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HON. NATHAN C. JAMESON

Not a Candidate for Gubernatorial Honors In This Fall's Campaign

For some time it has been currently believed that our townsmen, Hon. Nathan C. Jameson, who was the Democratic nominee for Governor in 1906, would again this fall be its standard bearer. He has given the matter much thoughtful consideration and the following letter given the REPORTER by Mr. Jameson fully explains the situation:

ANTRIM, N. H., July 27, 1903.

To the Executive Committee of the Democratic State Committee for New Hampshire, Gentlemen:—

As our State campaign will soon command attention as well as the National contest, I take this method to express to you, and through you to the Democracy and Independents throughout the State my position as to again being a candidate before our convention for the office of Governor.

Perhaps this letter is unnecessary, but I write in order to avoid any possible misunderstanding or misapprehension, and that the friends of the many available candidates may have ample time to look the situation over, consult and make such selection as their judgement may dictate, without any embarrassment as to my individual position.

Many of my most intimate friends knew at the end of the last campaign that I could not be able to accept a re-nomination if tendered (?) and I thought this was quite generally understood, but I have received so many kind messages, expressions and letters recently favorable to my candidacy and offering support, I feel that in justice to myself and the Democracy, I should make the matter plain.

I cannot under any circumstances accept a re-nomination for Governor, even if it came to me un-animously and by acclamation as in 1906.

You are likely aware that my health is somewhat impaired by lung trouble and that I have until lately been absent from home many months on this account. Although improved, I could not in any wise undertake the necessary work of another campaign, but shall be glad to do whatever my health will permit to advance the principles for which we stand.

I am as ever anxious that the reforms that we as an organization have so faithfully called attention to in our state, should prevail; some of these have been adopted by our Republican friends, after we had a long time recommended them, and have been enacted into laws.

I am also deeply sensible of the honors and loyal support that the Democracy and Independent voters have conferred upon me, especially in my own and surrounding towns, and the sections of my more intimate acquaintances in the State, whether for Representative, Member Constitutional Convention, State Senator, Presidential Elector or Governor; and I particularly appreciate the high honor conferred by the Democratic legislature in naming me and voting for me as their choice, for the eminent position of United States Senator, and I hereby express my due appreciation of this continued confidence.

Approaching the present State campaign: while New Hampshire is apparently "fixed," in the hands of our Republican friends, with practically all the offices and emoluments at their disposal, the State is still "missionary ground" for reform work, and I think it is already evident that our opponents have no "life tenure" in New Hampshire.

If this statement is doubted, we only have to look over their record and read their "Resolves to Reform" in the last Republican State Convention. While little came of these "Resolves" even with Democratic assistance, the same "Resolutions" will likely be "Resolved" again, in the next Republican State Convention, and another effort will be made to fool the voters once more.

As to National questions. The enthusiastic convention at Denver and the eminently creditable nomination of Bryan and Kern, as exponents of a platform faithfully embodying protection to the people in their individual rights, and faithfully protecting corporate organizations in all their legitimate rights and privileges, it is certainly a time for intelligent men to reflect.

Unless the voters of our country have lost their

The Antrim Reporter

PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON
All the Local News

Program of Annual Meeting

The program for the annual meeting of the Society for Protection of New Hampshire forests that meets at the Intervale House, Intervale, N. H., on Wednesday, August 5, contains items of special interest. Dr. Edward Everett Hale, who, when a young man more than sixty years ago, assisted in surveying the White Mountain will be present and take part. Mr. James H. Cutler of Washington, D. C., will represent the American Forestry Association, and Mr. C. J. H. Woodbury of Boston, the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers. The large cotton mills are taking note of the water that flows from the White Mountain region. Mr. E. A. Stark will represent the Massachusetts Forestry Association, and F. Wm. Rane, the State Forester of Massachusetts, may be in attendance.

Mr. J. H. Foster of the United States Forest Service, who has been making special studies in the state for the New Hampshire Forestry Commission during the past five months, will speak on the Taxation of Forest Lands, and Allen Hollis of Concord, N. H., will speak upon the Relation of the Forest to the Development of Electricity. Mr. Robert E. Faulkner of Keene, Secretary of the State Forestry Commission, will be present and members of the Forestry Committee of the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

In the late afternoon, there will be a short excursion through the famous Cathedral Woods of Intervale to Mt. Surprise, commanding one of the very noble views in the mountain region. In the evening, the Forester of the Society will show in a series of lantern pictures, the forest conditions of the White Mountains.

Governor Rollins will preside. It is expected that Mr. Overton W. Price, Associate Forester with Mr. Pinchot in the Forest Service at Washington, will speak upon Forest Reserves and the proposed National Forests in the White Mountains and southern Appalachian Mountains.

All who are interested in this important subject are cordially invited to attend.

An Excellent Midsummer Number

The August number of THE LADIES WORLD is given up chiefly to fiction—and excellent fiction it is, so good, in fact, as to restore our belief in the short story. There is variety enough to suit every taste, but all have that touch of human nature that makes them attractive to everyone who reads. As a collection the illustrations are remarkable, and typographically the magazine is, as always, a delight to the eye. Besides the stories—eight in all—they are the usual departments, which take up timely matters of household interest, of health, the Care of Children, Summer and the Complexion and the Midsummer fashions, all treated in a sane, practical way, which gives the impression that the writers know what they are talking about. To sum up, this number is up to the usual high standard of the publication.—[New York; Fifty Cents a Year.]

