

MURRAY'S BOSTON STORE

Willimantic, Conn.

Our Annual Spring Sale of Kitchen Ware and Furnishings.

Will Begin Friday Morning, March 31st

With housecleaning time only a short distance away, every housekeeper is making preparations and planning to lighten as much as possible the laborious task by supplying effective weapons for combatting accumulated forces which make housecleaning necessary, and that the result of your labors may be gratifying and satisfactory, this sale offers you hundreds of useful and helpful articles to make work easy and at the least possible cost.

TIN WARE At Sale Prices



No. 8 size All Copper Wash Boilers, guaranteed 12-ounce stock—Sale price \$2.98.
No. 9 size All Copper Wash Boilers, guaranteed 12-ounce stock—Sale price \$3.19.
No. 8 size 1X Tin Wash Boilers, heavy copper bottom—Sale price \$1.49.
12-ounce size 1X Lids Strainer Pail—Sale price 69c.
14 size 1X Lids Dairy Pail—Sale price 27c.
3-quart Heavy Dinner Pail, 3 parts—Sale price 33c.
30-quart Retinned Wash Kettles—Sale price 29c.
36-quart Retinned Wash Kettles—Sale price 37c.
40-quart Retinned Wash Kettles—Sale price 42c.
10-quart Flaring Retinned Water Pail—Sale price 10c.
9-inch Clean Cut Tin Pie Plate—Sale price 8c.
10-inch Clean Cut Tin Pie Plate—Sale price 8c.
10-inch Clean Cut Tin Jelly Cake Pan—Sale price 8c.

LAMPS AND DOMES At Sale Prices

Rayo Lamps nickel-plated, complete with white dome—Sale price \$1.49.
Electric Portable Lamps, regular \$5.50 quality—Sale price \$3.98.
Electric Portable Lamps, regular \$7.95 quality—Sale price \$5.69.
22-inch Electric Light Domes, beaded glass, regular \$9.98 quality—Sale price \$7.69.
22-inch Electric Light Domes, beaded glass, regular \$8.93 quality—Sale price \$6.98.

GALVANIZED WARE

Galvanized Wash Tubs with wringer attachment—
No. 21—Sale price 65c
No. 22—Sale price 79c
No. 23—Sale price 90c
10-quart Galvanized Water Pail—Sale price 19c.
12-quart Galvanized Water Pail—Sale price 23c.
14-quart Galvanized Water Pail—Sale price 27c.

FLOOR SHINE



FLOOR SHINE CEDAR
Mop Polisher and 1 pint Floor Shine Liquid, value \$1.50
Sale Price 98c

GLASS AND EARTHEN WARE

Plain Thin Blown Table Glasses—Sale price 3c each.
Fluted Bottom Table Glasses—Sale price 2c each.
Graduated Measuring Cups—Sale price 4c each.
Percolator Tops—Sale price 3c each.
Salt and Pepper Shakers—Sale price 3c each.
Common Lamp Chimneys, A size—Sale price 5c; B size—Sale price 7c.
1 pint Glass Milk Bottles—Sale price 3c each.
1 quart Milk Bottles—Sale price 5c each.
Earthen Bean Jars with cover, 2, 3 and 4 quart sizes—Sale prices 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c.
1 gallon Stone Jug—Sale price 11c.

