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THE PRESS.

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AT ENFIELD ST., The Press will be for sale by F. J. Sheldon, and at the Post Office.

AT BROAD BROOK, at the Post Office.

AT WINDSOR LOCKS, at Hudson's news room, and by news boys.

AT SUFFIELD, by Frank H. Reid.

Tuesday was an anxious day for both political parties and all eyes were eagerly turned towards Ohio and Indiana. There was intense excitement through both States, as rumors had filled the papers of roving bands of roughs, who intended to take possession of the polls, and in some places there were organizations ready to take the field for order.

In Indiana the result is not so sure, but there is little doubt of the election of Porter (Republican) by a majority estimated variously from 1,000 to 8,000. Eight out of 13 members of congress will be Republican as will be a majority of both branches of the legislature.

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The Farm.

GARDEN WORK.—Toward the end of September and during October is the proper season for planting hardy bulbs, such as crocus, hyacinth, tulips, crown-imperials, narcissus, and lilies.

The Home.

As this is the season of agues, especially in the western country, we give a very simple remedy, which is vouchsafed for by the Philadelphia Press.

To prevent the smoking of a lamp soak the wick in strong vinegar and dry it well before you use it; it will then burn both sweet and pleasant.

To remove freckles, use two parts of lemon juice to one part of powdered borax; apply often.

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Sunshine for Little Hearts.

"How pretty!" cried little Sam, as his little fat hand grasped a bunch of white lilies which grew near the gate of his father's mansion.

"What made you call it a pretty thing?" "It was a bright, beautiful, and smiling flower. How could it hurt the child's hand?"

"A busy little bee in search of a dinner, had just pushed its nose in among the lily blossom, and was sucking the nectar from it most greedily when Sammy's fat hand disturbed him; so, being vexed with the child, he stung him. That's how Sammy's hand came to be stung."

"Let every child take note of this: 'Many pretty things have very sharp stings.' It may save them from being stung if they take this truth in mind."

"Sin often makes itself appear very pretty. A boy once went to the circus because the horses were pretty and the riders gay, but he learned to swear there, and thus that pretty thing—the circus—stung him."

"Another boy once thought wine a pretty thing; he drank it, and learned to be a drunkard. 'The wine stung him.'—Ez.

We take the following from the pages of the Excelsior, a paper made up of original articles contributed by the pupils of the Thompsonville High School.

A Mother's Girl. Fresh and fair, Such pretty brown hair, Sweeter than roses, Purer than the snows.

Loving gray eyes, pretty little feet, Such a nice dress, always neat, A pretty white broat, like that of a swan, With a wee little bow of a mole thereon.

Do you like to picture? If you do, Say if you think the portrait true.

I met the partner in the fields, All in the twilight gray; And what do you think, and what do you think, and what do you think.

"Dear me, 'it grieves me much to see you so much like a man; and wicked ways beware!"

"I'll tell you what I'll do for you, I'll give you a good spanking, and I'll tell you what I'll do for you, I'll give you a good spanking."

"For my sweet loof got to jumping So hard, that it wouldn't stop Till I got the law, and I'd taken Just the tinniest, toinniest drop."

"When I thought that I heard somebody A-comeing right in de door, And de jam slipped out of my fingers, And dere it is on de floor!"

"Dear me, but 'im drefre sorry! And oh! how I wish that my dolly Had been a little—just—instead of me!"

We sometimes like to know the sizes of the immense buildings and large cities of ancient days. Some one has taken the trouble to collect together these figures which we here give: That old city, Nineveh, was fourteen miles long, eight miles wide, and sixty-six miles around, with a wall one hundred feet high and thick enough for three chariots abreast.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Break a biscuit and smell of it immediately after coming from the oven. It will tell you.

The fire to Hartford and return for Boys in Blue to-morrow will be 50cts; all others at regular rates.

The H. C. Co.'s works are to be closed Saturday, but will start up on Monday morning.

The new bill which is to take the place of the one recently removed from the stockmill, arrived this p. m.

Mrs. J. C. Simpson returned this week from a five weeks pleasure trip through the West.

John Long, a young man from this village, was killed by the cars at Stamford yesterday afternoon.

The Board of Education organized last Saturday, choosing Rev. D. F. Sanford, chairman; F. A. King, secretary and treasurer; Messrs. J. N. Allen, Dr. E. F. Parsons and C. L. McCracken, acting visitors for the year.

