

# THE MOHICAN COMPANY

90-102 GOLDEN HILL STREET

## TUES. -- SPECIALS -- WED.

MONOGRAM WHISKEY.....	full quart 69c
DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY...	bottle 80c
FANCY NEW POTATOES.....	peck 27c
NEW CABBAGE (Sound Heads).....	lb 4c
LEAN PORK CHOPS.....	lb 16c
MOHICAN PORK AND BEANS.....	3 cans 25c
"TRYET" SALMON.....	3 cans 25c
MOHICAN CREAMERY BUTTER.....	lb 30c
BEST PURE LARD.....	lb 13c

### Three Families Burned Out By Norfolk Fire

Norfolk, Conn., July 7.—Two dwellings and a barn owned by Antonio Hill were burned today. The blaze was first seen in the barn. Three families lost most of their effects. The losses total \$3,500 with partial insurance.

### "JACK" SHEPHERD GREATLY IMPROVED

"Jack" Shepherd, the young clerk, who was severely injured in an automobile accident several weeks ago is rapidly recovering. At the Galen hospital it was said today that Mr. Shepherd would probably be able to sit up in a day or two.

#### CHICKEN COOP BLAZED

Chemical company No. 1 was called out at 11:35 this morning by an alarm from box 45. The fire proved to be at the rear of a chicken coop at 885 Barnum avenue. Damage amounting to \$25 was done by the blaze.

#### BURGLARS LOOT OFFICE

The office of the Bridgeport Metal Treating Company, 135 Stratford avenue, was entered by burglars last night. An attack upon the safe is believed to have been planned judging from the tracks left in the office. They retired with a water-cooler, bottles and tools estimated at about \$100.

#### DIED

**HULTON**.—In this city, Sunday, July 6th, 1913, Nora J., daughter of Mary and the late Matthew Hulton, aged 36 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the undertaking parlors of M. J. Gannon, 1051 Broad street, on Wednesday, July 10th, at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery.

**RUGGLES**.—In this city, July 7th, 1913, at her home, 235 Main St., Lizzie B. Ruggles, widow of Charles M. Ruggles, aged 55 years.

**BROWN**.—In this city, July 7th, 1913, Rev. William M. Brown, aged 83 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral at his home, No. 117 Catherine street, on Wednesday, 9th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m.

Burial in Mt. Grove cemetery.

**MILLER**.—In this city, July 6, 1913, Matthew Miller.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral at his late residence, Alexander street, off Pellissier avenue, on Tuesday, July 8 at 8:30 a. m., and funeral service will be held in St. Charles church at 9 a. m.

Burial in St. Augustine's cemetery.

**KULWINSKI**.—In this city, July 6, 1913, Andrew Kulwinski, aged 63 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his nephew, J. W. Boywid, No. 1169 Howard avenue, on Tuesday, July 8, at 8:15 a. m., and from St. Michael's R. C. church at 9 a. m.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery.

**FEINER**.—In this city, July 5, 1913, James Feiner, aged 65 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the undertaking parlors of Cullinan & Mullins, No. 864 Main street, on Tuesday, July 8, at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Patrick's church at 9 a. m.

Interment at St. Augustine's cemetery.

### CELERY PLANTS

Twice Transplanted 75c PER 100

JOHN RECK &amp; SON

### GRADUATION

Boquets and Baskets

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### Monuments

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Plans operated by pneumatic cutting and polishing tools

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250 STRATFORD AVENUE

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## BAPTIST MINISTERS PLAY BASEBALL AT CLOSE OF REGULAR COUNTY MEETING

Clergymen Gather at Easton for Transaction of Business, Then Repair to the Open for Athletic Sports

Following their business meeting at Easton today, members of the Fairfield County Baptist Ministers Association played a game of baseball this afternoon. The meeting was held in the Easton Baptist church and was called to order at 11 o'clock. The ministers went to Stratfield by trolley and were taken to the church in automobiles. Routine business was transacted in the hour before noon and dinner was served by the women of the church in the vestry room at 12:30 o'clock.

Among the ministers present were Rev. John Richard Brown, D.D., 1st Baptist church, Bridgeport; Rev. Wil-

liam Swanson, Calvary Baptist church, Bridgeport; Rev. A. C. Thompson, Emmanuel Baptist church, Bridgeport; Rev. John Richard Brown, D.D., 1st church, Bridgeport; Rev. J. E. Shelton, Fairfield Baptist church; Rev. F. A. Cunningham, Rowayton Baptist church; Rev. R. E. Hartley, South Norwalk Baptist church; Rev. W. H. Fossom, D.D., Stratfield Baptist church; Rev. William Richard Finn, secretary of the Union Mission; Dr. A. B. Coates, secretary of the Baptist State convention; Rev. A. M. Davidson, Easton M. E. church; Rev. Stephen Gaffo, pastor, Hungarian Baptist church, Bridgeport; and Deacon Marshall E. Meyers.

## COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY HAS FIRST-SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH CLOSED

Pittsburg, Pa., July 7.—The First-Second National bank of Pittsburgh, the second largest in the city and one of the largest in the country, was closed today by order of the Comptroller of Currency. The First National Bank of McKeesport, Pa., announced that it had closed its doors.

W. S. Kuhn and J. S. Kuhn own the controlling interests in both banks and the closing led to persistent reports that a receiver would be asked for the American Water Works and Guarantee Co., the largest concern of its kind in the country, with which the Kuhn's are prominently identified.

This concern controls over forty water works plants in the United States. Differences between the officials of the First-Second National Bank and the Treasury department over the character of the bank's assets are said to have led to the order closing its doors. No details of the differences had been announced by the treasury department this afternoon.

The First-Second National bank is a recent consolidation of the First and Second National banks of Pittsburgh, and has deposits of more than \$30,000,000.

The suspension of the institution precipitated a run on the Pittsburgh bank for savings, of which J. S. Kuhn is president.

The Savings Bank is only a few blocks away from the National Bank. Several thousand persons congregated about the First-Second National at noon. A squad of police was necessary to keep the great noon-day crowd on the move.

Throughout the morning many rumors spread about the city that all the Kuhn's interests were financially involved in connection with the suspension of the two banks.

Application for a receiver for the American Water Works and Guarantee Company was filed in the Federal court this afternoon.

Washington, July 7.—Treasury officials, after a conference over the closing of the First-Second National Bank of Pittsburgh, announced that an official statement would be issued this afternoon. Preliminary reports on the condition of the bank seem to indicate that the financing of a new of-

fice building, in which the bank has its home, is connected with the difficulty. The bank's capital is \$3,400,000.

Prior to the consolidation of the First National Bank with the Second, the affairs of the First actively engaged the attention of the comptroller's office, and less than three years ago the bank examiners compelled the "charging off" of nearly \$1,000,000 worth of assets they did not believe should be carried on the bank's books.

Oscar L. Telling, former chief of the reports division of the comptroller's office, was president of the First National until the consolidation with the Second, when he became a vice-president of the new bank. Lawrence O. Murray, a former comptroller of the currency, had virtually resigned his position two years ago to become president of the First National, but changed his plans, and Telling, who was Murray's active assistant in the comptroller's office, took the place.

New York, July 7.—The capital stock of the various controlled companies of the First-Second National is about \$75,000,000. Among them the American Water Works and Guarantee Co. is the largest operating Water Works company in the United States controlling more than forty such plants throughout the country. It is also largely interested in irrigation projects, electric, interurban and electric lighting enterprises.

It was chartered in Pennsylvania, in 1882, and has an outstanding capital stock of \$5,000,000. Since 1908 the stock has paid an annual dividend of six per cent and in June 1913 a stock dividend of 150 percent was declared from the surplus. This called for the disbursement of more than \$5,000,000.

Washington, July 7.—The First National Bank of McKeesport, Pa., has closed its doors. Secretary McAdoo was advised today by J. S. Kuhn, brother of W. S. Kuhn, president of the First-Second National Bank of McKeesport, whose capital was \$300,000 and surplus \$500,000 according to last reports to the comptroller of the currency.

## DAVID LAMAR, "WOLF OF WALL STREET," WHOSE TELEPHONE IMPERSONATIONS MAY LEAD TO NATIONAL LEGISLATION



This is David Lamar, called "the Wolf of Wall Street." He's the New York stock manipulator who brazenly admitted before the senate lobby investigating committee at Washington that he freely impersonated congressmen and others in telephone conversations with Union Pacific railroad officials. He was snapped at Washington,

leaving the hearing in his automobile. Lamar's admissions and his general attitude stirred the country. It brought up this question: "Why can't a man who represents himself as an congressman be prosecuted even if no money loss results?" The Lamar incident may result in national legislation making it a misdemeanor to impersonate members of congress.

## JURY SUSTAINS SCOTT WILL FOR LADY SACKVILLE

London, July 7.—The jury, which for eight days has been hearing the suit to break the will made by the late Sir John Murray Scott by which he left nearly \$5,000,000 to Lady Sackville, daughter of the former British minister at Washington, today sustained the will. The jury found there was no undue influence or fraud on the part of Lady Sackville.