Benefit for the Band

The members of the Band are planning another Open Air Concert, and Entertainment in the town hall, next week Friday night, August 7th. The program will be entirely changed from that of July 10th, but just as clean, artistic numbers may be looked for.

It is hoped that enough money will be raised from this entertainment to finish paying for the new uniforms, also to buy new music. Particulars in next week's paper.

Foley's Orino Laxative, the new laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best laxative. Guaranteed or your money back.

W. F. Dickey

The Telephone

With the advent of the telephone "over East," it will be remembered that a prominent citizen composed a few verses and they were published in the REPORTER. Along the same line, we are giving place to a few lines from the August Farm Journal:

WE'VE GOT A TELEPHONE

We've got a telephone at last,
And wife is quite content.
She says the news comes in so fast
She hasn't spent a cent
For literature of any kind,—
She hears the neighbors tell
So much of things that're going on.
She listens for that bell,
And, when some one begins to talk,
She takes receiver down,
And then she knows how everything
Is going on in town.

I'd like to use the 'phone sometimes
And get the price of grain,
And call the Weather Bureau up,
And learn when it will rain.
But all the women on our line
Have got so much to say,
I wait and wait, while other men
Are drawing in their bay.
And then I say a word or two
And wish that telephone
Was anywhere but in my house,
Or I'd a line alone.

"The Wizardry of the White Mountains."

Under the above caption the August number of the Burr McIntosh Monthly, now on all news stands, contains a superbly illustrated article on New Hampshire by Charles Quincy Turner.

Twenty-two exquisite illustrations are shown, all printed in double tone sepia ink with one of them in several colors.

The Burr McIntosh Monthly is conceded to be "the most beautiful magazine in the world" and the people of New Hampshire are to be congratulated on having their state exploited in such a publication.

Our readers who are interested in obtaining such exquisite views of their state will do well to ask their newsdealers for the August Burr McIntosh Monthly published by the Burr Publishing Company of New York.

Band Concert

The Antrim Band was out on the band stand on Friday evening last and gave an hour's concert which was well pleasing to the large company who were out to listen to the music. All members looked fine in their new uniforms of caps and coats, color of which is navy blue with gilt ornaments.

Auction Sales

By Duncan and Call, Auctioneers

Will be sold on Wednesday, August 5, at 12.30 o'clock noon, at the residence of W. C. Goodhue, in the town of Hancock, a large collection of antique goods at auction. This is a very rare sale, especially in these parts, and should attract a large gathering. For particulars read posters.

WATER RENTS DUE!

Water Rents are now due and the Treasurer needs the money to pay bonds and interest coming due on August 1; it is hoped these Rents will be paid at once.

Per order,
COMMISSIONERS.

patriotism and predatory wealth or the greed for wealth has obtained control of our countrymen, this effort of the people in 1908 for freedom from the government by iniquitous trusts must succeed, these candidates must be elected and these principles prevail.

Referring again to State matters. We have many men in our organization who would ably fill the office of Governor, and I believe between now and the time of our State convention, our people can and will make a selection of a standard bearer to faithfully and successfully represent the fundamental principles of true Democracy and the reform Independent spirit of our times.

Gentlemen I remain with respect
Yours very truly,

NATHAN C. JAMESON

Swear Off and Stay So

The life of the republic may be at stake, as the national model license league declares, but it is hard to accept the league's view of the cause of so serious a situation, says the Springfield Republican. Naturally the brewers, distillers and saloon-keepers of the United States take a melancholy view of the prohibition "craze," but few of us as yet are prepared to believe that, in addition to the life of the republic, "the sanity of the people is threatened." It is a safe guess that if every American who indulges occasionally in strong drink should swear off tomorrow, and keep his pledge, the republic would survive the shock and the American people would retain their reason. The liquor trade, however, represents a vast financial investment, several billions of dollars in fact, and it employs a large number of persons. It is this aspect of the case that stirs the apprehension of the national model license league as to the safety of the republic.

Men in Great Demand

Heaven help the man who imagines he can dodge enemies by trying to please everybody! Is the way an exchange puts it. If such an individual ever succeeds pass him over this way that we may have one look at his mortal remains ere he vanishes away for surely this earth cannot be his abiding place. Now we do not infer that one should be going through this world trying to find beams to knock and thump his head against, disputing every man's opinion, fighting and elbowing and crowding all who differ from him. That, again, is another extreme. Other people have their opinions, so have you. Don't fall into the error of supposing they'll respect you more for turning your coat every day to match the color of their's. Wear your own clothes in spite of wind and weather, storms and sunshine. It costs the irresolute ten times the trouble to wind, and shuffle, and twist, than it does honest, manly independence to stand.

