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## The Antrim Reporter

PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON  
All the Local News

### ODD FELLOWS DISTRICT MEETING

Of the Contoocook Valley District, No. 12, Held With Waverley Lodge, No. 59, of Antrim, on Tuesday Evening.



The Sixth Annual Meeting of the Contoocook Valley District, No. 12, was held this year for the first time with Waverley Lodge, on Tuesday evening of this week. Of course it was a storm—it almost always is—but the special trains from Jaffrey, Contoocook and way-stations brought quite a goodly number, so that about two hundred were present. The degree work and exercises were in the Town hall; and the supper, which was given by Hand in Hand lodge of Rebekahs, was in the Odd Fellows hall. The meeting was in charge of Arthur B. Leighton of East Jaffrey, District Deputy Grand Master, to whom is due the success of this occasion. The lodges comprising this so-called "shoe-string district" are Monadnock, 90, East Jaffrey; Peterboro, 15, Peterboro; Waverley, 59, Antrim; Valley, 43, Hillsboro; Crescent, 60, Henniker; Kearsarge, 23, Contoocook. The number of members in the district is 671, of which Waverley lodge of Antrim has 172.

As a part of the program, Peterboro lodge, No. 15, exemplified the work of the initiatory degree, which was very creditably done and enthusiastically received. Other numbers were: Music by orchestra, members of Waverley and Valley lodges; Invocation, Rev. M. L. Cutler; Address of Welcome, Charles H. Kimball; Response, Arthur B. Leighton; Vocal Solo, Fred C. Thompson; piano solo, Carl Burnham. Short speeches were also made.

The grand officers present were Deputy Grand Master Ernest E. Craig of Woodsville, and Grand Secretary Frank L. Way of Manchester, who gave interesting talks on the good of the order.

All present agree that the meeting was a success in every way and a benefit socially and fraternally to all who avail themselves of the opportunity of attending.

### Special Notice to Parents!

The teachers of the Antrim Village schools give this special invitation to parents and others interested to visit the schools during the week beginning February eleven. No special exercises will be held but specimens of the work done by the pupils will be on exhibition in the different rooms. If you have a girl or boy in school you should come; it will encourage the child and you will know better what the school is doing for him. In general, classes in arithmetic and geography are held in the morning, classes in language, reading and spelling in the afternoon.

### More Board and Rooms.

A scarcity in town which we were not aware of and doubtless known by but few, has been brought to our attention by Hon. D H Goodell, president of the Goodell Co. This is a natural outcome of a plenty in other lines. Mr. Goodell says that recently he has been hiring in considerable new help and it is almost impossible to get boarding places for the young men to whom he desires to give employment. Possibly now that the matter is brought to the attention of our readers it might make a difference, and many who had not thought of these conditions existing will now be ready to offer accommodations in this line.

Prof. Starr of Chicago says that the natives of the Congo do not consider it a sin to rob the whites. But in this they are not so different from the whites.

FOR SALE—An Estey Organ in excellent repair but needs tuning; all who know an Estey know that it is as good as the best. Will be sold cheap for cash, if sold at once. Inquire at REPORTER office.

### Levi H. Brooks.

The funeral of Levi H. Brooks of Antrim, whose death was noticed in these columns last week, was held in the Baptist church on Wednesday, Rev. W. E. Braisted officiated, assisted by Rev. Dr. Cochrane.

Mr. Brooks was the son of Dickerson and Hannah (Kemp) Brooks and was born in Ashburnham, Mass., in 1831. He was married in 1867 to Harriet S. Karr of Lyndeboro and came to Antrim in 1869, where he resided most of the time for 18 years. By trade he was a stone-mason and had done much of this work in town. Deceased was a veteran of the civil war, being with Company H, 3d Massachusetts cavalry, and was a member of Ephraim Weston Post, 87, G. A. R. For many years he had been a member of Waverley lodge, 59, I. O. O. F., and of Hand in Hand Rebekah lodge, both of Antrim.

At the funeral were present in a body the members of Ephraim Weston post, Waverley lodge, and also Woman's Relief Corps. The burial service of the Odd Fellows was read after the remarks by the ministers. The sympathy of all goes out to the widow in her bereavement, being left so lonely at this time of life.

Interment was in Maplewood cemetery.

### SELECTMEN'S NOTICE!

#### Settling of Town Accounts.

For the purpose of settling all town accounts, the Selectmen will be in session at their rooms on February 14, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. All bills should be presented at that time to have them come into this year's accounts.

Per Order,  
Selectmen of Antrim.

A dollar wont go more'n half as far as it did ten years ago but it will get there in half the time.

## ANTRIM'S EARLY HISTORY

From this time on, as we have opportunity, in this column will be given some of our town's early history, being mostly extracts from Dr. Whiton's History, covering a period between the years 1744 and 1844.

### Extract Number Six

Contoocook river, which is the westerly line of Deering, till it comes opposite to the easterly end of the line between the great lots, number three and four; thence running from the said river, westerly, to the northeasterly corner of the said lot numbered Three; thence running still westerly on the said line between the said lots, to the easterly line of Packersfield, (now Nelson;) thence running northerly by said Packersfield and by Stoddard, to Campbell's Gore, so called, (now Windsor;) thence running easterly by said Campbell's Gore, and by Hillsboro', to the bound where it began. And the inhabitants of said tract of land are erected into a body politic and corporate, to have continuance and succession forever; and are hereby invested with all the powers, and enfranchised with all the rights, privileges, and immunities which any town in this State hold and enjoy. To hold to the inhabitants of said tract of land and their successors, forever.

And Capt. John Duncan, of said Antrim, is hereby authorized and empowered to call a meeting of said inhabitants, to choose all necessary and customary Town Officers, giving at least fourteen days notice of the time, place, and design of such meeting; and such officers shall hereby be invested with all the powers of the like officers in any other town in the State. And every other meeting which shall be held annually in said town for that purpose, shall be on the second Tuesday in March annually, forever.

STATE OF NEW-HAMPSHIRE. In the House of Representatives, March 21, 1777. The foregoing bill having been read a third time, Voted, that it pass to be enacted. Sent up for concurrence.

John Dudley, Speaker pr. tem.

IN COUNCIL, March 22, 1777. This Act, having been read a third time, Voted, that the same be enacted.

M. Weare, President,  
E. Thompson, Sec'y."

A true copy: Attest,

The first town meeting was holden May 1st, when Maurice Lynch was elected Town Clerk, and Thomas Stuart, James Aiken, and Richard McAlister, the first board of Selectmen. The town appointed Lynch to make the necessary surveys to ascertain the centre, to receive for his services a quarter dollar per day. It was agreed that each resident freholder pay one shilling, to defray the charge of obtaining the Act of Incorporation. At a subsequent town meeting, Aug. 20th, at 8 o'clock, A. M., the surveyor and his assistants having reported in favor of establishing the centre at the spot where was afterwards build the old meeting house, the town accepted the report, dissolved the meeting, and immediately went to work felling trees.

This season, James Moore built the first corn mill in town, on North Branch River, on or very near the site of the Wallace mills. This was hailed by the early settlers as a great acquisition. They had thought themselves highly favored by the erection of Lewis' mill, in Francestown, three years earlier; but to have a mill within their own limits, was still better. The road from the Great Bridge, by the Centre and the new corn mill, to Hillsboro', was made passable for horses; and, with some shorter and minor roads, legally laid out and recorded.

