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## High School Department.

The items of news appearing under this department are furnished us by the school.

Our basket ball team was defeated on Friday evening by Conant High, of East Jaffrey. The score was 27 to 22. It was a fine game, without a dull moment, as each side worked hard from start to finish. The chief feature of the game was the splendid passing of the East Jaffrey team.

Antrim	Goals	Fowls
Paige, lg.		
Pike, rg.		
Cram, c.	5	4
Elliott, lf.	2	
Parker, rf.	1	
Madden	1	
Conant		
Blick, lf.	2	
Garfield, rf.	4	
Harlin, c.	2	1
Pool, rg.	1	
McCormack, lg.	4	

There will be an entertainment for the benefit of the Senior class at the town hall, on Monday evening, Feb. 21, 1916. Edward Frye, an impersonator, will give "The Man From Home." It will pay anyone to see it as it is one of Mr. Frye's most successful impersonations. Prices, adults 25c, school children 15c adv.

The extreme cold weather caused some trouble with the water pipes; however, very little inconvenience was experienced.

## The Antrim Woman's Club

The next meeting of the Antrim Woman's Club will be held Feb. 21st, at the home of Mrs. George W. Hunt, and will be for work in behalf of local interests. Every lady is asked to come as early in the afternoon as possible, prepared to sew. Please bring the contributions for the New Hampshire War Relief Association. Cora B. Hunt, Sec.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for their many kind words and acts during the sickness and death of our dear mother; and also to the bearers and singers.

Mrs. Lena Botgenbach  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Emery  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boutelle

## To Those Who Hang Their Own Wall Paper

We have a new and complete line of Wall Paper at the lowest prices ever quoted by us. Come in and compare our prices with others.

GUY A. HULETT, Antrim.

## Water Due

Takers of water within the Precinct whose rents remain unpaid will assist the Treasurer by calling at my store and paying same at once.

W. E. Cram, Treasurer.

Facial Massage Shampooing

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"Velvetina" System of BEAUTY CULTURE  
Scalp Treatment Antrim, N. H.

## SUMMER RESIDENT WRITES

### Regarding the Needs of a Good Road at White Birch Point, Gregg Lake

To The Antrim Reporter,  
Mr. Editor:

Certain truths are self evident. The duty to take care of ones own, to promote thrift and to encourage business, are beyond argument. This applies to towns and localities as well as individuals.

The beautiful town of Antrim, with its beautiful lakes and grand old hills offers exceptional inducements to summer home seekers. These visitors, socially acceptable to any community and desirable from a financial point of view, bring improvements and betterments and add greatly to the taxable value of the places where they locate. They bring automobiles and horses—they select localities that are accessible and to make them so, roads are demanded! Roads! Roads!

More than a dozen families have chosen White Birch Point. They pay taxes where none (?) were paid before they came. They induced others to come. They bring their money,

bring their families—supplies of all kinds are required—they have to be fed. All branches of industry are benefited by their being among you. Is it not to your advantage, good people of Antrim, to keep them and to encourage them to encourage more to come?

What are you doing to this end? There has been more than a half-dozen autos stalled at the dam, because the road on the hill was impassable. Is this right? Is it desirable for the town? Is it just to tax payers on the Hill?

We are asking that these intolerable conditions be removed by the expenditure of a little town money there.

As an individual who has done his little and entitled to a voice, I ask that you publish this appeal.

Respectfully,  
Henry A. Cozzens,  
427 St. Johns Pl.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

## ALONZO ALFORD

### Passes on to the Higher Life, at his Main St. Home

Alonzo Alford was born in St. Albans, Vt., Jan. 28, 1837, where he lived for a few years and then removed to Burlington, Vt. Having obtained his early education there he entered the hardware business in Burlington, and was later engaged in the feed, grain and flour business in New Haven, Conn. He entered the employ of a New York firm on April 1, 1863, as manager of their business of manufacturing firearms; later he spent several years with the Remington Co., on Broadway, New York.

Mr. Alford was in the cutlery, plated ware and firearm business for himself for a few years, and served as agent for the Goodell Co., of this town, being in charge of their western and export trade.

After the Civil war, he was the first one to secure permit from the New York Custom House to travel through the South with samples of firearms. In 1896 he became a member of the firm of E. S. Hulbert & Co., of Bernardston, Mass., and for 12 years traveled extensively through the United States and Canada, forming



an acquaintance with the hardware dealers in nearly every large city in the Union.

While at Bernardston he formed a company for lighting the streets by gas, and was treasurer of the association some years. Having sold out his interests at Bernardston, he came to Antrim, 1909, and was assistant to the late ex-Gov. D. H. Goodell, president of the Goodell Co., since which time he has conducted a notary public and legal business.

In fraternal circles Mr. Alford was for over 50 years a prominent figure. He was the only surviving charter member of Acanthus Lodge, A. F. & A. M., of Brooklyn, N. Y., joining on Nov. 8, 1864, when Mr. Lincoln was elected President for the second time. For the past few years he has attended the annual celebrations of Acanthus lodge, where he usually delivered an address. He held most of the offices in that lodge, and was also a member of Constellation Royal Arch chapter, of Brooklyn. He held membership in Harmony Lodge, I. O. O. F., of New Haven, Conn. and the Encampment of that city.

In the Central Congregational church, at Brooklyn, Mr. Alford ser-

## SEE "GRAUSTARK"

### At Antrim Town Hall on Saturday Evening Next

To Motion Picture Patrons:

Your response to our advertising for "The Island of Regeneration" shown by your attendance Saturday evening was very gratifying. We have booked some very high class productions, and feel sure that you will appreciate our efforts to give you extra good quality pictures, even at the slight advance in admission which we are compelled to charge. If we have your co-operation we can continue to show the best.

For this week Saturday our feature is GRAUSTARK, in Six Reels, from the famous story by George Barr McCutcheon.

The scenes in the United States were taken at the exact spots represented in the novel, including the famous stage coach ride over the rough roads in the foot hills of the Alleghany mountains.

The drama is of that type of romance that appeals to all. Francis X. Bushman as Grenfall Lorry, the hero of the play, is the type of American beloved by all lovers of fiction. Rich, handsome, and daring, he falls in love with a princess traveling in disguise and follows her half way around the world to win her hand. The adventures he goes through in the turbulent little kingdom where she reigns is like a page from the Arabian Nights.

Facing dangers on every hand, he rescues the princess from her abductors, foils the plot of two unscrupulous princes to win her hand, and finally saves her from the loss of her kingdom. He surmounts all obstacles barring an untitled American from marrying into a royal family and finally wins her as his bride.

Bryant Washburn, Beverley Bayne and Edna Mayo also take important parts in an exceptionally strong cast.

Admission to this high class photo play will be 20c and 10c.  
H. B. Eldredge.

ved as Deacon for 20 years. Was a member of the Board of Directors of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A., and first President of the Bedford Branch, which is the largest of the eleven Y. M. C. A. branches in that city.

Three weeks previous to his death he suffered a paralytic shock and constantly failed till he was called away. On Feb. 1, 1860, he married Miss C. Cornelia Slate, of Bernardston, Mass., who survives him, and to whom is extended the sympathy of the community in her affliction.

Prayers were said at his late home Friday and the remains were taken to Bernardston for interment.

During our acquaintance with the deceased, we found him to be a man of strict integrity, of a broad and cultured mind, upright in all his dealings, and a citizen whose death is a loss to our community. He will be greatly missed in the home which he loved so much and for so many years had done everything to make it a happy one.

## THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I like hand-organ music  
And I like green onions  
too.  
So if your not a  
cultured soul  
I'm just the guy  
for you.



## Comforting Words

Many an Antrim Household Will Find Them so.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove comforting words to hundreds of Antrim readers.

Mrs. W. A. Brown, Henniker, N. H., says: "My feet and ankles swelled very badly and often I found it very difficult to walk around the house. I also had severe pains through my joints and my back ached intensely. Doan's Kidney Pills greatly benefited me. I have used this medicine since and it has never failed to give relief."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Brown had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. adv.



## Selling Fast

Tickets for the Local Minstrels on March 3d are selling fast. Don't wait too long before you go into the Drug Store and select yours.

## Annual Meeting B. of T.

The annual meeting of the Antrim Board of Trade will be held next Monday evening at 8.00 o'clock at the Selectmen's room; a large attendance is desired.

## GOOD HOME-MADE BREAD

### At the Antrim Bakery

And every other kind of Home Cooked Food, right handy just when you want it. This is the place to go when you are in need of any kind of home cooking.

Leave orders for Brown Bread on Fridays, and for Baked Beans by Thursday night.

ANTRIM BAKERY,  
Irving Avery, Prop'r

## Don't Scold Fretful Children

That nervousness, fretting and restlessness is no doubt caused by worms or constipation. Instead of whipping or scolding give your child a treatment of Kickapoo Worm Killer. Nice candy confections that kill the worms and are laxative enough to move the bowels and expel not only the worms but accumulated poisons. These poisons and worms bring on fever, make children nervous and irritable, reduces their vitality and makes them victims of sickness. Get a box of Kickapoo Worm Killer today at your druggist, only 25c. adv.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Gifford*

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We have about Fifty Dozen Turkish Towels on hand that were bought before the advance. These cannot be duplicated by us at prices paid and they will surely be higher. If you are going to need anything in this line, we advise buying NOW. Ours are excellent values and prices range

From 10c. to 50c.

An Exceptionally Fine Line of Laces, Hamburgs and Embroideries Just In. Also New Case Prints and Percales

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## To Night

At Town Hall, Antrim, 5-Reel Variety Show

### Ham and Bud Comedy

Entitled "The Winning Wash." You all know Ham and Bud's reputation for fun making!

### Broncho Billy Drama

Entitled "The Bachelor's Baby."

Dreamy Dud Sees Chas. Chaplin Animated Cartoon Drawings

The Worth of a Woman 2-Reel Feature.

(Program subject to change)

## To Night



We Beg to State that

## Greene's Mash

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Makes Hens Lay Eggs!

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ANTRIM, N. H.

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At A-F-F-O-R-D Prices

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## To the Patrons of the Clinton Store

Antrim, N. H.

### Specials in Groceries

SUGAR, per pound.....6½¢  
Roseale Peaches, regular 25c size for.....21¢  
Swift's Washing Powder, regular 10c size for.....8¢  
Empire brand Corn.....2 Cans for 25¢  
Try a 14 oz. tin of dandy Cocoa.....25¢

Chase & Sanborn's Teas in bulk, 35¢ lb.