"Don'ts" That are All Right

A contemporary gives a few "don'ts" that are well worth considering:

- Don't be reckless, especially in your lying.
- Don't give to the Lord and then go out and rob a widow.
- Don't acquire the borrowing habit, or the day will come when you will run out of friends.
- Don't marry an indolent man expecting him to brace up, or you may have to take in washings to pay for the brace.
- Don't be so mean-minded that you can see no good in a man. He may be the first to help you in time of need.
- Don't lay up everything for a rainy day and go hungry all thru life. Besides, where you are going it may never rain.
- Don't spread butter on both sides of your bread just because you have \$3 in your pockets. An earthquake may shake the change out of them.

Old Home Week Invitations

Last call! If you have not secured these, you had better do so at once, as balance not taken will be used by secretary.

C. W. P.

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The Selectmen will meet at their Room, in Town Hall Block, the first Monday in each month, from one till five o'clock in the afternoon, to transact town business.
The Tax Collector will meet with the Selectmen
By order,
C. H. ROSS,
W. H. HILL,
C. D. WHITE,
Selectmen of Antrim.

TOWN OF ANTRIM, SCHOOL DISTRICT.

SCHOOL BOARD:
C. F. BURNETT,
E. A. HURLIN,
Miss CHARLOTTE C. HARVEY.

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 parties concerning School matters.

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FRANCESTOWN.

John Shattuck has returned to his home in Boston, after a visit with his mother.

Miss Jennie Shattuck is with her mother for a visit.

Herbert Blake, who was overcome with the heat while having his hair cut at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Charles Vose.

Mr. and Mrs. Tarbox have returned to their home in Boston; their friend, Miss Cox, will remain with friends.

The Woman's Alliance met with Mrs. E. W. Coburn last week, Wednesday.

Quite a number attended the circuit at Manchester.

Willis Foote has finished building his road into the Merrill lot No. 2, where his teams are now drawing the lumber to Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Epps were at their farm here a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Fred Epps and daughter were in Manchester Wednesday.

Miss Alice Tarbox is away from Hillsboro for a few weeks.

C. B. Epps has rented his house for a couple of months.

Mrs. Charles Foote and Miss Emma Hardy spent a day in Greenfield recently with Mrs. Foote's daughter.

Pleasant pond is quite a place this summer for the people in town and from other places.

Fred Aiken returned home from Boston the first of the week.

William Bassett, Jr., is at home from New York.

Mrs. P. L. Clark has been entertaining friends from Nashua.

Miss Bertha Downes of Boston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anna Downes.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Holt and daughter Lucy returned home from York Beach, Me., last Wednesday.

Fred Stone committed suicide by hanging on Wednesday last. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stone. His body was taken to Hillsboro for burial. He leaves a father, mother and five brothers, all of this town.

Better Than Last Year

Six hundred and thirty-seven thousand, eight hundred and seventy-seven persons visiting the original New England Food Fair and House Furnishing Exposition when it was held in Mechanics Building, Boston, last October,—the greatest number that ever attended that historical structure within a period of four weeks.

As attendance is the only true test, the New England Food Fair of last Fall may well be reckoned a record-breaking success. And now the management is promising that the New England Food Fair and House Furnishing Exposition which is to be held in Mechanics Building the coming October shall be "Better than Last Year"—a daring promise, truly, but, from present indication, one that will unquestionably be kept.

Last year patrons of Mechanics Building could see and hear everything for the one admission. The catch-penny devices and schemes which had disgraced many of the past were also abolished and gone for good.

The exhibition proper was last year the greatest ever shown in Mechanics Building. This year, the management announces that not only will the display of food stuffs and house furnishings surpass any ever shown in Mechanics Building but that the Mexican government will send a beautiful \$50,000 exhibit of the resources and industries of the nation. This will cover 14,000 square feet of space, including the stage of Grand Hall and will be the largest industrial exhibit ever sent by any foreign nation to any exposition ever held in United States—not even excepting world's fairs.

HANCOCK.

Mrs. Emma D. Otis was a recent guest for several days of her daughter, Mrs. B. L. Talbot, in Peterboro, and with relatives in Wilton.

C. E. L. Hayward's cooper shop, where he not only manufactures barrels for his own use but supplied the local demand, was burned together with a large amount of stock early Saturday morning, 18th inst. The cause is unknown. Mr. Hayward is away and an accurate account of the loss cannot be ascertained, but it is thought it may be as high as \$3000 on stock and shop.

Dean P. Otis, who has been at his home since the summer vacation at Dartmouth college commenced, is away on a business venture.

Mrs. D. A. Morehouse left town Monday morning for a visit of a few weeks with friends in Massachusetts.

Roy Upton of Roydston, Vt. has been the recent guest of his brother, E. K. Upton and family.

