

THE COPELAND BROTHERS CO.,

NOS. 411, 413, 415 AND 417 MAIN STREET, BRIDGEPORT, CONN.,

DEALERS IN IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC SILKS, DRESS GOODS, CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, RIBBONS, GLOVES MILLINERY, SHAWLS, CLOAKS, JACKETS, FURS, HOSIERY, LADIES' AND GENTS' UNDERWEAR, ETC.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

50 pieces double width cashmere at 12 1-2c.

25 pieces fancy striped all colors at 19c.

38-inch cashmere, all shades, 25c; worth 37 1-2c.

34-inch all wool suitings at 30c.

All the latest shades of cashmere and serges at 30c.

Elegant line of fine English Suitings.

All the new Scotch plaids in great variety, from 25c up.

Newest shades in 46-inch henriettes, serges and cashmeres.

French camel's hair in all grades and latest colorings.

Elegant line of robes and astrachan trimmed suits, newest designs and colors, made expressly for us.

34-inch broadcloths and flannels for tailor made dresses.

Large variety of silks, velvets and plushes in black and colors.

PRINTS

1 case dark prints at 3c.

1 case prints, good styles, 4c.

1 case prints, cashmere styles at 8c.

1 case cocheco ottoman cloth, 27 inches wide at 9c.

1 case golden rod dillies, 36 inches wide at 10c.

1 case Persian cashmere, elegant style, at 10 and 12 1-2c.

Full line of outing cloths, in dark and light colors, at 10 and 12 1-2c.

Full line dress and apron gingham from 6c.

Elegant variety of French and domestic cretonnes.

LACE DEPARTMENT.

15,000 yards real Torchon laces, from 3c up.

Elegant line of very fine oriental laces from 8c up.

Great variety of black and colored Vandyke trimming braids.

All the new and popular trimmings in laces, braids and gimps at very low prices.

A large line of fancy trimming braids at 25c; good value at 50c per yard.

RIBBONS.

Large assortment of ribbons from 2c per yard up.

5000 yards manufacturer's samples fine French ribbon, put up in lots from 5c up; good chance to buy for fancy work.

Immense stock of satin gros grain and velvet ribbon, in great variety of colors and widths at low prices.

A very heavy 4 yards long sunsh silk sash at 25c; worth 50c.

HOSIERY & UNDERWEAR DEPT'S.

Our assortment in these departments being much larger than previous years, we cannot give but a few of the many bargains to be found in them.

3 cases children's black wool hose, at 12 1-2c.

4 cases children's black wool hose, 5 to 8, at 25c; worth 37 1-2c.

2 cases boys' heavy all wool hose at 25c, never sold for less than 30c.

15 cases ladies' wool cashmere and three-lined hose, ranging in price from 25c to 41c.

5 cases of our celebrated all wool half hose, in red blue and grey at 25c.

We have our Winter stock of ladies', gents' and children's indestructible black hose, every pair guaranteed, from 25c up.

Silk and Lisle thread hose, in black and all desirable colors.

3 cases ladies' Jersey ribbed vests, extra quality for 25c; worth 30c.

3 cases ladies' Jersey ribbed vests and pants at 30c; would be cheap at 50c.

3 cases ladies' extra heavy merino vests and pants at 35c.

10 cases of better goods at 30c, 35c, 41c, 25c, 30c and up, in all colors.

We have the new divided skirts in white and colors, also the Jersey ribbed union suits at bottom prices.

In children's and infants' underwear we make a specialty and have good bargains all through.

3 cases of children's Jersey ribbed wool vests and pants at 25c; worth 30c.

CORSETS AND MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

We have over 30 different styles in corsets, including all the leading domestic and imported brands.

We call special attention to our 39c corset.

This corset is manufactured expressly for us.

This is as good a corset as any 50c corset sold.

SPECIAL BARGAINS

In muslin underwear.

100 dozen children's slips, drawers and skirts at 13c.

50 dozen corset covers at 15c.

50 dozen ladies' night robes at 50c.

Full lines of drawers, skirts, chemises and night robes at the lowest prices.

We have just opened the finest line of Plush, cashmere and silk caps and hats in all the newest styles shown in the city.

LADIES' COLLARS & CUFFS.

Ruching and Yarn.

These departments are full of the latest novelties in neckwear.

Our yarn Department is well stocked with

German town, Saxony and the well known

bear brand of yarns.

CLOAK & FUR DEPT.

The largest cloak dept. and the only one on the main floor.

Great care has been taken, this season, in selecting our garments and they were all

bought before the new tariff, so that we propose to give our customers the benefit of it.

We show all the choicest styles in jackets, wraps, newmarkets and capes in jackets, beavers, wales, chevies and plushes, with

braiding. Plush and Astrachan trimmings never before have been seen in such profusion.

Never have we been able to show such bargains in plush garments.

Sacques in fine quality, 40-inch back, nice satin lining, at only \$17, from that to \$60.

Plush jackets well made with good satin linings, only \$10.

Beaver jackets, \$4 50.

Heavy wide wale beaver jackets at \$6 50.

Elegant braided cloth plush and Astrachan wraps from \$9 up.

Every style of misses' and children's jackets and long garments, all at very low prices.

Infants' cloaks in white colors and plaids.

Far capes in beaver, marten, fur seal, Astrachan, hare and mink.

Cloth capes in plush Astrachan and the celebrated combination cape, which we show at \$6 50.

Full line of Jersey waists from 30c upwards.

Misses' and children's suits, from 3 to 12 years, from 60c upward.

Remember there is no going up stairs to find these goods.

PERFUMERY AND SOAPS.

We keep full lines of the best manufacturers,

Including Colgate's and Lubin's fine perfumery.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

In this department

Will be found everything pertaining to House Furnishings.

CARPETS.

Elegant line of Body Brussels,

Tapestry Brussels, Moquets, Velvets, Lowell Ingrains.

Art Squares, Smyrna Rugs in all sizes.

Oil Cloths, Window Shades, Lace Curtains and Portieres at the very lowest market prices.

MILLINERY.

Largest stock of Trimmed and Untrimmed

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Among presents at the silver wedding of Editor Sharpe of the Seymour Record were a silver carving set from Mrs. Laura Curtis and family and Miss Bertha Lewis of Fairfield, silver sugar bowl from Amos Candee, gold lined silver cream pitcher from George A. Candee, silver table knives from Charles Candee of Easton and plate glass mirror in silver frame from Mrs. Agar Beardsley and Mrs. D. A. Nichols.

Amos L. Hawley is raising the road at Land's End from the mill race to the Shepaug railroad, preparatory to ponding the ground between the railroad and this race.

There were 53,745 at the Danbury fair, this year, 35 more than last year. There were 21,808 there, Thursday, the largest yet.

HATTERTOWN.

DAVID SUMMERS.

After a brief illness, not considered dangerous till a few days before his death, Mr. Summers passed away, Tuesday, 71 years of age. The funeral, Thursday, from the house, was attended by many relatives and friends and Rev. David Osborne of Steepney officiated, the interment being in the Huntington cemetery. Mr. Summers had suffered with heart disease for some years and, during the last year, was often conscious that life hung only by a slender thread.

Five children survive, besides his wife, once Miss Jane Avery, and one son and two daughters are dead, Ella, Mrs. Thomas Perkins having died about a year ago. His sons are John H. of Hattertown and Andrew, an engineer on the Consolidated road; the daughters are Phoebe, Mrs. Adoniram Fairchild of Steepney; Mary, Mrs. Irving Goodsell; Hattie, Mrs. William Waterhouse of Bridgeport; Ada, Mrs. George B. Parmelee. A brother, Eden, and sister, Mrs. Adeline McCarthy of Bridgeport, also survive him.

Leonard Payne, angered because Chauncey McCarthy expressed displeasure that Payne had detained the Hattertown mail at his house 24 hours, dismounted and applied the whip over Mr. McCarthy's head, when they met in the highway.

HALLS: WHAT IS THIS?—Quarter lb. boxes Sardines 7c box, 4 boxes 25c; half pound boxes Sardines 10c box, 3 boxes for 25c. We are selling a good mixed coffee 25c pound; good Japan and Oolong tea 50c pound. Clothes pins one cent dozen, pins 15c each, fine parlor ladies' buttons 50c each; 22 bars Crown soap 91 at W. E. Wills, 98 State street, Bridgeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burr and daughter, Miss Annie, have spent a few days with Mrs. Henry Sanford.

Nothing takes the eye of the ladies like a well arranged window of trimmed head gear and the ribbons, feathers, etc., which go to make up what is known as a bonnet. At 229 Main street, Danbury, E. Stone's millinery window is one of the attractions of the street. Don't fail to see it when in town.

The young men's Democratic club of Sandy Hook paraded the Street and Hook, Monday evening, with the St. Rose drum corps, carrying torches and banners for the Democratic party. The officers of the club, which was organized a short time ago, are: President, M. F. Collins; Secretary, Joseph Kibbide; Treasurer, J. F. McDermott.

The Newtown Academy.

Any pupils desiring to enter the Academy for the last half of the present term will be admitted any time after Monday next. By entering on Monday next, one week more than the half term will in reality be gained. The work at the Academy is progressing most satisfactorily indeed.

NEW MILFORD.

Cards are out for the wedding of Charles Starr and Miss Ruth E. Wells at All Saints church, 10th, 3 p. m.

Rev. J. A. Crockett delivered a lecture at English school, Friday evening, on English literature in the quarter century before Victoria's reign.

SOUTH BRITAIN.

N. W. Mitchell comes to the front with a large potato weighing a pound and 13 ounces.

He recently cut prairie grass on the plain near his house which measured six feet, six inches.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Squires from East Hartford have been at G. W. Mitchell's.

"Murder will out" and so will a secret, if you wait long and patiently enough and the secret H. N. Ayres has been hinting at for the last few weeks has proved no exception to the general rule. The only wonder is that he has been able to keep it for so long a time. He is out today with a new advertisement calling attention to this latest scheme. He proposes to give away seven different articles, every one of them both useful and ornamental. The Keller Piano Co. of John street, Bridgeport, put on exhibition in his window a beautiful upright grand piano, which differs from other pianos in its outside case. It is of white enamel beautifully gilded and hand painted. A more minute description was given in last week's Bee. Well, the people insisted that they wanted another piano and that he ought to buy that instrument and give it away. Now, Mr. Ayres is always obliging and has made it the rule of his business life to accommodate the public. As soon, therefore, as he found that the people were crying for that piano, he purchased it, added another month to his list and will give it away. His list includes a dinner set of 102 pieces, a diamond stud, two gold watches, a silver tea set, a very handsome lamp, etc. A full list of presents and dates can be found in one of his advertisements in our paper to-day. Remember, as in the past, he makes no advance in prices, but does this that he may attract new customers to his store.

Miss Sadie Blakeman entertained cousins from Bethel, last week.

Miss May Marsh of New Milford spent last week with her cousin.

Mrs. P. E. James has entertained her sister.

Town Clerk Beers and wife are with her cousin, Prof. Rogers of Meriden; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevens in West Cornwall.

H. P. Hine is giving the Iron Works a mill of coat of paint. The mill is now running full blast.

H. S. Beers's store is about completed. The painter is putting on the finishing coat. The alterations in the store are a vast improvement. The post office and groceries now occupy the north side, with an L 18x24 for store room. The south side is used for dry goods. On the west end is a private office, with stained glass windows. The wall has been coiled with North Carolina pine and varnished. The store is heated with a Richardson and Boynton furnace. A burglar alarm has been placed on the windows and doors. With his new stock of Fall goods, the

Iron Works boasts the nicest and most convenient store on the Housatonic line.

Eugene Newman of Riverside, Conn., has been with his aunt, Mrs. Zenas Dible.

Mrs. James Lee is in New York.

Howard Mansfield was home, taking in Danbury fair.

Miss Ella Stuart is with friends in Brooklyn.

The school board met for organization, Monday night. George C. Jones was elected president, Rev. E. L. Whitcomb and Curtis school visitors. There will be an adjourned meeting, next Monday evening, to consider the question of readers.

Miss Clara Hawley went to New York, Monday, to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Weed were guests at Marcus Camp's during fall week.

TASHUA.

Mrs. Albert J. Clark has bought a fine Wilcox & White organ of C. E. Osborne, Steepney.

LANESVILLE.

Miss Odell has been obliged to return home on account of illness; Dr. Barker is in attendance.

Fred Chase recently visited friends in New York.

Mrs. Beardsley is with her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Warner.

Bertha Campbell has been guest of Eugene Botsford in New York.

Will and George Hamlin and Mr. Fox of Bridgeport have been at Lewis Hamlin's.

WOLF PITTS.

S. B. Knowles has bought young stock of Byron Barnum.

D. G. Wood has a new carriage bought of Hatch & Son at Danbury fair.

Fred Wildman has entertained his brother from York State.

Mrs. Frank Keeler and children have been with her mother in Bridgeport.

Mrs. W. H. Platt has entertained an uncle from Ridgefield.

George Duncan has a new horse and buggy.

Fred Wood pulls the reins over a new horse.

Eddie F. Hoyt of Middlebury has been at W. F. Hoyt's.

Rev. S. W. Delzell and Dea A. C. Moore attended the Fairfield East consociation at Olivet church, Bridgeport, Tuesday night, and with those who came, Tuesday morning, made their headquarters at the Grand Central. Monday evening, a rattling Democratic speech was made by John J. Welch of Norwalk, who presented Sheriff Clarkson's name to the convention.

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LONG HILL.
A social party is booked for Tuesday, 21st, at F. L. Turney's, for which Bliss will furnish music.
Repairs are being made to the highway at Breezy Lawn.

TRUMBULL.
Burr F. Beach spent several days with his cousin, E. L. Beach of Bethel.
Sadie A., daughter of Amariah Mallett, who has been sick with diphtheria, is recovering. Another child has also had the disease in a mild form.

Robert C., youngest son of W. S. Barber, while playing, fell and struck his arm on a stone and dislocated his left elbow. Dr. Lynch of Bridgeport reduced the dislocation and the boy is doing well.

There is considerable uncertainty and very likely to be some litigation as to which party has the first claim on the Trumbull. The Democratic ticket was in all other cases triumphant by a good majority; but Orville S. Mallett, the Democratic nominee, received 18 votes, while Elliott Nichols, the second Democratic nominee, had 105. On the Republican ticket, Warren E. Plumb, named for first selectman, ran so far ahead of his ticket as to receive 101 votes, three more than Mr. Mallett, while Wilbert N. French, the second Republican, obtained 84. Now the question is, whether Mr. Mallett, being on the ticket which, as a whole, received a plurality of all votes cast, shall be first selectman, or whether Mr. Plumb, who, though on a ticket which did not receive a plurality, should hold the office by virtue of receiving more votes than Mr. Mallett. Lawyers have been consulted and both Messrs. Mallett and Plumb assured that there is no doubt that he has been elected; Republican lawyers confidently assert that it is Mr. Plumb, while Democrats are equally positive that Mr. Mallett is entitled to the position. Mr. Plumb is reported as saying that he shall act as first selectman until the courts decide that he is not and has issued a call for a business meeting of the selectmen this week.

