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### CLINTON VILLAGE

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leon Brownell are reported ill at their home in Clinton village.

Atty. Frank B. Hall and wife, of Worcester, Mass., have been entertained for a few days at the Bass Farm.

Carl Brooks has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brooks.

George W. Price, of Peabody, Mass., is making his annual February trip to Antrim, coming to enjoy a season of snow shoeing and look after his summer home at Gregg lake.

Charles Brown will leave Bass Farm about March 1 and will go into Sugar Camp for the season.

### NORTH BRANCH

Anyone looking for plenty of snow is invited to locate at North Branch, as it can surely furnish plenty of it.

Snow, blow, break roads has been the local news for several weeks, and from all appearances it's to be a continued story until spring.

Mr. Cate, of Lawrence, Mass., visited over the holidays at Liberty Farm.

Mrs. E. W. Estey is ill with a hard cold.

Mr. Stoddard, of Sutton, was in town recently, en route to Stoddard, finding the roads not open, he decided to return where they had a live town and good roads.

Carl Swett is working for Ira P. Hutchinson.

Harry Richardson and family attended the Washington supper at Antrim Monday night.

### EAST ANTRIM

Henry George is assisting with some of the work during the illness of Walter Knapp.

The many friends of G. A. Cochran will be pleased to know he is decidedly improved.

Eva Thompson has been unable to perform her work at Goodell's office, owing to a hard cold.

Miss Bertha Myers has entered the Elliott Hospital, where she will take a course of training as nurse. We wish her success.

It required the labor of seven men and six horses to open the road from M. S. French's to Walter Knapp's home on Saturday last. There are some lame arms as a result of breaking so much crust.

Mrs. A. L. Perry returned to Melrose, Mass., last week, after three weeks' stay with her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Rokes.

Walter Knapp is entertaining a case of bronchitis and measles; not very agreeable company. He is a little improved at this writing.

Much interest is taken by the Eastites in regard to the disposal of the increased tax rate, as was inquired about two weeks ago, in these columns, by Tax Payer.

### Antrim Locals

Will Prescott entertained his brother, Julius Prescott, from East Jaffrey, over the holiday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church will hold their regular meeting at the church parlor Wednesday, March 3. Supper will be served as usual.

On the fifth page in this issue will be found the warrants of the School District, Precinct and the Town; they are all important and you'll be interested in reading them.

FOR SALE—New Milch Holstein Heifer; also good family cow, due to freshen in March. These are both good individuals. Call and see them. Meechbrook Farm.

It will be a source of gratification to the people of Antrim to know that the town has subscribed not less than \$600.00 for the Near East Relief. The definite amount raised will be stated in our issue of next week.

### MEMORIAL SERVICE

#### Local Post of American Legion Observe Day

A memorial service under the direction of William M. Myers Post, American Legion, was held at the town hall Sunday afternoon, in memory of those who gave their lives in the world war.

Members of the Post were present in uniform, also members of Ephraim Weston Post, G. A. R. The attendance of town's people was large, the weather conditions being most favorable for a public gathering.

A pageant scene was presented by members of Antrim High School. "Columbia Welcomes La France." "La France Gives Testimonials to Columbia." Miss Katherine Barker represented Columbia, Miss Eunice Kidder, La France. Nelson Kidder and Miss Alice Bader were also in the pageant.

Singing of the Marseillaise and the Star Spangled Banner, with benediction by Rev. R. S. Barker, concluded the service.

Certificates from the French government were presented to relatives of soldiers from Antrim and Bennington, who died in the service.

The following is the program in full as carried out at this service:

Violin Solo—Miss Alice Paige

Opening remarks by Post Commander Byron G. Butterfield

Reading of Scripture—Rev. J. D. Cameron, D. D.

Prayer—Rev. W. J. B. Cannell

Congregational Singing

Reading, "France in Battle Flame"

—Mrs. Archie D. Perkins

Address—Rev. H. A. Coolidge

Solo, "The Americans Come"—Mrs. R. W. Jameson

Pageant Scene, by members of the Antrim High School. "Columbia" welcomes "La France." "La France" gives testimonials to "Columbia."

Reading of Honor Roll

Singing of the "Marseillaise" and the "Star Spangled Banner"

Benediction—Rev. R. S. Barker

### PUBLIC LIBRARY

#### The Trustees Issue a Public Statement of Interest

The trustees of the James A. Tuttle Library have felt for some time that the library was not serving the town nearly as well as it could and should. The people outside of the village have been at a serious disadvantage in using its facilities and patrons residing nearby have not been obtaining maximum service. While the problem has been easily seen, the solution has not been so readily discerned.

The legislature of 1919 granted the New Hampshire Public Library Commission an appropriation which enabled them to procure the services of an expert librarian whose duties should be to visit libraries and consult with and advise librarians and trustees in regard to up-to-date methods and service. Last October, the commission engaged Miss Grace E. Kingland, and upon the invitation of the trustees, she came to Antrim recently and made a thorough survey of the Tuttle Library. She recommended especially a reclassification of the books and a complete card catalog; also, some changes in the charging system.

The trustees have accepted and adopted her recommendations and the work will be commenced as soon after the supplies arrive as is practicable.

Ways and means of advertising new books and of increasing the circulation generally and of distributing books to borrowers outside of the village are being carefully considered; also, the possibility of keeping the library open more. The cost of reorganization will probably amount to \$125.00, but we believe that the increased influence and usefulness will justify it.

Patrons will be interested to learn that a set of Nelson's Loose-Leaf Encyclopedia has been purchased and will soon be placed in the reading room.

We feel that these anticipated improvements should be given the fullest publicity and we appreciate the courtesy of the Reporter in giving us space for this statement.

Mrs. J. D. Cameron has been confined to her home by illness the past week.

