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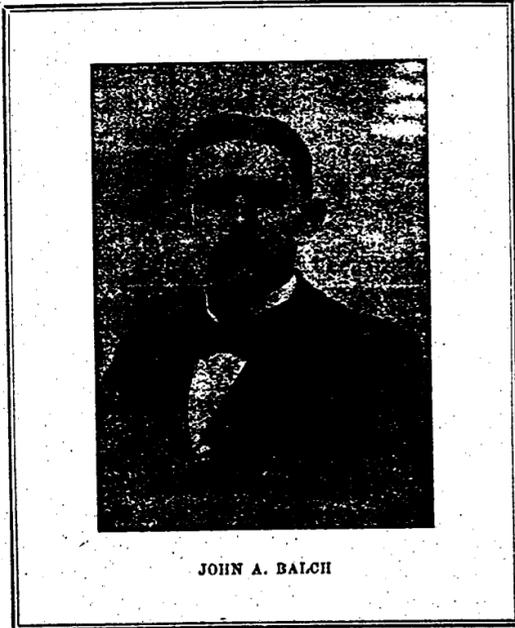
DEATH OF JOHN A. BALCH.

For Fourteen Consecutive Years Antrim's Very Efficient Town Clerk, and Prominent in Town Affairs.

For several years past the general health of Mr. Balch has not been good, although most of the time he has been able to attend to his duties as Town Clerk in a most acceptable manner, as well as to the duties of various Committees which from time to time he was called upon to serve. And for the most part, when health would permit, he has had employment in the cutlery shops of the Goodell Company; having learned the printing trade in early life, he was at times employed at the REPORTER office. While he owned and conducted the shoe store in Goodell block for a few years, he was a popular merchant, very courteous, and was well liked by all who had the pleasure of his business acquaintance. As a public officer, we can safely say without fear of contradiction that he had no superior in this line and but few were his equal; he made the matter a study, and always gave to his town the best of service, doing it in a manner which he considered for the best interests of the town and her citizens. Few have ever given to this town more or better service than has the subject of this sketch. A town possesses always too few such men, and Mr. Balch will be keenly missed in the town's varied activities with which he has been so long identified.

John A. Balch was a native of Antrim, third son of James T. and Lois Robbins Balch, and was born in 1860. He received his education in the village schools, and being always a good reader and thinker was constantly acquiring knowledge. Since 1893 he has held the position of Town Clerk, and from March, 1901, to March, 1902, was chairman of the Board of Selectmen. What is said of him in town affairs, can be said with equal emphasis in lodge work; he was for many years a valued member of Waverley Lodge, No. 59, I. O. O. F., being a Past Grand and having filled the chair of secretary, both with credit to himself and the Lodge. In the Rebekah Lodge of this place he also took much interest, being at one time its Degree Master, and incorporated into the work many features which were very pleasing. He was a man who was not satisfied in seeing things drift along but was always advocating that which he considered was for the best interest of whatever he was interested in, and as a rule his judgement could be relied upon. Those who knew him best in town, lodge and others matters, know that he was sincere and conscientious in his efforts and in his work.

Mr. Balch married Lena L., eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Tenney, at whose home on Highland Avenue death occurred; they had gone there to care for Mrs. Tenney who is ill. Besides the widow, he is survived by one daughter, Ina L., a teacher in Rochester, Ivon A., of Boston, and Alfred T., who resides at home. It is in the home circle where deceased will be missed most; a kind husband, an indulgent father, he was ever and always doing that which would be for the happiness and comfort of those nearest and dearest to him. Sympathy in its different forms is but an expression, however, in this case it is of the sincerest sort, and the entire family is assured of more than the usual amount, the circumstances connected being the controlling cause.



JOHN A. BALCH

Funeral services were held from the Tenney residence on Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock, Rev. O. E. Kendall of the Baptist church officiating; he spoke words of comfort to the bereaved and words of eulogy for the deceased. A male quartette sang beautiful selections. A large number attended the services, notwithstanding the hard rainstorm and bad traveling. Members of Waverley Lodge attended in a body—some 60 in number—and a number of

Rebekahs also attended. Many town officers who had been associated with the deceased were present. The many floral tributes were handsome and silently testified to the high esteem in which deceased was held. Near the close of the service the Odd Fellows ritual was read. Burial was in Maplewood cemetery.

Thus ends a life which has been spent in public service to the benefit of our town, and one which for integrity and uprightness in matters pertaining to its interest cannot in the slightest manner be regretted by his relatives and friends.

The Honolulu Students,

From the Hawaiian Islands, will appear at the town hall, Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, as the third attraction in the Citizen's Course of Entertainments. This company is probably one of the best, if not the best attraction that was ever brought to Antrim, and will doubtless draw a large house. This company was organized by Prof. Keouli six years ago, selecting his people from the best vocal and instrumental artists on the Islands. Last year he was persuaded to bring his company to America, and appeared with great success in New York, Philadelphia and Boston. The committee feel fortunate in having been able to secure this attraction, for as a decided novelty of great merit there is probably nothing to-day that excels this combination. The recommendations are of a high order and testimonials fine.

Tickets now on sale at Antrim Pharmacy, where seats can be selected.

The list of attractions and the dates on which they appear in the Citizen's Course are as follows:

- Dec. 11, Wednesday evening, Honolulu Students.
- Jan. 1, Wednesday evening, Caveny, crayon artist and clay modeller.
- Jan. 29, Wednesday evening, lecture by Chamberlayne.
- Feb. 21, Friday evening, The Scotch Singers.