CHESTNUT HILL.
Invitations are out for a social surprise at the residence of S. Lendevog.

SOUTHPORT.
OAKLEY-MEERER.
The wedding of Miss Sadie Oakley and Arthur Meeker was solemnized at 3.30, Thursday afternoon at Trinity church. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Sylvester Clark of Bridgeport. Promptly at the hour, the procession moved up the aisle to the west strains of the wedding march from Lohengrin, the four ushers first, followed by Etta and Erastus Oakley, little sister and brother of the bride, then the bride leading on the arm of her father. She was met at the chancel steps and conducted to the altar by the groom, who was ably seconded by his best man. After the ceremony, Etta and Erastus preceded the bride and groom down the aisle, scattering roses and other flowers in their path. It was a pretty sight. William Robert Clarke of Bridgeport was best man and the ushers were Robert Wirtz, Dr. Williams, Eugene Doolittle and Fred W. Hall, all of Bridgeport. The church was filled with friends. A reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents at 6. The happy couple drove to Bridgeport and took the bridal train at 9.30 for New York. On their return from their wedding trip, they will reside in Bridgeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick P. Curtis are receiving the congratulations of friends on the arrival of a little son, Wednesday evening.

STEPNEY.
An illuminated lecture on interesting persons, places and events in India in the Stepney Methodist church by Rev. N. G. Cheney, Tuesday evening, 25th. Mr. Cheney's residence of six years in India qualifies him to give a description of each scene presented. Tickets 25c.

Preaching, next Sunday, in the Stepney Methodist Episcopal church by the pastor at 1 and 7 p. m. The attendance upon and interest in the evening service is steadily increasing. Bring your gospel hymns. It begins promptly at 7.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Purdy have returned to their home in Brooklyn.

Harvey Lyon of Bridgeport has visited his father, Harry Lyon.

At the annual meeting of the cemetery association, the officers of last year were re-elected. Burr Hawley is president, G. W. Curtis treasurer, S. B. Hayes secretary.

B. Hawley & Co. have sold the well known gray horse Colonel to Selleck Summers, dealer in sea food.

The sermon preached on Sunday morning by Rev. D. G. Lawson of the Kent and Fishkill church was one of marvelous power and eloquence. Since Brother Lawson came among us, he has constantly grown in favor and popularity with his people, as pastor and preacher and never before in the history of the church did such a large and attentive audience assemble from Sabbath to Sabbath to listen to the truth.—[Farmer's Mills letter in Putnam County Republican.]

Mrs. Belle Marsh, of Bridgeport, has visited her mother, Mrs. Caroline Dayton.

Mrs. Charles Whitteley and family, of New Haven, are with Mrs. M. E. Beers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clark will visit Mr. Clark's home near the Adirondacks.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jackson, 10th.

Ed Sherman works in New Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Beach received friends and neighbors at their residence, Tuesday evening, 7th, the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage. Many were prevented from attending owing to the stormy weather. Numerous presents of value were sent, both useful and ornamental.

The mother and sister of Henry Brown arrived, last week. They will

make Stepany Depot their home and will occupy the George Hawley place.

Miss Sullivan, formerly operator at the depot, has been transferred to the Canaan office. Miss Hoyt, of Titicus takes the place left vacant by Miss Sullivan.

Mrs. M. E. Beers has been more comfortable, but is now very poorly.

BRIDGEPORT.
One of the city's elegant weddings was the marriage, Wednesday evening, of Miss Belle, daughter of A. W. Wallace of State street to W. G. Lineburgh, Jr.

George S. Hawley, T. L. Watson & Co.'s telegraph operator, son of Undertaker George B. Hawley, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

C. V. Geschke is now night watch at the Bridgeport paper mills.

George Belter is building a large addition at the rear of his residence on Hanover street.

The affairs of the Springfield Emery Wheel Co. have not yet been settled, although many of the employees are still at work. It is hoped that the concern can soon settle with its creditors and again assume control of its affairs.

Dr. S. J. Damon drives a pair of handsome colts which are considered very fast.

L. M. Hedges arrived at Winter quarters with six cars of circus property and will immediately get everything in readiness for the return of the Greatest on Earth, which will be home about the middle of November.

P. McKoon, truckman, has moved his teams into his new barn on Railroad avenue.

T. Van Horn is building a new henery at the rear of his lot.

H. E. Bowser is suffering from a large boil on his face, which does not add to his appearance.

Joseph Sanger has bought a fine building lot on Shelton street.

A. Hopkins has a large plumbing contract in Chester, Conn.

G. W. Smith, proprietor of the village store, has returned from his European trip improved in health.

H. E. Bowser, manager of the Barnum gymnasium, says the membership for the second year of this popular institution will far exceed the opening year. Already nearly all the old members have subscribed for the new year and many new ones have been added. New apparatus is being added and, as cool weather advances, the room will be more and more patronized. It is without doubt the finest gymnasium in New England. Every one out of town says there is not as fine a one in the country.

Carl, gutter and sidewalks are being laid out along the new street cut through the Sanford property from Norman street west.

The large tract of land recently filled in by P. T. Barnum near Seaside park is now being covered with loam; when finished, it will raise a fine crop of hay.

The slate roof is being put on the new post office building; every thing about the building is being rapidly pushed, in order to close it in, before cold weather.

The people of St. John's parish were well pleased with Rev. H. M. Jackson, who preached a fine sermon both at the morning and evening services Sunday. The vestry are anxious that he accept the call, as they have been so long without a rector.

George Fisher was presented with a bouncing boy; mother and son are getting along finely.

The first of the series of lectures by the Y. M. C. A. is booked for Friday, October 20, when George Kennan will lecture at Hawes on Siberia.

Miss Kitty B. Middlebrook has been appointed in place of Miss Sarah E. Nelson, who resigned as teacher of school No. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Irish have commenced housekeeping at West End.

Miss Martha O'Brien is to marry Dr. Crandall of Falls Village, October 21.

The anniversary exercises of the Y. M. C. A. at the different churches, Sunday evening, were interesting, particularly at the South church, where reports of Secretary Ferguson and other officers were read.

ORONOQUE.
Alfred Osborne and wife visited Danbury fair and spent several days with friends.

Misses Albert and Louise Curtis are with Rev. Myra K. Teale near Boston.

Mrs. Jefferson Clark has returned from a trip to Europe at her residence here.

LYON'S PLAIN.
Dr. Riker, who has visited Rev. A. Hamilton, returned home, Monday.

Miss Minnie Andrews of Danbury visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Lyon, Sunday.

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LOWEST PRICES.

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December 10, Dinner Set,
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If you don't see what you want in our
ad come and ask for it. 'Twould be
necessary to buy out the entire space
in the BEE in order to enumerate our
entire stock and prices and, even if we
did that, we expect we'd be crowded
for room.

H. N. AYRES,
BRIDGEPORT.

Lottie Serecher, the pupil so mercilessly
whipped with a rawhide by her teacher, Miss
Anna C. Abbott, still suffers from the effects.
Previous to this, she was a good, studious
scholar, so called by her former teacher. There
was never a word of complaint entered to
parents or school board while she has attended
school, since she was five years old. Let
the doctor not attend school, as reported.—[Mrs.
James Serecher.]

SPORT HILL.
The Sunday school of the Center street
church will give a Good Tidings service
of singing, concert reading, recitations
and a collection for the Sunday School
Union and Tract society, Sunday evening
19th, commencing at 7.30.

Rev. L. D. Nickerson is at Bath Beach.
Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Beers have been with
friends at Danbury.

Next Sunday school teachers' meeting
at Mr. Godfrey's, Wednesday evening.

The Center street church will vote,
Thursday, 23d, from 2 to 5 and from 7
to 9 p. m., at the church on the question
of the admission of woman to the
general conference. The pastor, I. C. Fan-
ton and W. H. Lockwood will have
charge of the election.

FAIRFIELD WOODS.
Married, Wednesday evening, 8th, at
the residence of Alden Wilson, Frederick
Downes of Greenfield Hill and Miss
Nellie Hubbard of Fairfield Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Ered Pratt of Norwalk
have recently visited his mother.

Albert Wheeler has a new lumber
spring wagon made by Wheeler Bros.
of Easton.

WESTPORT.
The M. E. church will hold their
annual Harvest festival, 28th and 29th.

George Follett has sold his meat
market at Saugatuck to Adams Bros.

J. E. Field and M. H. Thorpe have
bought young cattle of H. C. Clark.

G. E. Frederick and Charles Dayton of
Brooklyn, Miss Linda P. Thorpe and Mrs.
E. C. Dow of Bridgeport have been at M.
H. Thorpe's.

Mrs. Nancy Coley, colored, died at her
home in Easton, aged 110 years. She
was born in Greenfield in 1780 and said
that at her birth she was so small that
they put her into a quart silver tankard
and closed the lid. Her maiden name
was Nancy Beers and she had many
brothers and sisters. When quite young,
she married a man named Nichols and
had 13 children. When her husband
died, 50 years ago, she married James
Coley, who was 35 years her junior. Mrs.
Coley was a great lover of snuff and
had taken it for nearly a century. Until
within a year or two, the old lady attended
to her own household. She had been sup-
ported by the town.—[Hour.]

STRAITFORD.
Carpenter Benjamin Holmes has bought
a lot on Main street opposite Robert W.
Curtis's.

Mrs. Bedell Benjamin has been seriously
ill for two or three weeks.

The board of health has organized with
Samuel C. Lewis president, Stiles Judson
Jr. secretary.

Hiram C. Smith has contracted to
paint Christ church.

Bridget Egan, a bright young girl in
the employ of William N. Ely, was taken
suddenly insane. While visiting in
New York, last summer, she was over-
come by the heat and fell, injuring her
head. It was at first thought best to re-
move her to the hospital at Middletown,
but she was finally committed to the
care of friends in town. Competent phy-
sicians from Bridgeport give hopes of
her recovery with good care and com-
plete rest, a result much desired on the
part of her friends.

Rev. G. F. Prentiss of the West End,
Bridgeport, preached in the Congrega-
tional church, Sunday.

Rev. W. E. Jeffries of the Summerfield
Methodist church, Bridgeport, preached
in the Methodist church, Sunday.

Additions are made to the Bristol
place on Long Brook avenue.

Mrs. Dolly, widow of the late William
H. Weeks of Bridgeport, died recently
at the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. B.
Dibble on Long Brook avenue. She
was a sister of Elliott J. and William
Peck. She had resided for a number of
years with her sister and was well known
among our poor people for her many acts
of charity and kindness.

Only 24 votes at the election in the M.
E. church that women be represented
in the Methodist general conference; 18
in favor.

The Seelye place, now owned by Curtis
Thompson of Bridgeport, has been re-
modelled and is one of the prettiest places
in that vicinity.

Two cars of cattle, consigned to G. T.
Hine and O. G. Beard of Huntington, re-
cently arrived from the West. The same
parties expect three more loads.

Complaint is made by the librarian of
the public library it is made the rendez-
vous of boys who discuss base ball and
tennis and arrange surprise parties, to
the annoyance of visitors who come to
make proper use of library privileges.

Albert Wilcoxson has been elected as-
sessor for 31 years.

When Capt. John Miller came from St.
Croix, he brought two young deer. He
presented them to Henry Meacher. One
has died and the other recently escaped,
but was finally captured in the yard of
T. B. Fairfield.

Rob. Stillman is clerking in Howland's
shoe store, Bridgeport, where he will be
glad to see Stratford friends who may
want foot gear.

Capt Miller expects to leave for St.
Croix, the 18th.

The BEE is informed that the cases
against M. F. Fitzgerald and J. T. Car-
ney of Bridgeport, tried before Justice
Peck some time ago charged with drunk-
ness, breach of the peace and assault
upon Fred Beardsley and Charles Curtis,
have been or are about to be nolleed by
the court of common pleas.

COLEYTOWN.
James Sherwood's youngest daughter,
six years old, fell and broke her arm near
the shoulder, Sunday.

E. N. Siperley sold a coil spring can-
opy top wagon to Nickerson and Betts,
Norwalk, last week.

Hiram Scofield comes out with a brand
new spindle body wagon hung with the
celebrated Booth lever coil spring bought
of E. N. Siperley.

Hart, the blacksmith, who was bitten
in the hand by a dog, two weeks ago,
has resumed work.

E. N. Siperley, the wagon king, has
just received another car of Champion
spring lumber wagons, which makes the
second car, this year. He says that his
trade is increasing and that farmers and
teamsters begin to appreciate the worth
of the Champion, as there is no whip
to the pole or shafts and one third heav-
ier load can be drawn with the same
amount of draft.

HUNTINGTON.
The residence of John F. Reeves was
the scene of an enjoyable party, Thurs-
day evening, 9th, a surprise being given
Misses Lillie C. and Lucy F. Reeves.
There were about 40 young people pres-
ent. They tripped the light fantastic to
the music of Prof. Bliss's violin, with
piano accompaniment by his uncle. All
enjoyed themselves and, after a fine sup-
per, went home well pleased with a com-
plete surprise.

The fifth anniversary of the wedding
of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Nichols was
pleasantly celebrated by nearly 20 friends
at their pleasant home on Booth's hill.
The storm kept many away who hope to
attend their 10th in pleasant weather.

Born, a daughter to Lee Eldred.

In your issue of the 10th, your correspond-
ent from this place concerning remarks that
the temperance people are weary over the re-
sults of the license vote, notwithstanding
the town treasury will fall to receive some
\$2800. I would like to ask, is this as great a
loss, as to have eight or nine saloons, let us
reckon a moment. At the very lowest, the
average receipts for each saloon would be \$10
daily or \$3600 for the year, paid chiefly by
men earning wages. Now do they receive for

their money that which makes them better
healthier and stronger, or on that which better
feeds and clothes their families? No, every
one knows it is the reverse of all this. It
makes them enemies to themselves and their
families.

But let us look at some of the direct gains
to the town by this vote of no license, if we
have as I hope we have, officers that are
upright and honorable, who will regard their
oath of office as more binding than the saloon
patronage, so that they will faithfully execute
the laws.

First, the town has made a very great
moral gain, in ceasing to be longer a partner
in the traffic that debauches, degrades and
paralyzes her citizens and also in ceasing to
hold her purse and the bribe money from tears
and blood.

Second, the town may save for legitimate
business from \$28,000 to \$40,000 earned by the
brain and muscle of her citizens and given to
enrich some eight or nine saloon keepers,
who return them neither food, clothing, nor
comforts for this life or that to come.

It may also gain the value of many days of
productive labor, that with the saloons,
should have been lost through drunkenness.
It may save the expense of the arrest and
custody for many drunkards and their
families.

