An Enterprising Republican Journal, especially devoted to Local News and Interests.

NORWALK, CONN., TUESDAY APRIL 6, 1886.

Two Dollars a Year.

Number 14. Job Printing of every Varjety Bratty, Quickly & Charty Executed

Waiting

When all the happy woods and hills Are filled with summer's melodies, When the cold hand of winter stills The rippling streams, the whispering trees. My heart unchanged sings still one song, "My love, my love," the whole year long. For all the mystery of life,

The hope of dawn, the night's despair, The greed of gain, the lust of strife, And grinding want and gnawing care, Lie drowned beneath the sunlit sea Of my great joy-she loveth me.

The summer winds that come and go. Laughing about the shady ways, The waters in their ebb and flow Have still one voice through all the days; "Love mocks at time, love laughs at fate!" Nor would I wonder if she came,

In any place on any day, From out the sunlet's crimson flame, Or down the morning's misty way; Nor dream it more nor find it less.

A Fortune Teller.

One day Mrs. Lorrimer's daughter, Violet, was nowhere to be found: neither was the gentleman, Senor Espanol, who taught the guitar. The whole city was alarmed by the account of the mysterious disappearance of a beautiful belle and a hard-working, gentlemanly young foreigner. However, when some one had discovered that the last gave lessons to the first, an inference was drawn by some cool looker-on.

"May they not have gone together?" The mother at once drove the slanderer from her presence, preferring the idea that her Violet was murdered. However, before long a penitent letter all blotted with tears reached the poor old lady, all alone in her great Fifth Avenue mansion. Violet was married to Senor Espanol.

The more one loves a person the more furious does any deception on her part make one. A less loving mother might have forgiven. Stung to madness, this one wrote a terrible letter to the foolish girl who had so hurt her. The husband, a hot Spaniard, read it. It insulted him, and he forbade his wife ever to see her parent again. To do him justice, love, and no mercenary motive, had led him to elope with the pretty

So the gulf was fixed between the only two of the same blood who lived on earth, and Senor Espanol began to give lessons on the guitar for two instead of one. Then for three, four and five. If he had lived a little longer it would have been for six. But the day the fourth child was born, a countryman, who had mistook him for a rival, stabbed him in the back. He apologized next moment, but the poor victim did not live to hear him through, but died trying to express the fact that the gentle-

man was perfectly excusable. And so Violet, who had been very happy with her music master, was left a widow with four babies, no money, and no accomplishment that had been sufficiently cultivated to earn a living by. Of course she took in sewing, and of course a day came when there was a a very small prospect of supper and not

Not a penny in the house, not a loaf of bread in the closet, not a dollar's worth of work to be got anywhere, what was she to do? The poor little woman walked up and down and cried. That did not help her. She looked over the relics of the past. There were pretty pieces of jewelry, worth nothing. Valu able things had all been sold long ago. She glanced out of the window. A woman with a very large new basket and no shoes went begging from door to

The basket was worth two dollars and a half, the shoes could be bought for two. The singular circumstance preyed upon her mind. She began to take an interest in the ways and manners of beggars as the awful expectation of becoming one began to haunt her.

"I could drown myself." she said "but I could not well drown four children, like a litter of puppies." Then leaning her chin on her hands

she watched from her window another woman, with a handkerchief over her head going from door to door. Was she begging? It seemed not. Once or twice she entered and stayed some time. At last she saw her at her own door, and heard her going from room to room. There was a knock at the door. She opened it, and the woman was

"Well?" she said inquiringly. "Let me tell your fortune, lady. I only charge twenty-five cents," said the

"My fortune is told, since I have not twenty-five cents in the world." said The woman turned away. "Stop a minute," said Violet. "In

this age do people say you tell their

"No age is too old," said the woman "I just told an old lady's fortune below. It was in the cards that she was to have a husband-her fourth. She gave me a dollar. Look!" she opened her palm. "I make money, I do. I'm a seventh child; I see the future. I'll take any bit of jewelry if you have not any money. Have your fortune told?"

But Violet shook her head and closed the door hastily. "I can not steal, and to beg I am ashamed." said she to herself. "After it is dark to-night I will go out and tell fortunes. Then she took two flat-irons to the junk shop, bought a loaf of bread and a pint of milk, and fed her four children-she for whom nothing had once been dainty enough, and who had

ridden in her own carriage.

She put the children to bed, and left the key with a neighbor, in case of fire, a dread that haunts those many storied houses like a ghost, and then, disguished in veil, hood and shawl, went forth on her errand. It was a crazy dream. She had not courage to attempt fortune-telling. It was worse than begging. She wandered along the streets, coming at last to the homes of luxury. In the end she stood before her mother's window. There was a light in the basement, and through the lace curtains she saw a table spread, and the shadow of a figure she knew to be her mother's on the curtain; and there, drawing down the shade, was Martha, who had nursed

her when a child. Tears filled her eyes. It was a paradise which she never hoped to regain. Had not her mother written:

"A curse on you. Never darken my doors more unless you wish to hear me

But there at least she had not the terror of strangers upon her; she could beg or tell fortunes. Martha was superstitious and always had dreams of matrimony, and of the coming back of a lover who had gone to sea when she was in her teens, and had never been heard

She crept up to the window and tapped on the panes. In a moment Martha opened the door.

The hooded figure drew near. "Let me tell your fortune?" she said. "Bother." remarked Martha. "I am

past fortunes."

Volume LXXXVI.

"What?" said Violet. "With a lover gone to sea?" "Lord save us !" cried Martha. "And in one place twenty years," said Violet.

"You know more than is good," said Martha. Stop a bit. Are you one of them chirvoyants?" "Yes," said Violet. "Could you see where people are, what's come of them and that?" asked

Martha. "For instance, a gal that's been gone eight years, could you look for her in a dream, like as I have heard they can, and find her?" "Yes, I think I could," said Violet.

"Sit here, then," said Martha, pointing to a chair in the hall, and hurried into the dining-room.

She came back in a moment. "Come and speak to missus," she said. And Violet, trembling so she could scarcely stand, entered her mother's presence.

No love is like a mother's. Violet had known that since she cast it off. She knew it now, looking on the pale face where wrinkles had come so thickly on the hair, all turned gray now-on the sad eyes, that were so bright when she last saw them.

She longed to kneel at her mother's feet and beg forgiveness, but she dared not yet; had not she sinned too deeply to hope for pardon? She stood silent with her head bowed down.

"They tell me you are a clairvoyant," said Mrs. Lorrimer. "I have not much faith in such things, and if the power prospers its possessors so little it cannot be worth much; but still I have something I should like to ask you. You search for lost things?"

Violet bowed. "If you can find something I have lost I will repay you well," said Mrs. Lorrimer. "Here, sit down. Perhaps if you have this knowledge, you can tell me what I have lost."

Violet sat down. "It should be darker," she said-'will you lower the light?" Martha lowered the light and stood by the lady's chair-and there was

but the firelight was not bright enough to show her features. "Lady," she said in a low voice, "it is not gold or silver, that I see; it is nothing that can be bought for money.

silence. Violet had cast back her veil,

What I see is a girl." "Good heavens!" cried the old lady. "A girl of sixteen, with fair hair and blue eyes," said Violet. "That was what she was when you saw her last. Am I right?"

"Yes," said Mrs. Lorrimer. "You loved her," said Violet; she loved you. But she deceived you; she was an excuse for her. She fell in love: she was mad for awhile. You cast her off. She is gone. You will never see

"Hush! hush!" cried Mrs. Lorri mer. "She was not bad. I was wicked; I knew what it was to love, yet I forsook her because she knew it also. Look again. How does life use her?" "She is a widow, and very poor," said Violet. "So wretchedly poor that

she does not know where to get bread; but she will not come to you. You would curse her. You will never see The old lady started from her chair. "What are you? How do you know the secrets of my life, the words I most repent uttering? Look again! Tell me I shall see her once more. Tell me where to find the only babe I ever held

Violet—where is she?" And the woman she addressed fell upon her knees and clasped her hands. "She is here," she cried, "Mother, she is here!" and the two wept together in each other's arms; and all was for-

against my breast! My little one-my

The good mansion is no longer desolate. There are little children's voices there, and mother and daughter are together once more. And in that other world, where we cannot believe that wrath endures, doubtless the lover of her youth rejoices that Violet's mother's

fortune was told so well. THE BOATS OF GOLD.

The Museum of the Northern Antiquities in Copenhagen has just been enrichened by a remarkable discovery made at a small place near Thisted, o the West coast of Jutland, Denmark. Two men digging in a gravel pit in the neighborhood of an old burial mound, called Thor's Mound, struck an earthen vessel with their picks, disclosing a number of gold pieces. On examination it was found that an earthen vessel of about seven inches diameter at the rim, and covered with a flat stone, had been buried about a foot and a half below the surface, and this had contained about a hundred little golden boats, curiously worked, varying in size from three to four and a half inches. A gunwale and frames of thin strips of bronze had first been formed, and these had been covered with thin gold plates, some of which were further ornamented with impressions of concentric rings. The boats, of which only a few are in a fair state of preservation, are tapered at

both ends, and resemble the Danish fishing craft of the present day. This discovery, which may be regarded as a deposited treasure of votic offerings. and belongs doubtless to the close of the bronze age, proves that frame built vessels were already known at that time, and that man was not satisfied with the hollowed-out trunks of trees. The gold of which these little fishing models are composed was valued at twenty-seven pounds, which amount ogether with a gratuity, has been forwarded to the finders, who are both

EXECUTIONS IN OLD FRANCE.

When executions were tolerably frement and the bodies were left suspended in chains till they fell to pieces small range of gallows did not suffice. M. Viollet le Duc, in his "Dictionary of French Architecture," devotes an article to the Fourches patibulaires, and gives several engravings of that of Montfaucon restored. The place of the callows formed a quadrangular platform about 44 feet square. This platform was raised about six feet above the level of the soil, and was built over a vault to contain the bones as they fell from the gallows. Sometimes in addition to this vault it contained a chapel. On three sides of the platform were piers rising to the height of 30 feet. united by beams of solid oak at the top and in two heights below, so as to form three ranges or stories of gallows. Of these stone piers there were six on each side. One side of the quadrangle was left free for the stairs and for the block for executions with the sword. Thus, on the Montfaucon Fourches 45 men could hang simultaneously-or rather 00, as each opening was made to accommodate two persons. In the middle of the area was a stone with an iron ring in it, which could be raised to allow of the bones being pushed through the hole into the vault below. Access

to this vault was also obtainable through

a door at the bottom.

COMPELLED TO TERMS.

NORWATK

Widower Smith rode up one morning to Widow Jones's door, and gave the usual country signal that he wanted to see somebody in the house, by dropping the reins and sitting double, with his

Out tripped the widow, lively as a cricket, with a tremendous black ribbon on her snow-white cap. "Good-morning" was soon said on both sides, and the widow waited for what was further to be said:

"Well, Ma'am Jones, perhaps you don't want to sell one of your cows, nohow, for nothing, any way, do you?" "Well, there, Mr. Smith, you couldn't have spoke my mind better. A poor, lone woman like me, doesn't know what to do with so many creatures, and I

should be glad to part with one if we So they adjourned to the meadow: Farmer Smith looked at Roau, then at the widow, at Brindle, then at the widow again, and so through the whole forty. The same call was made every day for a week, but Farmer Smith could not decide which cow he wanted. At length, on Saturday, when the Widow Jones was in a hurry to get through with her baking for Sunday, and had 'ever so much" to do in the house, as all farmers' wives and widows have on Saturday, she was a little impatient-Farmer Smith was as irresolute as ever. "That ere Alderney cow is a pretty air creature," but he stopped to glance at the widow's face, and then walked round her-not the widow, but the cow. 'That ere short-horn Durham is not a bad-looking beast, but I don't know-" another look at the widow. "The Alderney cow I knew before the late Mr Jones bought her." Here he sighed at the allusion to the late Mr. Jones; she sighed, and both looked at each other. It was a highly interesting moment. "Old Roan is an old milch, and so is Brindle, but I have known better." A long stare followed this speech, and the pause was getting awkward, and at last Mrs. Jones broke out:

"Lor, Mr. Smith, if I'm the one you vant, do say so." The intentions of Widower Smith and Vidow Jones were duly published the next day in church for the first time; and as soon as they were published three times, they were married.

FRYING BACON. The mayor of a country town discovered charter in which, as he interpreted it, 'frying bason" after sunset without he authority of the mayor was an offense against the muncipal laws. Now, his worship being anxious to vindicate the his office, sallied forth one night in company with the parish beadle, to detect and punish all offenders. After perambulating every nook and corner of the borough, they came to a thatched cotage on its precincts, in which they found a poor fellow who had just returned from a hard day's work, hungry and worn out, in flagrants delicto, and immediately arrested the savory morsel, and consigned its cook to a supperiess cell. On the following morning nis worship ordered the unfortunate wight to be brought before him.

"Sirrah," quoth he, "know you not that it is a grave offense against the ancient rights, laws, and customs of this ancient borough, to fry bacon after

"He! he! he!" giggled forth the own clerk. "Ha! ha! ha!" roared out he andience.

"What means this indecent uproar shouted his worship, boiling over with rage; "by Heaven, I'll commit you all for concempt of court!" "Ho! ho! ho!" convulsively jerked

out he of the long robe; "if you please, your worship, it's a mistake." "A mistake? I think it is a mistake. but I'll let you know that I am Mayor." At this culminating crisis, Master Beadle, amid the roars of the court, came to the rescue, and said that his worship had read the charter wrong, for that it was "firing a beacon," and not

"frying bacon." HE GOT HIS ANSWER.

In New Hampshire is a well known, eccentric individual, self-constituted curer of all ills—a sort of panacas, body and soul heart and cons doctor", who with all his eccentricities, has a fund of actual wit that is hard to

Not long ago the doctor was called upon the witness-stand. The opposing counsel, who is said sometimes to wet his whistle with "licker pizen," knowing the doctor's peculiarities, ventured, in cross-examining him, to show him up

"What is your business?" pompously inquired the counsel.
"My business is to do what good I

can do to my fellow-men," modestly responded the doctor. "But that does not answer my question," gruffly answered the counsel. How do you spend your time?"

"Why, square, it takes about all the time to do what I said," replied the "But I want something more definite,"

stoutly demanded the counsel. "How do you go about your business?" "That depends upon circumsta according to the nature of the case. explained the doctor. "For instance if I were going to begin on you, the first thing I should do would be to

advise you to sign a temperance pledge." DEFACING BANK NOTES.

"A bank cashier has unusual oppor unities for studying one curious pecularity of many people, viz., defacing coins and bank notes," said a local member of that happy guild. "Personal vanity is the motive, in almost every instance, which leads to such deacement,"continued the cashier. "See here! look at this pile of notes I've kept

for fun."

The cashier showed a bunch of them. There were, indeed, funny specimens. One of the bills bore, in exceedingly fine writing, a verse of original rhyme. In the corner of another bill there was executed in India ink, paled by the touch of many fingers, a cornucopia scattering the bright, broad pieces, and under it a pursy little man wearing a faint resemblance to Phil Armour was gathering them into his lap. "M.

Masters" had written around it -"Beware of the fate of the granger who dallied at the B. of T. and was vanquished in a brief tussle." Names in red, blue, green and black

ink were written in all parts of bills, sometimes across the foreheads of the faces printed in the body of the notes, many having some epigrammatic sentance tacked on it. With coins it was similar. Names were engraved, written out in ink; dates and initials cut into the metal. Some of them were irretrievably mutilated, as for instance a ten dollar gold piece, the eagle of which had its wings clipped, so as to make it look more like a plucked crow. "I think," said the informant, "that

just about one in every four bills is

marked in some way, and one in every

CONSUMPTION

Boston, Mass., writes:

A correspondent of the North China Herald calls attention to a strange instauce of Chinese belief and practice with regard to the human soul, which lately came under his notice. Lying awake at 3 a.m. he heard in the street close to his house two strange answering voices. Evidently two persons were engaged in this weird dramatic performance, one representing a departing soul, the other acting as the friends and relatives deprecating the departure. The first actor gave a low, prolonged cry, which was answered by a loud and earnest "Come, come." After a pause the cry and the answering call were repeated: this went on for about ten minutes, when suddenly the inarticulate ory ceased. The second actor, in an agony of distress at the departure into the unseen of the soul he had been entreating to stay, shouted loudly in a voice which he no doubt hoped would reach to the confines of the spirit world, 'Return, return-come!" at the same time calling by name. Then there was another pause-presently the low cry was heard as at a distance, "Come, come," eagerly responded the actor; and now the cry and the answer followed one another more rapidly till the cry seemed close to the caller, and in a smothered, chorus as of welcome the performance which was probably directed by a Taoist necromancer, ceased. It is described as being strangely impres-sive in the stillness of the night, not-withstanding the grotesqueness of the superstition; but of course it was not known whether there was actual death in this case, within 12 hours of which the Chinese call for the soul to return, or whether it was only a case of serious illness, fainting, or collapse. This peculiar custom, it appears, varies in different parts of China. Up the Yangtaze it is usual for two women to perform the office. When a man dies suddenly the woman walks through the streets, one calling out the name of the deceased, and the other responding

CALLING FOR A SOUL

ly abandoned.

"I am coming," the idea being to pre

vail on the wandering spirit of the de-

eased to return to its material abode,

which, it is presumed, it has temporari

HOW HERRING ARE BONED. A correspondent of the Boston Transcript writing from Eastport, Me, says: Another new and interesting work is that of boning herring. A New York house has an extensive establishment here, giving employment to some seventy persons, mostly females. The present capacity is about 12,000 fish per week. An excellent account of the process and business I quote from the Journal of Commerce: The fish are placed in numbered barrels, holding about 2,500 herrings each, and at suitable stands, numbered to correspond, sit all the girls whose deft fingers are to remove all but the eatable portion of the fish. Large sharp shears are used to cut off the heads, bellies and tails, and with a sharp bladed knife the golden yellow skin is stripped off, and half of the nicely-smoked muscle detached. The backbone and its adhering ribs are as quickly removed from the other half, and the prepared meat goes to other operatives to be bunched and tied. The prepared halves are rapidly bunched in a rain guage, and secured by knotting with fancy twine, the object being to pack the fish so closely as to retain their freshness and flavor. This object is fully secured by this process, and in its entirety is secured under etters patent of the United States, No. 207,-980, issued to Mr. George Peters, the manager of the Eastport establishment, September 10, 1878. The boxes are now lined with tin foil, and five of the bunches just described placed in each, and carefully covered with the upper layer of tin foil, after which the covers are closed. Perfect cleanliness, method and accuracy are apparent throughout the establishment, and, as the work is paid for by the piece, the operatives are ance, the work going on with dispatch, al though the amount of noise and bustle is singularly small. It is intended soon to ship the fish in the bunched form in barrels to New York, thus saving largely in freight,

where they will be packed in boxes. THE WHISTLING TREE. In Naubia and the Soudan groves species of acacia grows whose scientific ppellation, as well as its popular name, derived from a peculiar sound emitted by the branches when swayed by the wind, the Arabic name is the "soffa," or pipe, and the specific name of fistulia, also meaning a pipe, has been given to the natives to give it its local designation. The tree is invested with insects, whose eggs are deposited in the young shoots and extremities of the branches A sort of gall-like excresence, about an inch in diameter is produced at the base of these shoots, and when larva has emerged from this nidus, it leaves a small circular hole, the action of the wind in which causes it to produce a whistling sound like that produced by a flute or by blowing any hollow pipe. When the wind is violent, the noise caused by thousands of these natural flutes in a grove of acacias is most remarkable. The description given by Dr. Schweinfurth of these bladder-like galls leaves it uncertain whether they are true gall-nuts or whether they are the secretion of a species of lac insects. The valuable lac insect thrives on two or three species of acacia, while one variety (the A. Arabica) also produces a pod or gall-nut, which is useful for tanning. In either case, these natural "whistles" of the whistling tree would form a valuable article of commerce if they could be easily and regularly collected and exported.