## LAUTERBACH TAKES STAND IN PROBE OF LOBBY ACTIVITIES

Washington, July 7.—When Lauterbach took the witness chair today, Chairman Overman of the investigating committee read to him a statement made last week by Lewis Cass Leary, a New York lawyer, alleging that at a conference on February 8, Lauterbach had represented himself as coming with authority of Senator Stone and Speaker Clark to make proposals to J. P. Morgan & Co., and the Steel Corporation on behalf of Democratic leaders in Congress.

Before Lauterbach's examination went on the committee in executive session debated whether his testimony would give him immunity from prosecution, if it developed that he and Lamar had violated federal or New York State statutes.

When they resumed the hearing Lauterbach assured the Senators that he came before committee voluntarily. "If there is any question in your mind as to immunity, I waive it absolutely," said he.

Lauterbach then explained at length his motives for desiring to rehabilitate himself in the good graces of the Morgans. He testified that until he had heard Representative Palmer's testimony he knew nothing of Lamar's impersonating congressmen.

Lauterbach added he felt that Lamar "in some way was the cause of the disaffection of large corporations to me." He knew Lamar was "impulsive and hasty" in his actions, but that he had never known him to do anything wrong.

Lamar had brought him "in large and honorable business" and had introduced him to "Mr. Rogers" for whom he (Lauterbach) later did important legal work. He testified he had talked with Leary of Lamar's being engaged in "blackmailing" operations.

HEROIN CASE IS CONTINUED

New Haven, Conn., July 7.—DeForest Simonsen, arrested with nearly 500 pounds of heroin, had his case continued until Saturday, today. Meantime the pills will be analyzed at the Connecticut Agricultural station. Their ingredient is supposed to be heroin.

## DANBURY MAN HIT BY TROLLEY

New Haven, Conn., July 7.—George E. Smith of Danbury, was taken to St. Raphael's hospital today, injured while alighting from a trolley car, on the wrong side. Later it was determined that the injuries were not serious.

## MEXICAN WAR VETERAN DIES AT AGE OF 91

Green Bay, Wis., July 7.—William B. Morand, 91 years old, the only survivor of the Mexican war in Wisconsin, and one of the five survivors known in the United States died here today.

Mr. Morand fought under General Taylor and later under General Scott.

## WILSON ON GOLF LINKS AT WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, Vt., July 7.—President Wilson motored over from Cornish, N. H., today and tried his skill on the golf links at the Woodstock Country club, against his physician, Dr. Cary T. Grayson, U. S. N.

The president experienced the fickleness of New England weather: From the sweltering mark of the last few days when the mercury hovered in the 90's, the temperature had dropped about 25 degrees this morning and a new mild wind blew across the links.

He entered the game attired in white duck reinforced with a heavy coat. Few in town knew that the President was to visit the club and many of those on the links did not at first recognize the distinguished golfer.

## GEN. GRUBB DIES

Newark, N. J., July 7.—Gen. El-Burd Grubb, superintendent of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers at Kearny, died today of a complication of diseases. He was 72 years old and a Civil War veteran. Several years ago he was defeated for governor of New Jersey.

Notices are being sent out today to all the property owners along Fairview avenue from Main street westerly to Wayne street, and along Fairfield avenue from Courtland street to Ash Creek, ordering them to lay curb, gutter and sidewalks of flag, concrete or cement in front of their respective premises on or before July 15th.

## TEDDY AND SONS LEAVE FOR WEST

New York, July 7.—Theodore Roosevelt, accompanied by his sons, Quentin and Archie, left New York this morning for the west on a trip which will last six or eight weeks.

London, July 7.—The June statement of the Board of Trade shows increases of \$28,274,600 in imports and \$29,321,000 in exports. The principal gain in exports was in manufactured goods including \$7,500,000 in cotton textiles.

Berlin, July 7.—Major General Erich von Falkenhayn has been appointed Minister for War in succession to Gen. Josias von Hertingen, who recently resigned.

## HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main Street, Fairfield Avenue, 2nd Cannon Street.

Bridgeport, Conn., Monday, July 7, 1913.

The Weather—Fair, continued cool tonight and tomorrow.

News that you await expectantly, even eagerly, will soon be printed here.

## THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

### Englishman's Tea.

If an Englishman could put his gospel of life into words he probably would say, "Give me liberty and tea, but if I can't have both I'll take the tea."

There are few differences between England and America so marked as in this matter of preference for a hot drink. The United Kingdom uses 6.5 pounds of tea per capita per year. The United States uses only a little over one pound per capita, and probably the rest of the world is consumed by Britons and Canadians living in this country.

