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## MEMORIAL DAY

Program of Day's Exercises for  
Thursday, May 30

Memorial Day will be observed in Antrim as follows: Ephraim Weston Post, No. 87, G. A. R., will leave Grand Army hall in carriages for North Branch at 8 a. m., arriving at North Branch chapel at 9 a. m., where exercises will be held by citizens of that village. At the close of the exercises, column will be formed under the direction of Squires Forsaith, marshal of the day, and proceed to the cemetery and decorate the graves of the soldiers in the usual manner.

Return to Antrim Center and perform the usual service in the cemetery. Return to G. A. R. hall.

Soldiers' graves on Meeting House hill will be decorated by Daughters of the American Revolution. The East cemetery will be decorated by a special detail of the Post and the School children.

### AFTERNOON SERVICE

The column will form at 1.30 p. m., in front of G. A. R. hall and march to the town hall, where the G. A. R. will hold the usual exercises, commencing at 2 o'clock, as follows: President of the Day, Squires Forsaith

Vocal Music  
Prayer  
Vocal Music  
Oration by Rev. R. L. Bruce  
Vocal Music

At the close of the services in the hall the column will form with right resting opposite the Presbyterian church in the following order:

Drum Corps, Boy Scouts, Ephraim Weston Post, No. 87, G. A. R., George H. Chandler Camp, No. 11, S. of V., Citizens and School Children in columns of twos, carriages containing Woman's Relief Corps, D. A. R., Orator of the Day, and Clergymen. Citizens will form in rear of the column.

The route will be Main, Elm and Concord streets to Maplewood cemetery, where the following exercises will take place:

### Prayer

Decoration of Soldiers' graves at sound of bugle.

Column will re-form and march to the Monument, where the Woman's Relief Corps will close the services of the day.

Return to G. A. R. hall where the column will be dismissed.

All war veterans are invited to fall in with the Post.

By command of

GEO. G. WHITNEY,

Post Commander.

George D. Dresser, Adjt.  
Antrim, May 27, 1918.

## WHERE TO REGISTER

All Antrim Men 21 Since June 5 of  
Last Year Go to Peterboro

All men who shall have become 21 years of age since last registration, June 5, 1917, must register on Wednesday, June 5. For the convenience of the men residing under the jurisdiction of Local Board No. 2 for Hillsboro County offices will be open at Peterboro in the office of Ezra M. Smith, at Goffstown in the Selectmen's room, as well as at the office of the Local Board in Milford.

Men from the following towns will register at Peterboro: Antrim, Bennington, Deering, Francetown, Hillsboro, Hancock, New Ipswich, Peter-

boro, Sharon, Temple and Windsor. Men from the following towns will register at Goffstown: Bedford, Goffstown, New Boston and Wears.

Men from the following towns will register at Milford: Amherst, Brookline, Greenfield, Greenville, Hollis, Hudson, Litchfield, Lyndeboro, Mason, Milford, Mt. Vernon, Merrimack, Pelham and Wilton.

Offices will be open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. Failure to register subjects men to the penalty of imprisonment.

C. S. Emerson

### A Letter From France

The following are extracts from a letter received recently by Miss Lillian Brown, from Leo Mulhall, who is "somewhere in France."

Somewhere,  
April 18, 1918.

My Dear Lillian:

Your nice letter just received, and as usual more than pleased to hear from you. I will try and attempt to answer it while I have time but there is a terrible racket here all the time so it is a hard job to write but will do my best.

There is a bunch of Frogs here talking to me so I am in a fix, and if this is half French why you will have to hire an interpreter to translate it.

You don't want to believe all you hear about me being broken up. All I did was break a couple of fingers and a few ribs but thank God I have not lost any fingers and now I am back looking for "Old Bill." God bless him if I ever do get him. I wonder when it will be!

Yes, you can bet I think of the happy days when we used to go to Bennington and it was a good old gang. I think they are about all married and gone now. The old town will never be the same again—not in a thousand years; and you say things are going up over there. Wish I were over there for a spell. A fellow bought a cheap pair of shoes here and they only cost him \$30.00. That is France.

It is great weather here now and nice and warm, and the people have their planting all done. Everybody from the old town is well at present.

Must close now as my time is all gone. Please excuse bum type as my nerves are on edge.

With Best Regards I remain  
Sincerely,

Leo.

### Odd Fellows Attend Meeting at Peterboro

Thirty-six members of Waverley Lodge of Odd Fellows went to Peterboro last Friday evening, all going by autos, to attend the annual meeting of District No. 12, of the Contoocook Valley. The initiatory degree was conferred by Monadnock Lodge of East Jaffrey in a highly creditable manner; a quartet from Valley Lodge of Hillsboro rendered vocal selections, and other musical numbers were on the program. Grand Officers were present to review the work; and at the close of a very successful meeting a banquet was served by the Rebekah Lodge.

This meeting was held in Peterboro's new town hall which is a beautiful and commodious building, and the banquet was served in the assembly room downstairs. About two hundred attended the meeting.

### Three Makes of Oil Stoves

We will guarantee to save you one-half the expense of wood or coal, by using one of our Oil Cook Stoves, say nothing about convenience and results obtained. We are the agents for three of the best Oil Stoves manufactured: Florence Automatic, Detroit Vapor, and New Perfection.

Hillsboro Furniture Rooms,  
Hillsboro, N. H.

Miss Eva Brooks, formerly of Antrim, is visiting friends in town.

### WOMAN'S CLUB

#### Annual Business Meeting Held Last Week

The Antrim Woman's Club met for its annual business meeting with the President, Mrs. Hattie B. Goodwin. Reports of the year's work were given. Only one program meeting was held throughout the winter, the other meetings being devoted to Red Cross work. Seventy-five percent of the members have attended surgical dressings classes and others are working along other lines.

Money has been contributed to the Local Red Cross Branch for material, to the Children's Aid and Protective Society, to the Woman's Club Scholarship Fund, and to the Red Cross War fund of the present month.

The following officers and committees were elected:

Pres.—Mrs. Mary E. Cram  
V. Pres.—Mrs. Mattie Proctor  
Sec.—Mrs. Emma Nay

Treas.—Mrs. Beatrice Cooper  
Public Service Committee—Mrs. Hattie B. Goodwin, Mrs. Amy G. Wheeler, and Mrs. Jennie Dearborn.

Program Committee—Mrs. Cora B. Hunt, Mrs. Emma Burnham, Miss Sadie E. Lane, Mrs. Marietta Lang.

Entertainment Com.—Mrs. Ethel Davis, Mrs. Emma Shoults, Mrs. Jennie Proctor.

During this last year only one meeting a month has been held, but it has been decided to meet the first and third Tuesdays of each month throughout the summer as well as the winter months, at the Red Cross Headquarters for surgical dressings work.

An adjourned meeting was held yesterday, to finish up one matter of business. This annual meeting proved to be enthusiastic and inspiring, and there is a good outlook for the year's work ahead.

Hattie M. Cannell, Sec.

### Death of Former Resident

Charles B. Gardner died at the home of his son in Hillsboro, May 21, after being confined to his room for a few weeks.

Mr. Gardner was born in Gloucester, Mass., March 18, 1850, a descendant of Thomas Gardner and one of the old line families of Massachusetts.

He learned the printing trade in Gloucester when young and among other places worked for some time in Antrim previous to 25 years ago, since which date he has spent most of the time in the printing business in Hillsboro. He was twice married, and by his first wife (from whom he was afterward divorced) had two sons, Frederick B. and Walter; the former died last March and the latter is living in Hillsboro. Mr. Gardner about twenty years ago married Emma B. Simonds, of Antrim, who died Jan. 12, 1915, and one daughter, Eleanor E., survives.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 2 o'clock and interment was at North Branch.

### For Sale

Good driving horse; apply to Ira C. Hutchinson, Antrim, N. H.

### Is It Your Kidneys?

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when bladder trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is where the danger often lies. You should realize that these troubles often lead to dropsy or Bright's disease. An effective remedy for weak or diseased kidneys is Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of this vicinity are constantly testifying.