Mrs. William Morse and daughters of Boston, summer guests here for many years, are this summer accommodated in the family of Mrs. Nellie Hayward.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional treatment. Deafness is caused by an indurated condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is shut and you cannot hear, or your hearing is imperfect, because of its being partially closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be removed and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. It is not a matter of ten days, or a month, or a year, but a permanent cure, by the use of the only medicine that will give you a hearing of \$1000.00 for any case of Deafness, caused by catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars to H. J. LINDSEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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The Union and Advertiser of Rochester, N. Y., recently published the following interesting account of how William W. Adams of 127 South Avenue, that city, was saved from a painful operation by the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

Mr. Adams said: "Three years ago I was taken with kidney disease very badly; at times I was completely prostrated; in fact, was so bad that the day was set for the doctors to perform an operation upon me. But I decided I would not submit. I had been put in hot water baths, and, in fact, nearly every means was tried to help me. Upon the day set for the operation I commenced the use of

DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY

and from that moment began to gain, and it was not long before I was entirely cured and have had no return of the trouble since. My weight has increased and I never was so well as I am now. I have recommended Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy to many people, for it saved my life."
Write to Dr. David Kennedy's Sons, Rondout, N. Y., for a free sample bottle of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, the Great Kidney, Liver and Blood medicine. Large bottles \$1.00. All druggists.

Departure & Arrival of Mails

DEPARTURE.
6.25 A. M. For Boston, and intervening points, and all points South and West; via Elmwood.
7.48 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.
1.08 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.
1.38 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 5.00 P. M., except Tuesday evening, when it will close at 7.00.
ALBERT 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. Crooked Encampment, 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.
Epiphany 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. 32, J. R. 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:

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10.39	11.26
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Antrim, N. H., July 13, 1907.

ELIJAH AND THE RAVENS.

A Story Which Did Not Fit This Particular Minister's Case.

North Carolina probably never produced an able preacher than Dr. Francis L. Hawkes, who once was pastor of Grace Episcopal church, New York. Short, thick set, swarthy, black-eyed and black haired, he was a striking personage. He was not only a great pulpit orator, but considered the best reader in the New York episcopacy. His rather luxurious family deterred him from accepting a bishopric, which would have otherwise been tendered. One day a delegation from a Buffalo church waited upon him and invited him to accept a pastorate in that city.

"Well, gentlemen, other things being satisfactory, the question of acceptance narrows down to a business matter," said Dr. Hawkes. "What salary do you offer?"

"Dr. Hawkes," said the spokesman, "we recognize that you have a high reputation and are willing to be liberal. Our recent pastor received \$2,500, but on account of your standing we have decided to offer you \$3,500."

"My good man," cried the doctor, "do you know what salary I am receiving here?"

"No, sir."

"I get \$15,000 and this parsonage, and, as I have an expensive family, I do not see my way clear to accept your offer."

The spokesman looked rather sheepish, but made another essay.

"If we had known that, sir, we would undoubtedly have looked elsewhere, but you should remember that the work of the Lord must be done, and, as for providing for your family, you know the story of Elijah and the ravens."

"Now, my friends," responded the clergyman quizzically, "I have made the Bible my study ever since I was twenty-eight. I have read it through carefully and prayerfully over 100 times. I remember the raven incident perfectly, but nowhere can I find any reference to the Lord's providing for young Hawkes."

Objectionable.

"I don't see why Goodley should be so unpopular with you all. He never speaks ill of any one."

"No, but he's one of those very smart fellows who can say 'Oh, yes, Jones seemed very happy when I saw him last,' and say it in such a way as to give the impression that Jones was horribly drunk."—Philadelphia Press.

A Spoiled Compliment.

Little Elmer—Mamma says you are a duck of a doctor. Pompous M. D. (greatly pleased)—Indeed! How did she come to say that? Little Elmer—Oh, she didn't say it just that way, but I heard her tell papa you were a quack.—Chicago News.

Ruskin's injunction to his servants: "Call me from my study whenever there is a beautiful sunset or any unusual appearance in the sky or landscape."

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Local and Personal Mention

Boston & Maine Railroad

In effect June 29, 1908.

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D. J. FLANDERS, Passenger Traffic Mgr.

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First Quality Salted Peanuts 10 cents a pound, at Carpenter's.

Ex-Gov. D. H. Goodell made a business trip to New York last week.

S. H. Baker and W. E. Cram made an auto trip to Keene on Thursday.

Miss Bessie Parmenter has arrived at her home here for the summer vacation.

One Second-hand "Davis" Sewing Machine in excellent condition \$6.00 at Carpenter's.

Arthur Godfrey and wife of Dorchester, Mass., are guests at Mrs. Julia Tenney's.

The Largest, Freshest, and Best Line of Photo Supplies in town, at Putnam's Studio.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blake of Pawtucket, R. I., are guests of F. G. Warner and wife.

Be sure and attend the entertainment this Wednesday evening of the Ladies' Aid Fair at the town hall.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Cutter, from Peterboro, were guests of relatives in this place a portion of the past week.

The sign-boards about the village are receiving a new coat of white paint, at the hands of F. C. Parmenter.

Sam Atwood, from the Tilton Soldiers Home, has been a recent guest in the family of his brother, John Atwood.

Summer Guests! Step in and see our large variety of Souvenir Post Cards, Leather Novelties, China, etc., at Carpenter's.

Mrs. Frank Gladden has been a recent guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Curtis, and other relatives in this place.

We feel sure that the present summer will pass for the hottest one in years in this section. The oldest inhabitant tells us nothing different.