On the other hand, the American people use 9.5 pounds of coffee per capita in the course of twelve months, while Britishers consume less than a pound each in the same period.

This last is not surprising, however. Any American who has made acquaintance with the stuff that bears the name of coffee in England, especially that served at the breakfast table, will wonder why Britain uses any coffee at all.

—Chicago Journal.

### The Romantic Salute.

The young lieutenant in his trim and elegant uniform saluted in the stiff manner of a military man.

"The military salute," he said, "is peculiarly appropriate to you, madam. Do you happen to know its origin?"

"No."

"Well, its origin goes back to the days of chivalry, to the tournaments of the middle ages. In those tournaments the knights, before the combat began, rode past the queen of beauty on her throne. As they came by her they simultaneously brought the hand to the horizontal position above the brows, then dropped it to the side again—a genuine military salute. And this they did in their chivalrous way to protect their eyes from the blinding rays of the queen of beauty's loveliness. That, madam, is the origin of the military salute, and that is why the military salute is so appropriate to one like you."—Los Angeles Times.

### A Sermon on Stones.

Sam Buckalew was a lone policeman in a little town in Tennessee. His main duties were to look out for trouble in the negro part of the town down by the creek, especially on Saturday nights.

Came one night a general fight in the bottom, after a dance in a cabin. The engagement, starting inside, grew too large to be accommodated indoors and continued outside. Rocks were handy, and the fracas extended. Sam Buckalew heard it all from a safe distance, but made no attempt to drive the enemy across the Yalu. The justice of the peace called Sam to account next day.

"Why, looky here, Tom Keel—you all's honor, I mean," Sam Buckalew protested, "them rocks was flyin' near as thick as wheat beads. Maybe they wasn't aimin' to hit me, but don't you all know rocks ain't got no eyes?"—New York Post.

### Two Curious Autographs.

One of the most expensive autograph albums ever bought was that purchased by Lord Clancarty at Paris in 1881 for the sum of £1,500.

Among these autographs, all of which bear the signatures of celebrated personages, there are two which are curious because of their brevity. The first one reads:

"Mile. Clairon has no bread. Lucien Bonaparte."

The other consists of two lines only: "Good for 2,000 francs, payable on sight to Mile. Clairon by the treasurer of the ministry. Chaptal."

The money was paid within the hour.

These two slips of paper are witnesses to the fact that the claims of want and suffering were recognized by the French government even during the most turbulent times of its existence.—London Post.

### The Conquest of Disease.

The wonderful achievements wrought by bacilli cultures and the preparation of preventive serums place modern physicians in a position surpassing that of the ancient magi or medieval alchemists and render their services to mankind more striking than the present exploits of Alexander or Cyrus.

In the campaign against virulent diseases the quiet microscopist in his study, he a Pasteur, Flexner or Carrel, is more ostentatiously warring with armies the conquest of which outmatches the military feats of a Caesar or a Charlemagne.—Philadelphia Press.

### How Does It Get Across?

At a certain eastern university one of the professors was conducting an examination in physiology. He asked for a description of the circulation at the extremities, meaning, of course, the capillary circulation.

The youth he called upon evidently did not know much about the matter, for he replied that the blood went down one leg and up the other.—Youth's Companion.

### A Condition.

"My dear," said the bride, who had been her husband's stenographer, "there is one speech you used to make in the office which I want you never to repeat in our home."

"You alarm me, my dear. What was the speech?"

"I want you to take my dictation."—Baltimore American.

### Not Well Advertised.

Physician—Well, but if your little pig won't grow big and fat you must go to the vet. Woman (who has brought her pet pig to the doctor)—Oh, doctor, I have no confidence in him, he's so thin himself.—Fliegende Blätter.

Laughing cheerfulness throws sunlight on all the paths of life.—Richter.

### His Close Call.

"I had a narrow escape yesterday noon."

### "How's that?"

"Four of us ate lunch together and each of us insisted on paying the check."

### "Well?"

"For a minute or two it looked as though I had overdone the thing and the others were going to let me do it."—Detroit Free Press.

### Foreign French.

"Learn to speak French. Then things won't cost so much in Paris."

"Oh, you can't make 'em think you are a Frenchman."

"No, but sometimes you can make 'em think you are a Russian or a Spaniard."—Washington Herald.

### By the Card.

Gibbs—I say, old chap, what is meant by the expression "to speak by the card?" Dibs—Oh, one does that when one exclaims, "The deuce!"—New York Telegram.