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MEMORIAL SERVICE

Waverley Lodge Observes Odd Fellows Day

The annual Memorial Day service of the order of Odd Fellows was held by Waverley Lodge on Sunday afternoon, June 8, in their hall, Rev. J. D. Cameron, D. D., pastor of the Presbyterian church, giving the address. Hand in Hand Lodge of Rebekahs joined with the Subordinate lodge in this service. About sixty were present. A quartet, comprising Mrs. Vera Butterfield, Miss Elizabeth Tandy, Morris Burnham and Frank J. Boyd, furnished vocal music, with Miss Mamie Barrett accompanist; Miss Tandy sang a solo. Responses were made, with eulogistic remarks, on the announcement of the deceased members of the above two branches of the order, there having been eight deaths during the year. Miss D. Cooper read an original poem written for this occasion. Acting Noble Grand Maurice A. Poor presided.

Dr. Cameron, having joined the order in early life, was able to talk intelligently concerning its teachings and what the order stands for; his address was interesting and well received.

Special Meeting

A special meeting of Waverley Lodge of Odd Fellows will be held on Thursday evening of this week, for the purpose of conferring the second degree. Under dispensation of the Grand Lodge this meeting will be held in Hancock, and a brother of that town will be given this degree; the meeting will be held in the town hall.

It is a rare thing and so far as our knowledge goes this holding of a special meeting in an adjoining town for the purpose of conferring a degree is an innovation, and it is hoped will prove beneficial in many ways. The members of the local lodge feel sure a very pleasant evening is in store for all who attend.

Auction Sale

By W. E. Cram, Auctioneer, Antrim

The subscriber, executor of the estate of the late Araminta G. Sargent, by virtue of license from Judge of Probate for Hillsboro County, will sell on the premises, in Goffstown village, on Saturday, June 14, 1919, at 12.30 o'clock noon, the real estate and personal property belonging to said estate. The Real Estate consists of cottage house, ell and barn, and about one acre of land, located on Mast Road and Church Street. The Real Estate will be offered in lots. The Personal Property consists of household furniture, comprising the entire furnishings of the building. Terms at sale. For particulars see posters. Henry A. Coolidge, Executor.

With the Churches

PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. J. D. Cameron, Pastor

The Ladies' Mission Circle of the Presbyterian church will hold their regular meeting Thursday afternoon of this week, after which supper will be served as usual.

Children's Day was observed at the Presbyterian church last Sunday. The program, under the direction of Miss Gertrude Jameson, was exceptionally good, and the music by the choir and Sunday School was finely rendered. Dr. Cameron made a brief address.

The Red and Blue contest which has elicited so much interest, will end next Sunday. A social and banquet in the near future will conclude the contest, which has awakened new life and study in the school.

The Grange will attend divine service next Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church. The members will meet in the vestry a few minutes before the time of morning service and enter the auditorium together, and occupy seats in the right side of church.

STOCK FOR MARKET

The subscriber desires to inform the public generally that he is in a position to handle all kinds of live stock for market. Anyone having any kind of cattle, hogs or calves to dispose of will please inform

CHAS. D. WHITE,
Antrim, N. H.

NURSES' SCHOOL

In the Methodist Vestry, June 18, 19, 20

PROGRAM

- 1—The relation of food to health.
- 2—Personal hygiene—public agencies and social welfare concerning health.
 - a. Hygiene of infancy and childhood. Care of the eyes, mouth, teeth and bowels.
 - b. The part food plays in growth and development.
 - 3—Bed making—care of beds, mattresses, pillows and bedding.
 - 4—Cause, transmission, and prevention of disease.
 - a. Care and location of the home.
 - b. Air—ventilation, heating and lighting, soil, sewage and garbage.
 - 5—Home care of the sick.
 - a. General care of the patient.
 - b. The part food plays in illness.
 - c. The use of simple sick room appliances.
 - d. Local applications—ememata.
 - 6—Special care in contagion.
 - a. Symptoms.
 - b. Household medicine closet—contents.
 - c. Patent medicines.
 - d. Stimulants.
 - e. Accurate measurements.

This school is free to all, and will consist of two sessions each day, 2.30 and 7.30 p. m. The ladies of Antrim are urged to avail themselves of this excellent course, to aid in the care of the sick in the home. Come and bring note books.

Just Eighty

There are often nice little social events that occur in Antrim and which to those concerned mean very much. We refer to that neat little birthday party, where a few old friends and neighbors gathered to congratulate our venerable citizen, Deacon Squires Forsaith, and to wish him Godspeed in his efforts to be as smart as the rest of us. Music and refreshments were conspicuous, also tales of the World War, by Chaplain Arbuckle, Rev. Dr. Cameron being a good listener, together with Mrs. Forsaith and about sixteen others, his daughter, Mrs. Young, serving as hostess. Beautiful flowers from the Noetzel garden were much admired.

Charles S. Fletcher

Who has been cared for at the County Farm, in Grasmere, for some three years, died there on Thursday last, aged 87 years. He was a resident of Antrim for a number of years and with impaired health and no relatives to care for him he was looked after by E. F. Heath, overseer of the poor. Mr. Heath went to town and prayers were said at the grave on Friday afternoon, and the remains were interred in Maplewood cemetery.

Notice!

The school papers will be printed and ready to sell by the latter part of the week. In order to make the paper a success we need your support. Give us your order and make sure you get your copy. Papers are 20 cents each, 21 cents if mailed. Buy, you will get your money's worth.

Harold P. Grant,
Business Manager.

Post Cane Changes Owners

Now that C. S. Fletcher is dead, who was the oldest male person in town and had the distinction of being entitled to the Post cane, our worthy townsman, Melvin D. Poor, now being the oldest living man, will be given the cane, and we hope he will be the proud possessor of it for many years to come.

No Trespassing!

Having rented the place formerly known as the Albert Rogers place, I forbid all persons trespassing on said place.

Julia L. Tenney

ANNUAL MEETING

Molly Aiken Chapter Entertained Friday

Molly Aiken Chapter, D. A. R., met Friday, June 6, with Mrs. Tenney and Mrs. Warner at Peterboro.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected:

Regent	Beatrice Clement Boyd
Vice Regent	Mary Roberts Wilkinson
Secretary	Cora Baker Hunt
Treasurer	Hattie Severance Peaslee
Registrar	Amy Gammon Wheeler
Historian	Anna Eaton Carter
Chaplain	Nettie Gibney Hurlin
Auditor	Helen Swain Burnham
Pianist	Mary Elizabeth Barrett

Board of Managers

Alice Markey Colburn
Marietta Sides Lang
Louise Pratt Smith
Ethel Brooks Nichols
Edith Duncan Richardson

Music Committee

Mary Elizabeth Barrett
Maude Miller Robinson
Jennie Newell Dearborn

The afternoon's program was as follows: Solo, "Flag of Our Heart," Miss Tandy; Paper, "State Flags and Seals," written by Mrs. Deacon and read by Mrs. Hurlin; Reading, "The Evolution of Our Flag," Mrs. Richardson; Trio, "There's a Beautiful Flag," Miss Tandy, Mrs. Peaslee, Mrs. Martin; Sketch, "The Flag in Song and Story," written by Mrs. Goodell and read by Mrs. Martin; Quartet, "The Star Spangled Banner," Miss Tandy, Mrs. Peaslee, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Wheeler; Song, "The Bonnie Blue Flag," Miss Tandy.

After the program dainty refreshments were served. Twenty-three daughters and two guests were present.

Amy Gammon Wheeler,
Sec. pro. tem.

Hiram B. Raleigh

Hiram B. Raleigh, who had been suffering for the past few weeks from the effects of a paralytic shock, and who had been in poor health for some time previous to that, took his own life by hanging, on Thursday last, just before noon. He had been down street with Mrs. Raleigh and had been at home but a short time when he did the rash deed. He was found by his wife who went into the back shed to get some kindling. Help was at once summoned but he was beyond the point of resuscitation.

Deceased was a veteran of the Civil War and was 83 years of age, and had made his home in Antrim for a long term of years, following the vocation of farming till his health became impaired. He leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter, who have the sympathy of all our people.

Funeral services were held from his late home on Highland avenue on Sunday afternoon, attended by Ephraim Weston Post, G. A. R., of which deceased was a member, and members of the Woman's Relief Corps, besides friends. Rev. R. S. Barker, of the Methodist church, spoke comforting words to the bereaved family. Interment was in Maplewood cemetery.

A Card

To the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in our trouble, and to the friends for the beautiful flowers, to the singers, to the G. A. R. and the W. R. C., we extend our heartfelt thanks. May God's blessing rest on you.

Mrs. Hiram B. Raleigh
Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Brown and child
F. C. Raleigh and children
H. B. Raleigh, wife and children

Medical Inspection

At the annual meeting of the Red Cross, it was voted to have medical inspection in the schools. Arrangements have been made to have this done and the inspection will begin this week. It is desired, if any of the children are found to need to have operations performed, that the parents will attend to it during the summer vacation.

Renewed Testimony

No one in Antrim who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Hillsboro man's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Antrim resident can doubt.

J. W. Hicks, Water St., Hillsboro, N. H., says: "I used two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and found them a positive cure for too frequent passages of the kidney secretions, pains across my back and a tired, worn-out feeling. I am glad to recommend Doan's to other kidney sufferers."

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NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

Central N. H. Phone Co. Would Buy Competitors.

The public service commission held a hearing upon a joint petition by the Central New Hampshire Telephone Company, the Winnipesaukee Telephone company and the Citizens' Telephone company for authority to purchase the properties of the two latter companies.

The Central New Hampshire Telephone company is a corporation organized under the new corporation law recently enacted in this state for the purpose of absorbing the properties of the Winnipesaukee and Citizens' companies, both of which operate competitively in Laconia and the surrounding towns.

The basis for the sale of the properties of the present operating companies to the new company has been approved by a vote of the stockholders of each company. The consolidation, if approved by the commission, will result in the elimination of the competitive conditions under which telephone service has been furnished in Laconia and vicinity.

Asks Exemption of Portsmouth Electric.

A petition by the Boston & Maine Railroad (J. H. Hustis, temporary receiver), for the exemption of the Portsmouth Electric Railway from taxation has been placed upon the calendar of the Public Service Commission for hearing on Wednesday, June 18.

This petition was filed under the provisions of chapter 139, passed by the last legislature authorizing street railways under certain conditions to apply to the Public Service Commission by written petition to determine whether or not such street railway may be tax exempted under the terms of the act.

Other street railways that have similar petitions before the commission are the Keene Electric Railway, the Manchester & Derry Street Railway, the Claremont Railway & Light company (Russell Jarvis, receiver) and the Nashua Street Railway. The commission expects to hold hearings upon all of these petitions in the near future.

C. B. Clarke Acting Head.

Gov. John H. Bartlett has designated Charles B. Clarke of Concord to be acting head of the fish and game department to succeed George A. McIntire, who severed his connection with the state government on June 1. Mr. Clarke will act until the new commissioner, Mott L. Bartlett is able to assume his office. Acting Commissioner Clarke was fish and game commissioner for 11 years from 1902 to 1913, and was a member of the commission that was legislated out of office by the Felker overturn of 1913. He was recently appointed chief clerk of the department by Commissioner McIntire.

Much Being Done for State Grade Schools.

E. W. Butterfield, state superintendent of public instruction, addressed the Durham students at convocation and explained to them some of the educational problems of the State. Mr. Butterfield felt that the high schools of the State were, all in all, satisfactory, but that one of the state's chief problems lay in improving the quality of the grade schools. He pointed out some of the difficulties which confront rural communities and explained that everything was being done that could be done to raise the standard of elementary education in the state.

Take Pictures of Pine Blister Rust.

S. B. Detwiller, chairman of the United States government pine blister rust control department and Eugene Tucker with a moving picture camera, have recently been taking pictures of white pine growths, various industries where the pine is manufactured into boxes, pallets, kits and screen frames and also of mills where the blanks are sawed. The film when completed is to be used for educational and for demonstrating the importance of the exterminating of the white pine blister in sections where the pine forests are liable to be destroyed by the rust.

Petition for Pardon for Boudreau.

