

The Greatest Sale of PIANOS

In the History of the Piano Business Is Now In Progress. COUNTLESS PEOPLE BUYING PIANOS

Recent sales of used Pianos included WISSNER, LECKERLING, REINHARD, Gilbert, Chickering, Waters, Steinway, Weber, Knabe, Hardman, Bradburn, and others.

Extra Special Bargains To-morrow

\$500 Chickering now \$165; \$400 Gabler now \$175; \$400 Mathushek now \$155; \$400 Decker Bros. now \$180; \$350 Sterling now \$145; \$300 Upright now \$100; \$375 Scheurman now \$160. From present indications this sale promises to eclipse any similar event in the history of the Piano business. The unprecedented out pouring of Piano buyers in response to our first announcement exemplifies the confidence placed in the Wissner House by the people. The amount of sales so far has been enormous. Many pianos have literally sold themselves. Some purchasers happened to call when all salesmen were busy and selected an instrument without any assistance, as every Piano is tagged plainly, and it is a very simple matter to buy a Piano here.

Used Upright Pianos, \$100 to \$150
Mathushek, Sterling, Decker Bros., Steedart, Chadler, etc., etc.

Used Upright Pianos, \$155 to \$200
Reinhard, Richards, Decker Bros., Gabler, Gilbert, Chickering, Scheurman, Gabler, etc., etc.

Used Upright Pianos, \$200 and up
WISSNER, LECKERLING, REINHARD, Mission, Player Pianos, etc., etc.

New Pianos, Discontinued Styles

It must be remembered that a progressive Piano Factory such as the Wissner Factory is constantly turning out new case designs, and once a year certain of these designs are adopted for the regular models to be used the following year.

It is therefore imperative that the models that have been used for demonstrating purposes or samples be cleared periodically. This fact accounts for the opportunity offered by us at this time. Every Piano in this lot is fully guaranteed and many of them are right from the factory, having been the last instruments to be made in the 1909 case. THESE NEW PIANOS CAN BE PURCHASED AT REDUCTIONS RANGING FROM \$85 TO \$125. EASY PAYMENTS.

\$10 Down and \$5 Per Month Will Send a Piano Home

Christmas Pianos If you want a Christmas Piano you can select it now and we will store it. FREE OF CHARGE until same is delivered. The best bargains always go first. Don't delay too long.

WISSNER WAREROOMS

BROAD AND STATE STS.

A Surprise For the Hunters.

"If the lair of a leopard is known," says a writer in the Wide World Magazine, "stones will generally dislodge the burker. I recall one occasion when a leopard was supposed to be located in a cave near camp. The guns were placed around in positions commanding the exit, and a few stones were then thrown in. There was no result at first, but as more and larger stones crashed in there came a faint humming and then a roar like the sea under the cliffs. In a moment the air above the cave's entrance grew dark with bees! As one man sportsman and gun bearers fled for the camp. A few were slightly stung before they could reach their tents and pull the flaps over the entrances, which the bees for some time besieged. Incredible though it may sound, it is the truth that, although the camp was full of active servants, horses, etc., none of those who had remained behind and were not concerned in the attack on the bees' cave were stung. It was a considerable time before the bees beat a retreat, but during all the time that they stayed in the camp it was the tents of their aggressors exclusively round which they angrily buzzed."

Fresh Air For Sleeping.

A person requires twenty cubic inches of fresh air at each respiration, or on an average of 400 per minute, and in two hours' sleep he consumes 120 cubic feet of air. The air of a bedroom ten feet square, having its doors and windows closed and occupied by one person, would become unfit for respiration in four hours. In the case of two occupants the time would, of course, be reduced to two hours.—New York American.

Points on the Market.

Old Gentleman (in broker's office)—Now, what do you think I might buy? Broker—You ought to have some Chartered. Old Gentleman—Why, I was only thinking coming up in the train that I ought to sell some Chartered. Broker (who wants a commission)—Well, that's not a bad idea, either.—London Financial Times.

A Dried Up Spring.

Editor—I understand, Mr. Pennyman, that you have married. Pennyman (sadly)—Yes. Editor—That will perhaps infuse new life in your mother-in-law jokes, eh? Pennyman (more sadly)—Alas, that is a thing of the past. The mother-in-law is no longer a joke with me.—Brooklyn Life.

An Appreciated Kindness.

"Mr. Growell," began the visitor, "I don't want to disturb you."—"Very considerate of you to come in here just to tell me that," said the busy man. "I appreciate it, sir, Good day!"—New York Journal.

