

The Man or Men

Who can drink the quantity of drug store whiskey in one day that those New Haven detectives did, and remember all their doings that day, must be a heteroclitical fibbertergerbet. But the people who are foolish enough to drink the tea and coffee which some people are guilty of selling knocks the spotters sky high. We can't understand why sensible people will pay good money for poor tea and coffee, when they can get such as easy come to our store, and get the good kind for the same price they pay for the poor quality elsewhere. Well, the liquor spies are through with their sensational work and the excitement has all blown over; now, since such is the case, we hope and trust they have shown hundreds, yes thousands of people, that it's all folly to drink intoxicating drink every time you're thirsty. It's all nonsense to have such ideas. Just try some good, clean, nice tasting tea or coffee when you are thirsty next time and see how much happier and contented you will feel. Remember, one pound of our Tea will make 375 cups of a delicious beverage. Figure it out and see how much per cup it costs you. 50 cents per pound and 4 bars of best soap with each pound. Say, who would see their child without a sled in winter, when you can purchase a good one for 24 cents at

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Accurate Thermometers.

It is the same with thermometers as with other goods—there are several grades. If you are looking for an accurate thermometer, look in grade one, then you'll find the "Water-town" always accurate, always reliable. Our stock affords you best opportunity for selection—40 different kinds, styles and prices from 15c to \$2 each—almost any kind of a thermometer you will need is here—ornamental thermometers, dairy thermometers, combination thermometers, incubator thermometers, self-registering thermometers; every one reliable and durable.

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- Arbuckles, 16c lb
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- Best Mocha and Java, 25c lb
- 3 Cans Fine Jersey Tomatoes, 25c
- 3 Cans Extra Fine Corn, 25c
- 3 Cans Milk, 25c
- 3 Pounds Lard, 25c
- Fine Leaf Lard, 30c lb
- Clam Chowder, 10c and 20c can
- Denham's Extra Jelly, 10c pk
- Finest Syrup in the city, 10c pt
- Dried Apples, 10c lb
- Fruites, 7c to 12c lb
- Dried Cherries, 15c lb
- Globe Family Soap, full 18 oz, 5c cake

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REPAIRING

Now that the holiday rush is over we are in a position to do all kinds of WATCH, CLOCK AND JEWELRY repairing and engraving in a first-class

CITY NEWS.

Roller skating at the auditorium Saturday matinee, Monday evening.
Try a deep sea wave at John H. Birney's to-night, Phoenix avenue.

Mrs. Olive Adams 77 1/2 Kingsbury street was taken with a paralytic shock yesterday.
The funeral of Mrs. Ann Deews will take place from her late home on Hospital avenue to-morrow, afternoon. The interment will be in Middlebury.

Charles F. Olin, for the past five years editor of the New Britain Record, has taken over the managing editorship of the Bristol Press and will assume the duties of the position on Monday.

Joseph Farrell, an employe of the Benedict & Burnham company, got struck in the face with a bar of metal this morning, inflicting ugly cuts on his forehead and cheek. Dr. Dwyer dressed the wounds.

Some people who were out of bed early this morning claim to have heard the blue bird. If this be true, the backbone of the winter is broken, but it would not be wise to discard heavy garments for a few days more.

The annual meeting of the Burns club was held last evening and the following officers were elected: President, Donald McKellar; vice-president, David Mackie; treasurer, Alex McKay; financial secretary, Alex Clark; recording secretary, Frank Mitchell; trustee, Charles Kellie, William Lawson, Andrew Gainer.

Mrs. Keough, 194 Baldwin street, Specials after 6 o'clock: Boys' knee pants 18c boys' suits, were \$1.75, this evening \$1.60; one lot ribbon, 5c per yard, this evening 3c; one lot ribbon, were 10c, this evening 6c; gent's camel's hair underwear, were 75c, this evening 50c.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Delaney will take place from the family residence, 25 Wall street, to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with service at the Sacred Heart church and interment in St. Joseph's cemetery. A mass of requiem will be celebrated for the deceased at the Sacred Heart church Monday morning at 8 o'clock.