July 23d, a company of fifty-two men from Antrim, Deering, Francestown, Lyndeboro' and New-Boston, mustered at the latter place, to join the forces to be led by Stark against Burgoyne. They took part in more or less of the military operations that issued in the capture of the British army. Among the number from Antrim were John Duncan, who served as lieutenant in this expedition, William Smith, and doubtless others. John Smith, the son of William, was one of the number designated to march westward, but the father, on reflection, volunteered to take the place of the son: giving as his reason, that should he himself fall in battle, he trusted he was prepared to meet his Judge in peace; while, should his son go and be killed, he should cherish in relation to him no such hope! A striking instance of parental and disinterested affection.

In addition to those citizens of Antrim who marched under Stark to aid in the capture of Burgoyne, several others, either before or after this year, entered the military service for a longer or shorter period: as James Dickey, George Bemain, Elias Cheeney, Samuel Dinsmoor, Moses and David George, and probably others. With the exception of Dickey and Bemain, they returned in safety. While these men were absent in the army, the town aided their families; if they were single men, who had left what the old records call "pieces of chopped wood," i. e., tracts of land on which the trees had been felled but not cleared off, the town cut, piled and burnt the wood, preparing the ground for a crop. The early records contain numerous votes in relation to such matters.

The inhabitants found the year 1778 a trying season. The rapid depreciation of the Continental paper currency distressed them severely; there was extreme difficulty in finding silver enough to pay the State taxes. In the year preceding, labor on the highway was put at three dollars, and ox-work at two dollars per day. The year following 1778, a day's labor on the highway was rated at ten dollars; the town voted the Rev. Mr. Miltimore 70 dollars per Sabbath for supplying the desk. The paper went down, down, till it became scarce an object of valuation. In one instance the Rev. Mr. Barnes, of Hillsboro', paid his whole year's salary for a pig of a month old; but was afterwards indemnified by that town for his loss. A silver dol-

(To be Continued)

## LEGISLATIVE LETTER.

### Events Treated by The Reporter's Special Correspondent, in a Pleasing Manner.

THE fifth has been the busiest week of the 1907 legislature so far. The sessions were well attended, as were nearly all the committee meetings and hearings, and work progressed very rapidly. Monday was quiet; Tuesday, some business was done, and Wednesday was busy enough to suit the most radical of reformers. The committee on the judiciary held a public hearing at 10 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the opinions of several prominent New Hampshire woman suffragists. In the Senate routine work was transacted, and the members went to Manchester on a noon-train for a visit of inspection. In the House the judiciary committee reported a new anti-pass bill which was tabled for printing. The Newington election case came up, and several representatives took part in the discussion it provoked. On a yea and nay vote it was decided that Fred Pickering, the present incumbent, should retain his seat. In the afternoon, Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the United States treasury, visited the House, and was introduced to the members. In the evening at 8, he made a very eloquent speech in representatives hall, before the N. H. Board of Trade, and a great many members of the General Court.

Thursday was a busy day, too. In the Senate the most important legislation consisted of the passing of a bill which makes fire escapes compulsory adjuncts to all factories. The bill also applies to hotels, theatres, business blocks and tenements. The author of the measure, Senator Pinkham of Dover, was inspired in its creation by the big Cochecho mill fire in his city. Only nine members of the General Court were present on Friday morning, and so extremely short sessions were held, no business of particular importance being transacted in either branch.

The free-pass bills are of course attracting the greatest attention, but there are nevertheless quite a number of measures which are being eagerly followed by the people at the state house. Among them are: The pure food bill, which is nearly similar to the Federal bill, and which was killed in the House last session; the Jamestown appropriation, and the measure providing for a silver service to be presented to the battleship New Hampshire; General Henry M. Baker's new state house bill and Editor Whitcher's measure which extends municipal suffrage to women are naturally attracting a tremendous interest.

There are a great many liquor bills in evidence, and according to those who have studied them, "looking for niggers in the woodpile," there is an exceedingly large proportion of vicious measures.

Col. Winston Churchill got back at Hon. Wm. J. Ahern in a speech before the Haverhill, Mass., Board of Trade last week by saying: "Some of the old familiar faces are gone and others have bobbed up again smiling as if nothing had happened. Among them is a quaint and lovable character, one of the patriarchs of the House, named Bill Ahern. Bill belongs to a curious and anomalous breed, which, like the buffalo, is fast becoming extinct. He is a railroad Democrat in a Republican state." It's Mr. Ahern's turn now.

Nearly all the county delegations visited their almshouses during the week. Governor Floyd spends the greater part of his time in Concord during the sessions. Sergeant-at-Arms John K. Law has had a fine new locker built under the stairs which lead to the Senate gallery. It's the first step towards a new state house, and to make the improvement Col. Law obtained permission from the Governor and Council.

The seventh issue of "New Hampshire Farms" was put out by the State Board of Agriculture this week, and was given a wide distribution among the solons at the Capitol. It is a very handsome little volume, gotten up by Hon. N. J. Bachelder, who is doing such a great deal of work to build up the Granite State's summer boarding industry. The book is written to advertise the state as a summer resort, has much interesting reading, and is attractively illustrated. The first six editions of the book drew many hundreds of visitors to New Hampshire, and here's hoping the seventh will break the records of its predecessors.

Principal Harlan P. Amen of Phillips Exeter Academy was a distinguished spectator at House proceedings Thursday morning. He was the guest of Prof. Tufts.

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### PLAGUE STONES.

Reminders of the Time of the Great Pestilence in England.

The story of the great plague of London is familiar to all readers of history and has been dealt with by many writers of fiction. Even the bypaths of history supply much suggestive matter, while hidden away in churchwardens' and other old accounts are many items that remind us of those days. Here, for example, are two entries from the parish accounts of St. Mary Woolnoth, London:

1593-4. Item for setting a cross upon one Allen's doors in the sickhouse time ..... 10d  
Item paid for setting two red crosses upon Anthony's house his door ..... 10d

The crosses were about a foot in length. The crosses served as a caution against entering such houses. In various parts of England the plague stones are silent reminders of the time when epidemics laid low so many inhabitants both in town and country.