Mrs. T. R. Pickett, 136 Island St., Keene, N. H., says: "I suffered from such darting pains through the small of my back that I couldn't walk around without suffering. I could hardly stoop over or straighten up. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief at once and one box cured me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mrs. Pickett. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. adv



... This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war ...



### Antrim's Quota \$1200

For the Second Red Cross National War Fund drive, and did she raise it? She sure did, and a little more; the total sum for our town is \$1464. Antrim did well, as she always does, and is sure to do just so long as there is demand for help.

As went Antrim so went the Nation, for the total amount subscribed was upwards of \$140,000,000—over-subscribed, as is characteristic of Uncle Sam's family. Splendid object lesson to the one who must finally be deprived of his power and with his associates be banished to the Isle of St. Helena or some worse place.

### Preached to the Veterans

The annual Memorial Sunday sermon was given in the Baptist church on Sunday evening last by Rev. W. J. B. Cannell, pastor. This was a union service of all the churches in town and it was very largely attended. Special music was rendered by the union choir; Miss Brown, Miss McClure and Mrs. Goodwin gave a trio. The veterans of Ephraim Weston Post and ladies of the Relief Corps had front seats. The pastors of the different churches had a part in the service. Rev. Cannell gave a very interesting and pleasing discourse which was well received by all present.

### Auction Sale

By W. E. Cram, Auctioneer, Antrim.

Mrs. May G. MacGregor, executrix of the estate of the late Dr. John Goodell, will sell by public auction at the old home half way between the Upper and Lower Villages, in Hillsboro, on Saturday, June 1, at one o'clock in the afternoon, a very good collection of old fashioned articles, household goods and farming tools. This is a rare lot of goods brought on to the market in an unusual way to clear up an accumulation of a number of years, and should attract a large number of buyers. For particulars read posters.

### Another Food Demonstration

Miss Ann Beggs will give the 8th in the series of Emergency Food Lessons, at the town hall Monday, June 3 at 2.30 p. m. The subject is "Child Feeding." Because of the great drain upon our Nation's life by this world catastrophe, it is of the utmost importance to conserve the children of America. Come, mothers, and help discuss this subject in which we are all so vitally interested.

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## INCREASE IN WESTERN CANADA LAND VALUES

But Forty and Fifty Bushels of Wheat to the Acre.

During the past year there has been a greater demand for farm lands in Western Canada than for a number of years past. The demand is for good farm lands improved or unimproved. And at an increase of from ten to fifteen dollars an acre more than the same lands could be had for a couple of years ago.

The rise in the price of every kind of produce grown on these Western lands, in some cases to double and in others to triple the price prevailing before 1914, have attracted and are attracting in ever-increasing proportions the men who are anxious to invest their money, and apply their energies in the production of wheat for which the allied nations are calling with voices which grow louder and more anxious as the months roll on, and the end of the war still seems distant. Beet, and more especially bacon, are required in ever greater quantities, and the price of all these things has soared, until it is not a question of what shall we produce, but how much can we produce. Even should this world calamity be brought to a close in six months from now, it will be years before normal pre-war prices prevail, and meantime self-interest if not patriotism is turning the minds of thousands back to the land. The inevitable consequence has been the rise in values of land, especially wheat land.

The Calgary Herald, commenting on these conditions says:

"From inquiries made from leading dealers in farming and ranching properties, and from the information gathered in other ways, it is known that the value of all land—wheat land, mixed farming properties, and even good grazing land—has risen in the last two years 40 per cent. Wheat lands in some districts have practically doubled in price. One dealer in farm lands recently sold three sections for \$70 an acre, one extra good quarter went as high as \$90, and another brought \$100. These are, of course, large prices, but that they will be equalled or even surpassed in the near future is beyond question. There is a feature about this rush to the land from which the most solid hope can be drawn for the success of the movement. The proper tillage of land, to produce large crops in a climate like ours is never understood and practiced as it never was in the early days of the province. It would seem too that with the increase of land under cultivation, the seasons are changing and the rainfall becoming greater and more regular.

"Crops are being harvested, especially in Southern Alberta, which would have seemed impossible to the old-time farmer, with his old-fashioned ideas of breaking and seeding. And at the price now set by the government for wheat and which possibly may be increased during the coming season, the return to the practical skilled agriculturist must necessarily be very large.

"What matters \$10 or even \$20 an acre extra on wheat land when a return as high as 50 bushels and even more may be taken from every acre sown? With goods bringing \$20 a hundred pounds; beef on the hoof at \$12, and mutton \$10, while wool under the new government arranged system of handling and sale brings 85 cents a pound (and these values cannot fall to any great extent for some years) the demand for land will continue and values increase in a corresponding degree.

"There has never been in the history of Canada a time so favorable for the farmer as the present; self-interest, the inspiration of patriotic feeling, the aid freely extended by the government, who are permitting the import of certain agricultural implements free, all these tend to still further raise the price of Alberta land."—Advertiser.

### Part of Her Costume.

Basile came running to her grandmother holding a dry, pressed leaf, obviously the relic of a day long gone by. "I found it in the big Bible, grandma," she said. "Do you suppose it belonged to Eve?"—Boston Transcript.

## SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

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Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

One of the meanest men we ever knew was always complaining because his wife was so hard to beat.

Never insult a small man; his muscles may be well developed.

# Union Saved by Army of Schoolboys



Orion R. Howe

Nearly 1,000,000 Soldiers Who Served in Federal Army Were Under 16 Years of Age



Orion R. Howe as a Soldier

THE FACT that the draft law under which the United States is now raising its armies placed the minimum age of men to be included in the draft at twenty-one years has called attention to the extreme youth of the men who made up the forces that fought and won the Civil War.

It may truthfully be said that the war was won by an army of schoolboys. The younger generation probably is not aware of the fact that nearly a million of those who carried muskets on behalf of the Federal cause were less than sixteen years of age when they enlisted. Statistics show that there were exactly 844,891 boys under that age in the Federal army. There were 1,151,438 under eighteen years of age, and of the total enlistments of 2,778,309 there were 2,159,798 under twenty-one years of age.

Not only were the great majority of privates less than twenty-one years of age, but the records show that companies, regiments and brigades were commanded literally by schoolboys. At the close of the war, it is said, it was the exception to find a brigade or division commander who was more than thirty years old.

Brig. Gen. John L. Clem is generally credited with being the youngest soldier on record. He was born in Newark, O., August 13, 1851. He was not quite ten years old when he entered the volunteer service as a drummer at the beginning of the war. Two years later, when he was still not quite twelve years old, he was regularly enlisted and took his place in the ranks. He was made a sergeant for bravery displayed in the battle of Chickamauga and served until the close of the war. He returned to school when the war ended and graduated from the Newark high school. In 1871 he was appointed a second lieutenant in the regular army and remained in the regular service until 1915, when he was retired with the rank of brigadier general.

Among the heroes who were awarded the congressional medal of honor for valor shown upon the field of battle there were many who were mere children. A veteran officer of the Federal army, writing in the Philadelphia Public Ledger, recalled some interesting history connected with some of these youthful heroes. The writer gave the following account of some of these unusual cases:

"Robinson B. Murphy was born May 11, 1849. He enlisted as musician at the beginning of the war and the official statement of the action for which he gained his congress medal reads:

"At Atlanta, Ga., July 28, 1864, being ordered to the brigade commander, he voluntarily led two regiments as re-enforcements into line of battle, where he had his horse shot from under him."

