

Rain Doesn't Dampen Their Ardor

Or lessen the number of Shoe purchasers at the great sale of the stock of the AMERICAN SHOE STORE. Such bargains won't wait for fair weather.

- 25c. Ladies' Donkey Button Shoes, with tips, leather.
30c. Children's Spring Heel Button Shoes, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2.
69c. Boys' and Youths' School Shoes, all sizes.
75c. Ladies' Button Boots, all styles.
19c. Ladies' Cloth Overalls.
\$1.00 Ladies' Donkey Button Shoes, with tips, leather.
\$2.00 Ladies' Fine Donkey Button Shoes, all new styles.
\$1.00 Men's Calf Button and Balm, all styles.
\$2.00 Men's Calf Balm or Congress, all styles.
\$3.00 Men's Hand-sewed Lace and Congress Shoes.

When You Come Down To Market To Market. POOLE'S, 944 Louisiana Avenue. Fancy N. Y. Burbank Potatoes, 72c. Bushel. 'California' Flour, 45 BARREL. 'Old Belma' Whisky. 'Fokien' Tea.

JOHNSTON'S, 729 7th. Groceries And Coffee Exhibit. Cup Holland Java or Wilbur's Cocoa Free. Ladies Invited to Consult With Our Celebrated Coffee Expert. All Persons Interested in Good Coffee Come. Exhibit California Stove Polish. Red Hot Stove Blackened in Ten Seconds. Won't Wash off. Won't Burn off. Grocery Specials: Electric Light Flour \$3.50 Barrel. Lilly Patent Flour \$4.50 Barrel. 7 Cakes Star Soap 25c. 2 Cans Baby Milk 25c. Pettijohn Breakfast Food 10c. Quaker Oats, 2 pound packages 10c.

A DOOR OR WINDOW. Doesn't look well unless it's prettily draped. That's truth admitted by everybody. Just at this time our extensive stock of CURTAINS and DRAPERIES are especially nice. We believe these prices will encourage door and window draping. Pretty Lace Curtains from 65 cents pair up. A special Nottingham Lace, in a variety of patterns, \$1.65 pair, regular \$2.00. Irish Point Lace, 3 yards long, extra value, \$2.25. Chandeliers, 3 wide and 4 wide, variety of patterns, \$5.00 pair. Some with Iodo border, full length and width always give "value received" at \$4.25.

The Beau Ideal of Furniture. CONSTRUCTION as regards utility and beauty, so say the connoisseurs, is found in the quaint old style antique. The furniture of colonial times. We have a handsome exhibit of this class of Furniture in Washington, D. C. Call on us to see a specialty of our work. F. WARTHER, 725 13th St.

'Honest' Inducements. While this 'BUSINESS RING-COMBE' is being buzzed into your ears about \$6 Shoes for 25c, don't forget that we are one of the oldest established Shoe firms in Washington, who never have a 'fake' sale, who never offer \$100 for 50 cents, but who always give 'value received' to every man, woman or child who enters our Shoe parlors. \$1.50 has always been a 'First-Class' Shoe here. We have provided for your comfort an elegant store, comfortable upholstered chairs, carpeted floors and willing, obliging clerks. We want your trade and will offer you every 'HONEST' inducement possible to get it. Give us a call. F. H. WILSON, (Successor to Wilson & Carr,) 929 F St. N.W.

FAMILY SHOE STORE, MANUFACTURER'S MISTAKE. WASHINGTON'S SHOE EMPORIUM, (Open Saturday night until 11 o'clock.) 310-312 Seventh St.

LANSBURGH & BRO. Suede Gloves, 4-Button. IN ALL THE NEW SHADES. FOR 59c. A PAIR. ALL SIZES NOW IN STOCK. AND TO MAKE THIS SALE MORE TEMPTING, WE SHALL PLACE ON SALE 75 Dozen 8-Button SUEDÉ MOUSQUETAIRE GLOVES. THE \$1.50 QUALITY. FOR 73c. IN CREAM, TAN, LIGHT GRAY, STEEL, MOODS AND BLACK.

Electric Light Flour \$3.50 Bbl. Pickles, Dressing, Sauces. BAKING POWDER. Baby Brand Milk, 2 cans = 25c. TEAS. COFFEES. Ground Coffee. Choice Rio Coffee. Java Flavoured Coffee. Java and Mocha. Old Good Java Coffee. Best Mocha Coffee. Levering's Coffee. Arbuckle's Coffee. Johnson's Breakfast Coffee.

We Have The 'Knack.' Our knowledge regarding advertising is what twelve years of practice and study has made it. You can buy our service for a small monthly consideration. Star Ad-Writing Bureau. WM. A. HUNGERFORD, Manager. GEORGE W. MILLER. CLARENCE C. ARCHIBALD. 4th floor, Star building.

