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## ELVINS & ROBERTS.

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## UMBRELLAS,

But we have handled them in a small way for some time, and now wish to call your attention to a little lot that we think are cheap. We mention a few—

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### The Wheelbarrow Boy.

"What kind of a boy is a wheelbarrow boy?" is the question that a great many will ask as they begin to read this article. Well, a wheelbarrow boy is that kind of a boy who will not "go" unless there is somebody behind him all the time to shove him along, just like a wheelbarrow.

I know a boy who is one of the best specimens of the wheelbarrow boy I ever saw. He is a bright boy, a clever boy, a handsome boy, a boy with an inventive mind, but when it comes to work he will do just as much as he is told to do, and no more. It never occurs to him to look round and find another job to do for himself. He will sit down and wait to be told to do something else. He also has a trick, if the boss leaves him to himself, of hunting up some trivial excuse for not doing the task he was told to do, such as he could not find a hammer, or the saw was blunt, or obstacles that he could very easily have overcome; but any excuse, however trifling, will answer the wheelbarrow boy's purposes for dodging or shirking his work.

Now, boys, no employer on earth has any use for a wheelbarrow boy. It doesn't matter whether you are working for an employer or for your father, don't wait to be told to do everything; look around and find something to do. By so doing you will not only make yourself much more valuable to your employer, but you will acquire a talent that is of untold value in this world, which is originality, or the faculty of thinking for yourself. When you have a task to do, do it, no matter how trifling it may be. There is always a way of doing a thing quicker, easier and better. Try and study out the very best way of doing it; and when night comes think over what you have done, and see if there is not something that you could improve on another time.

Now, I think I hear some smart boy say, "Gee whizz! ain't that old fellow a driver! wants a boy to work all day and then think about it all night." But you wrong me. I don't care so much about the amount of work a man or boy does, but I do love to see them put a little brains into what they do, and I have only contempt for the man or boy who has brains and won't even try to use them. Therefore I write on this subject, to try and point out to you the value of learning to think for yourself; and you cannot do this if you allow your employer, whoever he may be, to do all the thinking for you.

Last Winter I had two men in my employ as packers; one was a man who had been splendidly educated and had practiced in one of the learned professions. As a boy and youth he had had every opportunity that a wealthy father could give; he was a gentleman in manners and of good moral character. The other was a rough, hard working farmer's son, without any education; he never had any opportunities to go to school.

The time came when business got slack and I had to let one of these two men go. I knew I would have to part with one of them, and watched them to see which was the best to keep. I kept the farmer's son. Why? Because I saw that he could think for himself. In spare moments he made a little box to hold his sewing thread so that it would not tangle; invented and made an improved baling case; told me that I was cutting more paper than was necessary to line a case, and showed how by cutting another way a saving could be made; in short he used his "thinker" and studied his business. The other man, although possessed of a splendid education, never advanced an idea. He did what I told him to do, and no more. He was a wheelbarrow man, and with all his brilliant opportunities will never rise beyond the wages of a day laborer. He cannot think for himself and must therefore be forever the slave of those who can.

So learn to think; you have opportunities every day at home or in the store or office. — Caldwell, the Woodsman, in Florist's Exchange.

A CURE FOR GROUP.—When on a visit to Iowa, Mr. K. Dalton, of Luray, Russell County, Kansas, called at the laboratory of Chamberlain & Co., Des Moines, to show them his six year old boy, whose life had been saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it having cured him of a very severe attack of group. Mr. Dalton is certain that it saved his boy's life, and is enthusiastic in his praise of the Remedy. For sale by Cochran, druggist.

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Successor to G. F. Saxton,  
All domestic sizes constantly  
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THE HAMMONTON.

When you buy the Hammontont Paint, you do not buy seven-eighths of a gallon for a gallon, 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 Hammontont Paint, 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 Hammontont 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 Hammontont. It will cost 33 cents for the extra gallon.

**One Dollar.**  
And then here comes Commercial Paint, in 30 shades, the best wearing 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 price for a good exterior paint, then work the 33 cent racket, and get two gallons for \$1.33. Manufactured at Hammontont Paint Works.

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Valley Novelty,  
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They are Handsome in Appearance, Convenient in Use, Economical in consumption of Fuel. Ask any one who uses them. For sale by

**S. E. BROWN & CO**  
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## Fresh Pork,

## Sausage, and

## Scrapel.

## Bowles & McIntyre,

Egg Harbor Road and Cherry Street, Hammontont.