"He enlisted August 6, 1862, at the age of twelve years, two months and twenty-four days, in the One Hundred Twenty-seventh Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and was made orderly to the colonel of the regiment. In January, 1864, he was made orderly to Gen. J. A. J. Lightburn, and participated in several hard-fought battles. In the army he was known as 'Bob.' When he performed the wonderful feat that gained him the medal he was only fifteen years old. The circumstances under which young Murphy led two regiments into battle were as follows:

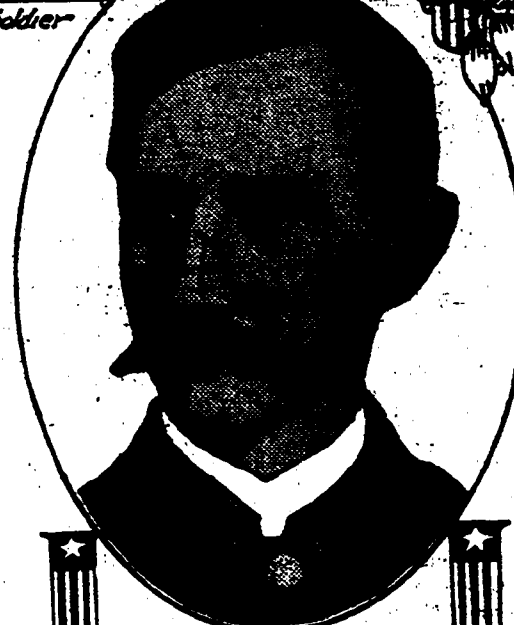
"The division in which General Lightburn commanded was that day on the extreme right of the army, which was being flanked by the enemy. Young Murphy was sent to the right by his general to find out the situation, and finding that the enemy had flanked the right wing and was driving them, he rode on his pony down the line and met General Logan, who commanded that day, and begged him with tears in his eyes for re-enforcements, telling him they were cutting our right all to pieces. The general replied: 'I have ordered re-enforcements from the left, and here they come now, and if you know where they are needed, Bob, show them in.' And that is how he came to lead the two regiments that day. General Lightburn wrote regarding Bob that he was 'not only brave and faithful, but displayed remarkable judgment for one of his age, as I soon found out. I could depend on him under any circumstances that might arise.'

"And here is another very little chap who gained his medal, Orion P. Howe, born December 29, 1848. He enlisted early in the war and was wounded at Vicksburg and three times at Dallas, Ga. His record is a brilliant one, and General Sherman tells the story in a letter of August 8, 1863:

"Headquarters Fifteenth Army Corps, Camp on Black River, August 8, 1863.

"Hon. E. Stanton, Secretary of War.

"Sir: I take the liberty of asking, through you, that something be done for a lad named Orion P. Howe of Waukegan, Ill., who belongs to the Fifty-fifth Illinois, but at present is home wounded. I think he is too young for West Point, but would be the very thing for a midshipman. When the assault at Vicksburg was at its height, on the 19th of May, and I was in front near the road, which formed my line of attack, this young lad came up to me, wounded and bleeding, with a good, healthy boy's cry: 'General Sherman, send some cartridges to Colonel Malmberg; the men are nearly all out.' 'What's the matter, my boy?' 'They shot me in the leg, sir, but I can go to the hospital. Send me



Gen. John L. Clem, youngest soldier on record

cartridges right away." Even where he stood the shot fell thick, and I told him to go to the rear at once. I would attend to the cartridges; and off he limped. Just before he disappeared on the hill, he turned and called as loud as he could: 'Caliber .54.' I have not seen the lad since, and his colonel (Malmberg) on inquiry gives me the address above, and says he is a bright, intelligent boy, with a fair preliminary education. What arrested my attention then was—and what renewed my memory of the fact now is—that one so young, carrying a musket-ball through his leg, should have found his way to me on that fatal spot, and delivered his message, not forgetting the very important part of the caliber of his musket, .54, which you know is an unusual one. I'll warrant that the boy has in him the elements of a man, and I commend him to the government as one worth the fostering care of one of the national institutions. I am, with respect,

"Your obedient servant,

"W. T. SHERMAN, Major General Commanding."

"When the poet, George E. Baker, learned of the episode of young Howe, he put the story in verse.

"John Cook, too, gained a medal of honor when a mere child. He was born in Ohio, August 10, 1847, and enlisted in Battery B, Fourth United States artillery, at the breaking out of the war. He was serving as bugler at Antietam, and certainly did enough to merit his medal. The boy distinguished himself at Antietam and in every fight in which the command was engaged. At Antietam the battery was knocked to pieces, losing about 50 per cent of the men, killed or wounded. Captain Campbell fell, severely wounded, and young Cook assisted him to the rear, quickly returning to the firing line, where, seeing nearly all the men down and not enough left to man the guns, the little fellow unstrapped a pouch of ammunition from the body of a dead gunner who was lying near one of the caissons, ran forward with it and acted as gunner until the end of the fight.

"J. C. Julius Langbein was a very small boy, indeed, when at the battle of Camden, South Carolina, April 16, 1862. He won his congress medal. The official record states that 'when a drummer boy, he voluntarily and under a heavy fire went to the aid of a wounded officer, procured medical aid for him and aided in carrying him to a place of safety.' After the battle he was granted a short leave of absence to visit his parents, and what a thrill of happiness the boy must have felt when he handed his mother a commendatory letter from his company commander.

"And here is another boy who wears the congress medal of honor, nobly won: George D. Sidman, a schoolboy from Michigan, a mere child in years, when he made his great record and won the medal for 'distinguished bravery in battle at Gaines Mills, June 27, 1862.' This battle, the second of the 'Seven Days' Battles' before Richmond, was one of the most disastrous battles of the Civil war, wherein Fitz John Porter's Fifth army corps was pitted against the three army corps of Generals Longstreet, Hill and 'Stone' Jackson.

"Brig. Gen. Daniel Butterfield's brigade, composed of the Twelfth, Seventeenth and Forty-fourth New York, the Eighty-third Pennsylvania and Sixteenth Michigan Volunteer Infantry regiments, that day occupied the left line of battle in the form of a curve, with the Sixteenth and Eighty-third on the extreme left and resting on the border of Chickahominy swamp. Here the brigade was called upon to resist several desperate charges of the enemy during the day, which, in every instance, resulted in defeat of the attacking forces.

"It was in this 'torrid hope' rally that Sidman, then a youth of seventeen, serving in the ranks of Company C, Sixteenth Michigan, as a private, but borne on the rolls of his company as a drummer boy, distinguished himself by waving his gun and calling upon his comrades to rally on the colors as he had done, thus setting an example 'that was

speedily followed by a number of others, and winning the approbation of Major Welch of his regiment, who was a witness of the heroic act. He was in the front rank of the charge back upon the enemy, and in the almost hand-to-hand conflict that followed fell severely wounded through the left hip by a minnie ball.

"On the morning of December 13, 1862, while the Fifth corps was drawn up in line of battle on Stafford Heights waiting for orders to open the Rappahannock river, and enter Fredericksburg, Colonel Stockton, commanding the Third brigade, First division, called upon the Sixteenth Michigan for a volunteer to carry the new brigade flag that had just reached the command. Sidman, but now partially recovered from his wound, sprang from the ranks and begged for this duty. His patriotism and fidelity to duty, well known to Major Welch, now commanding the regiment, won for him the coveted prize, much to the chagrin of several other comrades who valiantly offered their services. Leading his brigade on its famous charge up Marye's heights, in that terrible slaughter under Burnside, he was again wounded, but not so severely as to prevent him from planting the colors within 150 yards of the enemy's line, where they remained for 80 hours. Three days later he proudly bore his flag back across the Rappahannock, marked by a broken shaft and several holes, caused by the enemy's missiles during the charge.

"It was in this battle, Sunday, December 14, 1862, while the brigade lay all day hugging the ground behind the slight elevation a few yards in front of the enemy, momentarily expecting an attack, that Sidman, with a comrade of his own company, displayed humanity as well as remarkable valor by running the gauntlet through a railroad cut for canteens of water for the sick and wounded comrades who could not be removed from the lines; this at a time, too, when the enemy's sharpshooters were so stationed as to command the ground a considerable distance in the rear of the brigade lines. It was this distinguished service of humanity at Fredericksburg, in the face of a vigilant enemy and with almost certain death staring him in the face, that prompted his officers in recommending him for the medal of honor. The war department, with a full record knowledge of his service from Gaines Mills to Fredericksburg, and for reasons best known to itself, decided that the medal was earned at the first-named battle, with continuing merit to the end of his military service.

"Perhaps the most dangerous duty that a soldier can be engaged in is that of scout. In a book published after the war, and called 'Hampton and His Cavalry,' the following definition of a scout is given: 'The scouts of the army did not constitute a distinct organization, but suitable men volunteering for this duty were detailed from the different commands. The position required not only coolness, courage, seal and intelligence, but special facilities born in some few men.'