A stone in the Derby arboretum bears the following inscription: "Headless Cross or Market Stone—This stone formed part of the ancient Cross at the upper end of Friar Gate



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VIA CONCORD.		LEAVE.	
Arrive.	Leave.	Arrive.	Leave.
2:01	2:31	Keene	2:23
1:45	2:15	Peterboro	2:10
0:50	1:20	Ellisboro	2:05
0:45	1:15	Bennington	1:58
0:35	1:05	Antrim	1:48
0:28	0:58	Hillsboro	1:42
0:10	4:12	W. Henninger	1:37
0:08	4:10	Henninger	1:32
9:51	9:48	Hopkinton	1:27
4:45	3:44	Outocook	1:22
12:30	12:28	Concord	1:15
8:00	8:00	Boston	1:10

VIA NASHUA.		LEAVE.	
Arrive.	Leave.	Arrive.	Leave.
1:38	1:45	Hillsboro	1:20
1:28	1:35	Antrim	1:15
1:21	1:28	Bennington	1:10
1:19	1:26	Peterboro	1:05
1:10	1:17	Ellisboro	1:00
1:00	1:07	Nashua	9:55
9:51	9:58	Lowell	9:50
9:41	9:48	Boston	9:45

VIA NASHUA.		LEAVE.	
Arrive.	Leave.	Arrive.	Leave.
4:55	5:02	Hillsboro	4:30
4:45	4:52	Antrim	4:25
4:31	4:38	Bennington	4:20
4:18	4:25	Peterboro	4:15
4:05	4:12	Ellisboro	4:10
3:55	4:02	Nashua	4:05
3:41	3:48	Lowell	4:00
3:31	3:38	Boston	3:55

### Departure & Arrival of Mails

6:25 A. M. For Boston, and intervening points, and all points South and West; via Ellsworth.  
7:43 A. M. For Boston, and intervening points, and all points South and West; via Concord.  
11:40 A. M. Rural carriers leave to serve routes.  
12:30 P. M. For Boston, and intervening points, and all points South and West; via Ellsworth.  
1:27 P. M. For Hillsboro and Concord, and points North and South of Concord.  
1:50 P. M. For Bennington, Peterboro, Hancock, and Keene, and all points South and West.

ARRIVAL.  
At 8:15, 10:35, 11:20 A. M.; 3:05 and 6:05 P. M.  
Postoffice will open at 6:15 A. M., and close at 8:00 P. M., except Tuesday evening, when it will close at 7:00.  
ALBE T. CLEMENT,  
Postmaster.

### Church and Lodge Directory

Presbyterian Church. Sunday morning service at 10:45. Week-day meetings Tuesday and Thursday evenings.  
Baptist Church. Sunday morning service at 10:45. Week-day meetings Tuesday and Thursday evenings.  
Methodist Church. Sunday morning service at 10:45. Week-day meetings Tuesday and Thursday evenings.  
Congregational Church, at Centre. Sunday morning service at 10:45. Week-day meetings Tuesday and Friday evenings.  
Sunday School at each of the above churches at 12 o'clock, noon.  
Waverley Lodge, I.O.O.F., meets Saturday evenings in Odd Fellows block.  
St. Croix Episcopalian Church, No. 39, I.O.O.F., meets in Odd Fellows Hall 1st and 3rd Monday evenings of each week.  
Hard in Hand Rebekah Lodge meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month, in above hall.  
Antrim Grange, P. of H., meets in their hall, at the Centre, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month.  
Episcopal Church, No. 87, G. A. R., meets in their hall in January, Block, second and fourth Friday evenings of each month.  
Woman's relief Corps meets in G. A. R. hall, first and third Friday evenings of each month.  
George W. Chandler Camp, Sons of Veterans, meet in G. A. R. hall, first and third Tuesday evenings of each month.  
Paul Jones Council, No. 22, J.P.O.U.A.M., meet 2d & 4th Tuesdays each month, G.A.R. hall.

### ACCOMMODATION

To and From Antrim Railroad Station.

Trains leave Antrim Depot as follows:	
A. M.	P. M.
7.33	8.03
10.33	11.26
3.03	3.41
4.40	5.50

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### SELECTMEN'S NOTICE.

The Selectmen will meet at their Rooms, in Town hall Block, the first Saturday in each month, from one till five o'clock in the afternoon, to transact town business.

The Tax Collector will meet with the Selectmen.  
Per order,  
G. F. LOWE,  
W. W. MERRILL,  
O. H. BROWN,  
Selectmen of Antrim.

### TOWN OF ANTRIM.

### SCHOOL DISTRICT.

SCHOOL BOARD:  
H. A. HURLIN, Chairman,  
J. E. PERRINS,  
C. E. B. FERRFIELD.

Meets regularly in Town Clerk's Room, in Town hall building, the first Friday evening in each month, from 7 to 9 o'clock, to transact school district business, and to hear all appeals concerning school matters.

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and was used by the inhabitants of Derby as a market stone during the visitation of the plague 1635. It is thus described by Hutton in his 'History of Derby':

"1635—Derby was again visited by the plague at the same time in which London fell under the severe calamity. The town was forsaken; the farmers declined the market place, and grass grew upon that spot which had furnished the supports of life.

"To prevent a famine the inhabitants erected at the top of Nuns' Green, one or two hundred yards from the buildings, now Friar Gate, what bore the name of Headless Cross, consisting of about four quadrangular steps five feet high. I knew it in perfection.

"Hither the market people, having their mouth primed with tobacco as a preservative, brought their provisions, stood at a distance from their property and at a greater from the town's people, with whom they were to traffic.

"The buyer was not suffered to touch any of the articles before purchase. When the agreement was finished he took the goods and deposited the money in a vessel filled with vinegar set for that purpose."

The mention of tobacco in the foregoing inscription is a curiosity, showing that the weed was then regarded as a very efficacious preventive.

Winchester suffered much from the plague in 1603. On the downs near the city are numerous curiously shaped mounds which are said to cover the pits into which the dead were cast.

When the pestilence raged a primitive kind of quarantine was practiced. The country folk supplied food, which was placed on a stone outside the city, and in exchange the citizens placed money in a bowl of water.

The old plague stone still remains, built into the base of a monument, which bears an inscription as follows: "This monument is erected by the Society of Natives on the very spot of ground from which the markets were removed and whose basis is the very stone on which exchanges were made while the city lay under the scourge of the deadly pestilence in the year sixteen hundred sixty-six. The Society of Natives was founded on the 26th of August, 1669, for the relief of the widows and orphans of their fellow citizens who died of the great plague."

Beneath a spreading tree in the grounds of Tolly House, near Alford, Lincolnshire, is a plague stone. About 275 years ago the inhabitants of Spillby and the surrounding villages day after day toiled up to the top of Milos Cross hill, which overlooks the wide marsh country, with Alford lying just at the foot.

At the top they left food, etc., for the poor sufferers and took in return money deposited in vessels containing water or other liquid placed on the plague stone. Then the people of Alford came up the other side of the hill for their supplies. Thus the two parties kept well apart.—Chambers' Journal.

### A Judge of Eggs.

Judge Addison, a well known jurist of London, was in the habit of indulging in the oddest observations while trying cases. On one occasion opposing lawyers were wrangling over the question, "Who does an egg become stale?" The judge, who had vivid recollections of a close election contest in which he figured, declared that the real test of an egg's staleness was the moment it became fit for use at a contested election.

Don't wait for Dame Fortune to knock at your door. She may be kidnapped by some one who is willing to meet her halfway.—Chicago News.

### High School Department.

A petition was circulated by a pupil of the High school last Friday forenoon which resulted in Mr. Newell closing the schools at two o'clock P. M., so as to give the pupils a chance to attend the service at the Presbyterian church at that time. A large number of the pupils went and heard an excellent talk on Missions by Rev. C. T. Schaeffer.

The High school basket ball boys defeated the Antrim Athletes last Saturday evening by a score of 15 to 13. The next game of the High school boys is with Milford next Wednesday.

You will all want to hear that prince of entertainers, Walter Eccles of Boston. Read window hangers.

