

ROGERS CLOTHES

Men! We Are Selling \$18 & \$20 Suits and Overcoats This Week



SPECIAL
\$12.50
and
\$15.00

We don't care where you go or what bargains are offered you elsewhere, we KNOW we can give you most for your money.

In the first place we are selling clothing one-third to one-fourth less than other stores. This is due simply and solely to the fact that we MAKE OUR OWN CLOTHING AND SAVE YOU ALL MIDDLE OR EXTRA PROFITS.

Now on top of this saving, we've cut the prices on all \$18-\$20 suits to \$12.50 and \$15.00 because we must positively reduce our stock.

These Suits and Overcoats are all wool, hand tailored, guaranteed satin sleeve lining and are positively made to sell in our stores at \$18 and \$20.

"The Home of Rogers Clothes"
951 MAIN STREET

LABORER'S FOOT AMPUTATED.—Michael Farrell, a laborer, employed at the Whiting street freight house of the New Haven road, had the great toe of his left foot so badly crushed while at work today as to necessitate amputation at St. Vincent's hospital. With three others he was using a crowbar to get a block of granite on

truck. The crowbar slipped and fell on his foot. The result was a genuine call for the emergency hospital ambulance, past calls having generally been for minor injuries.

Montclair, N. J., Dec. 12—Class in eugenics and sex hygiene to begin at Unity Church in January.

Newton, N. J., Dec. 12—Dr. Harvey H. McCloughan paid \$1,800 fine for mal-practice and was removed to sanitarium.

Newton, N. J., Dec. 12—John Williams and Stephen Ham, Jr., pay \$100 fines each, for dynamiting Culver's Lake.

POOR HEN BLAMED FOR EGG SHORTAGE

Washington, Dec. 12—Attorney-General McReynolds' investigators have decided there is no nation-wide cold-storage trust—that there are some local combines which can be reached only by doing interstate business, and that the hen is really much to blame for high prices.

Dr. Mary E. Pennington of the Department of Agriculture, told the House Committee on Agriculture yesterday frozen and dried eggs were just as nourishing as the fresh.

HALF MILLION IS LOST IN COHOES CONFLAGRATION

Cohoes, N. Y., Dec. 12—Fire which broke out in the heart of this city's business section today was not subdued until a dozen buildings and manufacturing plants had been destroyed. The damage approximated half a million dollars.

The fire started in the Parsons Knitting Mills at Factory and Remsen streets and within two hours had swept a block west to the barge canal. Troy firemen responded to an appeal for help.

FOREST GRAZING WILL HELP MEAT SUPPLY

Washington, Dec. 12—Hope for the future meat supply of the country is held out in the annual report of Henry S. Graves, chief of the United States forestry service, made public today.

Mr. Graves declares that the national forests under his supervision furnish abundant forage supplies. The forage resources of the national forests, the report continues, contribute to the maintenance of more than twenty million head of livestock.

The receipts from grazing, while second to those from timbering last year were more than \$1,000,000 and showed an increase over the previous year. Over 4 per cent. more stock was grazed because of increased forage facilities.

UNCOLLECTED GARBAGE.

Complaints were received at the Department of Health offices yesterday alleging uncollected garbage at 330 John street and a dead dog under the stoop of a house at 300 Atlantic street.

WANTED ON "WHITE SLAVE" CHARGE.

Tommas Crisculo, 24 years old, a shop worker and wanted by the New Haven authorities on a "white slave" charge, was taken to that city today. He was arrested on Water street, yesterday, by Detective Luke Petruschell of police headquarters.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS WILL ASK FOR \$9,289

The registrars of voters will ask the board of apportionment to allow them \$9,289 for the conduct of their office during 1914. The appropriation asked for this year is an increase of \$325 over that of last year to provide \$150 for a modern index filing cabinet and \$165 for extra clerk hire.

NON SUPPORT CASE DELAYED FOR INQUIRY

Charged by his wife, Maria, with non support, James Slamin of 922 Broad street was arraigned before Judge Thomas C. Coughlin in city court today, and the date of hearing continued until Dec. 19 to allow an investigation by Probation Officer C. W. Simpson. Slamin alleges that his wife does not merit support on the ground that she is not in good health and is in the habit of frequenting the rear rooms of saloons and drinking. He makes the plea that their seven-year-old daughter be taken away from the mother and placed in a good home. His weekly wages are given as \$10.50.

CHARGES AGAINST SPECIAL POLICE TO BE CONSIDERED

A meeting of the Police Board has been called for 7 o'clock tomorrow night, instead of Monday night. A report is expected from the committee on discipline concerning investigation of charges filed by Superintendent of Police Eugene Birmingham against Special Policemen Charles Murphy and Harris Rahm. It is alleged that they did not properly while on duty at a dance in Eagles' hall. There will also be a consideration of the annual requisition. Intimation is made that the matter of securing a new patrol wagon or having the present one thoroughly overhauled will be taken up.