Taking all these things into account, I, for
one, do not think the town will be much poorer,
even if it does not receive the \$2800 of
blood money.—[A. J. P.]

FAIRFIELD.
Sarah D., daughter of Theodore Tur-
ney, arrived home from Ohio after an ex-
tended visit of eight months. She stopped
in north eastern Pennsylvania to see
her brothers, who are engaged in buying
and shipping grapes to New York. Her
young friends gave her a cordial reception
the evening after her return.

The young ladies' cake sale, Saturday,
was quite a success. A larger amount
was taken in than at any previous sale.
It was the last, this Fall.

Benjamin Betts attended the Fairfield
West association at Westport, Tuesday.

Hon. Volney B. Cushing of Maine ad-
dressed the citizens of Fairfield, Thurs-
day evening, 16th, at the Town hall.

The Harvest Home festival of the Con-
gregational Sunday school will be held,
Sunday evening, 19th, at 7 p. m. The
sale of the products raised and other ar-
ticles will take place on the next even-
ing.

A neighborhood Sunday school teach-
ers' convention of the Congregational
churches of Fairfield, Southport, Green-
field, Hope Chapel and Black Rock will
be held at Black Rock, Wednesday even-
ing, 29th.

The case against Dooley for selling
liquor on election day came before Jus-
tice Peck of Bridgeport, Wednesday af-
ternoon. It was continued to Friday af-
ternoon. Stiles Judson Jr., of Bridge-
port, appeared for the defendant. The
case against Troy will also be tried to-
day, J. D. Toomey Jr. being counsel.

Look out for that boy.
There is nothing equal to boys—except
girls.

Boys are made up of about one-tenth
of seriousness and the rest mischief-
which will not hurt them, if carefully
looked after.

What looks prettier than the brow of
black mischiefous eyes of a boy about 14
years old?

And what a queer time of life that is in
a boy. He has long enough for a man
and hands large enough to grasp all
most anything. He has a kind of oldish
look, yet a bluish like that of girlhood is
on his cheeks. He hardly knows where
to look or how to place his arms in the
presence of others. Oh, how green he is.

Nevertheless, a green boy should be
appreciated above all other boys, for, in
due season, the greenness will pass off
and the experience of manhood will take
its place.

But the boy of 14 is just the kind of
boy to be looked after by father, mother,
sisters and his big brothers. At a certain
time it is necessary to break in young
colts, if you ever want to make anything
out of them, and so with boys—the best
kind of colts.

Where and how to begin is the ques-
tion. Which is the best place—feet, head
or heart? It all depends.

Some boys can only be trained by
mother; while others need the mildest
arm of father to teach them how and
where they are defective. Good sisters
often have a wonderful influence over
boys, and sometimes it takes the pecu-
liar tactics of some other boy's sister to
handle a young man.

The average boy is full of nonsense.
He builds castles in the air on Monday,
pulls them down on Tuesday and builds
others. And he generally stays half
wise and half foolish until he gets mar-
ried or arrives at the age of 30.

Did you ever examine a boy's pockets?
They are filled with every kind of thing,
miniature Yankee notches, tin establish-
ments. And his pockets are like his
head. The latter has all kinds of ideas
stowed away in it, from how to catch a
crab to how to make a million dollars, or
how to be the greatest man in Ameri-
ca.

The average boy, however, has a great
deal of good in him; somewhat smothered
up, but it is there. If you examine
him carefully, you will find the good—in
spots. He generally loves his mother,
and is a little afraid of his father—both
good traits. He almost always wants
to be a man, and sometimes has queer
ways of showing how he proposes to get
there. He goes through many hardships
to learn something while at school, and
would do better than he does, only he
finds it such hard work.

But the time to look after the welfare
of your boy is when you have told him
to take off his Knickerbockers and put on
long pants; when you can barely see a
something that looks like a mustache
struggling to show itself on his upper
lip. It has always seemed to me that a
boy just raising a make-believe mustache
is in danger of brain fever. I don't know
why; but it does appear that at about
that time (ever in their lives) they get a
touch of the "big head." Look out for
them at that trying hour of their exist-
ence, and do your level best to pass them
successfully over this crisis.

"Train up a child in the way it should
go" is the advice of a man who was once
wise and afterwards foolish. He must
have made the above remark either be-
fore he lost his wits or after he recovered
them.

Parents, look after your boys until the
time comes when they will select some-
body else to talk to them as to what they
should or should not do.

The possibilities of a boy, with a good
mother and father behind him, are im-
measurable.—[Witness.]

WESTON.
Miss Mary Percy is in Tarrytown, N.
Y.

Lloyd Godfrey has two sick horses;
and Will Lockwood, one. Sturges An-
drews has suffer with fever.

Henry B. Sturges and wife of New
Haven visit his brother, G. B. Sturges.

Herman Chase died, last week, at the
residence of Isaac Rhodes, aged 82.

Mrs. S. Andrews, of Brooklyn visits
Mrs. Ephraim Smith.

Mrs. William Smith visited relatives in
Danbury, last week.

Henry J. Hamilton, visits his former
home in Rochester, N. Y.

Misses Corinne and Lida Meeker of
New Haven, accompanied by friends
from Bridgeport, have visited in town.

Hawley Williams, and son, visited his
brother, in Ridgefield, last week.

Matthew Bulkley has been quite ill.

The late census shows Mrs. Cynthia
Wheeler, of the Forge, to be the oldest
inhabitant of Weston. She will be 96
years of age in a few days.

Carpenters are building a large addi-
tion to the house of W. P. Rowland.

Charles Godfrey and Joseph Perry
are champion gunners and fishers of
the town.

Henry Robinson was in town, Sun-
day.

Miss N. B. Johnson suffered from a
slight indisposition, last week, but is
improving.

Friends of Jerome Godfrey are pleased
to learn that his health is improving
slowly, at his home in Danbury.

Harry Carson, an old gentleman from
Norwalk, boards with William Williams.

William F. Kirk of Weston and Miss
Alice Coley of Wilton were married, last
week Wednesday, at the Methodist par-
sonage, Westport, by Rev. H. S. Still.

Miss Helen Hill has been in Danbury.

Mrs. Randle entertained friends, last
week, among them Mrs. Ayres of Ohio.

Miss Effie Budd of Norwalk spent Sun-
day with her mother.

Frank and George Ballwitz and sisters
were in Weston, Sunday.

Mrs. D. L. Coley, Jr., spent a week in
Danbury.

Home missionary collection, Sunday,
\$8.

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J. T. Lancaster took several premiums on a family of dogs exhibited at Danbury, last week.

Painter Evans has painted the store at Huntington and is to wield the brush at Mrs. Briscoe's.

H. N. Ayres of 7 Bishop block never does anything by halves and his munificent offers, this week, are fairly stunning in their generous magnificence. A store that can afford to give away one of the finest pianos ever seen in Bridgeport, the beautiful Kellar, described last week, with two gold watches, dinner set of 102 pieces, diamond stud, two gold watches, silver tea set, handsome lamp, etc., must do a rushing business to support such princely gifts. The best of it is that Mr. Ayres keeps the quality of his goods at high water mark and retains customers who once patronize him.

James Baker and his famous Trinity boy choir of Bridgeport will again delight Newtown lovers of vocal music by appearing at the Town hall, Thursday evening, 23d. The admission is 25c and 35c and the program includes many rare hits of melody.

Lawyer W. H. O'Hara and his law partner, Daniel Davenport of Bridgeport, were admitted to practice at the bar of the Supreme court of the United States, this week. Messrs Davenport and O'Hara are retained by the Pennsylvania railroad in a case which was to have been argued before the Supreme court, had not the death of Justice Miller rendered an adjournment necessary.

The Republican county convention is to be held at Bridgeport, Tuesday, 21st.

Homer Congo, one of the newly elected constables, has been presented with a badge and club.

Franklin Burton and family, who have spent the summer at C. Morris's, have returned to their home at Ansonia.

Charles F. Wells bagged a fine fox in Britain, last week.

Monday morning proved the coldest of the season, ice an eighth of an inch thick having formed in Sandy Hook.

Hon. S. P. Glover and C. L. Bostwick have returned from a successful fishing tour.

Ewald Bellingrath, the new machinist at the Rubber, went to New York, this week, returning with his wife and two children.

Charles E. Hawley says that he intends to run his stage from Sandy Hook to Newtown station, during the entire winter. He meets all passenger trains.

One hundred and thirteen tickets were sold from Newtown to the Danbury fair.

T. J. Corbett has moved from the house opposite St. John's church to a house on Gas street.

A couple of Boston gentlemen, who were on a pleasure trip and were spending part of it in a canoe, embarked on the Housatonic at the head of canoe navigation, last week, and floated down to Sandy Hook. Thursday night, they passed at Taylor's hotel, leaving, Friday morning, for Stratford.

M. Engert of New York was in Sandy Hook, last week, returning home, Friday, with his family, who have been spending the summer at Taylor's hotel.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stephens, Tuesday morning.

St. Rose drum corps played for Pioneer hook and ladder company of Westport, Thursday, in the firemen's parade at Portchester, N. Y.

C. W. Canfield's painters are again at work at Jenaville, but have finished, except for a few fences. They are at work at John Clark's and expect soon to begin work on a large new house which Margh & Beers of Bridgeport are building for Mr. Barnes in Fair Haven.

L. C. Morris entertains his mother, Mrs. George R. Couch of Brooklyn; also Barnett Phillips and wife of Brooklyn.

Botsford Hill Sunday school will be held by Mrs. Oliver Botsford, next Sunday at 3:30 p.m. prompt.

When Edison had given two weeks of his valuable time to going up and down the New York elevated railroad, trying to discover what caused its noise and a cure for it, he gave up the task. Then a little woman took it. She rode on the cars three days, was denied a place on the rear platform, laughed at for her curiosity and politely snubbed by conductors and passengers. But she discovered what caused the noise and invented a remedy, which was patented and she was paid the sum of \$10,000 and a royalty. Her name is Mrs. Mary Walton and she lives in New York city.

Oliver J. Wolcott.

Oliver J. Wolcott, who has been in poor health for some time, died at his home near the Housatonic river, Friday. He had never recovered from a severe attack of grip in the Spring and the subsequent excitement and exposure at a fire which burned part of a timber tract he had owned hastened his death. He had been confined to the house about six weeks and was 64 years old. At the funeral, Tuesday at 2 p.m., the services were conducted at the house by Rev. S. M. Keeler, formerly of South Britain, now of Bridgeport. The body was taken to the Berkshire cemetery for burial and the bearers were Hon. Smith E. Glover, C. L. Bostwick, William E. Ackley and Samuel F. Tison. Mr. Wolcott, who came here from Kent something more than a score of years ago, had lived since that time at the banks of the Housatonic and has, besides managing a farm, been engaged in timber cutting and cattle dealing. He was respected by a large circle of friends and was regarded as one of the "square" men of the town. Besides a wife, he leaves two children, a son Thomas and a daughter, Miss Edie.

Patrick Hurley has returned from a brief visit at Matteawan.

New Milford men, under the supervision of Mr. Hill, are overhauling and repairing the Sandy Hook grist mill.

A straight line is shortest in morals as well as in geometry.—[Rachet].

Furniture Dealer and Undertaker P. F. Keating has placed signs in post office block advertising his new business on the second floor. They are the work of C. W. Canfield.

A good conscience is to the soul what health is to the body.—[Addison].

Albert C. Beeher, who is with W. S. Curtiss of Colchester, paid Sandy Hook a flying visit, last week.

Next to acquiring good friends, the best acquisition is that of good books.—[C. C. Colton].

Revocation proceedings have been brought against Martin F. Houlihan, a Newtown saloon keeper, and the hearing was assigned, but the county commissioners adjourned it until October 22.—[Standard].

Every duty we omit obscures some truth we should have known.—[John Ruskin].

If "cleanliness is next to Godliness," the surest way to attain it is b(u)y Brussels soap.

Edson Sanford of Meriden has spent a few days in Sandy Hook. Mr. Sanford has visited Europe, this season.

E. Peterson will leave the service of the Rubber Co., Saturday and goes to Passaic to enter the meat business.

People often say they cannot speak or say much in meeting. No wonder they have nothing to say, who daily read 20 columns of newspaper to one square inch of Bible.—[H. L. Hastings].

Choice white Malaga grapes and new figs at E. F. Hawley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Hall spent Sunday in Danbury.

In this great and glorious land of freedom murder, suicide and arson are within reach of even the poorest and most humble citizen. So is that best and most economical of all soaps, called Brussels.

Mrs. Isaac Beers went to Bridgeport to spend a day or two with her sister, Miss Bostwick.

Do-to-day's duty, fight-to-day's temptation and do not weaken and distract yourself by looking forward to things which you cannot see and could not understand if you saw them.—[Charles Kingsley].

Prof. James Baker has fixed the date of the concert of the "Friday boy choir" at the Town hall for next Thursday, 23d. Master Moore will sing "The Swanee River" and the "11 Bacio" waltz. E. M. Jackson accompanist.

Miss Mary E. Curtin from Bridgeport came home, Sunday.

Those photo-etchings that E. F. Hawley is giving away are as fine as any steel engraving and worth from \$1 to \$2 in any art store.

Rev. E. H. Dutcher will preach in the Methodist church, next Sunday morning at 10:30; in the evening at 7:30. Ladies' prayer meeting, next Tuesday at 3, with Mrs. Middlebrook.

W. J. Dick has had green corn every day for three months, picked lima beans and corn, last Monday.

Miss Alice Canfield of Stepany has spent a few days with Miss Jennie Glover.

The suspension of Sawyer, Wallace & Co., New York, the largest commission firm in America, had some pathetic features. Both the leading partners are over 70 years of age and had done business 37 years. They turned over all their assets, both partnership and individual, to their creditors.

Miss H. M. Winchell of New Haven visits her cousin, Mrs. I. Percy Blackman.

The work of irrigation in Victoria, Australia, goes on, where practical and scientific details have been in the hands of two California civil engineers, the Chaffee brothers, who have already reclaimed through irrigation a large body of land, which has been colonized, in the Valley of the Murray.

P. J. A. Harper, senior member of the firm of Harper & Brothers, publishers, has retired from active participation in the business of the firm. He has been connected with the firm for over 40 years and for a long time has been senior member. His retirement is due to a desire on his part to be freed from the cares of business and to enjoy the rest earned by years of active participation in publishing. Soon after his retirement, a reorganization of the firm took place and as it now stands it is composed of Joseph W. Harper, John W. Harper, J. Henry Harper, John Harper, James Thorne Harper and H. R. Harper.

More Pensions and Bounty.

A gentleman (an old soldier) representing Milo B. Stevens & Co., of Washington, D. C., can be seen at the American hotel, Brookfield, Wednesday, October 23; Hotel L'Amoureux, Danbury, Thursday, October 23; and at the Grand Central hotel, Newtown, Friday, October 24, day and evening, by persons desiring information concerning pensions, bounties, etc., or having claims which they desire to have prosecuted by said attorneys.

