

SEEKING ASSASSIN WITH HOUNDS

Police Hunt for Mysterious Assassin of Daniel Smith Stout, Who is Dying from Gunshot Wounds.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR ARREST OF HIS WIFE.

Aged Farmer on Opening Door Hears Woman's Voice, a Maniacal Cry and Receives Two Charges from Weapon.

Daniel Smith Stout, an aged and prosperous farmer living at No. 34 Seventh street, Secaucus, N. J., was the victim of a mysterious assassin, whose identity the authorities of that place are now trying to learn. Stout is dying.

Stout was called to his door by a woman's voice. On opening it he was greeted by a maniacal laugh that issued from the bushes in front of the house.

Neighbors found the old man lying in a pool of blood beside his open door. He was taken to the North Hudson Hospital, Union Hill, in a trolley car.

Stout said: "I was lumbering lightly when I heard a slight noise at the door. I arose and then heard a woman's voice saying, 'Daniel.' I opened the door, and as I did so heard a wild laugh from the bushes. I was blinded by a flash and felt a pain in my head. I have no idea who my assailant could have been, as I have no enemies that I know of."

Detectives were sent to Mrs. Stout's home in East New Durham, but she was not there, and has not been seen since. They hope to find her to-day.

Stout's house is not far from the penitentiary. Bloodhounds were procured from the guards to follow the trail of the murderer. Bands of farmers from the neighborhood are scouring the surrounding country in a search for the guilty person.

Within a few feet from Stout's home is the Engelbrecht residence, where the three brothers were murdered within a year. The murderers of the brothers never were caught.

At Montvale, N. J., a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Alfred M. Crotty, who up to the time of his disappearance ten days ago combined the offices of Mayor, village postmaster and local agent for a Jersey City loan association.

Residents of the village are anxious about \$5,000 in road bonds which they are unable to find and which were supposed to be locked in the Mayor's safe.

A Post-Office inspector has taken charge of the Montvale office, and it is said that he has found a shortage of \$2,000 in that department.

Crotty has conducted a real estate business in Montvale for years, lived in a large house with his wife and family and was supposed to be in comfortable circumstances.

Two Great Attractions --- The Big Store and the Subway.



Double "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps Mornings This Week from 8.30 Till 12 o'Clock. Thereafter, Single Stamps Until Closing Hour.

THE BIG STORE THE CITY HIGHLIGHT SIEGEL COOPER CO. SIXTH AVE. NEW YORK

WOMEN'S, BOYS' AND GIRLS' FALL WEIGHT SHOES at All the Popular Leathers and Styles. 69c

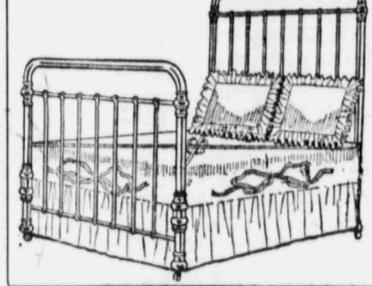
Dinner Sets and China. Friday Bargains of Import.

Lowness of price should not always be paramount when you are buying China. Some China is expensive at any price. We are offering for to-morrow's selling Dinner Sets and odd China that possess the earmarks of the potter's expert abilities and every evidence of the superiority of the China as well.

- Fine Values in Dinner Sets: \$10.00 AMERICAN PORCELAIN DINNER SETS, 100 pieces, including Soup Tureen--new printed decora. 6.75

\$45 Brass Bedsteads Priced For To-Morrow at \$24 Friday's Sensational Furniture Special.

These Brass Bedsteads are in the handsomest new designs and are sold elsewhere for \$45.00, and considered good value at that price. As a special Friday attraction we shall place on sale only a limited number, and will allow only one to each customer and none to dealers.



Serviceable Tourist Coats Every Woman Should Possess.

In the category of outer apparel there is no garment the prudent woman needs so badly, when she needs it at all, as a rain coat. There is no one garment she requires more frequently between seasons. This is a rain coat as well as a tourist coat and will answer one purpose equally as well as the other.

Two Coats in One at Less Than Is the Price of One, 15.00

MADE OF EXCELLENT QUALITY DOUBLE-FACED CRAVENETTED CLOTH, and, as is shown by the accompanying illustration, possess an atmosphere that is chic and stylish.

- Also Three Other Important Specials: Women's military coats, 9.75 black or castor kersey, Women's covert top coats, satin lined, 15.00

To-Morrow In The Men's Store

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On alternate Fridays the removal of "Broken Lots" is per-emptory. SOME VERY CHOICE GARMENTS will be found in this offering.

- Seven Dollars: Men's Suits, Black Cheviot Suits, Some Nobby Brown Suits, Black Top Coats, Winter Overcoats--Crown 1903

Two Hundred Pairs of Men's Trousers CHOICE \$1.50 For no other reason, except that they are medium weight and two or three pairs of a style only.

Women's Runabout Skirts. Special Friday Values.

These are only among several important special items for Friday, but the good materials utilized in their making cause them to stand out prominently in the array of interesting offerings.

Cravenetted Cloth, Corduroy Velvet, Panama Cloth, Cheviot or Mannish Mixtures. In black and seasonal colors. Newest plaited effects. Many trimmed with tailor stitched straps and self-covered buttons. All excellently tailored and perfect hanging. 5.00

- Other Elite Styles in Skirts. Women's Runabout Skirts of Melton cloth, 3.95 Black Voile Skirts, plaited styles, 11.50 Women's Cravenette Skirts, strap trimmed, 12.75

Annual Sale of Heaters & Coal Cooking Stoves Begins To-Morrow.

Special sale of everything in the way of Heaters and Coal Cooking Stoves that we can conscientiously recommend as being the best the market affords. The enormous sales of last year have urged us to still greater efforts, with the result that:

- Sas Logs, Gas Radiators, Coal and Oil Stoves, Cylinder Gas Heaters, Dure Coal Cooking Stoves, Magic Coal Cooking Stoves, King Coal Cooking Stoves, Universal Coal Cooking Stoves, Coal Stove Tuning, Prince Coal Cooking Stoves, Heating and Hot Water, Heating and Hot Water, Heating and Hot Water

Some Big Store Facts.

80 complete specialty stores under one roof. More space devoted to the display and sale of merchandise than in any other store. Every modern equipment for the facilitation of business.

Some Subway Facts.

There are in all forty-nine stations. They are divided into two classes--express stations and locals. The list of stations follows. The express stations (of which there are five) are all on the four-track road which extends to Ninety-sixth street.

Important Sale of Carpets.

Assortment of Axminster Carpets, Tapestry Carpets, Velvet Carpets, All-Wool Art Squares. Assortment complete in every respect as regards designs, quality and sizes.

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DIARIES FOR 1905. We carry complete assortments of Diaries, from small pocket size to the most elaborate.

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Well Known Brands at Specialty Low Prices. PORTO RICAN BREVES, 5c quality. Sold elsewhere double our price.

Friday In the Boys' Store.

Superior Winter Garments for the youngster--the kind that will stand plenty of knock-about. The price is the lowest ever named for equal quality and style.

MAK STRUCK BY CAR DIES. Surgeon Amputated Broken Arm on the Sidewalk.

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