



A GOOD judge must have both experience and learning. A housekeeper should be a good judge for she too must have experience and learning or she may think that the soaps made to look like Ivory Soap are just as good.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Annual Meeting of Directors of M. S. S. P. A. The directors of the Maine State Society for the Protection of Animals met yesterday afternoon and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

MAINE BIBLE SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting Held in This City Yesterday. The annual meeting of the Maine Bible Society of Maine was held at the rooms in the First National Bank building yesterday at 4 p.m.

OBITUARY.

ALBION BLACKSTONE. Mr. Albion Blackstone, the well known mason and builder, late of the firm of Blackstone and Smith, died yesterday morning at his home in Woodford of Bright's disease, with which he had been afflicted for the past two years.

HOME FOR AGED WOMEN. The ladies at the Home were given a fine musical on Wednesday evening (the Mandolin club, through invitation of Mrs. Abiel M. Smith.

OPEN CONGRESS. There will be a regular meeting of the Open Congress at the Church of the Messiah this evening at 7.45. The subject for discussion will be, Resolved, that there should be no discrimination in the matter of tariff between Porto Rico and other territory of the United States.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Harlan M. Raymond of Westbrook to King E. Raymond of Westbrook, for \$1, land on the southerly side of Warren street, Westbrook.

What Shall We Have for Dessert? This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool.

OLD HOME WEEK.

Board of Trade Discusses Plan.

Met Committee of City Council Yesterday.

Different Views as to Time.

Gov. Rollins of N. H. May Meet Committee.

There was a largely attended meeting of the Portland Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon, the chief business being to discuss plans for the holding of Old Home Week in this state.

While not a native of Maine, Mr. Wright had made his home in Portland for more than twenty years and had grown to be an important factor in the business life of this community.

Portland, April 6, 1900.



FIFTY dozen fine pure linen Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and a delicate row of needle embroidery inside the border, thirty or forty styles, all different, to go on sale this morning at 25c each, \$2.75 the dozen.

A hundred dozen pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs with small needle-wrought initial in the corner at two for 25c in same department.

The Draperies room offers a very special Bargain in white Muslin bedroom Curtains, twelve different kinds, plaids, stripes, shot figures, etc., all with deep full ruffle, at 98c the pair.

The new McCall Patterns for May have just arrived—also the illustrated catalog for free distribution—at the Linings counter. McCall's Patterns, you know, are sold for 10 and 15c none higher and are equal to any at any price.

OWEN, MOORE & CO.



Every garment bought at our store plainly bears the stamp of April, 1900, in its make up. We're not a store house but rather a way station where snappy style, reliable goods pass in and out at a reasonable or a cut price figure.

FRANK M. LOW & CO., Men's Outfitters, MONUMENT SQUARE.

the part of the Portland board and of the committee from the city government to arrange matters for the celebration. Mayor Robinson presided at this conference and it was voted to call a meeting to be held in the common council rooms of the City building at 3.30 o'clock on the afternoon of April 17th.

J. R. Libby Co., Silk Waists - Our Newest.



To neglect telling you instantly of our new-nesses in Spring Silk Waists would be as unfair as for your daily newspaper to forget to publish the latest Telegraph news.

Waists are arriving in quick succession. Four New Beauties came while we were in the midst of the Kid Glove Carnival.

They're well worth your seeing. You'll find them on Sale Friday and Saturday on Second floor.



69c. Made of good quality Print, washable Colors, with yoke, wide Skirt, an 89c Wrapper. This Sale at 69c.

For \$3.98.

Elegant style Waist of fine Taffeta Silk; colors are old blue, red, royal, turquoise, lavender, (several shades) and gray. It made full front, with many rows of fine tucking, French back, tucked in perpendicular clusters; dress sleeve and high collar, well lined. This Sale \$3.98.

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Black Taffeta Silk, fine texture. The entire front is Corded, ruffle effect; back is Corded in fan-effect, high collar, with rows of ripple Cording on top of sleeve, flare cuffs, well lined. This Sale \$5.00.

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Of imported Taffeta Silk, in all the best colors, Corded all over including sleeves; the high collar is also Corded, flare cuffs, finished with two rows of Silk Stitching, lined throughout, \$5.00.

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Of extra heavy imported Taffeta Silk; pretty shades of red, old blue, turquoise, lavender (several shades) and gray. All over tucked front, cluster of tucks in the back, perpendicular effect, tucked from shoulders to flare cuffs, a pretty bow tie attached. All over tucked Collar, lined throughout, \$5.00.

WRAPPER SALE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

J. R. LIBBY CO.

79c.

Finest Print, dark colors such as blue, red, black, with white, small neat figures, ruffle-trimmed yoke; turn-down collar, tight fitting Waist lining, wide Skirt, pocket, a Dollar Wrapper. This Sale 79c.

98c.

Of best Print, dark and medium colors, yoke, shoulder cape and collar trimmed with fancy braid, tight fitting Waist lining, 3/4 yard Skirt, Ideal make, a \$1.25 Wrapper. This Sale at 98c.

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Fine new pattern Percale, elaborately trimmed with Swiss embroidery ruffle and braid, Flounce Style. This Sale \$1.25.

Sea Island Percale and Dimity Wrappers, small figures, gored Skirt, with deep flounce, removable collars, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.25.