## FRUIT GROWERS' UNION.

Hammontont, N. J., Dec. 9th, 1901.

# Santa Claus' Head-quarters!



## All are Interested

in our display of Holiday Goods. If you have never been in our store, come now. If you're one of our customers, come the oftener. Whether you intend to buy anything or not, you are heartily welcome.

We are open evenings until eight o'clock.

We will hold for future delivery goods purchased now, if you so desire.

## Last Day

for the Special Bargains advertised last week. Set of Claus ("Saw Edge") Knives, bread, cake, and kitchen, 75 c., regularly 90 c. Claus Carver, 42 c., regularly 50 c. Thin Engraved Tumblers, 65 c. doz., regularly 85 c. Glass Sauce dishes, 19 c. doz., regularly worth 25c. To-day—Saturday—the last day for them at special price.

## This week's Bargains.

To call attention to our stock of Cutlery, Scissors, etc., we will sell 7-inch Shears for 37 c., regularly 50 c., this week (Dec. 9th to 16th) only. We've a full stock of sizes and finishes in both Scissors and Shears, all of the same make. They are made by American labor in an American factory. They are also warranted to be satisfactory in every way, and we will refund the money if for any reason you wish to return them.

We have special Shears for left-handed people.

## The other one.

Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, this week only (Dec. 9th to 16th), 75 c. set of 3, regularly 95 c. These are the regular removable handle iron, no "imitation." You can see them on the Kitchen Utensil Counter, in back store. This counter also contains a number of other useful articles particularly suitable for presents.

## "Hash."

We again mention the Special Values in Handkerchiefs now on our counters. More especially the All Linen at 10 and 15 c. each. Half a dozen in a fancy box make a very acceptable present.

## BOOKS.

Probably there are more Books purchased during the holiday season than any other one article. We have a good many Books in stock, and can obtain promptly any book that may be wanted, at publishers' price or less. When looking for books, bear us in mind.

## 25 cent Cloth Bound Books.

Oliver Twist.  
Nicholas Nickleby.  
Tom Brown's School Days.  
Tom Brown at Oxford.  
Scarlet Letter.  
Mysterious Island.  
Tale of Two Cities.  
Five Weeks in a Balloon.  
The Pathfinder.  
Anna Karenina.  
Miseries of Paris.  
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea.  
Tour of the World in 80 Days.  
And many others.

## Red Line Poets.

75 cents.  
Well bound and printed, a very good edition.  
Longfellow.  
Whittier.  
Tennyson.  
Byron.  
Poe.  
Browning.  
Shakespeare.  
Etc., Etc.

## Bibles at 90 c.

Nicely bound and containing both the Old and New Testaments.

## Books for Young People.

Six Popular Books by T.S. Arthur. The set for Two Dollars.  
Who is Greatest?  
Peanut Butter.  
Lost Children.  
Poor Wood-cutter.  
Wounded Boy.  
Organ Boy.

## Century's World's Fair Book.

Chatterbox for 1899.  
Sunday for 1894.  
With Stanley in Africa.  
Family Flight thro' Spain.  
Family Flight over Egypt and Syria.  
And others.

A very large assortment of cheaper books for children. Prices are 3 c., 5 c., 10 c., 20 c., 25 c., 35 c. Linen Books for the very little tots.

## GAMES.

A variety of kinds at from 10 c. to \$2.25. We name a few of them—

Ring Toss, Bagatelle, Baseball, Fish-pond, District Messenger Boy, Home Tennis, Tote-a-Tote and Lucko, Bival Doctors, Donkey Party, Dominoes, Checkers, Chess, Halm, Parcheesi, Ten Pins, Winkie (a new one), Magician's Outfit, Ferris Wheel Puzzle (something new).

These are Card Games. Game of Store, Snip, Cuckoo Hat, Jumping Frog, Cuckoo Hat, Baa-Baa Black Sheep, Fox and Geese, Old Maid, Authors, Most Laugable Thing on Earth, etc.

## TOYS, Etc.

McIntyre's Ladder, Building Blocks, Sail Boats, Drums, Tops, Horns, Rubber Toys, Grocer's Scales, Saws, Books, Kitchens, Stoves, Pop-Guns, Air Rifles, Cartridge Rifles, Paints, Blackboards.  
Magic Lanterns, Printing Presses, Tool Chests, Metallophones, Xylophones, Mouth Organs, Flutes, Iron Engines and Cars, Tin Wagons, Engines to wind up, Steam Launches.  
Flat Irons, Moveable Handle Flat Irons, Cradles, Bedsteads, Dust Pans, Washboards, Clothes Horses, Dressers, Bureaus.

