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Not of the old shop-worn goods, but new, and the latest styles. Into this sale we have just added three of the latest, prettiest conceits of Divans or Totes for parlor use.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1901.

It is nothing new in Waterbury for newboys to receive tickets to the polo games. For several years the Democrat has provided its newboys with tickets to at least one game each year.

The Washington Post, which loses no opportunity to have a little fun with Teddy, expresses fear lest he should be lost in the mountains of Colorado and not be on hand to make the inauguration show a success.

The Connecticut republicans do not hesitate at making a \$2,500 office when there is a faithful son to be provided for. Eddy and Scott, faithful workers, competent clerks and good fellows, had to be provided for, and only one office being in sight, another one was created.

Shakespeare held up for the suspicion of all future ages the man who protests too much and too often. Just now Senator Hanna is that man. He is once more protesting that the ship subsidy bill will put no money in his pocket, and that stories of his being interested in steamship lines that will profit by the measure, if it can be jammed through, are wicked calumnies.

It has leaked out that it was a quarrel between Mrs. Conger, wife of the minister, and Mrs. Squires, wife of the first secretary of the American legation, during the siege of Peking, that led to Captain Hall, of the marines, an officer with a splendid record, being charged with cowardice, and that it was because of official fear of the scandal that would be caused by uncovering the quarrel that Captain Hall was denied the court of inquiry he promptly asked for.

The city council of Amsterdam has voted the sum of six million guilders, or \$2,412,000, for an electric plant which is to furnish power for street cars, lighting, etc. for that city.

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As we look back through the last third of the last century, says a magazine writer, glancing at those industries which have made most rapid strides in progress, many conspicuous instances of the practice of scrapping expensive machinery are noticeable.

Of all the many enterprises, those which have been associated with and closely related to the iron and steel industry have had the most phenomenal growth. The Bethlehem Iron company, South Bethlehem, Penn., in 1890 erected the largest steam hammer ever built, having a capacity of 125 tons falling weight.

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HEARD IN PASSING

All the robbing in Washington is not being done by congress; the town is passing through an epidemic of burglary.

The daily reports of Mr McKinley's bad cold leave not the slightest doubt of the firm grip his doctor has on his job, even if Mr McKinley's grip was imaginary.

Fred Grant reports that his district of the island of Luzon is pacified and ready for civil government. Why not make Fred civil governor of the District for life, and keep him over there?

There is nothing surprising in the participation of the railroads in the Nebraska senatorial contest. There hasn't been a republican senator from the state in years, who did not owe his election to the railroads.

Why did General Wood make A. E. Frye, who has resigned the superintendency of the public schools of Cuba because he could not without loss of self-respect submit to certain exactions, promise not to talk for publication about his resignation? Is General Wood afraid of the effect of the truth on congress?

A ONE MAN TORPEDO BOAT.

If a certain board of naval officers, now in session in Washington, reports favorably on the invention of a Newport man, the government will have exclusive right to one of the most powerful implements of modern naval warfare—a one-man torpedo boat, whose speed will, it is estimated, be about forty-five knots, says the Newport, R. I., correspondent of the Boston Herald. For motive power it is understood that both electricity and compressed air will be utilized.

The inventor of the boat is Thomas J. Moriarty, for years one of the leading machinists and instrument makers in the government torpedo station at Goat Island, Newport harbor, and now president and manager of the Newport Manufacturing Co. Several previous inventions of Mr Moriarty have been adapted by the government.

There is a strain of arrogant defiance running through the testimony given before the West Point committee that would seem to indicate prompting from some unseen source. These young men who are eating the people's food and wearing the people's clothes and having the people's money furnished for the purpose of giving them first class educations, appear to regard the members of the examining committee in much the same light as they do the plebes whom they are their duty to cover with contempt and insult.

UNWARRANTED ARROGANCE.

Late on Monday night the alarm went off suddenly with a clatter. Father Kellner, the pastor of the church, rushed to the telephone and called up the police.

"I guess we've got a burglar at last," said he to Chief Timmons. "The alarm would not go off unless someone is in the church, and no one has the keys except the janitor and myself."

Chief Timmons and several policemen hurried to the church, and were joined by the priests, who had already slipped pistols into the pockets of their coats, and were guarding the doors.

Just as the police were leaving the church in a hurry a door was flung open and a derisive laugh from overhead. Then the owl, which had been sitting on the burglar alarm wire, flew away.

SINGING OUT OF TUNE.

Singing out of tune is caused by a defective voice just as often as by a defective ear, writes Mrs. Walter Creyke in the Nineteenth Century. People who habitually sing in perfect tone will occasionally sing false when out detecting it. If they tried they will sing flat. If the wind is in the east, or if they have been dancing all night, or at the beginning of a sore throat, the voice may have a tendency to sharpness. Thus it must be the voice and not the ear which is at fault.

It is easy enough for any one with a good ear to detect false singing in another person, but by no means so easy to detect it in herself, and many people who do not pretend to sing a note in tune themselves will detect the faintest shade of falsetness when another person is singing.

Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.: Gentlemen: Our family realize so much from the use of GRAIN-O that I feel I must say a word to induce others to use it.

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CANADIAN TRIBUTE TO DE WET

Sergeant Dixon, one of the Canadian officers returned from South Africa, bears testimony to the lively impression General De Wet made on his opponents. The following is a clipping from the Toronto World of November 17:

Sergeant Dixon was called on to speak, and he replied by reciting a poem of his own composition, which was lustily applauded. It is entitled 'The Chase of De Wet.'

There's a gentleman named Christian De Wet Who travels with a mixed but wily set; We've tried to catch him often, We've the contract for his coffin, But he does not seem to soften. Not as yet—not quite yet.

Now, he's an easy sort of fellow to get round, And he doesn't give a d— if we surround; But when, he's had his little rest, He just snikes his downy nest, And we follow to our best advantage, Cursing loud—blooming loud.

He's got the latest trekking wrinkles—has De Wet; And can do his fifty miles without a sweat; Does not stop to change his clothes, As across the veldt he goes— With his fingers to his nose— At our net—Lord, that net!

Now, we think an awful lot of Chris De Wet, A more entertaining gent we never met. For he's shown us round the land With his blooming German band— But—we'd like to dump the sand On De Wet—De Wet.

Now, it may be in far-off Canada, When we're old and the hair turns gray, There's a bairn on either knee—perhaps, And the sun of our years is high set, Why then—then we may read in the paper, That someone has captured De Wet.

OWL RINGS BURGLAR ALARM.

If the priests of St Gabriel's Roman Catholic church of New Rochelle can find the pet owl that frequents their churchyard they will bring his neck. On Monday night this owl caused a disturbance which was attributed to the priests, but called out the entire city police force.

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NEW HAVEN NEGLECTED.

The democratic members of the house of representatives from New Haven county appear to have been strangely overlooked in the make-up of the committee as announced yesterday by Speaker Light. The city of New Haven, with one-eighth of the population of the state, and one-tenth of the taxable property, is far from even worse.

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THE Hellmann Brewing Co.,

Waterbury, Conn. TELEPHONE 310.

Board of Relief.

The Board of Relief of the Town of Waterbury will meet in Assessors' room, City Hall, January 10, 11, 14, 17, 18, 21 and 24, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.; Saturday, January 26, from 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of hearing appeals from the doings of the Assessors and attending to duties of said office.

JOHN J. SIEFEN, Board of Relief. I. A. SPENCER, Waterbury, January 7, 1901, 1-7-18.

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