SOUTH BRITAIN.

Martin Fox and family of Danbury spent Sunday with Mr. Dittus.

Mrs. Eliza Averill is with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Curtis.

A progressive farmer is S. S. Platt, who has recently made an artificial pond west of his house, which he proposes to stock with fish; another winter he may have ice.

The declaration of belief set forth by the heads of the Mormon hierarchy has nothing to say about polygamy and recognizes the duty of obedience to the law and lawful authority. But, in view of the fact that Mormon polygamy is based upon an alleged revelation to Joseph Smith, prophet, seer and revelator, this passage in the declaration, "We believe all that God has revealed, all that He does now reveal and we believe that He will yet reveal many important things pertaining to the kingdom," doesn't look much like an abandonment of the institution. We gather from the report just forwarded to Washington by Gov. Thomas of Utah that he does not take any stock in the sincerity of the recent utterances of the Mormon president on the subject. "There is no reason to believe," he writes, "that any earthly power can exact from the church any declaration opposed to polygamy."

Tolstoi's latest lunacy is to denounce marriage as un-Christian, though he is himself the father of 10 children, the eldest 28 and the youngest only two years old. It was his wife, the countess, who prevented him giving away all his property.

Married in Danbury, 11th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Mr. Torgard, Frederic Hoyt and Miss Nellie Van Scoy. Norman B. Hoyt of Berkshire, grandfather of the groom, attended the wedding. Mr. Hoyt has been head clerk in the Housatonic freight office for eight years. He is a member of the Danbury band and was tendered a serenade. When they were invited in, the leader, after making a lengthy speech, presented a marble lock, a thing of beauty. The couple received many valuable presents.

Mrs. Adella Northrop of Brooklyn has visited her grandmother, Mrs. E. G. Blackman of Cold Spring.

Charles W. Millen of Brooklyn, general organizer and lecturer for the National Provident Union, a fraternal and insurance organization, has been in town, obtaining charter members for a local council. Fifteen are required at the institution of a lodge and Mr. Millen feels confident of success.

Cars of cattle for W. N. Northrop, George B. Ferris and Chambers & Mitchell arrived, Thursday.

It is said by his neighbors, that the finest piece of corn raised in town was that of Daniel Gregory.

Carpenter C. B. Glover has shingled Charles Skidmore's house.

The selectmen will be in session on the last Saturday of every month to receive and pay school and other bills. Teachers can then get their pay.

Dr. Smith found John Blake's death due to heart trouble, from which he has suffered for some time.

John Blake.

Seldom has this community received such a shock as this was communicated to it, when it was announced that John Blake of Walnut Tree hill district dropped dead suddenly on Friday morning, as he was about to begin his daily labor in the Rubber factory. He had been conversing with a shopmate, James Lavey, on indifferent subjects and, at the sound of the whistle calling all to work, he started for his work bench. A moment later, he was seen to sway and fall to the floor, in a heap. Immediately there was a rush to where he lay and soon sympathetic hands laid the man's head on a bale of cotton sheeting, while every expedient was used to fan back the stifling spark of life. The news of the accident spread like wild fire through the different departments of the factory and intense excitement prevailed. Daniel Blake, a brother of the unfortunate man, was notified and rushed at once to the scene of the calamity, only to reach there to witness the last gasp of his beloved brother, but no sign of recognition or greeting. "The death was painless; as with the first shock unconsciousness and from unconsciousness he glided into death peacefully and without pain. Besides the assurances of religion, this must be a source of consolation to the sorrowing friends.

The funeral occurred Sunday, 12th, from St. Rose church to the cemetery in the Glen and was attended by representatives from every Catholic family in this town and by friends from New York, Bridgeport, Danbury and elsewhere and with hardly an exception was the largest funeral gathering ever within St. Rose's portals. The deceased was connected by blood or marriage with most of the Catholic families here. The reverend pastor, Father Donohue, spoke feelingly to the concourse of friends and neighbors, telling the short and simple story of the dead man. He was faithful unto death to his family, his church and his country and, who God called him, he found him at his post of duty. And, though death came suddenly, the pastor had a firm belief that death did not find him unprepared. The pall bearers were Messrs. Bernard and Michael Keating of New York city, his cousins, and John McInerney, James Levey, Patrick L. Keane and John Keating, shopmates of the deceased.

Mr. Blake was born in historic County Clare, Ireland and, at the time of his death, was 55 years of age. He came to this country 35 years ago and, for years, was an employee of the Rubber company. He married Miss Bridget McMahon about 1860, who survives him, together with four children, one son John and three daughters, Misses Mary, Maggie and Katie, all grown or fast attaining manhood or womanhood. Surely the daily witnessing of their honest father's life ought to be sufficient inspiration for his children to follow in his footsteps and to all who knew him a good example. By his industry alone, the deceased acquired and held considerable property in this community. His success illustrates once again the capacity of the Irish exile for moral and material progress under the wings of freedom and goes far to prove the claim that the Celt is the real hope in America's future.—[Thomas J. Corbett].

MONROE.

Selectmen—Burr Hawley, William E. Ferris, Andrew L. Burr. Town clerk—David A. Nichols.

Treasurer—Homer E. Clarke. Assessors—Oscar J. Sherwood, Charles G. Sherman. Board of relief—Stiles M. Clarke, Edson Hayes. School visitors—C. Edward Osborne, Benjamin M. French, Edward G. Beardsley. Registrar of voters—Dwight M. Burr, Eibert S. Olmstead. Grand jurors—Henry W. Edwards, Lacey Higgins, John W. Waterbury, Orville A. Hall, R. L. Way, Henry F. Sherman. Constables—Warren W. Bliss, Edson Turner, Charles H. Powell, William J. Canoe, Frank L. Beardsley, J. Frank Olmstead, Edward D. Johnson, Louis B. Beardsley. Auditors—Lacey Higgins, A. Sinclair, Jr. r.

SOUTHBURY.

Mrs. A. F. Mitchell of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent last week with Miss Alice Stiles.

Harriet Leonard of Woodbury died, Friday morning, at the house of Harley Warner.

E. P. Hine has removed the blacksmith shop, occupied by A. C. Winship, to a more convenient location.

Miss Ottilie Ambler entertains a friend. Harry Brown and Raymond Stiles have been in Shelton.

ROXBURY.

Miss Lottie Peck and Nathan Beardsley were united in marriage, last week Wednesday, at the residence of Monroe Castle. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Burgess, a former pastor of the place. A large number of relatives and friends were invited and the bride had many valuable presents.

Mrs. D. B. Randall has gone to her daughter, Mrs. Leverett Castle, to spend the winter.

Rev. William Cooley is visiting relatives in Providence.

Mrs. O. R. Camp of Canaan has spent a few days in town.

Rev. George Burgess of Hadlyme preached in the Methodist church, Sunday.

P. W. Wells, a former resident, is very sick in Morrisstown, Tenn.; his nephew, C. W. Hodge, is down there caring for him.

Crecent lodge has disbanded for the winter.

The village improvement society will give a dance at the hall, Wednesday evening, 15th.

Myron Odell has gone north after cattle.

Miss Caroline Hurlburt has returned from a trip to Massachusetts.

Miss Mary Ives is in New York and Bridgeport.

Albert Pierce is teaching school in the North district.

E. Mower and family have left. Mrs. S. B. Smith's.

Mrs. Loraine Camp will close her house soon and spend the winter in Middletown.

Mrs. Mary Beardsley has accepted a position as matron in an institution in Hartford.

Mrs. William Towey is at Mrs. Camp's.

Respect for Hired Women.

But what shall woman work at? Well, what's the matter with domestic service? Who will say that labor is not honorable? Who will say that household work is dishonorable? Nobody. Who will say that to hire out to do household work or take care of children is dishonorable? Thousands. Why? Most answers are as follows: Servants are not treated with proper respect and the want of respect shown in various humiliating manners. That is about the substance of the complaints boiled down. And it is about true. The primary fault is with employers.

Let me illustrate: Here are a sister and a brother; fairly educated I mean, plainly springing from the conventional "poor but honest parents." Loved at home and respected by their neighbors. Both must work. The young man goes into an office. He is bright, honest and intelligent. He is called Mr. Sir, etc. His employer gives him the cash to keep and trusts him with the safe combination. He is respected, and if he wants to, he has the entire into many homes of people who have much more money than he has, people who are considered above his station.

Now, what happens to the sister? She takes a position as a domestic. She is called as her brother; being a woman, probably she is much more refined than he is. If her name is Mary, everybody calls her Mary. Nobody thinks of calling her Miss Mary, nobody either in or out of the house. She is entrusted with the care of the children. Is that as great and as important a trust as the dollars given into the keeping of her brother? One would think so. You meet "Mary" or "Miss" or "if you do raise your hat you feel annoyed or foolish, or experience some other indefinable but unpleasant and embarrassing sensation. Isn't it true? "Mr. Thomas" is entrusted with a pile of dirt and "Mary" is entrusted with the priceless treasures of your Godsent children.

Now I leave you to say whether the social system that tolerates—or shall I say demands?—this state of things is not rotten. Do you say this "Miss" or "Mrs" is a small matter? I tell you that you wouldn't dare to address another working lady as you address a domestic. That proves that it isn't a small matter. And I tell you that if you will extend to your domestics the same respect you show to any others who don't deserve it any more than some of them do, you would find that thousands of women would be ready to undertake the various tasks that are necessary to the comfort of your homes, who would bring a blessing instead of annoyance to you and yours—women who are now deterred from talking such positions because of the lack of the courtesy which is extended to any wage-earner excepting those of your own household.—[Witnes].

"Heaven's last best gift—my ever new delight," is not my brown-stone house, nor my carriage and pair, nor my new yacht, nor my pretentious, nor my hopes of a seat in congress, nor these, nor my wonderful cure for pain, salvation oil.

MEIGS & CO.



MEN'S AND YOUTHS' FALL AND WINTER STYLES.

Each season brings its peculiar fashions, not alone to the ladies, but to the sterner sex, as well. As we progress in wealth and luxury, we produce not only the duds and find the garments for gentlemen copied with captivating grace and variation by the sweet maids and matronly maidens, but also develop mandates of taste and fashion for gentlemen and youth. Manager Bell of Meigs & Co., the manufacturers and retailers of fine clothing, furnishings and hats, trunks and bags, has taken the Bex into his confidence and informs the BEE's readers that this season's peculiar hobby is black. Clothing is black as it has been before, excluding the State prison plaids so popular at one time. Hat linings are black, suspenders are black, handkerchiefs are black, hosiery is black, garters are black, and black is the tony style of the season. Of course, there are white and other colors in furnishings for those who desire them, for the whole male sex has not yet worked itself up to an agonized pitch that makes its clothing the prime object in life.

The most stylish under coats for men's wear, Manager Bell says, are black chevrons. Double-breasted and single-breasted, double-breasted being the preferable cut for fall wear. Now, as always, fancy cassimere are worn, mostly double-breasted, though there are some straight-cut sacks. Men's overcoats for early Fall and Winter wear are mostly in dark effects, black being predominant in double-breasted, heavy goods, though handsome light shades are preferred by some. Smooth goods, Melton and Kersey cloths, are the thing, this season, as well as Irish freize and cheviot goods. There are a few nice long ulsters with wide collar and silk corded frogs in front. Few capes are worn by young men. As usual, some rough goods are shown, staple goods in egyptians and chinchillas. The collars of wool coats are made of cloth, some of half velvet and half cloth. Meigs & Co. show elegant dark bottle green shades in overcoatings and drabs in smooth goods made in double and single breasted, with double lap seams and all wool fancy cassimere linings. Hard buttons are now in favor on overcoats. Black worsted suits have always been a specialty with Meigs & Co., as they buy the finest of worsted that can be found and make it up for their finest trade, as a person buying a black suit generally wants a good one for a dress suit. They are in clay, worsted, whippers, wide and medium wale, all new goods direct from their work shops.

The tendency in men's fine dress pantaloons is toward fine stripes, rather than toward plaids, which are going out of fashion. There are still, however, a few almost invisible plaids in fine dress pants. Youth's fashions are a virtual copy of the men's. Meigs & Co. show fine silk vests worked with colored patterns and a stock of smoking jackets and dressing gowns in velvet, tulle and fine cloths, the colors being navy, maroon and brown; also bath robes.

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.

For boys from four to nine years, there are suits with imitation vests, the double-breasted cut plain and the single-breasted with pleated jackets. Meigs & Co. show three-piece suits for boys from 12 to 16 years old, consisting of coat, vest and pants. Boys of from four to nine can be suited in handsome jersey goods and little fellows of from two and a half to five years in a nice line of knit suits in jerseys and cassimere. The overcoats are cut long with deep capes. Youths of from 14 to 18 just sporting a mustache can set off their budding charms in suits of fancy cassimere and cheviot, double and single-breasted, long pants and double-breasted overcoats, with and without capes.

Clothing may be worn merely for covering or warmth, but in furnishings it is easier to exercise taste and round out a handsome and ornamental outfit. Neckwear is becoming especially elaborate and, if properly selected and arranged, may add largely to the artistic effect of the manly costume. The four-in-hands and neckties are still in vogue and some shown by Meigs & Co. in fine polka dot effects and ornamented with delicate sprays of color are very neat and pretty. The new Ascott neckwear is very wide and is worn with a pin, dark colors being the preference. The Ascott bow is a new fad of the season. The leading style of collar is the standing collar with points turned down to make room for the chin. Meigs & Co. show the Elite, Winnipeg, Mingo, Otego, Spokane and Nanticoke. In straight standing collars the Palatia, Madison Square, Coghobie, The Earl & Wilson goods are their stand-by and they make special efforts to secure all the latest styles as they are brought out. Suspenders are in large assortment here, including the black suspenders now in fashion. So are kid gloves for dress, street and full dress occasions. The Reynier white and pearl kid are a choice article, as are the English glove and the Adler, a silk corded, button glove. The single button is the thing in fine dress gloves; a fine street glove has well-edges and a corded stitch back.

The Columbia is the standard shirt with Meigs & Co., who have their shirts made specially for them, both in open front and back and closed front. Bosons are pleated and embroidered; also in fine pique and corded linen; sleeves of all lengths, neck from 13 to 18 inches, making these shirts equal in fit and material to the best custom made. An elegant line of night robes are shown with embroidered front, the work of Steiner & Co., who make a specialty of these robes. Although, as already said, black is the tony thing in suspenders, Meigs & Co. carry Carpenter's celebrated lace-backed, with many other makes, in light and colored figure, as well as black. The fine line of hosiery includes cotton, merino and cashmere, black and white effects being a very correct article and hosiery guaranteed fast black. Bicycle hose is in quality, style and quantity to suit

the most fastidious wheelman. They would be equally pleased with the tony black silk handkerchiefs, though white linen is yet good enough for most of us ordinary mortals, unless we were beguiled with the silk and fancy bordered linen handkerchiefs in the latest novelties. As frosty mornings herald the wintry blasts soon to howl about us, a wise inspection might as well be made of the flannel shirts in blues and fancy plaids in medium and fine goods. So, too, of the underwear from medium merino up to the finest all wool and cotton flannel, including camels' hair, red medicated, blue ribbed natural wool and Australian wool.