China, Pewter, and Tin Tea Sets at various prices. China Toilet Sets, Small Cups and Saucers, Mugs, etc.

## DOLLS

in endless variety. Jointed Esquimo Dolls dressed in skins from top to toe. Very cute. Genuine Indian Squaw Dolls, with straight black hair, feathers, etc. Infant Dolls in long dresses. Japanese Dolls of all sizes. Prices are 5 c., 10 c., 20 c., 25 c., 50 c., 75 c., \$1, etc.

## In Fancy Articles

we have a great many pretty and useful things. We mention but one line this week, but have a generous stock of others. The wonderful new metal Aluminum, not really "new," but only very recently used for such purposes. Visitors at the World's Fair will remember the display of articles made of aluminum.

## Aluminum Novelties.

Very light, never tarnish, look like silver.

Match Safes. Cigar Cases.  
Pin Trays. Card Trays.  
Puff Boxes. Pin Boxes.  
Hair Pins. Napkin Rings.  
Sugar Shells. Tea Spoons, etc.

We want you to see the Aluminum Tea Spoons at \$2 a doz.

Getting away from the Holiday Goods, here is something special:

## Rubber Boots.

## Rubber Overshoes.

Owing to the higher prices caused by the combination of leading manufacturers of these goods, buyers should be very careful that "second-class" or even "third-class" goods are not sold them for "first-class." We buy nothing but those known to the trade as "first-class." Prices for "second-class" goods, this season, are about the same as "first-class" were last year.

We are still selling most of our goods at the old prices; and none are advanced to this year's price. As we cannot hold to these prices much longer, it is advisable for you to purchase now.

**Men's Heavy Rubber Boots, \$2.60.**

## Fruit Growers' Union

And Co-operative Socy, Inc.

## The Republic

SATURDAY, DEC. 9, 1901.

## LOCAL MISCELLANY.

**Mail Mails at Hammontont.**  
Up mails leave for Philadelphia and New York at 7:40 A. M. and 8:40 P. M. For Philadelphia and beyond at 10:40 P. M.  
Down mails arrive at 4 A. M. and 5:40 P. M.  
Up mails arrive at the Post Office 7:40 A. M. and 8:40 P. M. Down mails arrive 10:40 P. M. and 5:40 P. M.

**Court begins next Tuesday.**  
The Congress will convene on Monday, and it adjourns the next day.

**Miss Alice Saunders** of New York City, visiting her parents.  
These papers for three cents per copy, for sale or rent, at the Post Office, Third and Cherry Sts.  
**Gideon N. Lyman** is confined to the house, being treated for cancer on his chin.

**A. H. Van Doran** and family have returned to Hammontont, probably permanently.

A piano was taken into the new school-house, Thursday, for use at the coming entertainment.  
Only two weeks in which to buy Christmas presents. Come and see us at Fruit Growers' Union.

Remember the University Extension lecture, next Tuesday evening. Subject, "Taxation." Very appropriate at this time.

Judging by the Holiday display of the Fruit Growers' Union Store, old Santa Claus will be on hand very much as in other years, in spite of hard times.

**George Johnson's** place, on Eleventh Street, for sale or rent, at the Post Office, Third and Cherry Sts.  
The Edw. Johnson place also for sale.

A spee snow-storm on Tuesday, barely covering the ground. Quite a number of sleighs were brought out on Wednesday—probably to score the rust off of the runners.

The W. O. T. U. will hold a parlor meeting at the residence of Mrs. J. C. Browning, on Monday eve, Dec. 11th. Every member is expected to be present, and bring a friend.

**Ada**, wife of J. W. Hewitt, died on Saturday night at the residence of her father, Philip Hewitt, Central Avenue, aged 90 years.

**Funeral on Wednesday.**  
Mrs. Ann Endicott, widow of Capt. Thos. Endicott, mother of Mrs. H. K. Russell and Attorney Allen B. Endicott, died on Thursday, at May's Landing, aged about 70 years. Her husband was a prominent citizen of the Republic.

**The regular business meeting of the W. O. T. U.** will be held at Mrs. Butterfield's, Tuesday, Dec. 12th, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Horner, Pres. of Camden County, will be present at this time. Everybody welcome.

