfectly and rewards the caretaker with more beautiful blossoms. And thus can a weak character be made strong by tender nurture and the reward is sure to both child and manager.

Advertisement for F.E. SPENCER CO. PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, Varnishes, Chemicals, &c. 237 and 239 State St. NEW-HAVEN

Advertisement for THE THOMPSON SHOP THE CONVENIENCE of having all the accessories of the furnishing and decorating of the apartment or home in one shop is manifest to the purchaser. 46 ELM-ST-NEW-HAVEN-CT

Advertisement for The EDW. MALLEY & Co. The Metropolitan Store of New Haven.

Closed Saturday, "Decoration Day"; Open Friday Evening.

Decoration Day Flags, all wool bunting, 2x3 ft. to 10x15 ft., \$1. to \$10. Printed Muslin Flags 2c to 50c doz. Poles, Brackets

'The Day We Celebrate.'

Patriotic Novelties and Decorations for Decoration Day.

10 ft. roll Crepe Paper in the national colors, at 8c a roll.

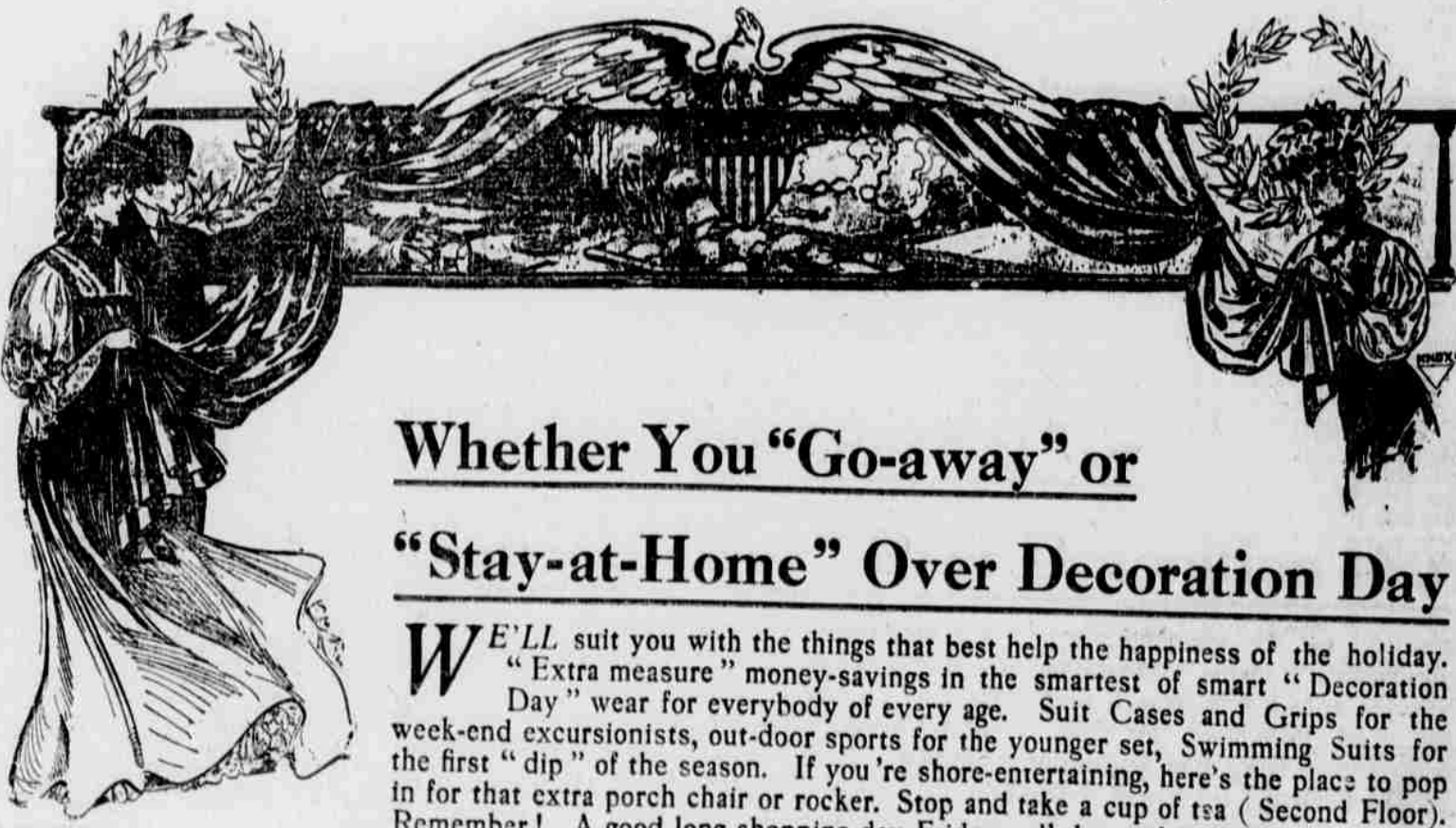
Decorated Crepe in tricolors, come in shield, flag and wreath designs, also in the stripe suitable for making ribbon effects, 10 ft. folds at 15c.