Easy Money.

Hard Featured Woman—So you had money once, had you? May I ask you how you made your first thousand dollars? Tuffold Knutt (wiping his eye with his coat sleeve)—Ma'am, I dreamt it!—Chicago Tribune.

Puzzling Orchid Imitations.

Orchid imitations are a puzzle to flower scholars. The whole appearance of the flower is suggestive of some insect, sometimes to quite a remarkable degree. It does not seem easy to find any real purpose that could be served by this resemblance, yet no one imagines that it can be accidental. Any one who knew of the bee orchid, a native of Europe, and came upon it for the first time would at once recognize it. It seems to be a large, velvety brown backed bee variegated with yellow. The two petals might serve well for the wings of the insect. In the center of the lip of the fly orchid there is a small bluish spot like the body of a fly. The two lateral petals are slender and curiously like the antennae of an insect. The whole illusion is complete and suggests to the casual glance that a few flies are hanging on the stem of some plant which has cast its flowers.—Chicago Tribune.

The Crab in the Whale's Ear.

When the whales were still frequent along the lines of passenger travel across the Atlantic nothing was more common than to see the great beasts hurrying their bulk clean out of the waves and, after a flight through the air, falling back into the sea with an enormous splash, a spectacle novel, but not due to any sportive disposition on the part of the leviathan of the deep—quite the contrary. The breaching of the whale is no fun for the beast. It is a frantic effort to rid himself of the torture of earache. There is a marine crustacean which pesters whales to the verge of endurance, and there seems reason to believe that some whales have been driven insane by these tiny parasites. It is a crab of about the size of that which is found in the oyster. When it lodges on the whale it infests the inner surface of the eyelids and the ear. By swift rushes on the surface the whale is able to clear its eyes, but the crab in the inner ear cannot be dislodged by any such means.

"Ox Eyes" For Two.

The drawback of fancy names for dishes is their tendency to be deficient in prosaic information. Would you order "angels on horseback," for instance, if you did not know what sort of thing it was? And to appeal to the waiter to interpret is humiliating. A correspondent recalls his own fate in the matter of "ochsenaugen" (ox eyes). Having repeatedly seen them on the menu among the pudding class during a tour in Germany, he and his wife eventually ordered them. "Two portions?" asked the woman waiter. "Oh, yes, two portions." It proved that two portions of ox eyes meant six fried eggs as the final course of a hearty meal. And, as the wife had the moral courage to refuse to eat more than one; the cowardly husband, unwilling to give away that he had not known what he was ordering, had to worry down the five others.

A Startling Hat.

A lady's hat which would no doubt create as great a sensation today as it

HORACE VOSE, RHODE ISLAND TURKEY KING, AND HIS THANKSGIVING GIFT TO MR. TAFT



Horace Vose of Westerly, R. I., who has been sending a turkey to the White House as a gift to the president at every Thanksgiving time since General Grant was president, broke all his former records in the size of the presidential turkey this year. He told his neighbors last fall that if Mr. Taft was elected he would send the biggest fowl ever grown on his turkey ranch

to the White House this year. He is credited with knowing more about turkeys than any other man in this county and takes great pride in sending a bird of genuine quality to the chief magistrate of the nation each year. His aim this year was to produce the biggest turkey ever raised for the largest of all the presidents, and the accompanying snapshots of the

robber that he selected for Mr. Taft prove that he did not fall far short of his aim. Mr. Vose did not give out at the time the photographs were taken just how much the turkey weighed, but it is in the neighborhood of fifty pounds. So Mr. Taft is assured of probably the finest turkey that will be served on Thanksgiving day throughout all the country.

STILES JUDSON COMMENTS ON BOOM FOR GOV.

Waterbury, Nov. 17.—Stiles Judson, State Senator from Stratford, State Attorney of Fairfield county, one of the leaders of the Connecticut bar and an active force among the political workers of the State, was in Waterbury yesterday for the purpose of arguing a motion before Judge Milton Shumway in the Superior court. His appearance here at this time created the impression that he had called to see the growth of a boomlet for Governor of Connecticut, his name having been mentioned in connection with the nomination two years hence. "Have you really heard the news? Tell me, how was the tiding from the frozen north received in Waterbury?" asked Mr. Judson, but before anyone had a chance to reply he asked "I guess Sam Marsh must have started that."

