

### CHILD WORKERS OF THIS STATE

Connecticut Had 490,462 Over 10 Years of Age By Last Census—Forty-four Per Cent. of the Population Were Workers—Fifty-two Per Cent. of Those Employed Were in Manufacturing and Mercantile Industries.

According to the report on occupations recently issued by Director William J. Harris of the bureau of census, department of commerce, there were 490,462 persons 10 years of age and over in Connecticut engaged in gainful occupations in 1910. The gainful workers thus formed 44 per cent. of the total population of the state (1,114,756) and 64 per cent. of the population 10 years of age and over (901,956). In 1900 the 356,610 gainful workers of the state formed 42 per cent. of the total population and 52 per cent. of the population 10 years of age and over.

Table listing various occupations and their corresponding worker counts, such as Farmers and dairy farmers (19,085), Millers and grinders (metal) (1,545), etc.

**Sex of Workers.** Of the gainful workers in 1910, 370,481, or 75.5 per cent., were males and 119,981, or 24.5 per cent., females. In agriculture, forestry and animal husbandry, the males numbered 45,902, or 94.2 per cent., and the females 3,122, or 5.8 per cent. Practically all—1,310, or 99.7 per cent.—of the persons engaged in the extraction of minerals were males.

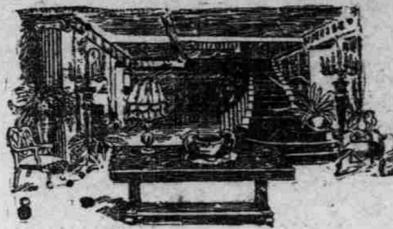
**Color or Race of Workers.** Of the 370,481 gainfully occupied males in 1910, 321,217 were native whites of native parentage, 43,889 native whites of foreign or mixed parentage, 197,177 foreign born whites, 4,920 negroes, and 1,068 other colored. The proportion which the gainfully occupied males formed of all the males 10 years of age and over in each principal class of the population was: For native whites of native parentage, 21.6 per cent.; for native whites of foreign or mixed parentage, 24.3 per cent.; for foreign born whites, 25.5 per cent.; and for negroes, 50.7 per cent.

**Age of Workers.** The gainfully occupied males in 1910 were distributed according to age periods as follows: Ten to 13 years, 524; 14 to 15 years, 6,141; 16 to 20 years, 41,562; 21 to 44 years, and age unknown, 220,279; and 45 years and over, 101,965. The proportion which the gainfully occupied males formed of all males in each age period was: For those 10 to 13 years of age, 1.4 per cent.; for those 14 to 15 years of age, 2.7 per cent.; for those 16 to 20 years of age, 8.1 per cent.; for those 21 to 44 years of age, 96.8 per cent.—that is, all but three men in every 100 had gainful occupations, and for those 45 years of age and over, 34.9 per cent.

**Numbers of Children at Work.** In Connecticut in 1910 there were 6,575 males and 4,493 females 10 to 15 years of age engaged in gainful occupations; or stated otherwise, 11.7 per cent. of the males and 8.3 per cent. of the females 10 to 15 years of age were gainfully occupied. In 1900 there were 6,838 males and 4,741 females 10 to 15 years of age engaged in gainful occupations, which was 14.9 per cent. of all males and 10.4 per cent. of all females 10 to 15 years of age.

Table titled 'Principal Occupations' listing various professions and their worker counts, such as Apprentices (2,895), Barbers (1,541), etc.

## HOURIGAN'S AUGUST Furniture Sale



Never before has Hourigan offered such rare Furniture bargains at his August furniture sale. Every article in the store has been chosen with the most careful attention and consideration for this great event and persons desiring to fit up a new home or renew an old one can find here money-saving opportunities. The entire stock of furniture is of the very best material and workmanship and is bound to satisfy the most fastidious. The goods will speak for themselves if you will but give them an inspection.

**M. HOURIGAN**  
62-66 Main Street, Norwich

## Tires at Before-War Prices

Table titled 'Goodyear Prices' showing tire specifications and prices, such as 30 x 3 Plain Tread for \$11.70, 30 x 3 1/2 for \$15.75, etc.

There exists now a new, compelling reason for buying Goodyear tires. It results from War conditions.

These leading tires—built of extra-fine rubber, in the same way as always—are selling today at June prices.

You will find today a very wide difference between most tire prices and Goodyear's.

Early in August—when war began—the world's rubber markets seemed closed to us. Rubber prices doubled almost overnight.

Men could see no way to pay for rubber abroad, and no way to bring it in. We, like others—in that panic—were forced to higher prices. But we have since gone back to prices we charged before the war, and this is how we did it:

We had men in London and Singapore when the war broke out. The larger part of the world's rubber supply comes through there. We cabled them to buy up the pick of the rubber. They bought—before the advance—1,500,000 pounds of the finest rubber there.

Nearly all this is now on the way to us. And it means practically all of the extra-grade rubber obtainable abroad.

Today we have our own men in Colombo, Singapore and Para. Those are the world's chief sources of rubber. So we are pretty well assured of a constant supply, and our pick of the best that's produced.

We were first on the ground. We were quickest in action. As a result, we shall soon have in storage an almost record supply of this extra grade of rubber. And we paid about June prices.

Now Inferior Grades Cost Double—About the only crude rubber available now for many makers is inferior. In ordinary times, the best tire makers refuse it. Much of it had been rejected. But that "off rubber" now sells for much more than we paid for the best.