**Prof. I. Nathans**, eye specialist, will be here again, at Steel's jewelry store, to examine eyes free, on Saturday the 16th inst. No money to be paid in advance. Glasses fitted while you wait. References given. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**Preparations are under way for the school entertainment to be given Dec. 23rd and 24th**, in the new school building. We can't tell you much about it, but assure you that it will be worthy your patronage. Proceeds for the library fund.

**A CARD.**—As husband and parents of the late Mrs. Ada Hewitt, we tender sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their sympathy and help in our late bereavement.

**J. WALTER HEWITT.**  
**Mrs. & Mrs. P. KESSELL.**

**SINGER.**—A good Singer Sewing Machine for sale. Inquire at Ellis building, 11th and Cherry Sts.

**A delegation of Red Men** were expected from Vineland on Tuesday evening; but the Shamunkin reds gave up hope when the storm raged. In the evening they received a telegram saying: "Will be with you about nine o'clock." At 11 o'clock, after most of the tribe had retired to their wigwags, a footrace and camp party of warriors came marching into town, having footed it from Buena Vista, where their horses had given out. The local braves were summoned, the council fire lighted, the visitors warmed and fed, and the whole party had a grand good time.

**Insure with A. H. Phillips & Co.,** 1329 Atlantic Ave., Atlantic City.

**Miss Hamletta Moore** addressed a well-attended meeting in the M. E. Church on Monday evening last. Her lecture was at earnest plea for National Education and... **Wm. H. Hoppins**, Secretary, Harry A. Jacobs, Treasurer, Albert L. Jackson.

**The Delphic Literary Society** elected the following officers on Friday evening last:  
**President**, Miss Virgie Wigdahl.  
**Vice-P.**, Miss Mabel Quinn.  
**Second V. P.**, Harry D. Butterfield.  
**Secretary**, Harry A. Jacobs.  
**Treasurer**, Albert L. Jackson.

**Mr. Wm. F. Trout**, one of the early settlers of Hammontont, died on Monday last, at his residence on Pine Road, from dropsy. Funeral on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, at the residence of the deceased. The ceremony was brief and quiet, befitting the habits of Mr. Trout, who was known to all as a good citizen, reticent, a hard-working, home-loving man.

**D. B. Berry**, for the past two years with one of the best oculists of Boston, will be in Hammontont and vicinity for a short time. People wishing glasses, or to have their eyes scientifically examined, should call on him at the store of E. J. Woolley, on Saturday of each week. Examination and advice free. Write a postal card, and he will call at your house.

**GEORGE BERRY** and his wife, Mrs. Anna Berry, are for sale at a fair price. These are some of the best of the best in the county. Fine location. Particulars at the American Hotel.

**Miss M. E. Seely**, who is confined to her bed by sickness, desires her many friends to know that she deeply appreciates the kindness that led to the beautiful donation of which she was the grateful recipient on Thanksgiving Day. Such deeds are the evidence of a living faith in Christ, and like a sunbeam penetrate and dispel the shadows that sometimes gather about the heart in our hours of pain and affliction.

**W. H. Hoppins**, of the Grand Army Post elected officers last Saturday evening, for next year, as follows:  
**Commander**, John Atkinson.  
**Br. V. C.**, Orville E. Hoyt.  
**Jr. V. C.**, Chas. E. Roberts.  
**Quarter-Master**, L. Beyerage.  
**Surgeon**, Dr. H. E. Bowles.  
**Officer of the Day**, H. J. Mounfort.

**Representative**, L. H. Parkhurst.  
**Alternate**, Alex. Aitken.  
The World's Fair Sociable, in Central School Hall, on Wednesday evening, was enjoyed very much by those who attended. In fact, there was too much to "take in" in one evening. The meeting was called to order by A. J. King. P. H. Jacobs was chosen Chairman, Will. O. Hoyt Secretary. Descriptions were given by Messrs. King, Pressey, Jackson, and others. Come out next Wednesday evening, everybody, and do not be afraid to ask questions.