A Shabby House. Is like a shabby woman. It isn't the house that's shabby, nor the woman. It's the furniture and the dress. It costs very little to have a well-furnished house. You can make it cost as much as you like, of course, but good and pretty furnishings may be had at very small prices. For instance: Solid Oak Chiffonier for \$47.50. Beautiful Oak Hall Rack, large French bevel mirror and seat, with umbrella stand, \$13.50. Highly Polished Oak Sideboard, \$13.50. Equal to any board sold elsewhere at \$18.00. Irish Point Lace Curtains, cut from \$9.00 to \$5.00. \$2.50 Nottingham Laces for \$1.50 a pair. \$5.00 Parlor Suits for \$28.50; 5 pieces. 40 yards Fresh Imported Matting for \$4.50. W. H. HOEKE, FURNITURE, CARPETS, DRAPERIES, Cor. Pa. Ave. & 8th St.

LANSBURGH & BRO. Aprons. A 'drammer' representing a large apron manufacturer, offered us his entire stock on a regular price. We took it up, and here are the best value in Aprons you ever purchased. 15c. Aprons, regular \$2.50. Fine Lawn Aprons, satin-stitched border, wide strings. 16c. for an Extra Large Size Best Quality Gingham Apron, worth 25c. 37c. for Cream Damask Table Linen, extra fine quality, attractive patterns, worth 50c. 12c. for Children's All-wood and Cashmere Hose, which were 25, 35 and 40c.—all sizes. Carhart & Leidy, 928 7th St. & 706 K St.

Johnston's Library Card. Illustrated History of the Great Civil War. Museum of Wonders. History of the Bible. Encyclopedia. Receptor's Family Physician. Star of Bethlehem. The Prince of Glory. History of the United States. Indian Heroes and Sky. Stanley's Africa. Sirups, Molasses, Vinegar. COCOA AND CHOCOLATE. Potatoes, Burbank, bu. = 72c. GELATINE AND JELLY. Best Mixed Tea, per lb. = 50c. MEATS. SOAPS. Butter, Choice Creamery = 30c. lb. FISH. SUNDRIES. Macaroni and Vermicelli, 3 pkgs. 25c. EXTRACTS. STOVE BLACKING. Brown Soap, long bars = 6 for 25c. CEREALS. Butter, Eggs, Cheese. LARD. BLUE. Cottolene, Pails = 10c. lb. JOHNSTON'S, Great China and Japan Tea Co., 729 7th Street N. W. TELEPHONE 818.

We Are Prohibited. -from eating meat during Lent-but what of that-eat bread made from Ceres flour instead-it is just as nourishing as meat. Ceres is the Hygienic flour of the age. At all grocers. We only wholesale it. Wm. M. Galt & Co., 'Wholesale Flour and Feed Dealers,' COR. 1ST AND IND. AVE. N.W.

