ANTIETAM REMEMBERED.

GOVERNOR ROOSEVELT MAKES AN ADDRESS IN PROSPECT PARK.

A BIG GATHERING OF VETERANS OF THE CIVIL AND SPANISH WARS—ONE MEMBER OF THE GATLING BATTERY INJURED.

Veterans and sons of veterans, heroes of the old war and of the new, men who fought their brothers in the sixties, and children of this generation who conquered the Spanish on sea and land, celebrated Antietam Day yesterday afternoon in Prospect Park. Around the bandstand, and stretching beyond the fringe of the grove of stately trees and still further out to the close cropped green velvet of the lawn were gathered nearly twelve thousand men, women and children, who apart from their interest in the exercises, which were held under the auspices of the Brooklyn War Veterans and Sons' Association, had assembled mainly to catch a glimpse of Governor Roosevelt, who was warmly received. The beauty of the ideal day, with its bright sunshine and delightful breezes, and the happiness of the occasion were in a measure marred by an accident to a member of the 3d Gatling Battery, who was seriously injured by the premature discharge of an old fashioned howitzer. He is John Miller, twenty-three years old, of No. 449 Dean-st., and was badly burned.

The Governor did not arrive on schedule time. He was due at 2:15 o'clock, but was detained in the Union League Club in Manhattan, whence he was driven to the Park with Park Commissioner George V. Brower. When the battery which was stationed on the rising ground in the centre of the lawn fired out the Governor's salute of nineteen guns the people knew that "Teddy" had arrived. They swarmed around the carriage and the police, under Captain McNamara, had to make a passage for the visitor. He wore the usual soft straw hat, a black cutaway coat and vest and dark striped trousers. He walked rapidly through the human lane while the cheers rang out to the accompaniment of moving flags, handkerchiefs and umbrellas. When he appeared on the bandstand in full view of the thousands the cheering increased in intensity, while the Governor stood smiling and bowing.

After the invocation by the Rev. R. C. Bowen, Department Commander Joseph W. Kay delivered a short address, and then Park Commissioner Brower introduced the Governor.

THE GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS.

There was another outburst of cheering, intermingled with cries of "What's the matter with Teddy?" which met with the usual response. By and by the people settled down to hear the Governor, who, in part, said:

I assure you that no other audience but this could bring me here to-day. I have spent a pretty active week and I wanted to go home, but when I got an invitation to come here I threw up both hands. I couldn't come here last year and so I couldn't let the second invitation go by the board. Let me tell you that you people don't realize this beautiful sight. Now here are all the women with their hats and bonnets and you men down there can't see me. That's where I have the advantage of you. I think the prettiest sight of all is the sea waving flags.

Now comrades, thirty-seven years ago to-day you went into the battle of Antietam, one of the great battles of the century, of the world, of all time. Thirty-seven years ago to-day you saw the sun go down that was to rise on Antietam. Those were the mighty days of the generation and mighty men met there. We have had two great, two nisbere, two mighty generations—the generation which under Washington founded the Republic, the generation which under Lincoln preserved it. You preserved the greatest Republic that the sun has ever shone upon. You left us the flag, and, what is more, the deeds and the memory and the example which we must emulate to be great. It is incumbent on every American living to remember those who have gone before, and we must keep the standard unsullied.

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You went forth to be struck down in the flower of your youth and the glory of your manhood, and in civil life we must stand at ease. I don't care how patriotic a man is, if he is timid he does not make a good fighter in war or peace.

MUST TAKE AN ACTIVE PART.

You men who won the great battles crowned by Appomattox know that really nice men couldn't have done it. It is better to get into the hurly burly of life. If all good men confined themselves to doing good in word only, and things go wrong in the State, they have only themselves to blame. You have got to strive and to have courage, or your virtue will be of little account. You will have to work and to preach to the youth of America the gospel of work. Set before yourselves the idea of accomplishing something useful, something good. Common sense, common honesty and common courage are the things.

The flag, comrades, has been carried from the Atlantic to the Pacific and beyond to the Far East to the Philippines. If we are to do our whole duty within our borders, we must do it wisely and fearlessly outside of our borders.

The speech was punctuated with cheers. The Governor in taking his seat sat upon his hat.

"Squashed," he said, "but I have sat upon other things."

