

THE MOHICAN COMPANY

FRESH FISH SPECIALS

Alaska Salmon	lb	10c	Steak Salmon	lb	13c
Boneless Cod Gems	4 lb	25c	Steak Halibut	lb	12c
Salt Mackerel	6 for	25c	Steak Cod	lb	10c
Oil Sardines	3 cans	13c	Steak Blue	lb	8c
Boneless Herring	READY TO EAT lb	18c	Shore Hadcock	lb	6c
Smoked Salmon	lb	30c	Large Smelts	lb	12c
English Bloaters	each	3c	Large Fresh Herring	2 for	5c
Smoked Halibut	lb	23c	Steaming Clams	quart	6c
Best Canned Shrimps	can	23c	Deep Sea Scallops	quart	34c
Kippered Herring	can	10c	Oysters	Solid quarts	29c

SHERIFF STAGG GIVES UP TRIP, HAS OPERATION

Deputy Sheriff Charles E. Stagg of Stratford was taken to the Bridgeport Hospital today where he underwent an operation for an affliction from which he has been suffering for some time. The operation was successful and Sheriff Stagg was reported as being in a very satisfactory condition this afternoon.

The sheriff was planning to take a trip to Florida Dec. 3, but his old trouble bothered him so much that he cancelled his tickets and decided upon an operation. He will probably take his projected trip to Florida as soon as his convalescence permits.

\$50,000 FIRE LOSS TO THREE FIRMS IN CAPITAL CITY

Special from United Press.) Hartford, Nov. 30.—The fire department today estimated at \$50,000 the loss to three business firms in last night's fire, at No. 61-63 Asylum street. The blaze started in the plant of the Eastern Paper Box Co. on the fourth floor. The Geely Clothing Co. and M. W. Pembers Sons, custom tailoring establishment, suffered from smoke and water.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

A marriage license returned from Enfield today shows that William E. Phelps, aged 31, and Miss Harriet P. Lynch, aged 23, daughter of John Lynch, both of this city were married in that town on November 25 by Rev. John M. Patterson.

DIED.
GAFFNEY.—In this city, Wednesday, Nov. 30th, 1910, John Gaffney.
—Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 294 Maplewood avenue, on Saturday, Dec. 3rd, 1910, at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Augustine's church at 9 o'clock a. m.
—Interment at St. Michael's cemetery, H 23 b.

FINN.—In this city, Nov. 29, 1910, Catherine, wife of Henry G. Finn.
—Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 41 Liberty street, on Thursday, Dec. 1st, at 1:00 o'clock p. m.
—Burial in St. Ignace, Conn.
—Kindly omit flowers. H 23 b p

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JACKSON'S BOOKSHOP, 986-988 MAIN STREET

Prosecution's Case Hit Hard By Judge Bond's Ruling Today

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In his opening address to the jury, on the grounds that the statement was not a "dying statement," in the legal sense. Today's decision bars from the evidence everything that Glover may have said implicating Hattie Le Blanc or indicating that he thought he was dying.

The court pointed out that the witness, called by the state to show that Glover knew his words were a dying statement, couldn't agree on many such points, mainly as to what occurred on the front porch of the private hospital after Glover had dragged himself there, by the aid of the nurse, Hattie Le Blanc, and that often persons who declare they are dying are not later borne out by the facts.

Judge Bond, "do the words, 'I'm dying' come to the lips of those who are ill. Such phrases are almost habitual with some sick persons," the judge said. "The evidence does not measure up to what is demanded of an incontrovertible dying statement. Through-out this case, Hattie Le Blanc set quietly. Two faint red spots of excitement appeared on her cheeks as the only physical sign that she understood the importance of the point had been won in her favor.

GARBAGE PROBLEM MAY BE SOLVED BY BOARD TONIGHT

At a meeting of the Board of Health to be held tonight it is probable that decisive steps may be taken to settle the garbage problem so far as the proposed Fischer contract is concerned.

A conference took place in the office of the city attorney, this morning, which was attended by City Attorney Thomas M. Cullinan, Dr. George E. Ober, president of the Board of Health and Mayor Buckingham.

It was agreed to confer this afternoon with Charles C. Fischer and his counsel, A. M. Marsh.

The Board of Health is very interested in protecting their property against garbage odors will be represented personally and by counsel. City Attorney Cullinan will prepare the contract which the Health Board will approve which will ensure a full measure of protection for the interests of the city and its citizens.

