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A coffee mill of the name will hold 2 lbs. of coffee beans. It is made of brass and is kept in a tin case. It is very easy to use. You turn the handle and the coffee is ground. The glass is very clear. It is very durable. \$1.25 each.

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They have all the "good points" of other wheels—but few, if any, of their faults. We being the largest bicycle producers in the world—and selling them directly to the rider—not to agents—accounts for our small prices.

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**Spring Shirt Styles**

Can best be studied here. The goods we're displaying this season are the best—the brightest—the most beautiful—the most durable. You'll find us the most perfect fitting and most fashionable of shirts for the coming season.

**P. T. HALL, 908 F St.**  
mh13-164

No smarter looking or more enduring wheel than the

**LIBERTY**

is it possible to buy at any price. \$100.

**HADGER, 1024-26**  
mh13-284  
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ST.—NO. 632—in the address of the finest Watch Repairer in Washington. HUTTERLY is the name. 75c.—the charge for cleaning or new mainspring. mh13-124

**"Youmans" Spring Hats, \$2**

made by Youmans at Youmans's factory, but they haven't Youmans's name in them. They're in black and brown. Latest styles. \$2. \$2.50 and \$3.

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**Panels Like Mirrors.**

A carriage should look its best in spring to be seasonable. A new coat of paint, a couple of coats of varnish and you've a new carriage. Give us the order for the work and it shall be done promptly and effectively. Our charges are far from extravagant. Estimate on application.

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**"1417" is a Winner**

That's the number of our new Tailoring House on Front St. Drop in and see our display of handsome SPRING SUITINGS and TROUSERS—It will cost you nothing. Spring Suits to order. \$20.00 up.

**Hasset & Piste,** 1417 PA. AVE.  
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The proper "stick" this season is of congo, wauhege, penang or weitchel wood. We have them from 75c. to \$1.50, with sterling silver trimmings. Plenty of them from which to select.

Keep in mind when you buy a new spring hat that the "Dunlap" is the best, and is the only place in the D. C. where you can buy it.

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Under Willard's.  
mh13-114

**POPE BUILDING BURNED.**

**Bicycles, Fittings and Tires Ruined by Thousands.**

The Pope Manufacturing Company's building, on Columbus avenue, Boston, was gutted by fire shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The block was a magnificent five-story structure of brick, profusely ornamented with terra cotta trimmings.

The blaze started in the boiler room in the basement of the building, and spread so rapidly that four ladies and two gentlemen, who were taking riding lessons on the fifth floor, had barely time to escape.

R. W. Hickey, private secretary to Mr. Albert Pope, and the janitor, W. P. Preston, were hemmed in by smoke and fire on the second floor, and made their escape by ladders placed there by the firemen. In the building were thirty-five or forty persons, but they all escaped without injury.

The contents, which were ruined, consisted of 1,700 new wheels, 175 second-hand wheels, and about 20,000 pieces of bicycle fittings, besides several thousand tires.

The Pope Company has a loss on its stock and fixtures conservatively estimated at \$150,000, and \$200,000 on the building. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

The burned building, one of the most imposing structures in the city, which is separated from the burned building by a fifteen-foot alley, and the Hoffman House, a seven-story apartment house across the street, were thoroughly drenched.

**STOLE FROM HIS PARTNERS.**

**Embezzlement Forces a Big Cleveland House to the Wall.**

The big wholesale boot and shoe house of Childs, Groff & Co., at 82 and 84 Bank street, Cleveland, Ohio, was forced to the wall late yesterday afternoon by the embezzlement of a large sum of money by William H. Huntington, the junior member and financial man of the firm. Childs, Groff & Co. is one of the oldest firms in that city, and has always been considered as solid as a rock.

Embezzlement was first discovered a day or two since, and when Huntington was confronted with the charge he confessed that he had taken \$40,000 of the firm's money. It is believed that the amount will reach \$100,000. He said he had been taking money for twenty-five years, and that most of it had been used in the payment of his household expenses.

Mr. Childs is completely prostrated, and for a time his life was despaired of. He and Mr. Groff are ruined.

