

DON'T PAY BIG PRICES FOR FISH
Thursday---SPECIALS---FRIDAY

FRESH CAUGHT FISH
Fresh Shore Haddock lb 5c
Steak Codfish... lb 12c
Steak Bluefish... lb 10c
Fresh Shad Herring lb 6c
Fresh Flounders lb 6c
Steak Salmon... lb 16c

OYSTERS, Solid Quarts qt 35

CURED FISH
Salt Cod Gems 3 lbs 25c
Smo. Bon. Herring lb 19c
Gold Seal Bloaters 2 for 5c
B&M Fish Flakes can 9c
Sea Shell Clams... can 9c

Fancy Norway Mackerel 6 for 23c

THE MOHICAN COMPANY

90-102 GOLDEN HILL STREET

BELIEVE NEGRO TRIED CHLOROFORM ON BILL'S SERVANT

What is believed to have been a daring attempt upon the part of a powerful colored thief to secrete himself in the house and by chloroforming the inmates, rob at his leisure was thwarted late last night by a servant in the household of Harold C. Bill, 555 Laurel avenue.

FOR SALE 10,000 CALIFORNIA PRIVIT JAMES HORAN & SON Florists

DIED. HORN—In this city, Wednesday, April 9th, 1913, Mary, beloved wife of Charles W. Horn.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, No. 113 Hiram street, on Wednesday, April 10th, at 2:30 a. m., and from St. Augustine's church at 9 o'clock.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery. U 9 b.

FAY—In this city, April 8, 1913, Joseph P., son of Patrick and Catherine Fay, aged 6 years, 5 months, 2 days.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of the parents, No. 49 West avenue, on Thursday, April 10, at 2:30 p. m.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery. U 9 b.

FINCH—Friends are invited to attend the funeral of Frank B. Finch from Funeral Chapel of H. A. Remington, 453 East Main street, on Thursday, April 10th, at 1:15 p. m.

Interment at New Haven, Conn. U 9 b.

DONAHUE—In New Haven, April 7, 1913, Walter, son of Thomas and Catherine Donahue, aged 25 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the undertaking parlors of Cullinan & Mullins, No. 364 Main street, on Thursday, April 10, at 2 p. m.

Interment at St. Thomas' cemetery, Fairfield, Conn. U 9 b.

SOUTHWORTH—In Waterbury, Apr. 4, Levi E. Southworth of Waterbury, aged 65 years.

MAXWELL—In Winsted, April 5, William Maxwell, aged 53 years.

FRANZ—In Winsted, April 6, Mrs. Ellen Franz.

TOUQUET—In Westport, April 4, Benjamin Touquet.

HARDY ROSE BUSHES SHRUBS AND VINES John Reck & Son Store: 968 MAIN STREET Greenhouses: Oak and Grand Streets

SPRING FLOWERS HAWKINS STRATFIELD BUILDING Monuments ARTISTIC—LASTING Plant operated by pneumatic cutting and polishing tools HUGHES & CHAPMAN 300 STRATFORD AVENUE Phone Connection R15 17

NEW FICTION FROM THE PENS OF LEADING WRITERS Splendid new books, too many to name, found at JACKSON'S BOOK SHOP, 986-988 MAIN STREET. 50 cent editions of books that formerly sold from \$1.25 to \$1.50 found here, and it will pay you to drop in and see the titles. Many very attractive ones indeed. Any book not in stock promptly secured.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Hearing on Open Week for Shooting Deer Is Ordered Next Tuesday

Governor Baldwin Signs Anti-Free Lunch Bill—Effective July 1

Hartford, April 9.—The proposal to have a week's shooting of deer in the fall will be debated in the House next Tuesday at noon, as the order of the day. The open season is favored by the committee and the bill is now before the House.

Gov. Baldwin today signed the law abolishing free lunch in saloons after July 1, next. He also signed 12 other special acts and three public acts. The House bill which was passed, yesterday, ratifying the constitutional amendment for the popular election of United States Senators, is being engrossed. The action of the legislature was reported to Washington by the secretary of state's office.

The Senate, by a party vote, the Democrats in favor today, adopted the resolution asking Congress to propose to the states an amendment to the constitution for the election of the President and the Vice-President by a direct vote of the people.