### GUEST NIGHT

#### The Woman's Club Entertain the Gentlemen

The annual guest night of the Antrim Woman's Club was a most successful affair, being held in the Antrim town hall and well attended by members of the Club, their husbands and invited friends.

The address of the evening was delivered by Hon. Frank B. Hall, of Worcester, Mass., chairman of the Republican State Committee of Massachusetts. Mr. Hall delivered a stirring American address, dealing at some length with the problem of the alien within our borders and suggesting certain remedies for existing conditions.

The hospitality committee of the Club served ice cream, cake and coffee. The hall was prettily decorated with small evergreen trees and boughs.

Mrs. J. Lillian Larrabee, president, was in charge of the program. In her address of welcome, Mrs. Larrabee spoke of the lonesome path which men have trod to the polls for many years, and encouraged the men by stating that soon the women would be privileged to accompany them.

Solos by Mrs. R. W. Jameson, Miss Elizabeth Tandy and singing of patriotic songs were pleasing features of the program. Mrs. Byron G. Butterfield and Miss Gertrude M. Proctor were accompanists.

### W. R. C. Notes

The Woman's Relief Corps met at G. A. R. Hall Feb. 17. After the regular work of the Corps a very interesting program on Washington's life, was carried out, followed by a treat of tea, fancy pies and cheese. Especially interesting was the report of the supper given by the Corps Thursday evening, Feb. 12, for the benefit of the American Legion. It brought to our attention the wonderful spirit of love and devotion, not only showing what the Corps could do, but what many outside of the Corps could sacrifice for the benefit of our Army boys. Many in Bennington bought tickets, who knew that they would be unable to come. The proceeds of the supper were \$111.60. Again we would say a good big thank you:

Mrs. Ida B. Robb,  
Press Cor.

### Fuel Gone, Schools Close

The fuel situation in Antrim has reached an acute stage which has resulted in the closing of the public schools, because of lack of coal and wood.

The schools will remain closed for an indefinite period, the school committee say, the length of time being at least a week and possibly longer.

Although there is coal en route for Antrim, traffic conditions have delayed its arrival, and the committee has been forced to close the school houses for a time.

### Farewell Gifts

On behalf of employees in the Apple Parer department of the Goodell Company cutlery works, Fred A. Dunlap presented Henry S. Thompson with a fine fountain pen, a pipe and a quantity of tobacco. Mr. Thompson, who has been employed for some years in this department, has finished his labors here and gone to Quincy, Mass., where he has a position.

### Gave Interesting Talk

Charles W. Tobey, of Manchester, addressed a gathering of men of the Baptist Brotherhood at the Baptist church Wednesday night, speaking on some of the present day problems. A committee from the Brotherhood was in charge of the affair, which was confined to members and a few guests. A social hour was enjoyed at the conclusion of Mr. Tobey's address.

### For Rent

To responsible parties, upper and lower tenements in "Collins House" on Highland Ave. Completely renovated and newly decorated. Ready for occupancy March 15.

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### Help With Your Returns

Deputy Collector J. F. McGovern, from the office of Internal Revenue, at Portsmouth, will be in Antrim, at town hall, on Feb. 27 and 28, for the purpose of assisting anyone in the filing of their returns under the income tax law.

He will be at Bennington on Feb. 25 and 26; Franconia, Feb. 23.

Charles R. Jameson has filed at Concord, as a candidate for the office of delegate-at-large to the Democratic National convention.

### Verification of Savings Bank Depositors' Books

To the Depositors of the Hillsborough Bridge Guaranty Savings Bank, of Hillsboro, N. H.

The law of this state provides that, "It shall be the duty of every depositor in any savings bank, and of every share-holder of any building and loan association to present his book for verification with the books of the bank or association when notified so to do, at the times fixed by the bank commissioners."

The bank commissioners have selected the month of February in this year as the time for such verification. I have been appointed to examine the depositors' books, and compare them with the books of the bank, with the object of correcting any errors that may exist, and for that reason I shall be at the Hillsborough Bridge Guaranty Savings Bank between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 m. and 1 p. m. and 3 p. m. each day the bank is open during the above-named period, unless the work is sooner completed.

You are requested to present your deposit book, or to forward the same by mail or otherwise, to me at the bank at as early a day as convenient, if possible during the first two weeks, and so avoid having a personal request sent to you. The book will be immediately returned to you after comparison with your account as kept by the bank.

Lucy A. Macalister,  
Examiner

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### Tewksbury-Thurston

Miss Ethel May Thurston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Thurston, of Antrim, was married at her home on Clinton street, on the evening of Wednesday, February 18, to C. Harold Tewksbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tewksbury, of Antrim, by Rev. W. J. B. Cannell, the double ring service being used. Mr. and Mrs. Tewksbury will reside in the Allen cottage on Prospect street.

### I Want to Purchase COLLECTIONS of POSTAGE STAMPS!

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# The Thirteenth Commandment

By  
RUPERT HUGHES

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## CHAPTER XXI—Continued.

When Bayard opened the door, Clay swept in like a March gale. He flung himself at Bayard and clenched his elbows in his hands and roared:

"Bayard! Bayard! It's come! We're rich! We're made! Eureka! Uneda! Munitions! Wow! Listen! The other night while I was trailing a job in darkest New Jersey I ran across a little clue, and a little man who was a little secret. The Germans have been getting ready for this war for years, piling up guns and ammunition for Der Tag. The other countries were caught only half ready. They have stopped the Germans on the Marne, but they've been using their shells at such a rate that the famine is near. Their only hope is to buy supplies of us. They're going to dump enough contracts on this country to furnish about a million dollars to every citizen. Their agents are pussy-footing round to distribute contracts quietly.

"The Bethlehem Steel company has gathered in a big lot of them, and I had a tip that the stock was going to boom; so are a lot of other stocks. I'd sell my right arm for a little cash. But there's no market for detached right arms, so I used mine to sign up a few little contracts for placing contracts, and I've plucked them and brought them to you." He broke into a dance and whirled Bayard off his feet.