Mr. Judson referred to the clerk of the Superior court who was in the party, and who he pressed Mr. Marsh to know whether the latter was "wild him or agit' him". Mr. Marsh said he was out of politics, but he added there was no man in the State better qualified for the position than the "gentleman from Stratford."

Concerning the origin of the report, Mr. Judson said if it was true that the boom had been started by the newspaper writers whose wish would be "father to the thought" to see him elected chief executive of the State, he would no doubt be elected, "but I always did stand stronger with newspaper men than with those who have the selection of the candidate for Governor," said Mr. Judson.

"Just at present," continued Mr. Judson, "I am engaged in the practice of law and I am kept busy all the time. The criminal term opened in Fairfield county in September, and we had eighty cases on the docket. The work was not a feature of the next campaign week ago and we had continuous sessions of the court all the time, including sittings on Mondays and Saturdays."

Drifting to the talk of the promised contest for the seat in the United States Senate, now held by Senator Morris G. Bullock, a position which is said to be sought by ex-Gov. George P. McLean, Mr. Judson said it was unfortunate that a contest for office would be a feature of the next campaign when other important issues should hold sway. Of Mr. McLean's chances in Fairfield county Mr. Judson said he was not sure, but he thought it would be evenly divided, but it was too early to make any predictions.

NEW EDUCATIONAL GROUPS AFFORD RARE OPPORTUNITY

Chance for Young Men to Move Forward in Battle of Life.

Three new educational groups are starting at the Y. M. C. A. this week, two of them, plumbing and sheet metal, in the building trades, and business preparation. The Business Preparation course is a feature of the next campaign, these being a session tonight. This group takes up the study of business arithmetic, penmanship, spelling and business forms, and is especially designed for those in store or office, and those who need more general education. The teacher, Samuel Davis with the International Silver Co., has been very successful in the handling of this group during several years experience and is very popular with the men in his classes, night.

The plumbing group will meet on Mondays and Thursdays this year. George F. McKee, foreman for M. W. Manwaring will again handle the class. The course covers wiping and soldering lead pipe joints, installation of hot and cold water, drainage systems and reading drawings, and this is practical work actually done in the plumbing room enabling the boy or man who is learning or working at the plumbing trade to handle any job skilled in his work. This means advancement.

The sheet metal course, meeting on Tuesday and Friday nights, will be taught by S. E. Cibulas, Superintendent of G. Drouve Co. This course takes up the study of tin roofing, cornice work, skylight work and piping.

Rabbis Put Ban on Mixed Marriages

New York, Nov. 17.—The question of marriages between Jews and Gentiles was disposed of just before the adjournment of the conference of rabbis last night, when a resolution was adopted declaring that "mixed marriages are contrary to the traditions of the Jewish religion and should therefore be discouraged by the American rabbinate."

IRISH LECTURE POLI'S THEATRE SUNDAY NIGHT

Concerning Miss Holloway who appears at Poli's Sunday evening under the auspices of Division No. 2, A. O. H., the Pawtucket Times says: Miss Holloway, not at all a stranger to Pawtucket where her often coming has been the means of drawing the largest crowds ever assembled under the auspices of the United Irish societies, was received last night with an enthusiasm that had at last been expressed by the speaker who was deeply affected. She thanked her hearers for their coming and said that in five times it would only be fair to suppose they would be tired of her. She has even more interesting and fascinating story in Robert Emmet and his times than in the famous Gaelic lectures. There is nothing of the conventional lecturer in Miss Holloway whose easy manner and complete sinking into her subject make it so near to the hearers.

Weather Indications

(Special from United Press.) New Haven, Nov. 17.—Forecast: clearing and colder tonight; Wednesday fair and colder. The storm that was central in Iowa yesterday morning has moved rapidly eastward and is now over Ontario, Canada. Rain has fallen during the past 24 hours from the Mississippi river eastward to the coast and it is now raining in the eastern part of the lake region and along the Atlantic coast north of Hatteras. The storm is followed by pleasant weather and much lower temperature. Zero temperatures are reported from Montana and North Dakota and freezing temperatures extending as far south as Texas and as far east as Illinois. Conditions favor for this vicinity rain with clearing and colder this afternoon and Wednesday.

ABLE BODIED POOR LONDON'S GREAT PROBLEM

(Special from United Press.) London, Nov. 17.—In a report made today by General Booth, the commander of the Salvation Army, declaring that that organization is unable to take care of ten per cent of the people now applying to it for assistance, is revealed an appalling condition of distress, suffering and starvation, brought to a terrible climax by the winter weather, which set in last week.