A JAPANESE MARRIAGE CUSTOM.

women who believe that their conjugal bliss may be made to depend on the

growth of a plant. It is a plant called

omoto. Its chief characteristic is that

it is a lusty and rapid grower, throwing

out constantly new shoots from the root. A lad or a lass, on going to his or her

married home, carries thither a care-

fully chosen omoto, and, this being

planted or tended, is watched from year

to year, because, so long as it shows healthy development, the permanence

and prosperity of its master's or mis-

tress's marriage state are supposed to

PARISIAN FISHMONGERS.

The itinerant fishmongers of Paris, in

order to supply their customers with

well-cleaned fish, wash quantities of

soles, whitings, plaice, etc., in the gut-ters, which are plentifully supplied with water. People who have the ad-vantage of residing in the immediate

vicinity of a good flowing gutter can

frequently observe these sanitary pre-

cautions, and are thus forearmed and

forewarned. Others in this respect less

fortunately placed constantly purchase,

in confiding innocence, fish cleaned in

gutter water flowing through Paris

streets, and devour the same, prepared with that skill for which the French

cook is so famed, a skill which may con-

ceal bad flavors, but cannot protect the

consumer against the evil results of de-

vouring contaminated food.

be assured.

FOR SALE

Newly Trimmed and Painted.

A Fine Family Carriage. Will be sold at a very low price HENRY TILLY, CARRIAGE MAKER.

The Best in World. Stables. Sperry & Barnes'

Breakfast Sausage ARE GUARANTEED

THE BEST THE MARKET.

nd Free from all adulterat Look Carefully for the Brand. We manufacture all goods bearing our brand at ur packing house. New Haven. Sperry & Barnes New Haven, Conn.

City of South Norwalk. Conn.,

J. G. Gregory & Co.,

Insurance, Real Estate and

Investment Securities.

31 Main Street, Norwalk,

Agent for the

7 per cent. Bonds and Mortgages

Of the Equitable Mortgage Co., of Kansas, and

6 per cent. Bonds

Of the Middlesex Banking Co., of Middletown Conn. Principal and Interest of both guaranteed, Securities of all descriptions bought and sold at New York Quotations. A large number of desirable dwellings and farms for sale.

GRAIN.

FLOUR.

FEED.

COAL

Must be Sold Regardless of

Cost. at

Raymond Bros'.,

South Norwalk.

STILL AT THE FRONT

The Largest Assortment

RANGES.

CROCKERY.

WOODEN

WILI.OW

At Prices Lower than Ever!

No 17. Wall Street.

E. K. LOCKWOOD & CO.

Geo. S. Gregory

Feed and Exchange

GLASS

AGATE

TIN

HEATERS.

W

WOOD.

HAY.

American Ins. Co., of Newark, N. J.,

CONOUERED When the Doctors could do Silk, Cotton or Linen

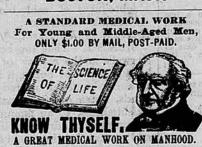
ELASTIC HOSE no more. For varicose or enlarged veins. Warranted to fit, and at reduced rates. CHAS, A. CABERERA, 32 Hawley Street,

"One year ago I was apparently so far gone with Consumption that my lite seemed only a question of days rather than months. With my faith in the ability PURE BOVINE VACCINE VIRUS of physicians to help me all gone, I tried almost every known remedy, with no apparent beuefit Finally, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. R C. FLOWER'S LUNG CORDIAL. The very first They have in stock Electric Batteries, which will be sold at close figures. They carry also a fu-assortment of Keystone Writing Paper Packets. lose gave me relief, and with the first bottle I took a new lease of life, and I can honestly say to-day that one spoonful of this remedy is worth more to the sufferer from Lung troubles than a gallon of any other known remedy. A bottle of it is R B. CRAUFURD.

now one of my choicest possessions, and at the first sympton of a cough or cold I fly to it for the relief it never fails to DR. FLOWER'S LUNG COR-DIAL is without question the most wonderful Lung remedy ever discovered. It eradicates the germ of Consumption as no remedy has ever been known to do. It stands without a rival for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis,

Asthma and Consumption. Price \$1.00 per bottle. A copy of Dr Flower's Rules for the Treatment of Consumption accompanies each

Flower Medicine Co. BOSTON, MASS.



Hell age, and we will man you free, a roya yaluable sample box of goods that wi put you in the way of making more money in a few days than you ever thought possible at any business Capital not required. You can live at home and work in spare time only, or all the time. All of both sexes, of all ages, grandly successful, 50 cents to \$5 easily earned every evening. That all who want work may test the business, we make this unparalleled offer: To all who are not well satisfied we will send \$1 to pay for the trouble of writing us. Fuk particulars, directions etc., sent free. Immense pay absolutely sure for all who start at once. Don'idelay. Address, Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine.

Sutton's Catarrh Cure **.**V....... THE ONLY REAL MEDICINAL PREPARATION OF CATARRA

PROPRIETOR: L. B. SUTTON, New Canaan, Ct. STOVES, For Catarrh and Cold in the Head it has not an equal. Gives immediate relief. Pleasant to use.

brane to a healthy condition.

—Persistent Use Assures a Perfect Cure!

Alleviates Catarrhal Headache. 50 cents by mail and at druggists. R. W. Robinson & Son, Wholesale Agents, 184 Greenwich street, New York.

For Sale by Geo. B. Plaisted, Norwalk. 1y15

CURED.—PRET & CO., 501 Sixth Ave., Cor. 80th St., New York. New Method. Holds any case with ease and comfort. Relief at once. Parties attended to and return home same day. Also, Varicocele without surgical operation. Advice free. Open day and evening. Sundays till 3 p. m. Established 15 years. Book for 3 cent stamp. 1y9

A GIFT Send 10 cents postage and we will mail you free a royal, valuable sample box of goods that will put you in the way of making more money at once than anything else in America. Both sexes of all ares can live at home and work in spare time, or all the time. Capital not required. We will start you. Immense pay sure for those who start at onec. Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine. 1946

VICTORIA

SOUTH NORWALK.

Hams, No. 14 Knight St S NEW 7 (In rear of Horse Car Depot), NORWALK, CONN.

JOHN II. SMITH, Our KETTLE LARD is Strictly Pure FLORIST, EAST SIDE OF MAIN STREET, SOUTH OF RAILROAD,

THIS PAPER may be found on the st GEO. P. B. BOWELL & CO'S Plants & Flowers at all seasons

Read this Testimenial.

Mr. Geo. B. Plaisted :

Dear Sir:

Knowing the formula from which Plaisted's Cough Remediis prepared we can certify that the medicines of which it is composed are of recognized utility, for throat and lung troubles. and that it contains n opium of any poisonous or

injurious drugs. MLERY C. CLARKE, M. D., Norwalk C. A. MURRAT, M. D., stated DESTER HITCHCOCK, M. D., " G. R. MCGONEGAL, M. D.,

WM. C. BURKE, M. D., So. Norwal C. G. BOHANNAN, M. D., " E. S. MINER. M. D.. G. W. BENEDICT, M. D., H. HUNGERFORD, M. D., Stamford W. S. TODD, M. D. Ridgefield.

MANUFACTURED BY

Geo. B. Plaisted, DRUGGIST.

Corner Main and Wall Streets, Norwalk 62 Washington Street, South Norwalk.

Seven Years Experience n U. S. Patent Office Geo. R. Byington,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

xtension Cases before Congress a Specialty

CHOICE Building Lots

Imported and Domestic Cloths. FOR SALE On Wilton Avenue

B. J. STURGES, or O. E. WILSON, GAZETTE BUILDING

F. J. Curtis & Co's. 1886.

Stoves & Ranges.

Crockery, China, AND FINE DECORATED

Tea and Toilet Sets. TABLE GLASS WARE.

Standing and Hanging Lamps OF NEW PATTERNS,

CUTLERY.

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS R OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

For Sale at Bargains!

1 Canopy Top Buggy. Livery, Boarding, Sale, 1 Light Grocery Wagon. 2 Heavy Grocery Wagons. 1 Lumber Box Wagon.

> 1 Light Trotting Wagon. 1 Four Passenger Surrey.

W. H. Smith & Co.,

Apply to

Norwalk, Conn.

D25 REWARD.—The above reward will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party who is falsely representing himself to be DR. M. SCHWAB, the optician and occulist. Dr. Schwab is to be found only at the Norwalkand/Mahackemo Hotels. He employs no peddlers ro agents.

Absolutely Pure.

This Powder never varies. A maryel of pur trength and wholesomeness. More econom an the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in con-etition with the multitude of low test, sho weight, allum or phosphate powders.

HOYAL BAKING POWDER CO.,166 Wall St., N. Y. W. E. QUINTARD. PURNISHING UNDERTAKE

OPPOSITE HORSE R. R. DEPOT,

idence 148 Main Street, Telephone Connect GEO. WARD SELLECK, HARDENBROOK'S BLOCK, WALL STREET. FAMILY CROCERIES,

ALEX. S. GIBSON, Organist of the First Congregational Church Pianoforte, Organ and Musical

Composition,

Lock Box 3 P. O., NORWALK, CONN.

J. BELDEN HURLBUTT. Attorney and Counseller at Law Room No. 4, Up Stairs, AZETTE BUILDING, NORWALK, CONN

JAMES T. HUBBELL, Attorney and Counselor at Law 2 Gazette Building,

E. WHITWORTH, MERCHANT TAILOR.

Of the Latest Styles, constantly on hand. Novelties in Scotch Suitings. Satisfaction guaran-teed in every particular. PENSIONS

Government Claims. My sole business. Thousands have Rights Neglected. Address, free of charge, or visit, GEN. W. H. NOBLE.

91 Stratford Avenue, Bridgeport, Conn

W. H. MEEKER. 54 Main Street. SOUTH NORWALK, CONN., Practical Plumber, team and Gas Fitters, Dealers in Plumbers' at Steam Fitters' Supplies, and Gas Fixtures. Jobbing promptly attended to. 1921

O. E. WILSON. General Insurance & Real Estate Agent Money to Loan. Room No. 3 Gazette Bullding, Norwalk, Conn. ATNA INSURANCE Co., of HARTFORD.

CAPITAL AND ASSETS, \$8,002,272.64. Insures against loss and damage by Fire, or terms adopted to the hazard and consistent with the laws of compensation. COWLES & MERRILL Sole Agents for Norwalk and vicinity. Norwalk Fire Insurance Co. Has now completed its
18th SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS YEAR

And has not outstanding a dollar of unpaid losses or claims for losses. No scund company insures for less.
W. C. Street, Pres., S. E. Olmstead, Treas.,
GEO. R. COWLES Secretary. A CARD. FURNITURE BUSINESS. No. 36 MAIN STREET. I am prepared to meet the wants of all prospective purchasers of furniture, both STAPLE AND ORNAMENTAL. I have on hand a large stock which I will sel!

l shall be pleased to meet al: old or new friend and will guarantee satisfaction in every case. GEORGE H. RAYMOND PETER L. GUIGUE.

VERY CHEAP FOR CASH.

FLORIST & NURSERYMAN UNION AVENUE. NORWALK, - - CONN. Dealer in In Green House and Hot House and Bedding and Vegetable Plants, Fruit and Ornamen tal Trees Shrubbery, Vines. Cut Flowers alway on hand and all sorts of designs in Flowers arranged bath in some portions of Guinea is an observance seldom departed from except by the lower classes. Our turn comes next, and at a word from Out-chie, Pocahontas and her attendants

F. H. PECKWELL ARCHITECT. No. 7 WATER STREET,

Grading and Re-filling Cemetery Plots

promptly attended to.

Gill ert Lock Company. Dibble Manufacturing Company's door knobs. New York Wood Turning Company. Corner Blocks for window casings. Round and Square Turned Baluster Plain and Double Moulded Stair Rails.
Also Flat Moulded Door and Window

BEING UNABLE TO MANUFACTURE HARNESS Harness Saddles, Halters, Surcingles, Collars, &c.

Casings furnished at short notice

Fine Harness to Order. No. 7 WATER STREET. here I will keep a regular line of Whips, Spoi Chamois, Blankets, Robes, Feed Bags, Traveling Bags, &c. J. F.PECKELL

For Sale Cheap Will be sold at a Bargain, if applied for soon a small, near Cottage, of sixt come, in good aeigaborhood, and three minutes' walk of the bridge. Apply at GAZETTE OFFICE.

Notice to Builders. FIRST-QUALITY BUILDING STONE for sale cheap. Apply to the JAMES K. SELLECK, P. O. Box 93. Norwalk. NORVALK GAZETTE Terms for Acvertisin

All Bills Collectable Monthly and Tourk Accounts at provide Raise.

A MODERN SEA FIGHT. People often wonder what would be the results of a great usval battle at the present time. Would many ships be destroyed? Would the loss of life be great? Let us try to describe, shortly, a few of the probable features of a fight between two fleets of modern ironclads. Although two hostile fleets might approach one another in some tactical formation, this could not be adhered to for any length of time, and the battle would soon become a series of inde-pendent duels between individual ships. This is at once apparent when we consider that most, if not all of the ships would have rams, and it would, therefore, be highly necessary for a captain to have perfect control over the move-

ments of his ship to prevent her being

rammed by an enemy.

At the outset of the action the torpe-

lo boats would probably take a very active part, and, until exterminated, which they certainly would be in time, would engage great attention, and be affective in sinking a few ships. It may be safely concluded that every ship would be steaming fact during the action, this being necessary to avoid being rammed, to get into favorable positions for discharging torpedoes and to clude the fire of an enemy. Heavy gun fire would, of course, be mainained from the commencement of the action, and those shins whose engines got disabled from this cause would speedly be rammed; and at this point we consider that great loss of life would take place, for the reason that the boats of a ship, being always exposed to the machine gun fire, would at an early stage of the action be riddled and shattered by shot, and in the incredibly short time in which a ship sinks after being rammed it would be impossible for the crew to improvice other means to save themselves from drowning. No steps seem yet to have been taken by the English admiralty with a view of providing for this contingency. It has been suggested that a hospital

We would make a further suggestion -namely, that this ship should be provided with fast steaming boats, peculiarly marked to show their pacific nature, which should proceed to the assistance of a sinking ship. By this means, a number of men might be saved who would otherwise certainly be drowned. It is not probable that the loss of life from gun fire would be large as a great part of the crew of an ironclads would be under water, the rest being inside the armored portions of the ship. Few ships would be able to get into favorable positions for dis charging Whitehead torpedoes from their tubes; even if they did so, the erratic when discharged from a ship in motion that it would in nearly every case miss its mark. The time for the

ship bearing the Geneva cross should

accompany a fleet into action to receive

torpedo boats at the commencement of To sum up, it is the opinion of many naval men of authority that a modern naval battle would only occupy about one-half the time of a fight in the old Trafalgar days; that half the ships employed would be sunk, and that most of the remainder would be so battered as to be unfit for further service for

use of Whiteheads would be from the

months to come.

ABLUTIONS IN AFRICA Giving the surplus baggage to a native—one will always appear when wanted-we hastened forward and entered the town of Ishore just as the sun was veiling its face behind the forest line stretching across the western sky. No new features were marked in the town; the same narrow lanes, same mud huts, same general appearance. A few points of difference may be noted. They partake more of the Youruba color a brown rather than a black. They take no more of the energetic spirit of

the Houras than the Guinea nations to

We find a comfortable but in which

the west of them.

to pass the night and to which we are welcomed with true hospitality. This is rendered more intense by a small dash of tobacco. A good evening meal is served, and we throw ourselves down upon a couch of skins and with Outchie where we can reach him with a word, we fall off to sleep and dream. The first sun opens our eyes in the morning, and to a novel scene. Cutchie gives a short laugh, a cross between a choke and a sneeze, as he sees me with open eyes, and attempts to apologize for the freshness of the morning custom. It seems two or three members of the family had occupied the room with us and were now engaged in the morning ablution. Standing in a large bath-pan, some three feet in diameter, was an African Pocahontas, enveloped in a cream lather from head to foot. A servant was washing her down, and with soft native sponges made from the shavings of an elastic bark he left her dry and polished as a black marble statue. A full morning bath is a daily necessity in Africa if health and com-fort is a desideratum, and the afternoon

through the same refreshing ordeal, finishing with the lime-juice bath. PRETTY ROUGH ON NEW JERSEY. Calling at a wayside slab-house in the hill region of Arkansas, the sun-bonneted mistress very cheerfully granted a traveler's request for dinner; but a similar petition on behalf of his horse met with the reply:

vanish, and two servants put me

"Jes' go'n see my old man; he's out thar in the bahn." The traveler soon returned with the report that no such person was to be found. "No one was there but an old nigger milking a cow." "Well, stranger, thet's my husband."

The "stranger," in his amazement, burst out with: "That nigger your husband? It you might have done better than that!" "Wall, I dunno," said the woman, looking up reflectively from the frying bacon; "I dunno. My kin kind o'

think I've done pretty well. My sister

A BLUE GRASS BEAUTY.

married a New Jersey man.

The women of Kentucky have long had a reputation for beauty. An average type is a refinement on the English blonde—greater delicacy of form, feature and color. A beautiful Kentucky woman is apt to be exceedingly beautiful. Her voice is almost uniformly low and soft : her hands and feet delicately formed; her skin quite pure and beautiful in tint and shading; her eyes blue or brown and hair nut brown or golden brown, to all which is added a certain unapproachable refinement. It must not for a moment be supposed, however, that there are not many genuinely ugly women here as elsewhere.

walk to issue Bonds

tember first, 1887; and,

VHEREAS, The borough of Norwalk, on the first day of May, A. D. 1877,

issued bonds to the amount of

fifty thousand dollars, bearing

semi-annual interest at the rate of

six per cent. per annum, said bonds

are still outstanding, and is the whole amount of the bonded in-

per cent. per annum, the principal of

time or times not exceeding forty

bonds, notes, or other certificates to

be applied to the payment of old

SEC. 2. That the court of bur-

gesses of the borough of Norwalk in. Fairfield county shall, after the pass-

age of this resolution, at a legal

meeting of said court of burgesses.

prescribe and determine, subject to

the foregoing limitations, the several and aggregate amounts of said bonds,

notes, or other certificates, the form

of the same, the rate of interest to

be paid thereon not exceeding the amount aforesaid, the times and

places of paying said interest and principal, and the person or persons who shall execute the same for and

in behalf of said borough; said court

of burgesses shall also provide for

the negotiation of the same; and

such bonds, notes, or other certifi-

cates, when executed in the manner

so prescribed and issued and delivered by said borough, or by its officers

or agents duly appointed by said

court of burgesses, shall be obligatory on said borough and upon the inhabitants thereof according to the

tenor and purport of the same.
SEC. 3. That the court of burges-

ses of said borough shall provide a

sinking fund for the payment or re-demption of the principal of the bonds notes, or certificates herein-

before authorized, and at the regular

meeting of said court of burgesses

in the month of August in each year

during which any of said bonds are outstanding, shall appropriate from

the treasury of the borough a reason-

able and suitable sum for the purpose

of said sinking fund, which with the

accumulat ons thereon may be inves-ted by the treasurer of said borough

in such manner as trust funds may be invested by the laws of this state, or shall be deposited in some bank, savings bank, or trust company in

SEC. 4. This resolution shall be to

all intents and purposes a public act; and shall not go into effect until it

has been accepted by said borough at a meeting legally warned and held

for that purpose.
[Approved February 19, 1886.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE,

of the said State of Connecticut, and

keeper of the seal thereof, and of the

original record of the Acts and Resolutions of the General Assembly

of said State, DO MEREBY CERTIFY that

I have compared the annexed copy of the Resolution Authorizing the

borough of Norwalk to issue bonds

with the original records of the same

now remaining in this office, and

have found said copy to be a correct transcript therof and of the whole of

said original.