BLOCK AND TACKLE FAILS TO SAVE HORSE THAT FELL

Bringing into use the overhead iron-work of the new Congress street bridge to rig up a block and tackle, pedestrians on the structure aided Homer G. Foote, a baker of Seaview avenue, in hoisting to its feet a horse that had fallen on the ice-covered block pavement.

Hundreds of passersby on their way to work stopped to witness the unusual spectacle. When the animal reached its feet and was allowed to carry its own weight, it collapsed a second time. Then it was discovered that in its fall the animal had broken one of its fore legs.

Dr. R. D. Martin, the veterinarian, was summoned from Martin & Atkins' hospital, 115 Park street, and Mr. Foote secured a livery horse with which to complete his deliveries.

TINY CORPSE FOUND HIDDEN IN PAPERS

Stefan Bayas, a well known athlete of the Sokol society, discovered hidden in a market basket at the approach to the Arctic street bridge this afternoon the body of a baby.

The body was found in a paper bag, notified Medical Examiner Downs. The basket lay just north of the road near the culvert. The body was wrapped in rags and papers, but there was nothing about the wrappings to indicate the identity of the child, a superficial examination failed to disclose any marks of violence.

DANBURY BARS OUT THE CHINATOWN TRUNK MYSTERY PERFORMANCE

(Special from United Press.) Danbury, Nov. 30.—With the house sold out after a week's heavy advertising, the performance scheduled for tonight of "The Chinatown Trunk Mystery," a play founded on the Elsie Siegel and Leon Ling case, was prohibited by the police, today. The leading police officials construed the play as immoral and barred it, claiming it was "too lurid."

MYSTERY SURROUNDS DEATH OF WOODBURY YOUTH WHO SHOT HIMSELF

(Special from United Press.) Waterbury, Nov. 30.—Mystery surrounds the death of Frederick Cahill, of Woodbury, today, who shot himself, after an alleged reprimand from his father, yesterday. Another well supported rumor gave as the cause of the shooting, an unhappy love affair with a Litchfield county girl, living either in Bridgewater or New Milford. Young Cahill's mother is in a serious condition from grief.

JAIL INSPECTION TODAY

The County Commissioners, Whitman S. Meigs, Simon Pease and John Waterbury, Nov. 30.—Two hundred dollars was missed from the safe of E. M. Cookson & Company, grocers, of Waterville, today. Some one who knew the combination broke in during the night.

POICE FIND SMASHED SUIT CASE OF CARBLE

What may prove to be mute evidence of a robbery and perhaps a murder, was found today by the department today in the form of the mangled remains of a suit case and its contents discovered hidden in a hole in the ground, half a mile north of Fairchild's crossing and just east of the railroad tracks of the Berkshire division.

The case had been slashed open. Its lock was still intact, but its weather worn paste board side showed long gashes where its side had been laid open by some instrument. The scene of the discovery of the suit case is little more than a stone's throw from a hang-out of hoboes, writers were in December, 1909. Cronan believed the suit case may have been lying in the thicket since last December.

PROMOTION FOR SISTER LAURA

In recognition of the ability displayed by Sister Laura of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, both in the establishment and upbuilding of St. Vincent's hospital in this city and in the management of the St. Vincent's hospital in Baltimore, the Provincial of the Order has promoted her to the management of the St. Vincent's hospital and Infant Asylum in Detroit, Mich.

PROVINCIAL OF ORDER MAKES BELoved SISTER MANAGER OF HOUSE OF PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL, DETROIT.

Replying to your letter of the 25th inst., regarding the East Washington avenue bridge, beg to say that at the conference which we had with your representative, Mr. G. E. Verrill, our Mayor, Director of Public Works, chairman of our Paving Commission and myself, we simply discussed the situation pro and con after which we were able to get into communication with the engineer who had charge of construction of this bridge built in 1893, and after talking with him, all concluded that the present bridge would have to be replaced if an 18 ft. channel was dredged through this bridge. All of our discussions subsequent to that time have been having the replacing of this bridge in mind. Our Mayor, while not desirous of burdening the city with the amount required to build a new bridge, appreciates the situation, and will send a communication to our city council with reference to it at the next meeting which will be held December 5, 1910. Prior conversations with His Honor, Mayor Buckingham, regarding our local harbor have impressed on my mind the fact that he has in mind co-operating with the United States in every way possible regarding any improvements to our local harbor. After this report, above mentioned, has been submitted to the council, I shall forward it to you, if you so desire.

Very respectfully,
M. F. MCKENNA,
City Engineer.

RAKOCZY HALL DONATED FOR SCHOOL PLAY

Nearly 500 of the children of Bostwick street school will take part in an entertainment in Rakoczy hall, Bostwick avenue, Saturday afternoon, to raise funds to pay for a piano recently installed in the school.