Miss L. T. Murphy has just returned from New York with a well selected stock of millinery goods.

At the republican caucus last Saturday evening, Chas. F. Morrison, chairman, the following were chosen delegates to the county convention: F. J. Welton, J. B. Stewart, L. W. Luce and J. N. Allen.

Mr. George Begg is making preparations to open a new and thoroughly first class drug store in Barber's block, in the street which he has occupied for a number of years past.

By the heavy gale of last Monday the name of Arthur was torn from the Garfield and Arthur flag.

Mr. Robert McCrone is refitting his greenhouse which was so badly damaged by the gale of last spring. He has already nearly or quite all the sash glazed and up ready for the reception of plants.

Samuel Smith, who lives on the Sterling Adams place, is building an addition to his house.

Charles Thoroughgood is closing out his furniture business, preparatory to a change.

Charles G. Harrison has, this week, removed from the company's cottage on the green to his own house on Alden avenue.

Daniel Lavery, who has been employed at the T. Pease & Sons Co's, planning mill for more than seven years, caught his hand in the gears of a machine last Saturday. Two fingers were badly smashed, one of which had to be taken off at the second joint.

The republicans will hold a caucus at the Engine House, to-morrow evening at half-past seven o'clock, to appoint delegates to the Senatorial convention.

LOCALS.

Thompson's and Sada's mills run on full time.

Ellington was well represented at the Somers fair last week. A good show, plenty of peddlers and a good many people from the adjoining towns were present.

Carrie A. Mackey picked a bunch of red raspberries Oct. 4th, which had five perfect ones and three green ones, she also picked two blackberry blossoms.

C. D. Mackey is repairing his house, the hay window and piazza improves the looks very much.

Mr. Gillette has gone back to Philadelphia.

Mr. Fuller occupies his summer residence here.

Eddie Powell who has been home on a visit has now returned to Hartford.

Marshall Tilden has sold his store to Mr. Barlow and gone to Williamatic to engage in the furniture business, his family are visiting in town now.

Mrs. Daniel Peck was buried on the 5th, she was hurt getting out of her carriage a few weeks ago.

The Democrats had a rally last Tuesday night, on which occasion a handsome banner was raised in front of the drug store. The torchlight in procession were as follows: Warehouse Point Co., Boys in White, 130 men, Windsor Hill band, Next came the Broad Brook Co., 60 men with drum corps; Windsor Locks 112, with St. Mary's band. Some fine fireworks were displayed and the collation provided was good and abundant.

An accident which lacked but a little of being a fearful tragedy was the breaking down of the hotel piazza which was about to crush a party of people. Very fortunately they fell only about eight feet and though all were pretty well frightened no one was seriously hurt.

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John Lally, a saloon keeper, was brought before Justice Oliver P. Mills, charged with selling liquor to minors, found guilty and fined twenty dollars and costs. Lally will probably appeal.

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Everything is absorbed in the cattle show and races, see full account in another column.

WEST SUFFIELD. There will be a grand republican rally in this town to-night, with the raising of a parade of Boys in Blue, speeches, etc.

Wednesday's and Thursday's Cattle Show and Fair, AT SUFFIELD CENTER. The annual cattle show and fair opened on Wednesday morning.

The weather was all that could be desired for nothing seemed wanting to make this year's fair better than any that has preceded it.

As we left the train and turned towards the "Center" we saw a beautiful display of tents upon the green in front of the hall, and as we neared the grounds, the first that greets our ear is "going-go-long for fifty cents," etc., and now we come upon the scene in full view, and it is really grand, the old "quicker set" is one living mass of men, women, children and teams; big oxen, little oxen, blue cows and calves, pigs, sheep, etc., etc.

At about 11 o'clock a. m. the grand cavalcade of cattle, under the direction of Marshal Kendall and assistants, headed by the Remington drum corps, paraded the streets. The display of cattle was good, though not as large as in some years past, but the quality of stock indicate that the farmers of Suffield and vicinity are finding out that it is far more profitable to keep thoroughbred stock than the old-fashion breeds and continually breeding in and in.