Public Auction

W. E. Cram auctioneer, will sell at public auction, in Town hall, Antrim, at 6 30 o'clock, Wednesday evening, Dec. 18, a lot of Personal Property, consisting of a large amount of Crockery, Blankets, Robes, Harnesses, Sleighs, etc. See flyers.

"Leavitt's Farmer's Almanac" for 1908 has reached our desk, for which the publisher, Edson C. Eastman, of Concord, N. H., has our thanks. It will be treasured by its many friends, as there are many families who cannot keep house without a copy of this book.

Alaska has already instructed its delegation for Taft. And with the backing of the President he ought to get the District of Columbia too.

A Chicago chemist has succeeded in extracting a deadly poison from the air. As it was Chicago air, the feat loses much of its mystery.

How homelike it must sound to Grover Cleveland when he hears some one jumping on Secretary Cortelyou about the bond issue.

Annual Meeting of Hillsboro County Pomona.

Hillsboro County Pomona grange met in Milford last week for its annual meeting, and elected officers and heard reports of committees.

They were entertained by Granite grange. The total number of members is 751, a net gain of 103 during the year. The average attendance was 114. There was paid to the treasury during the year \$342.36. Cash on hand, \$631 89, a net gain of \$143 98.

The officers elected were as follows: Master, Harry S. Mitchell of Nashua; overseer, George W. Colburn of Milford; secretary, Mrs. Viola R. Dodge of Amherst; steward, John B. Matthew of Milford; assistant steward, Arthur Goss of Brookline; chaplain, Rev. George Bennett of Brookline; treasurer, George H. Needham of Milford; lecturer, Mary A. Gove of Bedford; gate keeper, E. S. Robinson of Amherst; Ceres, Mrs. C. L. Trow of Milford; Pomona, Mrs. Bert Terrill of Grasmere; Flora, Mrs. W. J. Merrill of Milford; lady assistant steward, Mrs. A. A. Goss of Brookline; member of executive committee, three years, Henry M. Beard, Grasmere; assistant lecturer, George P. Hadley of Goffstown.

Prosperity.

Nothing can stop the prosperity that now prevails in this section of New England and especially in Portsmouth the wail of the croaker notwithstanding, states the New Hampshire Gazette. The unusual and hitherto unknown example of immense corporations curtailing when they cannot handle the immense volume of business is the mystery that the ordinary individual cannot solve. Here is our great railroad system taking off trains when they are doing the greatest business in the history of that corporation. It seems to be unfortunate that it has been found necessary to take off long established trains when the territory served cannot well spare them. Is it possible that there is some hidden reason for all this?

It seems really probable that there are those who believe that there is a course which has not been made public why the unheard of conditions throughout the country are in existence!

Simple Home Recipe.

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsapilla, three ounces.

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A druggist here at home when asked stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless.

Justice Brewer.

If the speech of Justice Brewer of the Supreme Court in New York last week in which he criticised the President was expected to draw fire from the White House, it failed of its object. Justice Brewer spoke at a gathering where Gov. Hughes was the chief speaker. The speech was a pointed criticism of President Roosevelt and a laudation of Gov. Hughes. The Governor had gone from the hall when it was delivered so that he was saved the embarrassment of hearing himself praised at the expense of the President, but there are a number of politicians who say he knew what was in the speech and that it squared perfectly with his views on the subject. Justice Brewer criticised the President personally for his display of strenuousness and his desire to do things quickly whether at the expense of dignity or not. All this may be set down as personal opinion and preference. The President has made a good many enemies by his way of doing things without regard to precedent. Most of the enemies, it may be said are rather a credit to him than otherwise. So the criticism of method may well be held in reserve. But there is one question raised in Justice Brewer's speech that is worthy of attention. He called to mind the fact, probably forgotten by many that the original idea of the framers of the Constitution was for a seven year term with a prohibition against reelection for a consecutive term. This would do away with all third term talk and also with the temptation for any president to play politics in hope of a renomination. It is not at all beyond the bounds of possibility for this provision of the original constitution to be revived. Justice Brewer says that personally he thinks it would be a wise thing. There are many who think with him. It is worth thinking over some more and then acting on.

Program of Concert and Ball.

Felt's Singing Orchestra of Dartmouth, Tuesday at the town hall, Antrim, College evening, Dec. 17th. The concert program will be as follows:—

1. March, "Entrance of the Gladiators," Fucik
 2. Overture, "Stradella," Fictow
 3. Vocal selection, "Sunset" Dudley Buck
 4. Intermezzo, "Cupid's Garden," Bienes
 5. Patrol, Gen'l Bourlanger, Desrosiers
 6. Cornet Solo, "The Palms," Fictow
- Mr. T. V. Uniacke
Mr. Paul R. Felt
Harold Parker, Director

The Christmas Woman's Home Companion.

The Christmas issue of Woman's Home Companion is a sumptuous magazine, with several pages in color. The cover is reproduced from an exquisite painting by Jessie Wilcox Smith, of a mother and babe. The number is full of Christmas atmosphere—rattling good Christmas stories, Christmas pictures by prominent artists, and hundreds of Christmas suggestions of all sorts—practical, fanciful, unique.

The stories in the Christmas number include: "A Wild Boar Rampant," by Robert Barr; "An Undiscovered Siddons," by Claire Wallace Lynn; "Cap'n Gilly," by Mary Catherine Lee; "The Lost Spirit of Christmas," by Grace S. Richmond; "Frederika's First," by William Hamilton Osborne; "The Little Water Boy," by Julia Hempstead Bull; and "A Bachelor's Christmas Eve," by Marquerite Campion. There are scores of articles, in addition, and the departments are full of Christmas ideas and suggestions.

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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
2nd Floor.