The program is one of the most extensive that public school children of this city have ever attempted. The outcome will be an entertainment of a high class with interest, especially in the Hungarian section which contributes the majority of the pupils in the school.

In the direction of the teachers of the school the children have been rehearsing for many weeks. The program will include several novel features. The first number will be a salute to the flag, and then flag drills, scarf drills, dialogue, recitations, songs, dances and other features will be introduced.

Notable among the terpsichorean features will be several Hungarian dances. Among the pupils of the school are a number of children of Hungarian birth or parentage unusually proficient in the dances of their fatherland.

Invitations have been extended to the Board of Education and other City Officials. There are nearly 1,000 children of this school, and they are seeking to interest their parents and friends in the enterprise. From the interest displayed in the sale of tickets, it is expected that several hundred dollars will be realized.

The Rakoczy Hungarian Sick Benevolent society has donated the use of Rakoczy hall, and the hall is well and best equipped in the city, for the use of the children.

MUST CONNECT WITH SEWER

John Ryburn, trustee of an estate with property in Frank street lane, was ordered by the Board of Health at its meeting last night to appear at the next meeting of the board to explain why sewer connections had not been made on the property under his charge, in compliance with a previous order of the board.

Mr. Ryburn became trustee of the property after the Health board's first order had been issued, and according to the board, he is expected to appear at the next meeting of the board to explain why sewer connections had not been made on the property under his charge, in compliance with a previous order of the board.

BILTZ IN SOUTH

Charles F. A. Biltz, head of the Biltz Construction Co., of this city last night for Gulf Port, Miss., where he will bid for several contracts.

J. A. LEVERTY PRESIDENT OF STATE BOARDS

J. A. Leverty, of this city, president of the state pharmacy board and senior member of the firm of J. A. Leverty & Bro., was signally honored at a meeting of the New England boards of pharmacy commissioners, held at the Hotel Hamilton in Boston, Nov. 23 and 24.

The meeting of the New England group took place in Boston, Nov. 23 and 24. Mr. Leverty's election to the presidency of this important body is a great honor, and well deserved because of his experience and success in that line.

The board took a most important step in that it also means much to every licensed drug clerk, by voting to affiliate with the National association of pharmacy boards, reciprocating the exchange of licenses.

This means that there are now 13 states in which a drug clerk who secures a Connecticut license, is eligible to practice through it exchange privilege; also that the clerks of the 13 states are eligible to follow their calling in Connecticut through the same privilege.

The New England board also discussed a number of matters pertaining to pharmacy laws and adopted recommendations which will be laid before the legislatures of the several New England states.

CITY ENGINEER SENDS A REPLY TO COL. TAYLOR

That Lieut. Col. Harry Taylor of the War Department is thoroughly conversant with the situation relative to the dredging about the East Washington avenue bridge is apparent by the text of a letter which City Engineer Maurice F. McKenna sent to him on November 29. Col. Taylor knows that the city will not decide what it will do with the bridge until after the next meeting of the Commission.

In a letter which Col. Taylor wrote to the city engineer he stated that there was a great deal of wharf property lying undeveloped above the East Washington avenue bridge and that it was the duty of the city to take any interest in the development of the harbor to see that the harbor was dredged. As Col. Taylor published his letter to the city engineer the latter felt privileged today to divulge his correspondence to the army officer.

The letter follows:
Nov. 29, 1910.

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Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.
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HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main street, Fairfield avenue, and Cannon street

Bridgeport, Conn., The Weather—Uncertain, probably snow tonight and tomorrow.
Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1910.

Beaver and trimmed hats to go quick!

Two dollars is going to do the work of three dollars or more among the trimmed hats.

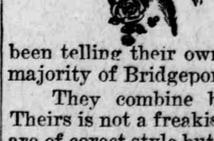
Five dollars is going to buy a beaver hat worth \$6.50 or \$7. Seven dollars is going to buy one worth \$9 or \$10.

There in few words is the story of a chance that is worth quick acceptance by women who know hat-beauty and hat-value.

There's little need of telling how good and how pretty Howland hats are. They've been telling their own story and telling it well. Great majority of Bridgeport women know it.

They combine beauty and taste and wearability. Theirs is not a freakish beauty or a stereotyped one. They are of correct style but they are adaptable; they fit faces as well as heads. And their regular prices are fair prices.

Now we cut those prices.