Tri-color Festoons, 10 ft. long for 10c.

Red, White and Blue Garland 10c Red, White and Blue Garlands with small flags 15c.

Garlands with 4 x 6 flags 17c.

Crepe Paper patriotic lunch sets for picnics, 1 table cloth 42c 84, 12 napkins and 12 doilies for 19c.



Whether You "Go-away" or "Stay-at-Home" Over Decoration Day

WE'LL suit you with the things that best help the happiness of the holiday. "Extra measure" money-savings in the smartest smart "Decoration Day" wear for everybody of every age. Suit Cases and Grips for the week-end excursionists, out-door sports for the younger set, Swimming Suits for the first "dip" of the season. If you're shore-entertaining, here's the place to pop in for that extra porch chair or rocker. Stop and take a cup of tea (Second Floor). Remember! A good long shopping-day Friday—all day and evening.

For "Decoration Day" Travelers.

To put in your soap box, a cake of French Almond Soap, regular 15c at 9c; 3 for 25c.

Imported Tooth Brushes, one in a box, fine grade regular 25c at 15c

Imported solid back Hair Brushes, regular 50c at 23c.

Gourard's Oriental Talcum Powder, regular 25c at 10c.

Rimac Pure Cream for tender faces, regular 50c at 35c.

Scarie's and Browns fine Extract, ten different odors, regular 39c and 50c oz. Special at 18c oz.

Two Thousand "Decoration Day" Waists. A Carnival of Smart Styles and Sound Money-Savings.

THE wheels of a thousand machines whirl daily in the workrooms of the big waist makers from whom come a large portion of the special bargain-purchase which will be spread before you bright and early Friday morning. The waists themselves are so new, so fresh, crisp and dainty, that many of them were hardly out of the works and not even yet "ironed" when selected. But they're here! And to realize the fullness of the worth YOU MUST SEE THEM! Such fine work, such superior trimmings, such cut and style. The season's newest and most charming

WHITE SUMMER WAISTS AT HALF VALUE,

less than half and almost half lowest regular selling. Most of them are exquisite White Lingerie Waists, some few plain tailored, again a very few in colors. Not a vestige of cheapness anywhere. No poor cotton laces and embroideries and slovenly stitching. Daintiest of dainty Val, Torchon or Cluny laces and combinations of rarely pretty embroideries. There are lovely White Lawns, Batistes, Dotted Swisses, Linens, Percales, Madras, and more, in a collection of upwards of fifty chic model leaders of the season's modes. There are pretty Waists for common sense, every day practical service, charming waists for summer dress affairs, Waists of striking style, of distinctive grace and beauty.

Prices that net you the most uncommon bargains! Values that tell their own story of money-saving at glance and touch. Divided for Friday's selling into these three specialized offerings:

Waists at 59c. Values up to \$1.25.

A dozen different dainty new models freshly arrived. Lace and embroidery trimmed, or plain tailored; button back and front.