**As we announced last week**, the Hammontont high school boys arranged to play a game of football with high school boys from Haddonfield. Well, the Haddonfield boys (?) came down on Saturday, as agreed, and if they are specimens of Haddonfield pupils, their school must be "high" in more senses than one. Some of them were bearded men, and only the smallest one of the club was a proper match for our home team. It was a surprise party; but the game was played. The assignments to position were as follows—the names in parentheses indicating changes made for various reasons:

**Haddonfield.**  
C. Mead.....Right End.....R. Trout  
Webb.....Left End.....(Mack) Jacobs  
H. Mead.....R. Guard.....(Miller) Patton  
Clement.....Center.....Devotion  
Rose (Garret).....L. Guard.....(H. Trout) Mack  
Smallitz.....L. Tackle.....M. Whittier  
Cull.....L. End.....(Patton) Whiffen  
Ludlow.....Q. Back.....Cordery  
Smith (Hose).....R. H. Back.....Farrar  
Moore.....L. H. Back.....A. Whittier  
Jennings.....Full Back.....Jacobson

**Umpire**—Mr. H. M. Phillips, of Haddonfield.  
**Referee**—Mr. Lippincott, of Haddonfield.  
It was evident from the first that our boys were over-matched, and that all they could hope to do was to keep down the visitors' score as low as possible. It is acknowledged that they did well, Haddonfield team saying: "We have played with many clubs, but this has been the hardest tussle we ever had." Of course, the Haddonfield club won—made two touchdowns and kicked one goal. Score, 10 to 0.

**Wm. Butterfield**, Commissioner of Deeds, Notary Public, Real Estate and Insurance, Hammontont, N. J.

**William H. McMullen** died at his home, 18 Elwood, on Tuesday last, aged nearly 65 years, from the effects of a paralytic stroke received Oct. 17th. He was a member of G. A. R. Post No. 11, Philadelphia, and a member of the Fallow's Lodge No. 884, in same city. Born in Philadelphia, he spent more than half of his life in New Jersey. The community loses a highly respected citizen, and the Church to which he belonged a worthy member. Funeral services on Thursday evening, burial at Beverly.

**About five o'clock** on Monday morning, a neighbor discovered fire issuing from the barn on Matteo Campanella's farm, Pine Road. "Matt" and his family were asleep, and by the time he was aroused and help arrived the flames had gained such headway that nothing could be saved but the young cattle which were in a shed. The large double barn was destroyed, with all its contents, including four horses five cows, and a large collection of farming implements. The barn was insured for \$250, three horses for \$150 each, four cows for \$25 each.

"The Seven Degrees of Reward in Heaven," is the title of a pretty little book written by A. H. VanDoran, and published by Saml. B. Garrigue, Phila. It is a work particularly adapted for Christians, full of God's Word—set forth the believer's future, as being in his own hands—whether he will be satisfied with a mere entrance into Heaven, or will, by faithfulness and labor here, secure added joy in the future abode of the blessed. We advise every one to study this little book. It may stimulate to purer life, greater activity, and future glory.

**List of unclaimed letters** remaining in the Post Office at Hammontont, N. J., Saturday, Dec. 9th, 1901:  
Dr. J. Windle, W. Wareton;  
N. E. White, Cornelius Wyckoff.  
W. S. Taylor, J. H. Thomas;  
Charlie Oakman, Rev. B. Grover.  
M. Jones, L. Morton;  
J. Mount, C. Packer;  
G. H. Postant, C. M. Shuter;  
A. G. Stewart, R. Fisher;  
H. Eastlow, H. Curry;  
H. Berens, A. G. Black;  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. St. John, E. R. Barrett.  
Persons calling for any of the above letters will please state that it has been advertised.  
GEORGE ELVING, P. M.

## The First Ward

Will Fagen and Will Fehrenbach, of Philadelphia, ate Thanksgiving dinner with the Gepperts, Eleventh St.  
Mrs. Edwin Johnson was taken very sick on Sunday afternoon, and but for the intelligent aid of Miss Florence Weccot, the result would have been more serious.  
Robert Geppert surprised his friends by walking into the house last Monday evening.

Mr. John Lambert, of Philadelphia, has been spending some weeks with his aunt, Mrs. Charles Stratton, has returned home, much improved in health.