WOODEN WARE AT SALE PRICES

Smith's 10-Arm Wall Clothes Dryer—Sale price 39c.
Smith's 10-Arm Adjustable Wall Clothes Dryer—Sale price 79c.
Large size Glass Wash Board—Sale price 34c.
Folding Ironing Table, five feet long—Sale price \$1.10.
Five dozens Maple Clothes Pins—Sale price 8c a box.
No. 6 Little Jewel Floor Broom—Sale price 29c.
Trojan Spring Hardwood Mop Stick—Sale price 9c.
Dry Mop for hardwood floor—Sale price 22c.
Tato Dust Absorbing Dry Mop—Sale price 37c.
Revolving Handle Hardwood Rolling Pin—Sale price 10c.
Veneered Birch Chair Seats, 18 to 18 inches sizes, different shapes—Sale price 7c each.
Square Salt Box—Sale price 9c.
Popular Knife Box—Sale price 9c.
Mission Tabourette, 24-inch high—Sale price 25c.
13-inch Round Chopping Board—Sale price 15c.
White Wood Pastry Board, size 18x24—Sale price 37c.
White Wood Pastry Board, size 22x30—Sale price 45c.
White Wood Pastry Board, size 24x36—Sale price 52c.

NICKEL PLATED BATH ROOM FIXTURES



Although brass has advanced to four times its price of a year ago, we are able to offer you the following Brass Nickel-plated Bath Room Fixtures at the old price. These fixtures are made of brass, heavy nickel-plated and will not rust—fully worth from 75c to \$1.25 each.

YOUR CHOICE OF THE FOLLOWING FIXTURES at 59c

18-inch All Nickel Towel Bar.
24-inch All Nickel Towel Bar.
Toilet Paper Holder.
Wall Soap Holder.
Tumbler and Soap Holder combined.
Tumbler and Brush Holder combined.
18-inch Glass Shelf and Brackets.
24-inch Glass Shelf and Brackets.
18-inch Glass Towel Bar and Brackets.
24-inch Glass Towel Bar and Brackets.
Oak Bath Tub Seat, nickel-plated supports.

KLEAN-UP PREPARED PAINT

To Introduce This Line of Prepared Liquid Paint We Will Give You a Special Price on the Following Size Cans:

Half Pint Size—Sale Price 12c
Pint Size—Sale Price 22c
Quart Size—Sale Price 42c

This Prepared Paint is particularly suggested to people who wish to do their own painting. It can be used with satisfaction for all ordinary work. It fills well, creates a smooth surface and finishes with a tone and brilliancy of color.

We have a big variety of colors for the following purposes: OUTSIDE WOOD WORK, INTERIOR WOOD WORK, FLOORS, SCREENS, STOVES, ENAMELING. Also a good line of A1 quality Varnish.

TURQUOISE ENAMEL WARE

Four-coated Mottled Blue Outside with White Lining
Regular 69c to 98c value
Special at 49c

2 pint Double Boilers.
4 pint Double Boilers.
6 quart Berlin Sauce Pans.
8 quart Covered Convex Kettles.
6 quart Covered Buckets.
4 quart Lipped Sauce Pans.
10 quart Water Pails.
12 quart Water Pails.
14 quart Deep Dish Pans.
17 quart Deep Dish Pans.
3 pint Tea and Coffee Pots.
4 pint Tea and Coffee Pots.
3 quart Covered Buckets.
4 quart Covered Buckets.
4 quart Lipped Sauce Pans.
6 quart Lipped Sauce Pans.
6 quart Lipped Preserve Kettles.
3 quart Lipped Preserve Kettles.
2 quart Water Pitchers.

WHITE ENAMEL WARE

This ware is double coated white enamel with blue border, well made, durable and sanitary.

Your choice of the following articles at 10c each
1 1/2, 2 and 3-quart Pudding Pans.
2 and 3-quart Sauce Pans.
8 and 10-inch Deep Pie Plates.
3-quart Milk Pans.
2-quart Mixing Bowls.
1-pint Drinking Cups.
Soup Dishes, Wash Bowls, Mixing Spoons and Ladles.

BETTER QUALITY WHITE ENAMEL WARE

Large size Wash Bowl and Pitcher to match, suitable for Summer home or bungalow, \$1.50 value—Sale price \$1.10 set.

Large size Covered Cabinet with wood handle, \$1.39 value—Sale price 95c.

Large size Seamless Chamber, 59c value—Sale price 39c.



Luther Burbank's Flower and Vegetable Seeds sell everywhere for 5c and 10c a package—Special during this sale 2c a package, three for 5c.