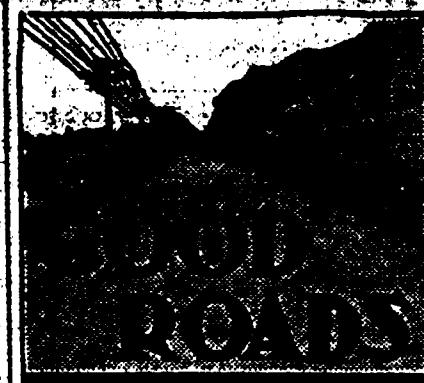
"The line of demarcation between a scout and a spy was at times very ill-defined, for, as the scouts were usually dressed in enemy's uniforms which they had captured, they were by strict military law subject to the penalty of spies if taken within the enemy's lines, and they were not without pleasant experiences of that sort.

"Undoubtedly one of the most distinguished of this class was Archibald Hamilton Rowand, Jr., who received the medal because of the indorsement of General Sheridan, who knew and appreciated his great services to the cause.

"Rowand was born March 6, 1845, in Philadelphia, Pa., and enlisted June 14, 1862, in Company K, First West Virginia cavalry, and served until August 17, 1863. His services were not only remarkable, but most valuable to the cause. He was one of the most daring and most trusted of Sheridan's scouts.

"Once, while scouting for Averill, he was captured, but told such a plausible story to the Confederate officers about being a Confederate scout with verbal orders from one distant general to another that he was allowed to depart. The first time he was detailed on scout duty his two companions were shot and killed. On his next trip his command and his own horse were killed when they were 18 miles inside of the Confederate lines, but Rowand managed to dodge the enemy's bullets and get back alive, vowing at every jump never to go on scout duty again. He soon recovered from his fright, however, and started out on another trip. While with Sheridan he was asked to locate the notorious partisan leader, Maj. Harry Gilmore, and, if possible, effect his capture.

"After several days' hard work he found Gilmore stopping in a large country mansion near Moorfield, W. Va. This he reported to Sheridan, who sent with him about fifteen scouts under Colonel Young. They dressed in Confederate uniforms and, followed by 800 Federal cavalry at a distance of several miles, to be of assistance in case the true character of the scouts was discovered, they arrived near Gilmore's command about daybreak, and Rowand went forward alone and, single-handed, captured the vidette without a shot being fired. The scouts then entered the family mansion and took Gilmore out of bed and back to Sheridan's headquarters."



## GOOD ROADS IN NEW ZEALAND

Concrete. Declared Most Satisfactory in Land of Heavy Rains—Cheaper in Long Run.

The New Zealand authorities, both local and national, are carefully studying the subject of good roads, realizing that this is the best way to open up the hinterland of the dominion. The roads of the country, in the main, are not in very good condition. There are some good stone roads, about the larger centers, but few of them extend out more than 25 or 30 miles. Their upkeep has been found very expensive, especially in the northern part of the country, since the rainfall is heavy and washouts are numerous because the stone used is soft and grinds up rapidly, the Scientific American states.

Of late much has been said in regard to the construction of concrete highways, and it is thought that this will be far cheaper in the long run than the stone roads as they are now constructed, for the reason that the upkeep will be so very greatly reduced. It is estimated that a mile of 12-foot concrete road four inches thick could be built in New Zealand for \$2,000 more than a mile of ordinary stone road, on which there would be a saving in upkeep for the first five years of at least \$1,200, while at the end of ten years there would be a saving of \$7,000 or \$8,000.

## FEDERAL AID FOR HIGHWAYS

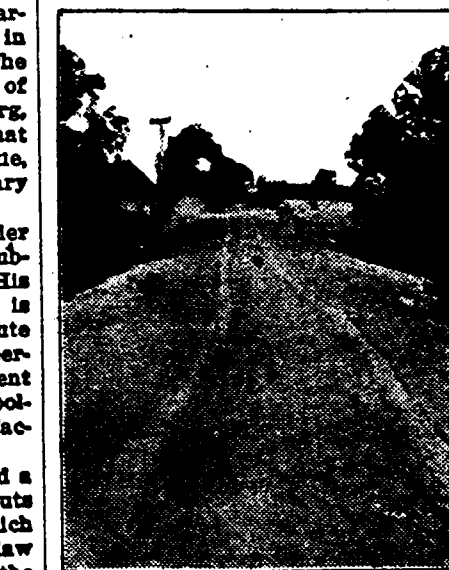
Organization Arranged by Secretary of Agriculture Described in Recent Publication.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The organization that has been arranged by the secretary of agriculture to administer the provisions of the federal-aid road act of 1916 is described in a recent publication of the department.

Ten district offices, each directed by a district engineer, reporting to the director of the office of public roads, have been established. The district offices are located in Portland, Ore.; San Francisco, Cal.; Denver, Colo.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Omaha, Neb.; Fort Worth, Tex.; Chicago, Ill.; Montgomery, Ala.; Troy, N. Y., and Washington, D. C.

The procedure adopted calls for the submission of an application, known



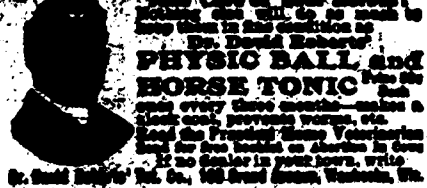
Sand-Clay Road, If Well Kept, Is Satisfactory for Moderate Traffic.

As a project statement, by the state highway department to the district engineer, who examines the road it is proposed to improve, and transmits the project statement with his recommendations to the headquarters office in Washington. If the secretary of agriculture approves the project statement, the plans, specifications and estimates are then submitted by the state highway department to the district engineer, who transmits them with his recommendation to the Washington office, and when they are found to be suitable for approval, a formal certificate to that effect is issued by the secretary of agriculture to the secretary of the treasury and the state highway department, and a formal project agreement is entered into between the secretary of agriculture and the state highway department. As the work progresses or upon its completion, payment on a special voucher approved by the comptroller of the treasury is made of the federal funds apportioned to the state.

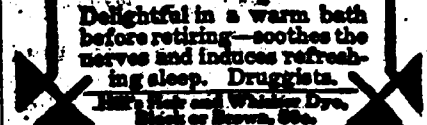
## COMPLETE PAVING IS SOUGHT

Only Nineteen Miles of Lincoln Highway Remain Unpaved in the State of Ohio.

There will be improved in the state of Ohio during 1918 many miles of the Lincoln highway. The plans for improvement are so far advanced that of the 234 miles in the state only 19 miles of the route will remain unpaved after the contracts for the present year are fulfilled. Practically all of the road completed is of brick.



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"Now, madam," he said, "can you explain to me why you struck your husband over the head with the poker?"  
Bridget laid her hand on the bar and leaning far over so she could impress her answer upon the attentive officer of the law, replied:  
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"Yes, sah, I understand perfectly, sah," he replied, and then shouted: "The car fo' de watermelon minister!"

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## WOMAN'S LIFE

Mrs. Godden Tells How It

May be Passed in Safety

and Comfort.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through

the critical period of life, being forty-

five years of age and

all the symptoms

incident to that

change of life—

headaches, back-

aches, nervousness,

and general run-

down condition, so

I was told by me-

dicinal friends to

use Lydia E. Pink-

ham's Vegetable Com-

pound. I have been

using it for several

months, and I feel

much better and

stronger in every way

since taking it, and

the annoying symptoms

have disappeared."

—Mrs. M. GODDEN, 225 Na-

polson St., Fremont, Ohio.

Such annoying symptoms as heat

flushes, nervousness, backache, head-





## THE REPORTER'S HONOR ROLL

### A List of Antrim's Boys and Girls Who Are at Present Serving Their Country

This is The Reporter's Service Flag; it represents two from our office. We doubt if any other newspaper office in the country or city has a greater proportion of its employees in the service as volunteers; taking all the male help we employed, and they were also our sons.