**Another Battle Ship.**

The United States navy will soon be strengthened by the addition of another powerful war vessel. Tuesday next the battleship Massachusetts will sail from Cranp's ship yard at Philadelphia on her builders' trial trip. As the trial is for the private information of the Cranp Company, no guests will be aboard, nor will the government be officially represented on the trip by any officers. The trial will be made over the course always used by the Cranps in the unofficial tests of their ships. This course is between the two bays and extends about two miles into the Delaware capes, and the distance is a trifle short of ten knots.

**"THE STANDARD OF THE WORLD"**  
COLUMBIA.

**A dry indoor school, like the Columbia Bicycle Academy, with its 12,000 feet of polished floor space, is immeasurably an advantage over the old style outdoor ground with its vicissitudes of wind and weather. Learn at the Columbia Bicycle Academy on a Columbia.**

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**PLAYING BY CABLE**

**International Chess Match in London and Brooklyn.**

**BEST MEN ON EACH SIDE ENGAGED**

Arrangements for Showing the Progress of the Contest.

**GENERAL SPORTING NEWS**

**NEW YORK, March 13.**—The great international chess match between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the United States of America began today. Each team consists of eight men. The American players assembled in the Assembly Hall of the building at Court and Remsen streets, Brooklyn, while the Britishers met at the Pillar rooms of the Cannon Street Hotel, London.

The first dispatch from London announced the numbers of the boards on which the Americans and those on which the Britishers would have the first move. The exchange of the names of the players and the order in which they are to play resulted as follows:

Great Britain.	Boards.	American.
Blackburne	1	Pillsbury
Burn	2	Showalter
Bird	3	Burille
Tinsley	4	Barry
Loock	5	Hymes
Miles	6	Hodges
Atkins	7	Delmar
Jackson	8	Jackson

The Brooklyn Chess Club has issued a general invitation to the members of the leading clubs in the east to witness the play of the American players. The moves will be transmitted by Atlantic cable, and will be exhibited here by immense chess boards, suspended upon the walls, movable chess figures thereon indicating the shifting fortunes of each game, so that spectators may judge of the issue of the match at each moment of its progress.

The first moves, on which the Americans had the whites, were cabled to London at 10 o'clock, and about the same time a message was received giving the first moves of the British players.

The first dispatch from London announced the moves were exchanged at the rate of six in an hour. Some mistakes occurred in transmitting the first moves on boards 2 and 3, which, however, were soon rectified. The opening presented nothing unusual, with the exception that Blackburne accepted Queen's gambit from Pillsbury.

**DONOGHUE BARELY BEATEN.**

Another Exceedingly Close Finish at the Skating Rink.

The most exciting skating race of the week took place at the Convention Hall ice rink last night, when Harley Davidson beat Joe Donoghue in a two-mile and a half race in 7:34. Moshier also entered, but dropped out on the sixteenth lap, and was soon rectified. The race was a close one, and it was not until the last lap that the American was able to get up his speed on an indoor surface, and this may in some measure account for his defeat this week. He is an extremely speedy man on a straight-away course, as his records will show.

The men started with Davidson in the lead, and then Moshier forging to the front. Harley Davidson was in the rear, but on the eleventh lap made a magnificent spurt that carried him to the front, and he was soon rectified. Moshier, however, would not have it that way and spurted out after him, the pair leaving Moshier half a lap behind. Donoghue foolishly set the pace about the twentieth lap, and on the twenty-third lap Davidson made a spurt that carried him to the front, and he was soon rectified. All this time the immense crowd was keeping up an enthusiastic cheering that threatened to break the roof, and when Davidson was pronounced the winner the din was indescribable. The judges of the race were Messrs. Peters, Phillips and Storey; the timers, Messrs. Hutchins and Brewer; and the starter, Manager Towers.

At 8 o'clock last night John Davidson started to lower the world's record of 9:22 for three miles. He made a game effort, and at one time it seemed as though he was going to knock several seconds off the time, but he weakened slightly toward the end, and made it in just 9:42. This, however, is the championship record for indoor tracks for that distance. The winner was Davidson's first appearance before an evening audience, and he appeared to good advantage, and will probably make one of the fastest skaters in the city ever seen, as he is but eighteen years old.

Yesterday afternoon Wise, the champion of Long Island, gave Harry Stites, the champion of the District and Maryland, half a lap handicap, and beat him out by a quarter of a lap in a mile in 3:11. Stites did not seem to be in the best condition, and Wise had no trouble in catching up with him.