Don't forget to order some

We shall continue the same prices on Dry Goods another week as long as they last

White Bed Spreads were \$1.25 now.....98¢  
Nice large sized Puffs were 2.00, now.....\$1.79  
Bed Blankets were 1.75 and 2.00, now.....1.50 and 1.75

Prints, Percales and Gingham at 1¢ to 1½¢ less than regular prices. All New Goods.

Men's and Young Men's Work Shirts, were 50¢ now.....45¢

### Prices for Grain at Store:

Meal, Cracked Corn and Corn, per bag.....\$1.70  
Oats, per bag.....1.30  
Pillsbury's Mixed Feed, per bag.....1.60  
Shoemaker's Stock Feed, per bag.....1.60  
Bran, per bag.....1.40  
Red Dog, per bag.....1.75  
Scratch Feed, per bag.....2.10  
Dry Mash, per bag.....2.20  
Provender, per bag.....1.50  
Ground Oats, per bag.....1.35  
Stratton's Patent Flour, per barrel.....8.00  
Pillsbury's XXXX Best Flour, per barrel.....8.25  
Occident Flour, per barrel.....8.75  
King Arthur Flour, per barrel.....9.00  
Pastry Flour, per barrel.....7.50

## Clinton Store, Antrim

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 First Class, Experienced Director and Embalmer, For Every Case.  
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**FARMS**  
 Listed with me are quickly  
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**SELECTMEN'S NOTICE.**

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

WARREN W. MERRILL  
 CHARLES F. BUTTERFIELD  
 CARL H. ROBINSON  
 Selectmen of Antrim.

**TOWN OF ANTRIM,**  
**SCHOOL DISTRICT.**

GEORGE E. HASTINGS,  
 JOHN D. HUTCHINSON  
 HARRY B. DRAKE  
 School Board.  
 Meets regularly in Town Clerk's Room, in Town hall building, the last Saturday afternoon in each month, at 2 o'clock, to transact School District business, and to hear all parties regarding school matters.

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 Customer will drop postal card or phone.

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 Rates for Family Ice  
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 ANTRIM, N. H.  
 TELEPHONE CONNECTION

**NEWS OF THE**  
**GRANITE STATE**

**Pair of Horses in 17-Mile Run—**  
**Away**

**GIRLS THROWN FROM PUNG**

But Are Picked Up Uninjured—  
 Electric Power Plants May  
 Unite—Railroad Shops to Run  
 on 53-Hour Basis.

Millford.—Joseph Blood lives in Mount Vernon, and Friday he brought the Melrose hockey team to the station here. He had a pair of horses and a heavy pung sleigh. After he left his passengers two little girls asked him for a ride. He stopped at a store and went in for a few minutes, leaving the children in the sleigh. The horses took fright and bolted. They ran a half mile and turned around, throwing the children out, but they were uninjured. The horses headed for Mount Vernon and Mr. Blood procured an automobile and followed. When the horses were overtaken the road was so narrow the auto could not pass and it followed the horses until they were winded and gave up. The distance covered was 17 miles, and not a thing was injured in their wild career.

Heifers Take a Vacation.  
 Manchester.—Fred P. Danforth owns a farm outside the city, and last November someone left a gate open. Three two-year-old heifers saw the opening and walked away. They went out towards Lake Massabesic and then up to the Hooksett woods. For nearly three months Mr. Danforth has been after the critters, some days having as many as a dozen men following the trail which was always easy to find. The heifers always succeeded in eluding their pursuers, and Mr. Davenport finally put an enclosure with a trap gate. He placed fodder inside and the middle of last week found he had two of the animals inside, while the third stayed nearby. With men and baiters he soon had them back in his own barn, as docile as if nothing had happened.

Electric Power Plants May Unite.  
 Claremont.—Plans for the consolidation of the Claremont Power, and Contoocook Electric Light, and the Bradford Light and Power companies are said to be under way. According to reports the new company is to buy the old home factory at Lake Sunapee which will be converted into a main power station, using the present plants as auxiliaries when necessary. The Claremont company is the largest, having \$100,000 preferred and \$500,000 common stock and supplying over 800 consumers.

Good News for Concord.  
 Concord.—The people of this city, and especially the business men, were greatly pleased by the announcement last week that the railroad shops would be put on to a 53-hour basis immediately. They have been running only 45 hours a week, and as over 700 hands are employed the extra time will mean a large increase in the amount of wages. The rush of freight has obliged the road to keep all rolling stock on which the wheels would turn moving, and as soon as the rush abates there must be a large increase in repair work making more help necessary.

Didn't Get His Meal Free.  
 Dover.—Gordon Johnson, a traveling agent for an engraving company, went into a restaurant one evening last week and ordered a beef steak. When he had eaten it he asked the waiter to get him a couple of scrambled eggs. While the waiter was after them Mr. Johnson took a hasty leave of the premises. A warrant was procured and Mr. Johnson brought up in the police station. After he had appeared in police court and taken account of stock he found his meal was the most expensive he had eaten for some time. His fine was \$5, with costs of \$6.76.

Carnival Ball was Interrupted.  
 Hanover.—The carnival ball, the great social event of Dartmouth's mid-winter festivities, was interrupted about 10 o'clock Friday evening by an alarm of fire. The blaze was in a couple of barns immediately in the rear of a business block on Main street, and for a time it threatened the business portion of the village. Students in dress suits and ladies in ball dresses were interested spectators of the efforts of the firemen for a couple of hours, by which time the barns had been gutted, the spread of the fire averted and festivities were resumed.

Die's of Fractured Skull.  
 Bristol.—While Chester F. Glines of this town was chopping in Alexandria Friday he cut a large tree which fell onto a decayed birch. It broke off and came down on Glines' head, fracturing the skull. His brother-in-law, who was with him, ran a mile to the nearest house and telephoned for a physician. The injured man was taken to the hospital at Franklin, but never regained consciousness and died Saturday. He was 19 years old and had a mother living here.

Fatal Day for Comery.  
 Concord.—Oscar J. Comery will be executed for the murder of his wife next Friday. The details of the execution are practically completed and the witnesses selected. Attorney General Tuttle will not attend the execution, although under the law he is mentioned as one of those to be present. He has delegated Burrill H. Hinman of Berlin to represent him. It is expected that the gallows will be erected in the prison yard instead of inside in the corridor, and the execution will take place during the night.

Car Stake Controversy Settled.  
 Manchester.—At a conference in this city Friday an agreement in the controversy between the lumbermen and the Boston & Maine railroad was reached. It was agreed that the railroad should own and furnish stakes to shippers, to be charged to the shipper until sent out on loaded cars. After that, the responsibility of the shipper would cease and the railroad would look to the consignee for the return of the stakes.

Splinter Driven Through Head.  
 Wolfeboro.—While at work in a saw mill one day last week a splinter thrown by the saw struck Whalen F. Whittier behind the right ear with such force that it was driven completely through his head, coming out through his forehead. Death was instantaneous. He was 30 years of age and leaves a wife and two children, the youngest only two months. He had been employed at the mill for two months.

The 49th Annual Encampment G. A. R.  
 Concord.—The 49th annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held at the state house April 6. There will be a campfire and public reception in the Auditorium in the evening at which there will be music by Nevins' Second Regiment and an orchestra. Governor Spaulding will deliver the address of welcome for the state and Mayor Nathaniel Hobbs for the city.

Find Home in Ruins.  
 Portsmouth.—While Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur O. Winn with their son and daughter were absent one day last week their house on the Greenland road took fire and was entirely consumed with the contents. A valuable piano was among the property destroyed. The fire department made a two mile run but were unable to save anything after it arrived. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

Found Nearly Frozen.  
 Dover.—James Mahoney of Glasgow, Scotland, was found Friday morning on the steps of a house on High street nearly overcome by cold. When found his shoes had been removed and his feet were wrapped in his overcoat. He was found just in season to prevent his being frozen to death, and was removed to the hospital, where it is said he will recover.

Ten Dozen Bob White Quail.  
 Concord.—The State Fish and Game Commission received one day last week from Yardley, Pa., ten dozen Bob White quail. They will be distributed about April first, when the weather gets warm. Every one of the birds was alive and in good condition when they arrived. They will be kept by private parties until time to liberate them.

New London to Have Library.  
 New London.—By the will of the late Amos H. Whipple of Boston, \$15,000 and the Nelson lot is left in trust, the income to be paid to his mother during her life. At her death the money and lot are to go to the inhabitants of this town if they vote to accept it. The money is to be used for the building, equipment and support of a public library.

John G. Hutchins Goes to Yucatan.  
 North Stratford.—Hon. John G. Hutchins, who was an unsuccessful candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor in the last campaign, sailed from New York for Central America last week. He is accompanied by W. L. Richardson of Littleton, and they are to explore a large tract of mahogany forest for a New York syndicate.

Break in Door With a Crowbar.  
 Franklin.—While the family of William Rayno, who lives at the Daniel Webster birthplace, were away from home Saturday thieves broke into the house and stole \$72. Tracks in the snow showed that they came in a sleigh, and they used a crowbar to break open a door to gain admittance.

Hoyt Out for Senator.  
 Horace F. Hoyt of this town, for many years one of the commissioners for Grafton county, has announced that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for senator from the fifth district.

Robert P. Bass Heard From.  
 Concord.—Former Governor Robert P. Bass filed Friday as a delegate-at-large to the Progressive national convention at Chicago.

Decoration of Sweet Potatoes.  
 Sweet potatoes, placed in cut glass or other bowls filled with water, send forth a decorative yellowish-green vine, which has become very popular, according to report, the plants requiring no earth whatever, but consuming an inordinate amount of water.

**THE EUROPEAN WAR A**  
**YEAR AGO THIS WEEK**

Feb. 14, 1915.  
 Germans prepared for offensive in Alsace.  
 Russians checked Germans in Lyck region.  
 Fierce fighting in Bukovina.  
 Albanians invaded Serbia.  
 French aeroplanes routed Zeppelins near Muelhausen.

Feb. 15, 1915.  
 Russian lines held in the north.  
 Austria announced Bukovina entirely evacuated by Russians.  
 Germans retook Czernowitz.  
 British submarines appeared in the Baltic.  
 Austrian fleet bombarded Antivari.  
 Germany told U. S. it would be willing to recede from blockade decree if England would let food-stuffs for civilians enter Germany.  
 Italy and Holland protested against German war zone decree.  
 Austrian aviators fired on Montenegrin royal family at Rieka.

Feb. 16, 1915.  
 French forces gained in Champagne.  
 Germans occupied Plock and Blesk and Russians fell back in North Poland.  
 Austrians won in Dukla pass.  
 British merchant collier Dulwich torpedoed.  
 British aviators made raid in Belgium, and French aviators attacked Ghisteltes.