TWO NIGHTGOWN SPECIALS.

High Neck.

Made of choice selected Muslin, Pointed yoke of Solid embroidery, the new effect, embroidery ruffles, in neck and sleeves; finished with fine Feather stitched braid, good length, double-back-yoke, 98c.

Empire Style.

Fine, soft finished muslin, revers of All over Embroidery, very open effect, broad insertion, front finished with Feather Stitches braid, revers and sleeves trimmed with wide embroidery ruffle, double yoke-back This Sale price 98c.

These Gowns are from a company about to make a change in their business, and so sold under price.

Easter Cards and Booklets.

A four-sided counter loaded with them, and a pretty collection of it. Cards, Novelties, Booklets. Flat Cards, Folding Cards, Card Covers, Booklets, Sachets.

Jardenieres for Easter.

Mark down all along the line. 15c ones for 10c, 25c ones for 20c, 35c ones for 30c, 45c ones for 40c, 55c ones for 50c, 65c ones for 60c, 75c ones for 70c, 85c ones for 80c, 95c ones for 90c.

Hotel Table Ware

For Hotels and Boarding houses. The "Heumann" "Turquoise" open stock patterns, Maddock Vitrified Hotel ware. The thick, tough quality, hard to break but delicate in style, steel patterns. Used by the best Hotels in the world.

The Plant System of Hotels and Steamers, Harvard College, Yassar College, Pennsylvania, Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific, L. V., B. & O. Railroads. Buy one piece of a set. Prices that will suit you.

Boston Bankrupt Stocks.

We have bought several departments of a great Boston Bankrupt Stock, just the goods needed in every family. The goods are arriving and will be arranged for Sale in a few days. Some of the goods are outside of any lines we have ever kept before. Watch the papers for announcement of Goods and day of Sale.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE STANDARD CLOTHING CO.

(For 20 Years Located at 255 Middle Street.) We have leased the store at No. 544 Congress street (where Mr. Chas. Day has been located for a number of years), are having it remodeled, and elegantly fitted up for our special use, and shall

OPEN THE NEW STORE CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS AND FURNISHING GOODS.

We are assured by our many friends and the public that a Grand Benefit awaits us. You will have Plenty of Opportunity to secure all the good things in our line for the Easter Holiday.

Standard Clothing Co. W. C. WARE, Manager.

Manufacturers and promoters of Fashionable, Perfect Fitting Clothing for Men and Boys, Operators of 36 Stores. Largest Wholesale and Retail Dealers in America.

MARRIAGES. In South Norritgewock, Henry A. Sewell of Wilton and Miss Ella Skillings of Norritgewock. In Ramford Falls, April 4, by Rev. E. W. Webster of Mechanic Falls, assisted by Rev. M. B. Townsend of Dixfield, Edward A. Allen and Miss Lena Inna Putnam, both of Ramford. In North Haven, March 28, Leander B. Smith of Vinahaven and Mrs. Aldana C. Thomas of North Haven. In Rockland, March 26, James P. Aylward and Annie Moore. In Fortis, March 24, Frank Sargent and Ida Towle. In Cherryfield, March 23, V. G. Gardner and Miss Harriet Monahan.

QUOTATIONS OF STAPLE PRODUCTS IN THE LEADING MARKETS.

Table listing staple products like Beans, Peas, Potatoes, and various oils with their respective prices.

NEW YORK STOCK, MONEY AND GRAIN MARKET REVIEW.

By direct private wire to Louis S. Colwell, manager of Price, McCormack & company's branch office, No. 216 Middle street.

New York, April 5.—During the afternoon a broker who in the past has been a very heavy operator made his appearance on the floor and together with three or four other room operators, made a somewhat vigorous attack upon the whole lot.

Chicago Board of Trade. Wednesday's quotations. WHEAT. April... 67 1/2, May... 67 1/2, July... 67 1/2.

Portland Daily Press Stock Quotations. Corrected by Swan & Barron, Bankers, 109 Middle street.

NEW YORK, Sept 5. Money on call was steady at 3/4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper at 4 1/2 per cent.

Portland Wholesale Market. PORTLAND, April 5. The following quotations represent the wholesale prices for the market:

Flour. Spring Wheat... 3 05 1/2 to 3 07 1/2. Winter Wheat... 2 85 to 2 90.

Imports. BONAIRE WT. Bark Gazelle—9000 bbls of salt to Lord Bros.

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THE INTERNATIONAL ZINC CO., LTD. OF JOPLIN, MO. MONTHLY DIVIDENDS OF 1 PER CENT.

When the new mills and necessary equipment have been supplied the company will be in a position to substantially increase these dividends.

300,000 Shares at Par. \$1.00 PER SHARE. Fully Paid and Non-Assessable.

Applications accompanied by remittance will be received at either of the following offices of the Fiscal Agents.

JOSHUA BROWN & CO., 89 State St., Boston. 45 and 47 Wall St., New York.

SAPHO NOT OBSCENE. Jury Finds Miss Netherole Not Guilty. New York, April 5.—The trial of Miss Olga Netherole, Hamilton Revelle her leading man, Marcus Meyer, her manager and Theodore Moss, for producing the play of "Sapho" was continued here.

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STEAMERS. PORTLAND TO LIVERPOOL VIA QUEENSTOWN. Winter Season 1899-1900.

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