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I have this day closed, to E. A. Starkey & Co., my entire line of samples of Fine Hats, including Soft, Flanges and Derbys--blacks, browns and grays.

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Double breasted and Cutaway Sack Suits, \$6.50 to \$15 in sizes, 34 to 44.

Elegant and Large Assortment of Spring Overcoats AT LOW PRICES.

Double Breast and Cutaway Suits for Boy, 14 to 19, \$5 to \$12.

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In Single and Double Breast, Short Pants, Double Knee or Cavalry, Extra Strong.

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The leading soap in this market. For the Laundry, Bath and Toilet it has no equal.

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The Phoenix Job Printing Office, HARMONY BLOCK, BRATTLEBORO.

Advertisement for Fats Reduced, featuring an illustration of a person and text describing a medical treatment.

The Vermont Phoenix.

BRATTLEBORO: FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1893.

Gov. Fuller's Arbor-Day Proclamation.

In accordance with a recently established custom, I do hereby designate and appoint Wednesday, the 10th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, as Arbor Day.

By the Governor, J. H. GOULDING, Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs.

The Vermont newspapers that have been asserting that "the sugar makers of Vermont are showing very little interest in the exhibit of the sweet product at the World's Fair," will have a chance to crawl.

The treasury department has issued orders not to arrest unregistered Chinese, who have refused to comply with the Goary law.

The unvarying policy of the treasury since the close of the war has been that of the rapid extinguishment of its financial obligations, bonded and otherwise.

The Home Market club gave a complimentary banquet Wednesday evening, at the Hotel Vendome, Boston, to Gov. McKinley, ex-Senator Dawes, Senators Hoar and Lodge, and the Massachusetts representatives in Congress.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Sun believes that President Cleveland and Secretary Carlisle are agreed upon the policy of having an extra session of Congress called to meet early in September.

The Argus jumps on to the "Windham county method" of settling post-office controversies this week "with both feet," so to speak.

The article is illuminating in its treatment of the subject, and is strictly judicial in its tone, conceding in every instance that no principle of law can be laid down on the labor question which is not retroactive, affecting equally the rights and duties of railroad companies and of their employees.

A New "Queen of the Ocean."

The "largest, fastest, and most magnificent" ocean steamship ever built is the new Cunarder Campania, which made her first passage to New York last week.

Gov. Fuller has appointed as the commission to revise the laws of the state, under an act of the last legislature, A. A. Hall of St. Albans, P. E. Glood of Morrisville and O. M. Barber of Arlington.

pected to receive the nomination, and that he did not himself personally desire it."

Recent Labor Rulings by Federal Courts.

An article in the May Forum upon this topic will be read with interest in Vermont because of its authorship. It is from the pen of Col. Albee F. Walker of this state, who has acquired national prominence through his services on the Interstate Commerce commission, and later as chairman of the Western Traffic association.

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OUR FINANCIAL LETTER.

An Uneasy Feeling in Wall Street.

The Silver Law at the Bottom of the Trouble--Gold Holdings Compared--The Crop Outlook.

24 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK, May 3, 1893.

Wall street is now going through the process of trimming its sails for trouble ahead. Oftentimes, however, the anticipated does not take place in Wall street, and the writer hardly thinks a panic will occur in the near future.

In this connection it may be interesting to have a comparison of gold holdings with other countries. Of the four great nations--the United States, the United Kingdom, France and Germany--France comes first on the list with a gold stock of \$800,000,000; the United States second, with \$654,000,000; Germany third, with \$600,000,000, and United Kingdom, \$550,000,000.

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At the present writing the corn and wheat crop has a gloomy outlook.

Banker and Broker.

MINOR NOTES.

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BRATTLEBORO LOCAL.

MILITARY NOTES.

Fuller Battery.

Officers' school this Friday evening. Regular drill next Tuesday evening, when the gun drill will be taken up.

Co. I's new position in line will be in the 3rd battalion under Reg. Clark.

Gen. B. F. Webster and Col. Bond witnessed the naval parade in New York.

Reports has it that Rutland is the place definitely decided upon for the annual encampment next August.

Secretary of War Lamont has ordered an additional appropriation of \$50,000 for the post at Essex Junction, which will consist of a battalion of four companies of cavalry.

There will be no services at the Unitarian church Sunday.

There will be a "mum" supper and social at the Baptist church next Thursday evening.

The annual meeting of the Universalist Sunday school will be held Sunday, when officers will be chosen.

Next Sunday the change will be made for the summer in the hour for evening services at the Methodist church. The evening services will begin at 7:45, Sunday evening at 7:30.

Lines of future work were discussed at the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Tuesday.

Evangelist Mills, who conducted meetings in Brattleboro a few years ago, has gone from successful work in Minneapolis to Milwaukee, Wis., where the conditions are remarkably propitious for his work.

Two dental instruments are on exhibition at Dr. C. B. Russell's office in Keene this week which, says the Sentinel, can be traced to Dr. Charles Graves, and which may have been used to extract a tooth for Miles Standish or John Alden or even the fair Priscilla.

The instruments were brought over by Dr. Edward Fuller and passed from him to Dr. John Graves, a nephew; from Dr. Charles Graves to Dr. Charles Graves, his son; then to John Graves, son of Dr. Charles Graves, a nephew; from Dr. Charles Graves, his son, to Dr. Charles Graves, his son, to Dr. Charles Graves, his son, to Dr. Charles Graves, his son.

The line of descent of these instruments can be traced so accurately that there is little doubt about their blue blood. And their primitive character goes far to establish their antiquity.

Mr. Leonard has received an offer of \$500 for the relics, but refused it. They will probably be exhibited at the coming dental congress in Chicago, where they cannot fail to attract attention.

May. [For Ye Phoenix Paper.] Upon ye moorland wolds and woods Her dainty foot she presses.

And he beholds where she hath stood A fair and living green there blossoms Sweete daisy of ye woods and ways-- Ye daughter of earth's April sorrow-- Ye bringe into life's dull to-morrow A little of God's good toe-morrow. S. F. GIBSON.

"Old Put's" Wolf Den. The Connecticut legislature having made an appropriation of \$5,000 to purchase several acres of land about the famous "Wolf Den" at Pomfret, in which Israel Putnam slew an old she-wolf that had ravaged eastern Connecticut sheepfolds 150 years ago, has named a commission to make a public park of it.

The entrance to the cave is about two feet in diameter. The passage-way slants downward at first for about fifteen feet, then extends horizontally ten feet further, across an easy slope and ends in a narrow chamber, the ancient home of the wolf, the ceiling of which is less than four feet high.

The old gun with which Putnam killed the wolf belongs to a resident of Putnam, who recently entrusted it to the wife of ex-Governor Bulkeley, of Hartford, and she had it placed in a strong box and sent to the World's Fair. Putnam's old wooden plough, which he left in the furrow on the skirmin' at Lexington reached him and he mounted one of his plough horses and rode away to Bunker Hill, was recently bought by a Hartford man, who added it to his large collection of antique curios.

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