Feb. 17, 1915.  
 French steamer Ville de Lille sunk by German submarine.  
 Two Zeppelins wrecked off Danish coast.  
 Allied airmen attacked network of Belgian canals.  
 Cholera and typhus raging in Poland.

Feb. 18, 1915.  
 Allies in West on offensive, Germans retiring from Norroy.  
 Belgrade bombarded by Austrians.  
 German submarine blockade of Great Britain begun.  
 Germany made unsatisfactory reply to American note.  
 Norwegian steamer Nordcap blown up by mine.

Feb. 19, 1915.  
 Germans abandoned march to Nieman but advanced on Pionak and occupied Taurrogen.  
 Allied fleet began attack on forts at Dardanelles entrance.  
 French steamer Denorah and Norwegian tanker sunk by German submarines.  
 Passenger travel between England and continent suspended by Great Britain.  
 England defended use of neutral flags.  
 French aviator bombarded Ostend.  
 Steamer Batiscan sailed with relief supplies from 30 states of U. S.

Feb. 20, 1915.  
 Germans were repulsed at Osovetz.  
 Russians bombarded Przemysl.  
 German warship Holger interned at Buenos Aires.  
 British steamer Cambank sunk by submarine in Irish sea.  
 Austrian aviator bombarded Cetinje.

Out of Old Albania.  
 Save in Epirus, where Greek culture holds the towns, and even the Moslem Albanians of the hills write (when they can write at all) in Greek letters, no foreign influence has yet invaded the intimate life of this exclusive race. Individual Albanians have, indeed, given their talents to bring unity or order to the life of other peoples. Half the captains by land and sea of the Greek wars of independence were Albanians from Epirus or the Isles. Crispien came from the Albanian colony in Sicily; the khediva's family imposed itself on Egypt; the last grand vizier of the old regime in Turkey was a South Albanian magnate. But no native church, no native literature, no local field for statesmanship has yet exercised the talents of a race which is certainly not the least gifted of the Balkan peoples. Until recently an Albanian educated was an Albanian lost.

The Real Need.  
 "Do you believe that we should have a more elastic currency?" asked the man who is always talking national finance. "Not much!" snorted the man with the shiny clothes. "It's elastic enough now. What they ought to do is make it more adhesive."

And Then Some.  
 It has been said that all the mean acts of his life are quickly brought before a drowning man. The same might also be said of a candidate for office.—Exchange.

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ter Were Almost Insurmountable  
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Hampered Continentals in  
All Their Battles.

**G**EORGE WASHINGTON, the  
commander of the American  
armies, knew better than any-  
one else the offensive and de-  
fensive value of the forces under him;  
and he has left a vivid written record  
of the relative value of untrained  
short-term men and of a disciplined  
long-term body made of individuals of  
the same class. He plainly expressed  
his opinion, fully confirmed by military  
men since his time, of the army needed  
by this country when, soon after the  
disaster at Camden, he wrote to congress:  
"What we need is a good  
army, not a large one."

Probably no war was ever carried  
on where the one side was represent-  
ed in the field by so great a proportion  
of unorganized troops, not under a  
central national control, and no great  
commander, before or since, has ever  
succeeded with so rapidly shifting a  
body of badly equipped men.

**Bunker Hill Analyzed.**  
At the battle of Bunker Hill, an  
army of untrained American minute  
men and militia, under the command,  
however, of veteran officers like Pres-  
cott, Stark, Putnam and Knowlton of  
the higher rank, and among the lower  
officers a sprinkling of men experi-  
enced in the French and English wars,  
from behind intrenchments hastily  
erected, but of value against low-pow-  
er armament, successfully resisted two  
attacks of well-organized and dis-  
ciplined British veterans, with a  
loss to the latter of 1,054 killed and  
wounded. But these same troops, by  
virtue not of superior individual cou-  
rage, but of their combined valor and  
discipline, were rallied by their well-  
trained officers, made a third charge,  
and, although outnumbered, succeeded  
in driving the Americans, at the point  
of the bayonet, from their trenches,  
their supply of powder being exhausted  
and their muskets not having bay-  
onets.

The American force was justly  
proud of its resistance and of the  
heavy punishment it had inflicted, but  
the result was, in spite of its good  
fight, a defeat to its arms—perhaps  
only through failure in the quar-  
termaster's department. The British,  
however, carried the hill on account  
of the better discipline of their line,  
the better control of their officers, and  
because their supply of ammunition  
was not exhausted. And they there-  
by prevented the success of the col-  
onial military plan.

**Continental Weakness.**  
This story in various ways was  
many times repeated in the war of  
the revolution, always with the same  
result. In spite of the brilliant gen-  
eralship of Washington, Greene,  
Schuyler, Lee and others, the Ameri-  
cans did not win a single victory over  
the British regular troops when the  
latter were not outnumbered.

A brief examination of the powers  
of the Continental Congress will show  
what were the chief causes of this  
weakness in our armies that led so  
near to the collapse of our national  
defense and caused the intense anxiety  
and distress to Washington and the



Commander in Chief, Aide de Camp  
and Line Officers, 1779-1783.

band of patriots about him in the army  
and in congress.

The congress presented as able and  
devoted men as were ever gathered in  
a single body, but they were not  
trained in the systematic methods of  
great deliberative bodies; and above  
all represented one of the very weak-  
est forms of governmental power—a  
mere confederacy or league of several  
states or colonies and without real  
governmental functions.

Although it assumed both executive  
and legislative powers, it had no au-  
thority to raise revenue and could only  
omit bills of credit, their redemption  
being pledged by the twelve "United  
Colonies." It is not singular that the  
states refused to surrender to this  
loosely connected congress the control  
of the militia, with officers of state  
selection, gathered by sacrifice, for the  
protection of its own state, not cre-

ating, as was proved eventually, that  
victory for the colonies could be won  
only by the long-term organized and  
disciplined continentals, composing "a  
small but good army."

**Squabble Over Officers.**  
Congress in the winter of 1776, rec-  
ognizing the necessity of raising troops  
to take the place of those whose terms  
expired, resolved to provide twenty-  
six regiments, with power to Wash-  
ington to select the officers, which re-  
sulted in many perplexities for him  
and his general officers, for, as Wash-  
ington wrote, "Connecticut wanted no  
Massachusetts man in her corps. Mas-  
sachusetts could see no necessity for  
having a Rhode Island man in hers  
and New Hampshire says it is very  
hard that her experienced officers  
should be discarded because her own  
regiments cannot provide for them."

November 11 he wrote: "Many of  
the officers expected promotion, others  
stood aloof to see what advantage they  
could make for themselves. The diffi-  
culty with the soldiers was greater,  
if possible, than with the officers. They  
refused to enlist unless they knew  
their colonel, lieutenant colonel,  
major and captain."

**Put Washington in Dilemma.**  
Up to November 19 only 966 men  
had enlisted. By November 23 they  
had reached 2,500, and they all wanted  
furlough. Washington wrote: "Our  
situation is truly alarming, and of this  
General Howe is well apprised, it be-  
ing the common topic of conversation  
when the people left Boston last Fri-  
day." In a private letter of the same  
time he wrote: "Such a dearth of pub-  
lic spirit, such stock jobbing and fer-  
tility in all the low arts to obtain ad-  
vantages in this great change of mili-  
tary arrangement, I pray God's mercy  
I may never see again. What will be  
the end of these maneuvers is beyond  
my scan. I tremble at the prospect.  
We have been until this time enlist-



Continental Artillery, 1777-1783.

ing about thirty five hundred men.

After the last of this month our  
lines will be so weakened that the  
minutemen and militia must be called  
in for our defense, and these, being  
under no kind of government, will de-  
stroy the little subordination I have  
been laboring to establish and run me  
into one evil while I am endeavoring  
to avoid another. But the less must  
be chosen."

After five years of experience in  
command of the armies, Washington  
thus expressed himself in a letter to  
the president of the congress, dated  
August 20, 1780:

"Had we formed a permanent army  
in the beginning, which, by the con-  
tinuance of the same men in service,  
had been capable of discipline, we  
never should have had to retreat with  
a handful of men across the Delaware  
in 1776, trembling for the fate of Amer-  
ica, which nothing but the infatuation  
of the enemy could have saved; we  
should not have remained all the suc-  
ceeding winter at their mercy, with  
sometimes scarcely a sufficient body  
of men to mount the ordinary guard.  
We should not have been at Valley  
Forge, destitute of everything, in a  
situation neither to resist nor to re-  
tire. We should not have seen the  
country ravaged, our towns burned,  
the inhabitants plundered, abused,  
murdered, with impunity."

**Army Expenses Doubled.**  
The derangement of our finances is  
essentially to be ascribed to it. The  
expenses of the war and the emissions  
of paper money have been greatly  
multiplied by it. We have a great part  
of the time had two sets of men to  
feed and to pay—the discharged men  
going home and the levies coming in."

"Our discipline has been much hurt,  
if not ruined, by such constant  
changes. There is every reason to  
believe that the war has been pro-  
tracted on this account."

A little later Washington wrote re-  
garding that defeat of General Gates  
at Camden: "Regular troops alone are  
equal to the exigencies of modern war-  
fare, as well for defense as offense,  
and wherever a substitute is attempt-  
ed it must prove illusory and ruinous."

"In my ideas of the true system of  
war, the object ought to be to have a  
good army rather than a large one."

During the entire war the lack of  
money entailed greatest suffering upon  
the army, but the men of the continen-  
tal army, with the exception of one  
or two regiments, were true to the  
end through hunger, cold, sickness,  
poverty at home, nakedness and de-  
feat. For this fidelity there were three  
reasons—patriotism, training and  
George Washington.

**Sought Brotherhood of Man.**  
My first wish is to see the whole  
world at peace, and the inhabitants  
of it as one band of brothers, striving  
which should most contribute to the  
happiness of mankind.—George Wash-  
ington.

## IDEAL LOVE MATCH

Forty Years of Happiness Fol-  
lowed Union of Washington  
and Martha Custis.

**O**NE hundred and fourteen  
years ago—May 22, 1802—  
Martha Washington, wife of  
George Washington, died at  
Mount Vernon, at the age of seventy  
years.

Martha Custis met Colonel Wash-  
ington about a year after the death of  
her husband, Daniel Parke Custis, a  
wealthy planter. She was then near-  
ing her twenty-sixth year, and Wash-  
ington was about three months her  
senior. She was the daughter of Col.  
John Dandridge and had been well  
trained in the accomplishments of  
young women of her social station.

The engagement lasted for nearly a  
year, Washington being absent for a  
long time on a military campaign.



Martha Washington.