The results are these: Tire prices in general are far in advance of Goodyear's. And many tire makers, short of supplies, will be forced to use second-grade rubber.

Be Careful Now—In Goodyear's we pledge you the same-grade tire as always. And that grade won for Goodyear's the top place in Tiredom—the largest sale in the world.

And, for the time being, our prices are the same as before the war. We shall try to keep them there. We accept no excessive orders, but dealers will be kept supplied. And we charge them, until further notice, only ante-bellum prices.

That means that Goodyear's—the best tires built—are selling way below other tires.

THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY, Akron, Ohio

All Trolleys Lead To **The Boston Store** The Business Center of Norwich

## Hundreds of Economies! ALL GREATLY UNDERPRICED FOR SATURDAY SELLING

Summer Merchandise of all kinds, noted below, has been gathered up and tagged with "good bye" prices. We want you to have it—and have it right quickly. It means money! Savings of an extraordinary nature.

### Remarkable Values In Women's Ready-to-Wear

- Women's and Misses' Wash Dresses, splendidly made dresses of fine grades, Ratine, Linens, Voiles, Etc., values up to \$5.98—Saturday, choice \$2.98
- Women's and Misses' Wash Dresses, made in the most popular fabrics and daintily trimmed, values up to \$3.00—Saturday, choice \$1.75
- Children's School Dresses, 6 to 12 years, made of chambray, galatea, all good, sturdy wearing materials, values up to \$1.69—Saturday, choice 98c

### Waists, Dressing Sacques and Long Kimonos

- Women's White Lingerie Waists in low neck models, trimmed with embroidery and lace—Saturday, special 98c
- Women's Dressing Sacques, navy blue and grey percales and a few white with colored borders—Saturday, special 39c
- Women's Long Kimonos, made of fine lawn, pretty figured designs, values up to \$1.50—Saturday, special 98c

### WOMEN'S AND MISSES' MEDIUM WEIGHT COATS

Cape Coats, Sport Coats and everyday Coats in all of the good styles and most favored materials, values up to \$12.50—Saturday, choice \$7.98

### MILLINERY

Final Clean-up Sale of Women's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats

Great variety of shapes. These Hats are all worth their original prices now, but to clean them out in one day we mark them at prices that speak for themselves.

- \$5.00 and \$6.00 Panama Hats—Saturday \$2.98
- \$3.98 to \$5.00 Trimmed Hats—Saturday 98c
- \$1.98 Untrimmed Hats, all colors—Saturday 25c

### August Shirt Sale

Have you attended the Sale of Men's Shirts. A rare harvest of values await you. All the season's styles and patterns at reduced prices, making this the finest offer of Shirts you've seen in quite a while.

Price Range 39c, 50c, 79c, 98c, \$1.10

### NOTION ITEMS

Wallington Basting Thread in black and white, on 200 yard spools, quite a range of sizes—SATURDAY 5 spools for 10c

### LEATHER GOODS and TOILET ARTICLES

At Saving Prices

- Four and five inch Suede Belts and Vests in all colors—SATURDAY 50c
- Five inch Silk Girdles in black, white, green, brown, blue, etc.—SATURDAY, each 50c
- Celluloid and Horn Tangle Hair Pins in shell and amber, regular 50c quality—SATURDAY, pair 39c
- Transparent Glycerine Soap in violets and rose, two makes—Wristley's or Stanley's—10c quality—SATURDAY, cake 7c
- Oakland Chemical Co.'s Disinfectant in the small size that we sell at 19c daily and liable to advance in price—SATURDAY, a bottle 15c
- Linen-finish Writing Paper and Envelopes, letter size paper and the new Wallet flap envelope, 24 of each in a picturesque box, 25c value—SATURDAY, box 19c

### HOSIERY

Women's Full-fashioned Lisle Hose, "Lion Brand," guaranteed to wear regular 29c quality—SATURDAY, two pairs for 50c

Black Bathing Stockings, our 10c quality, if you need a couple of pairs to last until the end of the season—SATURDAY two pairs for 15c

### DOMESTIC DEPT.

Large size White Crochet Quilts, heavy weight, value \$1.50 each—SATURDAY \$1.29

### WHITE GOODS

One lot of Fancy White Goods, neat figures, stripes and checks, good value at 25c yard—SATURDAY, yard 19c

### MATTING BAGS

A small lot of Matting Bags, 17 and 18 inch size, are very light weight but strong and serviceable, sold regularly at 79c. In order to close them out quickly SATURDAY, choice 39c each

### HAMMOCKS

Note the way we've priced all our Woven Hammocks. These are all Palmer Hammocks in desirable colors. Hammocks which sold from \$2.75 to \$3.75—SATURDAY, choice \$2.39

### BAR HARBOR CHAIRS

In brown, green or silver grey. These are strongly built of selected willow, are especially suitable for house use. Regular price \$5.00—SATURDAY \$3.59

### KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's White Ribbed Vests, low neck, sleeveless and with short sleeves, in common and extra size, 25c value—SATURDAY, each 19c

Women's Hot Weather Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace trim and cuff tight knee, sizes 4, 5, 6, 35c quality—SATURDAY, suit 25c

Infants' and Children's Summer Weight Ribbed, Low Neck Vests and Tight Knees or Lace Trim Pants, all 25c qualities—SATURDAY 19c

**The Reid & Hughes Co**