Warm Materials for the Frosty Nights

Once more "Jack Frost" is about upon us and we all are thinking more every day about our bed clothing and night wear garments. Our line is at its best and quality that will surely please you. Give us a trial on the following goods:

Ladies' Colored Outing Robes, each - - - - 50c, 75c, 87c and $1.00
Ladies' White Outing Robes, high and low neck, each, - - 87c and $1.00
Children's Outing Robes, colored, each, - - - - - - - - 50c
Children's Sleeping Garments, fleeced, each, - - - - - - - 50c
Dr. Denton's Sleeping garments, each, - - - - - 50c to $1.00

A few Ladies' Pajamas to close cheap.

OUTINGS

Our stock was never so large as at the present time and all new patterns this fall. The quality of these goods are right.

A good heavy Colored Outing, yard, 10c
36 inch White Outing, yard, - 15c
27-inch White and Cream, yard, 10c
24-inch White and Cream, yard, 8c
24-inch White and Cream, yard, 6c
24-inch Cream, yard, - - - 5c

BLANKETS

Blankets for all. This department has been a busy place the past few days and with the cold nights coming you cannot wait too long in buying your fall blankets. The largest line of Cotton and Wool Blankets we have ever shown. Do not purchase until you inspect the values we are offering from

59c to $12.00 per pair

The Monarch Vacuum Cleaner for rent, makes housework easy. Phone 50.

THE HOMER FITTS COMPANY

TALK OF THE TOWN

See the new bath and lounging robes at Vaughan's.

New millinery every week at the millinery parlors, corner of South Main and Ayers streets.

Boys and girls' hose, seconds of a regular 25c stocking, at 2 for 25c; sizes 6 to 10. Henry W. Knight.

Q. H. Perry left last night for Brattleboro, where he will remain for a few days' business visit. He will make the trip home in a Ford automobile, which he recently purchased.

GRANITEVILLE.

The Odd Ladies of Victor lodge have postponed their fair on account of smallpox. The date for holding it will be announced later.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Buy your outings and blankets at Fitts'.

Victrolas and records at Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street, Barre, Vt. H. J. LaRoe, manager. 'Phone 22-W.

Mrs. Alex. Dunkett returned this morning to her home in Montreal, P. Q., after spending several days with relatives in Barre Town.

O. W. Averill, who is making an extended stay in Woodsville, N. H., returned to that place last night, after spending several days in the city on business.

Clerk F. S. Platt of the United States court writes that probably he will be in Barre to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon to hold naturalization court from 2 o'clock on.

You Must Dress Warmer

These cold mornings indicate that you must put on warmer clothing.

One of our Sterling or Starr Shaker Knit Sweaters.

Munsing Union Suit.

Shuman or Adler-Rochester Top Coat or Overcoat.

A pair of Dutchess or Johnson Trousers.

Lamson and Hubbard Caps.

Gloves and Mittens, lined and unlined.

Shuman and Adler-Rochester Suits, all styles, colorings and prices.

Come here for your cold weather wants.

Frank McWhorter Co.

Picks Power from the Air.

A remarkable scene took place in the legislature of Arizona this spring when the lawmakers enthusiastically voted for the parole of a certain convict in the state penitentiary, granting him a leave of absence for thirty days and by means of private contributions raising a fund to defray his expenses to Washington, D. C., and return.

The prisoner, Roy J. Meyers, is serving a three and a half year sentence, but in spite of the fact that he bears the stigma of a convicted law breaker, he has demonstrated that a convict can be a useful member of society. During his imprisonment he perfected an electrical device of such original character as to arouse feelings of wonder and skepticism until experts had seen it in actual operation. It is a device to draw electricity from the atmosphere for light and power, and the thirty day parole was granted in order that the inventor might protect his rights through the patent office at Washington.

With the acquiescence of the legislature, Governor Hunt granted the parole and the prisoner was allowed to go free without any guard or any assurance but his word of honor that he would return. Two days before the period elapsed, Meyers again presented himself before the governor, having accomplished his mission, and then returned to the penitentiary at Florence, where he continues to serve his sentence.