### Neighbors Got Fooled.

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted that I would never leave it alive; but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Uncapher, of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by W. F. Dickey, Druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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## State and County News

### Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

**How To Find Out.**

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

**What To Do.**

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The spur tracks into the Salem race track have been taken up by the Boston & Maine railroad.

Fire, by reason of a defective chimney, damaged the residence of Dr. J. F. Merrill of Warner \$500.

The tavern in Surrey, an old historic landmark, was destroyed by fire on Monday night of this week.

The Central block, an old landmark at Goffstown, was practically destroyed by fire last week Tuesday morning; loss \$8500.

Mrs. Mary B. Hall, a government nurse, left Lebanon Friday afternoon for California. She will be located for the present at the Presidio, San Francisco, and later will go to the Philippines.

The will of Dr. Elbridge G. Beers, which has been probated, leaves to Mascoma lodge, I. O. O. F., of Lebanon \$1000, and a similar amount is left in trust to the lodge, to be given

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### GREENFIELD.

Hiram A. Collins died at his home in the west part of the town last Monday morning. The funeral was held from his late home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles B. Foote was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Hardy, the first of the week.

Frank Lowe dislocated his shoulder the first of the week, while drawing boards.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hardy were in Peterboro Tuesday of this week.

It's a good old world after all; If you have no friends or money, In the river you can fall; Marriages are quite common and, More people there would be, Provided you take Rocky Mountain Tea.

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## Lax-ets

WM. F. DICKEY.

to a new lodge which will take the name of Dr. Elbridge G. Beers. Numerous other lodges also receive bequests of \$500 each. The balance of his estate goes to the New Hampshire Odd Fellows Home.

Mrs. Mary A. Foster was terribly burned at her home in Keese Monday morning, her clothing being set on fire by coals from the furnace grate which had dumped while she was shaking it. Her skirts were afire before she knew it. She started to go up stairs, tearing off her burning garments as she ran. At the foot of the stairs she passed a large can of kerosene oil and this blazed up and added materially to her peril and set the house on fire. Eventually she reached the first floor and one of the women in the house got wraps and water and tried to put out the blaze. Help soon arrived and an alarm was sent in. Mrs. Foster's body was covered with burns and she died that night.

### Hunting for Trouble.

"I've lived in California 20 years, and am still hunting for trouble in the way of burns, sores, wounds, boils, cuts, sprains, or a case of piles that Bucklen's Arnica Salve won't quickly cure," writes Charles Walter's, of Alleghany, Sierra Ca. No use hunting, Mr. Walters; it cures every case. Guaranteed at W. F. Dickey's drug store. 25 cents.

### HANCOCK.

The Grammar school is closed for the present; the teacher, Miss Elsie Ware, being ill.

Fred Osgood, civil engineer, has been for several days the guest of his uncle, George W. Goodhue.

Harvey G. Ware is again at home from his work in Milford, his health not being such as to permit him to remain.

George M. Loveren succeeds the late M. A. Parker in supplying a part of the village with milk from his farm.

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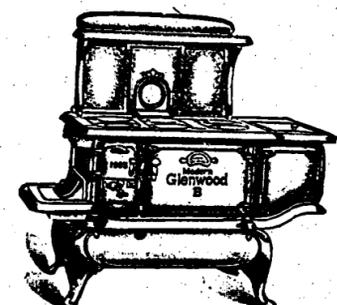
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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6, 1907.

Entered at the Post-office at Antrim as second-class matter.

"Many a man who takes himself seriously is looked upon as a joke by others."

Reports say that Richard Mansfield has lost his temper again. He always seems able to find it in time to use it again though.

It is said that four million American women are earning their own living. A good many of that number are also earning a husband's living.

The English newspapers seem to think Swettenham has acted within his privilege. There is no denying it. A man's one inalienable privilege is the right at any or all times to make an ape of himself.

### The Citizen's Course

Delbert G. Lean—February 21.

The Italian Boys—March 18.

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#### A Diplomat.

Harry Laughlin, the billiard expert, told at an exhibition game in Toledo, O., a billiard story.

"Once, when I had my own parlor in Columbus," he said, "I was a good deal disturbed by the loss of chalk. Chalk disappeared at a tremendous rate, and I said to my helper:

"Keep a better eye on the chalk, Jim. I'm no millionaire."

"I know the game's wet pockets the chalk, Mr. Laughlin," Jim said, "but



"You're in the milk business, ain't you, sir?"

"Yes, Why?" the patron asked.

"I thought so," said Jim, "from the amount of chalk you carry away. The boss likes enterprise, and he told me to tell you that if you wanted a bucket of water now and then you could have one and welcome."

"It didn't work."

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"That was the doctrine Sam Small preached. He hated dodgers. He used to laugh bitterly at the plea of 'hypnotic influence' that used to be put up by nearly every murderer.

"I once heard him ridiculing hypnotism. He said that he bought pretty heavily one year for Christmas, and when the bill came in for turkey and mince meat, candy, ducks, chickens, plum pudding, fruit cake and so on he thought to himself that here was a case for hypnotism to be tried.

"He went first to hypnotize the grocer. Approaching the man, he looked him squarely in the eye, at the same time repeating slowly and impressively: 'My bill is paid.'

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"A change came over the grocer's face. His color faded, his eyes grew dull, his expression blank, and in a strange, mechanical voice he muttered: 'You're a liar.'

Kaiser and Admiral.

A good story is being told in Berlin of the Kaiser and an old admiral who is a fine old sea dog and an uncommon good trencherman. The etiquette of courts prescribes that when the sovereign has done eating the course has to be removed, whether the rest of the diners have finished or not. The Kaiser was very fond of the rough old admiral, whose sea talk amused him immensely, and on one occasion when the admiral was dining with the emperor a dish was served to which the admiral was inordinately devoted. It so happened that the emperor did not care for it and had very soon finished. The footmen began to remove the plates, but the old admiral, who did not mean to be balked of his favorite dish, rapped the servant who tried to take his plate over the fingers with his fork and cried out, "Gesichte weg," much to the amusement of the emperor and the rest of the guests, who were bursting with laughter at this terrible breach of etiquette.—London P. T. O.

Comes Out Himself.

Back in the eighties a Chelsea celebrity was "Tight" Howe, always looking for a chance to perform deeds of valor, always boasting of his courage, and really having more sense than judgment, according to the Boston Herald.

With "Tight" could always be found a semisporting element, knowing the would be "something doing." One night in passing a saloon where there was a great deal of noise "Tight" had his admirers and said, "Boys, stay right here, and I'll go in there and throw 'em all out, and one of you come on as they come."

In he went. In a few minutes out came a man through the window, saw a glass and all, and one of the crowd yelled with all his might, "Ours!"

From the gutter came "Tight's" voice, saying: "Stop counting! Stop counting, you fool! It's me that came out!"

His Pronunciation.

She: That Mr. Planz, the architect, has a funny way of pronouncing things, hasn't he? He-I haven't noticed it. She-Why, yes. Didn't you hear him allude to a sore throat? He--A sore throat! She-Yes, I heard him mention a gargle several times. We always call it gargle.

### A DAM BUILT ON END.

How a Clever Engineer Conquered a Mechanical Difficulty.