In umbrellas, Meigs & Co. carry a very large stock of fine silks, Scotch gingham and glories, in natural wood, gold and silver handles, the former being all the rage, this Fall and will, no doubt, far eclipse the metal handles.

If the diligent shopper follows this round of inspection with appropriate selections in each department, he will be suitably arrayed by this time and will be ready to round out his costume with a hat. The stylish hat is much like its predecessor of last year, except that the crown is flatter on top and the brim is rolled a little flatter, giving the whole hat a flatter set. Meigs & Co. show stylish hats in Dunlap, Miller, Yeoman and Knox blocks in the leading Fall styles for young men. The brim is about 13-8 inches, with a crown 5 1-4 inches high. For older men, there are brims from 1-2 to 1-3 4 inches and crowns 5 1-2 to 5 3-4, the most stylish hat, though many prefer a two-inch brim and six-inch crown. Nearly all the linings are black and the trimmings of silk. An English hat with 1-3 8 brim and 5 1-4 crown is a little flatter on top and has a still flatter set than the American makes. There are novelties of 1-1 4 brim and 5 1-4 crown with a wide silk band and hats with flat brim and silk facing, without the band. A large line of the Evening Sun hats of last season's fancy are still shown and soft hats in assorted colors, the Koko, Retzel soft hat and silk traveling caps. In children's goods, there are Derbys for boys of seven to 14 years and many crush hats in colors. Boys of four to 14 years are provided with little soldier and cadet caps and jockies in velvets, fine cassimere and flannels. Ladies' Nelly Bly hats are also in velvets and fancy cassimere. Now you need only to step into the basement for a trunk or traveling bag and, once here, you will notice that Meigs & Co. keep a full line of horse clothing.

Just step in this secluded corner a moment, while Manager Bell whispers to you the secret of the success of Meigs & Co. Of course they are daring advertisers. No one can fail to observe that. The fame of the house has been rapidly advanced under the liberal policy and energetic management of Manager Bell. But, in buying here, he tells you, you buy direct of the manufacturers and save the middleman's profits. Their clothing is manufactured at Boston under the direct supervision of the firm, who also

have stores at 100 Arch street, Boston, and 107-109 Church street, New Haven. The cloth is bought by the firm directly from the mills and made up in their own workshops—a great saving to the customer. Meigs & Co. have 5200 square feet of floor room, every inch of it used for immense stock and equipments. This uses 3000 square feet up stairs and 1000 in the basement.

Meigs & Co. have recently received a Bridgeport tribute to the excellence of their workmanship and materials and the reasonable price of their goods, having won from competing clothiers the contract to furnish the fire department of the city with suits and overcoats. The officers' suits are double-breasted blues and double-breasted frock overcoats, with initial brass buttons, the privates having single-breasted suits and double-breasted overcoats with nickel buttons.

WESTPORT.

The town of Westport, at its annual meeting on Monday, 6th, showed an amount of confidence in the selectmen never before exhibited, by placing \$6000 at their disposal for the repair and improvement of the highways. This is a mark of high honor for the present town fathers, but places them in a very sensitive position, owing to the amount of patronage at their disposal. Already they are beginning to care for the neglected highways, which were never at this season of the year in such an abominable condition. At Saugatuck, the trees that have made the depot road so narrow below the post office are being removed and it is expected that this is the first step toward widening the avenue. One thing is certain, the widening can never be done with less expense nor less inconvenience to property owners. But this is not the only road where improvements will be demanded. There will be a demand for the grading down of more of the hills on the turnpike between the village and Southport, also from the village west to the Norwalk line and the northern part of the town also has the right to apply for permanent improvements. The sentiment expressed at the meeting proves that the public will never be satisfied with the past condition of the roads, but will use every effort to make them compare favorably with those of adjoining towns. The remarks of ex-Representative Buckley were very pertinent and should be well considered. His reference to Westport business diverted to other towns is too true and the poor roads are no small factor in this diversion. Only a few years ago, Westport was the purchasing point for a large territory lying north and east. But today only a small percentage, in comparison with what it used to be, is realized by her merchants. It is a common expression with old customers, when they chance to come into town, that the roads are so much better into Southport and Bridgeport that they get accustomed to using the best roads and do not mind the difference in distance. They also make the claim that they must buy cheaper in Westport, because they are unable to draw the same amount that they do from other purchasing points. This is a serious drawback to the growth of the coal, lumber, feed and other branches of trade that once made Westport noted along the Sound. Will those good old times ever return? The selectmen now hold the key that locks much of the former trade out of town and it is expected that they will unlock these rock-ribbed roads and let trade come in.

Miss Lottie Burr of Brooklyn visits Miss Nellie Wakeman of Saugatuck. Mayor DeForest and Lawyer Phelan of Bridgeport were the stars of the evening at the Democratic rally in Sturges' hall, Saturday evening. Albert Andrews, who died, Friday, 60 years old, was buried, Monday, from his late home on Riverside avenue. An unlooked for deadlock occurred in the probate convention of the district of Westport, which includes the towns of Westport and Weston, last week. The three Weston delegates were solid for Silas B. Sherwood, the present judge, while the Westport trio could not be budged from George B. Smith of Saugatuck. An adjournment to Friday was finally taken and some lively electioneering has been done.

Horace Staples is back from Binghamton. Sherwood Brothers are painting Mrs Benjamin Pomeroy's house, using olive green for the body and bronze green for the trimmings. A year-old daughter of Walter B. Keeler, sick about a week with cholera infantum, died, last week. Funeral, Tuesday; interment at Oak Lawn. The Four O'clocks were entertained by Miss Cornelia Pomeroy. Next Thursday, they will give their first evening party at Mrs Simon Sherwood's.

A pleasant card party was given, Friday evening, by Miss Kate Bulkeley, at which there were seven tables. The prize winners: Gentlemen's first, Albert Jennings; 2d, A. O. Jennings. Ladies' first, Miss Stella Sherwood; second, Mrs L. B. Curtis. Dancing began at 10:30 and was kept up till the small hours of the morning. R. P. Curtis returned, Friday, from an extended fishing and hunting tour in the wood of Canada. Rev Mr Hyde of Weymouth, Mass., preached in Trinity, last Sunday. Rev Mr Dennis is to officiate, next Sunday. Monday evening, there was a large meeting of the Christian Endeavor society at the Congregational church. Delegates from various towns were present, about 200 in all. Many young fellows from Bridgeport and elsewhere made the most of the occasion to go into the "country" and have some fun and, during the evening, busied themselves with removing gates, etc., making night hide-outs and disturbing the citizens. They were finally warned to stop and leave town, or they would have to tip to tip. This had a decidedly quieting effect. It is time that these disturbances were stopped and the sooner the boys of Bridgeport realize that Southport is not "country" and that they cannot carry on with impunity, the better it will be for them, the next time they have occasion to visit us. The blame has been laid on the Christian Endeavor, but, from investigation, it appears that it ought not to be.

Some of our citizens were pleased by the sweet singing of a number of Christian Endeavor men, who serenaded them after the meeting, Monday evening. A number of college songs were very well rendered. The board of school visitors met at the town house, Monday, 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of organization. Dr M. V. B. Dunham was elected chairman and Attorney E. L. Wells secretary. The board met with the selectmen and made the same appropriations as last year. Messrs Brothwell, Morehouse and Toomey, Jr., were appointed a committee to investigate and report the condition of the school in Stratfield. The school districts are to be visited as follows: Middle and Bulkeley's, J. D. Toomey, Jr., Southport, R. L. Wells. Stratfield and Jennings Woods, D. B. Brothwell. North, Hayden's hill and Deerfield, M. L. Gray.

MISS PLAIN and Holland hill, J. L. Morehouse. North and South Banks, Burr and Greenfield hill, Dr. M. V. B. Dunham. It was voted that all pupils from other towns, except those in joint districts, be required to pay full charges in advance. Meeting adjourned to November 6, 2:30 p. m.

HULL'S FARMS—CROSS HIGHWAY

Roger Kaley is building a new house for his sister. Benjamin Hawkins is home. Mrs Sherwood Wakeman has entertained her niece, Miss Eleanor Bulkeley of Southport. Orville Nichols, while at Danbury fair, had an unmanageable horse driven by two ladies run into his buggy, demolishing a wheel. Frank Monroe and James Sherwood are appraisers on the estate of the late William Goodsell. H. R. Elwood, Jr., has sold a cow to Wilbur Jennings. Simeon Banks, who has a tumor back of his eye, is slowly improving.

NICHOLS.

Miss Maggie Green of Boston is with Mrs Richard C. Ambler. The light in front of David Nichols' place is a good example to follow. C. P. Hall has bought the Thompson Bros. land and expects to build at once. Miss Grace Nichols received a fine Kellier piano on her 18th birthday. A. J. Waters moved into his new house on the 10th.

HUNTINGTON.

Mrs Henry Bolles was taken very sick, Monday night. Dr Stevens attends her. For three days, a fox was pursued by one of Mr Peck's hounds and then ran into the hands of Angus Macdonald, who was watching him. Huntington is fated to lose another of its young ladies, Miss Minnie Paige; Arthur Burr to be the gainer, 23d, at the residence of James E. Paige. Only relatives and near friends invited. The committee has built a neat and substantial fence south of the Center school house. The choppers will soon move from the Hills place. Frederick Beard is home from his Vermont trip. Miss Eva Noe visited Mrs Crandall, last week. Mrs Bartlett, ever kind to others in sickness, is recovering from a long siege and is able to be out. The new seats for the Congregational church are of handsome wood and will have three aisles. Mrs William Beecher has visited her son John Stevens, who is married and lives in Whitestone, L. I. George Taylor moves into the Gilbert house. Miss Eliza Parker and brother have returned from a visit in New Fairfield. E. S. Hawley and family were invited guests at the Hyde-Beardsley wedding in Monroe, last week. Miss Almira Buckingham, who has been at J. C. Buckingham's in Shelton, is with her brother, S. P. Buckingham. A large force of men are engaged on the stonework at the upper reservoir to increase the capacity; the stone are quarried near the dam. John Hanley has opened a quarry back of his barn and keeps several teams busy hauling stone to Shelton. Miss Verona M. Hubbell presided at the organ in St Paul's, Sunday. Mrs Bedell finds this a pleasant home in the Fall, as well as in the Summer. Miss Mary J. Mallory is in Danbury. Lena Baldwin is living with Mrs Sarah Nichols. Work was begun, Monday, on the interior of the Congregational church. The old seats have been removed by C. M. Hubbell, the highest bidder for them. Charles Quick is doing the carpenter work. The large brick chimney is being taken down and is to be re-built at the rear of the church; 200 yards of carpet have been bought of the D. M. Read Co., Bridgeport. Mrs Russell Hubbell died at the home of her sister, Mrs Frank Bassett, last week Wednesday and was buried, Saturday, in the new yard. Mrs Hubbell has been a great sufferer for years with the St Vitus dance. Rev Mr Park was troubled, Sunday, in delivering his sermon on account of hoarseness and coughing. Willie Bedell shot a large hawk, last Friday, measuring six feet from tip to tip. Miss Edith Board spent Sunday in Stepping with Miss Lillie French. The Congregationalists will worship in the Town hall, next Sunday, as the church will be closed. Prayer meeting at Isinglass school house at 4:30 p. m.; 26th at Booth's hill. The item in last week's Transcript in regard to the Y. P. S. C. E. having to seek larger quarters for their meetings is incorrect and is looked upon by some of the members as a run upon them. Some evenings, they fail to get enough together to hold a meeting, especially when stormy. Mrs Nancy Morgan died, Friday, 10th, 70 years old, at the home of her son, William N. Banks of Cutler's Farm. She suffered with a cancerous trouble for two weeks preceding her death. Her health had been far from good for the past five years and she had suffered much. The funeral, Sunday, was from the residence of her son, Rev Mr Robertson officiating and the burial was at Norwalk, her former home, friends taking the remains there for interment, Monday. Mrs Morgan had been twice married and had spent most of her life in New York, Bridgeport and Norwalk. Two children survive, Mrs George Hinman of New Haven and her son William; one son died some years since.

MONROE. Mrs Eunice Wheeler has returned to Bridgeport. Mrs Hattie Gray and son have returned to North Carolina.

HOYDEN'S HILL.

Mrs Charles Nichols visits her sister, Mrs George Cowles of New Britain. Mrs George Norton and daughter and Miss Olive Norton have visited in Southbury. Miss Alice Bartram of Black Rock has visited her uncle, Elihu Burr. Miss Allie Foster is taking music lessons of Mrs E. M. Carr. Clarence Bradley's meat wagon looks fine in a new coat of paint.

REDDING. Monday night, Henry Whitehead drove up to his store stoop with his spirited horses and a load of feed and groceries and stepped off, leaving them for a moment. They became frightened and started on a dead run for the Center. When they came to Mrs S. B. Osborn's barn, they ran into the guide post at the fork of the roads and one of them was thrown. The wagon ran on to him, the other remained standing, both being detached from the wagon. A broken pole, a ruined harness and a slight scratch on one of the horses. It was a narrow escape from a serious accident. Friday afternoon, the dwelling of Aaron Treadwell was discovered on fire. Fortunately, a number were returning from the fair and plenty of help was soon on hand. After a two-hours' battle with the flames, the house was saved, though the roof was almost burned off and one chimney fell in. The entire upper part of the house will have to be re-built. A burning chimney caused the disaster. Fortunately, Mr Treadwell was well insured and, having received his insurance, will at once repair damages. He was sick in bed at the time. Quite a number of suits of clothes were damaged by water. Mr Kowing thinks that the articles in the Bee and in the Danbury News do him injustice and desires to make the following statement: The fight alleged to have taken place at his house was outside of his premises and he was in no way responsible for it. He also desires to say that the crowds who come down from Bethel bring their liquor with them and he is often obliged to lock his place to prevent their intrusion and that liquor that is brought to Brookside park makes the mischief laid to him. He endeavors to keep a respectable hotel and, while he does not deny that he sells spirituous liquors, does so strictly within the limits of his license. He desires, moreover, that those who are finding fault with him should turn their attention to a place near the churches where liquor is sold without a license and where lewd females are kept for purposes of prostitution. Rev D. Taylor has been granted a vacation of two weeks by his official board and will visit friends in Western New York. During his absence, his pulpit will be supplied by local preachers. H. S. Shaw is painting Mrs Sarah Osborn's house. John Reynolds and Dennis Dorgan are making extensive repairs on their dwellings. Mrs F. B. Daniels expected to visit her father, George Sherman, this week.