Joseph L. Boudreau, Manchester's former overseer of the poor who is serving a sentence in state prison for the embezzlement of over \$11,000 of the city's money is cheered with the intelligence that Gov. John H. Bartlett has agreed to hear his petition for pardon. The hearing will take place one week from Wednesday, June 18.

To Investigate Liquor Agencies.

Chief of Police Michael J. Healy of Manchester has asked Attorney General Oscar L. Young that an investigation be started at once over the conduct of the Manchester liquor agencies, which ceased to operate the first of last month.

Governor Confers on Exhibition.

Governor Bartlett held a conference with Andrew L. Felker, commissioner of agriculture; Councillor John H. Brown; Edgar C. Hirst, state forester; and Superintendent of State House, Frank L. Hayes, relative to the New Hampshire exhibition at the agricultural and industrial exhibition which is to be held in Springfield in the fall. It is expected that Mr. Hayes will do the actual work in taking charge of the articles which are to be gotten together.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Portsmouth's Revived Industry in Jeopardy, Declares Governor.

Gov. John H. Bartlett has appealed to the Emergency Fleet Corporation for the preservation of the shipbuilding industry in New Hampshire. The Corporation operates the Atlantic shipyard at Portsmouth where several steel ships have been constructed.

The appeal of the governor is based on the report of Admiral Bowles who has investigated the yard which is to be effectuated by the government and that present difficulties are capable of adjustment. The governor says "the great industry of New Hampshire shipbuilding is in jeopardy."

Portsmouth has the deepest water of any port in the country except that of Puget Sound. There is freedom from ice, no necessary dredging and no maintenance expense at the harbor. The water in front of the ways of the Atlantic shipyard at mean low tide is from 60 to 75 feet and the average depth is from 47 to 100 feet from the ways for a distance of two miles to the Atlantic ocean.

Ships have been built at Portsmouth since 1895 when the Falkland, a 54-gun frigate was turned out by the English navy. In the Revolutionary war, a 32-gun frigate, the Raleigh, was built in 60 days for the first American navy on Badger's Island nearby which was owned and given to the Continental Congress by John Langdon who afterwards became the first president of the United States senate and first governor of New Hampshire. This was the origin of the Portsmouth navy yard.

Enfield Woman Commits Suicide.

Mrs. G. W. Shattuck, wife of Dr. Shattuck of Enfield committed suicide by cutting her throat with a razor at her home. She lived only a few hours after the act had been done. She was found by her daughter with blood streaming from her throat and everything possible was done to save her life.

The family have resided in that town two years going there from Lisbon. She is survived by her husband and one daughter Gladys Shattuck.

Announces New Courses.

Among the innovations in the new curriculum recently announced at Dartmouth college are the courses in Citizenship and Evolution. The first, which is really an outgrowth of the course on the issues of the War conducted in the time of the Student's Training corps will be under the direction of a special member of the faculty assisted by members of the Social Science departments.

Finds Eel in Hose.

When Louis Tatelman of Keene had trouble with his hose recently while watering his garden, he began an investigation and soon found that an 18-inch eel had found its way into the hose and had stopped it up. Mr. Tatelman removed the eel and found no more trouble with the water or hose.

Temperature 141; Man Leaves Job.

A young man, son of one of the leading employers of the Nashua Manufacturing Co., and himself working in the mill, went to his boss last week with a thermometer, which he had in his pocket. It registered 141 degrees "Boss, this is too much," he said, "I'm through," and he left his job and the mill.

Early Strawberries Picked in Bedford.

What is believed to be the earliest lot of cultivated strawberries raised in the southern section of the state were picked last week by Phyllis Graveline of Bedford. Mr. Graveline has three acres of the "Everbearing" variety. The berries were large and unusually tasty.

Orrin D. Huse of Sanborn Dies.

Orrin D. Huse, one of the best-known men of Belknap county, died at his home in Sanborn, aged 71 years. Mr. Huse has been prominently identified with the political life of the county for many years. He was a lifelong Republican and ever active as a party worker.

Ukrainian Club is Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the secretary of state by the Ukrainian Club by T. Shewchenko of Manchester. The objects of the corporation as given are to establish an educational social center for its members.

Commencement at Tilton is Announced.

The 23d commencement exercise at Tilton Seminary will occur June 14-18 as announced. Reunions of the following classes, Tuesday, June 17: '54, '59, '63, '74, '79, '84, '89, '94, '99, '04, '09, '14, '16, '18.

Towns Over Quota in Scout Drive.

The towns of Chester and Lanndon were the first two towns to report they had completed their quota in the Boy Scout drive.

26,000 Chickens Go Through Mail.

The chirp of the newly hatched chick is a familiar song at the Manchester postoffice these warm days. Large cages of one-day old chicks have been received daily from a nearby farmer at the postoffice to be sent out by parcel post. One farmer alone has mailed 26,000 birds, all through the local postoffice. Besides that shipment, there have been many others being coming into Manchester and going out.

NEW ENGLAND NEWS IN TABLOID FORM

Items of Interest From All Sections of Yankee Land

Thomas Hamel, 65, a resident of Lawrence 48 years, has begun to attend classes to fit himself to become an American citizen. In all of his residence here he never took any steps toward acquiring citizenship.

Because his father, James Burrill refused to give him \$10, Elmer C. Burrill, 18, of Brighton, Mass., went to his room and fired a shot into the calf of his leg. Other bullets went wild. The young man is said to have been drinking.

George A. Mott of Trenton, N. J. was chosen president of the National Association of Fisheries Commissioners, which held its 11th annual convention in New Haven. S. Earle of Baltimore is secretary and B. A. Rounds of Providence treasurer.

The proposition to take part in a general strike beginning July 4 in case a retrial is refused Tom Mooney was voted down by the Worcester Central Labor Union. A motion to levy a per capita tax of 50 cents to help fight the case in the courts was also negatived.

United States Senator C. S. Page of Vermont has appointed Carl H. W. Schmidt of Clinton, Mass., his private secretary. Mr. Schmidt is 29, and has been with the navy department at Washington for nine years and will be of especial value to Senator Page as chairman of the Senate committee on naval affairs.

A carrier pigeon alighted on the fishing schooner Pollyanna off Cape Cod, and reached the South Boston pier. The leg band on the left leg was stamped "1172" and the other leg band "A. U. 18 B." Capt. Mason of the schooner says that pigeon was exhausted when it came aboard and was easily captured.

Gov. Marcus H. Holcomb of Connecticut does not expect to call a special session of the Connecticut Legislature to act upon the suffrage amendment. In an interview the Governor said he knew of no emergency which calls for an extra session. The General Assembly will not meet in regular session until 1921.

The Lynn city council has voted to change the name of Wyoma square to Curtis square, in honor of Frederick L. Curtis, Jr., who died from pneumonia at a base hospital in France Jan. 23, 1918. Curtis formerly lived at 191 Broadway, Lynn, which is in the center of the square, and was a member of C. company, 101st signal corps.

Municipal authorities of Augusta, Me., were urgently requested to cooperate in the prevention of the Fourth of July in a letter issued by State Insurance Commissioner G. V. Smith. In a statement in connection with the letter, Mr. Smith urged that community celebrations of independence day be held throughout the state.

The United States Industrial Alcohol Company, owner of the molasses tank on Commercial street, Boston, that exploded on Jan. 15 last, is defendant in a suit for \$200,000 brought by Wallace B. Donham, receiver of the Bay State Street Railway Company, for damages sustained to its yards, freighthouse and business at 543 Commercial street by the explosion.

For the third consecutive year James S. Eastham, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Eastham of Methuen, Mass., has been awarded a James Manning scholarship by the faculty of Brown University, where he is a senior. The scholarship is awarded to students with the highest rank for the year, irrespective of financial standing. He is one of the three seniors to whom it was awarded this year.

Employees in all the Lawrence machine shops have been granted a 45-hour week with no reduction in pay. The new schedule, taking the place of the 54-hour week, became effective immediately. The men were contemplating asking for an increase in wages, but they now say that they are satisfied for the present. If the high cost of living continues, however, they say that they will seek an increase of 15 per cent.

Announcement has been made by the board of trustees of the University of Vermont of the selection of Mrs. Pearl Randall Wesson of Waterbury, Vt., formerly a teacher of English at a girls' school in Boston, as dean of women of the local institution. She will assume her duties when the university opens in the fall. She is a former superintendent of schools at Waterbury, Vt., a graduate of Wellesley college class of 1901, and one of New England's foremost women educators.

It is considered probable that the Maine Legislature, which would not ordinarily meet until 1921, will have an opportunity to act on the question of the ratification of the national constitutional amendment, providing suffrage for women, at a special session next October. If the action of the Legislature in providing for a bond issue of \$10,000,000 for highway improvements and \$1,200,000 for a state pier at Portland is approved at a special election to be held on Sept. 2, a special session of the Legislature, it is understood, will be called by Gov. Milliken for October.

dietown, Ct., city court, and assistant clerk of the Middlesex county superior court for ten years, killed himself. He had expected to be appointed court clerk by the judges of the superior court in annual conference, but the present clerk who had expected to retire, after 35 years' service, was reappointed. Judge Ldlin was 32 years old and unmarried.

At the freight rate of \$50 per 1000 a cargo of 1,300,000 feet of white pine lumber will be taken from Boston to Buenos Ayres in the new four-masted schooner Bradford E. Jones, property of Crowell & Thurlow, Boston. Shortly before the war the rate on lumber to Buenos Ayres was only \$8.25 per 1000. The vessel is commanded by Capt. W. E. Reamie, formerly of the schooner Estelle Kreiger.

Regarding a possible special session of the New Hampshire Legislature to consider the equal suffrage amendment, Gov. John H. Bartlett said: "I have not given the matter thorough consideration. I shall, of course, consider every phase of the question that comes up and any action I may take relative to calling a special session of the Legislature will be governed by future developments."

A Boston-Glasgow direct passenger service is announced by the Anchor line which schedules the Massilia to sail from Boston on July 12. Since the Allan line gave up business several years ago, there has been no direct passenger service, although inquiries for reservations have been frequent. The Massilia has been on the route between Liverpool and Calcutta, being of the one-class type and with accommodations for about 50 passengers.

Bernard A. Lepper, who was reported to have died from pneumonia while with the American army in France, returned to his home in Bridgewater, Mass., thereby startling his relatives and friends. Lepper explained that he lost his registration card while overseas and this being found among the effects of a dead soldier led to the report of his death. He reached New York a few days ago with members of the 79th division.

Worcester's Parks and Recreation Commission will give a public hearing June 13 on the proposal to permit Sunday baseball under certain restrictions in Worcester's public parks. The commission wants to learn the sentiment of Worcester people on the matter. If the sentiment is overwhelmingly in favor of Sunday baseball the Park Board will try to devise some means of satisfying the public even though the law prohibits Sunday baseball.

If the Mass. Legislature adopts a bill reported to it by its committee on education, it will be unlawful to employ in "any factory, workshop, manufacturing, mechanical or merchantile establishment" in Massachusetts any non-English speaking person between 21 and 40 years of age, except a married woman, unless such person attends a school or class approved by the school authorities of the municipality in which he or she is employed.

The joint judiciary committee of the Mass. Legislature heard the details of the proposed sale of state-owned land in South Boston to the federal government for use as a naval base. John N. Cole, chairman of the state commission on waterways and public lands, told the committee that a satisfactory agreement had been reached between the navy department and his commission. By this agreement the United States will pay the commonwealth \$1,061,000 for 4,396,480 square feet of land, most of which is now under water, and on which great docks and piers will be built.

The Mass. House by an overwhelming vote, refused to reconsider the vote whereby it had accepted the adverse report on the bill appropriating \$500,000 to aid returned soldiers and sailors in taking up farms. Mr. Spinney of Weymouth, moving reconsideration, said that more than 40 Massachusetts service men had already made application for employment on farms or for aid in establishing themselves as farmers. "Some Massachusetts men," he asserted, "have gone to Canada and taken farms there. The bill would be especially helpful to soldiers who were passed on the other side and who must work out of doors."