Almost every boy has built dozens of dams in various ways, constructing them across the bed of the channel, wide or narrow, to be dammed. But did any boy ever think of building a dam on end and then tipping it over? An inventive American engineer, Isham Randolph, who became famous by his work on the Chicago drainage canal, has tried this idea on the Niagara river 200 yards above the Horseshoe fall and made a remarkable success of it.

Of course an ordinary dam could not easily be built in the fiercely racing currents of Niagara hurrying to plunge over the fall. So Mr. Randolph decided to build his dam on end on the very edge of the river. It was not meant to do more than raise the water level a few inches, so as to prevent water seeping in winter for the Canadian town-of-Niagara-Falls when the ice jam comes on. A dam seven feet or so high was enough and fifty feet long. Turned on end, this meant a column fifty feet high and seven feet four inches square. The clever engineer used concrete as the cheapest, easiest and least erosive material. But any column of any material was certain to break in the shock of falling. How was that to be provided for?

Easily enough, the inventive builder argued. Up the middle of the concrete column, like a large backbone, he ran a strong iron chain weighing about 800 pounds. The whole column weighed some 200 tons. At intervals eight feet apart all the way up it along the landward face wooden wedges were inserted, so that in breaking it would follow these lines and break into regular blocks, held together by the chain. The plan was audacious, but entirely practical—a true "Yankee notion." On Nov. 9, 1905, the finished dam was sent flying over by three hydraulic jacks. Amid the breathless interest of a large crowd of spectators the concrete column fell, splashed and settled. When splash and spray subsided there it stretched, broken at the destined points, tilted a trifle irregularly in the middle, where the river bed was higher, but quite effectual. The depth of water increased ten inches at once. The "obelisk dam" was a success.—William Kittenhouse in Forward.

### WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS.

A bride who finds a spider on her wedding dress may consider herself blessed.

The bride who dreams of fairies the night before her marriage will be thrice blessed.

If the bridegroom carries a miniature horseshoe in his pocket he will always have good luck.

No bride or bridegroom should be given a telegram on the way to church. It is positively a sign of evil.

If the wedding ring is dropped during the ceremony the bride may as well wish herself unborn, for she will always have ill luck.

Kiss a bride right after the ceremony and before the newly made husband has a chance to do so, and you will have excellent luck throughout the year.

Should a bride perchance see a coffin while being driven to the railway station prior to departure upon her wedding tour she should order the driver to turn back and start over again, or else she will surely meet with bad luck.

### New York's First State Prison.

The first state prison in New York state was built at the foot of West Tenth street, in New York city, in 1797. Within seven years there were three multitudes of prisoners, in which keepers were killed and the prison set on fire. Nevertheless the institution seems to have been considered an attraction, as appears from the following advertisement of the Greenwich hotel, printed in the Columbian of Sept. 18, 1811:

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### The Law's Delays.

A lawyer on being asked why his profession is always in court asking for delays and adjournments responded: "I have observed in my long years of experience that when a lawyer has a very good case he is anxious to try it. If he has a poor one the longer he can delay it the better it sells him. There is no telling what the accidents and incidents of time may supply in his favor. Another reason, perhaps, the lawyer continued, "is the fact that a lawyer never feels like prying himself entirely away from a case until he has to. I concede that this is one of the mysteries of the legal mind."—Kansas City Star.

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Jacob Sessler, a former resident but now of West Lynn, Mass., was with friends in town over Sunday.

Mrs. M. D. Poor is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Barron, in Worcester, Mass.

Send to D. E. Gordon for 6 Beautiful Colored Post Cards of Hillsboro, N. H., mailed to any address 15c.

The Monday Night Club will hold a masquerade ball at Town hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 14. Read posters.

Charles C. Phillips, a former resident, now traveling salesman for the Goodell Co., spent a few days in town during the past week.

Your Money's Worth is what we give you in anything we sell you whether it be a Watch, Watch Chain, Fob, Locket, Brooch, Bracelet, Ring, or any other piece of Jewelry, at Gordon's, Hillsboro, N. H.

Rev. C. T. Schaeffer and W. H. Collison, who have been laboring here two weeks with good results, left town Tuesday for Worcester, Mass., where with a number of other evangelists they will be engaged in the simultaneous movement.

Cal. Naval Oranges 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 and 45 cents per dozen, at Goodwin's.

Old friends were pleased to shake the hand of Will Holt of Milford, formerly of Antrim, on Tuesday night.

George H. and Carl Perkins of Sunapee were in town over Tuesday night to attend the Odd Fellows district meeting.

Quite a heavy fall of snow Monday night and Tuesday morning, considering that the thermometer registered but four degrees above zero.

A fine assortment of Chocolate Creams, at 19c per pound, at Goodwin's.

The ladies' aid society of the Methodist church will hold their regular monthly meeting and supper in their social hall on Wednesday evening of next week, Feb. 13.

A game of basket ball and social club ball is scheduled for February 22 at Town hall, Antrim. The Athletics play the Dorchester Combination. See posters for particulars.

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Rev. William Hurlin preached in Bennington Sunday.

William Shoults has been spending a few days in Manchester.

D. P. Bryer continues to be confined to his home on Main street by illness.

J. M. Hutchinson visited friends in Peterboro and Harrisville for a few days recently.

W. E. Prescott and mother entertained Mrs. Cutter, from East Jaffrey, the first of the week.

To Let—To a small family, pleasant tenement on Depot St.; inquire of Mrs. Upton on the premises, or of E. T. Adams.

During the series of meetings closing Monday night with a "good cheer" service, there have come at several different times large teams containing parties from Hillsboro and Bennington.

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Miss Ina Balch is at her home here from school duties in Hopkinton for vacation.

**WANTED**—Assistant in Garment Department. With or without experience, but must be a good sewer. Address, H. H. FARBER, Milford, N. H.

Ivon Balch, employed as shipping clerk with the General Electric Co., of Lynn, Mass., was at home over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Balch.

Frank Elger, who has been employed at D. P. Bryer's blacksmith shop, is reported as being confined to his home in Hillsboro, suffering an attack of rheumatic fever.

Arthur S. Nesmith of this place, who has employment with the N. E. Telephone Company, is here this week in company with an inspector doing some work on the company's lines. They are also connecting by long distance phones the boarding house of J. E. Faulkner, the residence of I. C. Hauscom, and seven different places on the new line to the east part of the town.

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The issue of THE REPORTER last week was more than 2200 copies; only a very few copies remain unsold,—apply at once at our office if any are wanted.

A few articles which were evidently forgotten and left at the Presbyterian church during the past two weeks are at this office, and await the call of the owners.

If You Come Now you can see the largest stock of Bracelets, Neck Chain Locket, Fobs, Silver Novelty and up-to-date Jewelry ever shown in this part of New Hampshire, at Gordon's, Hillsboro Bridge.

Walter Eccles, the Boston entertainer, will appear in town hall, Antrim, on Wednesday evening, February 15, for the benefit of the senior class of the Antrim High school. For particulars read window hangers.

Bananas, 16 for 25 cents; Figs, Nuts, Grape Fruit, etc., at Goodwin's

The death of Franklin Harriman, for many years a resident of Antrim, occurred in Concord the first of last week. He was a veteran of the civil war, and in every way a good citizen. His age was 78 years. Interment was at Stoneham, Mass.