Washington himself was a man of  
large property, and the wedding was  
one of the most brilliant that had ever  
been seen in a church in Virginia.  
Bride and bridegroom were attired in  
all the magnificence which the fash-  
ions of that period made possible.

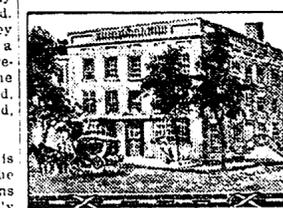
When she was married to Wash-  
ington, Mrs. Custis had two children sur-  
viving of the four of which she had  
been the mother. To these two chil-  
dren, Washington, who had none of  
his own, was a devoted father. Later  
in life these children died and Wash-  
ington adopted two of Mrs. Wash-  
ington's grandchildren.

Mrs. Washington's faith in the wis-  
dom and firmness of her husband's  
patriotic course preceding and during  
the Revolution never failed.

She had discovered the greatness of  
her husband long before the people  
that were so signally to honor him  
had found it out in all its splendid pro-  
portions.

During the war Washington visited  
Mount Vernon only twice, but Mrs.  
Washington was with him in New  
York and Philadelphia and joined him  
in camp whenever it was possible.

In the years following their mar-  
riage and previous to the Revolution  
the Washingtons lived in Virginia  
after the style of the English aristoc-  
racy, but throughout the war Mrs.  
Washington was wont to "set an ex-



First Presidential Mansion, New York

ample of economy to the women of  
the revolution" in her attire and mode  
of living.

After independence had been won,  
she bore herself with great personal  
dignity as first citizen, and she was  
the wife of the best citizen.

Washington was approaching his  
sixty-eighth year when he died. Mrs.  
Washington accepted the separation  
calmly, only observing that she would  
soon join him. She survived him two  
years and a half.

That she could have at all times a  
view of his grave on the lawn, she  
moved to an attic room that over-  
looked the spot, which she occupied  
until her own death. For the easier  
coming and going of a favorite cat a  
hole was cut near the bottom of the  
door of this apartment.

Before she died Mrs. Washington  
destroyed her entire correspondence  
with General Washington, for she  
would not permit that the confidence  
they had shared together should be  
made public.

The marriage of George Washington  
and Martha Custis was an example of  
the ideal love match, and was followed  
by forty years of genuine happiness.

**Stick to Your Friends.**  
If you have a friend, stick to him  
and always try to do him good only.

## The Element of Time in Prayer

By REV. HOWARD W. POPE  
of the Moody Bible Institute  
of Chicago

TEXT—Men ought always to pray and  
not to faint.—Luke 18:1.

Some requests are answered very  
quickly. A lady was once giving an  
address on narcotics.

At the close  
a young man said  
to her, "I do not  
think it is wrong  
to use tobacco."

"Are you a Chris-  
tian?" she asked.

"Yes," was the  
reply.

"Have you ever  
asked God for his  
opinion?"

"No."  
"Well, if you are  
a Christian, I sup-  
pose you are will-  
ing to leave the  
matter to his de-  
cision. Let us kneel right down here  
and ask him. I will pray first, and  
then you follow."

The young man could not consistent-  
ly refuse. He knelt with her, and at  
the close of her prayer he began to  
pray himself. He had not uttered  
three sentences before he sprang to  
his feet, saying, "I see it. It is not  
right. I will give it up at once."

In this case prayer was answered  
immediately, but in many cases the  
answer is long delayed.

When Mr. George Muller was in this  
country a friend of mine asked him  
how long he had ever prayed contin-  
uously for any object. Taking a little  
book from his pocket, he said, "When  
I was converted I was a wild boy in  
college. My conversion broke friend-  
ship between my roommate and my-  
self, for he would have nothing to do  
with such a fanatic," he said. I wrote  
his name in this book and promised  
God that I would pray for him each  
day until he was converted, or until  
I died. I prayed five years with no  
apparent result. Ten years went by  
with no change. I continued on for  
fifteen years—twenty years, and still  
he was an unbeliever. I did not yet  
give up, but prayed twenty-five years,  
each day mentioning his name at the  
throne of grace, and then came a let-  
ter saying, 'I have found the Savior,'  
Then," said Mr. Muller, "I checked out  
this petition as answered. In this  
same book I have other names that  
I have prayed for for five, ten and  
fifteen years, and scores of names  
against which there is a cross, show-  
ing that the requests have been  
granted."

Here, then, was a man who made a  
business of prayer, and who kept his  
account with the Lord in a business-  
like way. When he had a matter to  
present to God's attention he first  
found a promise on which to base his  
appeal, always making sure, if possi-  
ble, that it was according to God's  
will. Then he recorded his petition  
in a book and watched and waited for  
the answer. Is it any wonder that this  
man's faith grew rapidly, and that  
he became the most notable and possi-  
bly the most successful prayer-er of  
modern times?

We see by this illustration why  
many prayers fail; they are rambling  
appeals, so vague and indefinite that  
even the petitioner can hardly remem-  
ber what he prayed for when he rises  
from his knees. Not expecting any  
answer, no record is made of them, and  
no surprise is felt if the answer does  
not come. And so the solemn farce  
goes on year after year.

It is said that in battle it takes  
a hundred pounds of lead to kill a  
man, because 99 pounds and 15 ounces  
of it is wasted in wild firing which  
aims at nothing and hits no one. On  
the other hand, the sharpshooter  
wastes no ammunition, but picks his  
man and makes every bullet tell. So,  
if we would pray for fewer objects,  
more carefully selected, and then make  
a record of our prayers and watch for  
the answer, we would not waste so  
much breath, and we would obtain  
more results.

Delay in answering prayer often  
proves a great blessing to us. In some  
cases it tests the strength of our  
desire, and shows us that we did not  
care very much about the objects at  
all, just as a request for an education  
which is soon dropped shows the par-  
ent that the boy was not sufficiently  
in earnest to appreciate the privilege  
if he had it. In other cases delay  
leads us to examine our motives, and  
we find that they are purely or par-  
tially selfish, and withdraw the request  
of our own accord. Possibly the delay  
opens our eyes to some secret sin,  
and leads us to abandon it, for "If I  
regard iniquity in my heart, the Lord  
will not hear me."

Man is a creature of growth, and it  
takes time and change and children,  
and oftentimes losses and bereave-  
ments and old age, to soften his heart  
and show him his need of a Savior.

Consider how many influences  
wrought upon you before you yielded;  
how many appeals were made, how  
many times the still, small voice whis-  
pered before you answered "Yes."

Consider all this—you will not won-  
der that it takes time for God to an-  
swer prayer which involves the change  
of a human will from disobedience to  
obedience.

Lord, teach us how to pray.

## IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is  
coated, give "California  
Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative,"  
and nothing else cleanses the tender  
stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing  
to empty the bowels, and the result is  
they become tightly clogged with  
waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach  
sour, then your little one becomes  
cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat,  
sleep or act naturally, breath is bad,  
system full of cold, has sore throat,  
stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen,  
Mother! See if tongue is coated, then  
give a teaspoonful of "California  
Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all  
the constipated waste, sour bile and  
undigested food passes out of the sys-  
tem, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California  
Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly  
harmless; children love it, and it never  
fails to act on the stomach, liver and  
bowels.

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of all ages and for grown-ups plainly  
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More than 500 job openings, more  
than half of them with college train-  
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reau of Occupations in the year ended  
April 30, 1915, according to the third  
annual report of the bureau, issued  
not long ago. Many of that number  
became secretaries, companions, suf-  
frage workers, librarians, settlement  
workers, workers in war relief and  
nurses. Others had unusual places.  
Three became saleswomen and dem-  
onstrators for an automobile company.  
Two others were employed by a bond  
and securities company to sell stocks  
among women. One became a rent  
collector and four took jobs as police  
agents and detectives.

## WHEN KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE GLASS OF SALTS

Eat Less Meat If Kidneys Hurt or You  
Have Backache or Bladder Misery  
—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

No man or woman who eats meat  
regularly can make a mistake by flush-  
ing the kidneys occasionally, says a  
well-known authority. Meat forms  
uric acid which clogs the kidney pores  
so they sluggishly filter or strain only  
part of the waste and poisons from the  
blood, then you get sick. Nearly  
all rheumatism, headaches, liver trou-  
ble, nervousness, constipation, dizzi-  
ness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders  
come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in  
the kidneys or your back hurts, or if  
the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of  
sediment, irregular of passage or at-  
tended by a sensation of scalding, get  
about four ounces of Jad Salts from  
any reliable pharmacy and take a  
tablespoonful in a glass of water be-  
fore breakfast for a few days and your  
kidneys will then act fine. This fa-  
mous salts is made from the acid of  
grapes and lemon juice, combined with  
lithia and has been used for genera-  
tions to flush clogged kidneys and  
stimulate them to activity, also to neu-  
tralize the acids in urine so it no  
longer causes irritation, thus ending  
bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot  
injure; makes a delightful efferves-  
cent lithia-water drink which all regu-  
lar meat eaters should take now and  
then to keep the kidneys clean and  
the blood pure, thereby avoiding se-  
rious kidney complications.—Adv.

Might Be.  
"What is the Pan-American con-  
gress, pa?"

"I don't know exactly, but it sounds  
as if it might be a convention of our  
hypnotized fellow citizens."

Couldn't.  
She—But papa says you're living be-  
yond your means.  
He—Absolutely untrue—I have no  
means.

## RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a  
small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of  
glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week  
until it becomes the desired shade. Any drug-  
gist can put this up or you can mix it at  
home at very little cost. It will gradually  
darken streaked, faded gray hair, and re-  
moves dandruff. It is excellent for falling  
hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy.  
It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or  
greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

## A New Broom.

Gilley—How many people work in  
your office?  
Perry—Only one. He came today.  
The others have been with us some  
time.—Life.

## Many School Children Are Sickly.

Children who are delicate, feverish and cross  
will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's  
Sweet Powders for Children. They cleanse the  
stomach, act on the liver, and are recommended  
for complaining children. A pleasant remedy  
for worms. Used by mothers for 25 years. All  
Druggists, 25c. Sample Free. Address, Mother  
Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

The practice of combing the long  
hair over the bald spot never fooled  
anybody.

Hair Cured in 4 to 14 Days  
Druggists refund money if PAXO OINTMENT fails  
to cure itching, itching, itching, itching, itching.  
First application gives relief. 10c.

Poverty is not a crime, but the pen-  
alty is hard labor, just the same.



### More Winter

And No Doubt More to Follow!

Don't try to get by with the old Leggings and Rubbers. Get a new set and enjoy life.