W. H. BROWN,
W. H. LEBEL,
H. B. TAYLOR,
Selectmen of Antrim.

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SCHOOL BOARD:
J. E. PERSINS, Chairman.
G. F. FURBER,
H. A. FURBER.

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Neighborhood News

HANCOCK.

Mrs. A. M. Webster of Milford visited relatives at Elmwood last Friday.

W. J. Hayden, who has been out of health for some weeks, is out again and able to do light work.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Crawford have closed their farm home and will spend the winter in Somerville.

Associal given by our Grange on Thanksgiving evening was enjoyed by the members of the order and their families.

The first deer killed in town, after the law came off was by C. A. Sheldon who brought down a fine buck Monday a. m.

Mrs. Jane C. Hills leaves town on Wednesday for Dorchester, Mass., where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Forbush.

Rev. Mr. Pearson and family who have been spending a few weeks at their recently purchased farm, have returned to their parish in Dixfield, Me. They will return about Apr. 1.

Letters received from Mr. and Mrs. Pollard at Falmouth, England, indicate that they are enjoying the English autumn very much. Roses and violets are still in full bloom and grass as green as May.

The family reunions on Thanksgiving day were numerous in town; many old residents were noticed in the neighborhood.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. **Hall's Catarrh Cure**, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

FRANCETOWN.

The Benevolent Society met with Mrs. Cynthia Ward last Wednesday.

Mrs. T. F. Foote has been quite poorly for two weeks.

Mrs. Julia Ducklee is at home, after a visit in Malden, Mass.

Christie Belcher, wife and daughter spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Belcher.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gardner, Dec. 2, a daughter.

The first to bring in a deer Monday of last week was Adam Lorge and son,

who both had a shot at it. On Tuesday the Stone brothers got two; John Peters was the fortunate one in a crowd of hunters in the Lock woods in Deering to get the deer; Ed Bryant also brought one home; another was shot by Leon Hoyt. One deer was found dead which had been shot before the law was off for hunting.

The funeral of Howard Mandigo was held in the Congregational church Thursday. Mr. Mandigo was highly respected in this place and his sad death was a great shock to all his friends. Much sympathy is expressed for the poor sick mother and sisters.

Miss Edith Mandigo is stopping with Mrs. Fred Pettee.

T. F. Foote was in Bennington Saturday.

Albert Whitefield has sold his home in the village to Fred Atkins, who will move there in the spring.

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THE LADIES' WORLD for December is one of the most attractive magazines that has ever come to our table. It is full of entertainment, information and suggestions for the holiday season, has a lot of capital stories and some special art features that are remarkable—very remarkable when one considers the low price at which the publication is offered. Among the short fiction there is a characteristically tender story by Charles D. J. Roberts, where the interest centers in a little girl, while J. J. Bell touches our sympathy with Tam, a story of a Scotch boy that is excellently done. The second part of Roy Norton's serial, The Captain and the Maid, confirms the good impression made last month, and promises to be an unusually fine story. For the children Livingston B. Morse begins a series of Dream Animal Tales which will delight the young people, and for them, too, there are some ingenious puzzles. The housewife will find on every page something she wants to know, whether it be about cooking, needlework, inexpensive Christmas gifts, the health, etiquette, what to wear herself and dress her children in—or practically anything else about her home life, for the number is most complete. [New York: Fifty Cents a Year.]

ANTRIM CENTER.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

The pastor preached on "Problems of Childhood" on Sunday morning. There was a good attendance.

Christmas tree for Sunday school on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24.

Adjourned meeting of the church will be held Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid gives one of its famous 10 cent suppers Friday evening of this week, to be followed by a spelling match. Everybody come.

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Departure & Arrival of Mails

DEPARTURE.
6.25 A. M. For Boston, and intervening points, and all points South and West; via Elmwood.
7.45 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.
1.05 P. M. For Boston, and intervening points, and all points South and West; via Elmwood.
1.27 P. M. For Hillsboro and Concord, and points North and South of Concord.
1.53 P. M. For Bennington, Peterboro, Hancock, and Keene, and all points South and West.

ARRIVAL.
At 8.15, 10.55, 11.20 A. M.; 5.05 and 6.05 P. M.
Postoffice will open at 5 A. M., and close at 8.00 P. M., except Tuesday evening, when it will close at 7.00.

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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 Old Fellows block.

Mt. Crooked Encampment, No. 38, 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 in each month.

Spiram Weston Post, No. 87, G. A. R., meets in their hall in Jameson 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, Jr. O. U. A. M., meet 2d & 4th Tuesdays each month, G. A. R. hall.

ACCOMMODATION

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State and County News

Harlan S. Willis of Warner has resigned as postoffice inspector. Mr. Willis has been in Uncle Sam's mail service over 40 years.

State License Inspector and Mrs. Frank W. Ordway of Milford, observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage Saturday.

While caring for the chickens of a neighbor, Mrs. Charles P. Stevens of Goffstown fell through the trap door in the barn, Friday night and was seriously injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Brown of Bedford, Saturday, observed their golden wedding. A large number of friends and relatives called to extend congratulations.

The Home for Aged Women in Portsmouth was damaged, Saturday, by the explosion of a boiler. None of the seven inmates were injured.

Fire starting from an unknown cause destroyed the Franconia Inn, one of the best known hostleries in the White Mountains, last week. The loss is about \$25,000, fully covered by insurance.

Under a new train schedule, several trains on the Boston & Maine Southern and Concord division are to be taken off. Among them is the late train for Boston which leaves Nashua at 10.10 P. M. The change is announced to take effect, Dec. 16.