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At the close of the "good cheer" meeting Monday evening, the ushers and personal workers gathered in the parlor of the Presbyterian church and presented Rev. Mr. Schaeffer with a nice carving set and a half-dozen orange knives. The choir presented Mr. Collison with two solid silver spoons. These were only very slight tokens of the respect held by the people of this place for these most excellent Christian men and faithful workers.

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## Neighborhood News

### CLINTON VILLAGE.

The many friends of Mrs. W. W. Story will be glad to learn that she is regaining her health.

The street lights refused to shine on Saturday night.

After an absence of two months, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Whittemore have returned to their home here.

Nearly all the sick ones are recovering.

A pleasant Candlemas day and good sleighing.

A little daughter was welcomed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Whittemore Jan. 31.

Business is rushing at all the shops.

### Rising From the Grave.

A prominent manufacturer, W. A. Fertilizer, of Lucama, N. C., relates a most remarkable experience. He says: "After taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, in the Diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at Wm. F. Dickey's, druggist. Price 50c.

### NORTH BRANCH.

Mrs. Laura J. Kittredge, who recently died at Hillsboro Bridge and whose remains were brought here for burial, was the daughter of John G. and Sarah Gregg Flint, late of North Branch. She was born Nov. 8, 1830, married George Kittredge of Mont Vernon, who died Nov. 7, 1869. She lived on the old homestead, caring for her parents while they lived; a few

years ago she left her old home and went with her son, John, to California, but did not stay long; since their return, she has lived at Hillsboro Bridge. Her oldest brother, Wyman Flint, of Bellows Falls, Vt., died the 25th of last December. She leaves one son and a sister, the wife of Rev. Jesse Wagner of Waltham, Mass., the last of the original Flint family.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. and Mrs. George Carr of this neighborhood are to move to Massachusetts, where he has bought a place; they are the kind of people we would rather keep with us.

James Ford is packing the apples on the S. S. Sawyer place and will ship to Boston when the weather will permit,—some thirty barrels or more.

North Branch came very near having another fire last week. The wood work behind the stove in the school-house caught fire, but was discovered in time to be put out with snow and water. The cry of fire in this village is not a pleasant one to hear.

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#### ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

The subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Lewis Green, Jr late of Antrim, N. H. in the County of Hillsborough, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment. Dated Antrim, N. H., Jan. 25, 1907.  
Mrs. SALLY LOVEWELL, Admrx.

#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

HILLSBOROUGH SS. Court of Probate

To the heirs at law of the estate of Dorcas P. Flagg, late of Antrim, in said County deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

WHEREAS Charles H. Kimball administrator of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County the account of his administration of said estate:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Peterborough in said County, on the 1st day of March 1907 next, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

Said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by causing the same to be published once each week for three successive weeks in the ANTRIM REPORTER a newspaper printed at Antrim in said County, the last publication to be at least seven days before said Court.

Given at Nashua in said County, this 25th day of January, A. D. 1907.

By order of the Court,  
E J COPP, Register.

### TIDES OF THE OCEAN.

Regularity of the Flow and Ebb of the Restless Waters.

Of all the operations of nature in the whole world there are none more regular in their courses than the tides of the ocean. So perfect is their action and so constant are they in their ebb and flow that the big maritime governments are able to figure out the height of each and every tide for every day and night more than a year in advance for any part of the earth's surface.

In most places the tides run about four to the twenty-four hours, two being flood, when the water sweeps in from the sea and makes what is known as high water, and two being ebb, when it sweeps back to the ocean, leaving low water.

Each of these tides lasts about six hours—that is, for five hours or more the waters are on the move, rushing in or out, and they cease for a time, standing quite still in some places.

Sometimes a tide will run flood on the surface while it is running ebb below near the bottom. Places where this happens are always likely to make danger spots for the mariner.

In the majority of places the tides rise and fall only a few feet, but on shores where the banks are very steep, falling off abruptly into deep water, it often happens that the tide when it rises comes in so fast that it pours through all narrow openings in cascade-like torrents, making such things as the famous "bores" which may be seen in places like the bay of Fundy.

In other places, again, there will be more or less than four tides in the twenty-four hours. Furthermore, there are localities where hardly any tidal action at all can be observed. All these peculiarities have been studied and are taken into account nowadays by the observers who make up the tidal tables.

### MAN AND HIS HAT.

They Are Firmly Bound Together by the Red Tape of Society.

There are things, it is a comfort to know, which even a man cannot do, and a man is supposed to be able to do almost anything. Now, a novelist may put his heroine's hat on her head at any angle he chooses—it is one of the few privileges of womanhood—and leave her not a bit less charming or dignified, but I defy him to put his hero's hat at a rowdy angle over his ear at a crucial point in his career and leave him still heroic! The Achilles heel of a man is his hat! He must guard that as he does his reputation, for it is at once his strength and his weakness.

It would hurt an archbishop—and an archbishop necessarily stands for all that is good and great—less in the eyes of the public to commit a crime than to wear his hat on the back of his sacred head—real back—and so exhibit himself to his distressed diocese. He may have all the known virtues and many that are not known, but even an archbishop cannot with impunity defy convention. Still, if he is so inclined, why should not a good and great man wear his hat over his nose without creating unfavorable comment? The fact is he cannot. He is ruled by convention, and convention is the red tape of society.

The cast iron laws of fashion, which is only another name for convention, are such that if the greatest man in England were to walk with all his accustomed dignity from the Marble arch to the bank with a trailing peacock's feather attached to the band of his immaculate silk hat he would be followed by a mob in two seconds, and by the time he reached Vere street the outraged majesty of the law would take him into custody as a suspicious character.—Mrs. John Lane in Putnam's Monthly.

### Happens Once Every 2,500,000 Years.

A remarkable freak in moon phases was noted in the month of February, 1866, a month which has gone into astronomical annals as "the month without a full moon." In that year January and March each had two full moons, but February none. A writer in a leading astronomical journal uses the following language in describing it: "Do you realize what a rare thing in nature it was? It has not happened before since the beginning of the Christian era or probably since the creation of the world! It will not occur again, according to the computations of the astronomer royal of England, for—how long do you think? Not until after 2,500,000 years from 1866!"

### Domestic Weather Prophets.

Probably everybody knows that there are hygroscopic plants which indicate more or less clearly the quantity of moisture in the atmosphere. A strip of seaweed hung in an exposed position frequently does duty as a popular and easily comprehended weather glass, although it may be doubted whether its predictions are of much value. More reliance can be placed in the behavior of a pine twig, which may very readily be pressed into service as a domestic weather prophet.—Cologne Gazette.

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**When Things Hummed**

By Amy Harris

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"Now, then, Hannah, things are going to hum!"

It was Aunt Judith Wellman who spoke. She had arrived from Indiana for a visit with her sister in Michigan, and the pair had been talking for the last hour on the veranda, while Farmer Henderson was doing up the chores at the barn.

"What do you mean, Judith?" was asked.