THE SOCIAL WORLD. ABOUT GEORGETOWN. Happenings of Interest on the Other Side of Rock Creek. At the meeting on Wednesday evening of canal claim holders, representing nearly \$25,000, Messrs. Frank T. Goddard, John A. Dugan and Albertus Spencer were appointed a committee to urge the Maryland legislature to pass the bill of Mr. Lamar, which provides for their reimbursement. A statement submitted at the meeting showed that the canal company's indebtedness for labor and supplies from 1883 to 1889 inclusive amounts to \$55,849.08. The Lathlump Students. Next Friday the 'Lathlump Student' will give a performance at St. Elizabeth's Asylum for the amusement of the inmates there. The affair is being arranged by Dr. W. W. Godding, the superintendent of the institution. The 'Students' will be assisted on that occasion by Mr. E. B. Day, Miss Marie Macchioni, Miss W. H. Conley of the Shakespeare Club, and Miss Mary Haddley, organist of Christ Church. Mr. Guy V. Collins of the 'Students' will assume the character of Hopkins in the production of 'My Lord in Liverty,' one of the successes of the late Rosina Vokes' repertoire. The play will be given on February 23 at Odd Fellows' Hall for the benefit of the unemployed Odd Fellows of the city. Result of a Church Protest. The Dumbarton Avenue Church representatives complaining about the proximity to their house of worship of a restaurant of Wm. McCoy, basing their right to object on the law that prohibits the establishment or maintenance of saloons within 400 feet of schools or churches, have had their efforts frustrated. It was understood that a renewal of license could be secured and the saloon will close permanently tomorrow. The character of the protest, it is said, has been found to be within 500 feet of the church. Notes. Mr. J. T. Payne, who has been very sick the past week with pneumonia, is reported better this morning. A large and substantial wharf is being constructed by Wm. W. King on Water street between 31st and 32d streets. It extends sixty feet along the river front. Assigned to Stations. By direction of the Secretary of War, the following named officers of the medical department have been relieved from duty in this city, to take effect upon the completion of the present course of instruction at the Army Medical School, and are assigned to duty at the stations hereinafter designated: First Lieutenant Wm. H. Quincey, Jr., Quartermaster; First Lieutenant Thomas S. Stratton, Fort Noltara, Neb.; First Lieutenant C. Howard, Fort Buford, N. D.; First Lieutenant Alexander S. Porter, Fort Keogh, Mont.; First Lieutenant William H. Wilson, Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Trial of an Orphan's Home Superintendent. The trial of Rev. John Dingley, superintendent of the Wernie Orphan's Home, a joint Ohio and Indiana institution, supported by the Lutheran synod, began at Richmond, Ind., last evening. He is charged with cruelty to inmates. So far the evidence has been damaging against him, and the case is being hotly contested. An Alibi for Coughlin. A large crowd gathered at the Coughlin trial yesterday at Chicago in expectation of testimony by the defendant. Coughlin's attorneys asserted, however, that he would not go on the stand today. Jos. S. Martin, member of the state board of equalization, succeeded in establishing an alibi for the defendant by swearing that he saw Coughlin in front of the Chicago avenue police station about 10 o'clock on the night of May 4, when Dr. Cronin was murdered. THE PERSONAL DISCOMFORT and worry of a constant cough and the soreness of lungs are relieved by Dr. J. D. Jay's Expectant, a safe medicine for pulmonary disorders and throat affections. BORN. HALL, February 8, 1894, at 1411 20th street, Washington, D. C., to Maj. and Mrs. Wm. F. Hall, a daughter. DIED. BASSETT, On Thursday, February 8, 1894, at 5:15 a.m., THORNTON TWENTY BASSSETT, aged 71 years. He was born in New York, and had resided in this city for many years. He was a member of the Grand Lodge, No. 1029, East Capitol street, on Saturday, February 10, at 3 p.m. BEAVENS, On February 7, 1894, at 5 p.m., after a long and painful illness, which she bore with courage and fortitude, Mrs. MARY J. BEAVENS, beloved wife of Harry Beavens, and daughter of Mary and the late William Kilmann. Beautiful toiler, she worked all day. Beautiful soul, into glory gone. Beautiful mother, she left us now wean. God greet her rest. Rest from all sorrow and watching and wean. Rest from all grief and sorrow and wean. Rest through God's endless, wonderful pain. At home with the blessed. It was an sudden, our white lips said, How we shall miss her, the beautiful dead. Who take the place of the precious one that died. We know He watches the sparrows that fall. Hears the sad cry of the grieving hearts that still, Healed, mother, the angels bring them all. We can trust for the rest. Funeral from residence of her husband, 708 7th street, southeast, Sunday evening, February 11, at 7:30 p.m., to proceed to independent Methodist Church, 11th street between G and I southeast, at 8 o'clock. DOWNS, On February 8, 1894, at 10:45 a.m., Mrs. MARY J. DOWNS, in the 87th street of her age. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 616 H street southwest, at 7:30 p.m., today, Friday, February 9. HANDLEY, On February 8, 1894, DANIEL BOBERT, only child of Jos. I. and Bridget Handley (nee Allen), aged one year, eight months and ten days. Funeral from his parents' residence, 608 L street southwest, Saturday, February 10, at 2 p.m. MAGRUDER, At Beating, D. C., on Thursday, February 8, 1894, Mrs. MARY ANN MAGRUDER, widow of the late Fielder Magruder, aged seventy-nine years. Funeral will take place from the residence of her nephew, Geo. B. Sheriff, on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. MAY, On Thursday, February 8, 1894, JOHN T. MAY, son of the late John E. May of Georgetown. Funeral from his late residence, 217 H street northeast, at 2 o'clock p.m. on Sunday, February 11. Interment at Arlington. Friends and relatives invited to attend. MORRIS, On Thursday, February 8, 1894, at 9:30 a.m., Mrs. CLARA MORRIS, in the seventy-ninth year of her age. Funeral from her late residence, 515 5th street, on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. BORY, On Thursday, February 8, 1894, MAJ. GEORGE BORY, aged fifty years. Funeral services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, northwest, Saturday, February 10, at 2 p.m. Interment at Oak Hill. SCHMID, On February 8, 1894, at 8 o'clock a.m., Mrs. MARY SCHMID, aged eighty years and four months, widow of the late George Schmidt, 112 1/2 street northwest. Funeral private, February 9. SHUCRE, On Wednesday, February 7, 1894, Mrs. SHUCRE, widow of the late George Shucro, died at her residence, 112 1/2 street northwest. Requiem mass at St. Trinity Church, 11th street between G and I southeast, at 8 o'clock. WERLE, Of pneumonia, after a short illness, on Thursday morning, February 8, 1894, at 5:40 o'clock, LEONARD WERLE, beloved husband of Margaret Werle, in his sixty-fourth year. Funeral will take place from his late residence, 529 1/2 street northwest, Saturday, February 10, at 2 o'clock. St. Mary's Catholic Church, where requiem mass will be said at 8 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. IF YOU READ THIS YOU WILL NOT BE DECEIVED. Good things have always been contrabanded and limited—articles without merit, now. We counteracted your last week against the imitation of CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Nobody likes to be deceived—so don't forget the caution—ask for CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS; mistake having C-A-B-T-E-R-S, and not the 'P' gotten. Don't forget the caution—don't be deceived. A POSITIVE CURE FOR SICK HEADACHE. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price. col'd-m-w-ly CHILDREN CRY FOR FITCHER'S CASTORIA.