Next in order was the display of agricultural implements, including carriages, etc. Most of the carriage exhibitors were from out-of-town, among them Messrs. J. Brodick of Hartford and Joseph Bent of Thompsonville.

The display of fruits, flowers, fancy work, etc., in town hall, was under the charge of H. H. Burr and H. D. Austin, superintendents of the hall, and was really fine, but on account of a thorough examination and a full report of every thing on exhibit, would take more time and space than could be given in this column.

First we notice a mammoth yellow squash, weighing 176 lbs., exhibited by M. H. Fuller. Next in the squash line was a mammoth Hubbard, pronounced by many to be the best ever seen in this variety. Allie Sykes' exhibition. Among the other exhibitors of squashes were W. B. Cherry, Geo. S. Crane and H. D. Austin.

In the vegetable class were also the specimens of potatoes, carrots, cabbages, etc., under the name of Baldwin's bunching corn, exhibited by Asa B. Lord of Westfield, Mass., created considerable interest. A photograph of the growing corn and card attached, represented that from 4 single kernels, 22 new stalks of corn, under the name of Baldwin's bunching corn, exhibited by Asa B. Lord of Westfield, Mass., created considerable interest.

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NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

We desire to say to the People of Thompsonville and vicinity that we have just received from

NEW YORK

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!

These purchases, in connection with our previously large stock, enable us to offer the largest and best assortment of

DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, Etc., Etc. to be found between Hartford and Springfield.

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!

Our Dress Goods Department is especially attractive. We show the largest stock in this vicinity. Please call and examine and learn prices.

We offer the largest and best selected lot of Prints to be found in Thompsonville. All the new styles and colorings with and without side bands.

In Domestic Goods our stock is large and our prices are low.

In Blankets and Comfortables we are top of the heap for quality and bottom for price.

Remember the place to buy your Dry Goods is at Mrs. Simpson's Old Stand, Main Street.

CHAS. G. HARRISON.

The Great World.

It is reported that Postmaster Burnham, of Hartford, is improving, and that his permanent recovery is very probable.

The East Granby cattle-show and fair occurs on Tuesday, October 19. If that day should be stormy, the fair will occur on the next fair day. The Windsor band will be present.

Burglars entered the house of Chief-of-Police Z. C. Crowell, of Norwich, Monday night, and his watch and all the silverware were taken. Mr. Crowell and family were asleep in the house at the time.

Alonso Meserve's house at North Abington, was struck by lightning during the shower, Tuesday afternoon, and considerably damaged. Mr. Meserve's mother and son were partially paralyzed.

Saro Chiaravaro, one of the Italians who was concerned in the murder of Joseph F. Frye in August, 1879, was sentenced, Tuesday forenoon, in the supreme court at Boston, to imprisonment for life, by Judge Morton.

The injunction issued against the Home savings bank of Boston, two or three years ago, has been dissolved by Judge Colt of the supreme court. As soon as some necessary details are attended to, the bank will pay and receive deposits as formerly.

The treasurer of the Boston Five-cent savings bank reports a gain in deposits for the last six months of 1910, and in deposits of \$431,621, making the total present number of depositors \$3,652,265, and the amount to the credit of the depositors, \$8,574,193.61.

The Women's congress opened brilliantly this morning at the Algonquin, in Boston. A large number of women attended the morning exercises, which are for members only, the afternoon and evening exercises being public. The theme for discussion during the three days' convocation, is the advancement of the sex.

The barn and corn-house of C. H. Browning of North Stonington, Conn., with two horses, hay, corn, and other produce, were burned by an incendiary fire on October 4th. The barn doors were found locked on the inside, so that the live stock could not be got out. Mr. Browning is a trial justice.

GENERAL GRANT AND HARTFORD. General Grant's visit to Hartford recalls the fact that in the two most notable events of his life two citizens of Hartford bore a conspicuous part. The late Hon. Henry C. Deming, as chairman of the military committee of the house of representatives, drafted, reported, and supported the bill which created the grade of General in the army, which placed Grant in a position never before held by any man since Washington's time.

General Hawley was president of the Chicago convention of 1868, which nominated Grant for the presidency. Hartford Evening Post.

