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ELVINS & ROBERTS

Being now in the hurry and rush of Spring business, you will pardon us if we do not present much that is new. We merely wish to assure you that we are still doing business at the old stand.

We meet the recent out in the price of **Cottolenc**. Having had the honor of introducing this excellent article to the trade in this vicinity, we propose our imitators shall not lead us on this or any other article. Price until further notice, 13 cents per pound.

We reduce the price of **Wood Fibre** Falls to 35 cents, making them by far the cheapest and best water pall for the money now on the market. No fraud about these goods,--a first-class article in every way. No hoops to drop off, does not soak water, therefore always light, and almost no end to the wear.

Have you tried **Snider's Catsup**? If not, why not? "It leads the procession." Large bottle, 25 cents.

Full weight **Milk** certainly should be a leader also. 12 cents per can. Try a can, and if it is not what we claim for it, bring it back.

Please remember that we are the sole agents for **Mapes' Complete Manures** for all crops, and we aim to keep the stock as complete as the rapidly increasing sales of these most popular and reliable fertilizers will permit. Prices on application.

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A full line now in stock. Small seeds in large papers, warranted fresh and genuine, 30 cents dozen papers. Also Peas, Beans, Sweet Corn, Clover, Timothy, Red Top, Orchard, and Lawn Grass Seeds. All at bottom figures.

Seed Potatoes are here, in all the leading varieties, viz: Holton County (Maine), Rose, Beauty of Hebron, Early Ohio, Rose Seedling, etc., etc. Prices, \$1.25 up.

You will pardon us for again calling your attention to the very important item of **Berry Baskets**, when we assure you that, according to the present outlook as to demand, prices will be much higher. We therefore strongly urge placing orders at once. Prices we are quoting now hold good for this month only.

Let us have your order now for **Gift Crates**. Hardly prepared yet to quote prices, but you can depend upon getting them from us when needed, at prices that will be right.

Agents for **Bissell Plows**, which we carry in stock, in all sizes.

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Hammonton, N. J.

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Stop to think what a fine piece of mechanism your watch is? and that you are injuring it by letting it run too long without having it cleaned and oiled?

A watch is injured more in one month, when running dirty, than in a year's time when properly cleaned and oiled.

Why neglect to have it cleaned, when you can get it done, and guaranteed, for One Dollar?

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Go to **JACKSON'S** for Best Meats at the lowest prices

A MESSAGE.

Dear loved friends, so far away,
I greet you in my thoughts,
And long to meet you there to-day
In the silent City of the Dead,
To place, with tender, loving care,
The fragrant offerings of love
Upon the resting-place there
In the peaceful City of the Dead.

I feel within my yearning heart
That kindly souls will think of me,
And gladly, sweetly do my part
At the lonely City of the Dead.
Ah, many hearts this grief doth know,
And long, beyond the power of words,
To part the curtains hanging low
Above the City of their Dead.

But wait, dear ones, the time will come
When faces to face our loved we'll meet
On that glad day, at home, sweet home,
Beyond the City of the Dead!

DORCHESTER, MASS., }
Memorial Day, 1893. } N. M.

Our World's Fair Letter.

CHICAGO, May 27, 1893.

From time immemorial, however strongly the circus may be denounced, the propriety of "taking the children to see the animals" has never been questioned. So, counting ourselves children, we took ourselves to that part of the World's Fair where the menagerie is.

The entrance to the arena is thrown open; two Shetland ponies, two large dogs and a small elephant enter and march around the ring, single file; then a teeter-board is brought in and fixed. The elephant walks up one end, followed by one dog and pony. At the middle the elephant balances himself, then puts one foot forward and throws the other end of the board down, and the other dog and pony step on and all is ready. The band struck up that dear old English college song--"See Saw, See Saw," and the waltz began. The elephant leans first to one side and then to another; now they're up and now they're down. And although he brings the plank down with a jolt sometimes, the ponies never lose their footing. As they leave the plank, it is interesting to observe how the last pony takes care to be at the middle of it when the elephant steps off. They do all this with no more help than an encouraging crack of the whip at intervals, or a word of command. Next the band starts a waltz and the dogs and ponies, head to tail, and the elephant by itself, waltz around the ring and retire.