A favorable report was made for the amendment of the charter of the Bridgeport Trust Company. In the House, today, Speaker Webster called Mr. Thomas, of Waterbury, to the chair. When prayer was offered there were scarcely 100 members in attendance.

The Judiciary committee is favorably disposed toward a bill which provides that no person, firm, corporation or association or employe thereof, shall make any false statement in any advertisement in the newspapers or a circular or by card, concerning the nature, method of production or manufacture or cost of goods offered for sale. The penalty is fixed at not less than \$10 nor more than \$500 for violation.

The Cities and Boroughs committee will report adversely a bill offered by Representative Wilson to allow Bridgeport to manufacture and sell gas and electricity and to establish a municipal water plant.

The Excise committee has unanimously voted against limitation of saloons to one in a thousand inhabitants. It has not decided on the bill to permit hotels of 25 rooms capacity to sell liquor on Sunday to bona fide guests and it is likely a substitute bill will be reported covering this situation to some extent.

CONNECTICUT DELEGATION BUSY ON TARIFF

(Continued from Page One) the retirement of the aged and infirm civil-service employes of the government. From the general executive committee of the Railway Business Association, favoring the passage of legislation for the adoption of the National budget as a method of regulating the receipts and expenditures of the National Government.

MILLS NOT SLAYER OF PHILIP MASTRIANO

Police investigation into a current rumor that Edward Mills, formerly an inmate in the Bridgeport Orphan asylum had confessed to the murder of little Philip Matriano, reached headquarters today. His story was shown to be one of a much disordered brain. Some weeks ago, such a report, emanating from a New York newspaper's Lodging House, reached headquarters and Detective Sergeant Edward Cronin was sent to that city. Mills made many statements, among them the one which became broadly bruited about. His story was shown to be one of a much disordered brain.

HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, and Cannon Street. Bridgeport, Conn., The Weather—Fair, cloudiness, to night; showers, warmer, tomorrow Wednesday, April 9, 1913.

Women's shoe news of paying sort.

The woman who reads this news and then acts upon it, will be rewarded. There are often rewards for promptness. This is such a time.

Low shoes for Spring wear. Button style, and two-strap pumps, and oxford ties. Excellent grades of kid-skin and calfskin and patent leather. Stylish high Cuban heel or comfortable low heel.

Nearly all in shapes that are new this season. Leather and style and shoe-making that we are glad to see put into shoes to sell at \$3—and that women will discover is not usual.

Please note that the store does not call these \$3.50 or \$4 shoes. Calling them such, would not make them such. But they are shoes that a woman can well make sure to buy at \$3; that are very worth buying at that price.

Limited and attractive lot of boudoir slippers. Hand turned soles of light weight and very flexible. Pink blue lavender red brown and black.— And a lot of metal buckles for pumps or slippers, several designs, in good taste.

Main floor, rear.

For lively little feet: back-to-nature shoes.

Every mother knows that it does her boys and girls good to play barefooted in the sand at the shore. It gives the foot chance to breathe, to exercise, to gain muscular power. That is getting back to nature; no doubt of it.

Here are new shoes for boys and girls that get close to the natural conditions as one can. They are made from a soft plump pliable leather and made on a model that allows the foot to assume its natural position. The toes can "wiggle," the whole foot is given freedom. That leather is treated by a special process that makes it unusually tough, the shoes (soles and all) will wear almost twice as long as ordinary sort.

For wear from now all through the summer, here are shoes of unusual merit.

Black button or tan blucher, very-good play shoes and good enough in every way for school wear:— Sizes 6 to 8,—\$2. Sizes 8 1/2 to 11,—\$2.25.

Main floor, rear.

Touch of difference marks hand embroidery.

Whether it is the dainty towel that one places in the guest-room or the collar and cuffs upon one's own waist, hand embroidery confers a touch of distinction. It is worth all the time and effort that one puts into it. Yes, it is even worth more — for to be individual is always worth more than it costs.

Shirt-waist patterns stamped on fine lawn and to be done with such combination of colors as one personally prefers. Unique in design, essentially Bulgarian, very attractive. With each one a paper pattern for making. Styles open either in front or back,—50c.

Attractive stamped collars, as well suited for waists as for coats,—25c and 35c.

Towels in guest and in regular size, stamped in unique little patterns to be done in solid work or in darning stitches,—39c to 75c.