We are well stocked with Rubbers of all kinds — heavy or light. Felts, Leggings, Gaiters and Arctics.

Warm Slippers, Shoes, etc., Marked Very Low this week. See display in window.

Agent for Taylor, the Tailor.

**GOODWIN,**  
The Shoeman, ANTRIM

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Long Distance Telephone  
Notices of Concerts, Lectures, Entertainments, etc., to which an admission fee is charged, or from which a Revenue is derived, must be paid for as advertisements by the lines.  
Cards of Thanks are inserted at 50c. each.  
Resolutions of ordinary length \$1.00.  
Obituary poetry and lists of flowers charged for at advertising rates; also will be charged at this same rate list of presents at a wedding.

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

### Antrim Locals

#### House Painting

Paper Hanging, Kalsomining, etc., done in the right way at right prices. Apply to

H. W. ELLIOTT,  
Antrim, N. H.

#### FOR SALE

A good family or farm horse; fearless of automobiles; weight 1100 lbs.; in fine condition.

E. W. Baker, Antrim.

Hay For Sale—Apply to F. K. Black, Antrim. adv.

Miss Florine Ashford spent Sunday with her sister, Miss Mae Ashford, at Concord.

Mrs. Hattie Myers is spending a season with relatives at Springfield and Shelburne Falls, Mass.

Carroll N. Gibney, of Worcester, Mass., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Gibney.

Harvey Emery, of North Newport, has been in town, called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. Belinda Emery.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Black entertained their daughter, Miss Helene Black, of Medford, Mass., over the week-end.

Harold Murray, of Dorchester, Mass., was in town first of the week, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murray.

Charles H. Boutelle and family, from Hillsboro, have been in town this week, called here by the death of Mrs. Belinda Emery.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual Washington dinner, Feb. 22, at the church vestry, 35c per plate. The C. E. will have a candy table at the same time.

An esprey, which is being exhibited at the Antrim Pharmacy, is causing considerable interest. The bird is a handsome specimen, measuring five feet and four inches from tip to tip of wings and was secured by Greenville Whitney, Jr., on the shores of Gregg lake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Eldredge entertained for the week-end their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Ellis, of East Jaffrey; Mr. Ellis is principal of Conant High. Mrs. E. A. Eldredge, Chat-ham, Mass., mother of Mr. Eldredge, is spending a few months with the family.

### Antrim Locals

#### TO LET

Tenement, 4 rooms, in Kimball house, recently occupied by William H. Hill. Apply to

H. A. Hurlin.

#### For Sale

Dry Hard Wood, four-foot or sawed in stove lengths. Delivered anywhere in the village.

Fred L. Proctor,  
The Highlands,  
Antrim, N. H.

Charles L. Eaton is confined to his home by illness.

F. H. Wilkins has been a recent visitor in Boston.

Buy your Shoes and Rubbers before prices advance. Goodwin's. adv.

Miss Mamie Barrett has been enjoying a few days in Boston and vicinity.

Cyrus McClure, of East Jaffrey, has been on a brief visit with Antrim relatives.

Ralph Bass, of Concord, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bass.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ashford visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Derby, at Peterboro, over Sunday.

For light or heavy Rubbers Goodwin has a complete line. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles C. Buckminster and two children, spent the week-end at their former home in Marlboro.

Mr. Schmidt, who has been in the employ of the Goodell Co. for some time, has severed his connections here and gone to Chicago.

By the new adv. of Fred J. Gibson, of Hillsboro Lower Village, in today's Reporter, it will be seen that NOW is the time to buy shingles.

Our readers will find the full page adv. of The Rexall Store, in this issue, to be full of bargains. These one cent sales are fast becoming very popular. Read it.

Col. Richard C. Goodell, of this place, is a guest at the Sanitarium in Battle Creek, Michigan, having gone there to take advantage of the health facilities of the institution.

Family moving to Canada has paid \$271.00 on a \$400.00 Upright Piano. You pay the balance and we deliver it to your home. The Gibbs Piano Company, 71-73 Main Street, Springfield, Mass. (31 Years One Location.) adv.

Mrs. H. W. Eldredge received a telegram Saturday morning announcing the death of her father, Capt. H. M. Snow, at his home in St. Augustine, Fla., on the day previous. His age was 83 years.

All Warm Slippers, Felt Shoes, etc., marked very low for this week. Goodwin's. adv.

The 15th annual district meeting of Contoocook Valley district, No. 12, I. O. O. F., will be held at East Jaffrey on Friday evening of this week. A special train will leave Antrim at 6.50 p. m., Bennington 6.55 p. m., and arrive in East Jaffrey 7.40. Charles M. Taylor, of Bennington, has the meeting in charge.

### NORTH BRANCH

The Christian Endeavor will meet at the school house next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everybody invited.

We are informed of a dramatic club formed here by the very young people.

Byron Brown has 380 chicks from his three incubators of 580 eggs; who can beat that?

The Branch ladies were calling on Mrs. Sheldon the past week.

Elmer Merrill is doing quite a lumber business at Brooks', at the West part of the town, having six men chopping and four more choppers expected.

### A CARD

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wing are very grateful to their friends for their most thoughtful assistance in getting up their wood; it was indeed a great help.

### CLINTON VILLAGE

William Congreve, Sr., is at home this week.

Mrs. Ernest K. Wheeler is recovering from several days of sickness.

### Liven Up Your Torpid Liver

To keep your liver active use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They insure good digestion, relieve constipation, and tone up the whole system—keep your eye clear and your skin fresh and healthy looking. Only 25c. at your druggist. adv.

### Mrs. Belinda Emery

Mrs. Belinda Emery, widow of the late Ransom R. Emery, passed away at her home Saturday morning, having been sick only a short time with pneumonia. She was 76 years old.

Mrs. Emery was born in Goshen, this state, Jan. 17, 1840. For the past 25 years she has conducted a boarding house in Antrim village, where she formed a wide acquaintance and will be remembered by many who formerly resided here. She is survived by three children, Harvey Emery, of North Newport, Mrs. Charles H. Boutelle, of Hillsboro, and Mrs. Lena Bottgenbach, of this town.

The funeral services of Mrs. Emery were held Monday afternoon from her late home. Rev. E. C. Clough, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated. Mrs. Hattie Goodwin and Miss Florence Brown sang. Burial at Maplewood cemetery.

### Pleasing Church Social

A social was held at the Methodist church Monday evening which was well attended. The feature of the evening's entertainment was a farce, "Widower Ruggles and Family," Charles W. Prentiss was Widower Ruggles, and his family included H. Burr Eldredge, as James Whitcomb Riley Ruggles; Howard Farrant as Napoleon Bonapart Ruggles; Cranston D. Eldredge as Henry Ford Ruggles; Cecil Prentiss as James Montgomery Flagg Ruggles; and Ross H. Roberts as Charlie Chaplin Ruggles. Miss Gladys Brooks, pianist. Vocal selections were pleasingly rendered by the ladies' quartette, and Appleton's orchestra furnished music.

Valentine games were played, after which refreshments were served by the Standard Bearers.

### For Children's Cough

You cannot use anything better for your child's cough and cold than Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from pine tar mixed with healing and soothing balsams. It does not contain anything harmful and is slightly laxative, just enough to expel the poisons from the system. Dr. King's New Discovery is antiseptic—kills the cold germs—raises the phlegm—loosens the cough and soothes the irritation. Don't put off treatment. Coughs and colds often lead to serious lung troubles. It is also good for adults and the aged. Get a bottle today. All drug. adv.

The editor acknowledges the receipt of a copy of the Congressional Directory of the 64th Congress, from Congressman E. H. Wason, for which favor we extend thanks.

### People who use Peruna

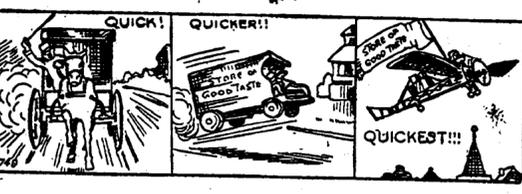
Mrs. T. Fitch, R. R. 1, Hickory Point, Tenn., writes: "I am happy to tell you that I am cured of catarrh. Having been afflicted with catarrh and stomach trouble for seven years, and after having tried four different doctors, who only relieved me for a little while, I gave up all hope of being cured. I was induced to try Peruna, and to my great surprise I am now entirely well. My health never was better."

### FOR INDIGESTION

Mrs. W. R. Whitehead, R. R. 1, Pryor, Oklahoma, writes: "I am happy to tell you that I keep free from my old stomach trouble; feel no catarrhal symptoms at all. I am able to do my work, eat and drink what I want, and rejoice to know that I found a sure cure in your valuable medicine. I think it saved my life. By beginning in time with Peruna I was cured sound and well."

### Are Strong and Happy

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio. Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna in tablet form.



IT DEPENDS ALTOGETHER ON HOW EARLY OR HOW LATE YOU SEND US YOUR ORDER WHICH METHOD OF DELIVERY WE USE WE AIM TO REACH YOU ON TIME

Our Weekly Recipe	ORDER THESE EARLY
RICE PUDDING. Wash and boil two tablespoonfuls of rice in water to cover. Dissolve a quarter of a box of gelatine in cold water, stir into the rice while hot, cool, add a cupful of sugar, two tablespoons of chopped preserved ginger, vanilla to taste, and two tablespoons of preserved figs. Put on ice several hours; serve with whipped cream.	Fancy Head Rice Special 3 Pounds for 25¢
	Fancy Bottled Pickles 25¢ bottles, 20¢ 30¢ bottles, 23¢

W. H. ROBINSON, Antrim, N. H.

### SHINGLES

REMEMBER we are headquarters for them. We are all aware that all kinds of Lumber are from \$2.00 to \$5.00 higher per thousand this season. Consequently that makes an advance on Shingles. However I have a few hundred thousand which I will sell at last year's prices.

New Brunswick Extras, per thousand	\$3.75
Second Clears, per thousand	\$2.75

I will accept orders until April 1, 1916, at these prices, F. O. B. Station. You will make no mistake in placing your order at these prices. They will look cheap for Shingles later in the season.

P. S. Get my prices on GRASS SEED before you buy. I can save you money on it!

**FRED J. GIBSON**  
HILLSBORO LOWER VILLAGE, N. H.

### ADVERTISE In THE REPORTER And Get Your Share of the Trade.

The Fashion Shop 49 Hanover St. MANCHESTER, N. H. Opposite The Auditorium Agnes R. Hughes Anna M. Howe

Wednesday Morning at Nine o'clock We Will Place Balance of Our Winter Stock on Sale

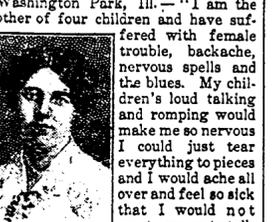
Every Garment Must be Sold, as We Need the Space for the New Spring Merchandise. SUITS, COATS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, WAISTS and FURS, will be Marked Below Cost.