Trimmed hats, in large shapes and in medium and in small, in many colors and trimmed in many attractive ways, hats that have been \$10, \$12.50 and \$15, will be sold at

White beaver hats, graceful shapes and excellent quality, hats that have been \$9.50 and \$10, will be sold at

Black beaver hats, lustrous and of fine soft finish, graceful shapes; hats that have been \$6.50 and \$7, will be sold at

Second floor.

Children's nice books.

Entertaining stories. Good pictures. True pleasure.

These are bound between the covers of some of the nicest books for children that ever saw the light of day.

And children do so enjoy a story; particularly one with pictures that brighten it up.

From tiniest little tot to almost-grown-up boy or girl, there are books here to interest each one.

And right now is the best time to pick from them; now when the range is unbroken.

These illustrations are sign-boards pointing the way to a splendid holiday book-shop—

Sandman Rhymes—Bonte.—\$1.
Boys and Girls at Home.—\$1.
Zoo Babies—Farow.—85c.
The Discontented Stuffed Cat.—\$1.
The Animal Why—Pycraft.—\$2.
The Story of Hiawatha—Stokes.—\$2.
King Time—Fitzhugh.—\$1.
Fair Animals—Crawell.—\$1.75.
In the Fairy Ring—Harrison.—\$1.50.
The Children's Longfellow.—\$2.50.
Through the Looking Glass—Carroll.—\$1.15.
The Arabian Nights.—\$1.15.
Fairy Tales Children Love—Welsh.—\$1.15.
Poems Children Love—Cousen.—\$1.15.
The Little Colonel Books—Johnston.—\$1.15.
Five Little Pepper Books—Sidney.—\$1.
The Patty Books—Wells.—\$1.

Main floor, rear.

THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

SIX PETITIONERS FOR DIVORCE TO BE HEARD FRIDAY

There are six uncontested divorce cases on the short calendar list of the Superior court for hearing before Judge William H. Williams on Friday. Three of the petitioners are residents of this city.

Sadie J. Veeder Nichols of this city brings suit against her husband Frederick H. Nichols, also of this city, on the ground of infidelity, naming one Florence Chapman as co-respondent. The couple were married Oct. 10, 1905. Desertion May 27, 1907, is alleged by Lena Peterson Chase of this city in her suit against Ralph G. Chase, also of this city. Mrs. Chase dropped her maiden name on Jan. 22, 1904.

Intolerable cruelty and desertion since March 5, 1907, is the ground on which Ethel May Bartram Hammond of this city brings suit against her husband, James Hammond, also of this city. They became one Sept. 7, 1897.

Married March 2, 1906, and deserted three days later was the lot of Eunice S. Parkerton Murray of Norwalk. She brings suit against her husband, William Murray, now of parts unknown on those grounds.

Married May 18, 1873, the divorce court is now resorting to legal means to separate Dinah W. Dunn Smith of Norwalk from her husband, Robert H. Smith whom the wife alleges deserted her May 20, 1906.

Desertion is the ground on which Francis M. Holly of Norwalk brings suit against his wife Elizabeth Holly.

LIEBER-SPRUNG CAMPERS PLAN A BANQUET DEC. 12

Lehmann's shore house has been selected as the place for the holding of the first annual banquet of Camp Lieber-Sprung on the evening of December 15, at 7 o'clock. The principal speaker will be John E. Ashe of New York, who was one of the leading Democrats of New York State and a friend of President Cleveland when he was in the White House.

Mr. Ashe was chief inspector of the Postal Service under Cleveland and is now an inspector in the postal service in New York city. He has been an outdoor camper for 30 years in the Adirondack mountains. He is a graduate of Williams College and a member of the Phi Kappa Psi man and an eloquent speaker.

Another speaker will be Attorney William B. Byrne of New York, a former U. S. district attorney who came within three votes of being elected to the U. S. Senate from the State of Delaware.

BOUCHER RECEIVES LETTER

Davis & Davis, patent lawyers of Washington, D. C. have written to City Clerk Boucher asking for information concerning the widows or children of Charles Adams and Tyler Wakeman who died in 1862 while members of militia organizations. The letter states that the lawyers have a matter of interest to communicate to them. Further it states that both soldiers resided in or near Bridgeport.

Loiseno S. Jackson, 440 Center st., a letter carrier has reported to Town Clerk Thomas that he is the son of late Julia S. Jackson. He will write to Attorney E. M. Baker of Dallas, Texas. The attorney wrote to this city seeking to learn the name of heirs of Julia S. Jackson whose name appears on the land records of Texas. Mr. Jackson has a faint recollection of a purchase of real estate made by his mother years ago.