Postmaster James, of New York, was notified by telegraph from San Francisco that the "City of Sydney," bringing the Australian mails, had arrived two days ahead of schedule time, yet two hours behind the regular mail train. The telegraphed for an instant special, which overtook the regular train. After an express ride of 1,000 miles, and the New York merchants will receive their mail 24 hours earlier than the European merchants 48 hours earlier than they would have received them but for Postmaster James. The European mails will reach Queens town in forty days from Australia, the quickest time on record.

TRIP OF THE PUTNAM PHALANX. Major Brown of the Phalanx has issued the orders for the Atlanta trip. The members of the battalion are ordered to appear at the armory, at 8:30 a. m., promptly Saturday. Each member is required to provide extra ruffs and white gloves necessary for the trip, and to be particular to have their uniforms in complete order and to the approval of the inspector. Members will provide their own ration on the way to and from Atlanta, except at Richmond, provided the Phalanx stop over there on their return. Members will take with them a citizen's suit with the least extra baggage required for comfort, pack the same closely, mark the name on it plainly, and deliver it at the headquarters before 9 a. m. on the day of leaving. Tickets should be procured prior to said time if possible.

The Boston aldermen have decided adversely on all elevated railroad schemes in a bunch. They declare that Boston wants no elevated railroads, and that if it did want them it ought not to have them, because they would be dangerous, inconspicuous and injurious to property along their lines.

The Hudson River tunnel company will cost \$200 of schedule time, yet two hours behind the regular mail train. The telegraphed for an instant special, which overtook the regular train. After an express ride of 1,000 miles, and the New York merchants will receive their mail 24 hours earlier than the European merchants 48 hours earlier than they would have received them but for Postmaster James. The European mails will reach Queens town in forty days from Australia, the quickest time on record.

THE FRIENDS OF THE KILLED EMPLOYEES OF THE NEW YORK & NEW ENGLAND ROAD, according to a multitude of railroad decisions, are entitled to \$5,000 for each of the killed. The fact that the accident occurred through a disobedience of orders, and that a jury acquitted the company, except at Richmond, does not lessen the legal responsibility of the company, nor does the fact that the killed were employees. The law regards it as the duty of the company to employ persons who will obey its orders. In some cases this point has been very severely strained against the companies. It is reported that on one road an engineer by his own carelessness suffered severe injury, and sued the company for damages on the ground that his injury was due to the carelessness of an employee. And the story goes that the claim was sustained and he got a judgment. It is very plain that in such cases as that at Hop river the company cannot help payment except by "settling."

Fifty-seven tons of Greek marble have been delivered in London, free of all charges, by the Greek government, for the Byron pedestal.

Deaths. MORITZER—In Enfield, Oct. 10, Mrs. Eliza Moritzer, aged 80 years.

MILLINERY OPENING! The premiums on classes 31 to 39 inclusive, we are, on account of time and space, obliged to omit in this number.

Removing Ink-Stains from Mahogany. Put a few drops of spirits of nitre in a teaspoonful of water, touch the spots with a feather dipped in the mixture, and on the ink disappearing rub it over immediately with a rag wet in cold water, or there will be a white mark which will not be easily effaced.

The ex-Khivite has bought a villa at Florence for \$30,000, and will go there in November.

PRINTS! PRINTS! PRINTS! We offer the largest and best selected lot of Prints to be found in Thompsonville. All the new styles and colorings with and without side bands.

New Goods! Cottons, Denims and Cheviots. Woolen Hood and Sacks! HOSIERY. Ladies' Wool Socks, and Gloves. The best in town for \$1.00, in all the new Fall shades.

Corsets. The Biggest Bargain in Corsets ever offered in this state. Boots and Shoes at my usual low prices. I have also added to my stock the 4 oz. Rubbers.

Hair Goods. Have a good assortment of Hair Switches. Orders taken for all kinds of Hair Goods at Lowest prices. W. CALDERWOOD, Northampton, Mass.

CASH WILL WORK WONDERS! Robert J. Steele's MARRIAGE. For your choice Cuts, where you will always find on hand first-class Beef, Veal, Lamb, Mutton, Pork, Lard, Ham, Sausages, Potatoes and Vegetables. Canned Goods of all kinds sold CHEAP FOR CASH. Don't forget the HILDITCH BLOCK.