The funeral of William Brennan took place this morning from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Vickers, of North Elm street, to the Immaculate Conception church, where a mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. Father McGuane. The interment was in Calvary cemetery. The bearers were Michael and Richard Vickers, John McLinden and Patrick Kelly.

It is said that the building business will be better this year than it has been for some time past. Of course, the price of labor will be about the same, but the cost of material will be considerably less, so that people who have been holding back on account of the exorbitant figures put upon lumber and other things that go to make a building will be able to see their way to going ahead.

James F. Kilmartin and Miss Gertrude Cutting of Bristol led the march at the first annual dance and sociable of the Pastime Athletic club in Leavenworth hall last night. The different committees in charge were made up of the following persons: James F. Kilmartin, Joseph Kelly, Arthur Herbert, William Ennis, Joseph Quinn, James F. Kilmartin, grand conductor, assisted by John Ross, William Ennis, Joseph Kelly, Joseph Quinn and William Carroll.

Preaching at the Third Congregational church by the pastor, the Rev. Charles E. Granger, at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. to-morrow. Subject of morning sermon, "Entered," being the third in a series of four sermons on the fifteenth chapter of the Gospel according to St. John. Sunday school 11:45; juvenile temple, 3 p. m.; C. E. meeting, 6:35 p. m. Subject of evening sermon, "Making Darkness Useful." Fifteen minutes of praise at evening service. All are welcome.

An account of a concert given in Danbury a few evenings since speaks as follows of well-known Waterbury artists: J. J. Derwin, of Waterbury, made a decidedly favorable impression in banjo and mandolin solos and shared it with the Misses Byrne, also of Waterbury, in a trio for two mandolins and a piano. In his banjo playing particularly, Mr. Derwin shows remarkable dexterity and the two solos played by him were executed with excellent taste and expression. Miss Byrne was one of the accompanists.

A lady of this city who is a prominent temperance worker created a little ripple of excitement yesterday by an absent-minded mistake. Wishing to enter a place of business in the dry goods line she pushed open a window door instead of the right one. After advancing a step or two she was made aware of her mistake by her surroundings. She had a bundle under her cloak which, to a casual observer, might have resembled a hatchet, and suggested the thought that Mrs. Carrie Nation had appeared in Danbury. There might possibly have been looks of surprise and apprehension. The lady did not stay to see, but hurriedly and rather hastily retired.—Danbury News.

An act from the play of "Robert Emmet," will be given at City hall on Sunday evening, March 17, at the grand entertainment to be given in honor of St. Patrick for the benefit of the Catholic Women's association. The part of the play given will be the court room scene where Emmet makes his immortal speech when asked by the judge if he has anything to say why the sentence of death should not be passed upon him. The court scene will be faithfully reproduced, the judges, and attendants being in costume and the patriot Emmet being in the dress of the Irish gentleman of his day. This part will be played by Edward L. Maloney, who will also have charge of the stage setting.

The simple announcement that Edwin Markham will be the speaker at Jacques opera house next Sunday afternoon will doubtless fill the hall with a great company of Waterbury men eager to hear America's noted poet and writer. As the author of "The Man With the Hoe," Mr. Markham has attained a fame which comes to few men. As a sociologist his opinions are widely known. His topic on Sunday will be unique, "The Teachings of Jesus as I Understand Them." Questions concerning the import of Christ's life and sayings are occupying the minds of the deepest thinkers of the day and many men will consider it a high privilege to listen to the views of such a man as Edwin Markham. He proposes to introduce something of his own composition in poetry and at the close of the evening, will ask questions of the audience.

Sheridan's Reg. N. E. O. P., held the regular meeting last evening and initiated two new members.
Mrs. William Robinson of Beacon street, wife of the janitor of the Bishop street school, was seized with paralysis yesterday. There is no immediate serious results expected thus far.

Erwin Holmes, whose case is reported in the city court proceedings, was taken to jail this afternoon with the other prisoners, he failing to procure the bond ordered by the court for the support of his wife and children. Before he left police headquarters he asked for his brother, as though he had expected to get assistance from him.