AND I HERRBY CERTIFY, that the

said original record is a public

record of the state of Connecticut.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have here

22d day of February, 1886. CHARLES A. RUSSELL,

onto set my hand and affixed the seal of said state, at Hartford, this

To act upon the petition of

T. O. Eskelsen and others for special meeting of the Borough

to vote on the propriety of

letting the repairs of the highways of the Borough to

the lowest bidder for a period

To act on the petition of

property owners on Cross

street and School street for

relieffrom standing water and

overflow in times of rain, and

the construction of a sewer on

elsewhere for the purpose of

Dated at the Borough of

Norwalk this 6th day of April.

JAMES G. GREGORY,

Acting Warden.

affording such relief.

of one or more years; and

Secretary of State.

now remaining in this office.

I, Charles A. Russell, Secretary

STATE OF CONNECTICUT,

bonds issued as aforesaid.

Norwalk. Therefore, Resolved by this Assembly:

1886; and,

hundred and seventy-five thousand

per annum, said bonds being desig nated Water Fund of the Borough

NORWALK GAZETTE.

Tuesday, April 6, 1886.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER. WASHINGTON, April 3, 1886 DEAR GAZETTE:-The house has passed the labor arbitration bill, which, it is hoped, may prove of service in putting an end to the disastrous labor difficulties and strikes so prevalent through the country, and which invariably result in far. more injury to the wage workers and their families than to any one else. There is no question that should claim a more careful and thoughtful and kindly consideration of our law makers than the problems now distubing so widely the labor interests of our whole country. But statesmen and law makers cannot accomplish all that is needful to put wage workers and capital on a mutually beneficient and friendly footing. The heads and chief employers of our great manufactories can do much to allay the frictions and irritations between the employer and employed. Congressman West, of the Saratoga district,

is a large employer and he remarked that he never had a difficulty or unfriendly misunderstanding with any employee in any one of his mills in all his business experience. Said he, "I was once a mil hand myself, and I then learned the value and power of a friendly interest taken in the workingman by his employer. I rose to be superintendent of a large mill and I followed out the lessons I had learned with the happiest results, and now that I am a mill owner, when I am at home I make it a point to pass through my establishments as often as once a day if possible, and personally greet my workmen, and enquire with an honest solicitude if everything is going on well with them and their families and if all is right and satisfactory about their work." The result is, said Mr. West, my men never strike, while strikes are going on all about me. Another thing, said he, I always urge and try and encourage my workmen to commence and lay by a little money and put it in the savings bank, and if necessary to do it I will advance them a trifle. Nothing makes a better man and citizen out of a workman than to get him into habits of regularly saving a little money and putting it in the bank till he can buy a home for his family, and nearly all, if not all, of my men are thus forehanded, and I know they feel grateful to me for insisting on these habits of frugality, and no labor troubles ever disturb either me or my workmen.

A discussion of the silver bill Saturday

but little practically resulted from it, if

we except the calling of nearly a dozen

members to order. By far the most interesting question absorbing the grave senatorial mind is that of have been the most obdurate stickers for secret sessions, are giving way to the universally popular notion that the people should know all that its servants are about Even stern Senator Edmunds is The Post states with undoubted accuracy that he has not in reality been so bitterly the rule being as it is now, he was bound to respect it and not infringe upon it. He is quoted as being in favor of a modification of Mr. Platt's resolution by which, while the senate should still transact its executive business with closed doors, the journal of the secret session should be given to the public on adjournment. Anyway, he is in favor of some change upon the present system, by which newspaper correspondents often, even with the best intentions, misrepresent and missecret meetings. The project is gaining ground, and it is thought by some that those who at present are opposed to it. There are two resolutions in support of for the consideration of nominations. Mr. Platt intends to bring up his resolution sibly during this week. During the recent discussion upon the Edmunds resolusides, it is thought, who will, when a vote is taken upon the subject, support the resoution and do away with all secresy

MONUMENT TO ABRAHAM LINCOLN. a bill appropriating \$600,000 for the erection in this city of a monument with apillustrious public services of the late

the petition of Frank W. Tubbesing for a pension. It recites long service in the late quent physical crippling; that by reason of having settled in Georgia after the war, he had lost sight of all comrades who that his lawyers had withdrawn from his case because he could not pay their fees in urging his pension claim. It further recites that the petitioner had held a small position under the government in Atlanta, but was discharged by the new Administration; and prays Congress to grant him a pension in his helpless old age. Mr. Edmunds commended the petition to the carepensions. This poor fellow, he said, had been appointed storekeeper, or gauger, at less fate of politics had turned this poor, helpless crippled soldier out of the public service," though Mr. Edmunds could not see how any consideration of politics could have led to such an act.

criticised the Administration for its refusal to furnish public papers, on file in the declared that the President had assumed an attitude before the country which would not be tolerated in any but two other might tolerate his course, but neither the Sultan of Turkey nor the Queen of England would have occupied their positions twenty-four hours after having taken the position which the President had assumed. ter-General in removing officers in Tennessee from the villages in which they had been situated for years, and locating them in the Piney regions, because he could not find any democrat in the village to take nominated as the most outrageous, int mous action which had ever been perpe trated on any community.

On motion of Mr. Wait, of Connecticut, a hill was passed in the House appropriating \$1,000 to defray the cost of the medal voted by Cougress to John F. Slater, of Connecticut, the munificent educational

From the Washington correspondent of the democratic Tennessee Blade, and from which paper we learned that "physical wreck" Black had foisted his poor old mother-in-law into the Patent office, we spected relative of the Commissioner of Pensions household, a lady, whose father was a Union soldier and was shot dead. in one of the battles near Washington, and who was the support of her mother, was dismissed to make a place for this motherin-law, who as the dismissed lady asserts, marched in to take her place dressed out in silks and diamonds. Nor is this all: the party Black testified before the Senate

committee to having had appointed in the disbursing office of the Interior department, turns out to be his brother-in-law, who was dismissed from the pension office just before the advent of the present administration for drunkenness. If readers of the GAZETTE care to follow the crooked and pitiful tergiversations of this pension sioner Black, in his testimony before the Senate investigating committee, they will find the fullest and fairest reports in the New York Tribune, and can see what a nice specimen of political malignity and foolhardiness he is and how it is that such a man is willing to draw a pension of \$100 per month on the false statements of his being a "physical wreck" while he

is daily dismissing maimed Union soldiers who have been worthily earning support for themselves and families as clerks in the pension office. When the Congressional committee finishes up with this Mr. Black, (a man your correspondent does not personally know and never saw, as he is aware)—the Grand Army boys here have a rod in the pickle for the fraud Congressman Wolford, of Kentucky.

introduced a bill into the house last week granting an artificial limb at the cost of the United States to every confederate soldier who lost an arm or leg in the late war, or if the soldier prefer it the value of said artificial limb in money.

THE NEW TARIFF RAID. The democratic majority of the way and means committee has at last finished the arduous labor, to which it has been applying itself for some weeks past, and the result is a tariff bill which will probably be reported to the house to-day. It is not the Morrison bill, nor the Hewittadministration bill, although it includes much of the latter. Its free list is less devastating to American industries than the Morrison bill, because it omits the metal schedule and some other items which were included in that measure, but it is a deadly assault on the protective system, a staggering blow to labor, and as such it will meet the solid opposition of republican representatives and senators. Lumber, salt, wool, flax, hemp and jute are placed on the free list. All the republican members of the committee voted against each and all of the ptoposed changes, and the democratic members voted as solidly the other way. The bill means the absolute destruction of the U. S. salt industry in which millions of capital are embarked, and on which the bread for thousands of families is dependent. It is the death knell of sheep husbandry in the states save, possibly, California and Texas. Flax culture has come to be a promising business in many localities, and a great number of people and a great deal of capital has been invested in it. This bill means its destruction, and the same is true of hemp and jute. The democratic

party has shown its friendship for American labor since the present congress came in by both direct and indirect attempts to send to Europe for articles that are preduced by our own workingmen. The democratic plot in the naval committee of the house to buy marine engines abroad will not soon be forgotten by American workingmen. The Republican asserts that there are European agents in Washington to-day trying to lobby through congress bills authorizing the purchase of foreign machinery that is in all respects in and out of congress. The new tariff bill is but a continuation of a long cam and in aid of the cheaper labor of foreign TELEPHONE. The sudden death of Judge Baxter be

fore whom the great telephone suit would have been tried at Columbus, Ohio, may compel the Government to transfer the suit to some other juisdiction. Of course the President must appoint a successor to Judge Baxter, but it would hardly be proper for a judge thus appointed to hear this case which is brought by the Government itself, while yet so new in his seat. "JEFFERSONIAN SIMPLICITY."

President Cleveland has shown himself so be phyiscally tougher than any member of his cabinet. While largely enjoying the good things of life and especially of the table, he has no doubt worked harder and confined himself more closely than any of his cabinet ministers. He has gained over forty pounds and local physicians predict that unless he gets out and about more he will have the same trouble that now imperils the life of Secretary Manning. Last week three of his cabinet ministers were sick in their beds, the victims, literally, of their excessive "Jeffersonian simplicity" but all are better now, we are glad to report. CAMPAIGN LITERATURE.

Senator Vance as a democrat gave President Cleveland some very sharp thrusts, in his speech forninst civil service reform, in the Senate last week.

The speeches of Senators Ingalls and Harrison are in constant demand. Immense editions have been and are being printed to supply the wide-spread call for them. Even the democratic senators are complimenting Mr. Ingalls and shying bricks at their own administration by aidng in the circulation of the Ingalls speech. Capt. Wm. H. Parker, formerly of the United States navy and during the war a commander in the confederate states navy, recently appointed Unitad States minister to Corea, left this city last week, en route to assume duties, so that here is a man who foreswore his solemn oath to protect and defend the Government of the U.S. rewarded by being sent abroad as U.S. minister to a foreign court.

A net gain of twenty-two will give the next House to the Republicans. If elections were permitted to elect there would be no difficulty in accomplishing this

The Treasury department reports that there are in circulation counterfeit fives on the Central National Bank of Norwalk or more Norwalk editors are in especial

Mrs. Samuel Daskam and her daughter. of Norwalk, who were called home recently from an enjoyable visit here, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Daskam, the mother of our ex-Mayor, have returned here very sensibly, and are now enjoying the first vernal beauties of our Washing-

Mr. Daskam of Stamford, chief of the public moneys division, is acting chief of the Treasurery Department during the Mrs. Lafavette S. Foster, widow of the late Senator from Connecticut, acting

Lieutenant Lyman, U. S. Navv. On the charge of the office. This action he de-Four hundred and ten more excursion-

ists from New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Connecticut have just arrived and are swarming the capitol to-day. Mrs. Rev. Dr. Childs has returned from her visit to Boston and Hartford.

Memorial Day for John B. Gough. To the Good Templars of the world. It is my painful duty to announce to the order the death of the great total abstinence eader, John B. Gough. Sunday, April 11, having been designated as the day on which now learn that to make room for this re! | the people shall hold fitting services in honor of the man and his life work, the order is requested to at once take steps to arrange a fitting memorial service; and each lodge is requested to drape its charter in mourn

> John B. Finch, R. W. G. T. B. F. Parker, R. W. G. Sec'y. Your system is now more susceptible to the benefits of a reliable medicine than any other ceason. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

ing for thirty days from that date.

A Successful Shoe Manufacturer A reporter of the GAZETTE visited the shoe manufactory of Mr. Thomas Cousins on Hoyt Street a few days ago in pursuit of an item on the growth and development of the shee industry at this institution. Mr. Cousins was found in the stock room decorated with a plebeian apron, seated on a low bench, whittling out by hand a special size of shoe sole to fill a special or der, and occasionally whetting his thin bladed shoe knife on his boot as if to sharpen his memory and recall dates and detail of his business career in Norwalk, in response to the reporter's interrogator-

prising business manager and an Englishman on the shady side of fifty. The well established, flourishing condition of his business and the enviable reputation it has attained for reliablity and honest products are a sufficient proof of his integrity and capabilities as a manufacturer and

Mr. Cousins' first venture in Norwalk dates back to 1871 when he, with his brother James, embarked in the shoe manufacturing business; under the firm name of J.&T. Cousins, their factory being up stairs in the Phoenix building, on Wall street, where they built up a large and paying business, giving employment to over a hundred hands. After six years of active partnership at this stand Thomas withdrew from the firm, and opened a retail store in what is now occupied by S. Stevens' 99 cent store on Wall street. Here he continued for about a year and a half, when he sold out and built the factory he occupies on Hoyt street, where he has ever since been engaged in the manufacture of ladies', misses', and children's

The factory is built of brick, 80x50 feet, three stories high, with a basement under the entire structure, which is occupied as an engine room and stock room. The principal part of the work is done "by the piece,"and about fifty hands are employed, most of whom are in charge of the machines on which the work is mainly done The average weekly pay roll is from \$325 to \$375. The amount of work turned out is about 600 pairs of shoes per week. Besides these, a large number of wholly hand-made shoes are made by Mr. Cousins, the work of which is done by workmen at their own shops outside the manufactory. The goods manufactured at this institution are sold by traveling salesmen to re tailers in various parts of New England and the West and South. The trade is principally with retail dealers, no wholesalers being supplied. Single pairs are al so made, from measurement for individual

Under the guidance of Mr. J. E. B. Sayre, the proprietor's representative "on the road," book-keeper and general superintendent, the visitor made a tour of inspection over the premises, beginning at the engine room, where the 10-horse power engine in charge of Engineer F. C. Rock well keeps up its tireless revolutions and inspires with activity every one of the nu nerous and complicated machines throughout the entire building. The stock room is superintended by Foreman Ed. Gilbert. Here the stock is stored, the soles cut .by a most ingenious and interesting machine, the tidy office being in one corner. O. 8 Youngs is foreman of the cutting room. Here the stock for the appers is selected and cut, and from here sent to the fitting room on the third floor, where George Malkin is foreman and master mechanic. Here the stock is manipulated by the fair and nimble fingers of a corps of real pretty girls, by whom the linings are made, the outsides seamed and stayed, button holes cut, worked and finished, the vamp or fore part of the upper sewed on, the edges blacked, the buttons sewed on, (this is done principally by hand.) The uppers are then sent back to the cutting room and are given out by the foreman to the lasters, the soles are then sewed on by a substantial looking and delicately adjusted machine which walks around the sole in short but rapid steps, leaving a track of stout and uniform stitches. This room, Eugene Ingersoll. The shoe now being endowed with a sole, goes to the heeler and is heeled. The trimmer then takes i t in hand and trims the edges of sole and heel, which are then "set" and burnished. The soles are "buffed" and sandpapered and the finisher completes the work by stamping sizes, ornamentation, etc. on the bottom. The sock lining is then laid, the work complete is inspected by the proprietor or his assistant, the shoes are then laid in paper boxes each holding one pair and packed in cases for shipment.

been a conspicuous figure in that branch of trade which constitutes one of the most prominent industries in our town. Issued from the U.S. Patent Office for the week ending March 30, 1886, for the state of

Connecticut, furnished us from the office o

A brief description like the foregoing is

necessarily abridged and incomplete, but

will perhaps convey a tangible idea of the

process involved in the manufacture, and

also of the record of one who has for years

John E. Earle, solicitor of patents, New Haven, E. F. Barnes, New Haven, cutter head. T. H. Brady, New Britain, suspending electric lights. Same, apparatus for suspending electric Same, apparatus for suspending electric lights.

J. Deeble, assignor 1-2 to J. R. Savage, Seuthington ox shoe.

H. J. Ellsen; assignor to Waterbury Watch Co., Waterbury, mechanism for timing balances.

G. E. Haight, New Haven, and W. H. Wood, Hartford, submarine torpedo boat,

G. E. Hart, assignor to Waterbury Watch Co., Waterbury, manufacture of watch main spring barrel. spring barrel.
Same, combined wheel and pinion for watches.
Same, manufacture of combined pinion and

Same, manufacture of dial wheels. Same, manufacture of main spring barrels.
H. J. Hiscott, assignor to Canfield Rubber
to, Bridgeport, dress shield. 2 patents.
C. A. Hotchkiss, assignor to Ives, Blakeslee
Co. Reidgeport to C. A. Hotekies, assignor to Ives, Blakesiee & Co. Bridgeport toy.
H. J. Ites, Seymour, assignor to J. McEnery, thill coupling.
B. Loomis, Hartford, manufacturing illuminating and heating gas, and apparatus therefor, 4 patents.
G. E. Marks, South Beach, combined knife, and call.

H. H. Mares, South Beach, combined anne and fork.

E. S. Smith, Waterbury, clasp or buckle,
J. W. Strong, Bridgeport, chuck.
W. H. Wood, Hartford, vapor engine.
W. W. Wetmore, assignor to Winchester Repeating Arms Co. New Haven, sight for fire arms.

L. C. Hiller, assignor to Meriden Silver Pate FROM ONE OF BR:DGEPORT'S MOST PROMINENT AND WELL-RHOWN PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.—
MALARIA AND LIVER DISEASE THE MOST COMMON CAUSE OF DEATH IN BRIDGEPORT.—Having a large medical and surgical practice I necessarily see many cases of malaria and liver disease. Hundreds in this city are taking quinine and arsenic to ruin their physical organism and fill premature graves. From an analysis of Red Jacket Bitters I find it to be an invaluable Therapentic remedy for the blood, liver and kidneys. I have tree mmended Lewis' Red Jacket Bitters to my nations, many of whom have been immediately benefitted and cured. I have the honor to be your obedient servant.

JAMES D. B4AGO, M. D.
Bridgeport, November 11, 1885.
To Lewis & Co., proprietors Lewis' Red Jacket
Bitters, New Haven, Conn. My friend, look here! you know how weak and nervous your wife is, and you know that Carter's Iron Pills will relieve her, now why not be fair and buy her a box.

Pearl's White Gircerine makes the skin clear, pure, soft and white; is harmless and delightful to use and at once effective. Throw away your cosmetics, and ask your druggists for Pearl's White Glycerine.

The Schofield Manufacturing Co., of 14 East 14th street, New York, want a general agent in this county for the best line of specialties ever put on the market; their best agents are making from \$5 to \$7 per day, and they are willing to guarantce any experienced canvasser (male or female) \$18 per week. If you want to make money and secure control of this County write them for particulars at once.