Suit has been brought by Clarence M. Gipson against the town of Greenfield to restrain the town from making an appropriation of \$1500, which was regularly voted at the town meeting. The town was receiving a large bequest left by the late Albee Stevenson for the building of a town library. Mr. Stevenson named a board of trustees. Mr. Gipson contends that Mr. Stevenson by naming in his will a special board of trustees, has created a private library fund, over which the town has no control and to which he objects to having the public funds of the town placed.

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Herbert L. Cross, a Concord carpenter, was instantly killed last week by falling from the roof of the Kent building at the State hospital.

Gov. Floyd and staff were visitors in Laconia on Tuesday of last week, being guests of Mayor William F. Knight and the Laconia hospital association, at the opening of a four days' fair in aid of the hospital.

While removing a revolver from beneath a sofa pillow preparatory to placing it under a pillow in her bed, the weapon was accidentally discharged and Mrs. Edward Renfow of Franklin was wounded. The bullet struck a corset steel and was deflected, otherwise it would have pierced her heart her physician says.

Charles M. Mitchel of Concord, an old-time pedestrian, challenges Edward Payson Weston, who recently broke his record made in 1899, in a walk from Portland, Maine, to Chicago, to a walk of 130 hours, without sleep or rest. Mr. Mitchel is 60 years old.

Charles P. Heath, son of a physician at Wakefield, Mass., and Miss Lydia E. Hatch, daughter of a Wilton physician, were drowned in Big Diamond pond, ten miles from Colebrook, Friday, by breaking through ice on the pond. Their bodies were recovered in 50 feet of water. Mr. Heath was 24 years of age and Miss Hatch 26 years old. Friday morning they started on a hunting trip. They did not return at night and Saturday morning a search was begun. They were tracked across the ice on Big Diamond pond, and at a place where the ice was very thin, their hats were found. Their bodies were subsequently recovered some distance from that vicinity. Mr. Heath and his mother had been in camp at Big Diamond pond for six months. The young man was a medical student and was in his last year at medical school. On account of ill health he had been staying in the country. Miss Hatch went to Houston's camp two weeks ago with her father. Mr. Hatch remained but a few days, leaving his daughter in the camp.

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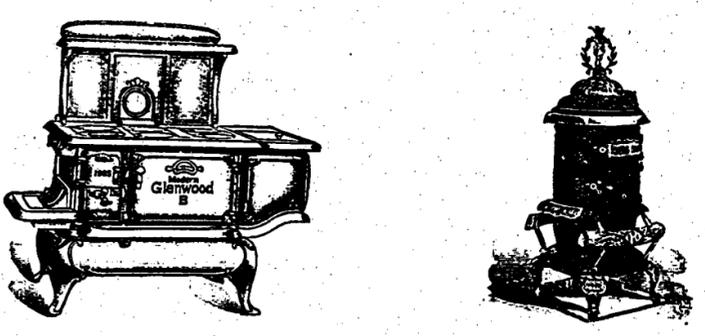


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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1907

Local and Personal Mention

Mr. Nelson, from New York, is a guest at G. G. Whitney's this week. Mr. Nelson and Miss Emma Whitney go to Georgia in a few days, as they have employment in a large hotel there.

The annual meeting of Ephraim Weston Post, G. A. R., occurs on Dec. 13, 1907, for the election of officers for the coming year. A full attendance is desired. The Q. M. would be pleased to receive all dues at that time.

Next Thursday evening, Dec. 12, from 5 till 8 o'clock the ladies of the W. R. C., will hold a supper and sale of fancy articles. A general invitation is extended to all to come to Grand Army Hall and have a good time.

Married, in Marlboro, Dec. 8, by Rev. Mr. Frye, John M. Hutchinson of this town and Mrs. Orinda Spaulding of Harrisville. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson are occupying a tenement in the Goodell block on Myrtle Avenue.

Monday evening, Dec. 9, these state officers of the Junior Order American Mechanics paid an official visit to Paul Jones Council, No. 22, of Antrim: John H. Noyes of Plaistow, State Councillor; W. H. Randolph, State Secretary of Plymouth; and E. H. Kimball, District Deputy of Greenfield. A delegation of fourteen from Zephyr Lake Council, of Greenfield, assisted in working the degree on one candidate. A fine oyster supper was served and speaking was in order until midnight.

Hiram Eaton—90 Years Old.

Hiram Eaton observed to-day his 90th birthday anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wing, where he is being kindly cared for. Many friends from this village and vicinity called upon him and passed a pleasant hour, leaving many tokens of love and esteem.

As Mr. Eaton is one of the few real sons of the Revolution living, especially in this locality, he receives each year a letter of remembrance from the Eunice Baldwin Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of Hillsboro Bridge.

His father James Eaton served in many engagements during the Revolutionary War, and one in particular of which "Uncle Hiram" likes to speak, is the memorable battle of Bennington, Vt., Aug. 16, 1777, when he fought in Gen. John Stark's brigade. James Eaton was twice married, first to Martha McClure. Mary Eaton, mother of the late David, Eben and E. was Bass of this town, and Isaac Eaton, father of the late George Eaton of Concord St., were children of this marriage.

He married second Sarah (George) White, and Hiram Eaton is the child of this union. He has already reached the age of his mother; his father lived to the advanced age of 96. Mr. Eaton is a well preserved man, genial and pleasant and fully appreciates the interest his friends take each year to make his birthday a day long to be remembered by him.

His wife died some years ago. Two sons, Charles H., of Springfield, Mass., and Walter S., of Boston are with him to day.

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TELEPHONE TALKS.

Believing that exact knowledge promotes co-operation, the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company is publishing a series of brief expositions of some phases of telephony, for the benefit of itself, and, as it hopes, for the benefit of all telephone users.