Mrs. Charles Chappell wife of the manager of the Liberty Theatre at Camp Devens, left several diamond rings, reported to be worth \$1500, on the wash bowl in the ladies' waiting room at the Ayer depot. She discovered her loss two hours later and enlisted the aid of the police. Miss Annie Bulger, a newsstand girl in the depot, saw the gems in the waiting room and refused to touch them. She reported their presence to Miss M. Sullivan, who was not afraid to take care of them. The find was reported to the station agent. Mrs. Chappell identified her property and reclaimed it. The newsstand girl would accept only \$1 as her reward.

The demands made by sword fishermen on ten or twelve fishing vessels tied up at Portland were refused by the vessel owners. Officials of the fishermen's union were notified to that effect by Frank S. Willard of Portland Charles McKay of Cape Porpoise and Fred Bleckford, captain and part owner of the vessels, who represented the owners. The fishermen said they would not return to the vessels if they were required to continue the practice of paying for all gear, and oil and gasoline for the engines and allow a clear one-fifth share for the vessel and one full share for the engine.

HOW MRS. BOYD AVOIDED AN OPERATION

Canton, Ohio. "I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well."



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Minnesota Man at Last Found What He Sought.

After Long Search, the Wondrous Productiveness of Western Canada Was Pointed Out, and He Is Going There.

He farmed for a number of years near Windom, Minnesota, and as Mr. O. S. Marcy told it, he had done well. He had made sufficient money to see him and his wife through their remaining days.

"But there were the boys," said Mrs. Marcy, "and six of them, too—some of the six not yet back from 'overseas.' Yes, we are proud of them," the fond mother said, "but, oh! my, we had no girl," and she bemoaned that. "These boys had to be looked after. 'Why not settle them about you in your own neighborhood? You have good land there, splendid neighbors, and everything that might be desired.'"

"Yes, that is all true," replied this estimable lady, "but the land is so high-priced we couldn't afford to buy there, although worth every cent asked for it. You see we have six boys, and they are good one, too."

So, one day, three years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Marcy rigged up the automobile for a touring trip. They wanted to investigate for the boys' benefit. The journey lasted for a year. It took them through Arizona with its varied scenery, its climatic and agricultural attractions; into the canyons of Colorado they went, and the agricultural possibilities there aroused a large amount of interest. Still undecided, down into the valleys of California the automobile went. Fruit orchards were plentiful, grain fields were attractive, but the psychological time had not arrived. Reversing their way, they passed through Washington, Oregon and Montana and home. A year's journey and no results. "Oh, yes," Mr. Marcy said, "we had a delightful time, enjoyed it all but the day and night up in Colorado, when we were held up by a wonderful snowstorm; we and six

others. Planking the snow embankment, we came through safely, if a trifle inconvenienced."

It was interesting to hear these people talk. Their practical minds showed that they had not lacked opportunities for observation. They could not find what they wanted for the boys. When he was between twenty and twenty-five years of age, Mr. Marcy pictured to himself the kind of a home he wanted. He reared a family of boys and had yet to find such a place. His year's journey had been fruitless in that respect.

One day he decided he would try what Western Canada could do. He had read of it, and he had friends there who had done well. He toured the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. He saw the vast prairies, yielding their twenty and twenty-five, and as high as forty bushels of wheat, with enormous yields of other grains. The north central country, which afforded the grass and the shelter that made stock-raising a valuable adjunct to the growing of grain, was visited, interviews were had with the settlers, many from his own home district, and all were satisfied.

Only the other day he arranged for a car in which he will load his effects to be taken to the Alberta farm he had purchased when on his visit. Mrs. Marcy goes with him, and the six boys will follow. He found the place he had pictured in his mind when he was twenty or twenty-five years old. "I was unable to find it until I made my Western Canada visit. I bought the farm, and I am satisfied. When I saw a carload of four-year-old steers brought into the Edmonton market, weighing 1,700 pounds, that had never been inside a building nor fed a bit of grain, I was glad I had made up my mind."—Advertisement.

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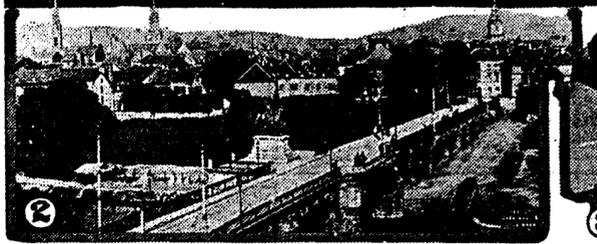
He—I can't praise that play; it is contrary to nature.

She—How so?

He—One of the prominent characters is a contented wife.

A Sure Sign.

"Is your husband improving?"
"I think his health is, because his language isn't."



1—General Pershing decorating French heroes with the Distinguished Service Cross in the Court of Honor of the Invalides, Paris. 2—View of Saarbrücken, center of the Saar coal region, which both France and Germany claim. 3—The grand mufti of Palestine, head of all Moslems in that country and descendant of Mohammed, who is opposing the establishment of a Zionist commonwealth in the Holy Land.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Supreme Allied Council Tries to Reach Agreement on the Reply to Germany.

BRITISH FOR CONCESSIONS

Huns Preparing for Refusal to Sign—Independent Republic Proclaimed in Rhineland—Austria Gets Terms of Peace and Says They Mean Her Death Warrant.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

Germany's counter-proposals were successful at least so far as causing a temporary division in the big four, but at this writing it seemed likely an agreement on the disputed points would be reached within a few days and a unanimous reply made to the Germans. That some alterations, not fundamental, would be made in the treaty was predicted, since it only remained to gain the consent of Clemenceau to changes favored by the British and presumably by the Americans. These included the readjusting of the Silesia clauses so that the population may obtain self-determination, probably through a plebiscite; reduction of the period of occupation along the Rhine from fifteen to ten years; and the addition of some plan by which the Germans shall have the use of a certain amount of merchant shipping with which to resume trade and help pay the reparations.

The endeavor among the allied delegates was to assure the world that such changes as might be made in the terms were contemplated not in the way of leniency to Germany, but to make the conditions "workable" and bring about a speedy peace and resumption of normal business everywhere. Clemenceau and the rest of the French were said to be strongly opposed to any changes. Lloyd George was reported as favoring concessions. President Wilson, after first standing aloof, taking the position that the British and French should come to an agreement among themselves, undertook to reconcile them, and as some of the alterations had been favored by American delegates his task was mainly to persuade the French. Orlando's attitude was not made clear. He was more interested, anyhow, in the settlement of the Adriatic question.

In view of his pre-election pledges, the position taken by Premier Lloyd George is surprising until one considers the fact that he is the head of a very shaky and unwieldy coalition ministry, which even now is threatening to go to pieces. The liberal and labor elements in England have been urging greater leniency toward the Germans in order that the treaty may be signed and calmness be restored to the industrial world, and it is fair to suppose that the premier has been trying to placate those elements. Vehement denials by the British press and attacks by British correspondents on American correspondents who have made public the state of affairs will be taken for what they are worth.

While the allied armies of occupation are ready to move forward at a moment's notice if the Germans refuse to sign the treaty, the Germans themselves are not idle in the same line. Noske, minister of defense, has made a tour of the coast defenses and directed all forces to be ready for emergencies in case of the resumption of naval operations, and the fortifications near the borders have not yet been dismantled as the treaty requires. The German volunteer army, much of which is in the eastern part of the country, is so large and so well equipped that it must be taken into serious consideration. Only recently the supreme army command sent out a circular asking the people of Germany whether they favored the resumption of the war, and when the government called Van Hindenburg to account for this he had a ready excuse which was far from an apology.

One insistent demand of Germany, that she be admitted at once to membership in the league of nations, it was said would not be granted, for the French were unalterably opposed to this, and Mr. Wilson, according to reports, had gradually come around to their view of keeping Germany out of the league until she has become regenerated and proved her sincerity. There are not wanting influential persons and journals that argue for the immediate admission of Germany, basing the plea mainly on the allegation that the good will and early restoration to prosperity of that country are necessary to the safety and economic progress of the rest of the world. They call attention, with shivers of apprehension, to the imminent danger of Germany's forming an alliance with Japan and Russia, and this was backed up last week by more or less precise statements that the Japanese and German emissaries already had been holding conferences in various neutral places. A good deal of this sort of stuff may be put down to pro-German propaganda, more active just now than for some time past, as witness the recent doings of the "German-American Citizens' league," with headquarters in Chicago. Much of it, too, is said and printed in behalf of the selfish and self-centered business man who demands uninterrupted and greater returns from his investments, regardless of justice to the vanquished and the victors in the war, the victors who might suffer, in this case, being the French.

The setting up of an independent republic in the Rhine provinces, with Dr. Hans A. Dorten as president, has still further increased the bitterness between France and Germany. The Berlin government, of course, refused to recognize the new state and ordered the prosecution of Dorten for high treason. Then the Germans claimed to have discovered that the scheme was fostered and aided by the French and that Marshal Foch and Premier Clemenceau had told the Rhinelanders that "the German government would never again have anything to do with the left bank of the Rhine, and hence the propagandists could not be punished." The Berlin press said the French had a propaganda fund of \$2,000,000 and were using it to bribe the people of Rhineland and the Palatinate to favor the independent republic. It is true that the French look with favor on the new state and apparently they will, so far as possible, protect it from the Ebert government. General Mangin, commanding the French army of occupation at Mayence, has forbidden strikes and other disturbances directed against the Rhenish republic. The German government formally protested to the armistice commission against the course pursued by the French. The British and Americans in the occupied territory, it was said, were taking no part in the affair and would take none.

The reply of the Austrians to the terms of the peace treaty handed to them was a dignified, rather pathetic and almost hopeless plea by Chancellor Karl Renner for conditions that would permit the German-Austrian republic to live and to organize for the existence of an independent commonwealth. He outlined the history of its establishment and argued that it has no relation with the former empire of the Hapsburgs. His country, he urged, should be treated as considerably as the other nations that have sprung from the Danube monarchy. Like the Germans, he made frequent reference to the fourteen points, and so did the Vienna papers when the terms were given to the public. The press declared the terms were cruelly harsh, and much anger was shown against the Italians, Czechs and Jugo-Slavs. The people generally were bitterly disappointed to find that they were not being treated much better than the Germans, and a big meeting of protest was held. The public view was expressed by Doctor Treichl, a banker, who said: "The only thing for the Austrian people is to say: 'We might as well join with Germany, as we are companions in misfortune, we have nothing to lose by doing so.'"

The grand council of German Austria adopted the report of Dr. Otto Bauer, which was to the effect that the peace terms meant the death sentence of the Austrian republic.

From Vienna comes the news that the bolshevik regime in Hungary is nearing its end. The communist cabinet has been replaced by one headed by Herr German, one of Count Karolyi's followers, and it was said he had been invited to Versailles to confer with the entente representatives. In the Ukraine the troops of General Petlura captured several railway centers from the bolsheviks. A premature report from Vardoe said the Estonians and Finns had captured Petrograd. Later the bolsheviks claimed to have driven the Estonians back west of Gatchina. The American troops in the Archangel region began embarking for home. An interesting but unlikely story coming by bolshevik wire from Moscow said General Semenov had called a congress in eastern Siberia, which had declared the autonomy of Mongolia and named Semenov as grand duke of that country.

Two events have stirred the Spartans of Germany to renewed activity that leads to the prediction that they will soon make another organized attempt to overthrow the government. One was the finding in the Landwehr canal of a body declared to be that of "Red Rosa" Luxemburg, their murdered woman leader. The other was the discovery that Capt. von Pflug-Harung and Lieutenant Liebman, who were convicted of the murder of Liebknecht, had been allowed to escape from prison on false release orders and get to Holland on false passports. It had been known that Lieut. Kurt Vogel, convicted of the same crime, had escaped in the same way. All this has aroused great bitterness against the government in the minds of many people.

Another "leak" sensation enlivened the proceedings of the United States senate last week when Senators Lodge and Borah declared that to their certain knowledge copies of the peace treaty, denied to the senate, had been in the hands of New York financiers for some days. Their statement was not doubted and Senator Hitchcock, after conferences at the White House and the state department, asserted that the copies in question had been stolen. He introduced a resolution calling for an investigation by the committee on foreign relations.

The senate on Wednesday adopted the resolution for submitting to the states the Susan B. Anthony amendment to the Constitution granting the franchise to women. The vote was 56 to 25. The house already had adopted the resolution and as the women of 28 states now exercise presidential suffrage there is little doubt that the amendment will be ratified by a sufficient number of states.