What fun it is to read the newspapers this warm weather, and note the way some anxious politicians get "red headed" over the gubernatorial situation in the Old Granite State!

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A good horse. Sound, kind and true—not afraid of automobiles. In part payment can use top buggy, farming implements or cattle. Want to buy a round disk cut-away harrow.

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Fine Imported China
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HILLSBORO, N. H., & PETERBORO, N. H.

The early apples are being used for making pies.

Harry Bean has been the guest of relatives in this village.

Charles R. Jameson was in Sunapee a portion of last week on business.

Born in Antrim, July 23, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. G. Gordon Newell.

Will E. Gibney was in East Washington on a business trip last week.

Don't forget the Band Benefit Concert and Entertainment next Friday night.

A Novelty. Old Home Day Invitation Post Cards at Putnam's Studio.

Rev. Walter Felch occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church on Sunday morning.

Morris Cutter and family will occupy the house recently purchased by G. E. Hutchison.

Mrs. Etta Ingram is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, from Newburyport, Mass.

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

Rev. James Dare of Lonsdale, R. I., will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Emery have been passing a few days with relatives and friends in Manchester and Boston.

Rev. Mr. Speed, pastor of the Crown Hill Baptist church, Nashua, has been a guest at S. G. Wallace's the past week.

Miss Emma Whitney and gentleman friend, Mr. Nelson, arrived at her home here from Sunapee on Saturday evening.

William F. Dickey and wife have recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Osborne of Everett, Mass. Together they camped for a few days in Stoddard.

Word has been received by friends here of the death in Chicago of Mrs. Kimball Paige, well known to many in Antrim. She died as a result of an operation.

Orlov Albert Cutter of this place and Miss Grace Sheldon of Peterboro were married in the latter town on the evening of July 22, by Rev. R. G. Bugbee.

See Carpenter's show window for that large new line of Linen Finish Souvenir Tablets and Box Stationery. Three views—Birch Glen, Main Street and Conocook River in each tablet and box.

Howard Paige, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Paige, is at the Memorial hospital in Worcester, Mass. He had an operation for tubercular appendicitis and is getting along nicely.

The nice pair of driving horses of Frank Bass being somewhat frightened of an automobile on Thursday evening last, became unmanageable by the bit breaking which guided one horse. It was fortunate indeed for the occupants that no great damage was sustained beyond a severe shaking up and a few slight cuts and bruises. One horse was only slightly injured and the covered buggy was not the worse for wear.

On Wednesday last, Joseph Cross of Hillsboro, the agent of the society with the long name, was in this village doing business. On complaint of cruelty to a horse, A. A. Chesnut was fined \$10 and costs, amounting to more than \$15. On a like complaint, W. R. Musson paid a \$10 fine and costs, amounting to upwards of \$15. E. W. Baker, Esq., Justice. Other parties in town were interviewed and given good advice.

Deacon's Store, - - Antrim, N. H.

A Most Remarkable Sale of PETTICOATS!

In connection with one of the Largest Stores in New England, we were fortunate in securing at about 50c ON THE DOLLAR a very large stock of Black Mercerized and Sateen Petticoats, and at the prices you'll see them offered at in this "AD" you'll hardly believe it possible that we could Offer Such Bargains, but seeing (in this case) is believing.

These Prices For ONE WEEK Only!

JUST THINK OF IT!		COLORED PETTICOATS	
1.25, 1.50, 1.93 Black Petticoats, choice for		1.25 and 1.50 Colored Petticoats, choice for	
98c		98c	
2.25 Petticoats, for	1.39	GINGHAM PETTICOATS	
2.50 Brown Heatherbloom Petticoats,	1.79	69c Gingham Petticoats, for	49c
2.98 Green Heatherbloom Petticoats,	1.79	1.25 " " "	70c
WHITE PETTICOATS		1.25 " " "	89c
1.30 White Petticoats, for	98c	WHITE PETTICOATS	
1.50 " " "	1.09	2.50 White Petticoats, for	1.69
1.98 " " "	1.29	3.25 " " "	1.79
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Going Up In a Balloon and Com-
ing Down In a Parachute.

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robat Who Took the Place of a Pro-
fessional Acrobat in an Emergency.
The Dash Through Space.

I once went up in a balloon and
came down in a parachute. Something
went wrong, and all the money in the
world doubled would not induce me to
make the experiment again.

One grows strangely accustomed to
dangers as an acrobat, and when it
was suggested that I should earn \$25
in as many minutes by taking the place
of a parachutist who had fallen ill at
the last minute I jumped at the chance.
It was at a large country fair. The
laughing crowd had probably never
seen a balloon go up. As the great
silk bag gradually swelled a silence
fell upon the onlookers.

The sick parachutist's manager pat-
ted me on the back and said it was
money easily earned. I agreed—then
"Keep cool," he said, "and whatever
you do, don't look down except to
judge your distance from the earth.
You see that tower? It is about a
thousand yards away. When you are
that distance up pull the check string
and shut your eyes."

A dull murmur rose as the ropes were
cast off and I felt my feet leave the
ground. The upward movement was
gentle, and a great cheer came up to
me until the band drowned it.