The door again opens, and a spotted dog, a pony and a tiger enter. They trot around the ring a moment, until at a tap of the whip, the tiger leaps upon a stand about five feet high. At a signal from the trainer it leaps to the back of the pony and sits there gracefully while the pony gallops around the ring. In the meantime the dog has been handed a hoop, which it holds in its mouth, and when the pony comes around, the tiger jumps through to the stand. The trainer signals for the performance to be repeated while the pony leaps some hurdles. But the tiger refuses, and leaps to the floor instead.

The trainer calls him back, commands again, and again the tiger refuses. Five times he tries, with the same result. But the trainer, with a persistence that means "I will be obeyed," tries again, and this time, although the tiger shows his teeth and whines, he obeys and finishes the performance amid great applause. A whole troupe of animals came in and took their accustomed seats around the circle. After hurdle races, in which lions themselves form the hurdles, and zoological pyramids, a velocipede is brought in. One of the lions mounts it, puts its fore feet on the treadles, while two dogs walk behind on their hind feet, and push, and away they go. And it is all an object lesson of what patience and perseverance will do.

The attendance at the beautiful White City is still increasing. The warm weather has wrought a great transformation in the grounds. Pansies and tulips shed a blaze of beauty; orange and lemon trees show their tempting fruit to the passer-by, and landscape gardening in general is being pushed forward on Wooded Island, which will

soon present the highest state of perfection.

This week fifteen hundred visiting editors convened the Public Press Congress, and although not so much may be heard or said outside in regard to it, we doubt not its influence will be long felt on that powerful factor in our present civilization.

Visitors to the Manufactures and Liberal-Arts building may now purchase a round trip ticket to the half-mile promenade on the roof. Here, at an altitude of two hundred and fifty feet, one gets a splendid and comprehensive view of the exposition grounds and buildings. It is a remarkable picture--the lagoons with their gondolas and launches; the lake with its steamers, ships and tugs; the city, its roofs and steeples and avenues stretching away in the distance beyond the limit of our vision.

It is a significant fact that with all the thousands of visitors to the Fair, none are displeased, but express themselves as gratified beyond their expectations.

The East India Pavillion has been informally opened, showing a rare and costly collection of wares and manufactures. Natives in Oriental costume were present, and took delight in giving information concerning the different articles and their uses. The pavilion is not large, but its beauty compensates every whit for its lack in size.

ADAM ANTINE.

In accord with a policy of economy, the Reading Railroad management has directed a large reduction in the force of employes along the line.

John Atkinson,
Justice of the Peace,
Commissioner of Deeds,
Pension & Claim Agent.

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Riding Saddles, Nets, etc.

L. W. COGLEY,
Hammonton, N. J.

WE WANT 'EM, YOU KNOW.

It was only last thing we want 'em, you know. The world would be so comfortably slow...

JEFF DAWKINS HAD PROPOSED THAT THEY SHOULD 'RUN AWAY' TOGETHER.

Jeff Dawkins had proposed that they should 'run away' together; Dave objected to do things in a more manly fashion.

TRUE COSMOPOLIS OF EUROPE.

The cosmopolitan character of the population of Paris is frequently mentioned. The French capital is full of Parisians...

OUTFIT OF A MODERN ANGLER.

Fishing tackle is a product of great skill and the finest mechanics. Tackle made nowadays for trout fishing is a dream of exquisite beauty...

ALMOST A DECEMBER.

Banbury Crossing was the very delightful village in Old Colony. Its name suggested a railroad, but the railroad gave out before it got within twenty miles of there...

DAVE MADE A WRY FACE.

Dave made a wry face. Mr. Dawkins had offered him a situation in his manufactory, and his mother wished him to take it.