This, in brief, is the picturesque story which has called attention of the civilized world to a newly discovered electrical genius, and to another feature of the case which is of equal importance and human interest; namely, the enlightened policy pursued by our youngest state in its treatment of convicts.

Meyers' chance came when Governor George W. B. Hunt chose as superintendent of the penitentiary at Florence a man of very different type from the political hanger-on who too often fills such a position. "Big Bob" Sims was a business man of advanced views, and was chosen for the position because of his knowledge of human nature and his executive ability.

One of the progressive steps he took was to abolish the stripes in the penitentiary, and to adopt a much less rigorous confinement of the inmates. The "honor system" with the co-operation of Governor Hunt, was inaugurated.

Before entering the prison, Meyers had already applied for various patents, among them one for an improved trolley head which prevents the trolley wheel from jumping the wire. Meyers had a conference with Superintendent Sims and Parole Clerk Sanders, and it was to these gentlemen that the inventor first explained the principle of his new device for securing electrical energy from the air. The officials were willing to give the man an opportunity to develop his plan and a little wooden building outside the walls was turned over to Meyers and was fitted up as a workshop and a laboratory. The first demonstration of the new apparatus was made shortly thereafter, the electricity drawn from the atmosphere being used to spark the gas engines of the pump house, and although the device was crude yet it did the work and removed the doubts of his friends. Further development of the "absorber" followed, and his second model was constructed, and developed eight volts.—From "Picks Power from the Air," in November Technical World Magazine.

Tool Sharpeners.

Regular meeting of tool sharpeners, No. 2, G. C. I. A., will be held in Nichols block Wednesday, Oct. 16, at 7 o'clock. James Mutch, secretary.

EAST BARRE.

Wuchosen tribe, No. 19, will meet Thursday evening, Oct. 17.

Until further notice there will be no meetings of Clan Gordon, No. 12, nor any of its committees. Neither will its library be open to members, either to receive or return books, but the financial secretary will collect dues as usual. Per order James Paterson, chief; James R. Elrick, secretary.

TOO LATE TO BE CLASSIFIED

WANTED—To hire a man to work on a farm. Inquire at Freeman Farm, East Hill, or to Peter Hendrickson at Sam Gerrard's stone shed, Barre. 1801tf

LOST—A large St. Bernard dog, nearly white, answering to the name of "Reuben." Finder please notify Dr. E. H. Bancroft, So. Barre, and be suitably rewarded. 1818

TALK OF THE TOWN

Read Fitts' ad to-day.

New pianos at Hale's.

New iron beds and springs at Hale's.

Ask to see our wool serge at $1.00. Fitts'.

Just received, anothr lot of kimono aprons. At Fitts'.

A new arrival of serim curtains and rope portieres at Hooker's.

Have you see the "Two in One" sewing apron for 48c each? Fitts'.

Buy your blankets, comfortables and winter underwear at Vaughan's.

Orders taken for piano tuning at Bailey's Music Rooms 'Phone 22-W.

O. F. Nichols of Brookfield was among the business visitors in the city to-day.

Full size iron beds, $4.00; woven wire spring and soft-top mattresses, $2.70 each at Hooker's.

William Colomb has returned home, after spending several day with relatives in St. Albans.

Aaron Cohen of Burlington arrived in the city last evening for a business visit of several days.

Miss Olive P. Calef of the Goddard faculty is spending several days at her home in Washington.

James Cann returned last night to Richmond, after passing a few days in the city with friends.

See our soap bargains and prices attached on Colgate's and Armour's brands. C. N. Kenyon & Co.

Real bargains in curtain muslins and draperies. A large assortment at 10c per yard. Henry W. Knight.

Albert Birnies returned last night to his home in Worcester, Mass., after a few days' visit in the city.

Thomas Lynch of Hardwick is spending a few days in the city as the guest of friends at Bolster place.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Prendergast of Concord, N. H., arrived in the city yesterday for a visit of several days.

Would like to take in sewing or go out by the day. Apply to Miss Lizzie Murray, upper Merchant street.