"They Don't Answer"

It is always annoying when you are trying to get somebody on the telephone to be told that "they don't answer." And if you are in an unusual hurry, or are particularly disappointed, or are a little excited—for the moment you have waited seems like an age sometimes—you may think that "Central" is to blame. If you are specially irritated you may even accuse the operator of not having tried at all to get the person you want.

Look into your exchange some day—the manager will be glad to see you any time—and watch how its work is done. Then you'll feel differently about it. You can rest assured that if "Central" says "they don't answer," they don't. She has tried her best to get them without success.

The first thing the operator does when you give her a call is to "test" to see if the number you ask for is busy. If the line is not in use, she connects with it and rings the subscriber's bell. If nobody answers her first ring within 15 seconds she rings again. If there is still silence after another quarter of a minute she rings a third time. If there is no response in the next 15 seconds she reports to you "they don't answer." Then she will ring again, and again, and again, if you ask her to. It is a good deal like ringing someone's doorbell. If nobody comes to let you in after you have rung two or three times you make up your mind that the family is out and go away. The telephone company has to stop somewhere, and it gives up at the end of a minute and a half to two minutes, after

ringing three times, unless it is asked to keep on.

Most often, you will notice, it is when you call up a residence that you are told "they don't answer." The reason is simple when you come to think of it, but probably it doesn't occur to everybody. In a business place the telephone is pretty sure to be located where the bell can be heard easily and there is someone whose business it is to answer calls. At any rate, there is always somebody near the instrument to answer promptly in business hours. There are lots of times, of course, when there is nobody at home to answer a residence telephone. Besides, a good many people insist on having their house telephones put in out of the way corners. The result is that the ringing of the bell is not always heard, and, even when it is heard, answering it means a trip into another room or upstairs. Then, too, it is not always convenient to drop housework or leave company and go to the telephone instantly, and that makes a delay which gives the impression that there is nobody on hand to answer your summons.

These things no doubt have a good deal to do with your being told "they don't answer." In many cases they account for your meeting a friend every now and then who says, when you tell him you tried to call him up and couldn't get him, that he "was there all the time." They also go to explain why, when you answer your own telephone after a delay, you are sometimes told by the operator that "there is nobody on your line now." The person who was calling you has given you up and gone away.

A Card.

The subscribers wish to thank all who in any way rendered assistance during the sickness and death of our mother, and for their many acts and words of sympathy; also to all who assisted at the funeral.

RUEL S. CRAM
INA S. CRAM

Cashier Campbell of the Borough Bank in Brooklyn has been indicted on charges of larceny, embezzlement and forgery. He seems to have been getting it all the different ways he could.

Mayor McClellan's term is drawing so near to a close that Mr. Hearst will have to hurry up with his next plea for a recount.

So far as observed, the grand jury does not seem to think there is any closed season for bank officials in New York.

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Local and Personal Mention

Miss May Hulett was in Manchester on Friday last.

B. K. Bryer has been confined to his home for the past week by illness.

The Christmas concert and tree at the Methodist church will be on Tuesday evening, Dec. 24.

Twelve fine Post-Cards of Hillsboro, N. H., sent to any address for 25 cents. D. E. GORDON,

Miss Ina L. Balch is spending vacation from school duties at Rochester, this state, at her home here.

The illustrated lecture by Rev. Mr. Morgan at the Methodist church Tuesday evening was very good and owing to the storm drew a small audience.

While out deer hunting on Monday, Bert Clark and Ben Cochrane killed a striped snake two and a half feet long which they found on the snow on Holt hill.

Adolph Krugg, formerly of this place but now a missionary in Central Africa, spent Saturday and Sunday with the family of Scott E. Emery; he was also renewing old acquaintances about town.

At a jury drawing on Saturday afternoon, at Town Clerk's office, the following men were drawn to attend sessions of the Superior Court to be holden at Manchester: J. M. W. Hills, January 7; Charles F. Woodward, January 27; Alvin Smith, February 10.

On Thanksgiving day, Miss Fannie A. Emery of Newport and Winthrop H. Sargent were united in marriage at West Derry by Rev. Herbert Quimby of the Derry Methodist church. For many years Mrs. Sargent was a resident of this village where she has a large circle of friends who extend their best wishes. The newly married couple will reside in Newport.

Henry E. Swain has recently returned from a ten months business trip travelling for his son, Eugene H. Swain, a manufacturer of watch material at Waltham, Mass.; he has visited every State in the Union, and all but one of the territories in his son's interest and on this last trip travelled nearly twelve hundred miles, found business booming and received large orders for goods.

James A. Elliott has been confined to his home by illness during the past two weeks.

Why not have the children's pictures taken before Christmas? At Putnam's New Studio.

Miss Maria Sweetser has been suffering an attack of illness during the past week.

The Christmas shopping season is now on and the stores are looking real pretty and attractive.

Walter Gove, wife and daughter of Peterboro passed a day recently with his mother, Mrs. James Gove.

While at work Wednesday at a bench saw in the Goodell sawmill, Josiah Robbins cut the thumb of his right hand.

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Frank Elger of Hillsboro Bridge, formerly employed by D. P. Bryer, has begun work for Joseph Heritage at his blacksmith shop on West street.

There is nothing that will make a better or more acceptable Christmas gift to an absent relative or friend than a year's subscription to the REPORTER. Its weekly visits will prove a constant reminder of your thoughtfulness.

Hand in Hand Rebekah lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., have invited Peterboro Rebekah lodge to a special meeting to be held Wednesday evening, Dec. 18, at which the degree will be conferred on several candidates by the degree staff of Hand in Hand lodge.