I hardly heard the cheering or the
band. The involuntary murmur still
rang in my ears. Perhaps my nerves
were upset, possibly it was intuition,
but from the moment I was drawn up
from the ground I felt the conviction
that grim trouble lay ahead.

Ignoring the oft repeated instruc-

tions, I looked down. How slowly the
balloon went up! Could it be possible
that I had not gone more than a hun-
dred yards? The giant overhead be-
came a living thing, intent on tortur-
ing the puny mortal who had trusted
his life to it. I knew I dared not leap
before I was high enough, for the par-
achute takes 100 feet sometimes to
open.

I shut my eyes and tried to count to
kill time, but the figures became jumb-
led, and I looked down again. A
swallow skimmed past underneath.
Far below there was a sea of upturned
faces, and the music floated up dis-
tinctly. The balloon seemed to have
stopped rising, and for an eternity I
tried to gauge the height.

Again the band stopped, and I was
in a silent world. The crowd of
breathless specks far beneath was get-
ting full value for its money. The
only noise I heard was the beating of
the blood through my head. I was
afraid. It was the first real fear I had
ever felt in my work.

When the supreme moment came I
pulled the string without realizing
what I was doing.

What years I lived in those next
few seconds. An appalling nausea and
a wild desire to live came with the
first terrible rush, and my heart stood
still as I looked eagerly aloft. The
ropes of the parachute had twisted,
and I was falling to instant death.

Grasping the ropes in a clutch of
steel, I shook them frantically. Half
the huge parachute belled out with a
noise like a pistol shot, and the speed
of the fall was lessened with a jar.

Again I shook the death trap. The
ropes were sliding at a snail's pace,
and bit by bit the parachute was er-
ring. Still I fell far too fast. I could
not breathe, and my hands seemed to
be refusing to hold on.

Bang! The last fold had opened out,
and I was saved. Dizzy and numb
with fear, I held on tightly, wonder-
ing whether I should faint before I
touched the ground. That, and that
only, was my thought as I sailed
through the space. I had almost lost
consciousness when my feet touched
the ground gently. And then I col-
lapsed.—*Buffalo Times*

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A WALPOLE ANECDOTE.

To Save the Woman's Life She
Couldn't Recall Who Told It.

"I heard a very funny story the other
night about Horace Walpole," said
Mrs. Blake. "I wish I could remember
who told it. Henry, can you remem-
ber? Was it Mr. Sellers?"

"No," said Blake stiffly; "it wasn't
Sellers."

"I wonder if it could have been Mr.
Windsor?"

"No," repeated Blake; "it wasn't
Windsor."

Before Mr. Blake had a chance to ex-
press an affirmative or negative opin-
ion of that hazard as to the source of
the Walpole anecdote Mr. Barton came
in. Mrs. Blake, being by that time
sure of herself, tried on him her re-
cipe for winning universal affection.

"Oh, Mr. Barton," she said, "I am
very glad to see you. I have hardly
stopped laughing since I saw you the
last time."

Mr. Barton, a cadaverous man with
solemn eyes, looked rather foolish.

"Indeed?" he said. "May I ask what
about?"

"Over that funny story you told
about Horace Walpole," said Mrs.
Blake.

"M-m-m—Horace Walpole?" stam-
mered Mr. Barton. "I am afraid you
must have got me mixed up with some-
body else. I don't know the first thing
about Horace Walpole, and if I did
know anything funny about him, I
couldn't tell it. To tell a funny story
is beyond my powers. Even if it was
funny to start with it wouldn't be by
the time I got through with it."

Mrs. Blake's spirits were somewhat
dashed by her fiasco in finding an
owner for the Walpole story, but she
bore up courageously, and later when
Mr. Markham came in she drew him
out of earshot of Mr. Barton and dilated
on the pleasure his story of Horace
Walpole had given her. Mr. Markham
was not cast in the funeral mold that
gave to Mr. Barton his grave aspect,
but he protested himself totally in-
capable of telling a funny story about
Horace Walpole or anything else.

Presently Mrs. Blake left the room
to prepare the sandwiches. Mr. Blake
followed her.

"For the love of the Lord," he said,
"don't make a fool of yourself again
by trying to get some other idiot in
there to father that Walpole story. I
told you that yarn myself."

Mrs. Blake stood still, with carving
knife poised in air.

"You?" she said incredulously. "And
it was so clever too."—*New York
Times*.

A CHEMICAL FURY.

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A Drawback.

"My!" exclaimed little Billy as he
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be a giraffe. Just think how easily
you could 'rubber' over the baseball
fence."

"That's all right," replied Tommy.
"but there is another time when you
wouldn't want to have a neck like a
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"When is that?"
"Why, in the mornings when your
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The average transatlantic traveler displays very little interest in the navigation of the vessel beyond watching the ship's officers, attendant in hand, making observations, says a writer in Travel Magazine. Very few have any idea of the process by means of which the modern navigator is enabled to accurately place the ship's position at a stated time on the chart. Out of sight of land a ship's geographical position is determined either by keeping a careful record of the course steered and the distance run, known as dead reckoning, or by the combined use of chronometer and sextant—that is, by observation of the heavenly bodies. The operation of finding the latitude and longitude of observation can be performed in a number of ways, of which the simplest and most convenient is by measuring the altitude of the sun above the horizon at noon, as is indicated on the vernier of the sextant and spoken of as "shooting the sun." An arithmetical computation by the aid of logarithms is thus quickly made which shows exactly how far the ship is north or south of the equator, or, in other words, the latitude.