Bayard tried to be patient. "That's all very interesting, Clay, but take your delusions down to Bellevue, where they'll put you in the right cell. What can you or I do with ammunition contracts?"

"Accept 'em, you blamed idiot! Open up your old shut-up factory and get busy."

"We have no machinery for making ammunition."

"Get it, then, or adapt your machinery! They need millions of each article, for there are millions of men in the field using up what they've got so fast that it's only a matter of weeks before they'll be desperate."

Bayard began to see the scheme—also the obstacles. "But it takes money to make those things. Where will we get the cash for the pay rolls and the raw materials?"

"From the banks! The banks are bursting open with idle money; it's rotting on their hands!"

Bayard went aglow with the realization of the opportunity. He began to tremble at the vision of the sudden avalanches of wealth pouring down the bleak mountains of despair. He could hear the roar of the Niagara of gold.

Daphne and Lella came rushing from concealment. Clay's beatitude was so complete that he forgot his restraints and kissed them both.

Bayard was frantic to be at work. He resolved to telephone the president of his company at once and lay the matter before him. Lella cannily advised Bayard to grasp the whip hand of the situation and keep it. She began to dance about the room like a Miriam celebrating the passage of the Red sea.

"The first thing we'll do," she said, "will be to get my jewelry out of the pawnshop and the second will be to buy some more. And, oh, the dresses and the hats!"

This asserted a sobering effect on Bayard. "No," he announced. "We've gone through hades once because I gambled away my reserves. This time I'm going to get a big reserve before I spend a cent. I'll never risk another dollar like the one we've been through. No more fractures of the Thirteenth for me!"

Lella laughed.

Bayard went to the telephone to start the wheels of the factory in motion by summoning the president to council. He paused to ask: "He'll want to know who the foreign agent is you are dealing with? Or are there several? Who shall I say?"

"Wetherell," said Clay.

The great Skoda gun that suddenly one day dropped a monster shell in Dunkirk twenty miles off could hardly have caused more stupefaction than the name of Wetherell detonating in that room.

Daphne snatched her hand from Clay's. Bayard sprang up so sharply that he almost threw Lella forward in her face. Instinctively he caught her by the arm and saved her from falling. But instantly he flung her arm from him in a gush of disgust.

Clay gaped at the tableau in bewilderment. He had not dreamed that any of the three had ever heard of Wetherell. He could not imagine the bitterness the name involved.

"Will some kind friend please tell me what all the excitement is about?"

This was not easy. Who wanted to tell Clay that Lella had just been accused of neglecting her husband and her own duties for the society of this very Wetherell? Lella herself was the one that told him.

"Look here, Bayard," Lella cooed and bled, "don't you think you've done enough? You've shown me that you don't trust me and you've ordered Mr. Wetherell never to come near me again. Isn't that enough without beg-

garing us all for spite? What else is it but cheap, nasty spite?"

"It's a great deal more than spite," Bayard groaned. "Do you think I'll accept favors from a man who has been courting you and got caught at it? I'd rather starve!"

"Well, I wouldn't!" Lella averred. "And I'm not going to starve. And I'm not going to let you commit harikari on Wetherell's doorstep just to spite him. I tell you again, once for all, there was nothing wrong in Wetherell's behavior, absolutely nothing. It's outrageous that you should accuse me of such horrible things."

So Bayard was coerced into having his life saved by his enemy. It was one thing, however, to consent to deal with Wetherell, and another to devise a tolerable reconciliation.

"Well," Bayard sighed, "beggars can't be choosers. If I'd saved my money I shouldn't have to take Wetherell's money."

Bayard called up the president of his company at the office. His oration made a huge success. Bayard began to smile to himself, to wink at the spectators, and finally to share in the apparent rapture of his distant ear-to-ear.

The end of the matter was that when Bayard left the telephone he was a new man. He had cunningly raised his chief's hopes to the highest degree, yet withheld the name of the English agent. He explained that he intended to take Lella's advice and use his knowledge as a lever for his own advancement and Clay's.

Clay and Bayard sat down to make figures, and the talk grew too technical for the women to endure. After hearing the first music of Bayard and Clay chanting in hundreds of thousands of dollars Daphne stole out unheeded and went up to her own room.

Mr. Chivvis was sitting by a window in mournful idleness. Mrs. Chivvis was stitching away at her embroidery. She was cheerful—for her. She told Daphne that she had found a market for her needlework; the prices were poor but they were real. She advised Daphne to get to work with her.

Daphne had not the courage to say that her brother and her betrothed were about to become plutocrats. She said only that she was very tired. And there is no more exhausting drain on the nerves than their response to unexpected good news. It is more fatiguing than bad. She was surprised and shocked, too, to find how snobbish she was all of a sudden about the petty earnings of a Chivvis.

## CHAPTER XXII.

In those days the United States of America suddenly woke to the fact that they could pull themselves out of bankruptcy by helping the benighted states of Europe into it.

There were sudden gyrations of fortune and sudden collapses of failure. As in bonanza times, many were ruined, while the few prospered. But Clay and Bayard seemed to touch nothing that did not turn to gold. Bayard had gained immense prestige



So Bayard Was Coerced Into Having His Life Saved by His Enemy.

with his firm because of the huge orders he brought in. He took all the power that was accorded and grasped for more. His most reckless audacities were rewarded with success. He rode a tidal wave and swam with it so well that all his progress seemed to be due to his own power.

Bayard astounded Dutil with the solution of that old account, and with a cash payment for new gowns in celebration of his new glory. He did not forget his own people. He telegraphed his mother a thousand dollars and almost slew her with amazement. He telegraphed his father simply the price of a railroad ticket to New York and a peremptory summons to take the first train east.