The springing of another big bomb plot by terrorists early in the week has aroused the national government to the necessity of rounding up and disposing of the anarchists who are running amuck in this country. William J. Flynn, new chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, has been given a free hand, with orders to end anarchy in the United States, and his record warrants the prediction that he will go far toward doing that very thing. This time the "Reds" sought to kill Attorney General Palmer and other law-enforcement officials in eight cities of the East. Cordite bombs were exploded at their residences, but they all escaped death. One of the conspirators was blown to pieces by his own bomb in Washington and a watchman was killed in New York. The attorney general says extra legislation is not needed to take care of these bomb throwers and he wishes the authorities to treat them like other criminals and not to give the radicals the chance to say the government is persecuting them.

The strike situation in Canada improved considerably. In Winnipeg most of the returned soldiers threatened action against the strikers and the leaders of the latter appealed for "protection." It was believed the strike might soon be called off. This action already had been taken by the workers of Toronto. In Toledo, where automobile plant workers are on strike, there were riots in which two men were killed by guards.

As He Walks Along.

The local soviet in the town of Voronezh in Russia has discovered that every one else has failed to find, hitherto, a royal road to learning. And, like every really great discovery, it is simplicity itself. Placard the principal thoroughfares of your town with "portraits and brief news items," and what have you? Why, a "Street University." "In this way," declares the Izvestia, "any citizen, instead of spending years at a bourgeois university, can pick up a general knowledge of the principal subjects as he walks along." As he walks along. Even so.

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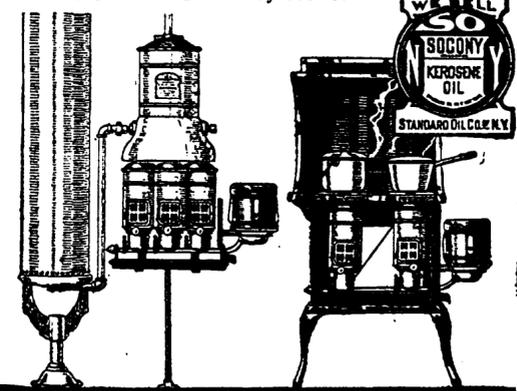
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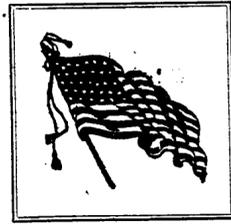
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Miss Sadie Lane was the guest of friends at Lake Sunapee for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Todd spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. S. S. Sawyer.

Miss Nancy L. Harlow has returned to town, after a trip to the White Mountains.

A portion of the High School held a picnic at White Birch Point, at Gregg Lake, on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Eldredge, of Orleans, Mass., are spending a season at The Maplehurst.

H. Burr Eldredge and Cranston D. Eldredge, from Hanover, were at their home here for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deacon, from Winter Hill, Mass., are at their summer home here for a season.

Harold S. Drew, of Union, this state, was a visitor with his brother, Lyle Drew, over the week end.

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William C. Noetzel, of Boston, joined his wife on Saturday at the home of his parents, on Elm street.

Miss V. M. Lohnas is visiting in the family of Nat Farrant, Meadow Brook Golf Club, Reading, Mass.

Master J. Frederic Kenny, student of Irving School, Tarrytown-on-the-Hudson, is visiting with W. L. Harlow and family.

Miss Emma E. Baeder has returned home from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Rose Goutier and family, in Haverhill, Mass.

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J. T. Hanchett connected up his solar water heating device and during the hot spell last week obtained a maximum temperature of 144 degrees Fahrenheit, or 50 degrees hotter than it was being registered in the shade.

The editor has been favored with a postal card from Rev. W. J. B. Cannon, pastor of the Antrim Baptist church, who is in Y. M. C. A. work in France. The card was dated May 19. We understand he is expected home next month.

W. H. Sawyer, M. D., and Mrs. Sawyer were with their father, S. S. Sawyer and wife for a day or two this week; they have started on an auto trip over the Mohawk Trail and to Staatsburg, N. Y., to spend a week or two with Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Herriek.

On June 18, Friday evening, the Senior Class of the Antrim High School will put on a motion picture show at town hall. It is one of Mary Miles Minter's new pictures, entitled "Rosemere Climbs the Heights," and in addition there will be the Weekly and Comedy reels. This is a nice show and should attract a large house.

William Congreve, Jr., writes to an Antrim friend that he will remain in the Naval Service for a while yet as interpreter at Brest. Billy has evidently made good use of his long service abroad in getting a good grip on the French language. He finds much that is beautiful in France but prefers the U. S. A. most decidedly. Americans on both sides of the water are much of his opinion.

Moving Pictures!

Town Hall, Antrim
TUESDAY Evening, June 17
5-Reel Drama
Good Comedy—1 reel
W. A. NICHOLS, Mgr.

Antrim Locals

Mrs. William Shouites has our thanks for a handsome bouquet from her nice flower garden.

A. Wallace George spent a few days recently with friends in Portsmouth, Dover and Rochester.

A few from here went to Hillsboro Monday evening to attend a meeting of the Eastern Star in that place.

Mrs. E. D. Jameson, who has been confined to her home by illness the past week or more, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. George, Mrs. E. M. Lane, and Wallace George made a business trip to Nashua one day last week.

Mrs. Ray Taylor and two children have returned to their home in South Gardner, Mass., after a visit with relatives in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. White and family, from North Orange, Mass., were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Proctor.

Miss Sadie Adams and Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Chesnut have gone to Hampton Beach for the summer season, leaving town Tuesday.

FOR SALE or TO LET—The shop buildings on West Street owned by L. D. Cole, and occupied by him and Joseph Heritage. Apply to either of them. Advertisement

GIRL WANTED:—We are looking for a capable girl or woman to help in store. One that will be likely to keep the job at least two years if satisfactory all around. Apply to E. V. Goodwin. Advertisement



Poultry Supplies!

- Growing Feed
- Buttermilk Mash
- Meat Mash
- Scratch Feed
- Poultry Food (Meat)
- Poultry Scraps (Fish)
- First Feed For Chicks
- Second Feed For Chicks
- Fortified Chick Feed
- Intermediate Chick Feed
- Hen and Chick Charcoal
- Hon and Chick Grit
- Oyster Shells
- Mil Koo For Chicks—a Product of Buttermilk
- Also, Hog Feed Calf Meal

Greens Chick Feed Company, Marblehead, Mass.

C. F. CARTER, Agent,
Terms Cash ANTRIM, N. H.
PHONE 22-12

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Charles W. Bailey, late of Bennington, in said County, deceased, testate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Henry W. Wilson, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County the account of his administration of said estate:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Nashua in said County, on the 24th day of June next, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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

Given at Nashua in said County, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

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

Executor's Notice

The subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed Executrix of the Will of Susan J. Lovewell, late of Antrim, in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.
All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment. Dated June 9, 1919.
SALLY L. LOVWELL

NEW RAIL PLANS ON SOUND BASIS

Congress Determined to Make Certain Future Growth of Transportation Facilities.

PLANS AGREE ON PRINCIPLES.

Return of Roads to Owners With Assurance of Adequate Revenues.

Washington.—One of the big problems before the new Congress is getting the railroads back on a peace basis. These 280,000 miles of steel highways were taken over by the Government as an indispensable arm of the national defense; but now that their war service is over, there is a country-wide demand that the Government restore them to their owners to be operated on normal American business standards of efficiency.

But, as has been pointed out by President Wilson as well as by many men in public life who have given this subject years of careful study, it is not enough simply to say to the railroad companies, "Take these railroads and give the country the best transportation service that money and brains can provide."

Old Laws Obstruct Growth.

The President recently said that it would be a serious mistake to return to the old conditions of railroad regulation without reforming the antiquated laws that were obstructing the free development of transportation facilities. The Director General of Railroads has recently made an inspection trip from coast to coast, and he has been telling the people that the time has now come to put the railroads on a sound foundation.

The plans for a better system of national control of railroads are as varied as were the plans for banking and currency reform when Congress received a mandate from the people to provide insurance against financial panics. The public now demands insurance against a breakdown of railroad transportation, and the new Congress is undertaking this work at sea-

HOW MRS. BOYD AVOIDED AN OPERATION

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well."



"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

Sometimes there are serious conditions where a hospital operation is the only alternative, but on the other hand so many women have been cured by this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after doctors have said that an operation was necessary—every woman who wants to avoid an operation should give it a fair trial before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

If complications exist, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of many years experience is at your service.

Secondary only to insurance against international warfare, Congress solved the banking problem seven years ago as a non-partisan issue, in which all the people had a common interest, and the Congress evidently is tackling the railroad problem with the same spirit.

While the many plans that have been proposed differ in the methods to be adopted in reaching the desired goal, it has been pointed out by Senator Cummins of Iowa, that all these plans have really very much in common—so much so that he is confident that Congress will have little difficulty in framing a bill that will meet with popular approval, and that will take the railroad question out of politics for many years to come.

Many Plans with One Aim.
The Iowa Senator has a command-

ing position in this Congress because he is the ranking member of the Interstate Commerce Committee of the United States Senate, and it is in this committee that the new railroad bill will take final form. In an address before a national meeting of business men at St. Louis Senator Cummins stated that since the close of the war, fully thirty complete plans for new railroad legislation had been submitted to him by business men, economists, bankers, railroad officials and owners, Government officials, railroad workers and just plain citizens.

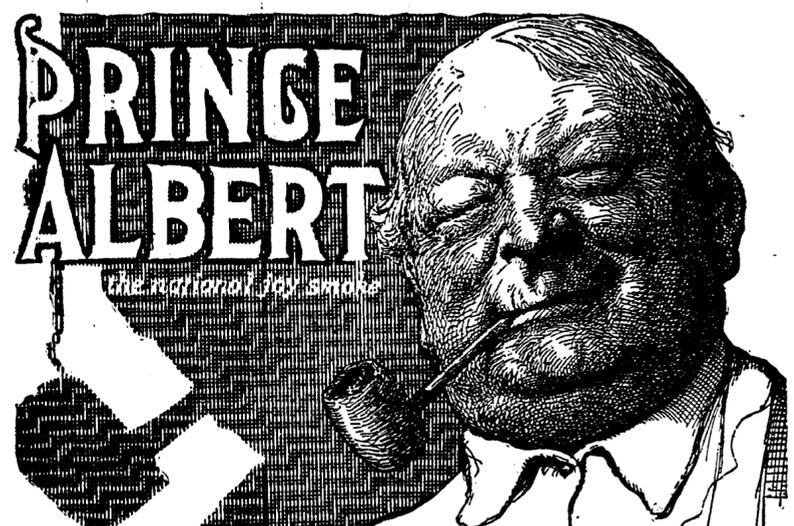
The basic principles upon which all of these plans, with one exception, agree are as follows:

1. Private operation is more efficient and more economical than Government operation, and the public interest will therefore be served by a return of the roads to private management.
2. To make certain that new capital will be attracted to the expansion of railroad facilities, there ought to be greater certainty that a fair return will be earned on the investment.
3. The merging of weak and strong roads into large competing systems should be encouraged.

The making of a formula to provide a fair return on railroad capital seems likely to be the phase of the problem most thoroughly debated in Congress. The Director General has been urging that the Government ought to guarantee a certain return and share in any excess earnings. Leading bankers, especially some of the international bankers in Wall Street, who have in the past marketed many hundreds of millions of railroad securities, also look favorably on the suggestion of a Government guarantee, which will make it easier to sell new securities, and will also stabilize the market for the old bonds and stocks.

Government Guarantee Opposed.

But the proposal that the Government shall guarantee the interest and dividends on private capital invested in railroads will undoubtedly meet with very vigorous opposition in many quarters. Even railroad executives, who might be supposed to take kindly to the idea of a Government guarantee against failure, have frankly stated that they do not want it, because they believe it is un-American in principle, would tend to lessen efficiency, and would involve the roads in a Government partnership that would inevitably lead to Government ownership.



PRINCE ALBERT

SAY, you'll have a streak of smokeluck that'll put pep in your smokemotor, all right, if you'll ring-in with a jimmy pipe or cigarette papers and nail some Prince Albert for packing!