Harry J. Rogers, in the lumberman's unit at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, died April 4th.

In our endeavor to get a complete list of the Antrim volunteers we have been successful in part; any help will be greatly appreciated:

"Somewhere in France"  
Raymond Butterfield, Sergeant  
Leo E. Mulhall, Horseman  
John W. Bryer, 1st class Private  
Howard E. Paige, Private  
Winfield S. Hilton, Private  
William A. Myers, 1st class Private  
Henry E. Newhall, 1st class Private  
John Newhall, 1st class Private  
All members of Co. B, Machine Gun Battalion, 103d Reg., 52d Brig.

Charles Myers is a Sergeant in the Quartermaster's Corps of the Regular Army, "Somewhere in France."

Frank Beims is a Private in the Infantry "Somewhere in France"

Ernest Henry McClure, Machinist Mate, 2nd class, Naval Reserves, at Rockland, Maine, Coast Patrol.

Cranston D. Eldredge and A. Wallace George, 8th Co., Coast Artillery, Fort Foster, Kittery Point, Maine.

The former holds a diploma from a technical school at Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Florida, is a Corporal, now in charge of the canteen; the latter is First Class Private and officers' cook at Fort Foster.

Henry B. Eldredge is a First Class Private in Medical Dept. of U. S. Regular Army, connected with Base Hospital at Camp McClellan, Alabama.

Charles N. Robertson is a Corporal in 4th Div. Battery E, 77th Regular Field Artillery, now at Camp Merritt, New Jersey.

William Hurlin is 2d Lieutenant in the Infantry, at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.

Francis A. Whittemore, enlisted on December 15 in the Aviation Corps, and is at Camp Waco, Texas, in the 17th Squadron.

Louis Mallett is at Fort Warren, Boston, in the 31st Co., Coast Artillery.

Roger Hilton is enlisted in the aviation corps, motor cycle branch, and is now at Springfield, Mass.

Charles Harold Clough is in the Aviation Corps as gunner, and is now "Somewhere in France."

Oscar Huot, with Canadian troops, crossed the ocean in April last.

Paul F. Paige is in the Naval Reserves as Chief Petty Pay Officer in the Paymaster's Dept.

Will Congreve, Jr., is now located in France.

Miss Margaret Redmond, Registered Nurse, at a Rest Camp, in England.  
Miss Helen Stowell, Registered Nurse, with Dr. Hugh Cabot's Harvard Unit, somewhere in France.  
Miss Fannie Burnham, Registered Nurse, connected with Base Hospital, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.  
Miss Grace Burnham, Registered Nurse, is at Ellis Island, N. Y.; at the Army hospital; Red Cross service.

Richard Brooks was a member of the Peterboro Cavalry, N. H. N. G., contracted malaria on Mexican border and was unable to pass examination.

As a matter of record, The Reporter desires to keep a list of all those who would have enlisted but were rejected for one cause or another.

Delmar Newhall Norman Thompson Paul R. Colby D. Wallace Cooley

Those who have been examined on draft call and passed the physical examination to enter the new army are:

Byron G. Butterfield  
Carlton L. Brooks  
Leo George Lowell  
John Shea Whitney  
Robert H. Cleaves  
Howard C. Gokey

In this list, Byron Butterfield is in France; has served as Sergeant and is now 2d lieutenant. Carlton Brooks is Sergeant at Camp Devens. G. Leo Lowell was classified with dependents. John S. Whitney is at Camp Devens. Robert H. Cleaves is at Charlotte, North Carolina. Howard Gokey is at Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J.

Arthur Fluri is in the Hospital Corps, at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.

Frank E. Cutler is in Company B, 49th Infantry, Engineer Piers, West 56th street, North River, New York.

Edson Tuttle is an enlisted man in the lumberman's unit, Carson, Washington.

Robert Nylander is an enlisted man in the Regular Army, Cavalry division, at El Paso, Texas, doing service on the Mexican border.

Don Robinson is employed as machinist and is now stationed at West Point, Mississippi.

Since being rejected, Delmar Newhall has joined the colors and is in a southern camp.

Harold Miner is now at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Georgia.

Paul R. Colby has joined the Merchant Marines, now in Boston.

Walter F. Parker is in the officers' training school at Camp Devens, in Ayer, Mass.

## READ IN PAPER

New Hampshire Clergyman is to Fort to Save Food—Says Added to Vowge Wheat Until Next Harvest—Dover Baker to Pay Red Cross \$12

Concord—An important meeting from Herbert Hoover was held Sunday in every church in New Hampshire and in every church in the United States. Mr. Hoover urged the people to abstain from wheat and meat consumption until next harvest, to save wheat for the most part of the year, and to use the least amount of sugar possible. Mr. Hoover's message follows:

**RENEWED EFFORT NEEDED**  
The confidence of the United States Food Administration that the people of the country would respect its appeals, and wholeheartedly present the facts, to any necessary requests for reduction in consumption of food, has been fully justified. We have demonstrated our ability not only to think together but to act together. This response of the people is the reason for the present appeal.

"Our work is not yet complete. In spite of the encouraging results of our efforts, in spite of the fact that our exports of foodstuffs are constantly increasing and are approaching the minimum requirements abroad, the need for renewed devotion and effort is pressing. While all the requirements of the Food Administration should be constantly observed, there are certain matters which I desire to stress at this time.

"In the case of meat and meat products the necessities for shipment abroad are very great. Whereas the Allied consumption has been reduced to an average of about 1 1/4 pounds per person per week, we are today enjoying an average of about 3 1/4 pounds per person per week. This division is inequitable. An understanding of these facts will justify our request that the consumption of all meats, including poultry, as nearly as possible be reduced to 2 pounds per week per person over four years of age.

"In the case of sugar, we are embarrassed by the necessity of using ships for carrying our soldiers and feeding the Allies, and in consequence we must use sugar with great economy. We must emphasize the importance of canning and preserving on a large scale among our people this summer and our available sugar must be conserved for this purpose.

**Eat No Wheat**  
"But the situation with regard to wheat is the most serious in the food supply of the Allied World. If we are to satisfy the minimum wheat requirements of our Armies and the Allies, and the suffering millions in the Allied countries, our consumption of wheat in the United States until the next harvest must be reduced to approximately one-third of normal. It is inconceivable that we should fall in this crisis. For each of us who can personally contribute to the relief of human suffering it is a privilege, not a sacrifice. All elements of our population cannot bear this burden equally. Those engaged in physical labor need a larger bread ration than those in sedentary occupations. Because of the constant daily employment of women and the lack of home baking facilities, many households in large urban centers require a food ration already prepared, such as the baker's standard Victory bread loaf. Furthermore, we must constantly safeguard the special requirements of children and invalids.

"To meet the situation abroad and to prevent serious suffering at home, it is imperative that all those whose circumstances permit, shall abstain from wheat and wheat products in any form until the next harvest. It is realized and deeply appreciated that many organizations and some communities have already agreed to follow this plan.

"It is hoped that you will communicate this to your organization and your community, urging those whose circumstances will permit, to join with us and take this stand."

**BAKER TO PAY RED CROSS.**  
P. H. McManus of the M. & M. Bakeries of Dover appeared for a hearing before the Food Administration here a few days ago and was given the alternative of paying \$250 to the Dover Red Cross or of having the Food Administration here recommend to Washington that his baking license be revoked for the period of the war. Mr. McManus elected to pay the \$250 to the Red Cross and signed an agreement to do so.

About two weeks ago Mr. McManus raised the wholesale price of bread in his bakeries to 9 cents for a pound loaf without conferring with the Food Administration. He was asked to come to the Administration office here and show his costs and explain this increase in price. As a result Mr. McManus agreed to make the wholesale price for a pound loaf 8 1/2 cents which would result in a retail price of 10 cents. He carried out this agreement so far as making the wholesale price 8 1/2 cents, but sold at retail at 11 cents. It was felt that the fixing of this retail price was a definite indication on the part of Mr. McManus of unwillingness to cooperate with the Food Administration

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**GUY A. HULETT, Antrim West Street**

**Announcement**  
Owing to the great scarcity of help, we shall not make up any BOUQUETS for MEMORIAL DAY.

We shall have a nice assortment of decorated MAGNOLIA WREATHS from \$1.50 to \$3.00 each. Also a full line of loose CUT FLOWERS arranged in boxes to cost from \$1.00 to \$5.00 per box.