Notice. THE SELECTMEN and Town Clerk of the town of Enfield will meet at the Town Clerk's office in Thompsonville on Wednesday, the 20th day of October, 1880, at 9 o'clock a. m., and be in session until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Also at Hazardville Institute on Saturday, Oct. 23, from 1 o'clock until 4 o'clock p. m. Also on Monday, the 25th day of October, 1880, at the Town Clerk's office in said Thompsonville, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 7 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of examining the qualifications and admitting to the elector's oath those who shall be found qualified and whose names are registered on the list "to be made." Also on Monday, November 1st, at the Town Clerk's office in Thompsonville, from 9 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., if necessary, for the purpose of admitting all persons whose names appear on the list "to be made" and whose qualifications mature between the 25th day of October and the 1st day of November, 1880.

Hurrah! Hurrah!! FOR RED and GREEN FIRE GO TO LINDSEY'S. HEADQUARTERS FOR PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES. Special attention paid to Physicians' prescriptions.

Taylor's COUGH BALSAM. CHOLERA MIXTURE. It never fails to cure Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Cholera Diarrhoea, Dysentery, etc. Referencies: Daniel Judd, So. Hadley Falls, Mass.; S. Stanley, Haydensville, Mass.; Edward Killam, Thompsonville; Miss Julia E. Killam, Randall's Island, N. Y. You cannot speak too highly of your Cough Balsam, Richard Jobs, Suffield, Oct. 1st, 1880.

Wadsworth, Pure Martinez & Prepared Longman's Paint. PREPARED FOR IMMEDIATE USE. Every gallon guaranteed to afford perfect satisfaction; and any building warranted to cost less when painted with our paints, than if painted with any pure White Lead and Oil, or any other paint. See guarantee letter.

FOR SALE BY Niles Pease, Thompsonville, Conn. The T. Pease & Sons Co., Windsor Locks, Conn. C. G. Tiffany, Hazardville, Conn. EDWIN KING, UNDERTAKER. Will furnish COFFINS and CASKETS of all kinds, at short notice. Stine's Patent Caskets with sliding glass, always on hand. Funeral Supplies, Burial Clothing, &c., kept on hand and made to order. Ice Box furnished when necessary. Terms always reasonable. Pease's Block, Main Street, Thompsonville, Conn.

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Killam Family Glan-bake. Oct. 1st was a big day in the Killam family, the occasion being a reunion and festivities, pertaining thereto, on the fine shore property lately purchased or taken on long lease, by Henry Killam of New Haven. The property is a tract of nearly 150 acres, embracing nearly all the shore between Branford shore beach and Double beach. Mr. Edward Killam of our village who ought to know, says they had "the biggest time on earth." The party numbering about twenty-five, arrived on the ground per bus from New Haven about 10 a. m., and proceeded in due time to attack the following bill-of-fare: 1 lb. round chams, 1 lb. long chams, 1 lb. oysters, 5 chickens, with lobsters, black-fish and eels "too numerous to mention." It is safe to say that the chams, &c., as fore-said got the worst of it. Speeches, singing, toasts, &c., concluded the occasion. Most left for home that night, a few staying over Sunday.

Several cottages are to be erected on the property next spring—among them one for T. P. Pease, Esq.

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John Hunter, Assessor's Notice.

THE inhabitants of the Town of Enfield, liable to pay taxes, are hereby notified and required to return to the Assessors or Town Clerk, on or before the 1st day of November next, a list of all property owned by them on the 1st day of October, 1880.

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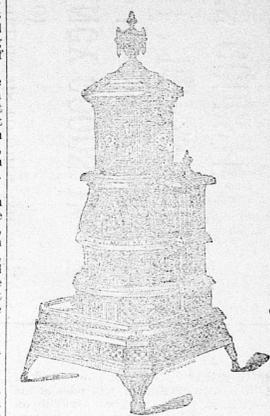
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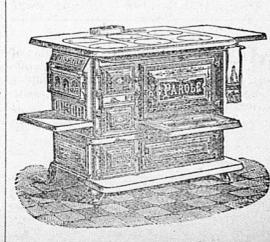
HAVING received our general stock for the FALL TRADE, we take pleasure in announcing in this column that we have the

Largest and Most Complete ASSORTMENT of all classes of goods in our line that we have ever been able to offer our patrons. In our



STOVE DEPARTMENT GARLAND PARLOR.

for our FIRST CLASS parlor stove we offer the GARLAND PARLOR, which, for beauty and workmanship, is acknowledged by all to be the leading Stove of the day. We have also the ASTRAL PARLOR STOVE, too well known in this vicinity for comment; it has undoubtedly the largest base heating surface of any stove in the market. We have also the KENMORE PARLOR STOVE, which is a self-feeding, surface-burning, a handsome and very neatly ornamented stove at a moderate price. We have also the LAUREL, WELLINGTON, MANCHESTER, NEW MORNING GLORY, and a large stock of Cylinder and Wood Air Tight Stoves, and any quantity of Second-hand Stoves of every description, which we offer cheap to clear them out and make room for our new stock.