When Daphne heard this she had to sit down to keep from falling down. Bayard resuscitated her with a check for a thousand dollars. It meant nothing more to her than abra-dabra. The whole incredible alteration was a fairy story to her. She made a faint attempt to refuse the gift, but Bayard forced it back into her palm and closed her fingers on it.

She repaid Bayard with kisses till she lost count and embraces till they both lost breath. Then she borrowed from him enough cash to pay her moss-grown bill with the Chivvisses.

Daphne could not wait for the elevator. She ran up several flights of stairs, scratched the door with her painted latchkey and flung herself into Mrs. Chivvis' arms and kissed her—even Mrs. Chivvis. Her apology was the money for the bill. She flaunted before her the check bearing the heavenly legend commanding the Fifth Avenue bank to "pay to Daphne Kip or order one thousand and no hundredths dollars" on penalty of incurring the displeasure of "Bayard Kip."

Mrs. Chivvis handled the parchment with reverence, and permitted her husband to touch it. It might have been one of the golden leaves of the sacred Book of Mormon, and she a sealed wife of Brigham himself.

"What are you planning to do with all this?" she said at length.

"I don't know," said Daphne. "What would you suggest?"

"You were planning to go into business. Why not use this as capital?"

"Fine! What business ought I to start—banking? or battleship building, or what?"

"There's embroidery," said Mrs. Chivvis.

Daphne had to guffaw at that. Mrs. Chivvis did not laugh. "I mean it," she urged; "think it over."

"All right, I'll think it over."

The novelty of being rich lost its savor with Lella, and the monotony of being neglected began to prey upon her damask soul. She and Daphne forgot their mutual grievances for their common grievance.

"That's the trouble with these husbands," Lella grumbled. "When they're in bad luck you can't lose 'em, and when they're in good you can't find 'em."

"It's the same with fiancées," said Daphne.

Daphne had the worst of it, for Lella began to wander again, leaving Daphne to the society of Mrs. Chivvis, who kept urging her to invest her dwindling thousands before it was gone. But in the environs of noisy riches the schemes of Mrs. Chivvis demanded such prolonged labor for such minute profit that Daphne remained cold.

She began to resent Clay's neglect morosely. The few attentions he paid her only insulted her; his mind was so far away and his heart was all for his business. He was dazzled by the fierce white light of success, and he spoke to Daphne in a kind of drowsy hypnosis. And he spoke incessantly of the details of his business, or his gambblings. He could not see how deaf she was to the very vulgar fractions of his speculations, or the mad arithmetic of his commissions. She yawned in his face when he grew eloquent on the dynamics of wealth, the higher philosophies of finance. And he never knew. He kissed her good-by as if he were kissing a government bond, safe and quiet and all his own.

After one of Clay's visits Mrs. Chivvis found Daphne in a brown study. Mrs. Chivvis explained her own affairs; and Daphne was so exhausted with the sultry problems of love that Mrs. Chivvis' business gossip was completely refreshing.

"I've been down to the Woman's exchange," she said, "trying to sell some of my needlework. They were very nice about it, but it means a terrible amount of labor for a pittance of money. You have to pay them so much a year for the privilege of putting your things on sale there. Then they don't guarantee to return it in good condition, and they don't guarantee to sell it; or if they do they charge you 20 per cent for their end of it."

"I couldn't see any profit in that, so I went to one of the jobbers. He said my style of work brought good prices in the big stores. But they won't pay him much and he'll pay me less."

"I was thinking—There's money in these things and in all sorts of needle things if you have a little capital."

"That's different," said Daphne. "And I've got some capital now. Do you remember suggesting to me once that we might go into business together—you to furnish the brains and I the money?"

"Oh, I didn't put it that way!"

"Anyway, it's true. Well, would you?"

"Land's sake! If you're a mind to furnish the money and the ideas and let me count the pennies, I'd like nothing better."

"Great! What could we go into?"

"What would you prefer?"

"Oh, any old business that will keep me busy and make a lot of money."

"My husband says that you can't make a lot of money without putting

in a job. That's one reason he has been kept down so. He never could get ahead. That was what we were saving up for—to get a little capital. And then the war came along—and we had to spend our savings. That same war has made your brother so rich that he could give you a small fortune. I don't believe you could do better than to put that into a business."

"Neither do I!" Daphne cried. "Let's!"

## CHAPTER XXIII.

Daphne was going to be independent, but she was still all woman when it came to the selection of her special trade. She would be a business woman, but she would do a woman's business.

There were ever so many dainties and exquisite that she wanted to hang in her shop. She was going to



"My Husband Says That You Can't Make a Lot of Money Without Putting in a Lot."

have a window! With her name on it! That would be more fun than a limousine with crest on door.

Gradually her scheme enlarged. She would devote her shop to the whole mechanism of the boudoir. "Boudoirwear" was the word that pleased her.

It was in human nature that the partners should quarrel over a name for the baby before the baby was born. They spoke of themselves as "The Firm."

Finally Daphne, claiming the majority of the power, voted on blue for "Boudoirwear," and claimed the victory. Mrs. Chivvis surrendered with the amendment that "Miss Kip" should be at one side, "Mrs. Chivvis" at the other. She bribed the assembly by promising that a cousin of hers, a young artist living in the Washington Mews, should paint a pretty sign-board on a swinging shingle. After many designs had been composed and destroyed they agreed on this legend:

BOUDOIRWEAR  
Everything for the Boudoir.  
Exquisite Things for Brides.  
MISS KIP. MRS. CHIVVIS.

The cousin painted it well and illuminated it with elaborate initials and an allegorical figure of a young lady in Cubist style. It had the traditional charm of a tavern board. In fact, their shop was to be a tavern for women in search of sartorial refreshment.

Troubles mustered about them as weeds shove up in a garden faster than they can be plucked out. Expenses undreamed of materialized in swarms. Everything was delayed except the demands for their money. The petty-cash box, like a sort of perverted fairy purse, emptied itself as fast as it was filled.