NICKEL PLATED TEA KETTLES



All Copper, Nickel Plated Tea Kettles, Medium and Extra Heavy
No. 8 Medium Weight Tea Kettle—Sale price \$1.25.
No. 9 Medium Weight Tea Kettle—Sale price \$1.39.
No. 8 Extra Heavy Tea Kettle—Sale price \$1.59.
No. 9 Extra Heavy Tea Kettle—Sale price \$1.69.

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES At Sale Prices

Dust Absorbing Dust Cloths—Sale price 8c and 14c.
50 foot Water-proof Clothes Line—Sale price 20c.
Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, nickel plated, three in a set, with handle and holder—Sale price 95c a set.
No. 1 Universal Food Chopper—Sale price 7c.
Small size Sheet Frying Pans, cold handle—Sale price 5c.
Large size Sheet Frying Pans, cold handle—Sale price 10c.
Mrs. Potts' Sad Iron Holders—Sale price 7c.
Alaska Cold Handle Stove Lifters—Sale price 5c each.
Alaska Cold Handle Stove Pokers—Sale price 5c each.
3-in-one Shoe Polish—Sale price 7c a box.
Wright's Silver Cream Polish—Sale price 19c.
Savory Enamel Seamless Self-basting Roasters—Sale price \$1.19.
Cedar Oil Liquid, 4 ounce bottle—Sale price 10c.
Cedar Oil Liquid, 12 ounce bottle—Sale price 22c.
Cedar Oil Liquid, 1 quart size bottle—Sale price 45c.
200 Milk Bottle Caps—Sale price 5c.

WIRE GOODS

Retinned Wire Garment Hangers—Sale price 3c each.
Rotary Flour Sifters—Sale price 9c.
Dove Egg Beaters—Sale price 7c.
Enamel Handle Bowl Strainers—Sale price 9c.
Heavy Wire Jelly Strainers—Sale price 17c.

JAPANNED ARTICLES

Japanned Bath Tubs—
28 inch, value \$1.00—Sale price 79c
20 inch, value \$1.19—Sale price 89c
32 inch, value \$1.39—Sale price 98c
Japanned Bread Boxes—
Regular 55c quality—Sale price 39c
Regular 65c quality—Sale price 49c
Regular 85c quality—Sale price 62c
Japanned Cash Boxes, inside lock with two keys, regular 69c value—Sale price 45c.



UNIVERSAL BREAD MIXER
Four-louf Size
Sale Price \$1.69

SPECIALS

Silver Plated Tea Spoons, formerly sold for \$1.25 a dozen—Special for this sale 59c a dozen.
26 piece White Dinner Set, consisting of six Dinner Plates, six Sauce Dishes, six cups and Saucers, one 12 inch Platter and one 8 inch Nappy—Special for this sale \$1.49 a set.
Sweetheart Toilet Soap, sold everywhere for 5c a cake—Special for this sale 7 cakes for 25c.

WILLIMANTIC SIDEWALK CONTRACT

Bartholomew Moran, a native of this city, has been awarded the contract for the construction of sidewalks in the city during the coming year, by the members of the street committee of the board of aldermen, W. M. Jenkins, A. N. Vaughn and C. M. Holbrook. The prices to be charged this year are 15 cents per square foot for sidewalk work and 10c per linear foot for re-setting curbing.

The decision was made by the committee, when bids were opened last Saturday, and Mrs Moran was the lowest. At that time, however, the members decided to announce their decision later, and it is understood that in the meantime they looked into Mr. Moran's standing somewhat, and found it satisfactory in every way.

The new contractor has had considerable experience in the concrete business, having been foreman for Tucker & Vinton when the Scotland dam was built, and since that time foreman in connection with several large jobs in the vicinity of New York city. Work will be started as soon as the weather is suitable and in all probability a large number of walks will be laid this year, adding much to the attractiveness and value of city property.