Respectfully,  
**GEO. E. BUXTON**

W. L. Lawrence is the Antrim agent, and will also receive orders for flowers for Decoration Day.

Samples of these handsome wreaths are shown in the window of the Jameson Block.

**Death of Mrs. Helen C. Carr**  
The following death notice is taken from the Bellows Falls (Vt.) Times of May 23, under Saxtons River News.

Mrs. Helen Coburn Carr quietly passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George T. Buchanan, May 13. Mrs. Carr was born March 25, 1831, in Deering, N. H. In 1848 she married William R. Carr of Antrim, N. H., where they spent all their married life. Mr. Carr dying in 1890. Since that time Mrs. Carr has made her home with her children, of which there had been eleven, five of whom are still living. Mrs. Carr was a true mother, living a quiet sincere Christian life in the midst of her family. For the past eight years she had made her home with her youngest daughter, Mrs. G. T. Buchanan, of this village, where she had been tenderly cherished. The funeral was at 4 p. m. Thursday at her late home, Rev. G. F. Chapin officiating. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

Those present from away were: William Carr of Malden, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hersey of Westbrook, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Parkhurst, of Fall River, Mass., also Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Parkhurst, Jr., of Fall River, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parkhurst, of Bartonsville, and Charles C. Buchanan, from Pittsburg, Pa. The remains were taken to Antrim, N. H., Friday for burial.

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Our best advertisement is the large number of pleased customers which we have served. Ask any one who has had their Job Printing done at this office what they think of our line of work. Our Job Department has steadily increased with the years and this is the result of Re-orders from pleased customers. This means good work at the right prices.

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## The Reporter Press

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Can be rented for two or three weeks in June by applying soon, to

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### A Camping Party

The Misses Lillian and Mildred Brown, with their guest, Miss Collins, of Manchester, N. H., spent a few days at Gregg Lake last week, at "Kamp Kill Kare."

A hiking party of three came to Kamp Kill Kare. And found very good conveniences there. Our intentions were to arrive early in the day; We would have but Lilly lagged on the way.

At Gregg Lake they talk of good fishing. But with Mike there is something missing; She began singing "Huckleberry Finn" And expected the fish to come in.

To go camping with Gail we thought would be a cinch.

At the very last meal we found ourselves pinched; For two days, eat we thought we had plenty. But she alone ate enough for twenty.

Gail, Lilly and Mike at Kamp Kill Kare— Wouldn't it have been great with three fellows there! Lilly froze the ice cream without any float.

While Gail and Mike launched the leaky boat; Funny things happened during each day. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin for our stay.

Originated by the three.

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Superior Court, May Term 1918.

In an action which is now pending in the superior court for said county of Hillsborough, the original writ in which is on file in such court and may be examined by interested parties, the title of the case being as follows: William E. Cram of Antrim in said county, plaintiff against Joseph Devensau and Harry M. Devenau, both of said Antrim, defendants. It appearing that the property of the defendants has been attached on the writ, and that no personal service has been made on said defendants.

It is ordered by the court that the action be continued to the next term of said court to be held at Nashua, within and for said county, on the third Tuesday of September next, and that the plaintiff give notice to the said defendant of the pendency thereof, by causing a true and attested copy of this citation and order of notice to be published three successive weeks, at intervals of not less than seven days in the Antrim Reporter, a newspaper printed at Antrim, in said county, the last publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day to which this action is continued.

Attest: THOS D. LUCE, Clerk  
Holman & Smith Esq's Attys. for plaintiff. The foregoing is a true copy of citation and order of notice.

6-5 Attest: THOS D. LUCE, Clerk.

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Enoch C. Paige, late of Antrim, in said County, deceased, testate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas, Bert Paige and Morton Paige, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, have filed in the Probate Office for said County the account of their administration of said estate:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be held at Manchester in said County, on the 18th day of June next, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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

Given at Nashua in said County, this 16th day of May, A. D. 1918.

By order of the Court,  
6-5 E. J. COPP, Register.

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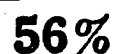
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"General Logan was then in congress, and matters of great importance were before the national legislature

Let us ever remember that the present grows out of the past. We are one and undivided because our fathers fought for the Union which they considered more precious than life itself. The greatness and achievements of the American nation have been made possible because of the services and sacrifices of our fathers.

"That order is now read at every Decoration day ceremony which takes place over the graves of Union soldiers.

"There are few now living who won great honors during the Civil war. All the great commanders of armies have passed away, and there are but few left who commanded corps, divisions, brigades or regiments. The patriotic organizations who have so faithfully preserved the memory of their fallen comrades, are also much depleted in membership. It is therefore, to the men of the younger generation we must look to keep green the memory of those who died to make our nation."

**Still Good for Another Fight.**

"I was in Gen'l Butler's command," said an old colored man with grizzled hair at a recent reunion, "but I'm good for another fight if they wants any of us. I had a bullet in this leg fifty years, but I've got it taken out and got my shoulder fixed up, so I'm just as good as I ever was."

No Such Dishonesty.  
 "Do you assimilate your food, aunty?" "No, sah, I don't. I buys it open and honest, sah."

For centuries **GOLD MEDAL** Hasler Oil has been a standard household remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and stomach trouble, and all diseases connected with the urinary organs. The kidneys and bladder are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters, the purifiers of your blood. They take out of your system through the blood and stomach are not entirely thrown out by the kidneys and bladder, you are doomed.

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<p><b>An Alleviation.</b></p> <p>Proud Parent—"My daughter plays entirely by ear." Unwilling Guest—"That's all right. I'm deaf."</p> <hr/> <p><b>Never That.</b></p> <p>"Women have suffered everything."          "Everything but one thing—the torture of keeping silent."</p> <hr/> <p>Man is one of the few animals slow</p>	<p><b>One Help.</b></p> <p>"Can you throw any light upon this theory of astral bodies?" "Well, we have some good astral lamps."</p> <hr/> <p>A lot of people who never knew what thrift was are beginning to find out a good deal about it.</p> <hr/> <p>Next to knowing when to grasp an opportunity, the most important thing</p>
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to recognise kindness. To know is when to let go.

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# "OVER THE TOP"

By An American Arthur Guy Empey  
Soldier Who Went Machine Gunner, Serving in France

## EMPEY WRITES AND STAGES A PLAY BEHIND THE LINES WITH GREAT SUCCESS.

**Synopsis.**—Fired by the sinking of the Lusitania, with the loss of American lives, Arthur Guy Empey, an American living in Jersey City, goes to England and enlists as a private in the British army. After a short experience as a recruiting officer in London, he is sent to training quarters in France, where he first hears the sound of big guns and makes the acquaintance of "coodies." After a brief period of training Empey's company is sent into the front-line trenches, where he takes his first turn on the fire step while the bullets whistle overhead. Empey learns, as comrades fall, that death lurks always in the trenches. Chaplain distinguishes himself by rescuing wounded men under hot fire. With pick and shovel Empey has experience as a trench digger in No-Man's Land. After exciting experiences on listening post duty and observation post duty, Empey is picked for patrol duty in No-Man's Land and has narrow escape from death.

### CHAPTER XVIII—Continued.

While they are talking, an old Jew named Ike Cohenstein comes along, and Abe engages him for cash. After engaging Ike they meet an old Southern negro called Sambo, and upon the suggestion of Ike he is engaged as porter. Then the three of them, arm in arm, leave to take possession of this wonderful place which Abe has just paid \$3,000 for. (Curtain.)

In the second act the curtain rises on the interior of the Diamond Palace saloon, and the audience gets its first shock. The saloon looks like a pig-pen, two tramps lying drunk on the floor, and the bartender in a dirty shirt with his sleeves rolled up, asleep with his head on the bar.

Enter Abe, Sambo and Ike, and the fun commences.

One of the characters in the second act was named Broadway Kate, and I had an awful job to break in one of the Tommies to act and talk like a woman.