Miss Emma Weccot, of Philadelphia, agent a few days with her mother, on Eleventh Street.  
Mr. J. E. Horton has been reading the new tariff bill, the President's message, and the proceedings of Congress, until sleep is destroyed by the thought that this administration must continue three years more.  
EYE.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed, issued out of the New Jersey Court of Chancery, will be sold at public vendue, on Friday, Jan. 12th, 1894,

all two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Court House in May's Landing, Atlantic County, New Jersey, all that certain tract or parcel of land and premises situate in the Township of Buena Vista in the County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey:

Beginning at a stake standing in the middle of the Buena Vista (formerly Downstown) road and in the south line of the road leading from Buena Vista to Malsburg and extending thence (1) along the middle of said Buena Vista road south twenty five degrees and twenty three minutes west, one thousand feet; thence (2) along the middle of said Buena Vista road north thirty four degrees and thirty seven minutes west, five hundred and sixty feet; thence (3) along said dividing line north forty seven degrees and thirty three minutes east, one thousand and ninety seven feet; more or less to a stake in the southerly line of said road leading from Buena Vista to Malsburg; and thence (4) along the southerly side of said road south fifty eight degrees and fifty minutes east one hundred and forty four and eighty five hundredths feet to the place beginning, containing eight and eighteen hundredths of an acre of land, be the same more or less, better described according to a survey made April 26th, 1887, being part of a larger tract of forty eight acres and including a lot of twenty five hundredths of an acre which was sold by James and wife to two persons to decide each bearing date the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1887, of record in the Clerk's Office of Atlantic County, in Book No. 115 of Deeds, pages 48 and 49, conveyed unto John Muskatman, in fee.  
Seized as the property of Sarah D. Tompkins et al., and taken in execution at the suit of The Real Estate Title Insurance and Trust Company, of Philadelphia, Executors of Charles B. Birmingham, deceased, and to be sold by J. M. JOHNSON, Sheriff.

Dated December 1, 1901.  
B. F. HATWOOD SHRYVE, Solicitor,  
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SPANISH blood is up over the heavy losses in Morocco, and we shall see her landing an army of six or seventy thousand men in Africa ere long. Perhaps the Spaniards, once well lodged in Morocco, will decline to come out again, unless something handsome is offered them. The cessation of Gibraltar, for instance, the temple there to yield the ground won in Morocco to the English—a transaction which would greatly annoy France. It might be difficult to carry out while a French and Russian fleet is cruising near by.

As the individual coal operators of eastern Pennsylvania have formed an organization for the protection of their interests in the matter of prices, output and legislation, we may shortly expect to hear that prices have been advanced another notch. The big coal trust, composed of the railroads and their coal companies, has always been very prompt to put up prices upon the slightest pretext, or without any pretext at all. This latest combination of the small fry operators will put the trust to a severe test. The public may expect to be robbed right and left, but they are sure to do—and begin to mark up prices.

TRANSMIT DYNES, who killed a cook in a contractor's camp on the Chicago drainage canal because breakfast was late, was a little too exacting and insistent for the position he occupied. Only rural personages are exempt from an occasional walk and even they are not exempt to time and tide. Mr. Dyer, however, had nothing to complain of when he reached his quarters in the County Jail. Meals were served there with a punctuality that was undoubtedly gratifying to him. It is true that the menu was not always entirely satisfactory either as to quantity or quality, but Dyer could still console himself with the thought that he was not interested in the pictures of the table very long, unless there are restaurants in the New Jerusalem.

It is difficult at this distance to see why Farmer Eddy, of Newtonville, Mass., should be in the clutches of the law. On Halloween night Lotie Gilman and several other girls, dressed in boys' clothes and carrying lighted candles, were seen lurking in the vicinity of the Eddy residence. The farmer called forth, and, capturing Miss Gilman, took her across his knee, and then there gave her a good old Massachusetts spanking. She has had him arrested, Mr. Eddy claims in his defense that he thought Lotie was a boy, but why should a man be necessary? When Lotie took off her petticoats and donned trousers she waited her rights to the consideration usually accorded her sex. She put herself on the level of the world's boys, and went out to have fun. Incidentally, she got spanked. She deserved it. Eddy was right, and he ought to be triumphantly acquitted.

Every one who visited the Texas Building at the World's Fair—sympathize with the ladies of the Lone Star State in the difficulty they are now having with the contractors who erected the structure. The Texas women made friends of all who have partaken of their hospitality, which was as broad as their great State. They raised the money for the building themselves; the men had nothing to do with it. They paid the enormous expenses, too, and they did the honors in a style second to no other State represented in Jackson Park. They won the respect and good-will of all their guests, and they did more to glorify their State than all the politicians between Texas and P. Paso. If the men of Texas do not come to the relief of these patriotic and energetic women they ought to be kicked across the border into Mexico and made to say there.

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