NOTICE W. S. Crofut, the South Norwalk printer

has removed his office from the old Senti SPECIAL BOROUGH MEETING. nel building to the store across the street, formerly occupied by Remson Brothers. The publication office of the Mechanics THE LEGAL VOTERS of the Journal is there, too, although the editor's Borough of Norwalk are office remains at the "old stand." hereby notified and warned W. A. Tolles of South Norwalk, has that a special meeting of the legal voters of said Borough

gone to Glens Falls, N. Y., as reporter on a daily paper. He'll make a good one. Editor James of the Thomaston Express will be held in the Town was April fooled on Thursday by a drug House, in said Borough, on clerk with that old and familiar tack hav Saturday, the 17th day of ing a silver coin for a head. He went April, 1886, at two o'clock afback to the office and gave the devil a quarter to fan him with a club lfor fifteen ternoon, for the following purposes, to wit: The New Milford Gazette and Canaan To accept or reject a resolu-

News are at it again, and the theory of evtion of the General Assembly olution is being copiously elucidated of this State, passed at its some more. If this thing keeps up, January session, 1886, and "brute heredity" will be likely to assert itself in one or the other and somebody will approved by the Governor lose some gore and thus demonstrate the February 19th, 1886, authorevolutionary dogma that "blood will tell." izing the Borough of Norwalk Editor J. S. Jones, of the Westporter, to issue bonds, in the following made the GAZETTE office a fraternal call Saturday. He seemed well fed, in good language, to wit: spirits, had on good clothes, didn't seem to Authorizing the Borough of Norbe afraid of either the sheriff or policemen, and in other ways carried himself in such

The Bridgeport Sun likens Arthur French, the bright night editor of the News. and big Judge Lockwood, unto a "period and an exclamation point."

a manner as to avoid the suspicion of be-

Prompt relief in sick headache, dizziness, nauses, constipation, pain in the side, etc., guaranteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pills. One pill a dose. 25 cents.

CHAPMAN.—In Elleneburg, Oregon, March 6, 1886, Hiram Chapman (formerly of Westport, Conn.,) aged 74 years, 1 mo., 15 days.

Rye for Sale. 30 Bushels good Rye.

JOHN B. STURGES, Cannon Station.

April 5th, 1886.

For Sale or to Let. FURNISHED if desired, the house of B. Barra-clough, Camp street. Possession immediate. Enquire of U. E. WILSON, GAZETTE BUIlding, Nor-walk, or to B. BARRACLOUGH, 193 Chatham square, New York.

Rooms to Rent ON Warren Street, within one minute's walk of of the Catherine street station, to a small family. Terms moderate

For Sale. A Chestnut Standing Desk. Apply at
THIS OFFICE.

For Sale. A DOUBLE BARRELLED RIFLE made by John Blissett, London. Will be sold cheap for cash. Enquire at this office.

For Sale Cheap. THREE Good Building Lots, within a few minutes walk of Post Office, healthy location, public water on street. Two new houses going up on same street. Price low and very little cash required. Address, "New York," in care of Norwalk GAZETTE, or apply in person at the GAZETTE Office.

WE want a few more agents at once to sell or nursery stock on salary. We can give Permanent Employment

IF YOU WANT TO KNOW

ADJOURNED AUCTION SALE WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON SATURDAY, APRIL 10th,

Charles Brown, Darien, Ct.,

Ten tons of Hay, 175 bushels of Corn, 75 bushels of Rye, a quantity of Oats, , two Horses, six Cows, 25 Fowls, several sets Harness, five Vehicles, Mowing Machine, double and single Sleigh, Farming Implements, Carpenters' Tools, Lawn Mowers, Hay Cutters, two Horse Rakes, Blankets, Robes, Bells, Ice Cleam Freezer, Creamery, Lady's Saddle, Corn Sheller, lot Hickory Lumber. For more complete list see catalogue which may be obtained from auctioneers,

STURGES & MITCHELL. 4 GAZETTE BUILDING, NORWAL.K

Misses St. John

MILLINERY, Which they are offering at very attractive prices.

Our stock of

FANCY GOODS consists of everything needed by ladies. Particular attention paid to the selection of Embroidery Materials. Stamping neatly executed.

We are always happpy to show goods whether ou wish to purchase or not. Misses St. John, 33 Main Street, Norwalk.

DISTRICT OF NORWALK, sa., Probate Court,
April 6th, A. D., 1886.
Estate of RUFUS F. FINNEY, late of Norwalk, in
said district, deceased.
WHENEAS, Application has been made to this
court in writing by the administrator of said estate
praying, for reasons therein set forth, for an order
of sale of certain real estate of said deceased,
which is fully described in said application on file;
therefore

ASA B. WOODWARD, Judge. DISTRICT OF NORWALK, ss., Probate Court, April 3, A. D., 1886.

Estate of George Marvin, late of Norwalk, in said district, deceased.

Ordered—That the executors exhibit their administration account to this court for adjustment, at the Probate Office in Norwalk on the 19th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock forenoon; and that all persons interested in said estate may be notified thereof the executors will cause this order to be published in a newspaper having a circulation in said district, and post a copy thereof on the sign post in said Norwalk, nearest the place where the deceased last dwelt, at least ten days before said 19th day of April, 1886.

19th day of April, 1886.

ASA B. WOODWARD, Judge.

DISTRICT OF NORWALK, SS., Probate Court, April 5th, A. D., 1886.

Estate of LAPAYETTE CRAW and CLARENCE C. Berry, both of Norwalc in said district, co-partners under the name of Craw & Berry, assigned in insolvency.

The voluntary assignment in writing by the said Craw and Berry of their copartnership estate for the benefit of their creditors, pursuant to the laws of this state relating to insolvent debtors, having been this day lodged for record in the omce of this court, and Andrew Selleck, of said Norwalk, being proposed in and by said assignment as trustee of said estate, therefore
Ordershy, That the matter of the appointment said estate, therefore
ORDHEAD, That the matter of the appointment
and approval of said Andrew Selleck, or of some
other person as trustee of said estate, be heard
an i determined at the Probate Office in Norwalk,
on the 19th day of April, 1886, at 2 o'clock afternoon, and that public notice thereof be given by
publishing this order in a newspaper having a circulation in said district at least five days before
said day of hearing aid day of hearing ASA B. WOODWARD, Judge.

F. H. PECKWELL, No. 7 WATER STREET, if deemed best, to authorize

Cross street or Main street or Gill ert Lock Company. Dibble Manufacturing Company's door New York Wood Turning Company. Corner Blocks for window casings.
Round and Square Turned Balusters.
"" Newels. Plain and Double Moulded Stair Rails.
Also Flat Moulded Door and Window
Casings furnished at short notice. 1886.

No. 42 Wall St., Norwalk, Leaders of the Shoe Trade

Frenck Kid, Hand-Made Waukenphast

Our \$5 Hand-Made, French Kid Welt For ladies wear are perfect in every respect as good a shoe as any sold at \$6.

For \$5.50.

Our Ladies' Hand-Made French Kid Turn Shoes made by Benedict & Co., of New Canaan, are the acme of style and beauty, and positively cannot be excelled at any prise. Oh! Oh! for \$3.

Those Nobby Little French Kid, Hand-Mad Oxfords with patent leather tips are admired b all that have seen and worn them. You must ca and see them. For \$2.50. WHEREAS, The borough of Norwalk, on the first day of July, A. D., 1871, issued bonds to the amount of one

dollars, bearing semi-annual interest at the rate of seven per cent. We have the best line of CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES of Norwalk, payable on the first day of July, A: D, 1896, and re-deemable after July first, A. D.,

Glover & Olsen, HEREAS. The said borough of Norwalk, on the first day of September, A. D., 1872, issued bonds to the amount of twenty-five thousand 42 Wall Street, NORWALK. dollars, bearing semi annual interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, said bonds being designated Water Fund of the Borough of Norwalk, payable on the first day of September, A. D., 1897, and redeemable after Sep-

Ladies' French Hand-Made at \$5, and the Curasoa Machine-Made at \$3, and the six per cent. per annum, said bonds being designated The Borough of Norwalk Ten Forty Bonds, payable on the first day of May, A. D. 1917, and redeemable on and after the first day of May, A. D. 1887. The two hundred and fifty thousand dollars of bonds above described Misses' "Dongola"

WALKENPHASTS. Frank H. Ruscoe, Norwalk Conn.

debtedness of said borough of For sale in Norwalk by Glover & Olsen; in South Norwalk by H. S. Brown; in Westport by Mr. Sturges; in Stamford by Mr. Jerman. Section 1. That the borough of Norwalk in the county of Fairfield be, and the said borough is, hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds, notes, or other certificates of indebtedness, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, bearing semi-annual in terest at no. greater rate than five nor sent nor se Norwalk in the county of Fairfield be, and the said borough is, hereby

another stock of said bonds, notes, or other certifi-cates to be payable at some certain Franklin Howes' Medical Discovery. Which is well-known in Norwalk for the won-derful cures it has done. Now is the time for Malaria and an "all gone" feeling," try this Blood Purifier and Tonic. years from the date thereof; the funds realized from the sale of said

Blood Purifier and Tonic.

A Great Spring Medicine.

A FEW RERKENCES:

Mrs. Henry Seymour, S. K. Stanley, David Platt,

Miss Cella Starr, A. A. Betts, D. J. Bennett,

and many others.

19 Strictly Roots and Herbs, a PURE and
HONEST REMEDY. Put up only in full quarts,
and lasts gly weeks. and lasts six weeks.

For sale at the office of Frank H. Ruscoe, and store of Glover & Son, and H. S. Brown, South Norwalk.

THE Residence of Clarence M. Parker, No. 10
Arch street. Lot 80x171. House and barn new. All the modern improvements. Property will be sold at great sacrifice on account of owner moving out of town. For Particulars enquire of tf12
O. E. WILSON, GAZETTE Building.

W. B. Hall & Co.,

The Birdseye Stock consists of Fine Laces, choice Linen Goods, Embroidered Tidies, Splashes, Bureau Covers, Ladies' Underwear, Kid Gloves, Corsets, Hamburg Edgings, Flouncings, Flounces, and all Over Laces, Nansooks, Checks, Scotch Diapers, Dorlies Napkins, Stamped Pongee Tidies, Scarfs, Bowl Napkins, Real Duchess and Antique Laces. All of these goods are fresh, in good order, and Mr. Birdsey's excellent tastes in selections will be a sufficient guarantee that the goods are desirable. In the lot are several qualities of Henrietta Cloths, Fine Beaded Laces, Lace Fronts, and very choice Dress Trimmings. Plain Hem, stitched and Bordered Handkerchiefs, Fancy Baskets and Hand Bags, Common Sense Warner and Thompson Corsets-Embroidered Silks, Hosery, Victory Lawns and Soft Cambrics.

The entire stock will be offered at

50 Cents

-On the Dollar. Irish Point Laces were \$12.00 will be \$6.00; \$4.50 Duchess Fichus will be \$2.25; \$20.00 Point Lace Collars will be \$10.00; \$10:00 Laces and Collars will be \$5.00; \$6.00 Antique Laces half price; 35, 37 and 40 cent Handkerchiefs, all 18 cents; 25, 30 and 35 cent Handkerchiefs all 15 cents; 25 Fancy bordered Handkerchiefs at 12½ cents; 20 and 25 cent Hemstitched at 10 cents; ordinary White Shilling Handkerchiefs at 8; 10 cent Fancy Bordered Handkerchiefs, 5; Woven Bordered Handkerchiefs at 3 cents; \$1.75 and \$2.00 Corsets at 88 cents; \$1.50 Corsets, several makes, 75 cents; \$1.00 Corsets, several makes, 75 cents; \$1.00 corsets at 50 cents; 50 cent Ruchings at 25 cents. All Over Laces at 75, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Thousands of yards Hamburgs at 3 cents, 5 cents, 10 cents, and 12½ cents.

F. W. JAQUI, JR.,

are as good shoes as he ever saw. This is certainly encouraging to me. I make a nice style Child's shoe, and then, too, those Tin, Sheet Iron, Copper, Wooden, Glass

and Crockery Ware. REFRIGERATORS & HOUSE FURNISHING GOOD Generally. A Full line of CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES.

imbing, Gas and Steam Fitting, and Hot At Engineering. Agent for the Hichardson & Boynton Co's. Furnaces and Ranges, Also agent for the Economy STEAM & WARM AIR COMBINATION HEATER. All kinds of Ornamental and Plain Slateing, Tin and Tin Shingle Roofing.

53 WALL STREET.

Nickerson Bros. No. 7 Main Street,

GIVE THEM A CALL! NICKERSON BROTHERS. No. 7 Main Street. 3m7 GRAND OPENING

WE have just purchased for spot cash, the entire stock of the late E. Birdsey, 2d, and also a large consignment of Yak Laces, and an assorted stock belonging to a recent Boston Jobber. The three stocks of goods will be offered for sale as soon as the examinations are completed. The White Goods, Ruchings, Damasks, White Sheetings, Table Covers, ARE NOW READY. The entire collection will comprise a series of bargains that are unparalleled in the history of the trade, and are worth the immediate attention of every one in search of reliable, high class goods at absolutely the lowest prices ever quoted.

Spring and Summer Clothing

AT—

AT—

Bryant, Besse & Co's.,

Bryant, Besse & Co's., Leaders in Fine Ready-Made Clothing

At Low Cash Prices Men's Suits, \$5, 6.50, 8.50, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, and upwards, which we guarantee less than their equal can

be produced outside our store. We have an elegant assortment of Young Men's Suits, also Children's Suits at \$2, 2.50, 3, 3 50, 4, 4.50, 5

Spring Style Hats in all the Latest Approved Shapes.

In buying for eash and 27 large stores enables us to give you Stylish, Reliable and Well-Made Clothing. All goods marked in plain figures. Cash and One Low

BRYANT, BESSE & Co., COMBINATION CLOTHIERS, 29 MAIN STREET, NORWALK.

yards of best

PRINTS. At 5 cents per yard.

Large line of Ladies' Novelty Bazaar.

UNDERWEAR, Made of Fruit of the Loom Muslin at Manufacturers'

A big drive in Ingrain

CARPETS, Repairing Done by Experienced Workmen at From 20 cents, upwards; Brussels from 50 cents,

> upwards Just received our new

Dress Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Rtc. Picture Framing, Please call and compare

Scofield & Hoyt, 3 Gazette B'ld'g., Norwalk. L. CRAW.

Will offer this week 5,000 Bargain Sale!

A Reduction of 20 per cent. on prices of goods at

51 Main Street.

Our offer of 20 per cent. discount on our stock of **Fancy Goods**

will hold good for two weeks longer. Don't miss this chance of getting first-class goods for smaller money than anywhere else.

> A beautiful line of MOULDINGS on hand for

and superior workmanship

NOVELTY BAZAAR,

The Oldest and Largest Clothing House in Norwalk!

COMSTOCK BROTHERS

Are now ready with an immense stock of

SPRING & SUMMER CLOTHING, For Men's, Boys' and Children's Wear, which they offer at prices which, when making, trimmings and style are taken in consideration, are lower than any similar establishment in western Connecticut.

Men's Business Suits! \$3.75, 4.75, 5.75, 6, 6.75, 7, 8.50, 9, 9.50, 10, 10.50, 11.50, 12, 12.50, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20 and 22.

Dress Suits! \$12.00, 14.00, 15.00, 18.00, 20.00, 22.00, 24.00, 25.00, and 26.00.

Boys' Suits! Long pants, age 13 to 17; \$2.50, 3, 4.50, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 12.50, and 14.

Children's Suits! Short pants, age 4 to 14; \$1.25, 1.75, 2, 2.25, 2.50, 3, 3.50, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11.

==SPRING OVERCOATS,== At \$2.50, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 20 and 22.

THE DUNLAP SHAPE IN SPRING DERBYS! Our Assortment of Spring Neckwear is Unsurpassed! Special Attention si

called to our 25 cent Scarfs. Hosiery, and Spring and Summer Underwear in every grade and price!

THE STAR SHIRT WAISTS. Unlaundried Shirts, all linen bosom, 25 cts.; ditto, Wamsutta muslin, 50 cts.

Fish, Clark & Flagg's Walking and Kid Gloves.

KEY & LOCKWOOD'S NECKWEAR.

HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS AND TRAVELING BAGS.

COMSTOCK BROTHERS,

45 Main Street, Norwalk.

Insurance Building, So. Norwalk.

WESTPORT.

The winter term of the public school

Nash will be disposed of to-day at auction.

Mr. Theodore E. King has broken

round for the addition to his residence

Mr. D. McKenna has removed his

narble yard to the west side of the river,

Mrs. J. E. Tuttle's father, Professor Levi

Stockbridge and wife, of Amherst, Mass.,

The Ladies' Beneficent society of the

Congregational church will meet with

Miss Maggie Smibert, who has been

spending the spring vacation at home,

vill return to school duties next Monday.

Mr. John B. Morris is building an ex-

ensive addition to his fine residence at

Compo. Builder Oscar Smith is doing

The frost is out of the ground and the

oads in and around the village are set-

tled but it is said that a short distance out

Many of the farmers of this vicinity

have held their onions in expectation of

higher prices. The recent decline has en-

tailed a considerable loss to many of them.

Prof. Mark Bailey of Yale college will

give a reading in Assembly hall in the high

school Monday evening, 26. The proceeds

are to be applied to the library fund of

The Greens Farms farmers are using

nany loads of fertilizer from New York.

The vessels come as near to the shore as

possible at high water, and then at low

water all of the teams in the neighborhood

Mr. James Walsh, who lived for many

ers proposes to send a sample to the Ex-

At the regular monthly meeting of the

Library and Reading Room association,

held on Thursday evening, the by-laws

were amended, making the executive

Henry A. Ogden and Theodore E. King,

Mr. Edwin Walker Banks, who has been

ill for some time, died at his home on Sun-

day of last week. The deceased was a

veteran, having been a member of the 28th

Connecticut volunteers. The funeral

ervices took place at Christ church on

Wednesday afternoon and was attended

by the members of Harry McDonough

Post, G. A. R., in a body. After the

church service at the grave the remains

were interred with the funeral ceremonies

Mrs. John W. Gault died very suddenly

n Tuesday evening about 9 p. m. of heart

disease. The deceased had been ill with

dition had been considered serious, but at

that time she was thought to be out of

danger. At about 6 p. m. she fell asleep

and all attempts to wake her proved futile,

and in about three hours she expired.

The deceased leaves a husband, two child-

ren and parents to mourn her loss, besides

a large circle of friends. The funeral took

BETHEL

Newsdealer Cole is doing a big business

The M. E. Sunday school have added a

arge number of new books to their library.

The Eureka hook and ladder company

nave procured new uniforms of a new and

The Jolly Jowlers gave entertainments

C. E. Senior, the painter, is making

Mr. Brown, of Bridgeport, has resigned

The reading by A. P. Burbank at the

The Grassy Plain hose company will

soon come out with a bran new hose car-

riage. The boys are also to have new

Geo. Fairchild, the new Bethel corres-

condent to the News, has been doing

some writing to the Bee previous to cor-

responding to the News, and has a good

A candy kitchen has been opened in

town in the store formerly occupied by

R. D. Lacey as a grocery. It is a branch

Rev. W. H. Barton is present at the

New York east district conference now in

session. The pulpit in the M. E. church was supplied by Eliot Smith last Sunday.

