

BRILL BROTHERS OPEN NINTH STORE HERE

Next Saturday, Brill Brothers, the clothiers who now operate six stores in New York, one in Brooklyn and one in Newark, N. J., will open their ninth store in Bridgeport.

AUTO IS BURNED

Catching fire in some unknown manner, the automobile of Attorney C. S. Cantley was damaged yesterday afternoon as it stood in front of the Cantley residence at 798 Park avenue.

AMENDS CERTIFICATE

The Rivercliff Development Co. of Bridgeport has filed a certificate for amendment of its certificate of incorporation before the organization, indicating that it is to begin business with \$10,000 instead of \$50,000.

WINING—QUINN

Mrs. Thomas R. Quinn of 779 East Main street announces the marriage of her daughter, Irene Veronica Quinn to Arthur S. Wining of New Britain. The marriage occurred April 25. Mr. and Mrs. Monahan attended the couple.

GORDON ON VACATION

Superintendent Spencer R. Gordon of the chiefest department, started on his annual vacation today. He will spend the time in Erie, Pa. During his absence, the department affairs will be in charge of Inspector Alexander Morrissey.

A second Canadian war loan, probably for \$150,000,000 will be announced soon.

FOR LOSS OF APPETITE

Horsford's Acid Phosphate For diminishing vitality or depression. A wholesome tonic; refreshing and invigorating.

DEED

BULKLEY—In this city, Friday, June 30, 1916, Mary E. widow of Gershon B. Bulkley, aged 88 years, 10 months.

MOORE—In this city, Thursday, June 29, 1916, Mary Esther, beloved daughter of George and Mary S. Moore, aged 1 year, 7 days.

HEALEY—In this city, June 29, 1916, Michael Healey. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Nellie E. Birk, 539 East Main street on Saturday, July 1, at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Charles church at 9 a. m.

GAFNEY—In this city, Wednesday, June 28, 1916, Catherine Cecilia, beloved daughter of Clarence B. and Catherine Gafney, aged 8 years, 6 months, 12 days.

SHARON—In this city, June 29, 1916, Theresia, daughter of the late William and Nellie Gormley Sharon, aged 27 years, 5 months, 6 days.

FOR SALE WITH RENT—Fully furnished flat, all improvements. Address W. W. Care of Farmer. D 30 b*

WANTED—Rooms and board for colored men. Address P. O. Box 293, Bridgeport. D 30 d*

BUFF LEHIGH CHICKS 8 cents each; Banded Rock 10 cents. Maschort, Fairfield, five minutes walk north from Church corner. D 30 b*

LOST—Tuesday afternoon between Read's and Dorson's stores, ladies gold watch and chain. Finder return to 7 Armstrong Place. Reward. a*

\$1,000 CASH BUYS a brand new 15 room 2 family house, all modern improvements, in a good residential section, large lot room for driveway; ready to move in. For further particulars, call, write or phone L. Wells, 1438 Main St., Tel. 2743-3. D 30 *f

WE HAVE OPENINGS for five A-1 toolmakers in our experimental department. Excellent surroundings, steady work, no labor troubles or war orders. Location central Connecticut. State in first reply, wages expected, married or single, length of time in present position. Applications confidential. No ramblers or agitators need apply. Drawer 1385, Hartford, Conn. D 30 b*

NOTICE Special meeting of Bricklayers and Masons and Plasterers will be held Saturday evening, July 1st. Business of importance. Jas Fitzpatrick, Pres., Frank Mischler, Secy.

SPECIAL MEETING

Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, Odd Fellows' Hall, 1087 Broad street, special meeting Corset Workers' Local No. 23. Officers will be elected. Every member requested to be present. a*

HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, and Cannon Street.

Bridgeport, Conn., Friday, June 30.

Forecast: Fair tonight, Saturday partly cloudy.

Gay colors; pretty hats.

Are not the prettiest hats of the day those with the gayest colors?

Who doesn't admire the pinks? and the plaids? and the bright blues?

Who could fail to like the hats with brilliant flowers? or with ribbon showing rich and glowing hues?

Each day sees more of these gay and pleasing and stylish hats come from our workers' clever fingers. The gathering presents some new and charming members every day.

New panamas are trimmed with unique ornaments, with wide puggarees of many-hued ribbon,—in a dozen-and-one styles that vie with one another for favor. \$2.50 to \$7.50

Leghorn hats are, many of them, dignified and beautified by crowns or even entire tops of velvet and French or Georgette crepe in color that gives wonderful beauty. \$5 to \$15.