Peter Blair returned this morning to his home in St. Albans, after spending a few days with friends in the city.

Walter Wilcox, the Moretown agent for the D. A. Perry Real Estate Co. of this city, was a visitor in Barre to-day.

Mrs. Ceborin Gonyo of Granite street, who underwent a serious operation at the iCty hospital Monday, is slowly improving.

Miss Effie E. Pearson returned yesterday to her home in Eessex Junction, after spending several days with friends in the city.

Mrs. Martha Stone of Cabot arrived in the city yesterday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Phineas D. Ladd of South Main street.

Mrs. Andrew M. Morrison og Betchelder street left yesterday for Groton, where she will make an extended visit with relatives.

You know what our enameled ware sales mean. Be on hand to-morrow, when we offer an assortment at 19c each. C. N. Kenyon & Co.

Charles Olliver of Merchant street has returned from Riceburg, where he attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. John Olliver, who died Saturday.

Mrs. John Merrin of Waltham, Mass., and her son, William Merrin of Chicago, Ill., arrived in the city last evening for a two weeks' visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Rule, of 57 Elm street.

We are offering exceptionally low prices on toilet soaps now displayed, including Colgate's, Armour's and others. An inspection will show that we have the prices that will interest everyone. C. N. Kenyon & Co.

E. A. Hitchcock of Lansing, Mich., a former resident of Barre, who represented the Prudential Life Insurance company, in this city for some time, arrived in the city yesterday for a business visit of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Curley, who have been visiting friends in Barre and Montpelier for the past ten days, left this morning for Pleasantville, N. J., where they will make a short stay before going to their home in West Virginia.

Felix Galamberti, who has been visiting at his former home at Viggiu, Italy, was a visitor in the city yesterday on his way to his home at Waterbury. Mr. Galamberti arrived at New York from Italy and remained yesterday visiting friends here.

The work of moving the Shepard house on Prospect street from city land to a point six feet to the west has been completed and carpenters are now engaged in re-setting the underpinning. In its present location, the west side of the house now runs flush with the driveway leading into the M. & W. freight yard.

Friends and acquaintances in this city will regret to learn of the death of Michael Marchelli of Scranton, Pa. Mr. Marchelli was operated on last week for appendicitis and died at a hospital in Scranton, Monday, October 14. He was aged about 28. He resided in this city for five years prior to leaving for Scranton three years ago. He was a granite cutter by trade.

Announcement is made that the Vermont state Sunday school convention, which was to have been held in Barre next week, will be held in Burlington, October 24, the sessions occupying but a single day instead of two days as was planned for the Barre convention. A business session will be held during the day, to be followed by the address by W. C. Pierce, the international worker, in the evening.

For immediate acceptance, special price will be made on the fine residence and stable at No. 12 Eastern avenue. A thoroughly good, modern, eight-room house, comfortable barn, and a large lot with plenty of shade and fruit. At the present price, someone can have a good home at the price of a smaller property in less desirable location. Will it be you? Let us give you full particulars. You will be pleasantly surprised. The D. A. Perry Real Estate agency, Barre, Vt.

Through the D. A. Perry Real Estate Co. of this city, the Jerry Hutchinson farm, so called, on the east hill, has been sold for Mrs. Miner Atcherson to Charles M. Rodee and Edward Ingersoll of Williamstown, who will take possession of the property November 1. The sale includes the transfer of stock and tools, and the purchasers paid a little under $8,500 for the farm, according to reports. Mr. Rodee has sold his Williamstown farm to Herbert Townsend of Plattsburg, N. Y., who will move to this vicinity around November 1.

AN EXPERIMENT AND ITS RESULTS

Novel Plan of a Bachelor to Get a Congenial Wife.

"Good gracious, mamma," said Miss Louise Hewlett at the breakfast table, "just listen to this:

"Wanted.—A woman twenty years old, with artistic tastes, capricious, fond of golf, lawn tennis and dancing, to act as secretary."