On Wednesday last Miss Leola Mandigo was taken to the hospital in Concord for treatment. Her home is in Francestown but she had been visiting relatives in Antrim a few weeks, and was here taken violently ill so it was thought best to take her to Concord. A peculiarly sad incident in connection with the case was the news received the same day of the suicide of her only brother Howard Mandigo of Concord, who shot himself during a fit of despondency, occasioned it is supposed by the condition of his sister.

.. Christmas ..

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Ed Hudson was successful in shooting a 150 pound deer the past week.

Miss Sadie Adams has been spending a few days with relatives in Brookline, Mass.

George Gibson was fortunate as a deer hunter and succeeded in capturing a good sized buck.

Mortimer Call was successful in shooting a good sized deer the past week; Irving Lowell also shot one.

Gerald Mortimer, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Worthley of Charlestown, this state, is reported to be very ill.

By far the largest line of Xmas Post Cards in town, can be found at Goodwin's.

In one of the cleanest games of basket ball played this year on Wednesday evening last at the Town hall, Antrims defeated Benningtons by a score of 42 to 12.

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High School Department.

The High school did not keep last Saturday although the Grades did.

The second year French class finished reading "Sans Famille" last Thursday.

School closes next Friday for a two weeks' Christmas vacation, reopening Dec. 30.

School closes at 3.15 o'clock each afternoon. This is made necessary by night coming on so early that at 3.15 it is usually too dark to study.

The DeKoven Male Quartette and Reader presenting Classics, Old Time Favorites, Acted Songs, Costumed Ballads, Cornet Solos, and a musical playlet "In Firelight Land" will be at the Antrim Town hall, Monday evening, Dec. 16, 1907, for the benefit of the Senior class, A. H. S.

The pupils of the High school were privileged to hear a very interesting and instructive talk by Adolph Krugg Tuesday morning. Mr. Krugg told of his work in Africa, African customs, government and amusements. His talk was somewhat humorous, especially when he spoke of the delicacies which his school pupils enjoyed, namely caterpillars, rats and insects. The pupils were urged to ask questions and Mr. Krugg answered them in a comprehensive manner. All appreciated his talk and enjoyed greatly the 45 minutes in which he spoke.

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CLINTON VILLAGE

Mrs. Palmer was called to her former home by the illness of relatives.

Mrs. Elbridge Tenney and Mrs. Mary Sawyer were in Manchester on Wednesday.

Harlen Swett and family were visitors at the Branch on Sunday.

George Hindreth was at his home a short time last week.

A. J. Proctor of Hillsboro Bridge was a recent visitor here.

F. A. and F. S. Whittemore were at Stoddard on Tuesday.

The usual Thanksgiving reunions were held; some coming, others going for the day.

Mrs. O-car W. Brownell is with her daughter, Mrs. Woodward, at Malden, Mass., Mrs. Woodward being quite sick.

Many are suffering with bad colds and sore throats.

Mrs. G. M. Loveren and daughter of Hancock were in this place on Saturday.

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A SIBERIAN MAMMOTH.

Its Discovery In the River Lena and How It Was Lost.

In 1846 a young Russian engineer, Benkendorf, saw the river Lena in Siberia release a dead mammoth frozen ages ago in the bog. There had been exceptionally warm weather in the north of Siberia, and the river, swollen by melting snow and ice and torrential warm rains, swept out of its old channel and carved a new one, carrying to the sea vast quantities of its former banks and furrowing up the thawing bogs over which it raced. As he made his way in a steam cutter against the current Benkendorf saw the head of a mammoth appear above the flood. Rush upon rush of water more and more released the body. Its hind legs were still imbedded when he saw it, but twenty-four hours liberated these. The mammoth had sunk feet first into a bog. The ooze had frozen over it. Successive tides had heaped soil and vegetation upon it. Bone and flesh and hair were perfect. They secured it. They cut off its tusks. They dissected it and found in its stomach the last meal it had eaten, young shoots of the fir and pine and masticated fir cones. They were still at their work when the river, spreading farther, engulfed them. The men escaped, but the waters surged over the mammoth and carried it for carrion to the sea.

Like the squirrel and some other animals, the mole lays up a store of food during the autumn months. A curious and interesting feature in relation to this storage is that the mole does not kill the worms it collects, but stupefies them in such a manner that they do not attempt to escape.—Country Life.

KEPT HER PROMISE.

She Wasn't Much of a Politician, but She Was Truthful.

Mrs. Elliot sighed so deeply as she took out her hatpins that her husband looked up from the evening paper. "I don't believe I've any bent for politics," she said in response to his inquiring glance. "Every time there's an election of officers of the club I get into some kind of mess, try as I may to avoid it.

"You see, Harry," she continued confidently. "I don't really care a fig who is in office so long as I'm not. I like all the members very well, and I'd as lief have one as another president or secretary or on committees.

"I have no favorites. I'm truly impartial. But that won't work. If you belong to a woman's club you are forced to sweat and agonize over candidates. You must be partisan or be out with both sides.

"You know Mrs. George has been president for four years, and every year Mrs. Tufts has tried to get Mrs. George out and herself in. About a week ago she came to me and said she was sure of the nomination if I would vote for her. Would I? I thought it over and said I would, for I admire Mrs. Tufts immensely, she is so lovely and charitable.

"Today, just before balloting, Edith Reynolds came to me and said I must vote for Mrs. George. Edith said I owed it to her—you know she helped me make over my blue foulard and canned all those penches for me when cook burned her hand.

"Everybody wanted Mrs. George, Edith said, and if I voted for her she would get the nomination. I thought it over and said I would vote for her. I admire and respect her very much. She is so witty and forcible when she

presides, and she speaks French beautifully, and I thought if everybody wanted her it was only proper that—

"Do you mean that you promised to vote for both?" interrupted Mr. Elliot.