Bureau scarfs and pin-cushions of huckabuck. Planned with hemstitched ends and stamped with designs to be darned in colors. Unique and very attractive. Pin-cushions, 25c; scarfs, \$1.

Third floor.

THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

RUTHERFORD TRIAL FRIDAY EVENING

Trial before the Fire Commissioners upon charges of having failed to respond to an alarm and being absent without permission of Capt. Geo. Rutherford, now under suspension, has been set for Friday night at 8 o'clock.

SHIRNERS INITIATE 50 BEFORE RECORD AUDIENCE

Before a record audience in Eagle's hall last night fifty novices were initiated into the mysteries of the Mystic Shrine under the direction of Geo. E. Crawford, illustrious potentate of Pyramid Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. Special degree work was exemplified by the Arab Patrol and an elaborate drill were among the features of the evening. Many illustrious guests of the order were present for the occasion.

BLAZE AT LEATHER FACTORY.

A small blaze about the smoke-stack of the Bridgeport Patent Leather company, caused a still alarm of fire to be transmitted from police headquarters and the calling out of three companies by Chief Mooney as a precaution against spread of the flames. But slight damage was done to a shed covering the ash-pit.

CHARLES COBURN DEAD

Hartford, April 9.—Charles Coburn, one of the oldest merchants of the city, died, today. He was born in Bernardston, Mass., in 1822.

Farmer Want Ads 1c a word

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A de luxe silk just arrived.

Moire crepe, which has just come hurrying in, is truly a de luxe silk for summer gowns. That woman who seeks a fabric that will be marked by richness and distinction and quiet beauty will be immediately and deeply interested in it.

Soft and fine of quality, it is a crepe of special goodness. It is marked by moire design of just right proportions; has no touch of ostentation but is richly beautiful.

In handsome hues of brown and blue, 40 inches wide,— \$3 yd.

Sanitary styleful low-priced hair goods.

There is no need to pay high price for correct and dependable hair goods.

They are to be had here at fair cost. Every article is sold with the distinct understanding that is properly made, of dependable material, is worthy of use by particular people. And that means much, for one cannot be a whit too careful of what is used in dressing one's hair.

Switches in all the liked shades and for securing latest effects:— 20-inch—85c 22-inch—\$1.25 24-inch—\$1.95

Transformations of fine wavy hair,—\$1.25. Single psyche puffs, nice wavy hair,—85c. 24-inch hair rolls.—39c.

Third floor.

THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

NO ARRESTS MADE FOR BOMB OUTRAGE

While continued activity is noted upon the part of the state and local police with a view towards discovering the perpetrator of the recent Water street bomb outrage, little of importance has been made public.

Following a conference between State Detectives Flynn and Virelli, and Capt. Arnold, Alexander Montgomery, a resident of Philadelphia, but more recently living in the Water street district was brought to police headquarters to repeat the statements he had made to the officers on the night of the explosion.

He was immediately permitted to depart and it was said this morning that he had not been able to throw any further light upon those who are believed to have placed the explosive. Montgomery was one of those who

HARTFORD PAINTERS ON STRIKE

Hartford, April 9.—About 100 journeymen painters are on strike in this city and are receiving weekly benefits of \$5 and \$7 a week. It is said the union has a membership of 424. The striking men ask a raise in wages to 50 cents an hour. They have been receiving 45 1/2 cents.

GIRL WAITERS MAY BALK AT STRIKE BREAKERS

Boston, April 9.—The waiters' union local 80 will meet at 4 o'clock, this afternoon, to determine whether any of its 750 members shall serve the "strike breaking" telephone girls who are stopping at the Back Bay Hotel.

HELEN KELLER, THE WONDERFUL, AMAZES ALL BY MARVELOUS SENSE OF TOUCH AND MASTERY OF SPEECH



New York, April 9.—Miss Helen Adams Keller, who has astonished the world by mastering the art of speech despite the fact that she was born dumb as well as deaf and blind, visited a flower show the other day and amazed every one except her teacher, Mrs. John Macy, by picking out various kinds of flowers and telling exactly what they were without a mistake. She did this by her wonderful sense of touch. She loves flowers, although she has never seen one. She has made a study of them. This picture was taken as she held a beautiful bouquet of roses presented to her. Miss Keller is devoting her time and talents to lecturing for the benefit of the blind.