The local councils of the K. of C. will give a union fair in City hall, commencing April 22 and continuing six nights. There will be \$1,000 in cash prizes, one of \$750 and the rest in small amounts. The committee will meet in their hall in the Platt block to-morrow afternoon and all members of the order are requested to call there and take out some of the books.

Mrs. Annie Comber, aged 70 years, died this morning at the hospital for insane in Middlebury. Mrs. Comber has been an inmate of that institution for about sixteen years. Upon her removal there Judge Cowell was appointed her conservator and ever since has transacted her affairs with benefit to her estate. Interment will take place in this city, unless arrangements that have been made are set aside.

The crosses designed by Thomas M. Shanahan to mark the graves of deceased members of the Holy Name society are ready at his house, 52 Lafayette street. The Holy Name society of the Sacred Heart parish will receive nine and the society connected with St. Francis Xavier's and St. Patrick's a required number for their dead. The cross will be known by the letters "H. N. S." Underneath these the name of the deceased and the parish to which he belonged will appear.



WALKER CARPET SALE Still On

Our entire stock (no restriction) of best quality, 5 frame Body Brussels, for \$1 per yard.
FURNITURE.—This week Couches will all have a special marked down price on them. They are new goods! Just received for the spring trade.
FANCY ROCKERS.—Big line of Oak and imitation Mahogany, with velvet seats. Price \$2.40.
COMBINATION DESKS.—Solid oak with bevel French plate mirror; artistic design. This week \$14.50.
HALL SETTEE.—Golden Oak, new goods, \$3.75.

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- Prime Rib Roasts 12c lb
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This is our surprise season. At this time of the year we must begin to think about our spring stock and make shelf room for it. That's why we cut shoe prices beyond recognition. That's why you are in luck if you need shoes now. You can buy two shoes for the price of one. For example, all our Russel Shoes will be sold out for Manufacturers prices, at

E. J. FINN,
THE BAKER.

Mourning Goods

We desire to call your attention to our Mourning Goods department, as we are giving this department special attention and are showing a complete line of all goods pertaining to Mourning Hat Wear—Capes, Silks, Ribbons, Ornaments, trimmed and untrimmed Hats, are displayed in profusion, and as usual, the prices "are right," as they always are.

I. CHASE, MONDAY

The Miller & Peck Co

Special Prices For Saturday Night and Monday.

- At \$1.98—All our Kersey Coats, all satin lined, were \$7.50.
- At 79c—Ladies' Skirts, cheviot, were \$2.
- At 59c—Ladies' Calico Wrappers, were 98c.
- At 49c—Black Taffeta Silk, value 59c.
- At 75c—Cheney Bros' Pointed India Silk, was \$1.
- At 75c—Ladies' Plain Corset Covers.
- At 29c—Ladies' Night Robes, value 39c.
- At 4c—Pen and Pencil Pads, from 5c.
- At 19c—"Hook-on" Hose Supporters, from 25c.
- At 10c—Whisk Brooms, value 15c.
- At 10c—Pure linen H. S. Handkerchiefs, were 20c.
- At 19c—Perfumes, all odors, from 25c.
- At 39c—Ladies' Milanese Suede Gloves, were 50c.
- At 15c—Plain and Dotted Veilings, were 25c.
- At 10c—No 12 Satin Back Velvet Ribbon, value 25c.
- At 10c—Ladies' Linen Collars, from 12 1/2c.
- At \$1.49—Chiffon Boas, were \$1.98.
- At 15c, 2 for 25c—Children's Natural Gray Ribbed Undershirts and Drawers, were 25c.
- At 50c—Women's Black Wool Ribbed Vests, were \$1.
- At 25c—Men's heavy Overshirts, large sizes only, were 50c.

The Miller & Peck Co

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Saturday Night and Monday All Day
All our Neckwear at HALF PRICE. AT 25 CENTS EACH

You can have your choice on all the Neck Ties in the store.
AT 1 1/2 CENTS EACH
Your choice also on all the 25c Band Boys in all styles and designs, light or dark colors.
4-ply Linen Collars, 3 for 25c, for that sale.