Finding the longitude, however, is a somewhat longer process. An observation is made either in the forenoon or afternoon, the chronometer time of the horizon contact of the sun's image being noted. A calculation is then made which gives the exact time at the spot where the ship happens to be, and, as the chronometer carried aboard shows the exact time at Greenwich, the prime meridian of longitude, the difference between the two expresses in hours and minutes (easily convertible into degrees and miles) the distance east or west of Greenwich.

Having thus, roughly speaking, found the latitude and longitude, a dot placed on the chart at the exact point where the lines of latitude and longitude cross denotes the ship's position.

A Scratch.

"How does Mrs. Sleigh get on in the club?"
"Oh, she always comes up to the scratch."
"Of course she does—the cat!"—Kansas City Newsbook.

Some people only believe half of what they hear, and then invariably select the wrong half.—New York Telegram.

A MAN'S HAT.

Why is it Always Regarded as a Fit Subject For Jokes?

"I wonder why it is," says a young gentleman who spends most of his leisure time studying human nature at a populous street corner, "that a man's hat is always regarded as a fit subject for jokes? Anything that happens to his shoes is a serious matter, and, although his vest, especially if it is out of the usual in design or color, is sometimes made the subject of pointed remarks, disaster to any other garment is regarded as a matter of sympathy."
"But if he goes to church and puts down his hat at the end of his pew, where somebody kicks a dent in it and knocks it five feet down the aisle, or if he places it carefully beside him in a lecture room or theater and a preoccupied young woman comes in and sits down on it people laugh without seeming to feel the slightest sympathy for him or his sky piece."

"A man chasing his hat through the street on a windy day will always attract a grinning, unsympathetic crowd ready to lay bets on the distance the hat will travel before he catches up or on the amount of damage it will sustain before it is finally recovered, and so irritated does the owner become when he finds his vicious dabs and grabs at it greeted with ironical applause that he generally forgets to thank the man who stops it by stamping on it and hands it back. I believe Joe Miller perpetrated jokes about chasing the hat, but the heavy felts and cocked hats of Miller's time did not lend themselves readily to joking purposes, for when those old-fashioned headpieces were blown off they dropped to the ground and stayed there. A panama, a stovepipe or even a derby may run and fly by turns from Broadway to the postoffice and attract as much attention as a runaway team."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Soldiers in Battle.

Those who have taken part in a battle have confessed that were it not for the shouting and the noise they would lose their nerves and run away. There is always an interval of cowardice in the soldier, but it is quickly overcome, and he fights grimly, unafraid of impending death. Bands were, of course, invented to raise the spirits of soldiers. Martial music, whether from the drum or the bugle, has done a great deal in saving campaigns. Nobody can fight in a cold blooded manner, and in the excitement of a general engagement the most nervous of fighters recover wonderfully.

Smoothing It Over.

Irate Individual—I'm going to square matters with you right now! You've been telling it around that I lie!

The Other Man—Nothing of the sort. All I have said about you is that you are habitually untruthful.

Irate Individual (calming down)—Oh, I don't mind that, if that's all. I acknowledge I do get that way once in awhile. But how can a fellow help it when everybody insists on treating him?—Chicago Tribune.

A Scrap of History.

"General Washington, the soldiers of the Continental army are men of iron," exclaimed the Marquis de Lafayette in admiration.

"And as a consequence," remarked the great commander with a sly twinkle, "they are hard at work pressing the redcoats."—Woman's Home Companion.

At the Barn Party.

"These country dances are enjoyable, after all, aren't they?"

"I tell you, the old-fashioned dances are the real thing."—Baltimore American.

Glaciers.

It has been demonstrated that the glacier does not move in one block, but flows, accommodating itself to the channel in which it moves. Professor Tyndall planted a row of sticks in a straight line across a glacier, and after a few days the line had become a crescent, with the convex upward, showing that the middle of the glacier moved faster than the sides, just as in a river the stream is stronger in the center.

Her Mild Ambition.

"You expect your boy to become a good man?"

The mother's face fell.
"He is not a brilliant child," she made answer doubtfully. "No, I think I shall have to be content if he attains only a moderate success—becomes a very rich man, say, or something like that."—Puck.

Two Wise Ones.

The young man carefully removed the cigars from his vest pocket and placed them on the piano. Then he opened his arms. But the young girl did not flutter to them. "You," she said coldly, "have loved before."—Chicago Record-Herald.

He Evidently Had One.

"What is a pessimist, pa?"
"A man who has a note to meet."—New York Press.

Hillsboro Bridge

Saturday last the Whist club spent a delightful afternoon with the Misses Grimes. After the business of the club had been transacted, whist was in order, and then refreshments were served.