The petty cash was the least of their dismay. The grand cash was the main problem. They had stitched their fingers full of holes and piled upreams of fabrics, but the total was pathetically tiny.

One thing was instantly demonstrated. They must give up their plan or go into debt. Indeed, they already were in debt.

"We've got to take the plunge," said Daphne. "I'd rather die than go on paying a year's rent for an empty shop."

"I know," Mrs. Chivvis fretted, gnawing her thin lips, "but it's a risk. You'd better ask your brother."

"No!" Daphne stormed. "I'm going to win out on my own. Poor Bayard is too busy to be bothered with my troubles. He doesn't know I have any. And Lella is so busy with her social business that she never asks me what I'm up to."

"But what are we to do?" Mrs. Chivvis wailed. "We can't go on with our stock, and you have no money left, and I hadn't any to start with."

"There's only one thing to do," Daphne answered, with a sphinxlike solemnity. "Buy on credit! It's a case of nothing venture, nothing gain; nothing purchase, nothing sell! nothing borrow, nothing pay. The only way to get out of debt is to go in deeper—like getting a fish hook out of your thumb."

Mrs. Chivvis suffered herself to be persuaded. They visited the wholesalers and the jobbers and were well received, having paid cash before—and, thanks to Mr. Chivvis' suggestion, having been astute enough to demand discount for cash.

And now the motortrucks and the delivery wagons and the cyclocars and the messenger boys began to pour stock into the little shop. It was pleasant not to have to pay for things, though the tips were reaching alarming proportions, and the bundle of bills for future settlement grew and grew.

Mrs. Chivvis made a list of their debts and tried to show it to Daphne, but she stopped her eyes and ears and forbade any discussion that would quench her spirit.

In the swirl of her tasks Daphne almost forgot Clay Wimburn. She was too busy to care much. She had no time to mourn. Clay was only one among a myriad regrets, and his affairs could wait. Her business needs could not.

Clay did not come near her. He spent a lot of money trying to get her off his mind. He got a good deal on his conscience, but not Daphne off his mind. He longed for her especially, too, because there came a sudden disaster to his schemes. He was not so rich as he had been. Indeed, he could not be sure that he was rich at all. Any day might smother him with bankruptcy. This fear kept him from Daphne, too.

The bouncing munition stocks that were known as "war babies" had abruptly fallen into a decline. The submarine that torpedoed the Lusitania shattered Wall street's joy, threw the dread of war into the United States, and set every one to questioning the problem of revenge and its cost.

The slump in the market came at the most unfortunate moment for Bayard and Clay. Any moment of slump, indeed, would have come most untimely for their ventures.

"Kip and Chivvis" were making a picnic ground of the shop. Behind the soap-selled windows they laughed and debated on arrangements and price tags and show cards.

Mr. Chivvis, still out of a job, acted as maid of all work and stevedore, and grew so useful that they had to put him out. And at last the moment arrived when they declared the shop open, "raised the curtain," as Daphne said.

She waited with a stage-fright she had not felt in Reben's theater. There was no lack of temperament in her manner now. But there was no audience, either.

At night Kip and Chivvis locked their doors and went home, discouraged beyond words and dismally weary in the legs, also in the smile-muscles which had been kept at an expectant tension all day long.

Occasional purchases were made, but unimportant. Kip and Chivvis tried to learn what interested people and what did not. They realized that they had far too much of certain things and far too little of others. They attempted to sell the deadwood by marking it down; but it would not move.

"What do the women care for prices?" Daphne railed. "They are spending some man's money, anyway. They pretend that it's to please him, but they know and we know that it's because they hate each other."

One day a great lady who could hardly squeeze through the door creaked into the shop and spilled herself into a startled little chair like a load of coal. Daphne felt that she was about to die on their hands or ask for an ambulance, but she asked instead for an embroidered breakfast gown from the window.

Mrs. Chivvis fetched it and the old ogress clutched it from her, holding it up to her nose as if to sniff it, but really to see it.

"That's it! That's what I've been looking for!" she wheezed. "Have you got much of this sort of thing?"

"Oh yes."

"Agh, that's good! My daughter is marrying in some haste—a young imbecile who's going over to France to run an ambulance. I'm Mrs. Romilly."

Mrs. Chivvis waited unperturbed for further identification. Daphne had never heard of Mrs. Romilly, either, but she gasped as if she had been saying her prayers at the shrine of Romilly from childhood and now had been visited by the patron saint, whom she had recognized at once, of course.

"Oh yes, of course."

Mrs. Romilly was coughing on: "I've been to several shops, and I was almost in despair until I saw your sign. If you could do a few things in rather a hurry I fancy I could give you a large-ish order. And if the things were at all successful, I could throw quite a little trade your way. You're rather new, aren't you?"

Daphne assented that the firm was quite new. She brought forward an order pad and stood at attention.

Mrs. Romilly had trousseaued a large family of children and several poor relations. She knew what she wanted and what she ought to pay for it and when it should be done. Daphne took down her orders as if the little room were the mere vestibule to an enormous sweatshop where hundreds of sempsters would seize the job and complete it in a jiffy.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Optimistic Thought.

All brave men love; for he only is brave who has affection to fight for.

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Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

## Hasty Figuring.

"I took Prof. Jiggs out for a ride in my car the other day."

"Yes?"

"He's fully as absent minded as you said he was. He was thinking about something all the time we were riding and never once opened his mouth."

"I think I can explain that. He was probably counting the number of bolts you were giving him and calculating how much energy was wasted every time he was hurled into the air."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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If Constipated, Bilious or Headachy, take "Cascarets."

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## Oh, Dear!

She was going down in the elevator. Her voice had a touch of sadness that almost approached emotion.