Just between ourselves, you never will wise-up to high-spot-smoke-joy until you can call a pipe by its first name, then, to hit the peak-of-pleasure you land square on that two-fisted-man-tobacco, Prince Albert!

Well, sir, you'll be so all-fired happy you'll want to get a photograph of yourself breezing up the pike with your smokethrottle wide open! Talk about smoke-sport! Quality makes Prince Albert so

appealing all along the smoke line. Men who never before could smoke a pipe and men who've smoked pipes for years all testify to the delight it hands out! P. A. can't bite or parch! Both are cut out by our exclusive patented process!

Right now while the going's good you get out your old jimmy pipe or the papers and land on some P. A. for what ails your particular smokeappetite!

You buy Prince Albert everywhere tobacco is sold. Tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors—and that classy, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moisture top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Eagle "Mikado" Pencil No. 174



Packed One Dozen in an attractive Box and Half Gross in a Carton

Hexagon Shape Highly Polished in Yellow Finish, with Gilt Tip and Red Ring, fitted with best Red Erasive Rubber. The Eagle Mikado is the finest Quality of Pencil and contains a specially prepared lead, which is exceedingly smooth and durable.

Accurately Graded in Five Degrees:—No. 1 Soft; No. 2 Medium; No. 2½ Medium Hard; No. 3 Hard; No. 4 Extra Hard for Bookkeepers

For Sale at Your Dealer's, 5¢ Each or 50¢ per Dozen
EAGLE PENCIL COMPANY, 708 East 18th Street, New York.

The reliance that womenkind has placed on the Graham Cracker is well illustrated at the tea being given for returning soldiers and sailors.

Every woman in the metropolis has in her pantry a generous supply of the National Biscuit Company's always useful and deliciously flavored Graham Crackers.

So light and flaky—so crisp and easily digested—so fresh and wholesome—what food can you think of for husband and children equal to N.B.C. Graham Crackers?

GRAHAM CRACKERS

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

On a thick slice of Graham Cracker, I knew a man named Tom who had found it very difficult to procure bread that was either palatable or digestible. He had resorted to the delicately flavored, course to N. B. C. Graham Crackers.

Commence the Day With a Good Breakfast!

Oranges Cereal
Aunt Jemima's Griddle Cakes
Eggs on Toast (City Bakery Brand)
Doughnuts (fried in Crisco)
Coffee

Then wash up the dishes with either Santa Claus, Sail or White Flyer Soap, only 5c. a bar, and be happy all day.

You Can Find All These Things at Our Store

The Store That Tries To Please You

Clinton Store, Antrim
A. O. HARRINGTON, Mgr.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about "The Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day and year after year at an operating expense so small that it's wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take good care of your order—get your Ford to you as soon as possible—and give the best in "after-service" when required.

FRANK J. BOYD
Authorized Agent for Ford Cars
Sales and Service
Tel. 34-2 ANTRIM, N. H.

The easiest thing is to make imaginary troubles real by constant brooding.

Money isn't everything and it won't get everything, but the things that it can't and won't get are in the minor.

If a man were to say exactly what he thinks on all occasions he wouldn't be able to live through a day.

Catarrh for Twenty Years

Mrs. M. S. Davis, 1607 10th Ave., N. Nashville, Tenn., writes:

"After having been a constant sufferer from catarrh for more than twenty years and after trying almost every remedy advertised, and having lost all hope, I very reluctantly began the use of Peruna about two years ago. Everybody says I look younger now than I did twenty years ago, and I actually feel younger and better, and weigh more. I am recommending it to my neighbors and all with whom I come in contact."

MADE ME WELL

Liquid or Tablet Form

THEY MAY INTEREST

Even If You Have Read Them Somewhere Before

It doesn't matter how important your ancestors were, but how important an ancestor you are going to be.

Millionaires are reputed to be generally unhappy, but the few we've seen always seemed to be able to disguise their feelings.

Naturally your aches are worse than anybody else's and therefore you are entitled to brag about them all you wish to, but why not do it when nobody is around?

Most persons fail of good work because of lack of inspiration in their surroundings, but if you are really big you can rise above them long enough to get into better ones. The trouble with us all is that we're small and don't know it and raise a terrible howl if anybody suggests it.

If you do just enough work to "get by" with your job, some day your job will "get by" without you.

If you worry about the past it prevents your accomplishing in the present and may destroy your hopes for the future.

If you are a professional "anti," don't expect to have friends among regular folks.

A good many men don't seem to care much about their homes until they get sick and have no place else to go.

A pleasing personality covers almost all kinds of sins.

If you have brains enough to do what you are doing it doesn't signify that you have enough to do the things you'd like to do.

The hope of the world is in its young men, but to look at some of them you'd never think it.

A friend worth while should be tender of your feelings, but occasionally he should also be a good enough friend to give you a verbal punch in the nose.

HAPPY JACK IN SCHOOL

Do you know Happy Jack? Of course you do, for he is the children's patron of thrift; but that need not deter any grown-up from becoming a Happy Jack member, for even President Wilson is one, and proud of the distinction.

Happy Jack is represented by a teen-eyed squirrel with the cutest of red coats, and the wise sayings he puts forth are worth heeding. He is well established in the New England schools, where besides teaching thrift, which is his specialty, he dispenses a sunny spirit that is infectious.

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HORSES!
For Sale!

Have today Two Nice Teams, 2800 and 2300 lbs.; Two Good Second-hand Teams, 2900 and 3000 lbs.; Two Cheap Second-hand Horses, 1100 lbs. each; and Two Good Single Horses, 1150 and 1200 lbs.

FRED L. PROCTOR,
Antrim, N. H.

ACCOMMODATION!
To and From Antrim Railroad Station.

Trains leave Antrim Depot as follows:

7.08	A. M.	10.24
	7.44	
	P. M.	
11.28		1.53
3.38	4.13	6.57

Sunday: 6.22, 6.43, 11.40 a.m.; 4.48 p.m. Stage leaves Express Office 15 minutes earlier than departure of train. Stage will call for passengers if word is left at Express Office in Jameson Block. Passengers for the early morning train should leave word at Express Office the night before.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA
HANCOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Tuttle have returned to their home here.

Anna, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, and Roland, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, are both ill at a hospital in Nashua.

Joseph Shattuck, the brother of Mrs. Irvin Avery, is driving the school team, because of the illness of Fred Eaves.

Mrs. Minnie Harrington, of Rindge, was in town recently.

Mrs. Nellie Johnson and her son, Will Johnson, were in Nashua this week to see Roland Johnson.

Friday evening of this week the Boys' Star Class will hold a social, to which everyone is invited. Admission will be 10 cents. Ice cream and cake will be on sale.

Hancock friends of the family are glad to know of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Powers, in Bennington, last Thursday.

Martin Elliott was seriously injured Friday evening, when his horse ran in front of the train, from Peterboro to Elmwood, smashing the wagon and throwing Mr. Elliott against the engine. Mr. Elliott died Saturday evening, as a result. He was a veteran of the Civil War.

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TWO PATRIOTIC CHILDREN.

A Salvage Play.
By Gussie Green, 10 years, Everett School, Boston.

Characters:
Father—Mr. Franklin
Mother—Mrs. Franklin
Children—Emily, Benjamin
Junk Man.

Benjamin—Mother, Emily and I have been thinking of a plan.
Mother—What is it? I hope you've not been up to mischief.
Emily—We're going to clean the attic and cellar, and sell the trash for cash.
Mother—What wise children. I know papa will be pleased.
Papa (coming home from work)—Why are these faces so flushed?
Emily—Oh, daddy! Did you hear about our new plan? We're going to clean the attic and cellar, and exchange the old things for money.
Father—What are you going to do with the money?
Emily—We're going to divide it. With half of the money we're going to get Thrift Stamps and with the other half we're going to get seeds and plant a garden. Isn't that right, Benjamin?
Benjamin—Yes, Emily, but you forgot to tell him what we are going to do with the flowers and vegetables.
Emily—Perhaps you can guess, papa, what we'll do with them.
Mother—I never did see such children! Wasn't that a good idea?
Father—When did you say they were going to begin?
Mother—Tomorrow.
(After School)

Benjamin—Emily, where are you?
Emily—I'm up in the attic. Have you finished your work?
Benjamin—No, I have just begun. It's hard work!
Emily—O, don't say it is hard work. I like it!
(The children lay aside all the things they are going to sell. Mrs. Franklin frequently coming in to see how they are getting along.)
Emily—O, Ben! Look what I've found. (Benjamin hurriedly runs up the attic stairs.)
Benjamin—That's the silver bracelet that mother was looking for two years ago.
Emily—I'm going to surprise her. (Children place the things in a basket and call the junk man.)
The Junk Man—Well, well, I declare! That bundle is worth a dollar and fifteen cents.
Benjamin—Won't teacher be glad!
Emily—May Smith won't be plugging me any more because I only have two Thrift Stamps. Mother, see what I found—your silver bracelet.
Mother—I can hardly tell you how grateful I am to you for finding my long-lost bracelet. You may remember I offered 50 cents reward for the finder. Now I shall double the reward, so that I can help you in backing up Uncle Sam. I am pleased that your plan for Thrift Stamps ended so successfully.

"Nothing is final" said Napoleon after Jena. In days of prosperity insure against emergencies. Buy financial safety with War Savings Stamps.

SAVING AND HAVING.
An Old Fable Applied to Present Conditions.

Save and have!
Remember the story of the ant and grasshopper? The ant worked and saved. The end of each day found him with a little more added to what he had the day before. The grasshopper danced and sang and added his time away. Winter came; the ant had plenty. The grasshopper had nothing; he had not saved. He went to the ant and asked for help. Said the ant: "While I worked, you fooled your time away. You can dance now for all I care."
Are you an ant-person or a grasshopper-person? Some time are you going to have to ask for help and will someone tell you to dance; or will you be independent?
If you save now, you'll have later on. Let the end of every week find more Thrift Stamps on your card. At the end of every month be able to show more War Savings Stamps pasted on your certificate. Buy 1919 War Savings Stamps. Lend your money to the Government at four per cent interest compounded quarterly, and see it grow.
Take stock of yourself! What are you worth? Will next New Year's day find you worth more or less? Which will you be; an ant or a grasshopper?
Save and have!

MY FIRST THRIFT STAMP.
By Ruth Blank, William Lloyd Garrison School, Boston. [10 years old.]

One day last summer my sister wanted to go in town. She couldn't go on account of the baby. I asked her if I might take care of him. "Yes, you can take care of him," she said. So she went in town and I took care of the baby. The baby was very good for a while. But half an hour later he got cross. Seeing how cross he was I put him to sleep. I started to sew when my sister came in. She asked me where the baby was. I said, "He got cross so I put him to sleep." My sister was delighted that he was asleep for he didn't like to sleep in the afternoon. She gave me twenty-five cents for taking care of him. The clock struck four and I had to go home. When I passed by the post-office I said to myself, "I am going to buy a Thrift Stamp. I don't know what twenty-five cents will do, but all my friends are buying them." So I went into the postoffice and asked the clerk what Thrift Stamps are for. He told me about everything. So I got a Thrift Stamp, which was my first one.
On my way home I met my brother. When he saw the Thrift card he said, "What is that?" I told him that it was a Thrift Stamp and it was going to help the boys a little. When I said that he went into the postoffice and got a stamp also. After that we kept on saving and were very happy.

GREENFIELD
Discharged from service
Pearl Warren, Infantry
Donald Hopkins, Medical Corps

Somewhere in France
Geo. R. Blanchard, 103d Infantry
Philip Burnham, Motor Truck Co.
Lester H. Lowe, Heavy Artillery
Philip Magoon, Co. I, 103d Infantry
Jas. W. Austin, Co. B, Machine Gun Corps, station not known
Harry Dow, drafted in July, served till Dec., '17, discharged on account of physical disability.
Fred Girard, Field Signal Bn., Sparsburg, S. C.
Geo. C. Wade, Cavalry, Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt.

It is quite difficult for the Reporter to get the facts of the discharges of the boys in the service in the adjoining towns, only as those interested send us the facts; this favor will be greatly appreciated and we would like the information early.

The Reporter will make you 52 weekly visits for \$2.