Waists at 89c. Values up to \$2.00.

Very smart styles of the best Lawn, handsome lace and embroidery trimming; some of the prettiest waists ever shown at this price.

Waists at \$1.39. Values up to \$3.00.

Tailored and embroidered, lace trimmed Lawn and Batiste, button front and back, long and 3-4 sleeves; several new combinations of embroideries and Filet laces.

Waists at \$1.98. Values up to \$3.50.

Eight styles in all of beautiful Lawn Waists. A big maker's latest models, demonstrating the very perfection of quality, fit and finish.



Famous "Standard" Waists, \$2.50 to \$15 and \$25.

The "Standard" folks keep a designer in Paris all the year 'round to catch the latest French ideas for American adaptation. The "Standard" is most exclusive; it carries the stamp of elegance. We're sole New Haven Agents.

A "Job" of Wash Skirts, No Two Alike, At \$3.95.

And a "job" worth shouting about. Makers' samples, no two of a style alike. As smartly and stylishly cut as only the tip top skirt makers can. In Linens, Repps, Crashes and Ducks. Would sell regularly up to \$10.00.

Friday White Skirt Sale.

Skirts at 95c.

Made of excellent material with deep flounce, hemstitched tucks, lace or embroidery trimmed, drop and dust ruffle underneath. Regular \$1.39 value.

Skirts at 1.25.

Ten styles in this line; exceptional bargains. Good Muslin, some with hemstitched tuck headed flounces; some with lace insertion and rows of tucks for trimming; some with embroidery and hemstitched flounces. Regular \$1.75 values.

Skirts at 2.95.

Some remarkable Petticoat values at this price in styles of many sorts, made of superfine materials and beautifully trimmed with laces and embroideries. Worth to \$3.75.

Skirts at 1.50.

Six styles of excellent Muslin with full flounces, trimmed most effectively with embroideries, lace and hemstitched tucks; some come with very beautiful embroidery flounces. Regular \$2.00.

Skirts at 1.89.

Newest and prettiest of Cambric Petticoats that are worth up to \$2.75, will be sold at \$1.89. Fine laces and embroideries and in most effective ways, for trimming, all new and exceptional values.

Skirts at 2.50.

Here's a lot of fine White Skirts that are worth up to \$3.00 each, perfectly finished, trimmed with deep embroideries in various patterns. Choice for \$2.50.



Decoration Waists and Suits

50c Boys' Waists for 35c.

Smart little affairs in Gingham, Percale, Prints, Madras, neat light stripes, checks, plains, dark blue, gray stripes, white and tan Madras; some collarless and some soft collars; cuffs attached. There's a bargain!

\$1.00 Boys' Waists for 59c.

These are high grade, full laundered Madras, with laundered cuffs, neat whites with dots and figures, tans, blues and grays, contrasting stripes and checks and finished with patch pockets. Very up-to-date, cut full, regular sizes. A regular \$1.50 seller.

\$6.50 "Decoration" Suit \$3.50

Splendid money-saving time to suit the boy smartly for the holiday. Suits worth up to \$8.50; none worth under \$5.00. New Russian and Sailor Blouses, in Red, Blue and Gray Serge, Browns and Olive Panama Cloths, Gray and Brown Worsteds, Knickerbocker Suits in Light and Dark Gray Worsteds, Fancy Casimers. A few of the famous regular \$5.00 Security Bond Jane Hopkins' Suits with double seat and knee. Your choice Friday at \$3.50.



Corsets 89c.

A lucky purchase of a manufacturer who wanted money badly enabled us to get 400 pair of this high grade of corsets made by one of the leading manufacturers. New short hip, high bust and girde top, long hip, just the corset for young misses and slender figures. All sizes 18 to 28, finest Batiste and imported French Coutille, and best heavy hose supporters attached. Regular \$1.50 value.

Handkerchiefs 4c.

Women's fancy Handkerchiefs, stripes, plaids, plain white, hemstitched and dainty colored borders, 7c value. 4c each or 7 for 25c.

Collars 12 1-2c.

