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OUR KEYNOTE:

"If There is not a Way, Cut a Way."

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MILWAUKEE WHACKS SOCIALISM Teturns. The overturn of socialism in Mil-1 waukee shows that, the American voter prefers human welfare to eco-

nomic theories. service, and furnish it to the voter i under municipal ownership at a price under that of private ownership, they will be able to gain and retain power. The voter will never merely because it is tagged with the

red flag of Socialism. The trouble with Socialism is that | it has never confronted the question positions of business responsibil- Now you laugh, and pass it off Lead us Master, lead the way! ity for which they are not fitted, as an example of the funny things would be to increase the cost of liv- you see when you don't have your Sing to "Mczart."

The man with capacity for executive work and organization on a large

terprise, and by proper systematiza- ed hat," mrely by the rapier like off | duction. Sociālism provides no way

Q00 under such methods could usual- too much. ly be made to produce \$2,000,000 un-

inefficiency and shiftless methods. According to testimony from Mil-

too little in auditing accounts and getting good value in c the villain of the play. city purchases.

On the other hand Socialism

REVIVING BUSINESS. The report of bank clearings for

March for 125 cities, issued by R. | have been squared for \$500 each, yet ! March was a month of storms and world where "such works" are going

cold, which must have had some effort country districts.

again illustrates how foolish it is inpression as you look at modern for the American business man to lividge in Smart Society. Very difthe past two years, cur country has tincle Josh and Uncle Si used to as social unrest, of some breaking down favor of the gods at redoubtable of party lines' and some drifting 1000 point winter jousts at "high, away from old moorings. These periods of change are not of

of an established trade and good will, is founded on a rock.

The people who are constantly pre who should suggest that sort of game dicting a devastating panic more carefully. They should learn women in the plainer walks of life, that our great industrial depressions however, who still play cards for the

have come from two causes: First, pure fun of it. They are so old fashthe needless fears of business men; joned as to think, that when you a others up to \$5.00 pair. Second the over-confidence of busi- have to spur interest by the feverish

entitalists to tie themselves up in wite a net work of debts, one labricated, another in a top heavy pyramid. the day comething jars the narrow here and abroad, modern card playing and this, edifice of compares favorably.

the tirst cause goes, the at the beginning of Victoria's reign, the times change hands in one night. toep still in these days Back in the simple early days of our

panic from over-confidence for less is porty play in stately old Philadelphia than it is at the top of some high The memoirs tell of the men and

Tave of fancied prosperity. ing of losing \$2,000 of a night. Even

FISTICUFFS IN CONGRESS our memory serves us, the re- Bringing hope to house of care, art that Congressman Gardner, of Christ is risen, comrades sing. lassachusetts made an effort to nunch the face of Representative Christ is risen, Christ is king, Stanley, of Kentucky is the first We His friends are following, story of physical belligerency from Lending hand to neighbors' load, Making straight the crooked road Congress at this session. Christ is leading, comrades sing.

In the red blooded times of a former generation, there are cases on record of members pounded senseless Even within comparatively recent times, this method of convincing an apponent of the truth of your ideas has been common enough.

The Gardner-Stanley incident has t now turned out to be mostly a newsof how exceptional ability is to be paper fake, in which stingy words To the Uproad and God's grace were the worst exchange of hostili-If there was any dif-ties. This is a day of other weapons Forward, comrades, following. ference of reward, it would go to the than fists in politics. Formerly political class, the same oily tongued when you were told the wicked We are pilgrims through the damen who are now representatives to things your opponents were saying soon the stars for all shall gray. legislatures and d legates to conventabout you, you grew red in the face on the Trail cur Marter trod tions. The result of placing them and swore great round snappy oaths. We shall find—ourselves—and God.