THE REPORTER'S HONOR ROLL
List of Soldiers and Sailors in Antrim and Vicinity in New Army and Navy

In addition to those listed below, entering the service since April, 1917, Antrim claims Lieut. Albert A. Baker, an Annapolis man, with U. S. Navy

The Reporter will continue to publish this list for a time. It is our desire to have it accurate and complete in every detail; anyone who knows of a correction which should be made will please notify us

ANTRIM

☆ J. Harry Rogers, in the lumberman's unit at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, died April 4th.
☆ Frank O. Bemis, in 103d Infantry, "Somewhere in France" was killed in action July 17.
☆ William A. Myers, Mach. Gun Battalion, was killed in action July 18, "Somewhere in France."
☆ Orrin H. Edwards, 110th Inf., killed in action Aug. 2, in France.
☆ Cecil H. Prentiss, Medical Dept., 604th Engineers, died of influenza Nov. 4 at a hospital in France.
☆ David H. Hodges died of pneumonia in a hospital in France.

The following have received their honorable discharges from service

Charles H. Abbott, Lieutenant, Sanitary Corps
Henry B. Eldredge, Lieutenant, Officers' Reserve Corps
Burt Hodges, Lieutenant, Officers' Reserve Corps.
Walter F. Parker, Lieutenant.
William H. Hurlin, Lieutenant, Infantry
Ira C. Hutchinson, Sergeant, U. S. Guards
Bernard M. Davis, Corporal
Roger Hilton, motor cycle branch of aviation corps
John S. Whitney, infantry
Carl Crampton, infantry
Lawrence Black, signal corps
Norman Thompson, infantry
D. Wallace Cooley, Q. M. C.
C. Harold Tewksbury, C. A. C.
Matthew Cuddihy, Infantry
Ardie D. Perkins, Infantry
Rexford H. Madden, Ordnance Dept.
Edson Tuttle, lumberman's unit
Paul R. Colby, Merchant Marine
Roy D. Elliott, S. A. T. C.
Donald B. Madden, Student's Army Training Corps, Aviation.
John W. Matson
Harold Miner
George H. Kiblen, Jr.
Don H. Robinson, Sergeant, aero squadron.
Paul W. Prentiss, 4th Officer Merchant Marine.
Robert T. Barker, Radio Service.
A. Wallace George, Sergeant, C. A. C.
Howard Gokey
John W. Thornton, Sergeant
Carlton Brooks, Sergeant
Francis A. Whittemore

Were in Overseas Service

Cranston D. Eldredge, C. A. C.
Robert H. Cleaves
Philip Butterfield, Corporal
Louis Mallett, C. A. C.
Andrew Fuglestad
Byron Butterfield, Lieutenant
C. Harold Clough, Cook
John W. Bryer, 1st class Private
Winfield S. Hilton, 1st class Private
Henry E. Newhall, 1st class Private
John Newhall, 1st class Private
Howard E. Paige, 1st class Private
Leo E. Mulhall, Horseshoer
Nelson F. Cressy
Raymond A. Reece, Corporal
James W. Jameson, Lt. Colonel
Kasimir Fluri
Waldo A. Robb, Medical Dept.

"Somewhere in France"

Charles Myers, Sergeant
Raymond Butterfield, Sergeant
Charles N. Robertson, Corporal
Oscar Huot, Corp., Canadian troops
William L. Mulhall, British Army
Frank E. Cutter, Corporal
Delmar F. Newhall
Arthur Fluri
Albert J. Zabriskie, Corporal

Miss Margaret Redmond, Registered Nurse, at Toul, France
Miss Helen Stowell, Registered Nurse, with Dr. Hugh Cabot's Harvard Unit, returned from 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.

Ralph G. Hurlin, Captain, in Statistical Dept., Washington, D. C.
Paul F. Paige, Ensign in the Pay Department of the U. S. Navy.
Will Congreave, Jr., Navy, located somewhere in France.
Clarence H. Bradshaw, Navy, in foreign water.

Ernest H. McClure, Machinist Mate, Naval Reserves, Rockland, Maine.
Geo. A. Hodges is at Fort Worden, Washington, C. A. C.
James M. Hodges, radio operator at New London, Conn.
Robert Nylander, Cavalry, El Paso, Texas, in service on Mexican border.
Fred Arthur Whitney, Co. 11, Fort Caswell, N. C.
Rev. W. J. B. Cannell, in Y. M. C. A. work, France
Robert W. Jameson, Red Cross, returned home from France

Discharged or Released from New Hampshire College
Donald B. Cram and Otis W. Pike, Naval Reserve Force
Ellerton H. Edwards and J. Prentiss Weston, Bennington, Student's Army Training Corps, Infantry.

BENNINGTON

☆ Albert Haas, 101st Infantry, died of pneumonia Oct. 2, in France.

Discharged from service
Dr. Guy D. Tibbetts, Captain
Corp. Vasil Ligatsicas, Infantry
Maurice Fournier
Eftymus Kounelas
Morris E. Knight, Captain, aviation field
H. C. Barr, Sergeant
Pineas Adams
Harry J. Sawyer

Somewhere in France
William A. Knowles, Captain
Jeremiah W. Sullivan, Lieut.
William A. Griswold, Sergeant
John McGrath
Christos Cordatos, Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C.
Stefan Beniniti is at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.

HANCOCK

☆ Ralph J. Loverin, Machine Gun Battalion, was killed in action July 18, "Somewhere in France."
☆ 1st Lieut. Wm. H. Robinson, died at Camp Grant, of pneumonia.

Discharged from service
Richard Coughlan
Thos. Bertram Manning, Artillery
Lawrence Dufraime
Edwin R. Goodenough, Medical Dept.
Llewellyn LePage, Artillery
Corp. William Weston.
Wm. J. Brunelle, Machine Gun Bn.
Ernest L. Dufraime, " "
Sidney W. Stearns, Machine Gun Bn.
Oliver St. Pierre, " "
Chas. E. Adams, Engineers
Atherton Griswold, Infantry

Somewhere in France
Elmer A. Andrews, Medical Dept.
Henry J. Leavitt, Brit. Royal Flying Corps. Released from German prison.
Earl C. Locklin, Medical Dept.
Edw. M. Coughlan, Infantry, with Army of Occupation in Germany.
Edw. Ballentine, Forestry, Vancouver, Wash.
Peter Blanchette, Navy, U. S. S. Melville.
Ernest Olin, Camp Bliss, Texas
Ralph Perry, Navy, U. S. S. Terry re-enlisted for 4 years.
Stanley R. Smith, Durham, N. H.
John A. Weston, Medical, Camp Greene, N. C.
Andrew F. Dufraime has re-enlisted to remain in France.

THE LIGHT IN THE CLEARING

A TALE OF THE NORTH COUNTRY IN THE TIME OF SILAS WRIGHT

By IRVING BACHELLER

AUTHOR OF "BEN HOLDEN, DRI AND I, DARREL OF THE BLESSED ISLES, KEEPING UP WITH LIZZIE, ETC., ETC."

CHAPTER XIV—Continued.

So saying he handed me this letter: "Canterbury, Vt., June 1.

"Dear Sir.—I am interested in the boy Barton Baynes. Good words about him have been flying around like pigeons. When school is out I would like to hear from you, what is the record? What do you think of the soul in him? What kind of work is best for it? If you will let me maybe I can help the plans of God a little. That is my business and yours. Thanking you for reading this, I am, as ever, "God's humble servant,

"KATE FULLERTON."

"Why, this is the writing of the Silent Woman," I said before I had read the letter half through.

"Roving Kate?"

"Roving Kate; I never knew her other name, but I saw her handwriting long ago."

"But look—this is a neatly written, well-worded letter and the sheet is as white and clean as the new snow. Uncanny woman! They say she carries the power of God in her right hand. So do all the wronged."

"I wonder why Kate is asking about me," I said.

"Never mind the reason. She is your friend and let us thank God for it. Think how she came to your help in the old barn and say a thousand prayers, my lad."

Having come to the first flight of the uplands, he left me with many a kind word—how much they mean to a boy who is choosing his way with a growing sense of loneliness!

I reached the warm welcome of our little home just in time for dinner. They were expecting me and it was a regular company dinner—chicken pie and strawberry shortcake.

How well I remember that hour with the doors open and the sun shining brightly on the blossoming fields and the joy of man and bird and beast in the return of summer and the talk about the late visit of Alma Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln!

While we were eating I told them about the letter of old Kate.

"Fullerton? Aunt Deel exclaimed. "Are you sure that was the name, Bart?"

"Yes."

"Goodness gracious sakes alive!" She and Uncle Peabody gave each other looks of surprised inquiry.

"Do you know anybody by that name?" I asked.

"We used to," said Aunt Deel as she resumed her eating. "Can't be she's one of the Sam Fullertons, can it?"

"Oh, probably not," said Uncle Peabody. "Back East they're more Fullertons than ye could shake a stick at."

A week later we had our raising. Uncle Peabody did not want a public raising, but Aunt Deel had her way. We had hewed and mortised and bored the timbers for our new home. The neighbors came with pikes and helped to raise and stay and cover them. A great amount of human kindness went into the beams and rafters of that home and of others like it. I knew that The Thing was still alive in the neighborhood, but even that could not paralyze the helpful hands of those people. Indeed, what was said of my Uncle Peabody was nothing more or less than a kind of conversational fireworks. I cannot think that any one really believed it.

We had a cheerful day. A barrel of hard cider had been set up in the dooryard, and I remember that some drank it too freely. The hoe-hoe of the men as they lifted on the pikes and the sound of the hammer and beetle rang in the air from morning until night. Mrs. Rodney Barnes and Mrs. Dorothy came to help Aunt Deel with the cooking and a great dinner was served on an improvised table in the dooryard, where the stove was set up. The shingles and sheathes and clapboards were on before the day ended.

Uncle Peabody and I put in the floors and stairway and partitions. More than once in the days we were working together I tried to tell him what Sally had told me, but my courage failed.

The day came, shortly, when I had to speak out, and I took the straight way of my duty as the needle of the compass pointed. It was the end of a summer day and we had watched the dusk fill the valley and come creeping up the slant, sinking the bowlders and thorn tops in its flood, one by one. As we sat looking out of the open door that evening I told them what Sally had told me of the evil report which had traveled through the two towns.

"Damn, little souled, narrer contracted," Uncle Peabody, speaking in a low, sad tone, but with deep feeling, cut off this lively promising opinion before it was half expressed, and rose and went to the water tub and drank.

"As long as we're honest we don't care what they say," he remarked as he returned to his chair.

"If they won't believe us, we ought to show 'em the papers—ayes," said Aunt Deel.

"Thunder an' Jehu! I wouldn't go 'round the town tryin' to prove that I ain't a thief," said Uncle Peabody. "It wouldn't make no difference. They've got to have somethin' to play with. If they want to use my name for a bean bag let 'em as long as they do it when I ain't lookin'. I wouldn't wonder if they got sore hands by an' by."

I never heard him speak of it again. Indeed, although I knew the topic was often in our thoughts it was never mentioned in our home but once after that, to my knowledge.

We sat for a long time thinking as the night came on.

That week a letter came to me from the senator, announcing the day of Mrs. Wright's arrival in Canton and asking me to meet and assist her in getting the house to rights. I did so.

She was a pleasant-faced, amiable woman and a most enterprising house cleaner. I remember that my first task was mending the wheelbarrow.

"I don't know what Silas would do if he were to get home and find his wheelbarrow broken," said she. "It is almost an inseparable companion of his."

The schoolmaster and his family were fishing and camping upon the river, and so I lived at the senator's house with Mrs. Wright and her mother until he arrived. What a wonderful house it was, in my view! I was awed by its size and splendor, its soft carpets and shiny brass and mahogany. Yet it was very simple.

I hoed the garden and cleaned its paths and mowed the dooryard and did some painting in the house.

The senator returned to Canton that evening on the Watertown stage. He greeted me with a fatherly warmth. Again I felt that strong appeal to my eye in his broadcloth and fine linen and beaver hat and in the splendid dignity and courtesy of his manners.

"I've had good reports of you, Bart, and I'm very glad to see you," he said.

"I believe your own marks have been excellent in the last year," I ventured.

"Poorer than I could wish. The teacher has been very kind to me," he laughed. "What have you been studying?"