THE WEATHER FORECAST

General.
There is a slight disturbance central over the northern portion of the lake region but pleasant weather prevails generally in all districts east of the Rocky Mountains. Very little rain has fallen during the last 24 hours. The lowest temperatures are in New England. Northfield, Vt., reported 2 degrees below zero. There has been quite a decided rise in temperature in the Mississippi valley.

Forecast: Fair tonight and probably fair Saturday, slowly rising temperature.

Connecticut: Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer. Moderate to brisk west and southwest winds.
Automobile drivers should light their lamps at 4:54 tonight.

Sun rises tomorrow 7:10 a. m.
Sun sets today 4:24 p. m.
High water 10:14 p. m.
Moon rises 4:03 p. m.
Low water 3:55 a. m.

THE PRETTIEST FACE

and the most beautiful hands are often disfigured by an unsightly wart. It can easily be removed in a few days without pain by using "Cure Wart Remover." For sale only at The Cyrus Pharmacy, 253 Fairfield avenue and 186 Cannon street.

CLEANEASY, BEST HAND SOAP

Guaranteed not to injure the skin, instantly removes Stove Polish, Rust, Grease, Ink, Faint and Dirt. For the hand or clothing, large 19 cents. Manufactured by Wm. R. Winn, 244 Stratford avenue.

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Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, 22d Cannon Street.

Bridgeport, Conn.
Thursday, Dec. 11, 1913.

The Weather:—Fair, cooler to night.

Our best in merchandise and service, good dependable and appropriate merchandise coupled with whole-hearted cheerful service, is placed at disposal of all Bridgeport.



A store, a right sort of store, must above all else be in tune with the occasion.

Christmas, a time of good cheer and of placing others first in all our thoughts and actions, is essentially a season for the right sort of store to show its worth.

A store must be ready with abundant supply of the articles that people naturally seek for the giving which true Christmas spirit impels. A store must be ready to do even better than its best. Its motto must be "We serve faithfully and cheerfully."

As fully as we can, this is the spirit and motto of the Howland store at all times. It is especially the ruling motive and the attitude of the store at this holiday season.

He who serves best, serves with good cheer. The man who brings good gifts but brings them with a sour face, robs them of one-half their charm. The store that offers good merchandise but does not accompany that merchandise with a smiling service and a cheery welcome, robs its service to its clients of one-half its worth.

The Howland Christmas store is through-and-through a store of cheerful help to hurried and to critical shoppers.

Make full use of its facilities. Call on every member of its staff for help. Choose liberally from its merchandise.

Those facilities and that staff of workers and that big collection of merchandise are all here just for your service.

THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

CHILD WITH STICK

ALMOST BLINDS WOMAN

Mrs. H. Johnson of 494 Atlantic street narrowly escaped the loss of her right eye this morning, a silver entering the eyeball and being extracted with difficulty by Dr. William H. Carley at the emergency hospital. The trouble was caused when a child struck at her with a stick.

TUBERCULAR PATIENTS.

Three city tubercular patients were taken to the state sanitarium at Shelton today by Investigator Alexander F. Morrissey of the Department of Charities today and the same number yesterday afternoon.

Irvington, N. Y., Dec. 12—M. S. Beitzhoefer, millionaire and president of village, appointed sheriff's deputy.

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REGULAR \$12 TO \$15 VALUES AT **\$5.98**

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Large Assortment of Sizes

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A Fool There Was By Porter Emerson Browne
Tarry Thou Till I Come By George Croly
Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm By Kate Douglas Wiggin
Lewis Rand By Mary Johnston
The Clansman By Thomas Dixon, Jr.
The Leopard's Spots By Thomas Dixon, Jr.
Rebecca Mary By Annie Hamilton Donnell
The Lantern of Luck By Hudson Douglas
Secret Service By William Gillette
Potash and Perlmutter By Montague Glass
His Hour By Elinor Glyn
Katrine By Elinor Macartney Lane
Together By Robert Herrick
Freckles By Gene Stratton Porter
The Inner Shrine
The Shuttle By Frances Hodgson Burnett
A Modern Chronicle By Winston Churchill
Joyce of the North Woods By Harriet T. Comstock
A Girl of the Limberlost By Gene Stratton Porter
The Master's Violin By Myrtle Reed
Keziah Coffin By Joseph C. Lincoln
Ben Hur By Lew Wallace
The Iron Woman By Margaret Deland
The Ne'er Do Well By Rex Beach
The Money Moon By Jeffery Farnol
Flamsted Quarries By Mary E. Waller
The Winning of Barbara Worth By Harold Bell Wright
Officer 666 By Barton Currie & Augustin
Awakening of Helena Richie By Margaret Deland, (McHugh)
As The Sparks Fly Upward By Cyrus Townsend Brady

Specials for Saturday at 1-2 Price

We are closing out our stock of games (with the exception of a few card games). Such games as Fish Pond, Authors, Peter Cuddles Trip to New York, etc., are all to be closed out at

HALF PRICE

Christmas Decorations consisting of handsome bells and garlands to be closed out at HALF REGULAR PRICE

Children's books, one table of books for children to be closed out at HALF PRICE

Box Paper, about fifty boxes of fine stationery that the boxes have become somewhat soiled to be closed out at

HALF PRICE

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