INTERESTED IN THE CHILDREN.

When he was leaving the stand a little fellow about ten years old, attired in a white duck suit in the style of the Navy, went up to the Governor and said:

"Shake, Guy'nor, please."

Governor Roosevelt smiled, stretched out his hand, and said:

"Put it there, little tar."

The boy ran back to his mother and said: "Oh, mamma, the Rough Rider he shook hands with me, he did."

The Governor paid particular attention to the children, and especially to the orphans, whom he said he was glad to meet.

There were seventy-five boys from the Brooklyn Orphan Asylum, 200 from St. John's Home, 150 from the Hebrew Orphan Asylum, with their band, 100 from St. Joseph's School, in the Eastern District. There also were 100 bluejackets from the Navy Yard. Admiral Philip was unable to be present.

The Governor was cheered to the echo as he drove away with Mr. Brower for a bite and sup in the Dairy in the Park. After leaving there he took a train at the Long Island Railroad station for his home in Oyster Bay.

After the departure of the Governor, who, however, had waited to hear the 47th Regiment band play "The Rough Riders," the following programme was carried out:

March, "Grand American Republic" ..... Thiele
Overture, "Jubilee" ..... Weber
Quartet (patriotic), "Columbia, My Country." ..... Tenting To-night on the Old Camp Ground."
Continental Glee Club Quartet.
W. H. Jones, first tenor; H. C. Dunham, second tenor; H. L. Chapman, first bass, H. Trost, second bass; Professor R. W. Conner, accompanist.
Descriptive, "Fantastic Tone Picture of the North and South" ..... Bendix
Anvil Chorus, from "Trovatore" ..... Verdi
Cornet solo, "The Victor" ..... W. Jaeger
William Jaeger.
Grand battle scene, "Charge of the Rough Riders at San Juan Hill."
"Bugle Call of Gettysburg" ..... Turner
"Darkies' Jubilee, or, Pastimes on the Levee" ..... Meacham
Comic duet, "Paddy's Wedding" (introducing imitation of bagpipes).
Continental Glee Club Quartet.
"American Patrol" ..... Meacham
March, "Peace Forever" ..... Words by Arturo Cuvas / Music by Joseph Lacalo

The band was assisted by a chorus of fifty young women from different singing societies. The exercises were closed by the firing of a National salute by the artillery.

PLANS FOR A NEW HOME.

ST. MARK'S CONGREGATION TO BUILD A CHURCH ON THE PARKWAY.

THE REV. DR. HASKINS COMPLETES SIXTY YEARS OF SERVICE ON OCTOBER 15, AND A SPECIAL SERVICE IS TO BE HELD.

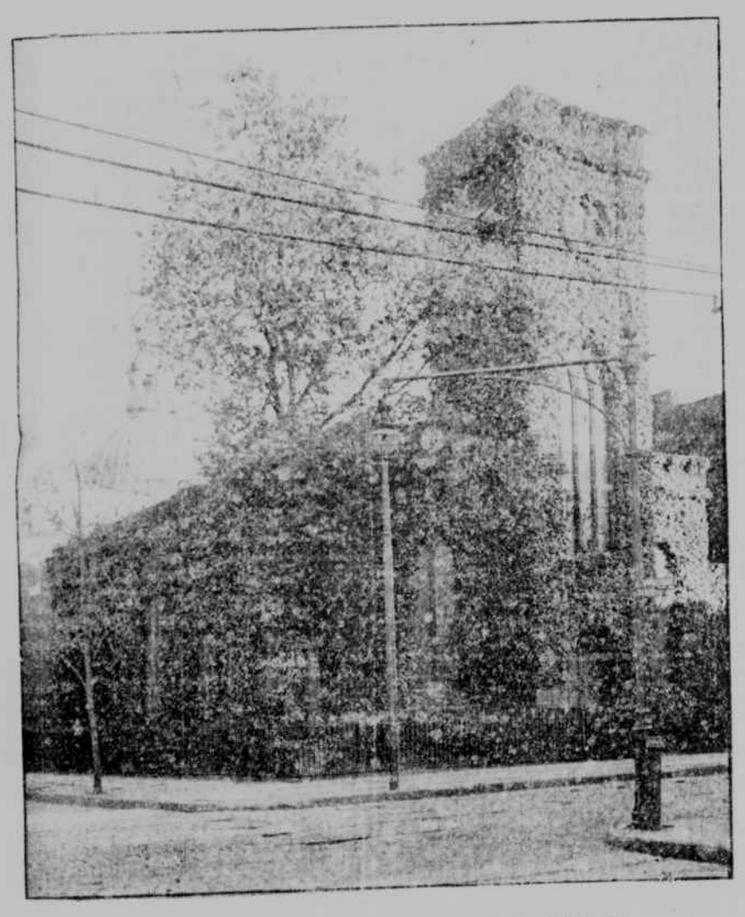
Members of St. Mark's Protestant Episcopal Church, South Fifth-st. and Bedford-ave., which is soon to be torn down to make way for the new East River Bridge, will, on Wednesday next, be asked to inspect the plans for the new church structure to be built at Brooklyn-ave. and the Eastern Parkway. The architect, Henry M. Congdon, of Manhattan, will then submit his finished drawings for the outside and his designs for the interior. The new building will be of the pointed Gothic style, and in strong contrast to the present church, which is of the Tudor or depressed Gothic type.