The season of Lent still booms and extra

neetings are being held at St. Thomas'

church, and ministers from different towns

preach on each Wednesday evening. Next

month Bishop Williams is expected to

visit the parish, when a number of candi-

The son of a Bethel man is missing from

farm near Rockford, Ill., where he was

employed, and left the following note:-

'My body will be found in river to-night,

and if it is ever found it may be sent to

Lyman Whitehead, Bethel, Fairfield Co.,

Conn." The boy's age was sixteen years.

The new firm at the Glen shop is now

making shipments daily. Ex-roller-rink

Schoonmaker is a prominent member of

the firm, and is as flowery and business-

like in his new field as he was when teach

natural born genius, and can paint any-

thing from a town red to a hot cross bun

Posters are out announcing the first

grand calico ball of the Eureka hook and

ladder company to be given at Fishers

Hall on Friday, the 30th. The committee

are making extensive arrangements, and

all attending are sure of a pleasant

time. Andrews' full orchestra will furnish

music for the occasion, and a grand sup-

per will be served in the room under the

hall. All firemen are requested to appear

List of letters remaining in the Post

Mrs. Mary Allen, Miss Belle Builor, Charles

A. Collins, Miss Zelia Chamberlin, J. B. Has-

denbraurgh, Miss Elizabeth Kearney, Miss Sarah A. Keeler, F. D. Lindsey, Mrs. B. C.

Lynes, E. J. Pretto, Mrs. M. E. Staples, James

A. Stephens & Co., Master Sammie Tompkins.

Attest, CHAS. OLMSTEAD.

Office, at Norwalk, Conn., April 8d, 1886:

SQUEEZIX.

ing the young ladies to skate. Be

dates will be confirmed.

of Starr's candy store in Norwalk.

Congregational church on Friday evening

was well attended and immensely interest-

the foremanship over the trimming de-

Fred Cole's new house shine like a nigger's

heel, with many brilliant colors.

partment at the Union factory.

on three evenings last week at Fishers

handsome pattern.

Hall to slim audiences.

hurch, Rev. Mr. Lewis officiating.

Mrs. Edward Smith is very sick.

place on Friday afternoon from Memorial

eumonia for about a week and her con-

were elected to complete the number.

periment Station for analysis.

engage in hauling it to the main land.

the mad is still deep.

Mrs. H. P. Burr on Thursday afernoon.

Dr. Higgins has moved into E. J. Hill's old house. William C. Selleck is quite ill at his home in West Norwalk.

Miss Hattie Judd, of Bethel, spent a

few days in town last week. Frank Finnigan, superintendent of Cooperative Hat company No.1, has resigned. St. John's Lodge, F. and A.M. conferred the first degree on two candidates last Thursday night

One week from to-day the Fairfield county Medical Society will hold its annual

erect a pavilion there this season.

this town will assist.

April 28th.

sour the whole community.

where. Price 15 cts. per qr. pound.

evening. This is the largest number o

pates a lively season at that popular resort.

The formal opening, with lots of exciting

ceremonies, will occur on Memorial day

Son's Capsicum Cough Drops for coughs.

colds and sore-throats, they will cure

speedily, are harmless and pleasing to the

taste. Sold everywhere. Price 15 cts.

Detective Taylor claims to be the only

Ex-U. S. Senator W. H. Barnum, of

Lime Rock, whose obituary was extensive-

entirely recovered from his late illness,

and started last week for Florida where he

It was a cock-fight which elicited the at-

tention of sporting men after midnight

Friday morning. The birds were from

New Haven and Stamford and the former

won. The stakes were \$50 per battle; \$300

Martin McLaughlin, of Stamford, started

with two companions to walk to Norwalk

last Sunday to attend the blessing of the

bell in St. Mary's church. A freight train

overtook them at Noroton and they go

aboard between freight cars. As the train

was approaching Darien young McLaugh-

lin was thrown from the car and fell in

such a way that the wheels caught him

and cut his body completely in two, kill-

ng him instantly. He was about sixteen

During the heavy fog of Wednesday

of starch feed from Glen Cove for Darien,

thick that it was impossible to see more

than a boat's length ahead .- Advoca'e.

fine and costs, about \$12.

the street about twenty-five dogs of all

styles, sizes and breeds were giving a

serenade around a kennel in which their

ging the mail bag, bumpity-bump after

them, they dashed across the street to see

what was up As the mail runners came

out onto the pavement, Barney was merri-

ly singing "Sweet vi-hi-olets; swe-hee-ter

than-Holy Moses!" The latter impromptu

variation was inspired by the savage

growl and sudden spring of a black mastiff,

as big as a calf, toward the unsuspecting

group. As Barney choked off his warble

over his companions who hastily scrambled

after him and shut the door, leaving the

pack of dogs in complete possession of

er of the imposing stone.

two bushels of choice literature. At this

he jumped back to the stairs, running

for the odd fight .- Bridgeport News ..

varication as above.

-Give your children B. H. Douglass &

by this lodge at one time.

just above the top button.

at a meeting, last Friday night, not to unite as an organization with the Knights meeting in Bridgeport. B. J. Sturges has sold the Stringer

The new locomotive for the Danbury & place on Meadow street, South Norwalk, Norwalk road is nearly finished, and will to Jacob Schaub for \$1,600. probably be brought to its future "beat" The curves all along the line of the Danin a couple of weeks. bury and Norwalk railroad are being

Representative Platt Price and Hon. straightened to a great extent. James W. Hyatt have both recovered Sheriff Swartz has a nice summer vacafrom their late illness, and are again in tion resort on Shippan Point, and will their accustomed places.

Charles S. Lane. for many years road-A literary and musical entertainment is master on the Housatonic road has resigned. His successor is Samuel Greer, late to be given in Bridgeport next Tuesday evening, in which Mrs. H. S. Bissell, of roadmaster on the Connecticut Western

light before long.

Thursday next.

assistant purser.

on Saturday, May 29th.

ed on the Consolidated road.

friends in Norwalk last week.

Bridget's convent, Meriden.

A new locomotive, No. 130, has appear-

Mrs. J. D. Griffiths of Ansonia visited

The South Norwalk Congregational

W. E. Duncan will be a "fixture" of the

City of Albany the coming season as

Miss Kittie Dorney, a former resident of

Norwalk, has taken the white veil at St.

The Hat Finishers, of Danbury, voted

David McKeever has sold out his pickled The regular monthly meeting of Phoenix goods establishment to Joseph Tammany. engine company will be held to-night. Joe is a skillful picklist and will probably The Pioneer Hook & Ladder company will hold their regular meeting on Thurs--Public speakers and singers find B. H.

Douglass & Son's Capsicum Cough Drops, About 40 moulders struck at Eaton, a sure remedy for hoarseness. Sold every-Cole & Burnham's factory in Bridgeport Thursday. Bridgeport is evidently reaching out for the notoriety of the Southwest-Under the auspices of the Norwalk

Catholic Union Rev. Dr. McGlynn, of New York, will give a lecture in St. A supply company for the supplying of Mary's church on Wednesday evening, school books and equipments has been formed in South Norwalk, with E. S. Hall, The Sentinel says :- Butler Lodge inpresident; James Golden, secretary; and

itiated twelve candidates Wednesday Richard Golden, treasurer. St. John's Lodge, F. and A. M., will which the degree has ever been conferred confer the third degree at a special communication Thursday evening of this Another of those big new police coats week. An invitation is extended to all

was seen walking around the streets Sun-Master Masons to be present. day, and a close inspection revealed the -Over one in nine of the 1,200,000 accisweetly satisfied countenance of Gehebe dent policy-holders in the TRAVELERS, of Hartford, have realized the value of their Mr. S. S. Bailey has connected himself insurance by cash benefits. Don't go s

with the American-European Exchange, day without accident insurance in the New York office. Mr. Bailey is a Master Paul Sterling, son of Julian H. valuable auxiliary to any institution with Sterling of Bridgeport, and who is president of the state amateur newspaper asso-Nat. Requa has opened the Seaside Hotel ciation, is very sick with pneumonia. He at Bell Island for the season. Nat. anticiwas editor of the amateur Eagle.

The hearing in the case of assault, Heyt s. Donovan, took place in the city court room on Saturday. The defendant was found guilty and fined, from which he appealed, and that will probably end the

-The only great accident insurance company in America, and the largest in the world, Travelers' Life and Accident Insurance company, of Hartford, Conn. Chinese lawyer in Bridgeport. News. He's Pail policy-holders over \$11,200,000. certainly a queue-rious customer, and his Agents everywhere. friends will not be surprised to learn that It is expected that the repairs on the

steamer City of Albany will be completed next week, and that she will make her first trip of the season on Saturday, April 17th, from New York to Wilson Point. ly published a few weeks ago, has almost Norwalk, and run regularly thereafter. The Grumman Brothers, who will be the proprietors of Roton Point this season, have engaged "Jack" Vincent of Five Mile River as assistant. The Grummans will

open the season at an early date with a press banquet to the newspaper men of Fairfield county. Norwalk's old offender, Owen Rice, has again for the numerousth time demonstrated his touching affection for the congen-

ial atmosphere of the Bridgeport jail, and his discontent while out of it, by getting into a gin-mill row just after his liberation last week, and being re-jugged for stab-A hatters' meeting was held in South

Norwalk vesterday afternoon to consider the matter of accepting Brown's hat shop into the union. It was decided that if Mr. Brown would clear out his shop of the hands now employed there, the association would then negotiate with him with the object of making his shop "fair." A petition has been circulated and re

morning the sloop "Brilliant," Captain James Laforge, of Stamford, with a load ceived the signatures of nearly every busiwent on the rocks close to the southwest ness man in town asking the Danbury and shore of Shippan Point. The deck load Norwalk railroad company to run an was heaved overboard, but as the tide earlier train, during the coming season, was falling the vessel got hard and fast from Wilson Point to Danbury, to accomuntil the return of the tide in the aftermodate passengers and commuters and noon, when she got off without suffering ecure an earlier delivery of the New a great deal of damage. The fog was so

A sweet little child lay sleeping peace fully in its mother's arms in a passenger James Stevens, of New Haven, came coach on the Naugatuck road the other day, and its beautiful, innocent face over to Norwalk Friday, thinking, as he warmed the hearts of the fellow passensaid, that, as it was the moving season, gers who sat near, until as the mother he might strike a job. He began his changed the child's position, it roused up, search for work by filling up with bad liquor and acting in a naughty manner, scowled and exclaimed loudly enough to be heard all over the car: "Ma, if you and so persistently did he keep it up that

John Lockwood finally brought him into don't let me alone I'll break your nose!" the awful presence of Judge Sturges. Quite a number of books belonging to whose compassion prompted him to give the Norwalk Library corporation, and the ambitious wanderer a job in the taken out by subscribers and others, have Bridgeport institution, for which he is an never been returned. All parties conauthorized agent, and Stevens went over cerned will confer a favor on the trustees with the officer Saturday where he will by looking them up, and promptly returnstay until he shall have worked out the ing them to the library. Volume VI of Appleton's American cyclopædia has been taken away. The party will please From the Republican :- A tear, a sob, and the old minister is gone; a handreturn it as it has been furnished by library simply as a reference book for use shake, a kiss, and the new minister is come. The above is appropos of the

Methodist conference. --- Of the river and John Hyatt, colored, employed as porharbor appropriations Norwalk gets but er at the City Hotel, South Norwalk, got \$3,000 .- The nightly procession of the a little out of his latitude Thursday night, salvation army now comprises a captain, and came up to the borough and saturated standard bearer and two privates. It looks his system with borough cordials, which as if interest in the army was rapidly dying rendered him so hilarious that the police out, in this town at least .- Howard Bell, gathered him in. On Friday morning he who was seriously injured while playing was brought before His Honor Sturges at foot-ball in the Franklin street schoolwho imposed a fine of \$1 and costs, aggreyard last week, is getting along as well as gating \$11.51, which, being unable to procould be expected under the circumcure he was taken to Bridgeport jail to stances, and his attending physician, Dr.

Bohannan, has strong hopes of his early From the general order recently issued recovery. Mrs. Ellendorf, wife of Editor by the Adjutant-General it is shown that J. M. Ellendorf, is quite ill with scarlet the members of Company F. who have fever .- It is said that Conductor George qualified as sharpshooters and first-class Miller will succeed the late Conductor marksmen are, Capt. A. A. Betts and Pri-William Fahan, of this city, on the Shore vate Henry Matheis, sharpshooters; Corp. W. B. Warner, Corp. H. D. Cornell and A laughable episode occurred last Fri-Privates E. G. Aiken and L. Merritt, firstday night at a late hour on Wall street. class marksmen. In Company D. Privates It was after midnight when Barney Feeney S. C. Ireland and J. J. Jourden, sharpand two assistants came down stairs with shooters; Capt. N. Taylor, Sergeants J. H. a mail bag full of newspapers which they Platt and H. S. Ganung, first-class markswere taking to the post office. Across

Mr. John H. Wade has moved into hi new and pleasant house on Maple street. Now that he has got things fairly settled heard the boys coming down stairs draglady-love was securely housed. When they lan-hoard, and as the stove-pipe is so it hangs together, the crick is out of his back and the ruffle out of his temper, he declares himself prepared to receive his friends-and his friends, whose number is plauded. Henry Matheis in his comical legion, may go in the full assurance of re- Dutch specialties, made himselfresponsiceiving a hearty welcome at the hands of

> An old resident in this vicinity in speaking of the "old landmarks" the other day related that on Thanksgiving day, twentyone years ago, eight sisters met at the home of their only brother, Minot Crofoot, in the old homestead in New Canasa, for a family reunion. They were the children of Ebenezer Crofoot, and although all were well advanced with age the family

the genial John and his amiable better half.

juncture Chief Lockwood came along. and taking in the situation he calmed the excited dogs—the chief hath charms to circle of children had never been broken soothe the savage breast—and Barney was | by death. In less than three months after the only one who could muster up spunk | this reunion, however, death entered the enough to venture forth and complete the | circle and one after another passed away, journey with the mail bag. His valiant and now only two are left, viz., Mrs. Josiah comrades had flown up the stairs and Raymond, of Westport, and Mrs. Reuben barred the door with the printing office Holmes, of Ohio. The husband of each is towel, and hidden themselves in the draw- also living. The brother, Minott, died

C. H. Parker moves to New Haven. South Norwalk is promised the clectric The first monthly "wash" of the Phoenix steamer will take place to-night. Danbury will have Forepaugh's circus

The Saturday night concerts at Grummans' prove quite a drawing card. Frank Bouton of Danbury, an old Norwalk boy, was in town over Sunday. Ansel H. Couch, a prominent business nan of Bridgeport, has disappeared, leavchurch will hold a fellowship meeting on ing his family and a few creditors.

-Coughs, colds and sore throat yield readily to B. H. Douglass & Sons' Capsicum Cough Drops. Sold everywhere. Price 15 cts. per qr. pound.

Charles Caldwell of New Milford lost a horse Thursday night. The horse got his head caught in the hay spout leading to the stall, and died in that painful position.

At the regular meeting of Company F, held at their armory Friday eyening, Frank H. Rose was elected corporal. A committee of 13 was appointed by Capt. Betts to arrange for the Company's annual ball, to be given on Tuesday evening, May 4th, in Lockwood's Hall.

The ladies of the different churches of Norwalk are organizing themselves into a Woman's Christian Temperance Union for active work, and Miss Landfear of Meriden. the state organizer, will give a public address at the Atheneum (Grand Army Hall) next Monday evening, at 7.30 o'clock.

The boss carriage makers of New Haven talk wildly about taking their business elsewhere. We would recommend to them this city, but the question is whether they have enough money to pay for building lot here, as the moment a manufacturer wishes to come to Norwalk he is requested to cover every foot front with \$10 bills .- Journal.

The new advertisement of D. M. Read & Co., of Bridgeport, which appeared in our last week's issue contained a slight error, although one that would hardly be believed by any of our readers. Instead of yards of silk as it read, it should have been pieces. It is hardly probable that this large firm would call attention to 100 yards of any one kind of goods. Mr. Josiah Raymond, of Westport

came to this office last Thursday and paid his fifty-eighth annual subscription to the GAZETTE. Mr. Raymond is getting along towards four score years, and is hale and hearty, an exemplification of the proverb: "He lives long who lives well." And a further testimony to his exemplary career is the fact that he has read the GAZETTE every week for the past fifty-seven years. A large flock of wild geese passed over this town Thursday morning. They came up on the previous afternoon, but on getting just over Wall street, saw Lawyer Rose out on a collecting tour, so they put their bills under their wings and went back o South Norwalk where they stayed over night, and went up bright and early next morning towards Danbury where they are supposed to have joined the Salvation

The Housatonic Railroad Co. contem plate building a branch line from New Milford to Lake Waramaug, a distance of about eight miles, where it is thought a sufficient amount of summer patrorage would result to prove largely profitable. tions from parties residing along the proposed route who would be benefitted by such an enterprise. The H. R. R. Co. are always on the alert for opportunities to a ccommodate summer tourists and others, and their ventures in this regard in-

variably prove lucrative investments. "Your Uncle Dud," in the Journal, savs of Major Crowe's record of service:-"He enlisted in January, 1854, in Company A, 8th regiment; was made second corporal in December, 1856; was made first corporal May, 1859; appointed second sergeant, Company D, 8th regiment, January. 1862; first sergeant, February, 1864; second lieutenant April, 1864; first lieutenant May, 1866; captain Company D, 4th regiment, (the 8th redesignated), July, 1871 major August, 1880. This is the best record of consecutive service in this state, and I hope the major will continue to advance until he is made commander-in-

chief of all our armies." Frank Jones, who visited Norwalk last eason, will be here again next Friday evening at the Opera House. Of his recent performance in Middletown the Penny Press says :-

Si Perkins is a country gem. His sayings are wonderfully Yankee. He represents a national trait of character. The house, Monday night, was a rouser. The thing took. Laughter was prevalent as apples this year. Bring out the cider and doughnuts. A fig for the plot. That is not worth bothering with. Some of the features were thoroughly improbable, but where Yankee witticisms come in Jones, as Si Perkins, is irresistibly funny. The widow Betsy is a good character. Zana is not bad, but the charm is in the sayings of Si Perkins, and such sayings, well, they are the cream of the milk in Yankee life. Si, come again.

