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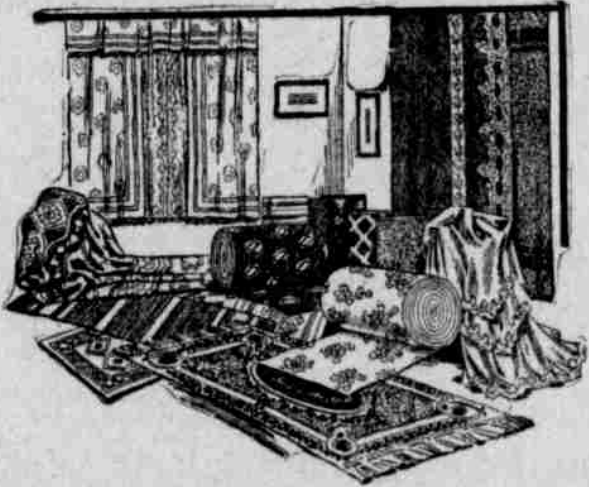
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The most popular and practical bag today. Neat, attractive, durable and well made. With their leather riveted handles and close woven rush, they make the most useful carrying device for all uses. Every lady who does not own one should endeavor to secure a selection from this shipment. Those who have them that are nearly worn out will find a good one to replace the old one. This is our fourth shipment of these Rush Bags within two months. This is good proof that their usefulness and quality to everyone is satisfactory.

See Our Window Display

## C. N. KENYON & COMPANY'S

Cash Bargain Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Blanket sale at Abbott's this week. See the new lace collars and ruffling at Vaughan's. The McWhorter Co. have a few more ladies' fur coats and caps to close at one-half price. A few bargain pianos at Bailey's. One for \$135. Can you beat it. 14 Elm street.—Adv't.

A good concert at a small price. At the Presbyterian church to-night. Admission, 10 cents. Louis Huntington of Boston arrived in the city last night to pass a few days as the guest of relatives. Lawrence Johnson of Milford, Mass., arrived in the city this forenoon to make an extended visit as the guest of friends. George Rodney returned last night to his home at Andover, Mass., after passing a few days in the city as the guest of friends.

Miss Beulah Smith returned last night to her home at Burlington, after visiting in the city for the past few days with relatives. "The Campbells are comin'" and why shouldn't you, to the Scotch social at the Congregational church Friday evening? Admission, 15c.

Bernard Corcoran of Short street returned last night from Burlington, where he has been visiting for the past few days with relatives.

George Kelley of Merchant street returned last night from Montreal, where he has been visiting at the home of his uncle for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Campbell of Tremont street returned yesterday from Morrisville, where they have been visiting for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Inglis of Averill street returned last night from Marshfield, where they have been visiting with friends for the past few days.

Riley's orchestra returned this forenoon from Randolph, where they furnished music last evening for the big Washington birthday celebration.

A number of Prof. George H. Elmore's dancing students met in Howland hall last evening for a dancing party. A luncheon was served at intermission.

The funeral of Michael Maloney will be held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Monica's church. Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery on Deekley hill.

Regular meeting of lumpers, boxers and derrickmen, No. 50, will be held in Foresters' hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, at 7:30. Per order president, George Riddle.

Gilbert Phillips, who has been spending the past few days at Keene, N. H., in the interests of the Pirie Tool Sharpening company, returned to the city yesterday.

Retail clerks, notice! Regular meeting of retail clerks' union will be held in K. of P. hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 25, at 7:30 o'clock. K. J. Maggiani, secretary.

Buy scratch feed, wheat, oyster shells, ground bone, beef scraps, dry mash for your hens at the Kempton Mills, formerly Averill mills. Tel. 367-M. Prompt delivery.

Ronald McMillan of Thurston place returned this forenoon from Burlington, where he has been visiting for the past few days. Last evening he attended the annual "kake walk" at the University of Vermont.

The Times bowling team defeated the Ozarks three straight games at the Paradise alleys last night. Ellis of the winning team was high bowler of the evening, capturing the single with 103 and the total with 282.

A meeting of the Meadow Brook Golf club will be held in Eagles hall on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 25, at 7 o'clock. The president had called the meeting and important business will take up the time of the members.

The political supporters of Robert Gordon for the office of mayor have established headquarters in the quarryworkers' rooms at the Scamplin building. The rooms will be open at all hours from now until election. All sympathizers are requested to visit the rooms.

The third of a series of tournaments between the Vincitia club and the Apollo club of Montpelier will be held at the latter's club rooms in Montpelier on Wednesday evening. There will be contests in pool, billiards and cards. Special car accommodations have been secured for the Barre members returning after the games.

The Washington birthday social, which was to have been held under the auspices of the retail clerks' association in the Knights of Pythias hall last evening, was deferred by the committee until a later date on account of the prevalent cold wave. The committee will meet at the regular session of the clerks Wednesday night and plans will be instituted for holding the social.