It is not known when the old church must be removed, but the congregation only expects to worship there until the early spring. It is hoped that some of the old vines that add so much to its exterior may bear transplanting to the new church home, or that slips from them may thrive.

The city has not as yet reimbursed the church people for the property. This was valued two years ago by the Rev. Dr. S. M. Haskins, rector of the church, and the church wardens at $94,000 for church and rectory, the latter a broad, pleasant house, built in 1844. The commissioners then informed them that the price was simply prohibitory. They objected, also, to the price asked by the trustees of the South Fifth Street Methodist Church (Central), on the same block, and to that asked by those of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, at South Fifth-st. and Driggs-ave., who valued their property at $60,000. All the churches are comfortable, roomy and in a good state of repair, so that they might be used for years.

A special service of thanksgiving will be held at St. Mark's on Sunday, October 15, at 10:30 a. m., at which time Dr. Haskins will have completed sixty years of service in the parish, the day falling on the same date of the month on which he began his labors in 1839. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Morgan Dix, rector of Trinity Church, Manhattan, and other clergymen will probably assist.

In addition to this there will be a reunion and reception on some evening of the week. It is proposed by the vestry to erect a handsome brass tablet in the vestibule of the new church as a memorial to the wardens and vestrymen through the sixty years of the church's existence, and also the heads of the families of the parish and others who have been communicants for many years. It is hoped that the living members of the families will contribute to the tablet.



ST. MARK'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
Which is to be removed to make room for the New East River Bridge.

TRIPLE ATTEMPT AT ARSON.

THREE FIRES STARTED AT THE SAME TIME IN A BIG APARTMENT HOUSE.

An incendiary fire was started early yesterday morning in the big double brick flathouse at Gates and Reid aves., and it was only by good chance that it was discovered before it was beyond control. A blaze was started in three places by means of papers saturated with oil, and had the fires once obtained a start it is possible that some of the members of the sixteen families in the house might not have escaped with their lives.

William Trainor, who keeps a saloon on the opposite corner, was going to his flat in the apartment house at 2:15 o'clock in the morning. When he reached the first hall he smelled smoke, and when he ran up to the second floor he found an old stepladder which was leaning up against an abandoned elevator shaft blazing fiercely. Another small fire, it seems, had been kindled with newspapers on the stairs leading from the second to the third floor. This had burned out, but in the hall above a pile of papers was still burning.

Mr. Trainor at once awakened several of the occupants of the apartments near by, and then, leaving them to alarm the other people, dashed out to ring in a fire alarm. This done, he went back and joined the men, who had already formed a bucket brigade. This proved efficacious, and when the firemen arrived their services were not needed.

Later in the morning Fire Marshal Hrymer made an investigation. He found that the elevator shaft, which was next to the burning stepladder, extended from the cellar to the top of the house. If the fire had eaten through the thin partition and up into the shaft the whole apartment house would have been in flames before any effort could be made to stop it. The fires on the stairs and in the hall above, had they spread, would have cut off all means of escape for those on the upper floors.

Detectives from the Ralph-ave. police station have been detailed on the case.

WILL NOW LOSE HIS LEG.