There was a special meeting for the old people Sunday afternoon at the Smith Memorial church. An excellent sermon was preached by the pastor, after which tea was served during the social hour. About 50 old people enjoyed the occasion.

B. L. Craige and family, who have been visiting relatives in Henniker, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Elmira Watson left Saturday for George's Mills and New London, where she will remain for several weeks.

Mrs. H. P. Whitaker, Mrs. Lottie

Craige, Mrs. Flora Smart, Mrs. Elmira Watson and Mrs. Etta S. Owen, attended the district meeting of the W. R. C. in Peterboro.

Hillsboro will have its first Old Home Day celebration this year, and the date set is Aug. 18. The arrangements are in charge of a committee composed of W. H. Manahan, Rev. R. W. Wallace, F. J. Jefferson, Ira C. Roach, F. C. Johnson, S. G. Brown and Leon B. Proctor. The exercises will be held in the Oak grove. There will be music and speaking in the morning, followed by a picnic dinner, sports in the afternoon and a band concert in the evening.

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Mrs. Mary Williams is spending a few weeks in Suapee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Spaulding of Lowell, are at the Knight farm for a season.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Balch attended in Peterboro Tuesday the funeral of a relative.

H. Harrison & Co., are prepared to make barrels at their factory by the railroad track near Antrim station. The machinery and tools are in position and stock on hand; soon the output will materialize.

We were sorry to learn of an accident to Mr. J. E. Venio's father he having received a broken arm in a skirmish with a frightened horse and an automobile. Two other members of the family are quite sick, proving the old adage that "Troubles never come singly".

Mrs. Sarah Rogers and son Lee, are visiting in Alstead.

Mrs. Dunlap and Miss Jessie Dunlap have been spending a few days in Concord.

Miss Ethel Adderson of Cambridge, has been a guest quite recently of her aunt, Mrs. F. A. Taylor.

Mrs. Nathan Whitney and Miss Elizabeth Rogers are enjoying a short vacation at Woods Hole, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Richardson and baby Helen, of Winchester, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richardson.

The many friends of Miss Lanna Gordon were pained last week to learn that she was quite ill with typhoid fever. Her nurse reports her as comfortable as can be expected at present.

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THE CHARTER OAK.

Bells Told and Funeral Dirges Played When It Fell.

The charter oak of Hartford was a white oak. The story goes that when James Duke of York, ascended the throne of England and sent Andros to take away all colonial charters Connecticut alone refused to surrender hers. Andros was furious over this defiance, and Oct. 31, 1687, he returned to the assembly hall of Hartford with a body of soldiers and demanded instant surrender of the charter, which lay in a box on the table. A hot discussion followed. Finally Andros stretched out his hand to seize the disputed paper. Then the candles were suddenly extinguished, and the people who had gathered on the street outside rushed in a disorderly crowd into the hall. There was a period of wild confusion in the dark, and when the candles were finally relighted no charter was to be found. It had been removed by Captain Wadsworth and concealed in the oak, which ever afterward bore its name.

The oak was even then old. "When the first settlers were clearing their land the Indians begged that it might be spared. 'It has been the guide of our ancestors for centuries,' they said, 'as to the time of planting our corn. When the leaves are the size of a mouse's ears, then is the time to put seed into the ground.' The Indians' request was granted, and the tree, afterward becoming the custodian of the lost charter, became famous for all time. It fell in a windstorm Aug. 21, 1856, and so deeply was it venerated that at sunset on the day of its fall the bells of the city were tolled and a band of music played funeral dirges over its ruins.

At the time of its fall its circumference one foot from the ground was twenty-five feet, and it was estimated to be over 600 years old.—Kansas City Star.

EAST ANTRIM.

Miss E. W. Cathcart, who has been stopping some weeks at G. T. Trask's, left for her new home in Hookset on Wednesday.

Joseph Cote and Mr. Little of West Deering are teaming for Mr. Chase; they board at Mr. Haefeli's.

Mr. Parker and his partner, Mr. Lane, were up from Winchester, Mass., on Saturday, returning Sunday in the latter's automobile.

Mrs. Wilkins is somewhat improved in health.

Mary Thompson has just returned from a visit with friends in Sutton.

John Clement and family visited at the old homestead "The Maples" last week.

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This explains why he left his pleasant summer home to visit Boston last week. He came purposely to inspect the Park Square Coliseum and to determine what, if any, steps should be taken to make its acoustics perfect. The result of the trip was Sousa's enthusiastic report to the Boston Food Fair management that the Coliseum's acoustic properties were ideal and that nothing whatever need be done. He made the test, not only with band instruments, but with one of the several vocal soloists who will appear in connection with his band concerts both here and on his farewell tour of the world which immediately follows his Boston Food Fair engagement.

It is worthy of note and of the most pleasurable anticipation that the Boston Retail Grocers' Association, under whose auspices this big Exposition is held, will make it a great musical event. In fact, in respect to bands, musicians, leaders, vocal soloists, and music, the Boston Food Fair, as a musical event, will early prove the most notable in New England, if not in this country, since the famous World's Peace Jubilee held in this city over 30 years ago.

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 \$1.00 Napkins, for 49c Best Ginghams, for 9c
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