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'Dearest Friend' -In the toilet is DERMATINE. A bottle of it should stand beside the wash basin and be used on your skin as regularly as soap. It is so smooth and softens your skin and is the best cure for chapped hands and face on the most delicate and 50c. bottle. Here only. W. S. Thompson's Pharmacy, 703 15th St. Every Lady is Interested in GOWN'S. We clean soiled gowns, gloves, silk, when 'done up' by our Matchless Process gown, 'Antong' as formerly. Reasonable prices. Drop us a note. 909 G ST. N.W. Antong Fisher, 314 PA. AVE. & E.

JOHNSTON'S, 729 7th Street N. W. Telephone 818. A Velvety Skin A Mark of Beauty. No one need have rough hands and face. 'LEMON BALM' in a few applications makes the warm chapped skin soft as velvet. Delightful after shaving. For sale by dealers throughout the District. Samuel T. Stott, 505 Pa. av. NATIONAL HOTEL DRUG STORE. JOHNSTON'S grocery prices, page 5.—Adv't.

Drink Filtered Water. Rain means mud! Mud means muddy drinking water! Muddy drinking water also means polluted water! Polluted drinking water means sickness! Sickness frequently means death! Avoid Danger -by using 'Pasterur' Germ-proof water. Filter with clarity and purity. 50c up—only. Wilmarth & Edmonston Crockery, &c., 1205 Pa. Ave. DON'T BE PERSUADED THAT THE 'One-sided Mattress' is just as good—Insist on having The 'Reversible' MATTRESS. -It is just twice the service in it as the 'One-sided' mattress, and IT COSTS NO MORE! For sale by dealers throughout the District. Compromising a Stamp Case. Secretary Carlisle has agreed to compromise the case of John Ahern & Company of Alexandria, Va. who were charged with falling to destroy stamps on empty spirit packages and with using empty stamped packages for the purpose of obtaining silver other than those originally contained therein. Ahern & Company will pay a specific penalty of \$500. Fourth-Class Postmasters. The total number of fourth-class postmasters appointed today was 60. Of this number 26 were to fill vacancies caused by death and resignation and the remainder by removal. F. S. Chase was made postmaster at Chase, Md. where the late postmaster, Chas. De M. Meyers was appointed postmaster at Keyville, Md., vice A. N. Forney, removed. Johnston's grocery prices, page 5.—Adv't.

Call to the Greenbackers. Geo. A. Jones, chairman of the national committee of the national greenback party, has issued a call to all who desire an immediate increase in the volume of United States legal tender notes, commonly known as greenbacks, and all who desire the immediate issue of the same. The call is in their respective cities, towns, villages and neighborhoods on Saturday, March 3, 1894, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the Supreme Court legal tender decision and to prepare petitions favoring a further issue of greenbacks and the repeal of all silver laws enacted since January 1, 1873. The Treasury Balance. The treasury balance shows an increase of \$7,000,000 in round numbers over last report and stands at \$124,440,150, of which \$93,231,229 is gold and \$28,118,980 currency. Reports that have reached the Treasury Department show that the payments of New York to the 6th on account of bond subscriptions amount to \$41,000,000 in round numbers. The balance of \$21,000,000 was paid in gold and gold certificates and \$10,000,000 in treasury and legal tender notes, a smaller amount than had been expected. Compromising a Stamp Case. Secretary Carlisle has agreed to compromise the case of John Ahern & Company of Alexandria, Va. who were charged with falling to destroy stamps on empty spirit packages and with using empty stamped packages for the purpose of obtaining silver other than those originally contained therein. Ahern & Company will pay a specific penalty of \$500. Fourth-Class Postmasters. The total number of fourth-class postmasters appointed today was 60. Of this number 26 were to fill vacancies caused by death and resignation and the remainder by removal. F. S. Chase was made postmaster at Chase, Md. where the late postmaster, Chas. De M. Meyers was appointed postmaster at Keyville, Md., vice A. N. Forney, removed. Johnston's grocery prices, page 5.—Adv't.