Just as the college athelete smiles sheepishly and says it is nothing to scale is not apt to be a good vote | make the winning home run, so the that he is sweating and straining CAN'T. o demolish an opponent. He likes A man of high executive capacity to have it look as if his nimble

The English Suffragettes appear Unsystematic methods and a fail- that "hitting a man on the head with cre to reward human ambition are a brick, makes him think." Undoubtincredibly wasteful. A business pro- eilly it makes him think, but the ducing value to the extent of \$1,000. | trouble is that it makes him think | \$9

Our representatives in Congress der efficiency and reward for ambi- are clever enough to play the game laccording to the modern rules. Af- |-The public could better afford to | ter denouncing an opponent as the see the man who accomplishes that crature of the Money Kings, and result get \$100,000 profit for his the craven tool of Big Business, they go around and shake hands with him and caress his coat sleeve. It about as sensible to punch heads over as for the stage player who is asthe fellow actor who takes the part

A TALE OF BRIDGE

smoking room yarn from the eamship Olympic is to the effect e, after doubling and redoubling at ridge whist, found that the contents | 🔆 of the "pot" thus created was \$104,- |

Although the obligations of this edoubtable "kitty" are reported to ne tale will make Uncle Reuben exis recorded, manthy will wish that Reuben J kin by venturing out in this wicked

We have often heard it remarked that the gambling habit 's increas-This reviving tendency of trade ing. That is certainly the superficial time of political and stone, to try their nettle and the low, jack, game." There was neve thought of stake then, other than

> Some of us used to think it a pretty sporty proposition when we used to lelay draw poker with matches. What would happen to the Freshman youth on Fifth avenue to-day?

Théré is a vast body of men and

the pirate gambling of the old times,

At a famous English gaming house

By Hamilton R. Williams

was baccarat in which many high of here so close to the stars because the

oraise the ineffible one who garbs pothecate secondary matters. nimself in clouds and lightning.

Acceptable sacrifice.

We are messengers of good | Bringing, singing weal for all. Hearken to our Master's call. "Go you forth as neighbors should."

Christ is risen, Christ's our king. In His name we others bring

A HYMN OF SERVICE

Christ is risen, Christ is king;

Rearing grace for heart's despair,

We are pilgrims following....

To the needy multitude

-H. B. Williams,

own must seek first the Kingdom chance to come seek and of God and His proportion formula- see that your pack dusks are music turned unto gold (and the Kingdom of God means a with honor and virtue and heighbor) and crimson. The stream-song's condition of right relations)—and all good word, for the gates there do not dream is rushing from the hills with things, houses, business, money, open to the fingle of gold noise of battle. (Let us quit as pleasure shall follow as a matter ike men!) The winds are like bat- of logical sequence. But the chief standing, unpurchasable men. banners. Oh brother trouble with us humans is that above mire-lure and knee-crook. thes, let us lift up our voices and we underrate real values, and hy- who do not stand at the Cross-roo

"Beautiful Town." My dream of may of King's Road, what's to show pipes fast or slow; but jig to their heaven is a little house on the River for God's trouble? There are houses own tune." Road, or on some hill top—with the and farmsteads and streets and a rother of husiness. There's much Town are the men who are Road, or on some hill top—with the pother of business. There's much ashamed to die rich, if getting sin and signing, tears and many labor in planting the gardens and is at a man's hurt, or soul-loss God there and angels—and reaping; much babble and clamor olks. A heaven without folks would and fret in weighing and measuring poor clothes for some one | so spake -the Dreamer, "I-go to | quite stripped we turn our steps outfix up a place for you." "Take up ward;—and give and bequeath

and streets to the tenancy of others. market place. Plant flowers; away heap up the dust, heap up dust—nowith rubbish; spruce up the yard. thing more? While they who are whose woman is light and music Like Parsees build a fire and burn seeking the gear of the kingdom unfor his is the kingdom of heaven. seen, make the earth richer by measurable things? If a stranger should Let us pray for clean hearts—and come here, what would be shown him they shall bring forth in the long. r energy to clean up the back yard. to prove our right to a Town site? | years that which you breed into

walls bigh with jasper and topaz and jacinth, chalcedony sophrase, amethyst.

before he painted his own house.