"Latin (I always mentioned the Latin first), algebra, arithmetic, grammar, geography and history."

He asked about my aunt and uncle and I told him of all that had befallen us, save the one thing of which I had spoken only with him and Sally.

"I shall go up to see them soon," he said.

The people of the little village had learned that he preferred to be let alone when he had just returned over the long, wearisome way from the scene of his labors. So we had the evening to ourselves.

Mrs. Wright, being weary after the day's work, went to bed early and, at his request, I sat with the senator by



I Remember My First Task Was Mending the Wheelbarrow.

the fire for an hour or so. I have always thought it a lucky circumstance, for he asked me to tell of my plans and gave me advice and encouragement which have had a marked effect upon my career.

I remember telling him that I wished to be a lawyer and my reasons for it. He told me that a lawyer was either a pest or a servant of justice and that his chief aim should be the promotion of peace and good will in his community. He promised to try and arrange for my accommodation in his office in the autumn and meanwhile to lend me some books to read while I was at home.

"Before we go to bed let us have a settlement," said the senator. "Will you kindly sit down at the table there

and make up a statement of all the time you have given me?"

I made out the statement very neatly and carefully and put it in his hands.

"That is well done," said he. "I shall wish you to stay until the day after tomorrow, if you will. So you will please add another day."

I amended the statement and he paid me the handsome sum of seven dollars. I remember that after I went to my room that night I stitched up the opening in my jacket pocket, which contained my wealth, with the needle and thread which Aunt Deel had put in my bundle, and slept with the jacket under my mattress.

CHAPTER XV.

I Use My Own Compass at a Fork in the Road.

Swiftly now I move across the border into manhood—a serious, eager, restless manhood. It was the fashion of the young those days.

Mr. Wright came up for a day's fishing in July. My uncle and I took him up the river.

While we ate our luncheon he described Jackson and spoke of the famous cheese which he had kept on a table in the vestibule of the White House for his callers. He described his fellow senators—Webster, Clay, Rives, Calhoun and Benton. I remember that Webster was, in his view, the least of them, although at his best the greatest orator. He had a delightful day, and when I drove back to the village with him that night he told me that I could go into the office of Wright & Baldwin after harvesting.

"It will do for a start," he said. "A little later I shall try to find a better place for you."

My life went on with little in it worth recording until the letter came. I speak of it as "the letter," because of its effect upon my career. It was from Sally, and it said:

"Dear Bart: It's all over for a long time, perhaps forever—that will depend on you. I shall be true to you, if you really love me, even if I have to wait many, many years. Mother and father saw and read your letter. They say we are too young to be thinking about love and that we have got to stop it. How can I stop it? I guess I would have to stop living. But we shall have to depend upon our memories now. I hope that yours is as good as mine. Father says no more letters without his permission, and he stamped his foot so hard that I think he must have made a dent in the floor. Talk about slavery—what do you think of that? Mother says that we must wait—that it would make father a great deal of trouble if it were known that I allowed you to write. I guess the soul of old Grimshaw is still following you. Well, we must stretch out that lovely day as far as we can. On the third of June, 1844, we shall both be twenty-one—and I suppose, that we can do as we please then. The day is a long way off, but I will agree to meet you that day at eleven in the morning under the old pine on the river where I met you that day and you told me that you loved me. If either of both should die our souls will know where to find each other. If you will solemnly promise, write these words and only these to my mother—Amor omnia vincit, but do not sign your name."

"SALLY."

What a serious matter it seemed to me then! I remember that it gave time a rather slow foot. I wrote the sheet very neatly and plainly on a sheet of paper and mailed it to Mrs. Dunkelberg. I wondered if Sally would stand firm, and longed to know the secrets of the future. More than ever I was resolved to be the principal witness in some great matter, as my friend in Ashery lane had put it.

I was eight months with Wright & Baldwin when I was offered a clerkship in the office of Judge Westbrook, at Cobleskill, in Schoharie county, at two hundred a year and my board. I knew not then just how the offer had come, but knew that the senator must have recommended me. I know now that he wanted a reliable witness of the rent troubles which were growing acute in Schoharie, Delaware and Columbia counties.

It was a trial to go so far from home, as Aunt Deel put it, but both my aunt and uncle agreed that it was "for the best."

How it wrung my heart, when Mr. Purvis and I got into the stage at Canton, to see my aunt and uncle standing by the front wheel looking up at me. How old and lonely and forlorn they looked! Aunt Deel had her purse in her hand. I remember how she took a dollar out of it—I suppose it was the only dollar she had—and looked at it a moment and then handed it up to me.

"You better take it," she said. "I'm 'traid you won't have enough."

How her hand and lips trembled! I have always kept that dollar.

I couldn't see them as we drove away. The judge received me kindly and gave Purvis a job in his garden. I was able to take his dictation in sound-hand and spent most of my time in taking down contracts and correspondence and drafting them into proper form, which I had the knack of doing rather neatly. I was impressed by the immensity of certain towns in the neighborhood, and there were some temptations in my way. Many people, and especially the prominent men, indulged in ardent spirits.

We had near us there a little section of the old world which was trying, in a half-hearted fashion, to maintain itself in the midst of a democracy. It was the manorial life of the patroons—a relic of ancient feudalism which had its beginning in 1829, when the West Inghes company issued its charter of privileges and exemptions. That

charter offered to any member of the company who should, within four years, bring fifty adults to the New Netherlands and establish them along the Hudson, a liberal grant of land, to be called a manor, of which the owner or patroon should be full proprietor and chief magistrate. The settlers were to be exempt from taxation for ten years, but under bond to stay in one place and develop it. In the beginning the patroon built houses and barns and furnished cattle, seed and tools. The tenants for themselves and their heirs agreed to pay him a fixed rent forever in stock and produce and, further, to grind at the owner's mill and neither to hunt nor fish.

Judge Westbrook, in whose office I worked, was counsel and collector for the patroons, notably for the manors of Livingston and Van Benschoten—two little kingdoms in the heart of the great republic.

Mr. Louis Latour of Jefferson county, whom I had met in the company of Mr. Dunkelberg, came during my last year there to study law in the office of the judge, a privilege for which he was indebted to the influence of Senator Wright, I understood. He was a gay Lothario, always boasting of his love affairs, and I had little to do with him.

One day in May near the end of my two years in Cobleskill Judge Westbrook gave me two writs to serve on settlers in the neighborhood of Baldwin Heights for nonpayment of rent. He told me what I knew, that there

was a bitter feeling against the patroons in that vicinity and that I might encounter opposition to the service of the writs. If so I was not to press the matter, but bring them back and he would give them to the sheriff.

"I do not insist on your taking this task upon you," he added. "I want a man of tact to go and talk with these people and get their point of view. If you don't care to undertake it I'll send another man."

"I think I would enjoy the task," I said in ignorance of that hornet's nest back in the hills.

"Take Purvis with you," he said. "He can take care of the horses, and as those back-country folk are a little lawless it will be just as well to have a witness with you. They tell me that Purvis is a man of nerve and vigor."

I had drafted my letters for the day and was about to close my desk and start on my journey when Louis Latour came in and announced that he had brought the writs from the judge and was going with me.

"I wouldn't miss it for a thousand dollars," he remarked. "By Jove! I think we'll have a bully time."

"I don't object to your going but you must remember that I am in command," I said, a little taken back, for I had no good opinion either of his prudence or his company.

"The judge told me that I could go but that I should be under your orders," he answered. "I'm not going to be a fool. I'm trying to establish a reputation for good sense myself."

We got our dinners and set out soon after one o'clock. I had read the deeds of the men we were to visit. They were brothers and lived on adjoining farms with leases which covered three hundred and fifty acres of land. Their great-grandfather had agreed to pay a yearly rent forever of sixty-two bushels of good, sweet, merchantable, winter wheat, eight yearling cattle and four sheep in good flesh and sixteen fat hens, all to be delivered in the city of Albany on the first day of January of each year. So, feeling that I was engaged in a just cause, I bravely determined to serve the writs if possible.

I rode in silence, thinking of Sally and of those beautiful days now receding into the past and of my aunt and uncle. I had written a letter to them every week and one or the other had answered it. Between the lines I had detected the note of loneliness. They had told me the small news of the countryside. How narrow and monotonous it all seemed to me then! Rodney Barnes had bought a new farm; John Axtell had been hurt in a runaway; my white mare had got a spavin!

"Hello, mister!"

I started out of my reveries with a little jump of surprise. A big, rough-dressed, bearded man stood in the middle of the road with a gun on his shoulder.

Even a homely man may have a handsome mug in the barber shop.

Living Monstrosities.

Instances where a living creature appears to consist of two similar parts capable of a certain degree of separate life are cited by many authorities. It is noted that this phenomenon occurs abnormally and occasionally even among human beings. Instances are Helena and Judith, the Hungarian sisters (1701-1723), the famous Siamese twins (1814-1874), the South Carolina negroes Millie and Christina, and the Bohemian sisters, Rosalie and Josephine.

Often the union is so much closer that the consolidated individuals do not survive long after birth. Among the lower animals the phenomenon is far more common than it is among human beings, and it is thought possible that by persistent selection and breeding a race of double monsters might be established.

Husbands May Copy.

Physician—Now, Mrs. Smalltalk, will you let me look at your tongue? Mrs. Smalltalk (two minutes later)—Well, doctor, why in the world don't you look at my tongue if you want to, instead of writing away like a newspaper editor? How long do you expect I am going to sit here with my mouth wide open?

Physician—Just one moment more, please, madame. I only wanted you to keep still long enough so that I could write the prescription.

At the Bridge Club.

Lorraine—Virginia has fainted away. Dorothy—How provoking of her. She might have waited until she was dummy.

A sword in the hands of a coward is his own danger.

MADE IT WORK BOTH WAYS

Editor Gave Rough Check in Exchange for Rough Verses Offered by Poetic Youth.

The young man rolled his eyes as he entered the editorial sanctum.

"Here is a poem which you may publish in your paper. I dashed it off in an idle moment, and you will perhaps find it a little rough. You can make any correction you please."

"Thank you," said the editor. "I will give you a check for it at once."

"You are very kind. I shall be delighted."

The editor handed him a check.

"Many thanks," said the poet. "I will bring you some more poems."

He had reached the door, when suddenly he turned.

"Excuse me, but you've forgotten to fill up this check!"

"Oh, that's all right," said the editor. "I have given you a check in the rough state, as it were. You can make any corrections you please."

After That the Deluge.

"My wife got so mad she wouldn't speak to me for an hour."

"Ah!"

"And then she let loose all at once."

—Boston Transcript.

A Philosopher.

"Lots of rain!"

"Yes," replied Uncle Bill Bottletop. "As long as we've got prohibition, it's a comfort to know there's no shortage of water."

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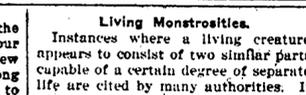
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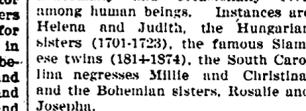
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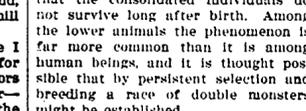
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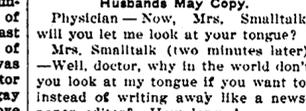
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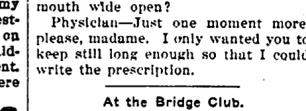
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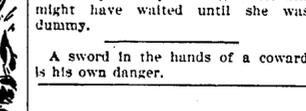
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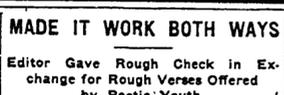
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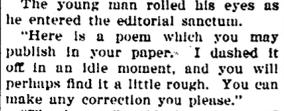
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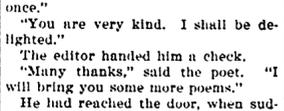
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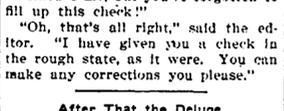
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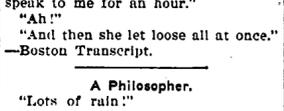
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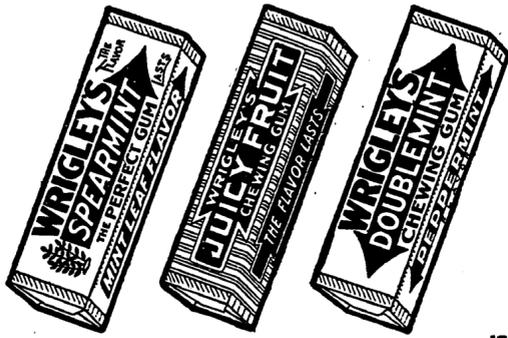
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MOTORS INSTEAD OF DOGS

Trip Over the Cascades in a Gasoline Sleigh Was a Distinct Success.