- SUITS—Fifty serge and poplin plain colored suits in all colors and sizes. Sale Price...\$2.98
- COATS—Fifty corduroy and mixture coats in all sizes. Sale Price...\$5.00
- WAISTS—of charmeuse in all colors and crepe de chine. Sale Price...\$1.98
- DRESSES—Fifty serge and wool crepe dresses in all sizes and colors. Sale Price...\$1.98
- SKIRTS—in plain colors and mixtures, neatly tailored. Sale Price...\$2.98
- COATS—Twenty-five all-wool winter coats, in plain colors and mixtures. Sale Price...\$2.98

Furs to be Closed Out Regardless of Cost Price

THE FASHION SHOP MANCHESTER, N. H.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies." —Mrs. ROBT. STEPHEN, Moore Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.



We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

### Wall Paper!

As we have made a contract with some of the biggest WALL PAPER houses, we expect soon a large stock of new patterns for bed room, dining room, etc., at prices from 6¢ up. At the old stand on West street.

GUY A. HULETT,  
Antrim, N. H.

### WOMAN'S SPECIALTY SHOP

Infants' Knit Bonnets and Toques. New Styles in Knit and Crocheted Worsted Booties, 25c., 50c. Seasonable Weights in Underwear For Women and Children.

Miss S. E. Lane & Co., ANTRIM, N. H.

## Cherry Bark Cough Syrup



Contains no habit forming drugs or dangerous ingredients. It is extremely pleasant, prompt and effectual.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Bottle 25c	Two Bottles 26c
LARGER SIZE	
One Bottle 50c	Two Bottles 51c

# The Rexall Store

# ONE CENT SALE!

## Cream of Almonds

Renders the skin white, soft and pliable, and is practically a liquid cold cream, that prevents roughness and chapping.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Bottle 35c.	Two Bottles 36c.



## Three Days Only - Thursday, Friday, Saturday - Feb. 17, 18, 19

You Ask Us, "What Is a One Cent Sale?"

It is a sale where you buy an item at the regular price—then another item of the same kind for 1¢. As an illustration: The standard price of Rexall Tooth Paste is 25¢. You buy a tube at this price and by paying 1¢ more or 26¢ you get two tubes. Every article in this sale is a high class standard piece of merchandise just the same as we sell you every day at regular prices, and have sold you for years.

You Ask Us, "Can You Afford to Sell Merchandise at These Prices?"

Our answer is "We Cannot." This sale was developed by the United Drug Co. as an advertising plan. Rather than spend large sums of money in other ways to convince you of the merit of these goods they are spending it on this sale in permitting us to sell you a full size package of high standard merchandise for 1¢. It costs money to get new customers and the loss taken on this sale will be well spent if the goods please you.

### Rexall Tooth Paste

A perfect dentifrice, antiseptic and deodorant. Cleans and whitens the teeth. Comes out flat on the brush.



Standard Price	This Sale
One Tube 25¢	Two Tubes 26¢

### Household Needs

25c Little Liv'r Pills 2 for 26¢	30c Liggetts Pure Extract Vanilla 2oz. 2 for 31¢
25c White Lin'm't 2 for 26¢	25c Bl'k'y Cordl. 2 for 26¢
35c Liggetts Beef Cubes 2 for 36¢	25c Ft Bath Tab. 2 for 26¢
25c Arnica Salve 2 for 26¢	25c Carbolated Witch Hazel Ointment 2 for 26¢
25c Carbolic Salve 2 for 26¢	25c Wht. Pine Tar 2 for 26¢
25c Rat & R'oh paste 2 for 26¢	50c Wht. Pine Tar 2 for 51¢
25c C's'ra Arom. 2oz 2 for 26¢	

### Rubber Goods

\$1.50 American Beauty Water Bottle. 2 for \$1.51	25c Rubber Tubing, 5 ft. length. 2 for 26¢
25c Stork Nurrer 2 for 26¢	10c Stork Pacifier 2 for 11¢
5c Stork Nipple. 2 for 6¢	5c Medicine Droppers 2 for 6¢
25c Ear and Ulcer Syringe. 2 for 26¢	

### Peerage Chocolates



A quality assortment of caramels, nougates, nut tops and real fruit centers. Thirty-five pieces to the pound—each piece contained in a special white brown-edged cup, which makes an attractive appearance.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Pound 50¢	Two Pounds 51¢

### Household Remedies

50c Kidney Pills 2 for 51¢	\$1.00 Wine Cod Liver Oil Extract 2 for \$1.01
50c Kidney Remedy 2 for 51¢	50c Asthma Pencils 2 for 51¢
\$1.00 Kidney Remedy 2 for \$1.01	50c Blood Tablets 2 for 51¢
50c Pile Treatment 2 for 51¢	50c Catarrh Spray 2 for 51¢
50c Rheumatic Remedy 2 for 51¢	50c Catarrh Liquid 2 for 51¢
\$1.00 Rheumatic Remedy 2 for \$1.01	\$1.00 Celery and Iron Tonic 2 for \$1.01

### Lord Baltimore Linen



### Writing Paper

A high grade white fabric finish writing paper. 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes to the package.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Package 25¢	Two Pkgs. 26¢

### Maximum Hot-Water Bottle

The largest selling bottle in the world. The price everywhere \$2.00.

Full two-quart capacity. Guaranteed for two years.



Standard Price	This Sale
One Bottle \$2.00	Two Bottles \$2.01

### Stationery

10c Doz. High grade Thumb Tacks 2 for 11c	5c high grade Lead Pencils 2 for 6c
15c Doz. Tally Cards, asst. designs 2 for 16c	5c Stenog'r's Lead Pencils 2 for 6c
10c Doz. Place Cards, asst. designs 2 for 11c	50c Box XXX 6 1/2 Envelopes, ten packages. 2 for 51c
5c Fountain pen or Pencil Clip. 2 for 6c	10c Package Fabric Finish Envelopes. 2 for 11c
25c Box Writing Paper, white fabric finish. 2 for 26c	10c Package XXX high grade Envelopes, 6 1/2. 2 for 11c
10c Ink Tablet, fab'e fin., 2 for 11c	10c Doz. Steel pens. 2 for 11c
5c Ink Tablet, sm'th fin., 2 for 6c	25c Cascade Linen pound paper. 2 for 26c
5c Penholders, cork grip 2 for 6c	25c Cascade Linen Envelopes 2 packages. 4 for 26c

### Rexall Toilet Soap

Unexcelled in quality for 10c. Lathers freely in any water. One trial will convince you there is nothing better for the price.



Standard Price	This Sale
One Cake 10¢	Two Cakes 11¢

### Harmony Cocoa Butter, Cold Cream



A wonderful building cream. A true skin food. The well known assimilating properties of Cocoa Butter, makes this a distinct improvement over any other.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Jar 50¢	Two Jars 51¢



An antiseptic and healing cold cream, specially recommended for chapping and roughness of the skin caused by exposure to sun and wind.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Jar 25¢	Two Jars 26¢

### Harmony Shampoo

A highly concentrated, cleansing shampoo. A few drops makes a delightful thick foam which cleans the hair and scalp thoroughly. Leaves the hair soft and glossy and free from stickiness. Daintily perfumed.



Standard Price	This Sale
One Bottle 50¢	Two Bottles 51¢

### Royal Sovereign Perfecto Cigars

Only the highest class mild Havana tobacco is used in the manufacture of this cigar.

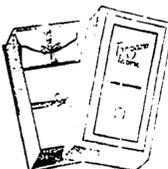
Standard Price	This Sale
One Cigar 10c	Two Cigars 11c

### Toilet Articles and Soaps

50c Violet Dulce Liquid Comp. Powd. 2 for 51¢	50c Arbutus Vanishing Cream. 2 for 51¢
50c Alma Zada Comp. Powd. 2 for 51¢	25c Blemish Soap 2 for 26¢
50c Violet Dulce Vanishing Cream. 2 for 51¢	25c Medicated Skin Soap. 2 for 26¢
50c Violet Dulce Cold Cream. 2 for 51¢	35c Witch Hazel Shaving Lotion. 2 for 26¢
25c Violet Dulce Talcum Powd. 2 for 26¢	25c Harmony Imported Soap 2 for 26¢

### Tangara Fabric Stationery

A white fabric finished writing paper with a narrow tinted border on both paper and envelopes. The envelope is a new cut and the paper is regular correspondence size. Border comes in as assorted colors.



Standard Price	This Sale
One Box 35¢	Two Boxes 36¢

### Miscellaneous Items

25c Mother Kroh's Laxative Syrup. 2 for 26¢	25c DeWitt's Cascaewert. 2 for 26¢
25c Mother Kroh's Teething Syrup. 2 for 26¢	10c Paper Doilies, 48 in package. 2 for 11¢
25c Mother Kroh's Croup Remedy. 2 for 26¢	15c Paper Doilies, 72 in package. 2 for 16¢
25c Seneca Horse Condition Powder. 2 for 26¢	50c DeWitt's One Minute Cough Syrup. 2 for 51¢
25c Seneca Poultry Food. 2 for 26¢	25c Liveroids. 2 for 26¢
\$1.00 Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy. 2 for \$1.01	50c Papsoids. 2 for 51¢
25c Rocky Mountain Tea. 2 for 26¢	50c Vitaloids. 2 for 51¢
25c DeWitt's Golden Liniment. 2 for 26¢	

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10c Paper Doilies, 48 in package. 2 for 11¢	25c Liveroids. 2 for 26¢
15c Paper Doilies, 72 in package. 2 for 16¢	50c Papsoids. 2 for 51¢
50c DeWitt's One Minute Cough Syrup. 2 for 51¢	50c Vitaloids. 2 for 51¢

### Violet Dulce Complexion Powder



The name stands for the highest quality, being one of the famous Violet Dulce Complexion requisites. One of the best qualities of this complexion powder is that it does not "show" when used properly. Delightfully scented with the Violet Dulce odor. Brunette, White and Flesh tints.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Box 50¢	Two Boxes 51¢

# E. M. LANE

The Rexall Store

## ANTRIM, - NEW HAMPSHIRE

### Rexall Shaving Cream



Gives a rich, creamy lather and does not smart or dry on the face. In hermetically sealed, collapsible tubes.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Tube 25¢	Two Tubes 26¢

### Bouquet Jeanice Talcum

Is one of extreme fineness and delicate fragrance. It brings to you the combined odor of the tuberose, violet, heliotrope, geranium, jasmine and other choice flowers, all of which are delightfully blended in Bouquet Jeanice Talcum Powder.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Can 50¢	Two Cans 51¢



Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes...