Mrs. Outram of Boston arrived in the city yesterday to conduct a demonstration of the Quimby candies at the Cummings & Lewis pharmacy. She will remain in the city for a week, and every day the public will be given an opportunity to hear a scientific lecture on modern methods of manufacturing confectionery. Dainty favors will be distributed to visitors at the store.

Among the arrivals at The Buzzell hotel were the following: John Lavery, Rutland; Bertha Martin, Minneapolis, Minn.; V. Carleton, Boston; A. Bego, Hallowell, Me.; Byron Downing, Washington; W. W. Perkins, Bethel; James G. Pirie and wife, Graniteville; Eugene Webber, Milford, Mass.; R. H. Thompson, Meriden, Conn.; H. N. Kimball, Enosburg; A. E. Bannon, Boston; T. M. Ritchie and lady, Boston; Keene and Johnson, Pavilion; Lula Coates, Pavilion.

One of the biggest basketball games of the season will be played at the Church street gymnasium to-night, when Spaulding high school and Goddard seminary clash in the second of the annual series of basketball games. The first game was won by the Spaulding team by a comfortable margin. This evening the Spaulding team will present a somewhat strengthened lineup. The following players will probably constitute the personnel: Brown, center; Levin and Tomasi, forwards; Oliver and Hooker, guards. The Goddard lineup will be as follows: Cosby, center; Witt and Lameri, forwards; Keeffe and Wells, guards.

Undaunted by the extreme cold weather, about 85 couples gathered in the Knights of Columbus hall, in the Scamplin building last night to attend the pre-Lenten dance conducted under the auspices of the Newman dramatic club. The hall was attractively decorated by the committee in charge. The proceeds of the dance were converted into the coffers of the club, which will be used for administrative purposes of the club during the coming year. Bruce's orchestra furnished music for the dancing. During intermission refreshments were served by the dancers. The committee in charge of the dance was as follows: Misses Jeanette Granger, Mary McCarthy, Angela Tierney, Raymond Tierney, and Matthew Hagas.

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# Blanket Sale

Don't get an idea that winter is anywhere near past. Predictions have it that March will be a continuation of just what we are having. We have a large stock of Blankets that we will mark at a liberal discount for this week. They are cheap enough so that it will pay you to buy and carry until next season. This is to reduce our Blanket stock. These prices are for this week only. Next week will be too late, as we will then have to ask regular price. See these in our window or on our bargain tables, as follows:

### Blanket Sale

About 40 pairs of ten-quarter Gray Blankets. These are 87c Blankets. Now, this sale this week at 69c per pair.

About 50 pairs of eleven-quarter Gray Blankets. These are dollar Blankets; this week at 79c per pair.

Forty-five pairs of eleven-quarter Gray and White Blankets, very large and good weight. These come in two qualities. Blankets that were \$1.19 and \$1.29. This week, while they last, your choice at 98c per pair.

One lot of twelve-quarter, very large Wool Nap White Blankets. These are good values at \$3.00. This week at \$2.49.

During this week's blanket sale we will allow a liberal discount on all Blankets in our stock. This means every pair of Blankets from 75c up to \$8.00 per pair. The lowest Blanket prices made this season.

### Spring Goods

The weather is anything but spring-like. During this cold weather lots plan and make their spring dresses. This season customers have the advantage of being able to select from a very large line of desirable spring kinds.

Spring Goods have been brought out earlier than usual and it is safe to predict that lots of new styles being shown now will be closed out early. Customers realize this. So that many are selecting and holding until later to make up.

Cotton Goods have all the appearance of more expensive goods. Wool Dress Goods are far better for the price than last year. New styles and weaves have changed all Silks so that they are all new weaves.

Laces and Dress Trimmings to match all these new colors and designs.

### Ladies' Tailored Suits

We are putting out what we have left in Tailored Suits at prices to close them at once. Here are some extra good Suits at from \$7.50 to \$15.00. These are Suits that are made in the season's best style and from such goods as Cheviots, Serges, Men's Worsted and Corduroys. If you want a good Suit to finish out the season and for a business Suit next fall you should see these values.

In the new Spring Models, we can show you one of the largest and best we ever had as early in the season. These new Suits are made up from the several popular cloths of the season and the showing in sample Suits no two alike. You will surely appreciate the values when you see the Suits on.

We never were able to show so good a Suit at \$12.50 as we now have in these new models at that price.

At \$15.00, \$18.00, and \$20.00 are some Sample Suits in the new models.

In the better grades at \$25.00 and \$30.00 are some values that you should see to appreciate their worth.

### Ladies' Silk Petticoats

The demand for Ladies' Silk Petticoats is so great we can hardly get deliveries fast enough to take care of the trade.

We have received to-day another lot of those extra values in the fine Messaline Silk Petticoats. These are made up in the new models with the dust ruffle and without. Some prefer one way and some the other.

At \$2.50 we have a fine Messaline Silk Petticoat in nearly all colors, and the new spring shades are very good.