"Singular," said the mother thoughtfully, "that the advertiser, whom I suppose to be a man, says nothing about beauty."

Since Miss Hewlett was looking for a position she answered the advertisement and was invited to call, which she did in the company of her mother. She found a man of thirty-five, serious, reticent and apparently in his right mind.

"I need also," said the advertiser, Mr. Dudley Vinton, "a housekeeper. If Mrs. Hewlett will take up her residence here with you in my apartments, filling that position, I will pay each a handsome salary. Pardon me for being so frank, but it is better that I should say in advance that love or matrimony has nothing to do with my intentions."

The offer was accepted, and mother and daughter went to live in Mr. Vinton's apartments. From the first he treated them as guests, though Miss Hewlett was occasionally called upon to write a note or a letter or copy some papers relating to property. At the end of the first month Mr. Vinton paid the salaries and said that he would be glad to continue the arrangement indefinitely. Louise pouted. She filled the terms of the advertisement.

Another month passed. Mr. Vinton was absent occasionally, sometimes by day, sometimes in the evening. Once or twice he was away several days together. What called him where he went or what he did he never told. Louise was piqued and delicately hinted that some reference to these absences would be at least civil. She did not like to be treated like a child or an entire stranger. Mr. Vinton failed to satisfy her curiosity, whereupon she tossed her head and declared that it was high time such a ridiculous arrangement was terminated. Mr. Vinton made no comments upon her action. Indeed he seemed to be rather pleased with it, egging her on to more of the same kind. Finally she became angry and ended the interview in tears.

One morning a delicate little missive came for Mr. Vinton which fell into Louise's hands. She took it to him and watched him while he read it. His countenance was not to be read. Placing the note in his pocket, he went to his room, and soon after Louise saw him go out with a suit case.

"Just what I expected," she said. "That note contained an invitation. He's gone to the country to visit some girl he's in love with."

Vinton remained away a week. When he returned, Louise asked him when he intended to be married.

"I am not engaged," he replied.

They were sitting in the library at the time, and Vinton took up a book. Louise tried in vain to keep her tongue in her head. Finally she could endure the silence no longer and asked a number of inadmissible questions. Some of them Vinton answered, others he parried, while others he received in silence. But not for a moment did he manifest any dissatisfaction with her for attempting to pry into his affairs. Finally he told her that he had been to see an invalid who had died during his absence. Louise arose and strode out. Vinton called her back.

"If you don't mind," he said, "I am curious to know what has offended you."

"You have led me to believe what was not true."

She stood waiting for him to continue the debate, but as he only said, "Thank you very much," she went out.

At the end of the year Vinton invited mother and daughter into the library and announced to them that he desired to terminate their present arrangement.

"And now," he continued, addressing Louise, "I will satisfy your curiosity. A year ago I wished to make a very advantageous match. The lady's characteristics I described in my advertisement. I am a theorist and have a theory about women. It is that if a man wishes to know what a woman will do under certain circumstances he must infer that she will act exactly contrary to what he would expect. I desired to test this theory and if it proved a law I would apply it to the lady I wished to marry and thus enhance my chances of success. During the past year I have applied the test to you seventy-eight times, and you have fulfilled the conditions sixty-nine times. You will readily see the advantage of having two women of like characteristics, the one to practice upon, the other"—

At this point in the theorist's exposition of his methods Louise arose from her seat and was sailing majestically out of the room when Vinton caught her about the waist and held her.

"Darling," he said, changing his tone, "there is one result of the experiment yet to be told. The practice piece became the object piece, and the object piece has passed from the problem. The invalid who died while I was away was the girl I was endeavoring to win. We never became more than strong friends, and while I was planning for the advantages that would have accrued in marrying her I was falling in love with you."

TURKEY GIVES 24 HOURS TO BALKAN STATES.

To Apologize for Sending Insolent Statement to the Porte, According to Constantinople Dispatch.

Berlin, Germany, Oct. 16.—A limit of 24 hours has been fixed by Turkey for the Balkan states and Greece to apologize for sending an insolent statement to Porte, according to a special Constantinople dispatch.

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