Another character was Alkali Ike, an Arizona cowboy, who just before the close of the play comes into the saloon and wrecks it with his revolver.

We had eleven three-hour rehearsals before I thought it advisable to present the sketch to the public.

The whole brigade was crazy to witness the first performance. This performance was scheduled for Friday night and everyone was full of anticipation; when bang! orders came through that the brigade would move at two that afternoon. Cursing and blinding was the order of things upon the receipt of this order, but we moved.

That night we reached the little village of S— and again went into rest billets. We were to be there two weeks. Our company immediately got busy and scoured the village for a suitable place in which to present our production. Then we received another shock.

A rival company was already established in the village. They called themselves "The Bow Bells," and put on a sketch entitled, "Blighy—What Hopes?" They were the divisional concert party.

We hoped they all would be soon in Blighy to give us a chance.

This company charged an admission of a franc per head, and that night our company went en masse to see their performance. It really was good.

I had a sinking sensation when I thought of running my sketch in opposition to it.

In one of their scenes they had a subterfuge called Flossie. The soldier that took this part was clever and made a fine-appearing and chic girl. We immediately fell in love with her until two days after, while we were on a march, we passed Flossie with "her" sleeves rolled up and the sweat pouring from "her" face unloading shells from a motor lorry.

As our section passed her I yelled out: "Hello, Flossie; Blighy—What Hopes?" Her reply made our love die out instantly.

"Ah, go to h—!" This brought quite a laugh from the marching column directed at me, and I instantly made up my mind that our

sketch should immediately run in opposition to "Blighy—What Hopes?" When we returned to our billet from the march, Curley Wallace, my theatrical partner, came running over to me and said he had found a swanky place in which to produce our show.

After taking off my equipment, and followed by the rest of the section, I went over to the building he had picked out. It was a monstrous barn with a platform at one end which would make an ideal stage. The section got right on the job, and before night had that place rigged out in apple-pie order.

The next day was Sunday and after church parade we put all our time on a dress rehearsal, and it went fine.

I made four or five large signs announcing that our company would open up that evening at the King George the Fifth theater, on the corner of Ammo street and Sandbag terrace. General admission was one-half franc. First ten rows in orchestra one franc, and boxes two francs. By this time our printed programs had returned from London, and I further announced that on the night of the first performance a program would be given free of charge to men holding tickets costing a franc or over.

We had an orchestra of seven men and seven different instruments. This orchestra was excellent, while they were not playing.

The performance was scheduled to start at 6 p. m.

At 5:15 there was a mob in front of our entrance and it looked like a big night. We had two boxes each accommodating four people, and these we immediately sold out. Then a brilliant idea came to Ike Cohenstein. Why not use the rafters overhead, call them boxes, and charge two francs for a seat on them? The only difficulty was how were the men to reach these boxes, but to Ike this was a mere detail.

He got long ropes and tied one end around each rafter and then tied a lot of knots in the ropes. These ropes would take the place of stairways.

We figured out that the rafters would seat about forty men and sold that number of tickets accordingly.

When the ticketholders for the boxes got a glimpse of the rafters and were informed that they had to use the rope stairway, there was a howl of indignation, but we had their money and told them that if they did not like it they could write to the management later and their money would be refunded; but under these conditions they would not be allowed to witness the performance that night.

After a little grousing they accepted the situation with the promise that if the show was rotten they certainly would let us know about it during the performance.

Everything went lovely and it was a howling success, until Alkali Ike appeared on the scene with his revolver loaded with blank cartridges. Behind the bar on a shelf was a long line of bottles. Alkali Ike was supposed to start on the left of this line and break six of the bottles by firing at them with his revolver. Behind these bottles a piece of painted canvas was supposed to represent the back of the bar, at each shot from Alkali's pistol a man behind the scenes would hit one of the

bottles with his strengthening hand and smash it, to give the impression that Alkali was a good shot. Alkali started in and aimed at the right of the line of bottles instead of the left, and the poor boob behind the scenes started breaking the bottles on the left, and then the boxholders turned loose; but outside of this little fiasco the performance was a huge success, and we decided to run it for a week.

New troops were constantly coming through, and for the performance we had the "S. R. O." sign suspended outside.

### CHAPTER XIX.

#### On His Own.

Of course Tommy cannot always be producing plays under fire but while in rest billets he has numerous other ways of amusing himself. He is a great gambler, but never plays for large stakes. Generally, in each company, you will find a regular Canfield. This man banks nearly all the games of chance and is an undisputed authority on the rules of gambling. Whenever there is an argument among the Tommies about some uncertain point as to whether Houghton is entitled to Watkins' sixpence, the matter is taken to the recognized authority and his decision is final.

The two most popular games are "Crown and Anchor" and "House."

The paraphernalia used in "Crown and Anchor" consists of a piece of canvas two feet by three feet. This is divided into six equal squares. In these squares are painted a club, diamond, heart, spade, crown, and an anchor, one device to a square. There are three dice used, each die marked the same as the canvas. The banker sets up his gambling outfit in the corner of a billet and starts bally-hoing until a crowd of Tommies gathers around; then the game starts.

The Tommies place bets on the squares, the crown or anchor being played the most. The banker then rolls his three dice and collects or pays out as the case may be. If you play the crown and one shows up on the dice, you get even money. If two show up, you receive two to one, and if three, three to one. If the crown does not appear and you have bet on it, you lose, and so on. The percentage for the banker is large if every square is played, but if the crowd is partial to say two squares, he has to trust to luck. The banker generally wins.

The game of "House" is very popular also. It takes two men to run it. This game consists of numerous squares of cardboard containing three rows of numbers, five numbers to a row. The numbers run from one to ninety. Each card has a different combination.

The French "estaminets" in the villages are open from eleven in the morning until one in the afternoon in accordance with army orders.

After dinner the Tommies congregate at these places to drink French beer at a penny a glass and play "House."

As soon as the estaminet is sufficiently crowded the proprietors of the "House" game get busy and, as they term it, "form a school." This consists of going around and selling cards at a franc each. If they have ten in the school, the backers of the game deduct two francs for their trouble and the winner gets eight francs.

Then the game starts. Each buyer places his card before him on the table, first breaking up matches into fifteen pieces.

One of the backers of the game has a small cloth bag in which are ninety cardboard squares, each with a number printed thereon, from one to ninety. He raps on the table and cries out: "Eyes down, my lucky lads."

All noise ceases and every one is attention.

The croupier places his hand in the bag and draws forth a numbered square and immediately calls out the number. The man who owns the card with that particular number on it, covers the square with a match. The one who covers the fifteen numbers on his card first shouts "House." The other backer immediately comes over to him and verifies the card by calling out the numbers thereon to the man with the bag. As each number is called he picks it out of the ones picked from the bag and says, "Right." If the count is right he shouts, "House correct, pay the lucky gentleman, and sell him a card for the next school." The "lucky gentleman" generally buys one unless he has a miser trace in his veins.

Then another collection is made, a school formed, and they carry on with the game.

The caller-out has many nicknames for the numbers such as "Kelly's Eye" for one, "Leg's Eleven" for eleven, "Clickety-click" for sixty-six, or "Top of the house" meaning ninety.

Empey tells in the next installment how the war is crumbling the British wall of caste, which once was insurmountable.