"Hardly a bit of use for me to go out to lunch," she said to her girl friend. "Everything I like I can't eat—turnips or sauerkraut—well, I ain't so crazy about boiled cabbage, but it does taste kind o' good. Oh, dear!"

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Constipation invites other troubles which come speedily unless quickly checked and overcome by Green's August Flower which is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. It is a sovereign remedy used in many thousands of households all over the civilized world for more than half a century by those who have suffered with indigestion, nervous dyspepsia, sluggish liver, coming up of food, palpitation, constipation and other intestinal troubles. Sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. Try a bottle, take no substitute.—Adv.

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"Before marriage my husband was so susceptible to flattery."

"Yes?"

"And now he is susceptible to nothing but fresh cold."—Florida Times-Union.

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"Not at all," said the hotel clerk. "I know of plenty of kinks you've never thought of."

## Showing Them Off.

A considerable amount of golf is played principally for the reason that some women think their husbands look well in knickerbockers.—Washington Star.

## Mechanical Stoking Patent.

The first patent for mechanical stoking was taken out in 1780, the invention of James Watt.

For Constipation use a natural remedy. Gifford Tea is composed of carefully selected herbs only. At all drug stores.—Adv.

Judicious diet and exercise will frequently improve a man's opinion of his neighbors.

# PROBLEMS FACING STRICKEN WORLD

Shall Chaos or Reconstruction in Europe Follow the Great World War?

## GREAT NEED IS PRODUCTION

Men Must Be Given Inducement to Work and Guaranteed Fair Deal in the Distribution of the Result.

### Article VI.

By FRANK COMERFORD.

The world lives by two kinds of work, the work on the soil and the labor spent in making things. In this way we get the things we eat and wear. We have eaten up our surplus. The world's reserve is gone. We are literally living from hand to mouth. To overcome the food shortage we must put every inch of available ground into production. Only by doing this can we live and gradually get back the surplus which stood as a protection against crop failures.

Production is not automatic, it is the work of man. There is not anything complex about it. You can't use magic. To grow things men must plow and gather. The will to work is our greatest need. The land is available. God furnishes the sunshine and the rain. To get the plows, tractors and farm tools we must look to the industrial arm of life. Here again is the call for men. We are short of man power. Men were killed and crippled in the war. The men who survived the war must help do the work that would have been done by those who did not come back. In their present frame of mind they do not will to work, at least under the old conditions obtaining before the war. It is necessary to furnish them with an inducement to work. There was little inducement for men to work before the war. The discontented are not kicking at work. Their objection goes to the unfairness shown in distributing the result. It isn't any secret. They are shouting it from the housetops of Europe, they demand a larger share of the things they produce, or they refuse to work. There is a good deal of human nature in it, too. It is only human nature to think of self. There isn't anything unnatural in the workman looking for reward. Willingness to work is largely based on the thought of working for oneself.

Five things are necessary to start and keep production going. In other words, to get the clothes, shoes, stockings, coal and comforts of life, to give the farmer the tools he needs for agricultural production, so that we may eat; to provide the transportation necessary to collection and distribution, to bring the city to the country and the country to the market we must do five essential things.

**Production's First Need.** First, we must have plants, and I use the word in the most general sense. These plants must be equipped with machinery and tools, they must be ready for work.

Second, a plant is useless and stands idle unless we provide raw material, the thing furnished by nature that man and machine work into the finished product.

Third, we must have coal. Coal runs the machine and keeps warm the home of the man who runs the machine. The helplessness of the world without coal is brought home to me while I am writing these articles. The miners have left the pit. The government, through the courts, has tried to force them back. The effort is a failure. The streets are dark at night. The houses are cold. Business is crying out against necessary restrictions imposed because of the coal shortage. I realize as I never have before how dependent we are on the men who pick and dig the coal. All of the intelligence and culture, the courts, the gold, are but symbols of power. When the coal miners folded their hands and set their teeth things stopped.

Fourth, transportation is necessary to the gathering, collecting and delivering of raw material and the distribution of the finished product.

Fifth, and last, but first in importance, is man power. The purpose of production is man. He is master of it at every stage, in every department. Without him production is impossible. The business men who proceed on the theory that men could not live without their business, its pay roll, forget the first and greater truth that there would be no business without the workers. Man cuts, digs, gathers and hauls the raw material. He hews the wood, builds the plant. He mines the ore, he makes the tools, the machinery. He oils it, sets it in motion. He runs it. He makes the furnace and the boiler. He digs and shovels the coal which makes the power. He defies the heat of the furnace. He builds the locomotive and pulls its throttle. He makes the freight car and stands in the sleet in the dangerous railroad yard with the signal of safety.

### Railroads All Worn Out.

Transportation in Europe is partly paralyzed. During the war railroad tracks and roadbeds were allowed to deteriorate. It could not be helped, but the fact that it was unavoidable doesn't alter the situation. Roadbed and rails have fallen to pieces. There is a terrible shortage of cars. Everywhere on the Continent this is felt.

They have less than a third of the rolling stock necessary to meet normal requirements. The demand for transportation facilities will necessarily increase during the period of reconstruction. I have seen locomotives sneezing, coughing, expiring every few miles. Old, broken-down engines, the kind one expects to find in a museum. I was on a de luxe train, a diplomatic express. I commented upon the condition of the locomotive, which came to a full stop every once in a while. I commented upon the condition of the coaches. The chief of the train looked at me, smiled and said: "If you think this one is bad you ought to see some of the others."

The war disarranged plants and factories. The demand was for munitions. Peace gave way to war and plant equipment efficient for peace production gave way to plant construction necessary to manufacture the weapons of war. Plants were commandeered. Machinery was torn out, new machinery put in. A complete reconstruction and reorganization was effected. Now that the war is over and the demand for everything is great, it is necessary to change these plants back and fit them for the production needed. It is expensive, it takes time, it retards production.