The stormy weather and unpleasant traveling of last Tuesday night did not prevent the Opera House from being crowded with spectators assembled to witness the performance given by Company F's minstrels. Every seat was occupied and many persons were standing, both in the balcony and on the orchestra floor. The gross receipts for tickets was something over \$300, which, after deducting expenses, will net the company not far from \$200 to put into their treasury. The curtain rose on a pleasing arrangement of the overture, there being thirteen men in the front circle, each wearing the regimental uniform with white pants, excepting the four "end men," Fred and Allie Austin, Ben Allen and O. L. Bassett, who wore full evening dress. Back of the circle on an elevated platform was the full Norwalk orchestra, whose music, by the way, was warmly applauded and handhigher platform sat the eight uniformed

somely rendered throughout the entire performance, and back of these on a still artists of the silent drill. The end men's jokes were new, mostly original and of local application. Solos by Messrs. F. L. Bouton, (interlocutor,) T. B. Hopper, Allie and Fred Austin, and Fred Hodshon were well received. Allic Austin, in his solo, worked in some original verses, each having one or more local hits, which the audience loudly applauded. The overture closed with an air from the Mikado by the full chorus. The second part began with the silent drill, by Messrs. Stevens, Fitch, Castle, Wilcoxson, Rogers, Van Ness, Rose, Merritt. This was exe-

cuted in a creditable manner and was encored. The awkward squad, a burlesqueon Co. F, evoked roars of laughter and had to be repeated. This was given by Captain H. Matheis; Privates A. L. Austin, Geo. Mosher, Buckley, Youngs, Adams, Murray, H. S. Mosher, Buxton, Allen, Fred Austin. The Happy Hottentots, a

of the evening and they were loudly recalled. Mosher and Aiken gave an exhibition of club swinging which was apble for many a side-ache in the audience, and he was again and again recalled. His dog and heavy weight acts were immense. Allen and Austin's banjo song and dance act was good. Fred Austin's sore thumb didn't detract from the nimbleness of his heels, and the comicalities of this feature

Allen showed great proficency on the banjo. The entertainment concluded with a farce entitled "How to pay the rent," by Messrs. Youngs, the two Austins, Allen, Matheis, Geo. Mosher and Stevens. In this act Allie Austin, as Pat, made a hit | quite a pleasant one and proved to be a and kept the audience in good spirits. It was after eleven o'clock when the entertainment concluded, owing to several encores. There is a probability that the show will be repeated in Danbury and

were heartily applauded by the audience.

Miss Clara J Hughes, of Bridgeport, who had been visiting Mrs. Henry K. Selleck, returned home vesterday.

Fertilizer agents are plenty. Wild geese are going to the north in Photographer F. E. Readman is in New large numbers. York attending the fune: al of his mother, Mrs. Charles Adams, of Yale, spent who died Sunday at the age of eighty-six Sunday at home.

n River street.

next door to Allen's market.

re visiting at the parsonage.

L. R. June, a local amateur, gave a very loses on Friday. elever sleight of hand performance in the Mr. Ambrose Hurlbutt, jr., of New York, Good Templars hall last night, which will pent Sunday in town. be repeated to night. Mr. Stanley Smith and family have re-Rev. A. F. Beard, D. D., late pastor of moved to Bridgeport.

the American Chapel in Paris, preached Regular communications in the Stamford Congregational church Lodge, Thursday evening. last Sunday morning and evening. Mr. Andrew C. Nash has recently pur-John Hayte, of Stamford, attempted chased a fine pair of working oxen micide in the Glen Island Hotel in New The effects of the late Captain Joseph York last Friday by his cutting throat and

and will probably recover. As Norwalk could not get the Court House she now goes for the Town Clerkship. The democratic candidate for Town Clerk, came here a year or so ago from Norwalk. -Standard. The gentleman referred to

both wrists. He was taken to a hospital

n the above is Mr. John Walsh. The boat "Bell Island," owned by Mr. eo. A. Shepard of Bethel, will soon be gin running from Wilson Point to Bell Isand and Roton Point, making an excursion out on the sound every evening. The Bell Island is capable of carrying 400 passengers, has been fitted up especially for the excursion business, and will undoubtedly prove a popular feature of these pop-

Dr. Clark, assisted by Drs. Pardee, Mc-Sonegal and Bennett, performed a difficult operation on Jacob Linder at the Alms House, Friday. Linder has been suffering with hip disease for over a year. It was found that the hip bone had softened and the doctors after etherizing the patient exsected the hip joint. This is a most difficult operation but the patient is

doing nicely. Mr. Bishop's Fourth of July bill renains to be acted upon. The amendment adopted in the Senate provides that the bays can begin to raise a racket at 4 a. m., and the junior representative from Bridgeport will try hard to have the House adopt the amendment, It is very probable that he will be successful. If such is the case Mr. Bishop will strengthen his chances of becoming mayor of Bridgeport .- Waterbury American.

Since Company F's minstrels show there has been considerable talk to the effect that Meseberg, the saloon keeper, was threatening to sue the perpetrator of the end man's joke on him, given at that time. Mr. M. informs our reporter that the idea of sueing had never entered his mind, and that all such talk, as well as the story of his refusing to sell anything to eat or drink to the firemen on the night of the Gregory fire, was created and largely exaggerated by meddlesome and malicious

Thursday afternoon the Post had an elab orate April fool story about a 10-pound shad Most people "caught on" to the joke but a few did not and the New Haven Palladium gravely dishes up the story as follows: "L. O. Offirpa, a Glastonbury Swede, heard the noise of a school of shad passing up the Connecticut river Wednesday night, and with the assistance of his son launchdrag net. One of the shad weighed 10 pounds." The Palladium forgot to spell the Swede name backwards .- Courant.

A Graphic Truth. There was a time not long ago when the the New York dailies, the great dallies, were fond of making fun of the country weeklies, because of this: "Mrs. Fitz John is visiting Mrs. Noodle," or "Tom Jones' cow broke her horn in the stall," or something of that kind. Take up the New York Sunday papers, one of these dailies, and see if you don't read items like the above or even more petty. Why do they do it? Because it makes the Sunday papers sell in the country towns. Bu probably the New York daily editors don't know it, but it nevertheless a fact, that the items from suburban villages, are a rehash from the country weeklies published a day or two before.—Greenwich Graphic.

The court house matter is practically settled. The Bridgeport and Norwalk effected a "compromise" which withdraws Norwalk from the contest and authorizes Bridgeport to build a court house, giving her until October 1st, 1888 to complete it. The bill agreed upon provides that if Bridgeport fails to have the court house ready for use at that time, then Norwalk shall be granted a similar period in which to erect the same. Bridgeport will probably have the building completed and properly conveyed within the stipulated time. In other words, Norwalk is "left."

THERE will soon appear a small book, for which is anticipated a great run, inasmuch as it meets a crying demand from many young women who are forced to support themselves and do not know what to do. "A New Deparure for Girls," is the title, and is written by Margaret Sidney.

The friends of Mrs. Jane G. Austin, the novelist, have been quite auxious over her, long illness, she having been conflacd to her bed for nearly two months. "April," of Through the Year With the Poets, contains a poem written by her in brief respites from pain.

"APRIL," which D. Lothrop & Co., publish, contains on the title page a quatrain by the popular young poet, Frank Dempster Sherman, who, in his Peekskill home, is thinking of sending forth a volume of his sparkling verses this CLINTON SCOLLARD, whose volume With Reed

and Lyre, is now in the press of D. Lothrop & Co., is a graduate of Hamilton College, in the class of 1881. Ac is about 25 years old, and quite a favorite with Boston Literary circles

MRS. JENSIE BENTON FREMONT gives a jolly account in the May WIDE AWARE of the visit to Paris of one-hundred and twenty-nine young American midshipmen. Nora Penny has an illustrated ballad, "The Children's Cherry feast," in the May Wide Aware. Helen Gray Cone has also a dainty poem, "Wool Gathering."

DARIEN. The public schools will be opened Mon-

Mr. John C. Mather has sold his house on Prospect avenue to Mr. George O. Mr. Charles Vail, of Stamford, has purchased the Mather homestead on Gracies

The Seelve place on Main street will be occupied during the summer by Mr. J. C. Mather and family.

Mr. J. H. Chasmer and family who have spent the winter in Brooklyn, have returned to their home in Darien. Mrs. Mead's Home school re-opened

esterday with an increase in attendance. During the spring term lectures will be given by Mr. E. S. Hall, and Miss F. B. Callaway, and the Travel class will visit places of interest in Italy.

WILTON. A. M. Reed, Esq., of Cannons Station,

Dentist Thornton has removed his office to the Penfield place. It has been announced that the marriage of Miss Georgia A. Weed and Mr. Charles

is quite ill.

S. Reynolds will take place April 14th, at the bride's residence, Grumman Hill. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Osborn were quite pleasantly surprised on Wednesday evening by a party of about twenty-five of their friends and neighbors, that evening being the fifth anniversary of their marriage. As evidence of their good wishes for the future the invaders left behind a secretary and revolving chair. The occasion was

due largely to the generalship of Mr. P. J. The Bridgeport Standard has been sued for libel by the deposed postmaster of Woodbury, laying damages at \$20,000.

genuine surprise, the credit of which is

Counterfeit on a Norwalk Bank. The following from the National Repub. lican of Washington, D. C., of last Friday, will be of great interest to our readers.

Watch your five dollar bills. Chief Brooks of the secret service, makes the following report: The genuine \$5 national bank note of the series of 1882 has a bust of Garfield in an oval frame on the left end of the face of the note; also a brown back, with the charter of the num-ber of the bank in large shaded figures set in green in the center of the back.

A counterfeit on this denomination and

series has appeared, purporting to be an issue of the Central National Bank of Norwalk, Conn., and giving the charter number as 404. It should be sufficient to state that this bank never issued a note of the series of 1882, and the charter number is not 404; it is 2,342. The paper is good, the gen ral appearance of the note, when soiled isedeceiving. There are so many differences between it and the notes of that series that only a few can be stated. The pink seal on the counterfeit reads, "E Pluribus Unum Sigil." The genuine scal reads, "Thesaur Amer Septant Sigil," in face of the note the word "five" has been omitted in the counterfeit. The figures of the charter number in the center of the pack are much smaller than in the genuine and are not shaded There are many other omissions, but these may well be re-served until a corrected edition of the note shall appear. It is a dangerous note when tendered to a busy or careless merchant. Genuine \$5 notes on the Central National Bank of Norwalk, Conn., have a green border on the back and on the front, red seal, red numbers, "series of 1875, John Allison, register."

Real Estate Changes. The following transactions in real estate have been recorded since our last

Thompson Dean and Pamela Dean of

New York to Georgiana Parsons of Star-ford, consideration \$10,000, premises known as the L. H. Biglow place at Middle Five Mile River.

John H. Crockett of Norwalk, to Lewis C. Parker of New York, house and lot at Five Mile River, consideration \$1,150.
Gilbert G. Horton to Mary Haskins house and lot on Silver Mine Road. Henry Lamb to Margaretta M. Van Bus-kirk, house and lot at Flax Hill, consider-

ation \$2,500.
Charles Hoyt of Darien, to heirs of Lewis Raymond, dock and property occupied by John H. Ferris, South Norwalk.
Theodore and Susan J. Hartwick to Nathan C. Ely of New York, house and

lot at Granitville.

Rebecca G. O'mstead and E. K. Lockwood to the Norwalk Savings Society, house and lot at Winnipauk formerly occupied by Geo. H. Randle.

O. E. Wilson, executor on est. of Flavius Ciarke to Dorothy Enthose, House and ot at Cranberry Plains, so called.

ears opposite the Methodist church, but A New Fairfield stone mason was met vho for the past two years has resided in upon the street yesterday, by a brother Norwalk, died at his late residence on Wednesday. The funeral took place on workman, and asked to join the union. Friday, Rev. Mr. Carroll officiating. The "Join the union? Why, I belong to the union." "You do?" "Of course I do, nterment was in Willow Brook cemetery. You ain't fool enough to think New Fair-Some of our farmers are not entirely satfield is out of the union, be you? We setsfied with the ashes they purchased Lome tled that question at Charcoal Run."ime ago. They find they contain large Danbury News quantities of nails, old iron, and glass, from which they infer that they are the debris of some city fire. One of the farm-

Burglars burglarized George Avery's grocery store in Groton Wednesday night and stole \$115 in cash In the floor directly in front of the safe is a swinging door over a pit 10 feet in depth, which Mr. Avery constructed two years ago as a thieftrap, and which caught one burglar, now serving a state prison sentence, soon after committee to consist of five instead of it was prepared. The trap also worked three members as heretofore. Messrs. Wednesday night, but the accomplices of the man who fell in pulled him out

Rheumatism

in many severe cases of rheumatism, effect ing remarkable cures by its powerful action in correcting the acidity of the blood, which is the cause of the disease, and purifying It is certainly fair to assume that what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others it will do for you. Therefore, if you suffer this potent remedy a fair trial.

"I was troubled very much with rheuma-tism in my hips, ankles, and wrists. I could hardly walk, and was confined to my bed a good deal of the time. Being reed to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, I took four bottles and am perfectly well I cheerfully recommend Hoca's Sarsaparilla as one of the best blood purifiers in the world." W. F. WOOD, Bloomington, Ill. For Twenty Years

I have been afflicted with rheumatism. Before 1883 I found no relief, but grew worse. I then began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it did me more good than all the other medicine I ever had." H. T. BALCOM, Shirley, Mass. "I suffered from what the doctors called muscular rheumatism. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and am entirely cured." J. V. A.
PROUDFOOT, letter carrier, Chicago, Ill.
We shall be glad to send, free of charge al statements of cures by

Hood's Sarsaparilla Sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Made 100 Doses One Dollar.



FRICORA" CORSET

Having elastic side sections, staptitely elastic side sections, staptitely to the varied positions of the body in stooping, sitting and recliming. It gives pariest ease in all positions, affording great relief and comfort to the many who find order

BLINDS Every pair warranted to AMBLER & SAMMIS.

CARTER'S

CURE

SICK

HEAD ACHE

CARTER MEDICINE CO.,

FIRE \$150,000

worth of Mens', Boys'& Children's **READY-MADE**

must be sold within the next

to adjust insurance losses. The clothing is not damaged by fire or water, but only slightly by smoke. In order to settle claims quickly, the stock will be sold at SUCH PRICES AS WILL WARRANT PURCHAS-ING AT ONCE.

UNDERHILL, SLOTE & CORNELL,

746-750 Broadway,

One door below Eighth Street, NEW YORK. THOMAS B. UNDERHILL DAN'LL CORNELL EDGAR A. SLOTE

Hatch, Bailey & Co

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

TIMBER SHINGLES, DOORS.

SASH. MOLDING

WINDOW FRAMES

PICKETS, &C. Veneered Hard Wood Work.

Hard wood Ceiling & Flooring,

Bc . Norwalk, Conn



LEADERS IN LOWEST PRICES! LEADERS IN STYLES!

HACKETT, (ARHART& (O'

IS Leading Clothing House in N. Y. City. Convenient for all Out-of-town People, being the Largest and Most Central Establishment of its kind in the Metropolis.

(12 Great Show-Windows, and a Grand Entrance added on Canal Street.)

The preference of the public for our Clothing for Men, Boys, and Children is an old established one-BECAUSE WE ARE MANUFACTURERS! The old name was "BALDWINS. N. E. Corner Canal Street and Broadway.

New Hat and Cap Department Also. We Sell only the Latest Styles. Make request for Samples and Order Everything we Keep by Mail. The D. M. Read Co., BRIDGEPORT. SPRING OFFERING OF-

DRY Goods

CARPETS.

DRESS GOODS. Black and Colored Cashmeres, Colored Cachmir D'Ecosse, Armures, Non's Veilings, 1,000 yards Worsted Dress Goods, 150 novelties and combinations in fine quality and shades.

SILKS.

HOUSEKEEPING AND LINEN GOODS HOSIERY & UNDERWEAR Full lines of Men's, Ladies', Missea' and Child-ren's Sizes in great variety. Solid Colors, Fancy and Striped in Cotton, Slik and Lisle. CARPETS AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS We are showing every style, make and value ver known to the American trade. Among the dvantages offered we mention the vast display rom which to make a selection: WILTONS, AXMINSTERS, VELVETS, MOQUETTES

BODY BRUSSELS, TAPESTRIES, AND EXTRA SUPER INGRAINS, -THE READ CARPET CO.,we are so situated that we are selling goods a

BUY DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER. We call your attention to the large display of SPRING WRAPS We do not here quote prices for these are con-tinually changing as the lots sell out. Send for samples or call in person, and we will then quote the lowest prices that have ever been made on reliable goods.

The D. M. Read Co. Prepay all Express and Postage Charges on

CLOTHING Carpets!

than that from which we are now We invite buyers to call and xamine for themselves.

more attractive line of Carpetings

The special bargains we ar now offering are: A splendid assortment of Body Brussels (full five frame) at \$1.00 per yard, worth \$1.25. A choice lot of Wilton Carpets

quality and seventy-five patterns to choose from. . , Moquette Carpets at \$1.15, reduced from \$1.60, a very handsome line, extra good value. Tapestry Brussels at 55c. per vd

at \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.25, all best

Tapestry Brussels at 65c. yer yd. and extra quality Tapestry Brussels, the best to be found in the market at 75c. per yard. Superior quality Velvet Carpets,

incomparable in style and colors and numerous patterns, \$1.15 per yard, suitable for all kinds of Extra Superfine Ingrains—som

very desirable Brussels effects, heaviest quality, at 65c. per yd. other qualities at still lower prices. A large variety of extra heavy tancy Mattings at \$7.00 per roll of 40 yards, also Linoleums, Oil Cloth, Druggets, Ruge, Mats, &c., at equally great bargains.

John & James DOBSON

MANUFACTURERS 40 AND 42 WEST 14th STREET. NEW YORK.

George F. Quintard

FIRST-CLASS

GROCERY,

No. 5 Wall Street,

Don't fail to give us a call.

Geo. R. Byington,

Seven Years Experience n U. S. Patent Office

DISTRICT OF NORWALE, ss., Probate Court,
March 29th, A. D., 1886.
Estate of JOHN JONES, late of Wilton, in said
District, deceased.
The Court of Probate for the District of Norwalk
hath immited and allowed six months from the date
hereof for the Creditors of said Estate to exhibit
their claims for settlement. Those who neglect to
present their accounts, properly attested, within said
time, will be debarred a recovery. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to. debted to said Estate are requested to make in diate payment to SAMUEL B. MIDDLEBROOK, Administrator with the will annexed.

Administrator with the will annexed.

NOTICE.—The Selleck Messenger Co. and Purchasing Agency desire in this manner to thank their patrons for their confidence as shown by their patronage during the past five years, and ro assure them that with increased facilities and large epxerlence they are really to buy, sell and deliver merchandise of every kind and mane, (except "lottery tickets and dogs, on most favorable terms. Packages delivered to or from New York. Baggage delivered from Grand Central Depot. Notes, draft and bills paid or collected. Three messengers to and from New York every day in the year, sundays excepted, rain or shine, edd or hot. Orders and packages received at the "News stand" in South Norwalk post office, 170 Park avenue, corner 41st street (basement), where the ladies can send their packages for our delivery. Packages or orders sent to any of our offices marked "Selleck's Agency" will receive prompt attention and be cared for with fidelity and honor. None of our messengers have been charged with stealing or nosing around New York offices to see what marks were on packages, or of offering to bookkeepers, salesmen or porters 10 per cent. commissions to influence trade. In regard to, dogs, as a person has made the announcement that he is ready to purchase "dogs and all other things requiring special care and attention" we yield to him that pleasant business—we have no fscilities for it. Nature and inclination fit some for such work, and make it congenial to their habits. Having as many as five or six orders per day we do often employ "newsboys and district messengers" to ald us, and, having found frem always trustworthy, honest and trudelity such prefer them to any discharged hotel clerk. E. K. Selleck. D. R. Selleck. Frank Betts. March 1st, 1886.

First floor, No. 9 West avenue, 5 rooms, pantr, and wash room. Also barn with stabling fo

TWO BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE On West Main street, close by new sta

For Sale A Small House with about one zere of ground at stoad River. Opposite Mrs. James Panton's.

Apply to J. B. Ells, Furniture Dealer.

A small Cottage Vith plot of ground at Winnipauk, ForSale Cheap Enquire of J. B. ELLS, Furniture Dealer. A Small Farm

J. B. Et Ls. Furniture Dealer. Building Lots

Within 1 mile of the Center. A number of desirable and eligible Building Lots near the residence of Chas. Keilogg, Esq., and Broad River District School. J. B. ELLS, Furniture Dealer

For Sale.