"Yes; I promised Mrs. Tufts, as I have just said, and I promised Edith because—

"But you didn't actually vote for both."

"Why, of course I did, Harry. I may not be much of a politician, but I was brought up to keep my word," said Mrs. Elliot, with dignity.—Youth's Companion.

Something More Interesting.
The old darkey was having his eyes tested for glasses. After the oculist had put up several cards of Roman letters, which the negro vainly endeavored to call off correctly, he looked over at the oculist and asked, with some disgust: "Whar's de use in lookin' at dem flings?"

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"Everybody wanted Mrs. George, Edith said, and if I voted for her she would get the nomination. I thought it over and said I would vote for her. I admire and respect her very much. She is so witty and forcible when she

presides, and she speaks French beautifully, and I thought if everybody wanted her it was only proper that—

"Do you mean that you promised to vote for both?" interrupted Mr. Elliot.

"Yes; I promised Mrs. Tufts, as I have just said, and I promised Edith because—

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"That's a very delicate thing to do," replied the banker, "for the news is not official, and if I give you the name I might incur some responsibility."

The merchant argued, but in vain, and finally he made this proposition: "I will give you," he said, "a list of ten firms in Yokohama, and I will ask you to look through it and then tell me, without mentioning any name, whether or not the name of the firm which has failed appears in it. Surely you will do that for me?"

"Yes," said the banker, "for if I do not mention any name I cannot be held responsible in any way."

The list was made. The banker looked through it and as he handed it back to the merchant said, "The name of the merchant who has failed is there."

"Then I've lost heavily," replied the merchant, "for that is the firm with which I did business," showing him a name on the list.

"But how do you know that is the firm which has failed?" asked the banker in surprise.

"Very easily," replied the merchant. "Of the ten names on the list only one is genuine—that of the firm with which I did business. All the others are fictitious."

STRANGE DISHES.

Lion's Flesh, Tiger's Meat and Baked Elephant's Foot.

Lion's flesh is said to furnish a very good meal. Tiger meat is not so palatable, for it is tough and sinewy. In India nevertheless it is esteemed, because there is a superstition that it imparts to the eater some of the strength and cunning that characterizes the animal. This notion is not, of course, held by the followers of Brahma and Buddha, whose religion forbids the eating of flesh.

There appears to be considerable difference of opinion among authorities on the subject as to the merits of elephant's flesh as an article of diet. By some it is considered a dainty, but there is the authority of at least one European against it. Stanley said that he frequently tasted elephant's flesh and that it was more like soft leather and glue than anything else with which he could compare it. Another explorer, however, declares that he cannot imagine how an animal so coarse and heavy as the elephant could produce such delicate and tender flesh. All authorities agree in commending the elephant's foot. Even Stanley admitted that baked elephant's foot was a dish fit for a king. It is the greatest delicacy that can be given to a Kafir. —St. Louis Republic.

Sincerity.

In life sincerity is the sure touchstone of character. The good and valuable man is he who strives to realize day by day his own sincere conceptions of true manhood. Thousands are struggling to exhibit what some one else admires to reach the popular standard, to be or appear to be respectable and honorable, but few make it their aim to live thoroughly up to their own individual convictions of what is right and good.

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Little William—My father has charge of over twenty men. Little Jimmy—Hub! That's nothing! My father has charge over your father! Little William—Well, my father makes more money than your father. He doesn't own the shop.—Bohemian.

The Chrysanthemum.

Both in China and Japan is the chrysanthemum a great favorite. It is said that Chinese gardeners to whom the plant was first known will allow nothing to deter them from its culture. They will even give up their situations if forbidden by their employers to grow it. Chinese emigrants, too, take this "flower of their hearts" with them to other lands and cultivate it affectionately in their exile as a reminder of their native country. There is a Chinese "Everything comes to him who knows how to wait" which has been Anglicized as follows:

In the second month the peach tree blooms.
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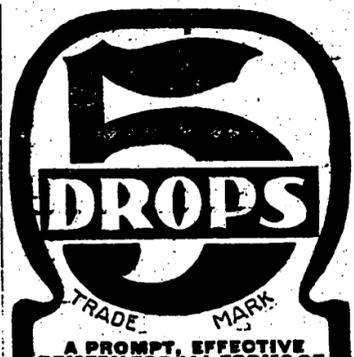
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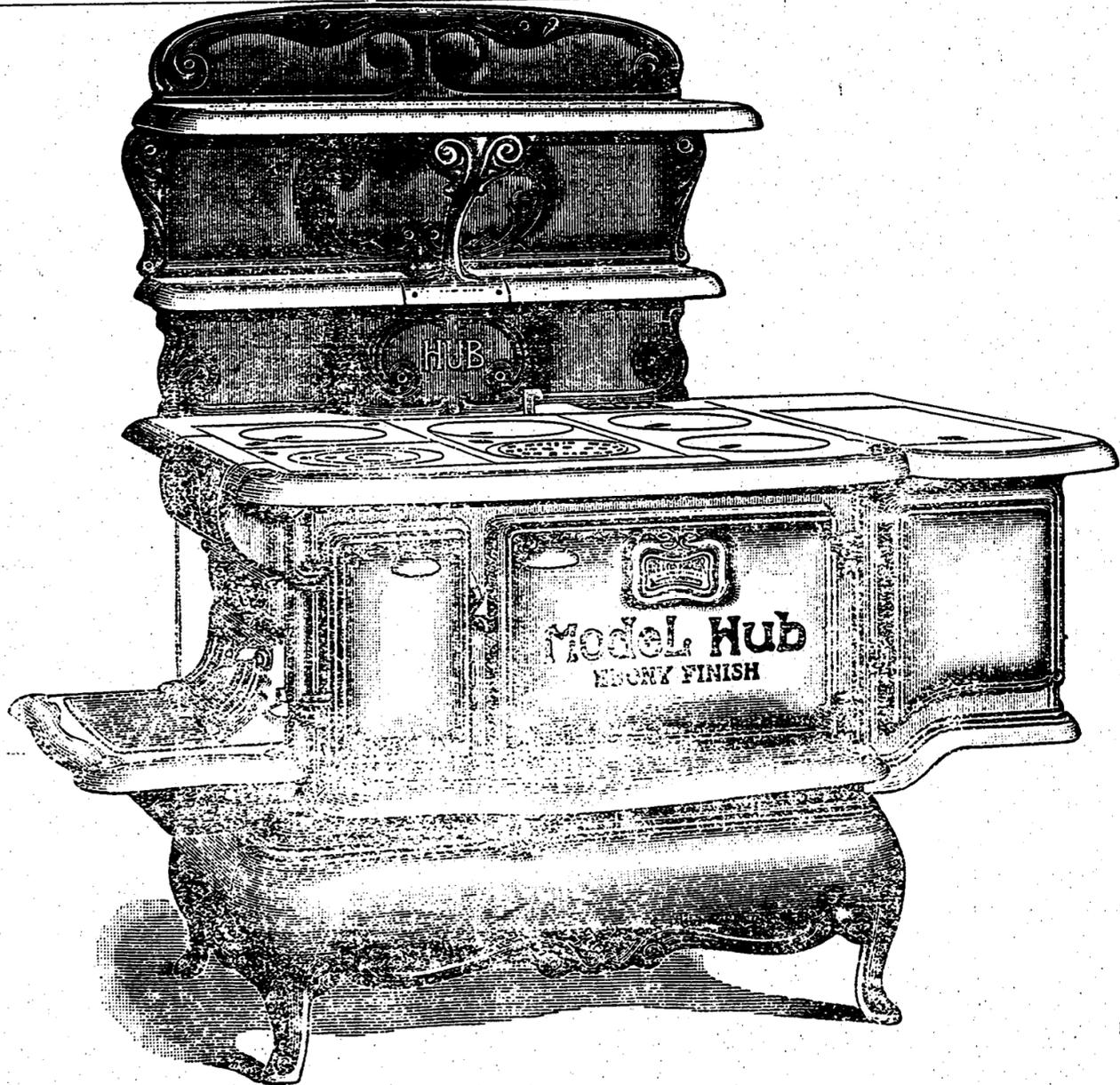
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Herbert Anderson was the guest of friends here over Sunday.

Miss Mary Rogers is going this week to Vermont for a short visit with relatives.

Herbert Putnam carries off the palm for deer shooting, having secured two at Merrimack the past week.

Election of officers at the Grange meeting on Friday evening of this week. A good attendance is especially requested.

Miss Mae Dutton returned to Lyndeboro Monday to take up school duties again, after a short vacation spent with her father, C. H. Dutton.

Morris Knight entertained the Milford High basket ball team Saturday night. The game with the Bennington's scored 19 to 18 in favor of Bennington's.

Work has been rather dull of late at the Goodell Co. Outlery Works. With restored confidence and more money in circulation, it is to be hoped it will soon revive.

The School Board wishes to give notice that they will be in session Friday evening of this week, from 7 to 8 o'clock, in the old Library; all having business with School Board are requested to meet at this time.

John Knowles recently paid a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knowles, leaving with them a rare collection of curios that he has collected on his voyage around the world. Mr. Knowles has been chief machinist on the U. S. S. Maryland and has been highly recommended to the Secretary of the Navy for a higher position.

DEATH OF JOHN CODY.

John Cody passed away at his home Saturday morning, Dec. 7, after a sickness of five weeks. He was operated upon for a cyst tumor but gradually failed.

Mr. Cody was an honest, upright man; his children have lost a kind and loving father and the town a good citizen. He leaves many friends to mourn his loss.

He is survived by three children: James, Robert and Mary; one brother, Patrick, who lives in town; one sister, Maggie living in Ireland.

He was born in Kilkenney, Ireland, 49 years ago. Deceased was a member of Court Bennington, F. of A.

High Mass was celebrated by Father Coakley at St. Patrick's church Monday morning. Burial at Peterboro. Much sympathy is extended to the family.

Lost Savings Bank Book.

Notice is hereby given that the Manchester Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., on Dec. 1, 1897, issued to Mary A. Griswold its book of deposit No. 64853, and that such book has been lost or destroyed and said Bank has been requested to issue a duplicate thereof.
MARY A. GRISWOLD.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the County of Hillsborough, commissioner to examine and allow the claims of the creditors to the estate of Nellie M. Sawyer late of Bennington, in said County, deceased, decreed to be administered as insolvent, and six months from the twentieth day of November, A. D. 1907, being allowed for that purpose, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties assigned him, at the office of E. W. Baker, in Antrim, in said County, on the second day of January, and on the twenty-seventh day of May, A. D. 1908, from one to four o'clock in the afternoon on each of said days.

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Sleds purchased just before the last jump in price and you get the benefit, prices 40c. to \$2.50. Rocking Horses, strong and durable, 75c. to \$4.00. Baby Sleighs fit even for your baby, \$2.00 to \$10.00, and Fur Robes to go with them, at \$2.50 to \$6.00. Black boards, 25c. to \$1.50. Desks, \$1.00 to \$2.00. Rocking Chairs that will stand the racket, 75c. to \$6.00.

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Great Mark-Down Sale of Children's Coats, at Barber's

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