The race at 8 o'clock John Davidson will have a trial at the world's record of 2:38 for the mile, now held by Joe Donoghue. He is confident he can do as well, but will wait until the next time to try the laps, in order to equal it, if he cannot beat it.

The race at 9 o'clock will be for three miles, and will be between Moshier, Donoghue and Harley Davidson. There is every indication that it will be exceedingly close, as Davidson is in the best condition to retrieve himself for his defeat last night, and will probably try to run away from his competitors. If he should fail, his only consolation is that the season will ensue, as Harley Davidson is equally determined not to let him get out of his reach.

**WHIST CONGRESS CONTESTS.**

**Announcement by the Executive Committee of the League.**

The executive committee of the Whist League has decided to have the whist congress next June at Brooklyn play all

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**JOCKEY CLUB RULES.**

**New Amendments Proposed by Stewards and Adopted.**

The Jockey Club yesterday, in New York, elected William C. Eustis, Cornelius Fellows and W. P. Thompson, son of the late Col. W. P. Thompson, as members. The amendments proposed by the stewards were adopted. Among them are the following:

"Any owner or trainer running horses and any jockey riding the horses at any unrecognized meeting shall be disqualified, as shall also the horses."

"In the event of the death of the real owner of a horse, the name as registered may be reassigned to surviving partners."

"Any accidental error or violation of the rules in an entry may be corrected on the payment of a fine of \$10 for each entry before the number of the horse is exhibited for that race, or in a handicap before the weights are announced."

Rule 122 now reads:

"When owners divide they shall divide equally all the moneys and other prizes which any of them may take if the dead heat were run off, but owners cannot divide in a race of heats or where division would conflict with its conditions."

Rule 123, which has been so amended as to provide that horses starting may be claimed for the selling price, plus the value of the stakes or purse to the winner, by the owners of horses running in the race.

Rule 149 says:

"An apprentice license for boys never having ridden in a race may be granted upon application of an owner or trainer. A boy having ridden twenty races under such license shall make application for a jockey's license."

**Showalter Again Wins.**

The seventh game of the Showalter-Kemeny championship match began Wednesday in Philadelphia. Showalter selected the Ruy Lopez and the game proceeded on somewhat similar lines as the fifth. The game was evenly contested up to the twenty-sixth move, when Showalter gained some advantage. At the hour of adjournment forty-six moves had been made. The game was concluded yesterday after a total of nine hours' play. Showalter won in sixty-five moves. The moves now stands: Showalter, 4; Kemeny, 2; drawn, 1. The next game will be played Monday, a change having been made in the schedule in order to allow Showalter to play in the international cable match at Brooklyn tomorrow.

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Clothiers, 315 Seventh Street.

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We've picked out a lot of Men's \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50 Shoes from the stock—lines which we shall no longer carry—and marked them one price. In the lot are Gait Shoes, Russian, tan, wine, enamel and patent leather. There are not all sizes in each line, but there are all sizes in the lot.

**Choice, \$2.85.**

We've hunched a lot of Ladies' \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50 Shoes—kid, dog, deerkin, tan and Russian, in lace and button styles—at a single price—just to close them out quickly. They're heavy shoes—too heavy for summer wear, yet just heavy enough for now, and splendid skating shoes. There are not all sizes in each style.

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There's scarcely a style in Leghins which we do not show. We have a splendid trade in this line. We can match most any color costume.

Canvas, all colors. .39c. pair.  
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When you're in next time see these new High Tan and Black Bicycle Boots. They are "quite the thing!"

**Louvre Glove Co.,**  
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Instead of the regular price, \$1.25, for 4 button Gloves, in all desirable colors. Grand values these.

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Ladies' Fine Vici Kid Hand-sewed Shoes, in all the fashionable styles of toe, which have been selling at \$4, will be sold hereafter at \$3.25. The Ladies' \$3 Shoes will hereafter be \$3.85.

The Ladies' \$6 Shoes, hand-made, highest "specimens" of the shoe-makers' art, all the various sharp, medium and wide styles of toe—products of the world's best makers. Have been good value at \$6. Will be sold hereafter at \$4.65.

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