Hundreds of thousands of British workingmen—able-bodied, skilled workmen are out of employment, and their families literally starving and perishing from lack of food, fuel and clothing. General Booth's report reveals the complete breakdown of the machinery of charitable organizations of this city. According to General Booth the situation to-day is the worst that has been faced in London since the formation of the United Kingdom. Many institutions have been able to give men employment only under prison regulations, which means no remuneration except escape from starvation. Demands for employment are being made on the government daily. During the past two or three days the suburbs and residence districts have been invaded by workmen who accompanied by their wives and children in the streets and sing this plaintive verse:

"What will become of England if things go on this way? A million honest workmen are striving day by day. We cannot find employment; for bread our children crave. Some of them have died already and lie in their grave."

To add to the seriousness of the situation the uncertainty concerning the present political fight, particularly the unknown outcome of the established tariff reform, is arousing the indignation and anger that began a few weeks ago and employers are unwilling to take any risk in expanding their business until they know the outcome of the budget fight. In addition to this an official report just made to the government shows that during a period of six months, 1,011,586 workmen have been forced to accept lower salaries.

Entirely aside from the millions of unemployed throughout the United Kingdom, to-day, figures recently compiled show that there are now approximately 1,000,000 paupers in England and Wales to-day and that one person in every 25 in the city of London is a pauper. Of these 1,000,000 are young able-bodied workmen who have been forced to accept charitable aid from the state stores. This is an increase of 12 per cent over last year. In view of these facts every person who becomes an official pauper by accepting favors, disfranchises himself as a voter. The significance of this can be gained when it is realized what pride is felt by the Englishman in his power to cast his vote in the election at the present rate England will be forced to cope with an industrial revolution within five years.

FINE PRIZES AT ST. MARY'S WHIST

St. Mary's whist at St. Mary's hall, Steuben and Penbrooke streets, this evening, is expected to attract one of the largest gatherings of whist players that has ever taken place in the spacious hall. The advance sale of tickets through the ladies of St. Mary's parish is reported to exceed that of all previous whists. The Park City Orchestra will play a concert during the whist, and at its close will furnish music for the dancing. A fine array of prizes has been secured. An extensive refreshment booth has been erected, and the hall has been handsomely decorated.

STEAMER IONIC IN NO DANGER

(Special from United Press.) Sault Ste. Marie, Nov. 17.—The arrival of the Eoo steamer Ionic to-day all anxiety in regard to the safety of that vessel, has been removed. The steamer had a very rough voyage but at no time was she in danger.

TO INCREASE USE OF SCHOOL HOUSES

The New Haven board of education has under consideration a petition from the council of one hundred enrolled upon the usefulness of the school houses of the city. It is to be profoundly hoped says the New Haven Journal-Courier that the petition will be studied in its broadest aspects, and not be neglected upon the theory that some good people have seized hold of a sentiment which has no practical significance in which will mean only the deterioration of the school buildings.

The fundamental idea of the civic federation is that the utmost use should be made of the school property consistent with its original purpose. The board of education has been urged to protect its plan to the fullest extent, but when it has done that it should work in harmony with any practical plan, or set of plans, which promises to extend the influence of the educational idea. The opening of the school houses to other uses was not accomplished until the practical principle of the suggestion was understood. The original proposal that in placing new school buildings, assembly rooms should be included for the use of the neighborhood was received with misgivings, but experience has proved that the dividends paid in a higher social tone are not to be estimated in dollars and cents. It is now proposed that the use of the buildings shall be further extended until the property is being utilized to the limit of its capacity to attract and entertain.

In some of the school buildings erected in other cities an equipment has been added which has converted them into veritable neighborhood club houses. Some of them contain a gymnasium outfit, which is used outside of school hours, and is necessarily confined to school children. In other words, the movement keeps constantly in mind the use of public property for the advantage of the public outside, and to its original purpose. It is the belief of a growing number of people that in time the churches will find it beneficial to open their doors to the community. The pressing is becoming the social problem. They must be met, and yet the churches have the board, it is fairly without an indefensible expenditure of the public treasure.

Since it is the conviction of the officers of the civic federation that a better utilization of the school buildings without a greatly increased expense, the school commissioners should listen sympathetically. They certainly should not dispose of the petition before it is without the most careful thought. The recommendations involved relate to novel ideas and untried practices is no reason for neglecting them. We shall hope to hear that the board is favorably disposed towards the experiment, which can be abandoned if found embarrassing.

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