Large hats with their distinctive grace show many colors—and those colors gain in richness by the trimming of hackle in pure white which is so often combined with them. \$5 and up.

Second floor.

Striped stockings!

Vogue of stripes extends to silk stockings.

Remarkably handsome and rich they are!

Stripes in any number of combinations! And in a great many different widths. Truly handsome and novel—\$1.50.

Silk stockings in plain colors have top and foot of lisle. They will wear all the longer, because of this. Delightful shades and rich in luster—50c and \$1.

Fancy socks for children are either plain white or have handsome colored tops. Gratefully cool as well as attractive,—15c and 25c.

Fine light gloves of white silk.

With all their fineness and lightness, these gloves will give a good amount of service.

For they are firmly woven and carefully made—and all have double-tip fingers which do not soon wear through!

Regulation short style,—60c.

Milanese, short model, black embroidery on backs,—\$1.

Pure white, 16 button length,—65c and 85c.

Stouter short gloves of white doeskin may be washed as easily as silk—and will retain their soft finish and good appearance. Special summer weight,—\$1.10.

Center aisle, rear.

New 'kerchiefs.

Summary sort is made with colored decoration in corner or colored border. Tasteful and dainty and new. 12 1/2c and 25c.

Sheer fine 'kerchiefs have lace edge—25c and 50c.

Plain sheer linen handkerchiefs with a cool air—12 1/2c and 25c.

Men's excellent linen handkerchiefs are of generous size at 12 1/2c and 25c.

For man who wants to cut a dash—silk, either pure white or with snappy colored border—50c.

Center aisle, rear.

Vacationers will find these very useful

Either made of leather or contained in leather cases, here are usefuls that will show their worth time and again during vacation days.

- Pocket combs—25c. Drinking cups—25c and 35c. Thermos cups—\$1. Thermos bottles—\$1 to \$4.50. Medicine kits—50c and \$1. Toilet sets—\$1 to \$20. Laundry kits—25c to 50c. Tobacco pouches—50c and \$1. Military brushes—\$1 to \$5. Manicure sets—25c to \$5. Bracelets for watches—25c and 50c. Whisk brooms—25c and 50c. Garment hangers—25c and 50c. Clothes brushes—50c and \$1. Golf scores—25c. Collar bags—\$1 to \$2.50.

Left aisle, front.

A table for veranda

'Tis strongly built but light.

When not in use, it may be folded up and put away in small space.

Equally nice for an afternoon game of cards or for serving a bit of luncheon. \$2.25.

Third floor.

These add beauty to dress or suit

Frill collars of crepe or net or chiffon—beautiful—\$1.50 and \$2.50.

Voile collars with embroidered frills—50c.

Collar-and-cuff sets of organdy and crepe and voile and chiffon, pure white or delicate colors,—50c to \$1.50.

Collars of lawn organdy and Georgette crepe are finished with embroidery and Venise edge—25c and 50c.

Pique collars of novel shape are plain or embroidered—25c and 50c.

New string ties of crepe de chine glow with all the Summer's beautiful tints—25c.

Handsome new lace veils add charm to headgear; some are of rich fancy pattern,—75c to \$1.50.

Just inside Main street door.

HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

MILLION DOLLAR DROP IN CAPITAL STOCK OF PARK CITY CORPORATION

The Buhl-Kimberly Corporation of this city has filed a certificate with the secretary of the state showing a reduction of its capital stock from \$1,250,000 to \$125,000. The par value of the shares was reduced from \$150 to \$5 a share. The number of shares remains the same, 2,500.

ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

William McMahon of Madison avenue, was arrested this morning by Detective John Gerrity for the Southport authorities. He is charged with the theft of a suit case, razor and overcoat from Howard Hull of Southport for whom he worked.

The new 3d, heavy artillery regiment, formed from the 65th Infantry of Buffalo, will be equipped with 24 4.7 inch guns.

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Early closing.

Beginning with 1902, this store has shortened the shopping day through the period of really-hot weather. It will do the same thing this year.

From Fourth of July to Labor Day the closing-hour will be 5 o'clock each business day except Saturday. Saturday it will continue to be 9 o'clock.

We are glad to see how the sentiment in favor of this shorter day has grown during the years. Now it is well-nigh general. Store folks appreciate the shorter day. It works no inconvenience to shoppers—for they have learned by experience that the morning hours are the cooler and that shopping can be done in greater comfort then. It is a good thing for everybody.