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water...

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, fozils who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness...

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health...

For Immediate Use. An old Rip Van Winkle of a fellow went into a country drug store and asked for some powder.

A Brooklyn Druggist praises the Great Kidney Remedy. I have handled Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root...

Getting Satisfaction. De Quiz—Why did you walk home from the races? De Whiz—with bitterness—Because I wanted to beat the nag I bet on.

Halibut au Gratin. Take five pounds of fresh chicken halibut, peel off skin and take out bones. Cut into small pieces...

New Laundry Bag. An ordinary wooden coat hanger forms the top of this cretonne laundry bag. The top is curved to fit smoothly over the hanger...

Smoked Salmon Canapes. Cut the salmon to fit small rounds of buttered toast, season with pepper and heat thoroughly. Serve with a garnish of watercress.

Ginger Puffs. Beat one egg well, add one-half cupful sugar, one-half cupful molasses, one-fourth cupful melted butter...

The BALL of FIRE by GEORGE RANDOLPH CHESTER and LILLIAN CHESTER ILLUSTRATED by C.D. RHODES

At a vestry meeting of the Market Square church...

Uncle Jim strode out with a hearty greeting, and at the sound of the voices of no one but Gail and Mrs. Davies and Houston Van Ploon...

CHAPTER XVIII—Continued. "I attend a vestry meeting now and then," he replied, and then he laughed shortly...

"What's his plan?" asked Allison. "Rebuilding," returned Sargent. "We can put up tenements good enough to pass the building inspectors and to last fifteen years..."

Gail was leaning forward, with her fingers clasped around her knee; her brown eyes had widened, and a little red spot had appeared in either cheek; her red lips were half parted, as she looked up in wonder at her Uncle Jim.

"Well, hardly," frowned Sargent. "We couldn't swing Clark and Chisholm. At the last minute they suggested that we might build lofts, and the impending fracas seemed too serious to take up just now, so we've tabled the whole thing."

"I'm a friend of the family," insisted Dick, calmly closing the door behind them and hanging his hat on the rack. "I guess you've forgotten the program."

"Oh, yes, the proposal. Well, have it over with," he agreed, and taking her arm and tucking her shoulder comfortably close to him, he walked easily with her back to the library.

"I'm going to stomp you to death," he told her. "I'm going to propose seriously to you."

"I'm afraid you'd think that way about it," he said, his voice full of a pain of which they neither one had believed him capable. "This is the first time I ever proposed, except in fun, and I want to make you take me seriously. Gail, I've said so many pretty things to you, that now, when I am in such desperate earnest, there's a lump in my throat, and I can't say a word."

"I can't Dick," she told him, smiling affectionately at him. "You're the dearest boy in the world, and I want you for my friend as long as we live, for my very dear friend."

CHAPTER XIX. The Maker of Maps. There began to be strange new stirrings in the world. Money! From the land which was its home and place of abode it leaped over across the wide seas, and made potent whisperings in the ears of the countries where money is despised and held vulgar.

"It's an offensively innocent one," returned Manning, giving the rector but small chance. "We're discussing plans for the new Vedder court tenements."

"Oh!" observed Gail, and radiated a distinct chill, whereupon Rev. Smith Boyd, divesting himself of some courteous compliment, exchanged inane adieux with Mrs. Davies and young Van Ploon, and took his committee back into the study.

Mrs. Davies remained but a moment or so. She even seemed eager to retire, and as she left the library, she cast a hopeful backward glance at the dancing Gail and the correct young Van Ploon, who, with his Dutch complexion and his blonde English mustache and his stalwart American body, to say nothing of his being a Van Ploon, represented to her the ideal of masculine perfection.

"Poor Dicky," she explained, and walked into her own room.

large and small, and robed and trousered, centered toward the city of strong men, and one by one, presented themselves, in turn, to a grave and silent, kink-haired old dorky by the name of Ephraim.

"Excuse me, but what do you mean?" and the visitor stared stolidly, and the visitor stared stolidly, and the visitor stared stolidly.

"No, it is not true," and the visitor went so far, in his emphasis, as to unlock his fingers and rest one hand on the back of the other.

"I think I am a very fair prophet," said Allison easily. "I have made money by my prophecy. I have more money at my command at the present time than any man in the world, than any government, wealth beyond handling in mere currency. It can only be conveyed by means of checks. Let me show how easy it is to write them, and drawing a blank book to him, he wrote a check, and signed his name, and filled out the stub, and tore it out, and handed it to the visitor for inspection.

"I see," was the comment, and the check was handed back. He drew his straight-crowned derby towards him. "I have made a mistake," said Allison. "I have left off a cipher," and correcting this omission with a new check, he tore up the first one.

"I shall not mind if you call it piracy," he observed. "We, in Russia, must collect our revenues as Americans do, and we are as frank as Americans about it. Returning to your matter of protection, I shall admit that the only agreement upon which we can secure what you want, would not hold in international equity; and, in consequence, the only protection I can give you is my personal word that you will not be molested in anything which you wish to do, providing it is pleasant to myself and those I represent."

"Then we'll make it an annual payment," decided Allison, putting away some figures he had prepared. "We'll make it a sliding scale, increasing each year with the earnings."

"After the first year," he said. "We shall begin with a large bonus, however."

"Let us first discuss the bonus," proposed Allison, and quite amicably they went into the arrangement, whereby Ivan Strolezky fished the only valuable railroad lines in his country from the control of its present graft-ridden possessors, and handed it over to the International Transportation company.

"By the way," said Allison. "How soon can we obtain possession?" Ivan Strolezky put his hand in his beard again, and reflected. "There is only one man who stands in the way," he calculated. "He will be removed immediately upon my return."

"There's something so uncanny about this that even the practical Allison was shocked for an instant, and then he laughed.

"We have still much to learn from your country," he courteously confessed.

"Never peace," denied Allison. "There will never be friendship between phlegmatism and mercantilism. You might rest for centuries with your neighbors to the west, but rest is not peace."

"You are about to have a war," Allison advised him. "No, it is not true," and the visitor went so far, in his emphasis, as to unlock his fingers and rest one hand on the back of the other.

"I am rather disappointed," he confessed in excellent English. "I had understood that you wished to control our entire railway system."

"I am here," he said. "I am able to give you some important diplomatic news," Allison advised him. "Your country is about to have a war with your ancient enemy to the east. It will be declared within a month."

"The banking system of my country is patriotic," returned the caller. "Its only important banks are controlled under one system. I am the head of that system. I am a patriot!" and he tapped himself upon the breast with deep and sincere feeling.

"How much revenue does your position yield you personally?" A shade of sadness crossed the brow of the neat-waisted caller.

"It would be compelled to negotiate a loan. If other governments, through some understanding among their bankers, found it difficult to provide this loan, your government would find it necessary to release its ownership, or at least its control of its most valuable commercial possession."

"That most valuable commercial possession," went on Allison, "is the state railways. You were convinced by my agent that there is a new and powerful force in the world, or you would not be here. Suppose I point out that it is possible to scrap your banking system that you could not help your country, if you would; suppose I show you that, in the end, your ancient enemy will lose his identity, while your country remains intact; suppose I show you that the course I have proposed is the only way open which will save your country from annihilation? What then?"

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# The Coral Necklace

By J. B. MATTHEWS

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"Hands up!"

Old Zekiel Grow, butler, coachman, in fact general major domo of the Brunelle household, gave a shiver and a gulp. Then his long scrawny fists went up in the air.

"Now then, blow the top of his head off, he lets out a whimper or moves an inch. The mischief!"

One of two highwaymen had abruptly entered the hall of the Brunelle home that calm summer afternoon to startle poor, faithful old Zekiel half out of his wits. The light face mask he wore had suddenly come loose. Old Zekiel stared, spluttered, looked appalled. Then the main malefactor ran up the stairs.

He evidently had studied the lay of the ground previous to this actual moment of the raid. Instantly he chose the most pretentious and boudoirlike of the sleeping apartments. A score of pretty tokens of feminine vanity and daintiness upon the bureau guided the intruder.

The latter pulled open the drawers with true professional rapidity. He tossed over their contents swiftly. At last his hands closed about a richly inlaid box. It was locked, but he drew a chisel from his pocket and roughly pried off the cover.

"It's a rich haul, just as I knew it would be," he chuckled gleefully—"now for a get-away!"

The marauder transferred the glittering baubles in the box to his pocket,



Hands Up!"

He tossed their former receptacle into a corner of the room and descended the stairs in three bounds. Old Zekiel stood as he had left him—rigid, erect, looking into the barrel of the gleaming weapon presented by thief No. 2.

"Gentlemen—" began Zekiel, mildly and beseechingly.

"Stow that!" growled the man who had led in the foray. Then he whipped out a revolver from his hip pocket, dealt Zekiel a sharp blow on the head with its butt and the old man sank to the floor dazed, half stunned and as if in a trance saw the two robbers mount their horses outside and swiftly disappear.

One hour later Judge Brunelle and his daughter drove up to their home to find old Zekiel in a frantic state of agitation. The judge looked serious, and pretty lone sat down and cried as if her heart would break, when she ascertained that the heartless desperado had made off with all her jewelry and keepsakes.

"It was Black Donald," asserted Zekiel. "Judge, I saw him! I know him."

"Nonsense!" dissented the judge. "Black Donald went to New Mexico two years ago."

"Then he's come back again," declared Zekiel. "I'd swear to him, judge."

The judge forthwith consulted the police. Two years previously, back in their mountain fastnesses, the desperate, unruly gang headed by the notorious Black Donald, modern outlaws and daring lawbreakers of the district, had been broken up and driven out. Since then, except for occasional thefts from farmers and forcible assault upon stray intruders upon their "domain," the remnants of the gang had made little trouble in the section.

Instantly the local officers were on the trail. Within an hour after the judge had returned home to console his daughter three visitors appeared. They were young men, friends of lone. They wanted to become lovers. They were the favored trio of the numerous contingent of which pretty lone Brunelle was the center and queen.

There was Walt Afton, tall, distinguished, indolent of movement and speech. He was a scion of a wealthy family, as was his companion, Burt Willis. The latter was studying medicine with the veteran doctor of the district, but was slow and neglectful of his educational opportunities. And there was Ned Powers just blooming into the full fame of the law—sturdy, but with force and character in his open, handsome face. Walt was the spokesman.

"We heard about the robbery," he announced, in his leisurely, drawing way. "We came to sympathize with Miss Brunelle, to offer our services."