Automobile Owners and Dealers Busy. Thursday was another beautiful day, and the last vestige of snow on the streets and lawns is rapidly disappearing, although the roads outside of the city are said to be still in very bad shape. The local auto men realized that spring will be here shortly, and that the season has been shortened by the weather of the past month, and most of the models sold in this city could be seen on the streets Thursday, while the hum of a motor was heard in private garages over the city, the owners preparing for pleasant days to come.

Bessette Effects Sold at Auction. The sale of the stock and fixtures of the bankrupt estate of O. A. Bessette was held Thursday, the price obtained being \$235. C. E. MacFarlane acted as auctioneer. E. H. Hall purchased the stock and the fixtures went to William Miller, New Idea Shoe Store and D. Mendillo, while the new shopfront at Eastville, Jonas Green, Jr., took the safe.

Ice Removed. Most of the ice which had accumulated on the south side of Main street, and in Lincoln Square has been removed, adding greatly to the looks of the street.

Mayor Dunn Speaks at Hartford. Mayor and Mrs. Daniel P. Dunn are out of town for a day or so, His Honor delivering an address at the thirty-first anniversary of Charter Oak Council, No. 19, K. of C. in Hartford Thursday evening. Mayor and Mrs. Dunn paid visits to friends in Hartford and vicinity during their short trip.

Appraisers of Mullen Estate. C. R. Hibberd, Patrick McDermott and Arthur Racicot have been appointed by Referee in Bankruptcy A. J. Bowen, appraisers of the bankrupt estate of M. E. Mullen & Co of this city.

Prompt Payment of Taxes. Thursday was the first day for the payment of town taxes for the year, and Collector George Bartlett was kept busy for a part of the time at first taking in the town revenues. The business was one of the biggest first days receipts for some time. Dwight E. Abel had the honor of getting the first receipt for the payment of taxes on the list of 1915.

Barbers Stick to Old Prices. Those who "let the barber do it" will not be obliged to pay more than the customary two nickels for a shave in this city in spite of rumors to the contrary, following the recent advance in Fulton and other nearby places. At least there is no present indication of an advance, was the statement of one of the master barbers in the city Thursday. With the price of everything else on the jump, however, it remains to be seen how long this condition will remain.

Odd Fellows' Whist. Obweebuck lodge, No. 16, I. O. O. F., held a successful whist Wednesday evening at their hall in the Savings bank building, with 150 members in attendance, and over forty tables in play during the two-hour session. Lunch was served following the whist. The prizes were taken by the following: first prizes, Mrs. Hattie Sullivan, George Maheu; consolation, Mrs. Rose Halorien, Donald Elliott.

IT MAY BE BODY OF JEAN CRONES. Detectives Investigating Rumors Concerning Body Found at Milford. Milford Conn., March 30.—To investigate the report that the unidentified body found hanging from the limb of an apple tree in this town-ship a week ago is that of Jean Crones, is the mission of detectives on the way to Milford from Chicago, according to authoritative information today. Leonard's section, chief inspector went to Bridgeport today and gave the police of that city a description of the body. The description is said to tally with that of Crones wanted in Chicago where he is alleged to have poisoned a quantity of soup at a banquet for the purpose, it is believed, of causing the death of Bishop Mundelein and 200 guests.

The only difference in the description is that the dead man's eyes are blue while those of Crones were brown. Undertaker George J. Smith, who has charge of the body, says there is a possibility of the eyes changing color due to strangulation, when a bluish film covers the eyeball. The authorities in Chicago were notified and at their request undertaker Smith has been instructed to hold the body until further instruction.

During the week hundreds have viewed the body but none could identify it and it was generally accepted that the man was never in this section before. The clothing worn by the man bore the trademark of Adler & Co, of Chicago.

Essex—Navigation is open on the Connecticut river. The lighthouse was lighted last night for the first time this season. It is expected that the Hartford boats will begin their trips the latter part of the week.