THE FOREIGN POPULATION OF PARIS INCREASES.

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OPRESSED BY ALL ANIMALS.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

REVERENCE AND FIDELITY. LESSON TEXT: Eccl. 5:1-12. Memory verses: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

WAITING FOR THE ANGELS.

Waiting through days of fever. Waiting through nights of pain. For the wait of wings at the portal...

GOING TO THE GREAT FAIR.

Of course every one who can visit the Great Fair will do so. In an ordinary hotel in an ordinary time, it is not easy...

LESSON BIBLE READINGS.

DEVOTION TO GOD. In body and spirit (Rom. 12: 1, 13, 19, 20; 1 Pet. 4: 6).

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We manufacture
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Can furnish very nice
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Guaranteed.
Our specialty, this Spring, will
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When you buy the Hammonton
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or three pints for a half-gallon;
nor do you get one of those
packages that weigh 12 to 14
pounds, and containing so much
alkali that it appears to be so
thick that it is impossible to
use it without thinning; but in
buying the Hammonton you get
a full standard gallon of paint,
weighing 14 to 16 pounds to
the gallon, made from the best
materials known to the trade,
and costs the consumer from \$1
to \$1.50 per gallon for honest
paint.
If the purchaser doesn't want
honest paint, and wants to be
honest to himself, then be sure
to buy the Hammonton paint,
and the manufacturer will give
a receipt with every gallon sold
telling you how to make two
gallons of paint out of one of
the Hammonton. It will cost
33 cents for the extra gallon.
One Dollar.
And then here comes Commercial
Paint, in 30 shades,—the best
paint ever put on the market for so low
a price as \$1 per gallon, and guaranteed
to be a first-class wearing paint. If any
one should not want to pay so high a
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lished for foretelling the future of the
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the story as vividly as the words. "The
Diary of an Athletic Girl" tells all about
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ing a vacation; and if the suggestions in
"Summer Furnishing" and "Guest
Rooms" are carried out one may be sure
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weather. The story of "A Victim of the
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heater and well of pure water; five acres
of land, two in timber, balance under
cultivation, with a variety of fruits; a
poultry-house, brooder-house, tool-house,
etc. Address, or inquire on the prem-
ises, Mrs. S. B. OLNEY,
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The Prices are considerably below city competitors, because expenses are trifling in comparison.
The stock is larger and more varied now than ever, and includes everything that adds to the happiness and attractiveness of woman-kind. Kid Gloves and Fine Laces are two new departures.
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AGENT FOR
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Meats and Vegetables
IN THEIR SEASON,
Egg Harbor Road and Cherry Street, Hammonton
Wait for the Wagon,
Or Leave your order, and we will call at your house.

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To Hammonton, Thursday, June 29, '93
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Samples of Goods of all kinds
From Strawbridge & Clothier's,
can be examined here, and the
goods received on short notice,
at Philadelphia prices.
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city, every week.
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Fruit Growers' Union
Hammonton, June 3rd, 1893.
Cooking by Electricity.
If you visit the World's Fair you will see ovens, coffee pots, broilers, etc., all heated by electricity. In the oven, the heating-plates are so placed that the heat can be applied either above or below, or both at the same time,—this and the degree of heat being controlled by a switch placed on the outside. As it will probably be some little time — say a couple of years at least — before the women of Hammonton will get to using electrical ovens, etc., we offer them, as the nearest approach to it, the "Quick Meal" Gasoline Stove. The degree of heat can be controlled perfectly. We have Gasoline Stoves from \$5.50 upwards.

Refrigerators.
One of our Refrigerators can be "run" at a cost for ice of not more than 5 cents per day, and the price of the Refrigerator is small. Will you do without one any longer? Glad to have you look at ours,—it is a very superior Refrigerator.
See Chests also.

Ice Cream.
We carry in stock all sizes, up to and including the 8 qt. size.
We have several of the "Wonder" Freezers—the kind you turn the Cream (or milk) in at one end, turn a crank, and it comes out frozen right away,—to close out at \$1.25 each. Former price, \$3.75.