PLATTSVILLE. Miss Fannie Bradley has so far recovered as to be about the house. G. B. Weller has sold his milk route to his brother Henry, who boards with him. E. A. Diebrow has the milk which he has been accustomed to buy of the farmers about here gathered by a boy every night and taken to Bridgeport ready for his delivery next morning. THE GERMAN family occupying the Munson Banks place, this season, will leave, this week, for their New York home.

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Alva Jennings has added to his stock by buying of Foote, the drover; also W. F. Jennings.

STEPEY.

Ira Lewis has been out of health of late. Mrs Benjamin French entertains her sister and relatives from Carthage, N. Y. Mr Brown and family have moved to the Sylvanus Hawley place from York State. He works with Wagonmaker Smalley. Mrs Henrietta Turney went to New York, last week, to attend the funeral of a relative; Mrs Brown is housekeeper for Miss Turney. Mrs Julius Hawley had a night blooming cereus which recently bore 14 blossoms, one of which was nine inches across. A Bridgeport firm has recently set up an iron fence about Mr Hawley's pleasant home.

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G. W. Bradley, who hunted for four days, last week, reports game very scarce. Sidney Cornell and Gus Traeger, however, shot 15 birds in one day, last week.

Charles H. Peck, Jr., has been home, returning to New York, this week, to resume his medical studies.

John A. Hauff of New Haven tarried with Newtown friends, en route to and from Danbury's great fair.

Charles Heilm of Danbury has visited Newtown friends.

Mrs. Castle and granddaughter, Miss Minnie Somers of Bridgeport, have visited here.

Elsewhere will be seen a warning for the Democratic probate convention for the district of Newtown. It will be held in the Town hall on Wednesday, 22d, at 7 30 p. m. and is likely to be largely attended. The leading candidates are Lawyer William J. Beecher, who has held the office to the general acceptance for the past two terms and Michael J. Bradley, ex-deputy collector of internal revenue.

Harlow S. Benedict took his nice sucking-cot to the fair, but, as he left the mother at home, he could not enter it for a premium.

Samuel J. Botsford of Palestine is one of the fortunate ones to have apples, this year and already counts over 50 barrels.

A. B. Faucher has entered the store of H. S. Blackman at Hawleyville, where he will be on duty until April in the mercantile department.

Douglas Fairchild, a former occupant of the Grand Central hotel, passed through town to the Danbury fair. He is living with his only son at Far Rockaway, who is in the employ of the Frank Coe Fertilizer Co.

The extension of the freight platform at Hawleyville, north of the station, is to be roofed.

Linemen were at work, last week, running the telephone and telegraph wires into the new station at Newtown.

Registrars John F. Houlihan and M. J. Bradley of the first district were in session at the town clerk's office and J. F. McDermott and Thomas Lillis of the second district at Grand Army hall, yesterday, to receive names of those to be named voters. Both will meet again to-day (Friday) from 9 to 5 and all persons in interest should take notice. Those complying with the notice and found qualified otherwise will be admitted to the electors' oath by the selectmen and town clerk, who will meet at the town clerk's office on Wednesday, 23d, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Charles L. Smith, a carpenter who formerly lived at Botsford and Bradleyville and died in Bridgeport in June, is buried in Norwalk. Last week, a sarcophagus monument of Sampan granite was placed over his grave in the Union cemetery by C. J. Hughes of Stratford.

BETHEL.

Henry Lynch succeeds to George Hines' fish business.

F. W. Whitney is studying pharmacy at Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Charles E. Squires has moved his job printing office from Depot place to Fountain place and occupies part of the lower floor of Richmond Brothers' factory. He has put in a Gordon job press and added an office boy to his staff. His room is large, light and pleasant and is far better than his other quarters. He will put in a paper cutter and make other additions to his equipments. In the future, if business continues to increase, he will hire another printer and devote more of his time to newspaper work and soliciting job printing.

E. H. Beers will occupy part of the room hired by C. E. Squires and will show a stock of furnaces.

Charles Taylor of Plumtree was struck by one of the gates at the Center street railroad crossing, last week. Gate Driver Burr Betts had raised the gates to allow the Adams express train to pass and was lowering them again, not seeing Mr. Taylor, who was close behind. The canopy top in which Mr. Taylor was riding with his family prevented him from seeing the gate and it struck him in the forehead, knocking him from the buggy and cutting a gash about six inches long. The top of the buggy was bent and broken, but no one else was injured; the gate was broken short off. Mr. Taylor was taken to Dr. Hart's office, where the wound was sewed up.

An auction of building lots on Henry street, the new street recently opened by Henry Gilbert, was to have taken place, but was postponed by rain. A number of lots have been disposed of at private sale.

Ex-Postmaster Porter is out after a severe sickness.

"Good Things," an eight-page monthly, will make its appearance in Bethel about November 1. C. W. Geer, the Center street grocer, being publisher. It is to be filled with interesting reading matter and illustrations. It is designed for free circulation, but all wishing copies must call at Mr. Geer's store and put down their names, as a guarantee of interest in the paper.

The National band of Danbury gave a concert and sociable at Nichols opera house, Friday evening, 10th. The concert was from 8 to 9 and dancing followed. Admission was 15c for gentlemen and 10c for ladies, while dancing was 10c extra.

A handsome new sign by George W. Roe has been placed in front of J. C. Trumbull's bakery.

W. T. Masson, the jeweler in Nichols opera house block, now receives electric time daily.

Keeping pace with the march of improvements, Undertaker A. T. Sanford has ordered a new hearse from J. M. Quinby & Co. of Newark, N. J. It arrived, last week, and is a handsome vehicle, richly finished in black and covered with silver mountings.

De like the bird, that, halting in her flight
While on boughs to light,
Feels them giving away beneath her and yet
sings.
Knowing that she hath wings.
—(Victor Hugo.)

C. J. Hughes of the Stratford granite and marble works was at Hawleyville, last week, lettering the monument in Land's End cemetery in memory of Asa N. Hawley.

A marble headstone was set up by Mr. Hughes in Land's End cemetery, last week, to the memory of Ann Skidmore. The stone was obtained by subscription, through the efforts of Miss Carrie Skidmore of Bridgeport and Miss Ann Blackman.

Hon. S. P. Glover is a member of the congressional committee for 1890-91.

John Schumacher has three chairs at his Sandy Hook barber shop, Saturday night and Sunday morning and finds occupation for two helpers.

Rev. G. M. Wilkins already has 250 Sunday school scholars at the new St. Luke's church at Washington Heights, New York city, an increase of ten-fold from the beginning of '27. All available space is filled at every service in the chapel of the roomy old Hamilton Grange at Convent avenue and 141st street and the basement of the new church edifice will be utilized for services as soon as it can be made ready. The church, blasting for whose foundations has begun, is to stand directly on the corner, with the front on Convent avenue and the side extending for 100 feet down 141st street. It will have a frontage of 80 feet and a handsome tower 150 feet high, at the southwest corner. It will be built entirely of granite and the total cost is approximated at \$200,000. The church is built, not only to accommodate the rapidly growing number who to-day worship with the church in that locality, but to provide for the needs of generations, perhaps centuries to come. And no site could more appropriately be chosen, nor could a sightlier location be obtained. From the granite, which will be retained as the rectory, a wide view may be obtained on pleasant days, including Long Island far to the eastward.

I expect to pass through this world but once; any good thing, therefore, I can do, or any kindness I can show to a human being, let me do it now. Let me not neglect or defer it, for I shall not pass this way again.

It is now quite a necessity for the further improvement of the Sandy Hook cemetery that a competent man be employed to go on the ground and re-set the stones that are leaning, some of which are ready to fall. When this is done, the ground will be in excellent condition and a little expended each year will keep it so.

A widower with a number of small children married a widow who was similarly blessed. In time, the newly married couple added to the number. Hearing a voice in the yard one day, the father went out to see what was the matter. "Well what is it?" asked his wife as he returned out of breath. "Your children and my children were pounding our children," was the reply.—(Texas Siftings.)

Mr. Moody's latest departure in his Northfield work is a welcome advance along a line where advance is much needed. He proposes to open a new training school for women, distinct from those already established, which shall combine a course of Bible study, with thought, practical drill in cooking and dress-making. As the workers trained in the Bible Institute at Chicago, or similar institutions, go from house to house on their gospel mission, they find opportunities for practical help forced upon them. For example, last Thanksgiving, a lady came upon a motherless home where a boy of 12 was wrestling with the problem of a dinner suited to the day. The father had provided material, but the poor boy was utterly helpless as to its preparation, till the good missionary stepped in and brought order out of confusion. Often a mother is found with a group of half-clad children, and the garments given her are of no use unless the missionary can teach her how to make them fit. The new training school will fit missionaries for just such work and it, in turn, will open hearts to the gospel. The school will open in October for two terms, three months each; it will be held in "The Northfield," a building that can accommodate from 50 to 100 ladies. The total expense per term will be \$100.—(Union Signal.)

Evil is wrought
By want of thought,
As well as by want of heart.

CONNECTICUT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The 17th State convention of Connecticut Sunday school workers is to be held in the First Congregational church in Danbury, November 11, 12, 13, commencing Tuesday afternoon, 11th and closing Thursday afternoon, 13th. A program of unusual richness, variety and practical value has been prepared. Among the speakers will be B. F. Jacobs of Chicago, Rev. Dr. A. F. Schaeffer and Rev. H. T. McEwen of New York, Miss C. E. Coffin of Brooklyn, Miss Lucy Wheelock, Rev. A. S. Gumbart and Rev. Dr. A. E. Dunning of Boston, R. S. Douglass of Plymouth, Mass., Dr. W. A. Duncan of Syracuse, N. Y., and Rev. Dr. W. P. Raymond of Missouri. President B. P. Raymond of Wesleyan university will preside and give an address and C. B. Willis of Milwaukee, formerly of New Haven, will conduct the singing. The railroads will issue return tickets at reduced rates and the good people of Danbury will provide for the entertainment of all duly appointed delegates. This will be a large inspiring and enthusiastic assembly of Christian workers. All friends of the cause are cordially invited.

STEPNEY.

A fine Chester granite headstone was set in the Stepney cemetery, last week, by C. J. Hughes of Stratford, over the grave of the wife of J. Coley Field. Another was also set for the widow of Allan Platt, who died, last April.

D. L. Sturges is now employed by J. R. Rivers, the West End builder, Bridgeport.

Michael Honan has deeded a half acre just across the turnpike from his house to be used for church purposes by the Roman Catholics.

My little Bo Peep is fast asleep,
And her head on my heart is lying;
I gently rock, and the hall clock
Strikes a knell of the day that's dying;
But what care I how the hours go by,
Whether swiftly they go or creeping?
Not an hour could be but dear to me,
When my babe on my arm is sleeping.
—(F. E. Holliday.)

The Copeland Bros. Co.

A large dry goods store is a bazaar of fashion and trade, not only drawing customers from far and near, but, as in the case of the Copeland Bros. Co., who occupy two floors of 200x50 feet, supplying them with almost any grade or variety of article in the different departments. The millinery department naturally attracts the ladies first and there they find Miss Emma Turner in charge. She reports hats for Fall and Winter chiefly trimmed with feathers, the Prince of Wales feathers, ostrich tips in bunches of three, being all the rage. The trimming is worn at the back of the hat, often with birds in front, though feathers are worn more than birds. The crowns of hats are lower and the trimming higher, this season. Miss Turner shows all varieties of hats, toques and bonnets for misses and young and elderly ladies and, in this department, hats are trimmed in good style. The ladies' furnishing department, filling the south side of the store from the millinery to the desk, is looked after by E. Redals. Miss Hannah Bryn, who has been long in the store and 26 years in the business, presides over the corsets, of which there are 28 varieties of domestic and imported manufacture. Here are Warner's, Loomer's, Thompson's and specialties in satins and satenees, in black and colors. A 35c corset, a regular 50c article, is one of the cheapest corsets ever offered. Infants' wear always enchains the mothers with its variety of wardrobes, knit goods, blankets, puff boots, caps, etc. Ladies' underwear is found in merino, wool and silk of imported and home manufacture. New styles of Swiss or Jersey fat goods are sold this season, black being a favorite color of the season's wear. The new divided skirt is offered by the Copeland Bros. Co. and jersey ribbed combination suits. Ladies' skirts, both knit and of flannel, crowd fine satin skirts in black and colors. Notice, too, the beautiful children's caps in plush and silk; Victorias with soft crown and wide brim and surah and plush circular brims on wire, with soft, round crown. Children's and ladies' aprons are here for school, house and dress wear, with ladies' and children's muslin underwear, chemises, corset covers, drawers, night robes, bridal sets and bustles, which, like weddings, are still the fashion. In knit goods, ladies can take their pick from a large assortment of fasciottos, head and shoulder capes, Tann-o-shanters for boys, girls and ladies, breakfast shawls and scarfs. Rufflings and ruchings are worn wider than they have been. Miss Annie Denier deals with the collars and cuffs, Saxony, Germantown and other yarns in all the first qualities. Returning to the western end of the store, where F. J. Bourne is in charge of the cloak department, ladies are reminded of Winter, its ravelries and the need of protection from the blast by the bewildering array of wraps. Jackets are coming into greater popularity, this season. Here is a cloth jacket with these effects, close fitting vest and blazer front; there a diagonal jacket with shawl roll collar and crushed plush trimming. The shawl roll in astrachan and combination embroidered fronts. Jackets with embroidered sleeves and vests. Jackets in plush, refter styles, vest and blazer fronts. Plush sacks 40 inches long, regular \$20 garments, with heavy satin lining for \$17, a special price. Shoulder capes in plush and astrachan and a combination of plush and astrachan. Fur capes in beaver, seal and marten. Misses' and children's jackets and long garments in complete assortment. Just south of the main entrance is one of the Copeland Bros. Co.'s principal departments, the hosiery, in charge of Mr. Renals, who has been in the business for 22 or 23 years. Here are all the finest makes of French, English, German and American milks in cotton, linen thread, merino, cashmere, wool, silks up to \$3. The principal feature is solid blacks for ladies, children and gents. Bicycle hose, also, with all stripes and patterns, the most fashionable. Fred Hammond, at the glove counter near by, has everything going in that line. The Copeland Bros. Co. are sole agents for the Foster and Centimeter gloves and have gloves for the street, evening and driving; gloves in kid, wool, silk thread and gauntlet gloves. Here your attention will be attracted to one of the finest assortments of jewelry in the city, in all the newest designs, oxidized, plated and solid. Ladies and gentlemen can find handkerchiefs in silk and linen, with fancy and plain borders. Miss Mattie Dixon presides here and Miss S. N. Byrne at the ribbon counter, where are velvet ribbons of every shade, including among the French ribbons, manufacturers' samples worth \$1.50 at from 5c to 75c a bunch. William Windish looks to the notions and linings and has pocket books of all styles and prices, chateaux and hand bags, belts, buttons, thread, embroidery and other silks, dress shields, dress and coat linings, wools and cottons. The Copeland Bros. Co. are exclusive Bridgeport agents for the famous Jeness-Miller patterns and made-up undergarments and for the Fashion waist lining, by means of which every lady can become her own dressmaker. It is worth your while to secure one of the Fashion pamphlets and look this matter up. Waterproofs, cambric wrappers, children's dresses, tea gowns and jerseys are in this part of the great establishment. At the north side of the store are dress goods. Arthur Randall shows all the leading makes of black and colored silks, failles, gros grains, rhadamens, Indias and surahs, black and colored velvets in newest shades, plushes in full length, shawls, dress goods, new henriettes, diagonals, armures, wool suahs and other new weaves, not to mention table and piano covers. L. W. Darling and W. H. Hemson divide the honors in the display of the new clan tartans, French serges in latest shades, cashmeres, ladies' cloths, dannels for stockings and dresses, prints and ginghams. Outing cloths, they say, tend to bright colors, large plaids and fine checks. Charles Nichols, at the gentlemen's furnishing department, handles shirts in the linen, flannel and percale, laundered (particularly the Gold and Silver) and unlaundered, natural wool specialty. Gents' underwear in all sizes, grades, collars and cuffs; an elegant line of umbrellas in all sizes and qualities. Boys' waists, gloves, lined and unlined, heavy