"I mean several things. I mean that I have never heard of a case like it. Your Minnie has been old enough to marry for these last three years, and you've let a feller dawdle around here and make sheep's eyes at her and keep all other fellers away and yet hasn't asked her to be his and maybe three more years doing it. I call it a mean shame. When I say that things are going to hum I mean that somebody has got to toe the mark mighty soon or get out. You and Elisha ought to have put your foot down long ago."

"You wouldn't do anything to embarrass Minnie?" pleaded the mother.

"That's according. I guess the embarrassment will all be on the other side, however. Embarrassment is all right in a girl, Hannah, but it shouldn't be carried too far. Both of us were embarrassed when we were girls, but we weren't so much so as to kill our prospects of getting married. We knew when our beaus had hung around long enough. Has Minnie ever given this chap a jog?"

"Mercy, no."

"Have you or Elisha ever given him a jog?"

"Never!"

"Then it remains for Judith Wellman to do it, and she's right on deck, with both elbows stuck out. It won't be a week before we'll know whether Joel Davis means business or is just sitting around like a bump on a log."

"But you won't want?"

"I don't know what I'll do, except to decide the case one way or other, and you needn't ask questions. I don't believe in folks getting married within a week, and I don't believe in counting for half a lifetime. A fellow either wants a girl or he don't. If he does, let him take her; if he don't, let him shy off and give some one else a chance."

Minnie Henderson was twenty years old and a recognized belle for ten miles around. Everybody was agreed that she would make somebody a good wife. She had been "keeping company" with Joel Davis for nearly three years. Joel was a bachelor of twenty-seven, living on the next farm west. He was steady, sober and industrious, and everybody said that he would make some girl a good husband. But Joel was also bashful and retiring. He was in love with Minnie, to be sure, but that very fact made him tremble in her presence. A hundred times over in the last two years he had resolved to propose, but on each and every occasion his courage had oozed out of his fingers' ends. He felt that the time must and would come, but whether it would take an earthquake or a cyclone to bring it about he wasn't sure.

It was three days before Aunt Judith saw Joel. She liked his looks, and that changed her plans somewhat. She hadn't been going to say a word to Minnie, but now she changed about and opened fire with:

"Well, I am astonished! So that's the feller that has been hanging

around here for half his lifetime and will probably die of old age on your father's doorstep?"

"I don't know what you mean by 'hanging around,'" retorted Minnie, with a blush and a toss of her head.

"Why, coming over here two or three times a week to talk about grasshoppers and fater bugs. I am surprised at you. What can you see in such a feller to encourage him? I suppose he knows pumpkins from squashes, but I'll bet a big apple that if you asked him when the pilgrim fathers landed he'd fall off the veranda. Minnie Henderson, if you are the girl I take you to be you will send that feller packing this very evening."

"You misjudge him, aunty. He does not push himself forward, but I assure you that—"

"I've got eyes in my head," snapped her aunt. "It never takes me over five minutes to size up a man. Joel Davis is an 'it'! He'll always be ten days behind the Fourth of July. It's a wonder your father and mother have allowed it."

Minnie choked down a sharp answer and went off to her room to cry, and Aunt Judith sauntered into the kitchen to say to her sister:

"There, now, I've got the thing started, and you and Elisha have got to turn in and help me. Minnie will cry and then get mad and then see Joel, and there'll be a wedding before you know it. Don't you weaken when the time comes."

Next day Joel came to the house to bring back a bushel basket he had borrowed. Minnie was upstairs and Aunt Judith hiding behind the door, so it was left for Minnie's mother to say:

"Joel, I've been wanting to speak to you for some time. I don't think you ought to come here as often as you do."

"W-what?" gasped the lover as he turned very red.

"Your coming here so often keeps other young men away and does not give Minnie a fair chance. Of course she has no thought of marrying you, so it isn't right to waste her time on you."

Joel stared with open mouth, but to save his neck he couldn't say a word in reply. After making several vain attempts he walked off. On his way home he turned aside and climbed the fence to speak to Farmer Henderson, working in his field. Minnie's father had been posted and was waiting for his opportunity. Joel had stammered out that it was a hot day and that corn seemed to be looking up and that he was afraid that one of his cows had the hollow horn, when Elisha finished billing up a bill of corn and slowly said:

"Joel, they say that there's going to be a heap of windmill and wire fence men along here this fall, and if any of 'em want to board with me for a week or two I shall take 'em in."

"W-why?" asked Joel.

"Well, there's Minnie, you know. It's time she was thinking of getting married. Some of those windmill fellers are smarter than chain lightning and well off to boot. I've always kinder thought I'd like one of them for a son-in-law."

"Mr. Henderson"—began poor Joel, but he had to halt at that. The change in the attitude of the farmer and his wife brought a great fear to his heart and started chills up and down his back.

"Minnie ain't looking for a husband, you know. She don't have to do that, but when the right feller comes along I guess a match will be made. A piano agent the other day asked me if she was engaged, and I told him there wasn't anybody around here good enough. Yes, it's a purty hot day, Joel, and I shouldn't wonder if tomorrow would be hotter."

Joel didn't do any work the rest of the afternoon. He simply sat and thought. The result was that when evening came he headed for the Henderson homestead. He was going to see Minnie and find out what had happened. It was Aunt Judith who was at the gate when he came up, and she didn't lose any time, saying:

"Young man, I guess you've heard of me. I'm Minnie's aunt. Walk along the road with me while I talk to you. You don't want to force yourself upon a family where you are not wanted, do you?"

"Has something happened?" he anxiously asked.

"Well, Minnie's father and mother have got their eyes open at last. She has been praised so much that they realize she can make a good match. I don't care to tell you what the sewing machine man said today, but you can bet it was something nice. You know you ain't just the sort of man the Hendersons want for a son-in-law. Minnie may like you in a way, but when it comes to real love, that's another thing. If I was you, I wouldn't waste any more time here."

"But I love Minnie!" blurted out Joel as he was driven to desperation.

"But if she don't love you what are you going to do about it? Better give the thing right up and look for some other girl. Going home, are you? Well, good night. Try and think I have told you this for your own good."

Next day a farmer's little girl brought Minnie a note, and half an hour after receiving it she was down in the hickory grove talking with Joel. When she returned to the house, she looked pale and acted in a nervous manner, but she was not questioned. Soon after supper she pleaded a headache and went to her room, and Aunt Judith and Elisha and Hannah winked at each other. At 9 o'clock the house was quiet. At 10 Aunt Judith entered the spare bedroom, where husband and wife sat waiting, and said:

"Well, it's over with. Joel came to the gate and whistled softly ten minutes ago, and Minnie, who was all dressed, slipped downstairs and joined him. He had a buggy down by the barnyard gate."

"And—and"—gasped the mother as she began to sob.

"Hannah Henderson, don't be a goose. They'll drive to the preacher's and be married and be back here before the breakfast dishes are washed. Joel's got a wife, Minnie's got a husband, and you've got a son-in-law, and that's all there is to it."

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**Jet Very Fashionable.**

Jet jewelry appeared in the summer also, and now that the winter season is well under way this fashion has well nigh amounted to a craze. Old treasure boxes are being searched and old jet bracelets and pins and earrings brought forth and mended and worn with much satisfaction. And why not, since the smart shops are displaying modern replicas of them as the "latest novelty?"