In Blacks we have some new Messaline and fine Chiffon Taffeta Petticoats that we consider very good values.

At \$3.00 are a number of different models in the Messaline Petticoats. These are showing in all the new shades, as well as the changeable colors and white. If you want to match any particular shade of Silk we can get it for you.

By express this morning, new lot of Yard-Wide Chiffon Taffetas. These are being used for lots of different purposes. This is a \$1.50 value, sold at a close price of \$1.35 per yard. Very soft and lustrous.

## The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

See the new wash goods at Vaughan's. Yard-wide colored chiffon taffetas at Abbott's.

Read the programme of the 10-cent concert to be given at the Presbyterian church to-night in another column of this paper.

Albert Boulderie, who was formerly employed by Superintendent Alex. Hanton as an assistant at Hope cemetery, came to Barre yesterday from Montpelier, where he was discharged in the morning from Boston hospital, after a confinement of fourteen weeks. In late November, Mr. Boulderie was employed on the section near Montpelier Junction. One day he caught his right foot in a switch frog just as a freighter was approaching from the north. In his efforts to release the member, he twisted his leg so violently that the bone was broken in two places. Physicians at first despaired of saving the limb, but careful treatment afforded the possibility of an operation. Mr. Boulderie is still unable to walk without the aid of crutches, and several weeks must elapse before he can resume work. After a short stay with friends in Barre, he will return to Montpelier.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Hongknit-awaters at Abbott's. Corset special this week at Vaughan's. The McWhorter Co. are showing the spring shapes in soft and stiff hats.

Piano tuning—George R. Beyerle will be in the city this week. Send orders to this office early.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. will hold its regular meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock sharp.

Regular meeting of Bright Star Rebekah lodge, No. 19, Wednesday evening, Feb. 25, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be practice, and every officer is requested to be present.

### Presbyterian Concert.

The following program is to be given at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, at 8 o'clock. Admission, 10c.

Piano Solo.....Rev. Mr. Salmond  
Vocal Solo.....Mr. Gilman  
Reading.....Mrs. Peter Match  
Trio.....Messrs. Jarvis, Grant and Mackay  
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Gilbert Wood  
Reading—"Jack Daw of Rheims"  
Solo.....Miss Eva A. Bisbee  
Solo.....Miss Alice Walker  
Piano Duet.....Misses Walker and Mackay

## Lenten Season

begins Wednesday and we are prepared to supply your wants with

FRESH, SALT, PICKLED, AND SMOKED FISH

Things keep moving here and are not allowed to become old or stale.

We want to call your attention to our extra

- Fancy Labrador Salt Herring ..... 7c lb
- Fresh Herrings ..... 5c each, 6 for 25c
- Boneless Smoked Herrings ..... 18c lb
- Our own Kipperd Herrings ..... 5c and 6c each
- Marshall's Kipperd Herrings ..... Large Cans 20c
- Norwegian Kipperd Herrings ..... 3 cans 25c
- Salt Mackerel ..... 2 lbs. 25c
- Sliced and Boned Salt Cod ..... 10c lb.
- "Comfort Bits" Salt Cod, large boxes ..... 35c each
- Finnan Haddies fresh every day.
- Shredded Codfish, for fish balls ..... 10c box
- Tall cans Red Salmon ..... 15c can
- Flat cans Salmon ..... 10c can

### SARDINES

See them in our window.

- B. B. 1/4-lb. plain tins, gold label ..... 25c can
- American Sardines ..... 5c each
- Rainbow Sardines, large cans ..... 17c each
- Fisher Box or Portland Brand ..... 10c, 3 cans 25c
- Norwegian Smoked Sardines ..... 3 cans 25c

### Extra Value in Canned Asparagus

- SPECIAL—25c cans Imported Mushrooms ..... 17c can, 3 cans 50c

### FRESH ROASTED COFFEE

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- 3 cans Tomatoes or Corn ..... 25c
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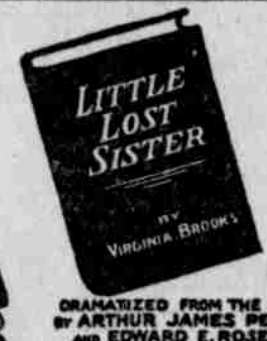
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Wednesday, February 25

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## SOME VALUES During 40 Days

Wednesday, February 25, the opening of the Lenten season, finds us fully prepared to take care of all your Fish wants. Our line of Fresh, Salted, Pickled, Smoked, or Dried Fish, is complete.

We receive Fish every working day in the week, Oysters every morning; also Scallops, Clams, Lobsters, etc., weather permitting.

Our variety of Canned Goods, viz., Lobster, Crab Meats, Shrimp, Sardines, Salmon, Lima Fish, and Chowders, etc., is always acceptable for salads and supper dishes.

Watch the window. It will give you ideas what to have and have it when you want it, as we make it a rule, we are never out.

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