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Kelly's

Chocolate Chips. You know all about these so I have only to mention that I have them fresh every afternoon. The snappy brittleness and well preserved flavor of these thin confections has given them an immense circulation.

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DRESS GOODS

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THE FOLLOWING A FEW THAT AWAIT YOU.

- Every Monday during this sale we will offer at 22 1/2c a line of 28-inch Black Cashmeres, 22 1/2c
- 28-inch Colored Henriettas, 22 1/2c
- 42-inch Colored and Black Serges, 22 1/2c
- 26-inch Fancy Checks, 22 1/2c
- 42-inch Fancy Suitings, 22 1/2c

BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY NIGHT AND MONDAY.

- Lyon's Tooth Powder, 19c
- Talcum Powder, 2c
- Sheffield Dentifrice, 12 1/2c
- Curling Irons, from 5c.
- German Knitting Yarn, per skein, 19c

PETTICOATS.
Sateen and Flannel Petticoats, with ruffles, 49c
- Accordion plaited and double ruffle Petticoats, 75c
- Ladies' heavy mercerized Petticoats, with 4 ruffles, 98c

DRESSING SACQUES.
Ladies' Elidedown Dressing Sacques in pink, blue, red and gray, with shell, embroidered and ribbon trimmed, from \$1, 59c

UNDERWEAR.
Ladies' heavy ribbed Underwear, Vests and Pans, from 69c, 47c
- Boys' Pileed Lined Underwear Gents' double breasted fleeced lined Underwear, from 59c, 42c
- Gents' strictly all wool Underwear, double breasted and double seated, 69c

SCHOOL APRONS.
Children's School Aprons in lawn and cross bars, Hamburg and ruffle trimmed, value 39c, 25c

LADIES' GINGHAM APRONS.
Amoskeag Aprons, from 25c, 17c
- Amoskeag Aprons with bibs, 25c

BUSTLES.
Ladies' Wire Bustles, from 39c, 25c
- Ladies' Curled Hair Bustles with hip pads, 25c

GLOVES.
Ladies' Pileed Lined Gloves, from 25c, 25c
- Ladies' Kid Gloves in pretty colors, 70c

CORSETS.
Ladies' Corsets, finely made, from 50c, 24c
- Ladies' Short Hip Corsets in pink, blue, gray and white, from 69c, 45c
- Ladies' R. & G. W. B. and P. W. Corsets, 75c

SHOE DEPARTMENT.
Little Gents' Calfskin Shoes, double sole extension welt, patent back stays, regular \$1 shoes, 75c
- Youths' heavy Calf Shoes, double sewed and riveted soles, patent back stays, bulldog toes, regular \$1.50 shoes, \$3.10
- Misses' fine Kid and Box Calf Shoes, kid and patent tips, every pair warranted, regular \$1.50 goods, \$1.19
- Women's Patent Strap Sandals, the dollar kind, 69c
- Women's heavy Kid Shoes, double soles, modern last, button or lace, regular \$1.25 shoe, \$1.19

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ENTRANCE: 97-103 Bank Street. From Street to Street! ENTRANCE: 92-95 S. Main St.

We think these values will tempt any mother who has a boy to clothe. Fancy Shirts with stiff bosoms for 50c—not regular 50c shirts mind you but 75c and \$1 ones for 50c.

Only about 10 dozen though, so before the shouting is over they ought to gone—they're cross striped.

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Is the last night of our Annual Sale—the largest and greatest value giving sale of high grade clothing ever inaugurated by any retail house in the country.

YOU CAN ANTICIPATE

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\$12 Overcoats, Sale Price \$6.50.
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We invite you to call and advise you to keep your hands in your pockets and hold fast to your purse as your eye roams over our stock. It's a temptation to part with your cash.

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All ready for your inspection. Our low prices are better than arguments, and appeal with stronger force than columns of talk with nothing to back them.

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DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT
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