It is strange that, while everyone can see and understand the difficulties and delays incident to reorganizing and rearranging machinery and plants, many people cannot see or understand the problem of rearranging men's lives, who for four years have been living abnormally. The effect of the war upon plants and equipment is conceded by the very man who refused to see any effect of the war on the men who were in it.

### Women in Labor World.

During the war women answered the roll call. They left their homes and went to work. There is hardly a kind of work that I can think of that I have not seen women doing in Europe. I have seen them loading boats, shoveling coal, washing windows, driving wagons, cleaning streets, conducting trams. Many of the women who went into the industries were young women. Now that the war is over and the men have come back there is a demand on the part of the men that the women retire to their homes. This is impossible in many cases, for these women have grown dependent upon their jobs for their living. Then, too, there is a shortage of marriageable men. Some employers of labor have taken advantage of this situation. They pay a woman less money than they pay a man for the same work. This makes both dissatisfied. The woman has the sympathy of the working man. He doesn't want her to compete with him to the extent that his wages will be lowered, neither does he want the boss to discriminate against her.

Women have come into the world of work to stay. If there is any meaning in the phrase "class conscious," they are living examples of it. They are more outspoken about their demands than men. They sense a wrong long before a man can see it. They have brought their intuition into the labor world. They are more radical than men, and they stimulate men to action. They have brought to the labor problem a new and interesting angle.

The key to the future is in the hands of these men and women. Production is the door that must be opened. Men and women must work, or winter and want will make a No Man's Land of Europe before the sun of 1920 thaws the frost from the ground.

Children crying for bread, shivering in the cold these bleak winter nights are praying that men will work and warmth. Their help cries are smothered by a great blanket—unrest. Will men hear them?

So I sought to find the causes of unrest, knowing it would bring me close to the heart of the trouble. (Copyright, 1920, Western Newspaper Union)

### Dickens' Tribute to the Cow.

If civilized people were to lapse into the worship of animals, the cow would certainly be their chosen goddess. What a fountain of blessing is the cow! She is the mother of beef, the source of butter, the original cause of cheese, to say nothing of shoeleathers, haircombs and upper leathers. A gentle, amiable, ever-yielding creature, who has no joy in her family affairs that she does not share with man. We rob her of her children, that we may rob her thereafter of her milk; and we only care for her when the robbery may be perpetrated.—Charles Dickens.

### Approaching the End.

Cicero in his dialogue entitled "De Senectute" makes one of his interlocutors say that all men wish to attain old age and yet complain of the fact when they have attained it. He adds that one of the grievances of the old is that age steals over them more rapidly than they expected. It is pointed out that we cannot prevent time from passing, and that even if we lived eight hundred instead of eighty years the past time, however long, cannot when it has flown away be able to "soothe with any consolation for an old age of folly."

### A Sister Wilhelm Did Not Like.

Princess Charlotte of Meiningen, sister of the ex-kaiser, who died recently, had been a sufferer for years and had undergone many operations. She passed most of her time on the Riviera. Indeed, the princess was a woman you couldn't miss. She wore bobbed hair, when no other woman had ever dreamed of such a thing, and talked democracy, and smoked all the time. The ex-kaiser was rather alarmed at her vagaries and preferred his other sister, Queen Sophia of Greece, who is more his sort.—London Mail.

# NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

## Piquet to Be Secretary

John A. Piquet of Montclair, N. J., has been named secretary of the Concord Chamber of Commerce. He will take up his new duties about the middle of March. Mr. Piquet is a former newspaper and advertising man.

## Weavers' Strike at Penacook Settled.

The difference between the weavers at the Standish Worsted company's mill, which resulted in a walkout has been settled and the mill resumed normal conditions Monday morning.

## Reduce Men at Navy Yard.

The enlisted personnel at the Portsmouth navy yard has been reduced to 85 men, including the men on board the U. S. S. Southern. Owing to the demands of the fleet, it is not likely that any more men will be stationed there at present.

## Will Cremate Body.

The body of Charles MacVeagh, Jr., who died from exposure on Mt. Monadnock will be cremated in Boston. Mr. MacVeagh, Sr., had arranged to take the body to Keene to have it placed in a tomb until spring, but later made other arrangements.

## Manchester to Build Bridges Over Merrimack.

A resolution was introduced in the Manchester Board of Aldermen appropriating \$850,000 for the building of two bridges across the Merrimack River, one to connect South and West Manchester and the other at Amoskeag Falls.

## Former Well Known Hotel Man Dies.

John P. Dunclee, for many years connected with the Brunswick hotel in Boston as owner and manager, died at the Margaret Pillsbury hospital, Concord, following a brief illness of erysipelas. Mr. Dunclee was spending the winter at Hotel Rogers in Lebanon when he was stricken.

## Claims \$5000 Damages.

Fillmore V. Dickerson of Hill, who claims \$5,000 damages on account of injuries received Nov. 20 by going over an unrailed culvert into a brook, has filed a petition through his attorney, Judge F. E. Woodbury of Franklin, to be allowed to serve notice to the town of Hill of his claim for damages.

## Exeter Instructor to Enter Relief Work.

The Rev. Frederick J. Libby, instructor and director of religious activities at Exeter Academy since 1912, has resigned to enter relief work in Europe. He has been appointed representative of the American Friends' service committee and will travel through the principal countries of Europe.

## Woman Suffrage is Thankful for Special Session.

Governor John H. Bartlett has received a letter from Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage association, expressing to him the appreciation of the association for having called the special session of the legislature for the purpose of ratifying the federal suffrage amendment.

## Pulmotor Saves Two from Gas Death.

Prompt work by the Manchester police with a pulmotor saved Heonous Considis and his wife, Polixen, of 282 Auburn street, from death by gas poisoning after two hours of effort.

Considis and his wife were discovered unconscious on the floor by a cousin, John Considis, who lodges with them. He summoned the police, who found gas escaping from a defective gas range.