Northport, Long Island, Sept. 16.—N. W. Godfrey, the head of the Port Eaton Gravel Works, who has been suffering for the last three or four years with a tumor on one leg, has been induced to have an operation performed. He entered the Seney Hospital, in Brooklyn, for this purpose on Tuesday last. On the advice of his family physician, Dr. J. P. Lyon, he was placed under the care of Dr. L. S. Pilcher, who upon removing the tumor found it to be a cancer, and advised that the leg be amputated. Mr. Godfrey has consented to this, and the operation will probably be performed next Wednesday. The disease has involved nearly the entire end of one of the bones of the leg, and there is no hope of saving the limb.

THEY THINK WELL OF CAPTAIN BURFORD.

The residents of Bath Beach, who are about to close their summer cottages for the season are thinking of presenting a set of resolutions to Police Captain Burford, of the Nineteenth Precinct, for the efficient manner in which he has protected them from thieves and beggars, and the testimonial will probably be presented early this week. In the last six months there has not been a case of robbery or violence reported to the police of this precinct. Tramps and beggars keep away from Bath Beach, and Captain Burford has given strict orders to all of his men that they must not allow the wanderers to come into the precinct without looking them up.

Captain Burford is one of the oldest of the police captains on Long Island, and has been for more than twenty years on the force, for the last fifteen of which he has held his present position.

TO LAY WATER MAINS.

Roselle, Long Island, Sept. 16.—Stewart M. Neff, of Flushing, has received the contract to lay water mains from the Flushing waterworks, from Bayside to Little Neck and through Douglaston. Bids were opened yesterday, other estimates being submitted by T. F. Touhy & Co. and Peace Brothers. An appropriation of $26,000 has been made for the work.

COPPER WIRE THIEVES CAUGHT.

Thomas McCarthy, twenty-five years old, of No. 149 Washington-st., and Thomas Callan, twenty-two years old, of No. 49 Little-st., were arraigned in the Adams-st. police court yesterday morning on a charge of larceny. They were caught at 4 o'clock in the morning rolling a coil of copper wire and dragging a heavy bag along the street at Adams and High sts. There was a third man in the party, but he escaped. It was found that in the booty there was two hundred and fifty feet of copper wire, valued at $5, and trolley pole wheels worth $18. They had been taken from the storage house of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, at No. 224 Adams-st.

The prisoners were held for further examination.

BROOKLYN'S SCHOOL BUDGET.

NEARLY $5,000,000 ASKED FOR—SUPERINTENDENT WARD ILL WITH GOUT.

Edward G. Ward, Superintendent of Schools for the Borough of Brooklyn, has a severe attack of the gout, and has temporarily retired from his duties. Associate Superintendent Walsh has taken hold of the task of stretching the seating capacity of the schools, so that a part, at least, of those who have been crowded out of the schools can get some instruction. He says that probably one hundred extra teachers will be needed for the four hour classes. The money to pay these teachers comes out of a fund which has been raised in a peculiar way. When a teacher leaves a graduate of the Training School takes her place at a reduced salary. The difference between the two salaries goes into a special fund. As there are about two hundred such changes in the year, the money thus accumulated makes a considerable amount.

The Finance Committee of the Brooklyn School Board yesterday sent to the Central Board its estimate of the moneys required for the Brooklyn schools for 1900. The estimate approximates $5,000,000, being $1,489,450 an increase of $1,068,642 over last year. The budget, compared in detail with that of last year, is as follows:

	1900	1899
Salaries of teachers in public schools and of supervisors of special branches	$4,449,768	$3,377,915
Salaries of janitors in public schools	173,159	146,105
Salaries of teachers and janitors in evening schools	81,901	82,210
Salaries of officers, clerks and other employees	30,050	20,250
Salaries of school superintendents	47,750	42,000
Free lectures	25,000	
Compulsory education	36,162	31,258
Corporate schools	24,820	100,000
Total estimated amount required	$4,869,450	$3,510,807

Brooklyn Advertisements.

Millinery Exhibit Ready.

MATTHEWS.

Latest Parisian and American Garment Display, Second Floor, Front.

Exhibition of Garments.

Ladies and gentlemen are especially invited to visit our new and finest show rooms in America. Nothing has been left undone to make them complete in every detail.

Opening of Millinery.