"I will reckon your gold counter to play the س. abiding with, not the game, though ", " Your Town's its brave straight. with eyes on the Probable Is A hundred years' tenting on Trail- men who jig not as the multitude

> Your Town's its. women, soft work . ed, dove-hearted, and gentle; whose

breasts are for nesting of childrenthe bright jewels; whose hands car brew balm for her man's hurt; whos lips are sweet with love's praising whose hearth is a place where one's dreams come true. Blessed the man Your Town are the children, And

ness. But fancy the stranger were

Shoe Styles

come from some far away star—say God.

CANNON BROTHERS



More Ladies' Coats

Another lot of Coats came this week. Naturally they are of later design than any we have shown this The styles at \$10.00 are exceptional, having all the cloth quality and general get-up of \$15 The assortment beggars description. You must see them.

Andover's best dressed women are buying our Suits. There's a dash to them you do not get

in most makes. Our prices, too, commend home buying. A saving on every suit of from \$3.00 to \$8.00 new lot this week, and never two alike. Prices \$9 50 and up.

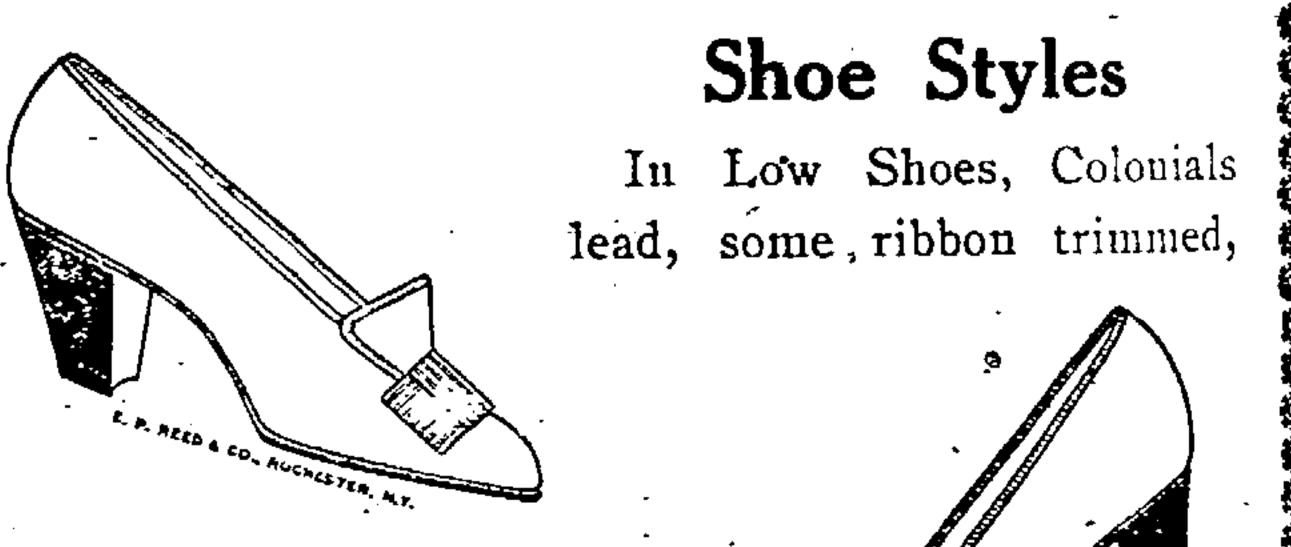
Dresses and Skirts

Beautiful New Dresses of worsteds, silk and combinations of both. Light and dark colors and all priced surprisingly low-in fact, you may have a dress at the price a skirt used to cost. Just look at them next time you are in, or come

Lace Curtains

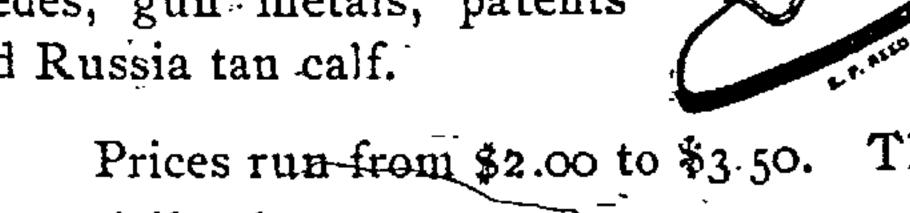
A great new stock is opened here this week. Arabians, Nottinghams, Colonials, Cable Net and Brussels Net. 50c buys a pair of good curtains:

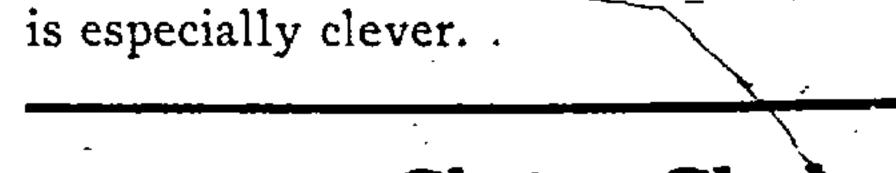
Curtain goods by the yard in all the new styles



some with buckles. Materials are silky fabrics, velvets, suedes, gun metals, patents

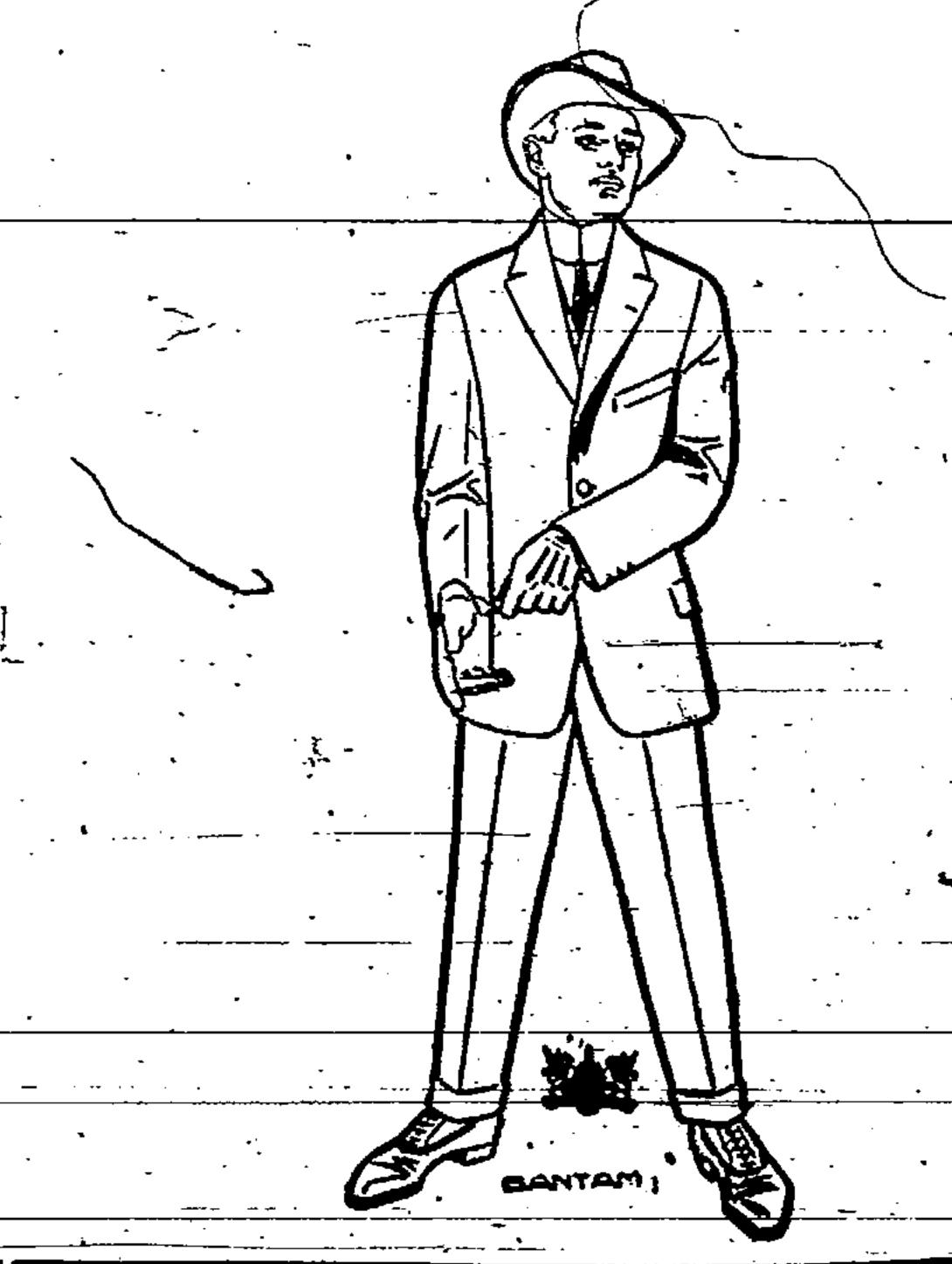
and Russia tan calf.