Trunks.
Four styles of Trunks, and four or five sizes in each. We sell a 12-inch Alligator Bag for \$2.50, and have the same size in cheaper material at \$1.15. Telescope Bags, canvas, leather bound, six sizes. Trunk straps, Shawl Straps, etc.

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Have you seen ours for summer wear? We've a Russett Oxford at 80 cents, and other styles up to \$1.50. For elderly ladies, a Glove Calf Buskin is just the thing—soft and easy—price \$1.
Russett cleans and restores the color of russett or brown shoes. 9 cents bottle.

Bicycle Shoes.
We've a low Black Canvas Shoe, leather toe and trimmings, and leather sole, laced to toe. It is firm and comfortable. Price is \$1.25.
We carry in stock a full line of Bicycle Sundries, and sell Bicycles,—one at \$115 is as good as many a \$150 wheel. Have you seen it?

Fruit Growers' Union
And Co-operative Socy., Inc.

The Republican.
SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1893.
LOCAL MISCELLANY.
Fine growing weather.
Grand Army Post meeting this evening. Inspection.
Harold Rogers in the telegraph operator at the Union.
Miss Mattie Swift is employed in the store at Small's bakery.
The Odd Fellows are having initiations at every meeting.
Workingmen's Loan Association meeting next Monday evening.
The Atlantic City school census shows 2,929 children of school age.
Miss Stella Westcott is at home from Philadelphia, for the summer.
Johnnie Hoyt spent most of the week with his brother, in Haddonfield.
F. C. Holdridge has charge of the Union's shipping business at Elm Street.
STREET LIGHTING.—Bids for the contract to light the streets of Hammonton from June 15th, 1893, to June 15th, 1894, will be received on or before 7 o'clock P. M., Monday, June 14th, 1893, by the undersigned, who will make an appropriation on the contract. The committee reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM,
Chairman of Street Light Committee.
C. H. Wilson expects to be in attendance at the World's Fair, next week.
Sunday, June 11th, will be Children's Day in the Baptist and M. E. Sunday Schools.
Berry train from Hammonton, on the C. & A. R. R., Sunday, June 4th, at 4:30 P. M.
Town Marshal Bernshouse is after the bicyclists who persist in riding on the sidewalks.
Edw. Cordery and family have moved into the homestead, Valley Ave. and Grape Street.
The Fruit Growers' Union Daily Bulletin No. 1, for the season of 1893, was issued on Thursday.
A twenty pound lobster was caught with hook and line from the Atlantic City inlet what last week.

PARAGAN.—A two-story house, near Post Office, one story from the depot. \$1200—easy terms. F. L. SANDERSON, 200 N. 5th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

James W. DeJoy and wife, of Virginia, spent a few days here, with relatives and friends, on their way to York State.
Perseverance Castle, A. O. K. of M. C., will celebrate their first anniversary next Tuesday evening, the 6th, in Union Hall.
The Western Union Telegraph Company have opened an office in the store of S. E. Brown & Co., with John Moore in charge.
The Camden & Atlantic R. R. now brings its mail from Philadelphia and beyond at six o'clock in the morning. It is appreciated.

James H. Seely was in town last week, and removed his family and household goods to Rhinecliff, N. Y., where they will reside.
Wm. Bernshouse has the contract to erect two large buildings and make other improvements for Father Barrell, on his property, near the Lake.
Ladies' and gentlemen's fine bicyclists, address A. K. BRUNSTON, Hammonton, N. J.

PUBLIC SALE.—There will be a public sale of Household Goods and Furniture, at the house of the late GEORGE FAYLOR, on Walker Road, on Saturday, June 17th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Mrs. O. E. Moore writes from Boston: "We are well and prospering, but shall never forget the loved ones in dear old Hammonton. God bless them one and all."
Mr. Conkey has completed the annual school census, and reports 790 children in Hammonton, between the ages of five and eighteen years. There were 793 last year.
We go to press very late this week, but will try to meet all mails, as usual. Our paper house, in Philadelphia, moved to better quarters, and delayed shipment.