MONDAY, SEPT. 18.
TUESDAY, SEPT. 19.
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 20.

A feature of the exhibition will be the extensive showing of Imported Models, trained taste and expert knowledge having been utilized in making the selection one well in keeping with our reputation of all that is new, novel and beautiful in Millinery.

But while Paris and London set the fashions, they are not alone in the creation of charming styles. An inspection of the beautiful productions of our own designers will reveal an originality and elegance that even Messrs. Pouyanne, Marescot, Soeurs of Paris might envy. And the most moderate prices prevail throughout the entire collection.

We lead as to style, finish and desirability. Always determined to serve at an advantage as to quality, price, and nothing is left undone to merit all we claim.

This has been a year of improvements in all of our many departments, to which we now invite your kind attention.

SILKS.

Colored Taffeta Silks, all the new shades, Monday, at 55c. a yard.
New Fancy Silks, 69c. a yard.
New Plaid Silks, 69c., 89c. and 98c.
Moire Velour, evening shades, 89c.
22-inch Satin Serge, for linings, half silk, a very superior grade, the weave guaranteed, all colors, 39c. a yard.

BLACK SILKS.

Black Surah, 20-inch, 39c.
Black Taffeta, 20 inches wide, 49c.
20-inch Black Satin Duchesse, 55c.
Black Corded Taffeta, worth $1.00; at 75c.
Peau de Soie, a semi-lustrous black satin, at present in great demand, three special lines, at 75c., 98c. and $1.15.
Black Satin Duchesse, pure dye, made by Gavazzi, of Milan, Italy, conceded to be the best manufacturer in the world. We shall sell 4 grades at special prices, to introduce these superior silks, at $1.39, $1.75, $1.98 and $2.39.

VELVETS.

Croise Velvets, superior grades, $1.00.
Boulevard Velveteen, all colors, 75c.
Velvitina, 75c. and $1.00.
$1.50 grades of Silk Velvet, at $1.25.
Crefeld Velvets, colors, also black, at 59c. a yard.

Fall Dress Goods.

An interesting exhibit of the new effects that are correct for this fall and winter, to make it profitable and interesting for you, we have selected several lines of popular goods which we shall sell at specially low prices.

54-inch Golf Suitings, heavy weight, knickerbocker effects, 5 styles at 59c.
56-inch Camel's-hair Zibeline, Plaids, $1.00.
50-inch Gray Homespun, all wool, 75c.
$2.25 and $2.50 French Dress Fabrics, neat silk and wool effects (the latest from Paris), special at $1.50.
Plaid Back Golf Suitings, for rainy day skirts, the newest effects, $1.39, $1.50, $1.75, $2.50 and $3.00.
On the Bargain Table, for School Dresses, a lot of various 38c. and 50c. fancies and plaids, on sale at 29c. a yard.
$1.75 Venetian, color and black, at $1.25.
Fine American Broadcloth, the kind that will not wear rough, fine twill face, best Australian wool, finish equal to imported goods, sold at $1.50; all the new colors, at 98c.

BLACK GOODS.

39-inch Cheviot, pure worsted, shrunk and sponged, 39c.
50-inch Cheviot, pure worsted, shrunk and sponged, 59c.
45-inch Pebble Cheviot, worth $1.00 and 75c.
Shrunk and Sponged Storm Serge, 50c., 59c., 75c.
40-inch Melrose Granite Cloth, 69c.
New Crepons, bright, silky, Mohair face, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

Outing Flannels.

Whitlenton Outing Flannels, night robe and skirting styles, wool finish, 6½c.
California and Teazle Down Outing Flannel, all the new styles, soft wool finish, 9c.
Baby Flannel, pink, blue or cream, 9c.
Remona Fleece-back Outing Flannel, striped effects, something new, 12½c. a yard.
Printed Fleece-back Cashmiere Twill Flannelettes, 9c.

Cotton Fabrics.

Apron Ginghams, best make, all styles, 6c.
New Cotton Dress Plaids, bright colorings, the styles and effect same as wool, colors guaranteed, 12½c. a yard.
New Percales, 36-inch, best make, a choice of 200 new styles, at 12½c.
Merrimac Print Cloths, 5c.
Indigo Blue Print Cloths, best, 6c.
Simpson's Mourning Prints, 6c.
Cardinal Foulards, 6c.
Drapery Chintz, 6c.
New Cretonnes, 6c.
Climeo Cretonnes, 10c.
19c Cretonnes, special at 12½c.