A spectacular trial trip was recently made across the Cascades in a motor sleigh, and a number of photographs, taken at various stages of the journey, are reproduced in Popular Mechanics. The achievement of the motor sleigh was almost as amazing as that of the first army tank, conquering, as it did, all kinds of obstacles. Skimming the surface of snowfalls, old or new, the strange little vehicle broke its way through primeval passes with never a stumble. The rescue of an automobile, hopelessly stalled in the drifts of Snoqualmie pass, was a mere incident in its progress. Crossing a deep gully on a pair of hemlock poles was but one of the day's adventures. The intended substitution of the motor sleigh for the dog-drawn sledges of Alaska's snow-bound post trails means more to the people of that great territory than many have generally realized. Jack London and others have limned the maleness of a romantic figure; but the followers of the trail know well he is never that. It is the elimination of much human hardship, as well as canine inefficiency, that recommends the gasoline method.

Quick Action Called For. When an angler drops a line he hopes to get an answer right away.

Time's Changes. "Times shore change," philosophically said Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "Just tuther day, as it were, nobody thought anything in perticular if a feller took a demijohn to church under the back seat of his wagon, and after the sermon had grown sorter tiresome winked a few of his friends outside to help him lap it up and fool around and swap horses and mebbe fight a little in a general way. "But now, by girt, if he even smells of patent medicine on a week day he's got to produce the omenick and p'int out the place whur it says he's got the deadly disease that he claims to have taken the medicine for."—Kansas City Star.

Proud of His "Profession." "Burglars who served in the army are going back to their old trade," said a London police official the other day. "These men deliberately elect to live by stealing because they find it adventurous. It was with the same spirit that they joined the army. At least one convicted burglar won the Victoria cross." Confirmation of this characteristic is provided by a captain in a famous fighting regiment, who declares that one of the bravest men in his company, a corporal with a D.C.M. and other honors, declared himself a professional thief. "His one regret," remarked the officer, "was that the recruiting authorities would not let him describe his occupation on his attestation papers as 'burglar'."

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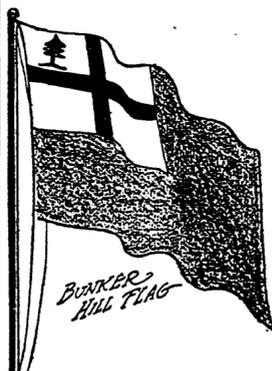
RED—WHITE—BLUE

Colors That Preponderate in Flags of Nations of the World.

THE principal colors in the flags that fly throughout the world this year of our Lord, 1919, today are red, white and blue in diverse combinations. Here and there green is shown, but red, white and blue are the colors of nineteen out of twenty-five national flags and are the colors of practically all the flags of the nations of Europe. The significance of national colors goes back to the days of heraldry and many of the devices displayed on flags are either heraldic designs or have been derived from such designs. Red stands for courage and military fortitude, blue symbolizes loyalty and truth and white stands for peace and sincerity. In the Italian, Irish, Brazilian and Mexican flags green is one of the colors, and in heraldry this color signified hope and joy. Black, which appears in the German flag in combination with red and white, stands for constancy.

A historian has written that the farmers in the battle of Lexington carried the "cornet" or standard of the Three County Troop. That banner was devised for a troop of cavalry raised in the counties of Essex, Suffolk and Middlesex, Massachusetts, in 1639. The office of color bearer of this troop became an inheritance in the Page family of the Bay colony. The flag was carried in King Phillip's war in 1676. When the minute men were organized, Nathaniel Page, 3d, of Bedford, Mass., took the old flag out

and sword were worked in silver. On the flag are three circular figures, which it is thought were put there to represent cannon balls. The words "Vince et Morituri" (Conquer or Die) are on a gold scroll. The flag is two feet long and a foot and a half wide. The design of the American flag may be said to be an evolution and combination of colors and designs long antedating the American revolution. The flags that were carried by mil-



tary organizations in the colonies before the outbreak of the revolution were not British flags, but organization flags. They were of various colors and designs. The British ensign or Union Jack is said by some to have been the inspiration of the American flags. The Union Jack is a combination of the English red cross of St. George on a white field, the Scotch white cross of St. Andrew on a blue field and the Irish red cross of St. Patrick. The combination of the English and Scotch flags was agreed on in 1606, soon after the union of England and Scotland under James I.

Explaining the "Jack." The word "Jack" as applied to the British flag is supposed to be a corruption of "Jacob," which was the common abbreviation of "Jacobus," the Latin for James. The introduction on to the flag of the cross of St. Patrick came later. England's Union Jack traces its origin to those remote times when knights rode in the lists and the red cross of St. George on its white field goes back to the Crusades and the hundred years' war with France—a war that calls to mind such stirring names as Crecy, Agincourt and Poitiers.

The American flag carried in the battle of Bunker Hill had on it the cross of St. George and a pine tree, the symbol of Massachusetts. It is written by historians of the American flag that when the first flag to represent the united colonies was devised, as many horizontal stripes of red and white were introduced as there were colonies, and as at that date the colonies were not independent, but merely in revolt because of the denial by the English government of their rights as Englishmen, the design of St. George, the superimposed cross of St. George, St. Andrew and St. Patrick, was retained by the Americans in the upper staff corner of the flag.



for use at drill. When the midnight alarm was sent out Captain Page snatched up the old flag and carried it to Concord, where "it waved above the smoke of that battle." Flag Still Treasured. This flag is preserved in the public library at Bedford, Mass. It is of mason or crimson damask silk and on it is an outstretched arm with an uplifted sword in the hand. The arm, hand

COCA-COLA WILL BE USED TO CHRISTEN ENGINE

Program Will Feature Exercises at Fire Hall on Wednesday.

(From Nashville, Tennessee.) Ann Dallas Dudley, the new fire engine at the Waverly Belmont fire hall, will be christened on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with appropriate exercises. Mrs. Gullford Dudley, for whom the engine gets its name, is one of the state's pioneer suffrage workers and it is due to her untiring work that partial suffrage was given the women of Tennessee. Mrs. Miles Williams, a resident of the twenty-first ward, is chairman of arrangements, and also a pioneer suffragist, and little Judith Winston Folk, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rean Folk, also a pioneer suffragist and the youngest member of the Nashville organization, has been chosen sponsor. Miss Folk has selected as her maids the following young girls, daughters of prominent suffrage leaders: Travania Dudley, Lenore Kenny, Kate Barksdale, Harriet Ingram, Mary Sue Cantrell, Jane Davis and Elizabeth Smith.

At the christening not champagne but a bottle of coca-cola will be broken and the maids will shower the engine with yellow flowers. Speeches will be made by Mayor William Gupton, Commissioner Tompkins and Chief A. A. Rosetta. Mrs. Dudley, a member of the national suffrage organization, and Mrs. Rean Folk, chairman of the city organization, will be honor guests of the occasion.—Adv.

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IT'S NOT YOUR HEART; IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble. The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim. Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, dependency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago. All these derangements are nature's

Good Riddance. "Shall we hire a detective to watch our wedding presents?" "I hardly think that will be necessary, my dear. Our friends have seized the opportunity to work off a lot of old junk."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The General Tendency. "Everybody in America belongs to some kind of a social or commercial organization," observed the distinguished visitor.

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum. "We have developed into a nation of tongues."

Their Faithfulness. "Force of habit is almost as hard a master to some people as ruin is said to be," commented the landlord of the tavern at Grudge. "Although the post office moved to its new location more than a month ago, and, too, though they never were compelled by law to do so, 'most any time o' day a bunch

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

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of prominent and influential lunkheads can be seen standing in the doorway of the old post office room, patiently waiting for busy people to come, as they used to, and scrouge past them, trying to get in."—Kansas City Star.

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HEARTBURN Caused by Acid-Stomach

Hard to Determine. Ruth Clifford, the moving picture star, has a cousin overseas. Recently his name appeared in the casualty list as wounded. "Yes," said Miss Clifford, in answer to an inquiry by her director, "he was wounded, but not seriously. We had a letter from the regimental surgeon." "Where was he wounded?" asked Gerard. "We are not quite sure. The surgeon mentioned the place, but we don't know whether it's an anatomical phrase or a French village."

EATONIC FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

A Canadian Crime. Manitoba Free Press—Sentence of Mike Ancon, found guilty of house-keeping, was postponed yesterday afternoon.—Boston Transcript. The domestic who builds air castles must be partial to light housework.

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SCHOOL BOARD'S NOTICE

The School Board meets regularly in Town Clerk's Room, in Town Hall block, the Last Saturday afternoon in each month, at 1 o'clock, to transact School District business and to hear all parties. Those wishing an interview should appear before 2 o'clock.

J. D. HUTCHINSON,
EMMA S. GOODELL,
MATTIE L. H. PROCTOR,
Antrim School Board.

BENNINGTON

A Weekly News Letter of Interest

Moving Pictures!

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Wednesday Evening, June 11
Robert Warwick in
The Silent Master
5 Reel Drama 1 Reel Comedy

Saturday Evening, June 14
Pearl White in
LIGHTNING RAIDER, Chap. 14
and 5 Reel Drama

May Allison in
The Successful Adventure

Mrs. Earl Sheldon was in Manchester one day last week.

Miss Myrtice Philbrick spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harrington buried a young child recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Newton entertained a party from Lowell Sunday.

A son was born last Thursday, June 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Powers.

Miss Anne Kimball spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Henry Wilson.

A little stranger arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smart June 6.

Guy Dickey was in town over Sunday visiting his brothers and calling on old friends.

Mrs. Willard Carlin is in town for the summer, and is stopping at Mrs. Nellie Burnham's.

The Swifts have arrived from Boston and are nicely quartered at Hill-home for the summer.

A few from here attended the Odd Fellows memorial service at Antrim on Sunday afternoon.

Jersey Ice Cream for sale at John T. Day's, Bennington, N. H. Best cream made. Advertisement. 4t

Last Thursday evening was Neighbor's Night with Frankestown, and over thirty members of the Grange motored there and furnished the literary program.

At the regular meeting of Bennington Grange Tuesday evening the third and fourth degrees were conferred on a class of three, after which a patriotic program was given, followed by a harvest supper. Several visitors were present.

Visit in Hillsboro

A few members of Ephraim Weston W. R. C. visited Senator Grimes W. R. C. in Hillsboro last Wednesday evening and report a very good time.

Notice to Soldiers and Sailors

All N. H. soldiers, sailors or marines who have not drawn the \$30 bonus from the state can get the necessary blanks of George W. Hodges, of Antrim, with a stamped envelope properly directed.

July 4 at Oak Park

A celebration will be held at Oak Park Fair Grounds, Greenfield, N. H., July 4. Horse races and ball games will be features of the day. A good band will be in attendance, and something doing every minute. The good clean grove is an ideal place for a picnic lunch.

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All contracts, leases and rentals for new buildings will be handled by Miss Edith Austin of New York City, an experienced architect and builder, who will work through this newly created section.

Plans for remodeling and decorating rooms, clubs and hostess houses taken over by the Y. W. C. A. will be in the hands of Miss Mary Buchanan, an interior decorator, who comes originally from Scotland, but who has been working in France for the American Y. W. C. A. since the beginning of its war work there.

In addition, the department is compiling lists, suggestions and general shopping guides for all the buying of the Association in France, including all kinds of building equipment from cret-ane curtains to plumbing supplies.

A cafeteria expert will have a place in the department to act as general advisor on restaurant and cafeteria projects of the Association throughout France.

In short, the department is to be more than finance alone. It is to be a kind of general advisory department and clearing house for all other departments in the French association—a department where dollars will be increased up against debts and needs.

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