**Velvetens Popular.**

The chiffon velvetens and even corduroy are on view in some charming shades. For the younger generation they are vastly liked in sensible colorings, braided with several widths of tressed strands, from a soutache up to a four inch width. Plaid braids find favor here, and in the darker colored costumes they show up to delightful advantage.

**All in Fur.**

Fur cloths imitating the natural pelts are much used materials in children's wraps this season. Coats, caps, muffs and neck scarfs are made of them, while not infrequently one sees a small youngster clothed from head to toe in this new fabric, and leggings are also made of it.

**For Boy or Girl.**

The one piece dress is a boon to the mothers of all small folk. It is so simple that several can be made with very little labor and expense, and it suits the youngster as no other garment can do. This one is appropriate for boys of two and four and for girls up to the mature age of six, the only difference in the dresses worn by the two sexes



**A ONE-PIECE DRESS.**

**BENNINGTON**

Dr. Russell has been on the sick list.

Lee F. Rogers was in Marlow last week to attend the funeral of a friend.

Benj. F. Martin has closed the house on his farm. He expects to spend the remainder of the winter with his sister, Mrs. Aphia Eaton.

Miss Clinton, who has been caring for the sick ones in town for several weeks, has returned to her home in Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McIlvaine were visiting friends in town last week.

News was received Monday of the death of George Codman of Hillsboro Bridge. Funeral Thursday at two o'clock.

At the Grange meeting Friday evening, February eight, a good attendance is desired, as it becomes necessary to elect a master, Everett Scott having resigned.

Mr. Venio, father of J. E. Venio, is very ill.

Miss Eva Wilson was at home over Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Williams is stopping for a few weeks in Milford.

Rev. William Hurlin preached Sunday morning at the Congregational church. No services in the evening. Many attending the meeting at Antrim.

Mrs. Cheney's and Miss Cashion's schools close this week. Special exercises Friday afternoon. All are cordially invited to attend.

**To SETTLE ACCOUNTS.**

The Selectmen will be in session at their room, for the purpose of settling town accounts, on February 2d, 9th, and 15th, from 1 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon of each day. Per order, SELECTMEN OF BENNINGTON. January 30, 1907.

being found in the closing, which in one instance is on the left and the other on the right side. This one is made of fleece lined white pique and is warm at the same time that it is dainty and attractive. There are a great many materials, however, that are used for dresses of the sort. The unlined pique is liked by many mothers at all seasons of the year, and for the darker, more serviceable frocks such materials as serge and panama cloth are greatly liked. There is the effect of a wide double box plait at both front and back, and the moderately full sleeves are tucked at the wrists.

**FACTS IN FEW LINES**

Over a hundred counties in Texas have gone "dry" by local option.

Peary says if you want rabbits to taste good you should live on dog meat awhile.

Since last year the coal companies of India have advanced prices nearly 100 per cent.

Fifty years ago flour was \$10 a barrel, pork \$80 a barrel and butter 50 cents a pound in Minnesota.

The Russian navy has fifty-three admirals, vice admirals and rear admirals and only eight battleships.

The "Who's Who" for 1907 is such a bulky volume that the London World says the question now does not seem so much who's who as who isn't.

Some scientists believe that North America was in contact during prehistoric ages with Africa and with Europe, the former connection coming first.

No live creatures except bees will be carried by post between Great Britain and Nicaragua, according to a parcels post agreement just concluded between the two countries.

There is in India a large element of wealth which is wholly inactive. The hoarded wealth in the form of ornaments, jewelry and buried treasure has been estimated at many millions. It is largely held by princes, rajahs and other nobles.

It has been stated that the average earnings of the laborer in India is 27 rupees or about \$9 a year, but a table in the Indian directory of 1901 enable one to figure out the average earning for the cool laborer to be 56 rupees, or about \$18.00 a year.

During the early fall, when the negroes of the south are shocking corn, they build the shocks over several large, ripe watermelons, then leave them until Christmas. The shocks protect the melons from freezing and also keep them cold enough to be fresh.

Japanese articles are stated by a Russian editor to fall to make much headway in the Manchuria markets, being for the most part articles of luxury, such as silk textiles, cabinets and toilet accessories, which are beyond the means of the masses of the people.

Probably the smallest inhabited house in the country is at Llandysul, South Wales. Built by the owner, a bachelor, who occupies it, it has a frontage of five and a half feet, six feet from front to back, six feet from the ground to eaves and about four feet more to the ridge.

Near one entrance of the Cathedral of Seville hangs a patched and painted crocodile, which once served as a princely love token that failed of its mission. In 1290 it was sent by the sultan of Egypt to a beautiful prin-

cess of Spain, who declined a suitor whose first present could scarcely be said to speak of affection.

The fact that America, through its missions, puts as much money into India as England does and draws out nothing, whereas England draws out \$100,000,000 a year, was cited by Mr. W. J. Bryan as evidence that the United States was the most altruistic nation in the world, when this statement was challenged by a group of Anglo-Indian officials in India.

The rapid reconstruction of a trestle was recently carried on at Galveston, Tex. Fire destroyed 400 feet of the long railroad trestle which extended from the mainland to the city and stopped traffic. The construction forces and materials were immediately started to the work, and by midnight of the same day the trestle was sufficiently repaired to allow traffic to be resumed.

Some of the most noted Parisian artists have contrived to transform Edmond Rostand's country home, Arraga, in the south of France, into a fairyland. The walls of his magnificent apartments, whose windows look out over the crests of the Pyrenees, are covered with the very delightful tales which Hans Christian Andersen and the Grimm brothers have immortalized.

Germany and Japan have made good use of the idea, first suggested in the United States, of equipping ships with products for sale abroad and sending the vessels to the ports where trade might be developed. In that way, according to a report transmitted by Consul General Michael, Japan got her first order from the Argentine Republic, with which she now has considerable trade.

While preaching in Pueblo, Colo., a few years ago Rev. Edward J. Wilcox found himself in the embarrassing position of being unable to pay his debts. Knowing that if he stuck to the pulpit he would have small chance of getting even with the world, he quit preaching and went into the mining business. Today he owns mines in Colorado worth \$2,000,000, besides a great deal of other valuable property.

It has just been discovered that Gashvanti G. Pandit, a very wealthy high caste Hindoo and a protegee of the maharajah of Baroda, is working as a common laborer in an acid factory at Roscoe, N. D. Pandit, though said to be worth millions, works and lives as the other laborers do. Industrial conditions in India are in a deplorable state, he declares, and it is his intention to take part in the task of revolutionizing them in his native land.

It has now been settled without question, says the Brass World, that the best trolley wheels are those which contain no lead. The constant arcing of the wheel and wire burns out the lead and causes the wheel to wear rapidly. If a trolley wheel is found which contains lead it is certain that it will wear out rapidly. It is very difficult to obtain service metals on the market which do not contain lead. For this reason trolley wheels must be manufactured from new metals.

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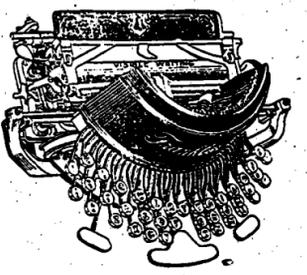
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