STATIONERY DEPT.

Whiting's French Organdie Paper, in white, blue and pearl.
Eugene, No. 2, 1 quire paper and envelopes, 29c.
Eugene, No. 1, 1 quire paper and envelopes, 34c.
Arverne, 1 quire paper and envelopes, 39c.
Hurd's Superior Cabinet-wove and Kid-finish, in white, heliotrope, azure, 120 sheets and 100 envelopes in box, 48c.
Rubber Stamps, in single initial, and one bottle indelible ink, 10c.
Raphael Crayons, 12 in box, 5c; 24 in box, 10c.
Imported Figured Crepe Paper, 10 feet long, special, 9c. a roll; in plain colors, 3c. a roll.

OPENING

of the Fall and Winter Season in Our

Carpet and Rug Department.

MONDAY, we place on exhibition the choicest line of Carpets ever shown in the city; EVERYTHING NEW that the market contains. Better values and larger assortments cannot be found elsewhere. WILTONS, BIGELOW AXMINSTER, SAVONERIES, VELVETS and all grades of TAPESTRY and BODY BRUSSELS CARPETS, at prices that defy competition. If you are thinking of purchasing a carpet, call and examine our stock and convince yourself. We are offering the following values for Monday which we know cannot be duplicated. Five patterns (consisting of 3,000 yards), of Wilton Carpet, regular price $2.00, at, per yard . . $1.40

A large line of LOWELL AXMINSTER, worth $1.50, at $1.04 per yard.
20 rolls (about 1,500 yards) of 5-frame LOWELL BODY BRUSSELS, same goods sold elsewhere at $1.35; our price, 98c. per yard.
Best 10-wire Tapestry Brussels, in all shades, the regular 80c. and 85c. kind, at 65c. per yard.
Beautiful Axminster Rugs, size 9x12 feet, in ORIENTAL designs and colorings; very durable and low priced, at $25.00.
20 BALES OF DOMESTIC SMYRNA RUGS, strictly all wool, in all sizes from the smallest door mat to the largest size made, all at extremely low prices.
OIL CLOTHS best quality, at 40c. a square yard.
INLAID AND PRINTED LINOLEUMS, a surpassing line, imported and domestic, prices low.

Blankets, Comfortables and Quilts.

We will commence our Annual Sale of Blankets to-morrow at extremely low prices for desirable goods. A visit to this department will convince you that no efforts have been spared to make this Sale a success.

Cotton Blankets, 48c., 75c., 98c., $1.25 per pair.
Cotton and Wool Blankets, 10x4, $1.50, $2.00, $2.48, $2.75 a pair.
All Wool Blankets, 10x4 to 16x4, prices from $2.98, to $9.95.
Cotton and Wool Blankets, 11x4, $1.75, $2.48, $2.98, $3.48, $3.75.
Fine All Wool California Blankets, 11x4, at $5.95 a pair.
Fine All Wool California Blankets, 12x4, $6.95 a pair.
Cotton Filled Comfortables, 75c., 98c., $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1.95 and $2.95 each.
White Crochet Quilts, full size 50c., 69c., 85c., 98c., $1.25 each.
Marseilles Quilts, $1.40, $1.75, $1.95, $2.25, $2.98 each.
Fringed Crochet Quilts, 98c., $1.25 and $1.40.
Colored Fringed Quilts, $1.49 each.
Blanket Dept., 2d Floor.

NEW BOOKS.

"The Lion and the Unicorn," by Richard Harding Davis, publisher's price, $1.25; our price, 88c.
"A Name to Conjure With," by John Strong Winter, publisher's price, $1.25; our price, 88c.
"Trooper 3,809," by Lionel Decle, publisher's price, $1.25; our price, 88c.
"Children of the Ghetto," by I. Zangwill, publisher's price, $1.50; our price, $1.08.
Odd lot of twelve mos., Cloth Bound Books, good type, all to go on Monday at 25c., including Irving's Sketch Book.
"Popular Atlas of the World," usually sold for $1.35, slightly shelf worn the remainder to go on Monday at 98c.
"Pictorial Atlas of the World," publisher's price, $3.50; our price, $1.85.
Standard Encyclopedia, 2 volumes, cloth bound, $1.00 per set; publisher's price, $2.50.
School Dictionaries, in all grades and prices, from 11c. to $8.98.
Orders taken for school books.
Teachers' Reference Bibles, with maps and concordance; our price, 68c.
We will close out the remainder of our Paper Books, at prices ranging from 3c. to 33c.
Book department, Main floor front.