and light weight, for dress, driving and walking. Across the aisle are lace (Spanish, oriental and Valenciennes) and dress trimmings sold by Miss Kitty Stanley, hamburgs and jets, ruchings, fancy feather boas, pillow shams, antique tidies. W. R. Jones stands at the receipt of custom for linens, towellings, napkins, domestics, spreads, fancy table sets, full lines of flannels in all colors, embroidered flannels, bleached and unbleached cottons in standard makes and all widths, stamped linens and elderdown pillows in all sizes. Cloakings are here in popular makes of beavers in plain and striped; a full assortment of astrachan fur capes and trimmings. Capes, by the way, are worn extensively this season. Cashmeres are shown in all qualities for pantalones, comfortable and silk and wool blankets. When Capt. Copeland gives the word to go below, the spacious basement is found devoted to the carpet and house furnishing departments. C. L. Peck has charge of the carpets and upholstery and it speaks well for the firm that it has equipped seven churches, this season, including the South church and the new German church in East Bridgeport. Carpets run to sober colors at present. Moquettes, velvets, body Brussels, tapestries, Lowell Ingrains are to be seen and, if you wish, private patterns that are not duplicated. Smyrna, Daghestan and Moquette rugs, art squares, linoleum from 8x4 to 16x4, oil cloths from 4x4 to 16x4, 10 to 50c the square yard, shades in all the leading colors. Ready made shades on spring rollers from 25c up, lace curtains, portieres, silkencues for hangings and window fixtures.

The east end of the basement is occupied by one of the largest and most complete lines of house furnishing goods in the city—crockery, they say, at dirt goods profits. T. W. Fell is in charge and a specialty is made of table and hanging lamps. Here are dinner sets from \$15; tea sets from \$2.95; tin ware, willow ware, porcelain, granite, iron and wooden ware, skirt boards, wash tubs, bowls, spoon chests, razor cases, etc. 100 for 5c, rolling pins, chopping boards. A full assortment of lamps for parlor, hall and kitchen from 25c; complete toilet sets from \$2.95; Japan tea pots 9c; pitchers from 10c. A full line of artistic and new designs in vases from foreign and domestic markets from 10c. A special display will be made in this line for the holidays.

The Copeland Bros. Co., ever alive to the wants and comfort of their customers, have put electric lights into their store, re-placing the gas which has burned out dimly.

Gov. Joseph H. Smith of Bridgeport, with General Organizer Miller of New York, expect soon to visit Newtown in the interest of the National Provident Union, a fraternal and insurance organization which was recently discussed at length in the Bee. This is an order which appeals to the true manhood of its members, seeking to elevate and educate all and thus bring about a higher plane of civilization. Its watchword, "Our homes and our country," tells in a few words the object of the organization.

A New Haven gentleman with whom a Bee reporter talked expressed himself as pleased with Bridgeport and the surrounding towns of Fairfield county and said that he was surprised at Bridgeport's rapid growth. But he thought it would be many years before it could gain decidedly on New Haven, which, with a population of 86,000, will, probably in less than a year, annex West Haven and reach 90,000. "In five years," he said, "New Haven will have 100,000 population."

Hon. and Mrs. D. M. Reed of Bridgeport paid their respects to the Bee while driving through, last week.

Advertised letters at Hawleyville: Thomas O'Loughlin, Michael Kelly, Miss S. H. Brown, Miss Cora Blackman, Mrs. D. N. Clark.

William B., son of Walter H. Glover, graduates, this week, from Turner's business college.

Truman Pierce has built a piazza and put up an addition to the house of Mr. Meyers. A new tin roof and fresh paint are other improvements.

An addition increased the comfort of the house occupied by Banker Charles H. Northrop, C. B. Glover going the joiner work.

Thomas McGuire was able to return to the Dutch Rubber as night watch, Saturday; Mr. Riley filled the vacancy during Mr. McGuire's absence.

The census which has been taken of New York city by the police has resulted in an addition of nearly 200,000, making the total population of the city 1,700,000.

BRIDGEWATER.

Miss Lottie Peck, niece of Mrs. Monroe Castle, was married, Wednesday, 8th, to Nathan Beardsley of Roxbury.

ROXBURY.

Edwin C. Randall recently lost a \$100 Jersey cow.

SOUTH BRITAIN.

Residents interested in the North burying ground at South Britain have recently organized the Pierce Hollow burial association, filling the proper papers with the town clerk and secretary of state. Such associations are now permitted to organize under statute as corporations without capital stock, for the purpose of taking charge of cemeteries already existing, with any additions of ground that may be necessary. It is the purpose of the directors, Reuben, Ezra and John Pierce, to put this long neglected place in good order. Nature has dealt kindly with the location. The earliest inscription on stone is that of Mrs. Hannah Pierce, 1757, although it was used as a place of burial much earlier. Among the epitaphs is one to a wife, which reads: "A heap of dirt alone remains of thee. 'Tis all thou art and all the proud shall be." Another, to the daughter, aged 21: "My youthful friends, see how soon I'm summoned to the silent tomb. The grave will soon be your abode. Obthen, prepare to meet your God." At South Britain village cemetery may be seen on a somewhat conspicuous monument, "Here lies an honest man."

At the residence of C. L. Mitchell may be seen a door sill partly embedded in

the earth which is known to be more than 100 years old; it is made from native cedar.

Hidden in Christ.
Hidden in Christ, O blissful state!
So safe from earth's alarms;
Secure from Satan's fiery darts,
Enfolded in His arms.
Hidden in Christ, O blessed rest!
By faith in Him complete;
Resting when angry billows roll,
In calm communion sweet.
Hidden in Christ, O joy and peace!
Joy that the world can't give;
Our lives are hid with Christ in God,
And thus in Him we live.
Hidden in Christ, the victory won,
Our cares and labors o'er;
We see His face, we'll be like Him,
We'll praise Him evermore.
—(Mrs. S. H. Smith.)

Though Hill of Norwalk had not authorized the use of his name in the senatorial convention of the 13th district, yet his friends had done such effective work that on first ballot at the convention, Monday, at Norwalk, Hill received 11 votes, while Lawyer Frank L. Rodgers of Fairfield had 12. On the second ballot, Rodgers had 10 and Hill 8 and Mr. Betts, who had presented Mr. Hill's name, moved that Mr. Rodgers' nomination be made unanimous. Mr. Rodgers' name was presented by Stiles Judson, Jr., of Stratford and seconded by H. N. Wakeman of Fairfield. The senatorial committee appointed by the convention consisted of J. A. Gray of Norwalk, H. N. Wakeman of Fairfield, T. B. Fairchild of Stratford, W. B. Curtis of Trumbull, D. L. Coley of Weston, George P. Jennings of Westport.

Sheriff Clarkson Re-Nominated.

Shortly after 11, Tuesday morning, the Democratic county convention was called to order in Newtown's Town hall by George Winton, who, on behalf of the committee, called forward, as temporary chairman, Lawyer Howard J. Curtis of Stratford as temporary chairman. Accepting, he spoke briefly upon State and national questions and paid a tribute to Newtown's beautiful street. He referred, also, to the heavy Democratic majority Newtown invariably gives. William Sanford of Redding was chosen secretary. M. J. Houlihan moved that the committee consist of one member from each senatorial district and these were appointed:

ON CREDENTIALS.
Twelfth district, John Dayton.
Thirteenth, Francis M. Pike.
Fourteenth, George T. Kelly.
Fifteenth, D. E. Van Riper.

TRANSACTED BUSINESS.
Twelfth, Frank Taylor.
Thirteenth, John O. Sullivan.
Fourteenth, Thomas Kelly.
Fifteenth, T. F. Alexander.

RESOLUTIONS.
Twelfth, Robert C. Raymond.
Thirteenth, Samuel B. Wheeler.
Fourteenth, Samuel C. Salmons.
Fifteenth, Horace Wheeler.

After a recess, during which the committees retired to complete their work, the convention re-assembled and received the reports. The report of the committee on permanent organization, making permanent the temporary chairman and secretary, was read and accepted and the list of delegates was read by Deputy Sheriff E. M. H. John J. Welch of Norwalk then made a stirring speech in which he presented to the convention the name of the present incumbent of the office of sheriff of Fairfield county, Robert L. Clarkson of Stratford. In well chosen words, Mr. Welch expressed his admiration and appreciation of Mr. Clarkson and of the manner in which he has conducted the affairs of the sheriff's office. He was frequently cheered and with thunders of applause. The motion was quickly seconded and, upon a motion carried with a rush, Sheriff Clarkson had the honor of being nominated by acclamation. Mr. Crawford moved that the old county committee be appointed, with the addition of W. H. Wilmont, Jr., of Darien; but, before a vote could be taken, T. Kelly of Bridgeport, J. D. Toomey of Fairfield and others had been mentioned. An amendment, offered by a Bridgeport gentleman, that the chair appoint four to choose the committee was carried, a rising vote being required. The chair, however, accorded the house the privilege of electing its members and Francis M. Pike of the 13th district, Samuel C. Salmons of the 14th, Philip Finnegan of the 12th, M. J. Houlihan of the 15th were appointed such committee. While they were deliberating, Deputy Sheriff Horace Wheeler of the committee on resolutions read the following, which was received with applause:

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the platform of the Democratic party, as adopted at the State convention held in Hartford on September 16, 1920 and particularly that portion of the platform which demands for the electors of each county the privilege of choosing their county commissioners.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the administration of Grover Cleveland.

Resolved, That we congratulate the Democratic State of Connecticut upon the candidates nominated at their State convention.

Resolved, That the nomination of Hon. Robert E. DeForest for congressman from the Fourth congressional district meets with our most hearty and earnest approval.

Resolved, That in again presenting the name of Robert L. Clarkson for the office of sheriff of Fairfield county, which he has ably filled for the past three years, we cordently bespeak for him the earnest support of the electors of this county, irrespective of party.

The committee reported the following county committee:

William Wilmont, Jr., Darien.
Jeremiah D. Toomey, Fairfield.
Thomas Kelly, Bridgeport.
Thomas T. Alexander, Danbury.

A vote of thanks was given Chairman Curtis and the convention adjourned with three hearty cheers. An elaborate and bountiful dinner was enjoyed at the Grand Central by the delegates:

Greenwich—John Dayton, Charles E. Purdy, Philip Finnegan.
Stratford—Richard Bolster, Charles A. Weed, William Brennan.
Darien—W. H. Wilmont, Jr., Charles A. Bates, Ernest Koch.

New Canaan—Frank Stevens, Robert C. Raymond, Charles Grinnell.
Norwalk—John H. Gormley, John J. Welch, John McMahon.
Westport—Daniel Driscoll, S. B. Wheeler, William Williams.

Fairfield—Francis M. Pike, Jeremiah D. Toomey, Michael J. Hayes.
Stratford—Edward J. Curtis, William H. Crawford, John E. Rotte.
Wilton—H. B. Osborne, George E. Taylor.
Bridgeport—Frank Taylor, Martin Kennedy, F. C. White.

Shoreham—Fred C. Briggs, William B. Pepper, Charles A. Malloy.
Danbury—Thomas T. Alexander, Thomas F. Ford, Oscar H. Mosher.
Bethel—D. E. Van Riper, Charles M. Doran, Charles W. Bolles.

Newtown—M. J. Houlihan, Edward Troy, George Winton.
Easton—G. B. Tucker, Matthias Bradley, S. N. Osborne.
Monroe—Charles L. Hubbell, Dwight M. Berry, Homer E. Clarke.

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Bridgeport—Samuel C. Salmons, George T. Kelly, Thomas Kelly.
New Fairfield—Homer G. Betts, Charles D. H. Kellogg, William H. Wood.
Redding—John B. Sanford, Patrick Connors, W. C. Sanford.
Brookfield—Thomas Halpin, Frederick E. Leubach, Jesse A. James.
Huntington—Hugh McKee, Horace Wheeler, Oscar L. Beardsley.



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One Box of New England Baking Powder at 45c.
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New Can

THE SECULAR PULPIT.



My text is the question of the Sage:
How do you spend God's time?

Man devotes the years of his life to various objects. He spends a good share of his time in business. The question of bread and butter presses on his soul and he labors to fill the want. He devotes some time, also, to rest and recreation. He must, on the average, spend six or eight hours of the 24 in sleep and he must also unbend the mind and rest the body in some sort of recreation. Now all these things have their place and their time. But some men do not seem to have time enough in ordinary life and so they steal time. That is, they take God's day as a time in which to do their own work or to seek their own pleasure. God gives us a good fair share of the time for our use. Six good solid days, His Word says, are for us in which to do all our work. But the seventh day is the Lord's day or, perhaps, better, the first day of the Lord's day and then six days are for work days. Now, beloved hearers, is it not a shame that some people will cheat God out of His time. There is Bob Jones, who spends his Sundays doing odd jobs in the cellar or out at the barn, never giving God a thought all day long. There is spruce young Tommy Wildfire, who sleeps until noon Sundays and then hitches up his coat and drives around all the rest of the day, while giddy Miss Daisy Dimple does nothing all day Sunday but parade the streets, dressed in her best, with never a thought that Sunday is a holy day and not a holiday. How our old Pilgrim Fathers would frown to see our modern desecration, for they, when coming to this land, though in danger and peril, yet remembered when Sunday came around and kept it holy to God. So I say to you, What are you doing with God's time?

If a man live many years and rejoice in them all; yet let him remember the days of darkness.—[The wise man.]