Edw. E. L. Tice and wife spent Memorial Day with their friend Prof. Lincoln, in Philadelphia, and participated with Post 16 in Memorial services at Odd Fellows' Cemetery.
The Artisan's Order of Mutual Protection is twenty years old, and still has weekly meetings and \$1000 at death. Some of the best citizens of our town are in the membership.

Wm. Huthertford, Commissioner of Deeds, Notary Public, Real Estate and Insurance, Hammonton, N. J.

Insure with A. H. Phillips & Co., 1325 Atlantic Ave., Atlantic City.

Memorial Day.
After storms and clouds came sunshine, Tuesday. Early in the morning the "old soldiers" were astir, and about eight o'clock the several details were en route to Waterford, Bates' Mill, Elwood, Winslow, Pleasant Mills, etc. On their return, about noon, all reported a cordial reception (except Winslow), and hearty co-operation on the part of residents at each place; for which the G. A. R. tenders thanks.
Early in the day Hammonton assumed a holiday appearance. Residences and stores were decorated with national colors; nearly all places of business closed at noon, and citizens gathered near Post headquarters. At half-past two o'clock the Post and band, and an immense concourse of people of all ages gathered at Oakdale Cemetery, on Main Road. The regular ritual of the G. A. R. was somewhat abbreviated; prayer by Rev. Mr. Williams; a very appropriate address by Rev. Mr. Eldridge; a benediction by Rev. Mr. Gilmore. A new feature was introduced by Past Commander Edwin Adams. Fifteen little girls, dressed in white, bearing pretty little baskets of flowers, stood in line, and at a silent signal, filed each side of the soldiers' graves. Mr. Adams recited the soldier's prayer. Mr. Adams recited the soldier's prayer. "Cover them over with beautiful flowers," and the girls recited in concert the chorus: "Cover them over—yes, cover them over—Parent, and husband, and brother, and lover; Roach were the paths of those heroes of ours—Now cover them over with beautiful flowers." While repeating this, they scattered flowers from their baskets upon the grave; then a male quartette sang the chorus, the girls continuing to strew the pretty blossoms. It was one of the most touching things we ever witnessed, and brought tears from the eyes of many.
We were pleased to note that the observance of the day is becoming universal. Many Italian citizens were present; and many of their dead were adorned with flowers, ribbons of bright colors, and burning candles.
At Greenmount Cemetery, at half past four, the Post was met by a still greater concourse of people from the town and surrounding country. The same impressive ceremonies were witnessed—prayer by Rev. Mr. Randall; address by Rev. Mr. Wagg.
The season is backward, and it was feared that flowers would be scarce; but friends were liberal, and on the march, Undertaker Valentine's handsome hearse was ever filled with "the sweetest things God ever made and failed to put a Soul into."
Memorial Day is now recognized as a legal holiday, nearly all over our fair land. Some will misuse it, and fritter away the time in amusements worse than useless.—The intention was to make this a day of solemn though not sad memories; to teach and learn lessons of patriotism; to view and decorate the resting places of those who were our country's defenders, and ask whether the institutions for which they sacrificed time, comfort, home, health, life, are not worthy of more earnest devotion on our part.—There is time, too, to note the increasing number of graves in each "city of the dead," which may well cause each to ask himself: "Will this body of mine lie here on next Memorial Day? It may; it may not; if so, where will I be?" Follow the thought, and so act that the darkness of death may be illumined by the light that streams from the bright beyond.

Nearly thirty members of the G. A. R. Post attended the M. E. Church on Sunday last. Presiding, Elder D. B. Harris, a comrade of the Order, preached an excellent sermon from the words: "Except a grain of wheat fall to the ground and die, it abideth alone." It was a practical every-day discourse—such as a child might understand, yet full of good thoughts, with specially appropriate words to the comrades present. All were delighted with the man and his sermon. The church was decorated with flags, the music was good, and the Post felt that they were honored with a hearty welcome.