Careful consideration has made us certain that the store service is not impaired by it; that our schedule of hours meets the needs of our clients.

That is the real test of any move the store considers. Each plan must be decided with first consideration given to the service and the convenience of the people who support the store.

It may interest our friends to learn that this shorter working-week will make no difference in the store's attitude towards the members of its force who are on duty Saturday night. We shall continue to pay each of them an extra half-day's pay for that one evening's service to us and to you:

The people of Bridgeport have it in their power to make the shorter Summer work-day a success. They can do it by doing all their shopping within these hours:— 8:30 to 5, Saturdays 8:30 to 9 P. M.

Special crackers for Holiday

To add zest and variety to the lunch of "The Fourth"—some delicious crackers at a special price.

Johnson's Educator crackers in 10 of the new fancy varieties, pound carton freshly packed right here at the store, usually sold at 35c—29c

Educator Kremox, the new toothsome cream-filled wafer, usually 10c package—limit of 4 packages at 7 1/2c

These to be sold Saturday and Monday only. None delivered.

Front basement.

Easy & handsome old-style hammocks

Good many features commend the old-style woven hammock.

It may be swung where there is no room for couch hammock.

Hanging under a tree, it is as cool as though one reclined beneath an electric fan. It adjusts itself to every curve of the body, whether one sits or lies.

Now ready in many patterns and colors—\$1.50 to \$4.50.

Especially strong canvas hammocks with stretchers—\$1.75.

Third floor.

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OBITUARY

RHUWAMAH VINCENT. The funeral of Rhuwamah, widow of Herbert Vincent, will be held privately from her late home, 414 John street this evening. Rev. John McL. Richardson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will conduct the services. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery.

ALICE D. HAYES.

The funeral of Mrs. Alice D. Hayes, who died from injuries received when she was struck by a truck Wednesday morning, was held from the mortuary chapel of Henry E. Bishop at 2:30 this afternoon. Rev. W. H. Jepson, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church, conducted the services. Burial was in Lakeview cemetery.

OSCAR M'CAULEY.

Oscar M'Cauley, a carpenter employed by George B. Clark & Co., furniture dealer, is dead at the Bridgeport hospital last night after a short illness with lobar pneumonia. Mr. M'Cauley, who resided at 245 Gilbert street, was born in Canada, 56 years ago. He is survived by a brother, George M'Cauley, of Concord, Mass.

JEREMIAH O'LEARY.

The funeral of Jeremiah O'Leary of New York was largely attended this morning from the undertaking parlors of Cullinan & Mullins at 9:30 and from Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock where Rev. Thomas J. Mooney sang the mass of requiem. The bearers: Michael Granville, John Moran, John and Patrick O'Leary, and Daniel and Michael Splian.

CATHERINE BOYNTON.

The funeral of Catherine, the four-year-old daughter of Fred E. and Mary Boynton, was held from the home of her parents, 45 Smith avenue, at 2:30 yesterday afternoon. Rev. Matthew Judge of Sacred Heart church read the services. The bearers: William and Edward Dean, John O'Neil and Henry Haywood. Burial was in St. Michael's cemetery.

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Emma Irene Barnes, a descendant of several of the oldest families of

MARY E. BULKLEY.

Mary E. Griffith, widow of Gershon B. Bulkley, a resident of the North End for 79 years, died this morning at the home of her grandson, Franklyn J. Bulkley, 1689 Main street. Mrs. Bulkley was born in Danbury, 88 years ago, but removed to this city when 9 years old. She was the daughter of Sears and Harriet Crofut Griffith. Her husband died 16 years ago. Mrs. Bulkley was a member of the Olivet Congregational church. She is survived by two sons, Policeman Edwin A. Bulkley and Charles E. Bulkley and her grandson.

ROSA J. QUESSEY.

The funeral of Rosa J. Quessey was held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Frank X. Berger, 1923 Park avenue, at 8:30 o'clock this morning, and from St. Patrick's church one half hour later, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. John C. Lynch. There was a large attendance of sorrowing relatives and friends and the floral offerings were numerous and appropriate. The bearers were: Emil Berger, Howard D. Bogue, Julius Berger, Joseph Harrington, Fred Berger and John Harrington. Interment was in the family plot at St. Michael's cemetery.

MICHAEL HEALEY.