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The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

INVESTIGATING WRECK ON NEW YORK CENTRAL

Controversy Among Employees as to Who Was Responsible. Cleveland, Ohio, March 30.—Investigation into the wreck of three New York Central trains at Amherst, Ohio, Wednesday, which took a toll of at least 27 lives lives—the exact number may never be known—and brought injury to more than 40 others, several of whom will not recover, got under way today.

With a fierce controversy raging among railroad employees as to who was responsible for the accident, representatives of the state of Ohio and of the federal government were told by officials of the New York Central lines that the railroad officials would not conduct a separate formal inquiry on their own part. They assured the best interests of all concerned would be best served by one investigation on the part of the representatives of the Ohio Utilities commission and of the Interstate Commerce commission. The railroad officials would give every help, to make the investigation complete and the railroad would abide by the findings of these bodies.

Testing of the signal block apparatus at Amherst was the main work of the government and state experts today. They crisscrossed the scene of the wreck and inspected it thoroughly. The controversy among railroad employees centered about Ernest, 25, towerman, at Amherst, and Herman Hess, 65, veteran engineer, whose train rammed into the first section of Train No. 8, causing the deaths of nearly all of those killed.

Ernest vehemently denied that he was asleep on duty or that he was in such condition from loss of sleep that he was in any way incapacitated. He asserted that the block signal failed to work. Ernest said: "If anyone is seeking to fasten the blame on me in this affair, I shall make affidavit to what I know of signal failures in the past on this and other roads."

Hess repeated his former statement that he was not given any signal but did not dispute Ernest's claim that the signal might have failed to work. St. J. Heffernan, chief inspector for the State Utilities commission late today said man-failure not machine-failure, caused the wreck.

Heffernan's statement was made on the scene of the wreck, one mile west of Amherst, where he went with other state, federal and railroad investigators today.

"Engineer Herman Hess of the second section of Piler No. 56 will have to show why he ran past danger signals and crashed into the rear of Engineer Leonard's first section," Heffernan said. "Towerman Albert Ernest will have to explain why he stopped Leonard's section, thus permitting Hess to run into it."

Both Ernest and Hess will be among a large number of witnesses who will be called to testify tomorrow morning when the representatives of the Interstate Commerce commission and the State Utilities commission open the first formal hearing in Cleveland.

SECRETIVE ABOUT SENDING SUPPLIES INTO MEXICO. No Train Has Left Juarez in the Last Two Days. El Paso, Tex., March 30.—The problem of forwarding supplies to the American base at Colonia Dublan by way of the Mexican Northwestern railroad has changed from the perplexing to the mysterious tonight. General George Bly, Jr., apparently on receipt of instructions from Washington, similar to those sent to General Funston, announced that he could give no information to the press regarding the situation, and other officers and officials were equally uncommunicative.

The one definite fact is that no supplies have been sent, as no train has left Juarez in the last two days. J. O. Crockett, vice president of the Northwestern railroad, said tonight he knew of no arrangements for sending out a train or supplies, but that he had a train ready any time it was needed.

From what could be learned here the question of gasoline is one causing the military authorities the greatest anxiety. The motor truck trains are taxed in their capacity to keep an adequate quantity of food and forage moving forward. The amount of gasoline required by the trucks themselves and for the airplanes is great, and constantly growing in volume.

The most reliable information about Villa places him somewhere in the fastnesses of the great continental divide many miles south of Nampulpa and feeling in an easterly direction, with Parral as his objective.

AUSTRALIAN SIEGE ARTILLERY AT VERDUN. Take Only Professional Soldiers in Their Commonwealth. Paris, March 30.—The company of Australian siege artillery which is reported to have taken part in the battle of Verdun is the co-called garrison artillery of Australia, the only professional soldiers in the Commonwealth. There were six hundred of them stationed in Australia during peace time—all men between 17, 1-1/2 inches and 6 ft., 3-1/2 inches.