The fool says of his work, "To-morrow! To-morrow!" but life is a now.

God sends us rain, that we may learn how easy it is for Him to hide His sun.

How strange that men are noted from Nature up to Nature's God.

The frosts of Autumn will destroy the flowers of Summer. The night of Death puts out the light of Life.—[Karl H. H.]

TASHUA.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gould of Guilford were recent guests of Mrs. N. R. Sherman.

FAIRFIELD.
PLANS FOR THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

To the surprise of many, there was but a small attendance at the meeting of the first ecclesiastical society at the Town hall, Saturday afternoon. A meeting of the special committee of 12 had been held and the plans and bids fully discussed. Seven bids had been received, but as a telegram from one of them announced that a clerical error had been made and that he would be raised \$7000, he was virtually out of the race. It was voted that the limit of the cost of the church should be \$45,000, but, as both organ and bell have been provided for through the generosity and public spirit of friends of the church, these are to be left entirely out of the estimates. Though no formal acceptance of the plans was made, the fact that this resolution, introduced by Samuel Morehouse, was unanimously carried, is sufficient evidence that the Cadys plan will be used.

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The chair appointed Samuel Morehouse, Frederick Sturges, H. Edwards Rowland, Andrew P. Wakeman to act as such committee and, on motion, O. B. Jennings was added. The plans were then brought forward, inspected and explained, after which the meeting adjourned. The plans have been already outlined in the BEE, but may be subject to slight alterations, whereby the cost can be reduced without materially changing the appearance of the church. It has been suggested that the tower be lowered and narrowed and that a porch be appended with and that dollars be saved by the substitution of cheaper materials for those mentioned in the specifications. The church, standing on the old location, will extend east and west and will have gables on either side, with a handsome tower at the south or Main street side, near the center of the building. The structure is to be of stone, with tiled roof and a seating accommodation of 380, which can be largely increased, when occasion demands, by the addition of chairs or other seats. The auditorium is to be large and lofty, with the organ and choir placed in an alcove at the right of the pulpit. The Sunday school has been supplied with and there are to be parlors and a kitchen at the opposite end of the church. The plans shown were generally acceptable to the members of the society and such criticism as was expressed affected only minor points. There is little doubt that funds will be speedily obtained and that work will be begun as soon as advisable after contracts have been awarded. The building committee appointed Saturday will at once inspect the estimates and bids submitted and, if any are found suitable and acceptable, close the contracts; otherwise further bids will probably be advertised for.

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council, O. U. F., this (Friday) evening, preparations will be made for celebrating the anniversary of the council, on the third week in November. Officers of the grand lodge are expected to be present.

It would be well if the town had more such men as Mr. Sturges, who has, in a few years, expended considerable in improving the highways of the town.

H. Edwards Rowland and family, who have spent an enjoyable Summer at their country residence in Fairfield, are to leave for their city home at 75 East 66th street, N. Y.

GREEN'S FARMS.
Rev B. J. Relyea and Horace Staples have visited Bloomington, N. Y. and Philadelphia.

Mrs Holmes is expected at the parsonage on Friday to stay for a few days.

Miss Grace H. Relyea has gone to Groton, Conn., on a visit to her friend, Miss Nickolls, who is shortly to be married.

A. C. Taylor is gradually growing more helpless. It is impossible now to raise him from his bed.

The Bridgeport Union of the Y. P. S. C. E. was to have met at Southport, last Monday. The meeting was postponed, on account of the State convention.

Rev H. Davies was a delegate from the Green's Farms Y. P. S. C. E. to the Williamite State convention. There was bad weather, but a rousing time.

Miss J. C. Wakeman will return home in three weeks. She is already much improved in health.

Joseph W. Jennings and wife, who have spent four months in the Adirondacks, have returned, their homeward journey including the White Mountains and other points of interest.

A sufficient quantity of milk having been pledged, it is expected that the Green's Farms creamery will begin operations early in November. The carpenters have nearly finished work in the building, which will soon be in the hands of the painters.

LONG HILL.
Frank Ryan, while using a circular saw at W. B. Coan & Son's shop, had one hand badly cut; it will lay him up for some time.

A. S. Coan has been under the doctor's care, but is better.

I. S. Coan has traded a pair of 4200, pound cattle with Mr. Hamlin of Plantsville.

Misses Hattie and Carrie Weeks of Brooklyn, will spend the Winter with their uncle, Charles Wheeler.

Miss Maggie Keating of Sandy Hook has been at D. S. French's.

Miss Clara Gildersleeve has visited in town; Walter Hawley and Grant Finney have also been guests here.

Mrs George French of Chestnut Hill has visited her daughter, Mrs F. L. Turner.

Seats for the school have arrived and in place. They are of natural wood and are neat and comfortable.

Mr Merwin Clark, aunt of Mrs Sarah Keeler, has been here from Hartford.

Ransom O. Beers circulated the petition which brought the license question before the recent town meeting and 30 names were secured.

W. S. Wheeler of Trumbull laid the tin roof on W. B. Coan's addition.

Mrs N. H. Robb has been at Rhinebeck, N. Y.

Mrs Alonzo Sherman has been with relatives in Bridgeport.

TRUMBULL.
Rev W. F. White commenced his labors with the Trumbull church, Sunday, 6th, and preached two able discourses that were listened to attentively. Services, last Sunday, at 10 45 a m and 6 45 p m. The parsonage is being repaired and Mr White is expected to occupy it, this week.

WHITE HILLS.
Mrs Warren Hubbell and Mrs Stiles Johnson have visited friends in Danbury.

Miss Carrie Curtis is at New Brighton, Penn., and writes glowing accounts of the country.

Mrs David Wheeler and Mrs George Drew have been at Bridgeport, guests of Mrs George Botsford.

Friend Hoyt and helpers of Shelton held a prayer meeting in the school house every Thursday evening.

John Galpin has bought a horse.

Edward Pierce is boarding with his aunt, Mrs Martha Curtis.

John Daines intends moving his family to Shelton soon. Alonzo Daines will occupy the homestead.

W. W. Wheeler and bride are expected home, this week, and will soon take possession of the new home which is being repaired for them.

WESTPORT.
Judge S. B. Sherwood is president and Dr L. T. Day secretary of the board of health.

Miss Mary Driscoll of Saugatuck died, last week, 16; funeral Friday, from the church of the Assumption.

STRATFORD.
Charles H. Peck, Stiles Judson, Jr. Dr G. F. Lewis, Samuel C. Lewis are members of the board of health.

band of the Presbyterian church. More than \$20 were realized for the work of the mission. The program:
Solo, Fullerton Waldo.
Piano solo, Joseph Keys.
Solo, Mr. Black.
Piano quartet.
Piano quartet.
Alto solo, Miss Lacey.
Piano solo, Mrs. Deacon.
String quartet.

Mrs E. McIntyre is to build a 28x36 foot cottage on Grove street.

The City National bank, of which D. N. Morgan is president, has a capital stock of \$250,000, a surplus of \$125,000 and \$51,441 86 in undivided profits. This bank has \$45,000 circulating in bills and deposits of \$654,562 55.

St. John's parish has extended a unanimous invitation to Rev Dr H. M. Jackson of Richmond, Va., to become its rector.

The breweries of McMahon & Wren in Meriden and A. Winter & Co. in Bridgeport are to be consolidated into a stock company with a capital of \$700,000.

During September, the average attendance at the Sunday school of the West End Congregational church was 193.

Rev Henry M. Sherman will be installed rector of St. Paul's church, Saturday, 18th.

Rev Mr Crowder of New Jersey preached at Grace Methodist church, Sunday.

A series of evangelical services will be held in the Summerfield Methodist church, at which the pastor, Rev W. E. Jeffries, will be assisted by Revs E. D. Bassett of Stratford and H. S. Still of Westport. Mr Bassett preached, Sunday.

Rev S. M. Keeler, formerly of South Britain, preached in the North church, Sunday.

Miss Maude, daughter of Superintendent B. F. Lasher of the horse railroad, gave a pleasant reception to a large number of her friends, Friday evening.

Miss Inez Mabel, daughter of Mr and Mrs Oscar Hutchinson, was married, Saturday evening, to C. N. Choate of Newark, N. J., Rev R. G. S. McNeill performing the ceremony at the residence of the bride, 303 Washington avenue. Mr and Mrs Choate will reside in Newark.

A. J. Beardsley & Son, who do river and harbor dredging, own and operate a ship yard and a marine railway at East End and have established a lumber yard for the sale of heavy yellow pine timber, have opened an office in the Gregory building at the Fairfield avenue bridge, adjoining the pleasant office of Harbor Master McNeill.

E. A. Godfrey was at Danbury all last week, representing the Quinipiac fertilizers at the fair.

David Briggs of Brookfield is building a house on Shelton street, between William street and Noble avenue. It is to contain 12 rooms, arranged for two families, with slate roof and modern conveniences. It is to be 27x40 feet and has just been raised. H. H. Nettleton is doing the work.

The new Barnum school in East Bridgeport is to be built as soon as possible and work on the foundations has begun. The contract has been awarded to H. M. Purdy, who has several other large contracts about the city. He has sublet the work to H. H. Nettleton, who did similar work on Grammar school No. 3 at West End; the plumbing is by L. H. Mills and the stone work by the parties who are doing that part of the work on the new club house. It is estimated that about 18 months will be required to complete the work and a second appropriation, in addition to the \$40,000 already voted by the city, will be required.

Sylvester Pike and family expect to spend the Winter at Highlands, N. C.

WESTON.
Jerome Godfrey is better; he has returned from Danbury to his mother's in Weston.

Nellie Andrews has visited her brother on Long Island.

Rev L. D. Place and wife have been spending a few days at Manor, L. I., with their daughter, Mrs George Raynor.

Mrs John Hedding's night blooming cereus bloomed at noon, a rare occurrence.

D. L. Coley's daughter from Stonington has visited him.

Mrs Rosalie Brown has entertained Southport friends.

Ladies' aid society at Mrs John Lockwood's, Wednesday evening, 15th. The ladies will fix the church, as soon as they can raise funds. They have a good sum in the treasury now.

The Paris Figaro has just published an interesting article on "What young girls should read." It is all well enough. But it is more important to know that they should always take Dr Bull's Cough Syrup for their coughs.

In every town where SAYENA is introduced, the sale is larger than all other washing compounds.

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August 18, 1890.

BRIDGEPORT--North 7 05, 10 00 a m, 4 50, 6 10, 7 45 p m; freight, 10 10, 12 40 a m; 3 30 p m; Sunday, 7 15 a m, Arrive 6 40, 7 50, 9 40 a m, 12 20, 2 04, 5 07, 7 25, 9 12 p m. Sunday milk 7 30 p m; freight 4 15 a m.

TRUMBULL--North 7 16, 10 30, 4 31, 5 21, 6 55 p m; Sunday, 7 47 a m, South 6 28, 7 38, 9 28, 10 52, 12 05, 2 30, 7 14, 9 01 p m. Sunday milk 7 05 p m.

LONG HILL--North 7 22, 10 40 a m, 1 05, 6 05, 6 25, 8 07, 10 10 p m; Sunday, 7 54 a m, South 6 21, 7 30, 9 25, 11 59 a m, 2 15, 7 07, 8 55 p m. Sunday milk, 6 59 p m.

STEPNEY--North 7 27, 10 20, 5 10 a m, 1 30, 5 11, 6 35, 8 10, 10 20 p m. Sunday, 8 a m, South 6 27, 7 37, 9 15, 11 54 a m, 2 05, 7 02, 8 50 p m. Sunday milk 6 54.

BOTSFORD--North 7 41, 10 35, 11 05 a m, 1 40, 6 25, 8 40, 10 45 p m; Sunday, 8 10 a m, 1 40, 4 22, 6 00, 8 42 p m. Sunday milk 6 42 p m.

NEWTOWN--North 7 49, 10 43, 11 30 a m, 9 53, 6 08, 8 34, 11 p m; Sunday, 8 18 a m, 1 40, 4 16, 6 32, 8 34 p m. Sunday milk 6 30 p m.

HAWLEYVILLE--North 7 58, 10 52, 11 50 a m, 2 30, 5 42, 7 07, 8 44, 11 15 p m; Sunday, 8 27 a m, South 6 52, 8 52, 10 52, 12 50, 2 50, 5 40, 7 05, 8 25, 10 50 p m. Leave for Bethel 8 55, 11 45 a m, 2 58, 8 03, 6 53 p m. Sunday 4 32 p m. From Bethel 7 56, 10 55 a m, 1 33, 3 55, 6 17 p m. Sunday 4 39 p m.

BROOKFIELD Junction--North 8 06, 11 04 a m, 2 50, 5 51, 7 16, 8 02, 11 30 p m. Sunday 8 28 a m, South 6 58, 8 48, 10 48, 11 18 a m, 3 58, 6 04, 8 17 p m. Sunday milk 6 02 p m. For Danbury, 6 25, 8 08, 8 47, 11 17 a m, 4 55, 7 17, 8 47, 8 59 p m.

DANBURY--Arrive 6 15, 7 05, 8 20, 9 02, 11 32 a m, 4 15, 6 08, 7 30, 8 30, 9 04 p m. Leave 5 30, 6 28, 7 45, 8 30, 10 45 a m, 3 40, 5 30, 6 50, 8 30 p m.

DANBURY and NEWARK DIVISION.
DANBURY--Arrive 6 15, 7 05, 8 20, 9 02, 11 32 a m, 4 15, 6 08, 7 30, 8 30, 9 04 p m. Leave 5 30, 6 28, 7 45, 8 30, 10 45 a m, 3 40, 5 30, 6 50, 8 30 p m.

NEW HAVEN and DERBY DIVISION.
BOTSFORD--Leave 7 57, 9 11, 11 50 a m, 4 25, 8 45 p m. Arrive 7 40, 10 34 a m, 4 53, 6 50, 12 42.

SHELTON--West 7 13, 10 07 a m, 5 6, 24 11 50, 12 42 p m. East 8 30, 9 35 a m, 12 18, 4 52, 12 12 p m.

NEW HAVEN--Leave 8 50, 9 40 a m, 4 40, 6 p m. Arrive 8 54, 9 53 a m, 12 30, 5 18, 9 38 p m.

NEW YORK and NEW LONDON R. R.
July 27, 1890.

HAWLEYVILLE--East 8 25 a m, 12 12, 3 04, 7 04 p m. West 8 55 a m, 1 17, 2 14, 6 05 p m.

NEWTOWN--East 8 30 a m, 12 04, 3 07, 6 13 p m. West 8 48 a m, 1 05, 6 13 p m.

SANDY HOOK--East 8 40 a m, 12 23, 3 16, 7 14 p m. West 8 40 a m, 12 59, 3 05, 6 05 p m.

SOUTHBURY--East 8 40 a m, 12 38, 3 30, 7 24 p m. West 8