House and Lot opposite residence of Charles E st. John, Main street, Lot 70 feet frout. Apply to J. B. Ells, Furniture Dealer.

The Homestead of the Subscriber, No. 8 Cam street. Good, new House and Barn, 100 feet from on street. Apply to

E. Quintard's Son. Opposite Horse Railway Depot,

Parlor Suits. **BUFFALO LOUNGES.**

RATTAN and REED ROCKERS. Folding Carpet Rockers. Walnut Chairs & Rockers.

CYLINDER ROLL TOP DESKS, LA-DIE'S DESKS, and DESKS and BOOK CASES COMBINED, LIBRARY, MAR-

BLE TOP, CENTER, and WALNUT and ASH EXTENSION TABLES. Plush Top Stands FOLDING BED.

Wire Beds and Cots. Hair, Cotto., Wool, Rattan and Excelsion Mattrasses, Pillows, Bolsters, &c. Husks, large or small quantity

Live Geese Feathers. Call and Examine when in want of

M. SCHWAB. OPTICIAN and OCULIST,

April 28th and 29th, 1886, At Norwalk Hotel.

Having qualified myself by years of hard study in the best institutions in Europe, and having had a practical experience of twenty-five years in thi country, I am enabled at first sight to adapt lense most appropriate to restore the vision to its origina vigor and cure all the various diseases of the eye I have therefore combined my practice of an Oculist with that of an Optician, and am now enabled to furnished all kinds of lenses and styles of Spectacles and Eye Glasses which are made to order under my own supervision, to suit my cusomers' visionary allments.

Consultation Free. References—Geo. G. Bishop, Charles Olmstead 2x-Deputy Sheriff Charles Adams, Mr. Clarence Nash with J. F. Bennet, Gen. D. N. Couch, Mrs. W. K. James, Dr. E. C. Clarke.

The Great American Heater!



Is the CHAMPION HEATER and has more RADIATING SURface than any other of the same size of casings. It is perfectly simple in its construction, durable because made of the best materials. It has no botted joints, and is free from dust and ashes. A child can soon learn to manage it. We have put in TEN of these FURNACES this fall, and can give plenty of references. We warrant to give satisfaction. Don't fall to see it before purchasing. There is no Better Hot Air Furnace made. We have also on hand a full line of Cook and Heating Stoves,

And all sorts of Kitchen Furniture, Earthen Ware in all varieties, Glass Ware, Plain and Fancy

Vases and Statuettes. Lamps and Shades, In many varieties. All kinds of Burners and Chimneys. Bases and Shade Holders, Agate, Iron and Hollow Ware,

FANCY RINGS FOR 810 ES, PATENT COFFEE POTS And a thousand useful articles too momerous to mention. We have constantly on hand, ire bound Paint, Pure Linseed Oli, Patent Cetionth, we bottom Brick and Stove Repairs. We are Joder in fig. Sheet Iron, Copper and other inetals, and do Metal Roofing at short notice. We solicit a share of the public patronsge F. H. NASH & BRO.

South Norwalk, AGENTS FOR THE TOWN OF NORWALK Not Mary Anderson. But F. D. UTTER, the Sewing Machinist,

Repairs all kinds of Sewing Machines Supplies parts, needles and oil for all machines. Orders received, by Postal, Box 233, at residence, corner of Westpert road, and at Post Office news stand, where a full supply of parts can be obtained. Money to Loan.

Enquire of O. E. WILSON, No. 3 Gazette Build rg, Norwalk, Conn.

Upholstered Easy Chairs Chamber Suits,

From morning until evening He sought for peace and rest-Rest for a weary spirit, Peace for a troubled breast; But vain was all his seeking From dawn till set of sun; His sins lay heavy on him,

And comfort there was none.

Then, in the gathering twilight, He knelt him down in prayer. And the stars shone in upon him, And smiled upon him there; And while he told his Father Of sin as black as night,

The pure white snow fell softly And hid the earth from sight. And when, in bitter sorrow, He looked into the night, Behold, the earth shone brightly Wrapped in its robe of white! And the promise came to cheer him And bring him peace: "Although Your sins may be as scarlet They shall be white as snow."

A Silent Tragedy.

That "Love, to none beloved, to love remits," Dante, in telling the tale of his pathetic lovers, Paolo and Francesca da Rimini, wrote between five and six hundred years ago. And if we were given the case of a man full-blooded and instinct with life and the joy of it, who suddenly makes the discovery in spite of himself that a beautiful, superbly gifted young creature has centered her whole heart's passion upon him unsought, it is not possible that we should look for aught but more or less warmth of reciprocity on his side. What else soothes and excites a man's vanity with so insidious a flattery as

such love thrown at his feet? Gilbert Vaughn was neither better nor worse than the average man. If he had springs of nobility that responded, as the sequel showed, to a high and desperate appeal made to them, in the depths of his nature, perhaps more human beings than a cynically pessimistic view is willing to allow are able to stand side by side with him in such matter, were the inward secrets of all lives laid bare. I have said he was neither better nor worse than the average man. But I must qualify the statement by subjoining that at that time, and for some while before, an element of mental and moral force had been added to his character through the influence of a great and good passion for a woman whom he hoped to make his wife. Hence, when the knowledge reluctantly dawned upon him that little Etta Saintsbury-the girl was scarcely seventeen-had really fallen desperately in love with him, the sensation was a distinctly disagreeable one.

It was the more disagreeable because of her nearness to Adelaide Sutton, who, a distant connection of poor, kindhearted, weak, generous, foolish Mrs. Saintsbury, had lived with that lady as an elder sister to Etta, almost since

Adelaide had been away from Paris in the Spring of that year, and it was during that time that, visiting Mrs. Saintsbury almost daily, as the frail, petulant exacting, yet at bottom most do-for she had always had a wonderful fondness for Gilbert—he first became conscious of Etta's new whim, as he at the beginning phrased it to himself.

The girl was in many respects an extraordinary creature. Passionate, gifted, wayward, gipsy-like, she seemed to embody and epitomize, in her small, lithe frame, with her olive skin, her dusky, flashing eyes, her mass of blueblack hair, some strain of far-removed, untraced alien blood mixing with that of the well-regulated, cool-headed. Saintsbury stock, no member of which had ever been known to do an imprudent or an indiscreet thing, but all of whom went through life perpetually attired in a highly respectable moral dress suit and white necktie. Etta had always been an unmanageable child, ruling her poor, doting mother and calm, serene, large-natured Adelaide Sutton, whose whole sweet richness of temperament she selfishly tyrannized over, even while she adored it, with the rod of an unquestioned infantile despotism. There was a flame-like brilliancy about her, an aptitude, a versatility of talent, that approached genius. She was capricious, haughty, uncertain of temper, changeful, a woman at fifteen, yet charming withal in a passionate. half uncanny way. She had always amused Vaughn. He had liked to irrltate her in a mild, tantalizing fashion, in order to see her flare up and stand before him, a Murillo-tinted, warm, dusky image of girlish fury. Of late years he had seen nothing of her, however. Mrs. Saintsbury, with some ineffectual, indefinite view of taming her spirit, had sent her to a Parisian convent. That episode over, the Spring had come again, and one warm night when through the open windows one could hear the hum and catch the white radiance of the Champs Elysees, Gilbert had definitely made the discovery in question, and in such a way as no longer to be able to put it from him as a suppositious childish whim — one of many others-on her side, which view of the matter, from a determination not to make a fatuous fool of himself, he

had hitherto adopted.

When brought to a decisive point, Vaughn was a man of immediate action. This sort of thing was all wrong, he quickly reflected; it was ridiculous; it was indelicate, considering the relationship both this silly child and he himself hore to Adelaide. It might give rise to on end of complications, for there was no telling what vagaries and extravagances this girl might not break out into, from one moment to another; in short, it must be stopped. Absence was known to be Nature's great remedy in curing such ridiculous fancies. It should be tried. Five minutes sufficed for the conception and maturing of his

"Did I tell you I thought of going away for a little while?" he said, carelessly, to Mrs. Saintsbury, who lay stretched in her chronic sofa-invalidism, among her embroidered cushions. He saw Etta give a start.

"No! How cruel of you to be going when I am feeling so wretchedly—Adelaide away, too! sighed Mrs. Saintsbury, in her poor, thin, sweet little voice. "I had no idea of such a thing! When and where are you going?"

"Where?-Home, to-morrow." "To America? Oh, dear! Such bad season to cross. You'll fall in with all the icebergs. What takes you?" "Business," was the reply. Some measure of truth was in that statement,

too; still, that might have waited. It did seem a good deal of a grind to be rushing across the Atlantic in this wise simply on account of a little school-girl's freak, he reflected as he was being whirled along toward Havre the following day. However, the little school-girl happened to be an unusually dangerous specimen; and in view of his future nearness of relations with her it was desirable that she should be brought to reason. When he got back the date for his marriage with Adelaide would be close upon them; and that event would blow the final cobwebs out of that ridiculous little sentimental creature's brain, it was to be confidently

surmised He got to Havre at the close of a sultry, lowering day. The steamer on which he had telegraphed for his passage had sailed early in the morning. The porter at the hotel approached him, doffing his cap. Vaughn was well known, having stopped there often

"There is a telegram for monsieur." "Ah!" Vaughu tore the missive

open. It read:

Etta gone. Distracted. Do come back. Come! Come!

FLORANCE SAINTSBURY. "What in the name of-" Vaughn began, and stopped. "Etta gone!" What on earth did it all mean? A sickening dread, sudden and appalling, smote him. But he would not give it admittance. Etta made way with herself ?-for him? Great heavens! It

was not even to be thought of. The next thing was now immediately to go back. But when, at the soonest? Not till midnight, said the porter. A train had just gone. There was nothing for it but such patience as he could silmmon.

He followed one of the house-boys to his room. It was large and imperfectly lighted by two bedroom candles, showing the indistinct outlines of two beds

in an alcove. Gilbert opened his valise and then went down to eat something. He only knew the excited state in which he was when he came to attempt to go through that operation. It was soon over, and he went to his room again, after wandering for awhile about the dark quays against which the water lapped and where the shadowy outlines of the shipping rose, phantom-like against the gray, starless sky. As he shut the door he looked at his watch. Nearly ten o'clock. Two hours more.

There was a faint rustling sound in the depths of the room. From the alcove, where green hotel curtains hung, a slight form crept forth.

Gilbert Vaughn called her name, with the veins on his forehead starting into sudden rope-like prominence. And then a silence he never forgot fell over

the room.

She broke it first. She had been trembling so much that she could scarcely stand. Even now her hands shook like aspen leaves. But the horror, the anger, the unutterable repugnance and dismay of his aspect, steadied her. Her black eyes glowing like coals of fire. She took two or three steps forward, with an air almost of reckless defiance. But unconsciously, he retreated. She looked at him then a moment and a frightful change passed

"You are not going to turn from me so! You are not going to treat me, sir, this way! Why, I love you! Don't

you know?" Her voice had risen to a cry on the last word. Before he could prevent it she had hold of his hand, she was clasping his knee; her mood had broken: she was weeping wildly.

"You can't turn me away now! You've got to keep me. Everybody in the hotel knows that I came here alone -alone, all the way from Paris-and they will know that I asked for you, and that I found your room."

"Hush! hush! Wretched girl!" But over this scene let a veil be drawn. Hysterical, half wild, at length working herself into a condition where, after vainly attempting to quiet her without arousing any more curiosity, Gilbert was finally obliged to call in the help of the women servants. Poor, dedisciplined Etta Saintsbury had to be abandoned to the sourrilous gossip, to the tainted scandal of hundreds of tongues, and the mysterious disappearance in Paris being hastily coupled with this unparalleled event in the Havre hotel, the entire affair preverted, darkened, aroused a morbid curiosity which, when time for the midnight train, caused a group of gaping spectators to assemble about the carriage door, through which, half unconscious and wholly broken, in company of nother woman, the unfortunate girl

was carried. It was three days later when Gilbert stood face to face with Adelaide Sutton. She had been telegraphed for immediately and for forty-eight hours had been dividing the minutes between Mrs. Saintsbury's bedside and Etta's.

After what he had gone through, the sight of her nobly sweet beautifully serene face struck on Gilbert's feverish consciousness like the touch of a cold hand. He could not speak for an instant from utter joy. And thus they stood for an interval that neither measured, looking into each other's eyes. But what was there in the blue depths of hers? A new, heavy sadness, was it? Something he had not known before. With a passionate murmur he attempted to draw her to him. She repulsed

"No dear. I-I think," she said, and her voice gathered strength as it proceeded. "I am sure-you owe everything to-to her, now."

"Adelaidel" And then he stood speechless. He understood all her meaning in a flash. What Quixotic idea of charity to a fellow-creature was this, that she could sacrifice him and herself, too?

He broke at length into passionate protest. He could not believe she was in earnest. It was absurd, unnatural, unbeard of!

She stood before him, still and white, and let the fierce torrent of his words

break over her. "The doctors say she cannot live unless-unless-" but the words were hard to say. "And even if she recovers her good name is gone. It will kill Aunt Saintsbury. And she was good to me always. She did for me as much and more than a mother could. And Etta-Etta has been like my sister.

And thus the end came. The end? Rather the beginning of a torture for two lives such as many perhaps, are called upon to bear, and whereof the world knows nothing. Gilbert Vaughn married Etta Saintsbury-caught in a mesh of circumstances from which he could not escape. Adelaide-no one. Each, outwardly, led cheerfully contented lives; had their lot cast in pleasant places. Who especially, would have thought of bestowing pity on a man prosperous and married to a young, beautiful and gifted woman, who worshipped her husband with a passionate adoration? No one, surely. Yet in all of life it is the silent tragedies borne with a face that tells no tales, which are the bitterest. It is again "the silence of life" that is "more bitter

than death's." THE DOCTOR BLUFFED THE WIDOW.

A bachelor physician, of Cincinnati, was once called to see a young widow. "You are lonesome," said the doctor. 'Your husband has been dead three vears. I'd advise you to marry again." "Oh, doctor, Till marry you to-mor-

row, if you will have me." doctor, stepping back and blushing, you know, madam, that physicians never take their own prescriptions." WASHINGTON SOCIETY

Society in Washington is fearfully and wonderfully made. In the average official circle such a thing as exclusiveness is not only unknown, but unheard of. There is the diplomatic set, in which but few outsiders can gain admission, and there is the army and navy circle, whose members, while not engaged in trying to climb up into the diplomatic coterie, occupy their time in keeping those in civil life from a too close and contaminating proximity. Outside of the pale of these two sets any young man with a dress suit and an ordinary amount of what is vulgarly

known as "cheek," can gain admittance. As ceremony is the invention of wise men to keep fools at a distance, so good breeding is an expedient to make fools

and wise men equal.

A LITTLE SUFFERER Cleansed, Purified and Beautified by the Cuticura Remedies.

It affords me pleasure to give you this report of the cure of our little grandchild by your CUTICURA REMEDIES. When six months old his left hand began to swell and had every appearance of a arge boil. We poulticed it, but all to no purpose. About five months after it became a running sore Soon other sores formed. He then had two of hem on each hand, and as his blood became more

Soon other sores formed. He then had two of them on each hand, and as his blood became more and more impure it took less time for them to break out. A sore came on the chin, beneath the under up, which was very offensive. His head was one solid scab, discharging a great deal. This was his condition at twenty-two months old, when I undertook the care of him, his mother having died when he was a little more than a year old, of consumption, (scorofula of course). He could walk a little, but could not get up if he fell down, and could not move when in bed, having no use of his hands. I immediately commenced with the CUTICURA SOAP freely, and when he had taken one bottle of the CUTICURA RESOLVENT, his head was completly cured and he was improved in every way. We were very much encouraged, and continued the use of the remedies for a year and a halt. One sore after another healed, a bony matter forming in each one of these five deep ones just before healing, which would finally grow loose and were taken out; then they would heal rapidly. One of these ugly bone formations I preserved. After taking a dozen and a half bottles he was completely cured, and is now, at the age of six years, a strong and healthy child. The scars on his hands must always remain: his hands are strong, though we once feared he would never be able to use them. All that physicians did for him did him no good. All who saw the child before using the Curicura Remedies and he half bottles to the health of the child now consider it a wonderful cure. If the above facts are of any use to you, you are at liberty to use them. MRS. E. S. DRIGGS, M

CUTICURA REMEDIES are sold everywhere. CUTICURA, the Great Skin Cure, 50 cts.; CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beautitier, 25 cts.; CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the new Blood Purifier, \$1.00. Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL Co., Boston, Mass.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases."

Catarrhal Dangers.

To be freed from the dangers of suffocation vhile lying down; to breathe freely, sleep soundly and undisturbed; to rise refreshed, head clear, brain active and free from pain or ache; to know that no poisonous, putrid matter defices the breath and rots away the delicate machinery of smellitaste and hearing; to feel that the system does not through its veins and arteries, suck up the poison that is sure to undermine and destroy, is indeed a blessing beyond all other human enjoyments. To purchase Immunity from such a fate should be the object of all afflicted. But those who have tried many remedies and physicians despair of relief or cure.

relief or cure.

SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE meets every phase of Catarrh, from a simple head cold to the most loathsome and destructive stages. It is local and constitutional. Instant in relieving, permanent in curing, safe, economical and never-falling.

SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE consists of one bottle of the Radical Cure, one box of Catarrhal Solvent, and one Improved Inhaler, all wrapped in one package, with treatise and directions, and sold by all druggists for \$1.00.

POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO., Boston. ACHING MUSCLES

Potter Drug and Chemical Co., Boston.



cheapest and best. 128 doses of a common pimple on the factor that awful disease Scrotula. SULPHUR BITTERS is the best medicine to use in all tases of such stubborn and leep seated diseases. Do ne not ever take BLUE PILLS Sulphur Bitters ! are flat on your back The Invalid's Friend The young, the aged and tot tering are soon made well by ts use. Remember what you read here, it may save you life, it has saved hundred bon't wait until to-morrow,

Try a Bottle To-day Are you low-spirited and weak, r suffering from the excesses of outh? If so, SULPHUR BITTERS Send 3 2-cent stamps to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., for best medical work published

DE MILLERSS. MEGETTE BETTE EXPECTORANT. him very gently. throat, Hoarseness, Inflammation of the Throad Mouth, Whooping Cough, Canker, Rasc., there is no medicine now in use that h

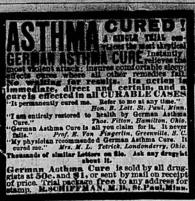
Used for over 25 years with great access by the physicians of Paris, New York and London, and superior to all others for the prompt cure of all cases, recent or of long standing. Put up only in Glass Bottles containing 64 Capsules cach. PRIOE 75 CENTS, MAKING THEM THE CHEAPEST CAPSULES IN THE MARKET.

CREAM BALM CATARRH 1? catarrhal virus causing the head of catarrhal virus causing healthy secretions. It allays in-dammation, protects the membrane of the nasal passages from additional colds, completely heals the sores restores the ot a Liquid or Souff

A Quick Relief
and Positive Cure.
A particle applied into each nostril; no pain
agreeable to use. Price 50 cts. by mail or at drug
gists. Send for circular ELY BROTHERS

lirections for planting and varieties of VRGETABLE and VIAOUTE SEEDS, BULLS, etc. invaluable of all specially to Marter Gueleners. Send for it. .