"Thanks," bowed the judge, "but the police are on the scent and we have a sure clue as to the identity of the thief."

"Indeed?" commented young Willis. "Yes—it was Black Donald."

Walt nodded. Burt looked over his shoulder as if afraid of something. Ned Powers spoke up promptly.

"I know Black Donald," he said quickly. "If you are certain of that, judge, I think I could penetrate his haunts."

"I'm too distressed to see you, young gentlemen," said the judge. "She cares very slightly for the loss of her diamonds, for they can be replaced. There was, however, a coral necklace her dead mother gave her years ago, when she was a child. Intrinsically it is worthless, but I would give a small fortune to recover it."

"I shall send for a city detective at once," announced Walt—"a corps of them, if necessary. That necklace shall be recovered!"

"I know relatives of some of the old gang," observed Burt. "I'll see if they won't help me recover it."

Ned Powers said nothing, but there was a set expression of resolve in his face as he left the place, and Walt observed laughingly:

"We are all in the race, fellows. I fancy the one who recovers that stolen necklace will stand in high favor with Miss Brunelle."

So at least Ned Powers thought and believed, and he went on his way, taking no counsel and detailing naught of his plans to his chattering companions.

Walt made a call at the Brunelle home two evenings later. He made a great play before lone of his vast effort to have Black Donald apprehended and the stolen necklace recovered.

Then came Burt. A relative of one of the mountain families was under obligations to him and he had gone to see if he could not secretly ferret out the thieves and the booty.

But lone thought little of their interest in her behalf. One of her cavaliers was simply spending his money, with plenty to spend. Neither undertook any personal risk.

Then both valorous champions came up against disappointment and chagrin. The detectives learned that Black Donald after the raid had stayed only two days with his friends and had gone back to New Mexico presumably with his plunder.

The emissary of Burt simply aroused suspicion for his investigations and learned nothing of importance.

"Father, what has become of Mr. Powers?" one day lone inquired and there was a conscious blush on her pretty face which the judge did not fail to notice.

Ned Powers answered the inquiry in person two days later. Bronzed, tattered, weather-worn, he came into the town. His first call was at the Brunelle home. Its object was to place in the hands of its lovely young mistress the cherished coral necklace.

"I'm here," he said, "and I've brought it. Her eyes sparkled with gratitude and admiration for the one man who had risked his life to restore to her a precious memento."

"I recovered it from a sister of Black Donald," explained Ned. "The rest of the plunder her brother took away with him."

A month later the engagement of lone and Ned was announced. One afternoon the happy pair were seated in a hammock, conversing.

"You are sure you never cared for anyone but me?" inquired lone.

"Never!" was the stanch, truthful reply.

"Nor—nor ever flirted with any other girl?" persisted lone.

"Once."

Her fair brow shadowed.

"Yes," admitted Ned, with a quizzical smile—"it was by paying strong court to the sister of Black Donald that I got hold of the coral necklace."

"Oh, that doesn't count!" cried lone effusively—"that was simply the strategy of war!" and she rewarded him with a kiss of perfect confidence and love.

### WHY MOTHER SINGS TO BABY

Primal Call of Feminine Nature. According to Scientists Who Have Studied the Subject.

Psychologists who have carefully studied the characteristics of instinct in woman have discovered just why mothers sing their babies to sleep. It is not merely inspired by the expectation of better sleep in their children but it is the primal call of the feminine nature. It is a maternal prompt which occurs naturally to each mother.

Savage mothers who are never known to sing upon other occasions invariably hum and croon to their children at night, and upon one other instance—when they are planting seed. It is a peculiarity of the Zuni native women and one which has been but recently understood.

The theory of primitive people is that there is some mysterious connection between the sound of a woman's voice and growing things.

Little Paris Green in America. Paris green, deadliest enemy of the potato bug, is no longer obtainable in this country. The extinction was effected gradually. Today there is less than 500 pounds of paris green in the country and the holders of the goods demand all the way from 21 to 55 cents per pound, according to the quantity desired. Urgent inquiries for the product are heard from Louisville and elsewhere.

# GETTING A START

By NATHANIEL C. FOWLER, Jr.

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BE A MAN.

Man is made of Dust. Dust settles. Be a man.

Settle! That is a good word with which to conjure.

He who does not settle his accounts, whether they are monetary or otherwise, is not manly and does not stand well among men.

Everybody is under obligation to somebody. He owes money or he owes something beside money. He cannot succeed, he cannot be true to himself and to the world, unless he is under obligations to somebody or to something, and unless others are under similar obligations to him.

Reciprocity is one of the first laws of business and of every other department of life.

Alone, we amount to nothing. With others there is no limit to our attainment.

Many a man pays his bills promptly and forgets to keep his engagements. He is financially honest and socially and otherwise dishonest.

An obligation is binding, no matter how small it may be.

If you agree to meet a man at a certain hour or upon a certain day, it is just as important that you keep this engagement as it is that you pay your bills.

Nothing detracts more from one's reputation than carelessness in keeping obligations, however small they may be.

Men of mark, men who rightly occupy high positions, never forget an engagement, they are always on time, and they consider themselves under obligations to those with whom they come in contact, in business and out of it. Their word is as good as their bond, and their bond is usually above par.

I do not find any excuse for professional men who are forgetful and who do not appear to realize the importance of meeting every obligation and of keeping every engagement. Some of them may excuse themselves by claiming that their minds are preoccupied with other things. Sheer nonsense! The mind that cannot grasp and surround and meet an obligation, whether it belongs to a great scientist or to a clerk behind the counter, is not the kind of mind which is predestined to succeed.

There is no excuse for failure to meet an appointment or other obligation, or for delay in answering a letter which requires an immediate reply.

"I am too busy," is not an excuse. You can trust a busy man, you can depend upon him more than you can upon a man who has nothing to do.

If I desired help, I should go to the busiest man I know, for he has time. The loafer hasn't.

At times it may be impossible for you to do the work of the day during the day; but, in the majority of cases, each day's work can be performed more easily today than it can be done tomorrow.

Settle at the time of settlement. Today is yours; tomorrow may not be.

You are dependent upon your fellow men. Treat them as you would have them treat you, and realize that they have equal rights with you; that when you promise to do a thing, and do not do it, you have stolen another man's time and are just as much a thief as you would be if you robbed his money drawer.

Religion of the Future. From President Eliot's "Religion of the Future" it appears that the "progress of the nineteenth century far outstripped that of similar periods"—as far perhaps as that of the last twenty-five years has in turn outstripped it. The "new ideas of God" which it has produced give the basis for a new twentieth century religion superior to all others. Some of these new ideas are monotheism, immanence, God's love, the adoration (dulia, not latria) of all righteous persons, and the "tendency toward progress" it rejects polytheism, apothecia, tribal religion, sudden change of character, mediation, dogma, mystery, sacraments, the fall of man, alienation from God and the condemnation of the majority. It assures the devil and will attack all his works quickly; it will teach that he is best who loves best and serves best, and the greatest service will be to increase the stock of good will.

Magie String. Procure a few pieces of cotton string each about one and one-half feet long, and fill them well with soap. Prepare a brine by dissolving three tablespoonfuls of salt in a cupful of water. Place the strings in the brine and allow them to soak for two hours or longer. It is necessary that they be thoroughly saturated with the brine.

When taken out of the brine and thoroughly dried, suspend one of them from a nail on a ledge, and hang a finger ring on its lower end. Apply a lighted match to the string and allow it to burn. The ring will not fall, but will hang by the ash.

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Good Prospect for Business. A young lawyer tells this story on himself with a keen appreciation of its humor:

"A negro came into my office recently and consulted with me about getting a divorce for his daughter, who was the oldest child. After ascertaining from the old negro the grounds for a divorce he asked me what my charges would be. I told him, and he said as follows: 'Mr. —, you know I's always given you my business?' I told him, 'Yes,' and I appreciated it. 'You know I's always going to give you my business, and Mary what wants this divorce is my oldest child, and rust and onliest one married. This thing is just startin', and I has eleven chillun, and, of course, you'll get them all, and couldn't you make me a wholesale price on them?'"

Served Him Right. "I admit I was found in the possession of firearms," said the prisoner. "But it's only a joke of mine, my lord."

"Explain yourself," said the magistrate.

"Why, I put two pistols in my pocket when I go out to a friendly gathering. Then I start talking of aeroplanes."

"Well?"

"Then I say my life was once saved by parachutes."

"Yes?"

"And then I pull out the pistol, and say, 'Pair o' shoots.' Ha, ha! See?"

"Yes, I see. Did you make up that joke yourself?"

"Yes, my lord."

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Keenly Disappointed. Some time since an ambitious young actor went on a barnstorming trip and on his return he recounted his experience to a friend.

"One night," he said, "I played the part of Hamlet, and at the end of the show the audience rose and loudly shouted, 'Fine! Fine! 1—'"

"I suppose," smilingly interrupted the friend, "that it made you feel rather good?"

"Yes," answered the young actor, with a deep-drawn sigh; "or, rather, it would have made me feel good if a large voice hadn't vociferously added, 'Make it fine and imprisonment!'" Philadelphia Telegraph.

He Knew Father. The philosopher is born, and not made. Even in tender youth the precious gift is often observed, remarks the Manchester Guardian. One juvenile philosopher was discovered the other day, when the news arrived at a certain house that the head of the family, fighting with his regiment in France, had been wounded. Tears were the order of the day, until the small boy thought to inquire: "Whereabouts is dad wounded?"

He was told, "In the hand."

"That's just like father," he responded, going on methodically with his breakfast; "he's been trying to catch the bullet!"

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Their Trade. "I wonder more speculators don't make aviation trips."

"Why speculators?"

"Because they're used to taking flyers."

Taste in Reading. "Oliver's taste for books seems to be improving."

"I'm very glad to hear that. But are you quite sure about it?"

"Perfectly sure. Last week I caught him perusing a five-cent hair-raiser, and this week he is reading nothing but dime novels. That's a hundred per cent improvement!"

Light Bread. A smell of buns and cakes and newly-baked loaves pervaded the shop as Mrs. Maggins entered, a businesslike old lady in cape and bonnet.

"Good morning!" she said, briskly. "Permit me to compliment you on the lightness of your bread!"

The baker rubbed his hands, and smiled benignly.

"Thank you, madam!" he remarked, proudly but respectfully.

"It is my aim to bake the lightest bread in this city."

The old lady, still businesslike and brisk, then put the closure on the meeting.

"Yes," she remarked; "and you do it. If it gets much lighter, it'll want two of your pound loaves to weigh sixteen ounces."

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