Bunting for Dewey Day.

Cotton Bunting for Decorating, fast colors, 8c., 10c. and 12½c.
Wool Bunting, government standard, 17c. per yard.
Printed Cotton Flags, without sticks, large size, 10c., 15c., 20c. and 25c.

Custom Tailoring.

This department has been a success since its inception three years ago. This season as a Starter we will make for a limited time

Men's Suits to Order for $14.00.

We're confident you cannot duplicate any of these under $20.00 to $22.00; 25 different materials to select from in the newest, up-to-date checks, stripes, and mixtures, and plain blues and blacks, in worsteds, cassimeres, thibets and cheviots; they will be made in the best possible manner, by expert tailors; your choice of single or double-breasted, sack or cutaway, for any size up to 44 chest or waist; remember a $20.00 to $22.00 suit for $14.00.

Hats for Large Men.

Do you find it difficult in procuring a derby that is suitable and becoming in the present American styles? A. D. Matthews & Sons have made a line of hats which we believe are just the right proportion for large men; the prices are $1.98 and $2.50; regular $3.00 to $5.00 kinds.

Men's Fall Overcoats.

At $5.95, of all woolen Venetian Covert, in four shades of tan and Oxford; $8.00 value in these, at $5.95.
At $8.00, of an extra quality, all wool Covert, in the newest shades of tan and brown, also black clay diagonal, best satin sleeve lining, well worth $12.00, we sell them at $8.00.

Children's Clothing.

At $2.94, double-breasted Suits in strictly all wool materials, reinforced seat and knees, dozens of desirable patterns to select from, ages 6 to 15, would be low value at $4.00; special $2.94

Vestee Suits, $1.98 and $2.95.

In a large assortment of pretty mixtures, handsomely trimmed, ages 3 to 8 years.

Women's $2.50 Shoes at $1.45 a Pair.

470 pairs of Women's Dongola and Vici Kid Lace and Button Shoes are here for you to select from to-morrow. The toe shapes are the opera and full round, with patent leather tips, stout McKay sewed oak soles, turned, and very flexible—splendid wearing, comfortable and stylish shoes, that will interest and please you.

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MANUFACTURERS TO MEET.

The fall meeting of the Manufacturers' Association will be held next Monday evening in the Manufacturers Building, No. 198 Montague-st. The resolutions from the Committee on Legislation relative to the proposed change in the New-York charter—insuring greater safety in the awarding of water and other contracts—will be discussed, and Controller Bird S. Coler will speak on the Ramapo contract, giving some recently acquired information about it.

WILLIAMS HAS AN INDORSEMENT.

The Active Republican Club, of the Twenty-fifth Ward, has indorsed Thomas H. Williams for the position of Justice of the Municipal Court in the Fifth District.

EX-MAYOR SCHIEREN HURT.

It was learned in Brooklyn yesterday that ex-Mayor Charles A. Schieren, who is now at his country seat in Islip, Long Island, had an accident a few days ago which might have been attended with serious injuries, but which, fortunately, resulted in nothing worse than some bad bruises.

Mr. Schieren was out driving with the members of his family, and had stepped from the carriage to get some wild flowers, when the horse made a sudden start and Mr. Schieren jumped to catch the reins. He stopped the horse, but fell to the ground and was badly bruised. He expects to return to his office to-morrow.

DELAY IN REPORTING A FATAL FIRE.

Far Rockaway, Long Island, Sept. 16.—The authorities have just learned that Mrs. Mary Smith received burns on Tuesday night that resulted in her death on Thursday evening, and are indignant over the delay in reporting the case. Mrs. Smith was seventy-four years old and a widow. On Tuesday evening she started to mount the stairway of her home to retire, and carried a lighted lamp in her hand, which, when she tripped and fell, broke, spreading the burning oil upon her clothing.

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