Cooking Ranges.

our FIRST CLASS RANGE we offer the well known GOOD NEWS, and offer it on trial in over three hundred different families in this and the adjoining towns, it would be useless for us to try to mention any of its good qualities that are not already known. We believe it has no equal. Also the PAROLE RANGE, which is made by the same foundry and works equally as well as the Good News, but not so heavy castings, nor so well ornamented, and comes at a much lower price.

We also have a large variety of Cheap Ranges, such as the Sam, Parker, Richmond, King Pin, Concord, and Model Range, which we offer at a low figure, and guarantee every Range to give perfect satisfaction in all of its working qualities. We sell the Peerless Furnace, having sold them for the past six years and every furnace giving perfect satisfaction. We take pleasure in referring you to parties who have them in use, whom we are sure would speak in higher terms than we would dare to in this column.

FURNITURE DEPARTMENT. Having nearly doubled our stock from the previous year, we are prepared to show as complete an assortment of Parlor, Chamber and Kitchen Furniture, together with almost every article pertaining to this branch, as you will find in many of the city stores. We have Raw Silk, Hair Cloth and Rep Parlor Suits; Walnut, Ash and Painted Chamber Sets, from \$25 to \$75; Lounges, Chairs, Cradles, Mattresses, Live Geese Feathers, Spring Beds, Easy Chairs, Camp Chairs, Center Tables, Looking Glasses, Window Shades, Fixtures, &c., &c.

Crockery, China and Glass Ware. We carry a large stock of crockery of the very best White Granite, and guarantee every piece free from crazing. Also China and Decorated Tea Sets, Silver Plated, Tin and Wooden Ware, Door Mats, Clothes Wringers, &c., &c., and in fact every article needed for house keeping.

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Thanking you for past favors, and soliciting a continuance of the same, we remain, respectfully,

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THIS is the cry all along the line, and to none does it apply with more force than to those wishing to purchase the most and best they can for their money, therefore we call

Attention to our large and varied stock of the NECESSARIES OF LIFE.

Attention We would especially call

Attention to our stock of BOOTS AND SHOES

The success attending this department during the past year has led us to largely increase our stock this Fall with the latest styles and best goods to be obtained, and we

GUARANTEE Satisfaction to those favoring us with their patronage. During the coming year we shall, without stinting our other branches of business, give special attention to this department, and shall give our customers the bargains of the market.

Attention Will be given toward keeping our Stock of

DRY GOODS,

as complete as our limited shelf will permit, without encumbering ourselves with such articles as we shall not deem it profitable to stock.

PRINTS, NOTIONS, &c.,

GROCERY STOCK

Attention to the markets to buy right and sell right. We always keep none but first class goods, which we sell at popular prices.

During the season we shall make a specialty of Canned Goods.

Oil Cloths

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CARPETS, WINDOW SHADES, CURTAIN FIXTURES, &c., will always be found at the

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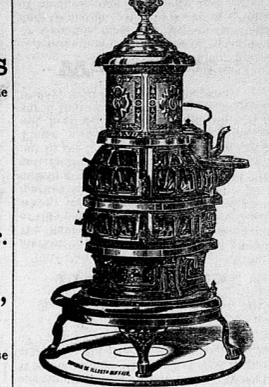
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The affairs of each town are treated on in separate chapters, and the books are plainly printed on excellent paper, and upon the whole, is a valuable contribution to the historical literature of the country, and a good illustration of what "Old Maids" are good for, and now if some one of them will inform the public what "Old Bachelors" are good for, I presume THE PRESS will give them space.