Clever Clothes

The splendid Suits here at \$15 and \$17 are attracting the well dressed young men of this town. Enthusiastic comment is heard on all sides for these beau. tiful Hickey-Freeman and Styleplus Clothes. They possess every quality to commend them-and the prices --you'll agree they're reasonable when you see the suits



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here from Birdsall.

-David Byam, died April 1st at to Shongo for burial.

Since aviation began 127 aeroplane fatalities have been reported.

ouch of base ball makes the -Mrs. Dora Kelly, of Belmont, has been granted a divorce from

> -Mrs. Frank Van Campen, pean Trip in the Allegany distra of the Buffalo Express Contest.

Wilbur, has been elected ` * * *

> from the house near the pump | Hawthorne Club held in the Library | 7 station to the one recently vacated Monday evening, the members great.

cent, of the inmates are over 70 -Clyde Ehret began the pastorate

and Mrs. Mark Sheninary at Alfred.

vear before he knows his fate.

-John Dean & Son, have chased four high grade Holstein registered heifers of P. C. Lynch &

beard Board have for burial.

horse power tracege, April 6th. eldest 13 years and the youngest babe four weeks old.

"Sunday the summer on Valley Brook Stock Farm, where he will be busily engaged taking care of the thoroughhave been taken off the farm where his many friends must be paid by 20th, in order to

the wife Otherwise, NOT.

where he had been an inmate for Farm at Alfren. the request of the deceased burial!

16,000,000 dozen annually, while our from the spot where on December exports were only 250,000 dozen. But 10th, he finished his flight across ▲ 1,000,000 dozen.

some months and her death was her husband's body which will. attributed to anxiety and shock buried at Pittsburg. nan for the L. E. and A. W. R. R. The young man was severly injured |bu' not killed in a wreck.

-Leslie Reynolds, of Shingle House aged 7 years met with a terrible in The little fellow attempted to jump -Rev. L. V. Morgan has rented ankle and knee. Physicians were blood left him little strength and . within a few hours he passed away, '

A meeting of the patrons of the best bowling. for Saturday, April 13.

Roll Call-Children's stories.

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m. Home Topic, "Christian Citizen-

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ship." Foreign Topic, "India."

meet in the church parlors

Washington, April 9.—Secretary

LUCY STONE CLUB. The Lucy Stone Club will meet with Mrs. Fannie C. Backus, Tuesday evening, April 16th.

Paper — Best Food for growing 'Children Dr. W. H. Loughhead. Miss Comstock, Miss Hill.

Latest Suffrage News-Mrs. Trow-BAKERY

George Smith, of Friendship, formerly of Welleville, died April has been engaged as Superintendent 1st at the Soldier's Home at Bath o' the dairy department at the State

RODGERS MEETS DEATH. Aviator Calbraith P. Rodgers, whom! Andover people watched fly over our Twenty-five years ago, our linit. town last Fall was killed. April

Just what caused the accident is than at terrific speed from a height of 200 feet. Rodgers worked frantically! to control the machine without re--Mrs. Matilda Sterling died at her sults. His neck was broken and hi home in Angelica, March 29th, aged body badly crushed by the fall. Mrs. 5 years. Mrs. Sterling had been Rodgers started east last Friday with

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