CUT THIS OUT DODGE & SON.



Bibles at 1.2 and Oil
Testaments at less than
1.3 the prices of the English editions, and equal
to the English in type,
paper, printing and accurately. First agent sent out
resports an order at every
call for two weeks. Rare
chance for agents to make
money. Send 31.00 for outfit. Terris very Liberal.
The Henry Bill Pub. Co.,
Noricich, Conn,

for young and middle-aged men.



LEWIS' RED JACKET BITTERS centain no mineral or poisonous substances and is a purely vegetable preparation. A SURE CURE for Fever and Ague and Malaria, and a overeign remedy for Liver and Kidney troubles, Dysspesia, Indigestion, Less of Appetite, Nick Headache, Costiveness, Rheumatism, Nervousness, Incomnia and Impetency in either sex, which diseases invariably yield to the vegetable remedies in these bitters. A speedy relief is universal when used according to directions.

universal when used scoording to directions.

FEMALE DIFFICULTIES
in young or old, married or single, yield readily to this
invaluable Family Medicine.

Do not wait till you are on your back, then
IT MAY BE TOO LATE. TRY JUST ONE BOTTLE
LEWIS RED JACKET BITTERS
AND TAKE NO OTHER.
EF For Sale by all Druggists.
LEWIS & CO., Sole Proprietors,
NEW HAVEN, CONN., U. S. A.

semi-transparent fluid having a re-markable affinity for the skin. The only article yet

Beautifies the Complexion, Pradicates all Spots, Freckles, Tan, Moth Patches, Black Worms, impurities and Discolorations of every kind, either within or upon the stin. It renders the stin pure, clear, healthful and brilliant, creating a complexion which is neither artificial nor temporary but at once beautiful and permanent in its beauty. It is a wonderfully good thing for chafed or rough skin on infants. Try it.

IT CURES (Almost Instantly) Sunburn, Prickly Heat, Chap-ped, Hough or Chafed Skin; in fact its results upon all diseases of the skin are wonderful.

It Never Fails. Price 75c. per Bottle Use Also PEARL'S White Glycerine SOAP. it makes the skin s soft and white.

Druggist For It. Druggist For It. After Using.
PEAM'S WHITE GLYCERINE CO., PROPS., NEW HAVEN, GT.

JUST LOOK!

Menu Cards, come to the Gazerre Office. We eave just received the finest line of samples

IF YOU WANT Welding Invitations printed, come to the GAZETTE Office. We keep the

IF YOU WANT Handbills come to the GA werry Office Prices lower and quality of work

Cards, come to the GAZETTE Office. Our work

IF YOU WANT fine Visiting or Business

IF VOIL WANT Engraved Visiting Cards

IF YOU WANT any Book work done, com

IF YOU WANT Poster work done, Hang-

IF YOU WANT any labels, come to the Ga-

t will cheerfully be furnished.

F. Kocour. Merchant Tailor.

Has received a full line of Spring and Summer Spring Overcoa's. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

13 and 15 Main Street, Norwalk, Conn. Pennsylvania R. R. The Best Railroad is the World.

5 Daily Express Trains to the West.
The Fastest Trains in the World.

New York to Cincinnati 21 Hours. New York to St. Louis 29 Hours. Apply for tickets and full information to JACOB M. LAYTON, Agent, City National Bank, South Norwall

DENTISTRY. DR. C. H. KENDALL'S Office remains over Selleck's Book Store as formerly, (excepting one room in the rear), where he is always prepared to extract teeth with or without gas. Also with the modern application for the gums to aliay pain. All other branches of the business as usual.

Norwaik, March 1st, 1886.

3m:0

For Rent.

A new paper, the Witness, has been started in Wallingford. Know Thyself, by reading the "Science of Life," the best medical work published

Gov. Harrison's portrait has been painted and placed in the gubernatorial collection in the capitol. Mrs. Chas. Smith of Jimes, Ohio, writes: I have used every remedy for Sick Head-ache I could hear of for the past two years, but Carter's Little Liver Pills did memore

good than all the rest. George S. Hubbard and Mary S. Rob-erts are twins and celebrated their 74th birthday in Middletown a few days ago.

Too much care cannot be taken in selecting meats for the table. Sperry& Barnes goods are first class in every partic-ular because they slaughter the hogs and none but the healthiest are used or cut for the market. The mortgage on the Lincoln skating rink in New Haven has been foreclosed. One of the stockhelders reports that he has lost \$2,500.

Every woman who suffers from Sick Headache, and who dislikes to take bitter Headache, and who dislikes to take bitter doses, should try Carter's Little Liver Pills. They are the easiest of all medicines to to take. A positive cure for the above distressing complaint; give prompt relief in Dyspepsia and Indigestion; prevent and cure Constipation and Piles. As easy to take as sugar. Only one pill a dose. 40 take as sugar. Only one pill a dose. 40 in a vial. Price 25 cents. If you try them you will not be without them.

George Gilbert who is now in the New Haven jail, has confessed to a number of burglaries committed in Wallingford that puzzled the people of that town greatly at the time of their perpetration.

Stop that hawking and spitting by the timely use of Sutton's Catarrh Cure.
'Having a child suffering from an acute attack of catarrhal trouble, I was induced to try a box of Sutton's Catarrh Cure, and with the most remarkable results, in fact an almost instant relief, and so far as we can judge, a permanent cure."—Alex. Pollock, Ship Chandler, 212 West St. New York. See adv't.

The oyster schooner Orvetta, Capt. John Harvey, of Fair Haven, has been sunk in the Rappahannock river. The Orvetta was worth \$4,000, and was owned by her master, Van Name & King and A. S. Barnes of Fair Haven,

BE CAREFUL! No matter what disease you may have. Be sure that the medicine you take is reliable. Such a medicine you will always find Sulphur Bitters. They are not a cheap rum drink, but are made of the choicest roots and herbs to be found in the veg table kingdom.—Daily Argus. 2t13

Charlie, the 15 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Quitmeyer of West Stratford, died Thursday morning at 5 oclock of paralysis of the heart, he having lately had liphtheria. At 9 o'clock another son died of the same disease, at the age of four. Two other boys are sick.—Bridgeport

How much money you have thrown away buying worthless medicines, prepared by unprincipled parties, who care not what harm they may do to your system. You can depend on every bottle of Sulphur Bitters as being a reliable medicine. It searches out and cleanses from the blood all income matter, and makes you feel like STOP AND THINK all impure matter, and makes you feel like a new person.—Boston daily Globe. 2t18

On Tuesday a rock was blasted in Strat-

ford, and a 600 pound fragment crashed

Mr. Brooks, who was there, was knocked down by falling timbers and sustained a broken rib and was considerably bruised. As he is very old his recovery is not ex-Many persons in Pittson are using Ely's Cream Balm, a Catarrh remedy, with most satisfactory results. A lady is recovering the sense of smell which she had not en-

the sense of smell which she had not enjoyed for fifteen years. She had given up her case as incurable. Mr. Barbour has used it in his family and recommends it verp highly. A Tunkhannock lawyer, known to many of our readers, testifies that he was cured of partial deafness.—Pittson, Pa.. Gazette. Not a liquid or a The body of John Harrison, aged 70, a well-to-do resident of North Branford, was found in the Twins' pond in that town Tuesday. For some time past Mr. Harrison had shown signs of a weakened mind and Monday night he wandered away from his home. When the body

was found there were several large stones in the pockets of the garments, indicating that he had committed suicide. PURIFY YOUR BLOOD. Among spring preparations, do not neglect that which is most important of all—your own body. During the winter the blood absorbs many impurities, which, if not expelled, are liable to break out in scrofula or other disease. The best spring medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It expels every impurity from the blood, and gives strength to every function of the body. Sold by all druggists.

Mr. Hutchinson, of the Barnum, Hutchinson & Bailey circus, took thirty carpenters from Bridgeport on Thursday, of last week to work upon the Madison Square Garden. He was met by representatives of the Joiners' Union in New York and advised that it was out of York and advised that it was out of order to bring workmen from out of the city when so many were out of employment there. He sent back the men to Bridge-

A BEAUTIFUL EASTER CARD.
The Virgin Salt Co., of New Haven,
Conn., are making a grand offer to introduce their salt. Go and ask your grocer for Virgin Salt and get an elegant Easter Card. In addition we offer an extra in ducement: a pair of doves beautifully lith-ographed in ten colors, as natural as life. on a large card 9x10 in inches. Virgin Salt is the cleanest, purest and whitest salt ever seen or used. A large package

There were 5,394 marriages in the state luring 1884 which was 46 less than in 1883, which is one marriage to every 108 of the estimated population. Of the 5,394 brides 4 were between 70 and 80 years old and 15 had been 3 times married before. The men have a better record. Only six of them were married for the fourth time, but one of them, however, married his seventh

A PUBLIC BENEFACTION.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in

every family. The Elastic Starch is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men who have a practical know. ledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the Iron from sticking, and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them electrical states of the Reverse of ironical states. them clean twice as long. Beware of in itations. See that the name J. C. Hub-inger & Bro., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

P. T. Barnum, and his lovely young wife occupied a proscenium box at the Casino Wednesday night. During act first Mrs. Barnum fainted away and had to be taken to the ground floor by the attaches of the theatre. She has been in ill health since early in the fall, and only recently returned from Old Point Comfort. She is now stopping with her husband at the Murray Hill hotel. Her faint in the box was in perfect view of the very large. sation " The doctor put out his hand, made one grip, and then turned on his heel and left the place, his face as red as paint and his gait somewhat eccentric. box was in perfect view of the very large audience present, and created a decided sensation. Messrs. Smith and Hall, who preside at the box office of the theatre, and Ed. Aronson were prompt to lend their assistance, and were thanked by the great showman for their kindness to the afflicted lady. She recovered sufficiently to enter her carriage, and was driven to her hetel.—New York Merning Journal.

SUFFERING WOMANHOOD.

Too much effort cannot be made to bring to the attention of suffering womanhood the great value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the disease of women, and perhaps nothing is more effectual than the testimony of those who have been cured by it. Sucn an one is the wife of General Barringer of Winston, N. C., and we quote from the General's letter as follows: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham: Please allow me to add my testimony to the most superb medicinal qualities of your Vegetable Compound. Mrs. Barringer was treated for several years for what the physicians called "Because," ventured the tall thin passenger, "the more you throttle her the faster she goes." several years for what the physicians called Leucorrhea and Prolapsus combined. I sent her to Richmond, Va., where she re-mained for six months under the treatment of an eminent Physician without any permanent benefit She was induced to try your medicine and after reasonable time commenced to improve and is now A Neat Cottage of 10 rooms, on South Union avenue, bath room and all modern conveniences. New, painted and papered, and in good condition. Large cellar. Three minntes walk from post office, Forterms, etc., apply at GAZETTE Office.

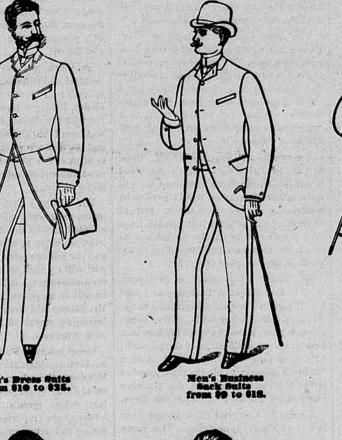
179

Neat Cottage of 10 rooms, on South Union time commenced to improve and is now able to attend to her business and considers herself fully relieved." [General Barringer is the proprieter of the American Hotel and is widely known.]

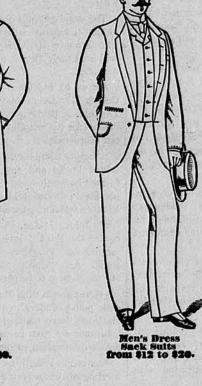
VOGEL BROTHERS

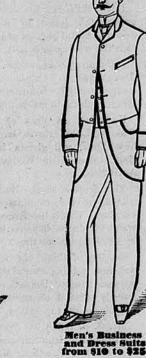
New Spring and Summer Styles of

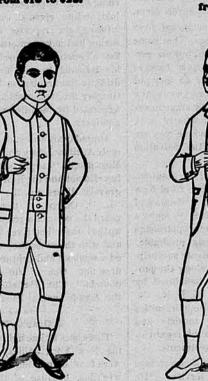
For 1886 Now Complete.





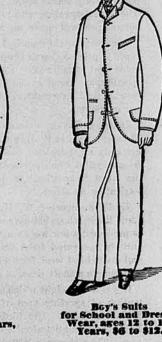












Positively Nothing but New Stock. Every Garment Manufactured by Ourselves and Sold at the Lowest Possible Prices.

605, 607, 609 Broadway, corner Houston Street, 651, 653, 655, 657 Eighth Ave., corner 42d Street, NEW YORK CITY.

Fashion Plate, Price List and Rules for self-measuring cheerfully sent free to any address.

HAD A DEAD ARM.

The other day a well-known Detroit doctor was eating lunch in a restaurant

alongside of a business man, when the atter remarked: "I just saw a case to interest you in the cigar store. There is a man there who has no feeling at all in his right

"Case of paralysis, of course," replied "Oh, no, it isn't. He has been examined by some of the most eminent surgeons and they declare that it isn't.
If it was a case of paralysis he couldn't move his arm you know."

"How long has it been so?"

says he'll pay any doctor \$5,000 to restore the natural feeling." "I'll see him," remarked the doctor, and when dinner was over the two went into the cigar store, and the medical "Did this thing happen all at once?"

"Over twenty years he tells me. He

asked the doctor. "Yes, sir; there was no warning "Does the arm feel dead?" "Perfectly dead. You can stick your knife into it without my feeling a sen-

It was a wooden arm. The real one was shot off at Gettysburg. THE SEX OF THE LOCOMOTIVE.

"Why," as

"That's odd. Let me feel of it."

"does an engieeer always call his engine 'she?" There was a moment of embarrassing silence, when the man on the wood box said something about "her head-light," which was followed by a hollow groan all along the line.

But this was borred out under the rules. The man with the sample case suggested "because she runs the mail." but everybody said "ah, there!" so sareastically that he apologised. The cross passenger said "because there was so much bustle and bang about her," and he was fined cigars for the crowd on the spot. The bashful passenger said maybe it was because the "pulled the

DANBURY & NORWALK R.R. ommencing June 1st, 1885.
DAILY TRAINS

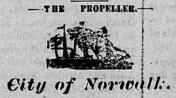
South. Ly .So. Norwalk, Ar. Wilson Pole 19 57p. m. North. Lv. So. Norwalk. CHAS. M. CRAWFORD, Supt

N. V. N. H. & H. RAILEOAD. Boston ex S.N. special Accom'tion B't special S.N. Lo. ex Local ex Leaves South Norwalk for New Haven.

127 a. m., Wash. ex | 614 p. m. Local ex |
633 " Accomition | 654 " Scins pecial |
725 " Milk train | 654 " Scins pecial |
729 " S. N. special |
720 " Accomition |
721 " Accomition |
722 " Accomition |
723 " Accomition |
724 " Accomition |
725 " Accomition |
726 " Accomition |
727 " Local ex |
728 " Accomition |
729 " S. N. special |
729 " S. N. special |
730 " Accomition |
731 " Accomition |
741 " Boston ex |
742 " Accomition |
743 " Boston ex |
743 " Accomition |
744 " Accomition |
745 " Accomition |
746 " Accomition |
747 " Boston ex |
748 " Accomition |
748 " Accomition |
749 " S. N. special |
740 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition |
741 " Boston ex |
741 " Accomition |
742 " Accomition |
744 " Accomition |
745 " Accomition |
745 " Accomition |
746 " Accomition |
747 " Boston ex |
748 " Accomition |
748 " Accomition |
749 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition |
741 " Boston ex |
741 " Accomition |
742 " Accomition |
743 " Accomition |
744 " Accomition |
745 " Accomition |
745 " Accomition |
746 " Accomition |
747 " Boston ex |
748 " Accomition |
748 " Accomition |
749 " Accomition |
740 " Accomition

Freigh Line Direct to New York -LANDING AT-

Lower Rates than by any other Line.



On and after Monday, Nov. 1, (till further notice, ice permitting) leaving Norwalk, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Returning, leave New York, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from Pier 28 E. R., (foot of Beekman Street), stopping at South Norwalk both ways, to deliver and receive feight.

Freight taken from and recived for all points on the Danbury and Norwalk and Shepaug Railroads at very reduced rates.

Upon application to agents City of Norwalk will be sent for special lots of freight anywhere in New York or its vicinity.

FF All persons are forbid trusting any of the employes of the boats on this line on account of the owner thersof.

smoker," and he was hissed off the stage.

And longer had they sung, but the woman who talks bass closed the lodge by croaking: "Because we couldn't get along without her."

A D Send six cents for postage, and resolve free, a coatly box of goods without the stage.

A D Send six cents for postage, and resolve free, a coatly box of goods without help you to nore money right way than anything else in this world. All of either sex, succeed from first your. The broad road to fortune opens before the workers, absolutely sure at once address, Thur & Co., Augusta, Maine.



THE GREAT ROCK ISLAND ROUTE Guarantees its patrons that sense of personal security afforded by a solid, thoroughly ballasted road-bed; smooth tracks of continuous steel rail; substantially built culverts and bridges; relling stock as near perfection as human skill can make it; the safety appliances of patent buffers, pletforms and air-brakes; and that exacting discipline which governs the practical operation of all its trains. Other specialties of this route are Transfers at all connecting points in Union Depots, and the unsurpassed comforts and luxuries of its Passanger Equipment. all connecting points in Union Depots, and the unsurpassed comforts and invuries of its Passenger Equipment.

The Fast Express Trains between Chicago and the Missouri River are composed of well ventilated, finely upholstered Day Ceaches, Magnificent Pullman Palace Sleepers of the latest design, and sumptuous Dining Cars, in which claborately cooked meals are leisurely eaten, "good Digestion waiting on Appetite, and Health on both." Between Chicago and Kansas City and Atchison, are also run the Celebrated Reclining Chair Cars.

THE FAMOUS ALBERT LEA ROUTE Is the direct and favorite line between Chicago and Minneapolis and St. Paul, where connections are made in Union Depots for all points in the Territories and British Provinces. Over this route, Fast Express Trains are run to the watering places, summer resorts, picturesque localities, and hunting and fishing grounds of lowa and Minnesota. It is also the most desirable reute to the rich wheat fields and pastoral lands of interior Dakota.

Still another Direct Line, via Seneca and Kankakac, has been opened between Newport News, Richmond, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, and Lafayette and Council Bluffs, Kansas City, Minneapolis and St. Paul and intermediate points.

For detailed information see Maps and Folders, obtainable, as well as Tickets, at all principal Ticket Offices in the United States and Canada; or by addressing

SPECIAL BARGAINS

Choice Building Lots Situated on Spring Hill, Wilton Avenue

R. R. CABLE.

President and General Manager. Chicago.

We want 300 Smart Men to go on the roachis coming season, soliciting orders for Nursery Stock, with Salary to Start on, Besides Expenses. No experience needed. Apply at once stating S. T. CANNON & CO.

BUSINESS! BUSINESS!!

E. ST. JOHN

General Ticket and Passe iger Agent, Chicage

Fair Street, and Riverside Avenue. Enquire at GAZETTE OFFICE, or of
tf18

B. J. STURGES.