Killam Family Glam-bake. Oct. 1st was a big day in the Killam family, the occasion being a reunion and festivities pertaining thereto, on the fine shore property lately purchased or taken on long lease, by Henry Killam of New Haven. The property is a tract of ministry land of 90 acres, embracing nearly all the shore between Branford short beach and Double beach.

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AMOS D. BRIDGE, Assessors. ELAM A. FRENCH, Enfield, Conn., Oct. 8, 1880.

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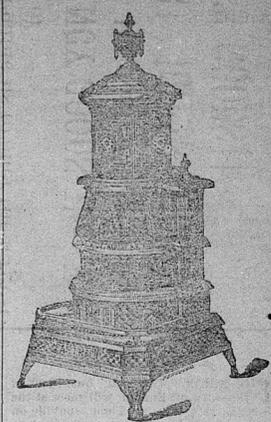
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We also have a large variety of Cheap Ranges, such as the Sam, Parker, Richmond, King Pin, Concord, and Model Range, which we offer at a low figure, and guarantee every Range to give perfect satisfaction in all of its working qualities.

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TIN ROOFING AND GENERAL JOBBING. We keep constantly on hand Copper, Iron, Wood and Rubber Buckets, Pumps, Lead and Iron Pipe, Cement, and Horse Shoe Drain Tile, Eave Troughs, and all kinds of Tinner's work.

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Attention We would especially call to our stock of

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The success attending this department during the past year has led us to largely increase our stock for this Fall with the latest styles and best materials to be obtained, and we

GUARANTEE

Satisfaction in favoring us with their patronage. During the coming year we shall, without stinting our other branches of business, give special attention to this department, and shall give our customers the bargains of the market.

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Will be given toward keeping our Stock of

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As complete as our limited shelf will permit, and without enumerating, we shall say that we shall

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Canned Fruits, Vegetables, and Bottled Goods to be found, such as Pickles, Catsups, Mustards, Sauces, Jellies, Pepper Relish, &c., &c.

German Mustard and Pickles in bulk. Soaps, Salt, Extracts, &c. Choice Butter & Fresh Eggs a specialty.

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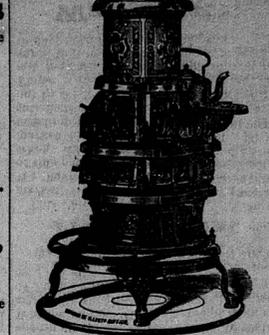
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In all our Stove and Furnace business we intend to sell good goods, always representing them as they are, and backing it up by promptly making all complaints satisfactory. Our prices will be as low as the market will afford.

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PARLOR SUITS in raw silk and hair-cloth. Black Walnut and Ash, marble top, Chamber Suits, Painted Chamber Suits. Center Tables, Extension Tables, Lounges, Easy Chairs, Looking Glasses, Bedsteads, Cane Seat and Wood Chairs, Curtains and Fixtures, Steam dressed, Live Geese Feathers, and a complete stock of all kinds of



Furniture at prices guaranteed to be as low as in the cities. Goods delivered and satisfaction guaranteed.

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We carry the largest stock in town.—We buy no second quality goods, but always the best. Every piece of our White Granite and Porcelain Crockery that crazes, we replace with perfect goods free of charge.

Paints, Oils and Varnishes. Our trade in this line is constantly increasing. We have added to our stock from time to time, until now we have a full line of these goods. Jewett's Lead, raw and boiled Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Japan, Colors in Oil, Masury's Colors in Japan, and Parrot's celebrated Varnishes for carriage work. Johnston's Kalsomine, Domestic Paints in small cans for family use, in all colors. French Zinc, Lime for Whitewashing. Gold Leaf and all other articles in this line. Also a complete line of Paint, Varnish and Whitewash brushes.

Wadsworth, Martinez & Longman's Prepared Paint. This Paint is yet ahead of anything in market, both for durability and price. We have sold not far from 8,000 gallons of this paint, and know whereof we speak when we say that no other paint in market has so good a record. Every building painted is warranted to give satisfaction, and the warrant is carried out to the letter as the public can testify. Those who are going to use paint need not hesitate to use it, and can rest assured that no better article is in market to-day, both for quality and price.

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Including all the various kinds and grades of

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It is our custom to buy during a dull market and ship before the rise in freights, which usually takes place near the list of November, and while we are receiving our stock, during the next 30 days, we shall offer

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