The many friends of Michael Healey will be greatly grieved to learn of his death which occurred at the Bridgeport hospital late yesterday afternoon, after a brief illness. The deceased had been an employee of the city and was one of the older residents of the city. He formerly resided at 486 Ogden street, this city. Besides his widow, Elmer Healey, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George S. Baker and Mrs. John Birk, both of this city; also several relatives in Worcester, Mass. His funeral will be held from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. George S. Baker, 589 East Main street, Saturday morning, and from St. Charles' church. Interment will be in St. Michael's cemetery.

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A cracker for the 4th.

Here is suit for the man who wants something extra for occasions such as the Fourth.

A trim double-breasted sack suit of summer blue flannel. With coat excellently tailored; with trousers cut on the latest lines.

And with an additional pair of trousers for wear on special occasions; these of white flannel marked by goodness of quality and expert tailoring.

Might well call this a man's Double-Service suit—for 'twill serve two purposes equally well: is a playtime suit and a worktime suit combined.

The entire combination, coat and both pairs of trousers,— \$16.

Main floor, rear.

Outfittings for the 4th.

No delay! Quick service! Choice from a great big splendid lot of furnishings!

White negligé shirts of notable light weight—\$1 and \$1.50.

Pure white negligé shirts with soft attached collar, very light and clever,—\$1 and \$1.50.

Sport shirts with the newest low collar and short sleeves,—\$1.50.

Silk socks in rich colors and in white as well as black—quite the finest for wear with low shoes,—50c to \$1.

Beautiful new light-colored four-in-hand ties of silk and cotton interwoven. Clever of effect, thoroughly washable,—50c.

Right of Main street door.

Shoes for a man-- \$4.

- \$4 shoes of good stuff. \$4 shoes built well. \$4 shoes with style. \$4 shoes with wear.

They're worth a man's money.

- Black Vici oxford, English last Black calf blucher oxford. Black calf, English last. White buck, rubber sole. White canvas, leather sole. Rubber-sole white buck, English high last. Black Vici blucher oxford, broad toe High-toed black blucher oxford. White buck, leather sole. White canvas, rubber sole. White buck, high lace, English last.

Near Fairfield avenue door.

Blow the Man Down!

A story by Holman Day—\$1.35.

The quaint and strange people of the Maine coast lend a rare humor to this story of that coast and of the sea. It is fresh in setting and atmosphere, it has romance and love,—and the action and spirit of the sea give it strong appeal. Now ready— \$1.35

Main floor, rear.

HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

Connecticut, died this morning at her home, 525 Seaview avenue, aged 71 years. Miss Barnes was born in Plainville, the daughter of William Baldwin and Irene Smith Barnes. She resided for a great many years in Meriden, where her father was a deacon of the Universalist church. Although she was born in a different part of the state, 22 of the names of early residents inscribed on the bridge at Milford were Miss Barnes' ancestors. She was a descendant of Thomas Hooker and connected with the Platt, Miles, Buckingham and Baldwin families and many others prominent in Connecticut history. She resided in this city about 15 years. While never a very strong woman, she had been in actual ill health only about three months. She is survived by a brother, William A. Barnes, two nieces, Mrs. F. O. Snow and Miss Eva L. Barnes; also two grand nephews, William O. and Sherman A. Snow. The body will be taken to Meriden for burial.

EX-SENATOR WHITCOMB HAS TWO SONS IN U. S. SERVICE DURING CRISIS

The family of former State Senator Joseph H. Whitcomb is well represented in the ranks of the men who have been called to defend the country. If need be, in the threatened fight with Mexico. Two of Mr. Whitcomb's sons are with the United States forces. Frank J. Whitcomb, who graduated from Yale University in 1910 and from the Law School in 1912, is a member of the Seventh regiment, Company K, which has left New York for Brownsville, Tex. Mr. Whitcomb has an office at 64 Wall street, which he has vacated while Uncle Sam needs his aid. Joseph H. Whitcomb, Jr., is in the United States marine service, on the Pacific coast. Both young men are well known in Bridgeport and have numerous friends, who will follow the movements of their companies with interest.

HALL VICTIM OF FIRST ACCIDENT AT SEASIDE

The first bathing accident of the season at any of the nearby bathing beaches occurred this morning at Seaside park when Harvey Hall of 473 Noble avenue, took a dive into shallow water and struck a rock with his head. A laceration that took five stitches to close at the emergency hospital was opened in Hall's head. He was assisted from the water by other bathers and a call for the emergency ambulance was sent from the public bath house. Dr. Edward W. Paine took the youth to the hospital and dressed the wound. He went home with a friend.

The bodies of eight dead American soldiers were brought to Columbus, N. M., from the lines in Mexico.

ADVERTISE IN THE FARMER.