Embroidered Linen Collars, many pretty designs, colored and dots, regular 25c values.

Petticoats 69c.

Lot of Women's Black Sateen Petticoats, worth up to \$1.50, and Wash Petticoats of Black and White Percale worth up to \$1.25, will be sold for one day at 69c each.

Smart Millinery Goes At Slashing

Price Cuts! The Woman Who Hesitates Now Loses

1-3 to 1-2 Off Every Trimmed Hat. You buy a \$40.00 Hat now for \$25.00. 1-2 Off All the Millinery Trimmings. You buy a \$25.00 Hat now for \$20.00. 1-2 Off Every Ready-to-wear Hat. You buy a \$15.00 Hat now for \$ 8.50. 1-3 to 1-2 Off All Untrimmed Shapes. You buy a \$10.00 Hat now for \$ 6.50.

Women's Vests 11c.

Women's Swiss and Richelieu Ribbed White Cotton Vests, low neck, sleeveless or 1-4 sleeves. Regular 15c values.

Girls' Oxfords 98c.

Misses' and Children's Kid and Patent Leather Oxfords, also little Men's, good styles, all sizes. Regular \$1.25 values.

Taffeta Ribbon 12 1-2c.

All colors and black for hair bows. Regular 21c a yard.

Chiffon Veiling.

By the yard, 20 in. wide, at 50c.

Women's Oxfords 1.88.

Women's Tan Russia Calf Black Kid and Patent Calf Skin Oxfords in several new toe shapes. Blucher and gibus cuts, all sizes. Value \$2.50.

Women's Hose 17c.

Women's Fast Black fine Gauge Cotton Hose with silk embroidered insets in a variety of handsome patterns. Regular 25c value.

Automobile Veils.

From 1-2 to 3 yards long, in all the leading colors, also the all popular Square Veils in Chiffon and Chiffon Cloth from \$1.25 to \$3.00 each.

Women's Belts 19c.

Women's Elastic Belts, buckle and back piece, Brown, Black and Navy. Regular 50c value.

Men's Bathing Suits 1.00

Special for Decoration Day, men's heavy 2-piece suit with stripes on the bottom of shirts and pants.

Long Gloves 98c.

Women's 16 button length pure Milanese Silk Gloves, double finger tips, all the new spring colors, also Black and White. Regular \$1.50.

Men's Fancy Socks 11c.

Men's full seamless Cotton Socks in a variety of the newest colors and patterns, all sizes. Regular 15c.

Pretty New Veilings.

Novelty Russian Nets, Browns, Blue, Black and White, and all Black. 25c to \$1.25 a yard.

Petticoats 95c.

Women's fancy stripe Petticoats, all the popular shades, made with deep sectional flounce, cut very full and unusually well made; drop skirt and dust ruffle underneath. Regular \$1.50 value.

Men's Underwear 35c.

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, shirts long or short sleeves, drawers double seats. Regular 50c Underwear.

To Illustrate Why Business is Always Good.

- \$16.00 Oak China Cabinets . . . \$9.75
\$14.00 Solid Oak Sideboards . . . 9.35
\$5.50 White Enamel Iron Beds . . . 3.95
\$10.75 Refrigerators, 41 Inch . . . 7.95

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A PRACTICAL PROPOSITION.

No "If" in Prospect Terrace—Special Offer This Week.

There are so many opportunities in this world that are qualified with the sentence, "if you only had the money

to take advantage of them," that it is refreshing to read the proposition of the New England Land Co., which appears on page 2 in today's issue. The proposition may not appeal to all; but to those to whom it does appeal it is feasible. Land so near New Haven, with the natural and improved advan-

tages this property has must enhance in value. The restrictions put upon the sales tend to make it a desirable place to build.

The ballot of the young ladies' popularity contest will be found on page two.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. George Churchill of Newington has been visiting her brother, Mr. A. W. Wickham.

Misc. Cora Stevenson of the New Haven hospital, who has been spending two weeks with friends in South Glanstonbury returned to this city yesterday.

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