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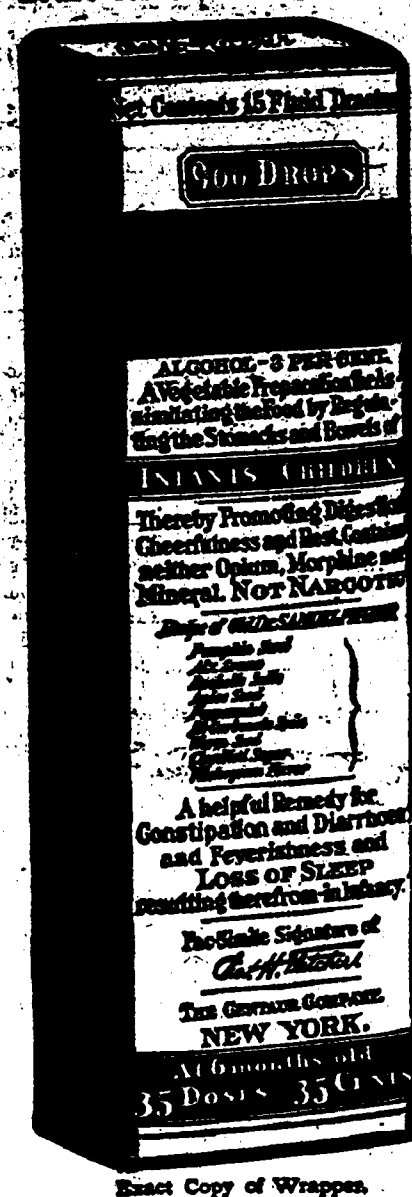
Why are any but vegetable preparations unsafe for infants and children?

Why are Syrups, Cordials and Drops condemned by all Physicians and most laymen?

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**Remember the future is waiting for you. Start now.**

**Many a blessing in disguise is a blessing only because it is disguised.**

**Time to Retire.**—Prospective Employer—Why did you leave your last place? Chauffeur—The guy I worked for went crazy. Started shingling his house when his car needed new tires.

**To remove surplus hair send your well-filled mattress to be done over by a tricky upholsterer.**

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**Many a fellow believes that "camouflage" originally was used on keyholes.**

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### With the Churches

#### METHODIST

Rev. R. S. Barker, Pastor

Thursday, May 30, at 7.30 o'clock, union prayer service, in conformity with the president's proclamation.

Sunday, June 2: morning worship at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor, followed by communion. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. J. B. Cannell, Pastor

Sunday morning service at 10.45. Bible School at 12 o'clock.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 8 o'clock. Topic: Christian Duty and Privilege. Service in Church and Community. Mark 12: 28-34. Leader Mrs. Peaslee.

The Sunday evening service at 7 o'clock will be in charge of the Ladies' Circle and will be a special Thank Offering service.

On Thursday, Memorial Day, there will be a special prayer service in the vestry at 11 o'clock for about a half hour, in accordance with the President's proclamation.

### NORTH BRANCH

Justin Parker was in town Sunday. The Cutter auction was well attended.

W. K. Flint and family spent the week end at the Flint farm.

Mrs. Ida Rogers, of Portsmouth, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Estey.

Mrs. Alma Fisher is stopping at her son's, Earl, Swett's, for a season.

Miss Alice Welsman, of Malden, Mass., is at her home for a season.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cole, of Keene, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Taft.

Henry Swain and daughter were calling on friends at the Branch recently.

Arthur Brown, of Reading, Mass., was calling on former friends in town recently.

Mrs. H. P. Conn and Miss Nora Conn have been visiting friends and relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Geo. Barrett entertained the Sunday School at her home Saturday evening, with a supper; about 37 were

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## BENNINGTON

A Weekly News Letter of Interest

TOWN HALL, Bennington  
Wednesday Evening,  
May 29

### THE RED, WHITE and BLUE

Girl faces death twice in struggle to unearth spies in Virginia—Her victory leads to stolen fortune—and a Soldier husband.

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A Thrilling, Patriotic Picture for Girls, Boys, Men, and Women—and Kids, too.

A number of Odd Fellows from here attended the District meeting at Peterboro last Friday night.

Everybody is asked to wear, on Memorial Day, a sprig of evergreen tied with red, white and blue ribbon. An effort is being made to establish this as a National custom.

Bennington's quota for the Red Cross drive, which ended Monday night was \$700, which seemed pretty large, as it is considerable more than a dollar per capita. However, they went "over the top" and the contributions amounted to \$707.

Short, Memorial exercises will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at the bridge for our soldier-sailor dead, after which the graves will be decorated. The literary exercises by the children will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock, at the town hall.

### A Perfect "Lady"

"Miss U. S. A.," the patriotic photoplay starring June Caprice, gives Lady, the "almost human" Scotch colliie an excellent opportunity to add to her laurels as a Fox star. Lady comes to the rescue, just at the moment when it seems certain the villain and his henchmen will undo the heroine and her sweetheart. "Miss U. S. A." will be seen at the town hall, Bennington, next Wednesday evening, May 29.

### WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

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An important meeting will be held in Concord, at the State House, on June 4, at 11 a. m., for chairmen of war savings committees of towns in this state, and will be addressed by Governor Keyes, J. F. Harris, New York federal director of this district, two representatives from Nebraska, and others.

The object of this meeting is to explain the Nebraska plan to secure \$20 per capita quota war savings stamps in this state by the end of the year. War savings committee, chairmen and other workers are urged to attend to get full information for big drive scheduled for June 24 to 28 inclusive.

### CLINTON VILLAGE

Mrs. Clara Abbott is visiting in Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Leon Brownell is entertaining her grandmother, Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. Mason Butterfield, from Manchester, has been at her old home here recently.

Richard Murphy is working for E. K. Wheeler and is boarding with Mrs. Mary Sawyer.

Mrs. Mary Burbank, from Dorchester, Mass., is a guest of Mrs. Martha Sawyer and other relatives.

Elmer Merrill is moving his family from the Davis house, into the tenement in Alfred Holt's house.

Mrs. Fred Little, from Medford Hillside, Mass., is with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Sawyer, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Woodward, from Malden, Mass., are guests of their parents, O. W. Brownell and wife.

present, and a fine time was enjoyed by all.

W. H. Toward's brother, George Toward, on his way home from Florida, visited at the former's home several days the past week, later going to his own home in Revere, Mass.

The next supper of the Ladies' Sewing Circle will be held with Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Harvey, at their home, June 6; the price will be 25 cents. The proceeds will go to the local Red Cross, to be used to help pay for yarn and cloth that has been knitted and sewed by the ladies of this section of the town.

### EAST ANTRIM

Mrs. Harlan Young, and daughter, of Bradford, recently visited with Mrs. Perry.

Mrs. E. G. Eokes lost 21 chickens one night last week. They were victims of a weasel.

Allen Knapp has purchased a farm in Corinth, Vt., and with his family has moved there. Wilder Elliott moved the goods by auto truck.

The next Circle supper will be held June 6 with Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Harvey. The price will be 25 cents each, the proceeds to be handed to the Red Cross committee, to help pay for yarn that has been knitted, and cloth used by the ladies in this section of the town.

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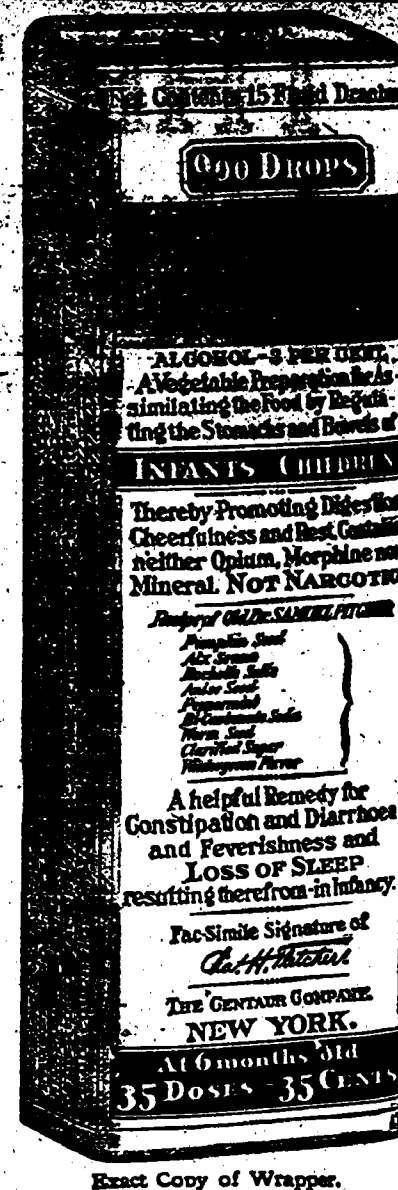
### Executor's Notice

The subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the Will of Charles W. Bailey, late of Bennington, in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

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