Before buying a wheel, examine the "Hammer." Mechanism perfect, tires the best, and the best quality of rubber. Other makes also. \$75 to \$100. ROBERTS & SON'S FRONT, Accus, Hammonton, N. J.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Mark's are planning for a lawn party to be held at Mrs. Byrnes' on Thursday, June 22nd. The young ladies of the St. Agnes Guild are preparing an entertainment for the occasion, and everything promises an enjoyable time.

Regular meeting of the Town Council last Saturday evening, 27th. Present, Messrs. Austin, Bernshouse, Cunningham, Drown and Newcomb. The following bills were approved and ordered paid:
M. Stockwell, oil, etc. \$25 14
George Bernshouse, salary 23 00
O. E. Hoyt, printing 4 75
M. Stockwell, goods for poor 20 00
Elvius & Roberts, goods for poor 20 00
Mrs. May, salary of nurse 14 00
Highway accounts—
W. H. Burgess 2411 55
E. Johnson 23 05
H. Robt. 22 05
George Enders 15 00
Elvius & Roberts, supplies 18 61—211 08
\$339 07

The Highway Committee reported removal of rubbish from Peach St. Chairman called attention to undergrowth from Silver Poplar trees on Central Avenue, below H. T. Proseby's property.
Committee on Street Lights reported offer of James Smith to place lamps on sidewalk-line, provided the town would care for them. Committee instructed to investigate and report.

FOR RENT. A house near the Lake—five rooms and attic, in good order,—with a running water. Inquire at Rev. Mr. Austin's office.
Mr. Harry Swift, of New York City, came down this week on a visit to his brother, F. S. Swift, and was well pleased with our town. He contemplates removing hither.
Mrs. Wm. A. Soper will spend a little time with relatives "down shore," go thence to New York, to meet her father (Capt. Hooper), and later join her husband at Watertown, N. Y.
Born.—In Hammonton, N. J., on Thursday, June 1st, 1893, to Mr. and Mrs. Manley Austin, a son.
On Friday, May 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Berinata, a daughter.
NEAT and comfortable house and lot for sale. Apply to JOHN DILLON, Hammonton, N. J.

As the Rector of St. Mark's is to hold services at Waterford on Sunday afternoons, the hour for Sunday School has been changed to 9:15 A. M. Choral Celebration to-morrow at 10:30, and Evensong at 7:30.
The Fire Company has made short work of all members who do not comply with the rules, and none will receive exemption of any kind unless his name is handed to the Assessors by the Fire Marshal.
On Monday and Tuesday next, the Convocation of Burlington will hold its stated meeting in Christ Church, Riverton.—The Rev. A. C. Prescott expects to attend, and it is hoped that one or two of the laymen can also be present.
There is a baby boy in Bridgeton who has a grandmother and great-grandmother there, and in Hammonton has a grandmother, great-grandmother, and great-great-grandmother. If that boy isn't spoiled, it will not be because of the lack of petting.

GEORGE BERNSHOUSE's house and furniture are for sale. There are lots of good land, part in grass rest in crops, six-room house, good barn, and all conveniences. Inquire at Rev. Mr. Austin's at the REPUBLICAN'S office.

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AT BLACK'S.
A good Fat No. 1 Mackerel is an appetizing dish, this warm weather. We have some fine ones. We also have some nice mackerel, 2 fish for 25 cents.
Lamb's Tongue at 25 cents per can is something we have just added to our Fancy Groceries stock.
Smoked Dried Beef, in cans, is the best to buy during warm weather. We have an excellent brand.
Hartley's English Jams at 15 cents per Jar, a very low price.
Ginger, Chocolate, and Lemon Wafers are nice picnic goods.
Glass Cheese Dishes at 25 cents each are a bargain.
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