## Child Must Go Back to Iowa.

After a hearing, Gov. Bartlett decided to sign extradition papers for the return to Iowa of Ella Forbes Buchanan of Barnstead, N. H., and Helen Winter, a schoolteacher in Canterbury, who are accused of kidnapping Constance Winter, 6 years old, sister of Helen and niece of Miss Buchanan.

The case is the sequel of a long search by detectives which began last October when the child disappeared from the home of her maiden aunts in Iowa. The investigators ended their quest only a few days ago when they discovered the girl at Barnstead, after fighting their way through a blizzard to reach the New Hampshire farm where she was.

## Going to Sick Wife Man Dies Suddenly.

Brock Dearborn of Belmont dropped dead at the Franklin Hospital while on his way to be present when his wife underwent a surgical operation. Mr. Dearborn drove to Franklin. Leaving his horse at a stable, he hurried to the hospital and fell as he entered the grounds. He was taken to the corridor where he died.

Mr. Dearborn was 62 years old and was born in Hill.

## Hearing is Held on Proposed Waterway.

The postponed hearing on the proposed waterway connecting the Merrimack and Piscataqua rivers was held at the city hall, Portsmouth. Captain Gilbert Van B. Wilkes, of the United States engineer corps, presided. Oliver L. Friebe, of the Atlantic Deepwaterway association, gave a clear outline of the proposed plan for the canal. Secretary Baker presented a brief in behalf of the chamber of commerce. Other written arguments were presented.

## Benefactor of Dartmouth Dies.

Wallace F. Robinson, financier and philanthropist, died at his home in Boston after a brief illness. He was one of the organizers and a director of the United Shoe Machinery Corporation. Robinson hall at Dartmouth college, the Robinson memorial hospital in Boston and the town hall at South Reading, Vt., where he was born in 1832, were among his public donations.

## Capt. Stearns May Succeed Osborne.

It is rumored that Captain Clark B. Stearns may succeed Lieut. Commander Thomas Mott Osborne, now in command of the naval prison, Portsmouth, when the latter's resignation is finally acted upon. Commander Osborne has withdrawn his resignation pending the investigation at the institution.

It is not likely that Mr. Osborne will leave the prison for some months. He assumed charge there during the war, at the special request of Secretary Daniels, and it is understood, that he has for some time desired to return to civilian life.

## Martha Watts Awarded \$4,525.

The jury in the case of Martha Watts of Londonderry forewoman of the Derry Shoe Co. vs. the Derry Shoe Co. after being out but half an hour brought back a verdict of \$4,525 for the plaintiff.

Mrs. Watts brought suit of \$15,000 for injuries alleged to have been caused by negligence on the part of the Derry Shoe Co. the defendant, the allegation being that she fell on a slippery floor, while in the act of carrying a rack of shoes across the room, the floor being made dangerous by an extra application of water, put on to cool the room on a hot day.

## Clogged Sewer Betrays Still.

City Marshal John Manchester and Policeman Louis Bassett raided the home of Joseph Fortier on Sanborn st., Franklin and seized an outfit of liquor making apparatus and a quantity of liquor. Fortier was arraigned before Judge Towne at a special session of the municipal court and at first pleaded not guilty of manufacturing intoxicating liquor. Fortier afterwards pleaded guilty to the charge and paid \$50 and costs.

Old man caught in a blocked sewer at the home of the accused furnished the evidence which led to the issue of a search warrant.

Not only home-made whisky, but a complete still was found in the house.

## In Fear of Freshet.

Fear is expressed in the north country that a freshet may exceed anything of its kind in years. According to reports, snow is four feet deep in the woods. With a thaw all streams in northern New Hampshire, including the Merrimack river will be flooded to the danger point.

Ice in the rivers would damage property and tear down bridges. In Manchester a freshet would probably sweep the old Amoskeag bridge from its foundations. This bridge weakened by travel, has been closed for months.

Engineers say if the Amoskeag bridge goes it will carry other bridges with it. The danger is increased from the fact the rivers already carry a considerable volume of water.

## Maine Follows New Hampshire.

Insurance Commissioner John J. Donahue has received notification from the insurance department of the state of Maine that that state has followed the action of New Hampshire in carrying out the "blue sky law" and refused a license to the H. V. Greene Co., of Boston which attempted to market securities in this state aggregating a capitalization of considerably in excess of \$30,000,000.

Directly after Commissioner Donahue took office last April, he began an investigation of the Commercial Finance corporation, the Mutual Finance corporation and the Peoples Trust, the latter a \$30,000,000 stock flotation. Satisfied that these securities were not of the sort which New Hampshire people should invest in, Commissioner Donahue on Oct. 19, last, revoked the license of the Greene company which was offering the stock.

Following the decision of the New Hampshire insurance department not to permit the H. V. Greene company to do business in this state, the Boston concern made several attempts to have Commissioner Donahue re-open the matter but he declined to do so on the ground that the stock floating agents had declined to give his representatives an opportunity to inquire into the affairs of the companies whose securities were offered for sale.

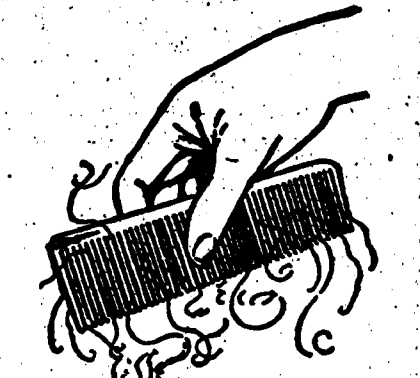
During the past month the Maine insurance department's "blue sky" investigators decided to refuse renewal of the Greene concern's license to do business in that state, thus bearing out the contention of Commissioner Donahue that the stock selling schemes fathomed by the Massachusetts brokers would not stand the sort of an investigation required by the New Hampshire insurance department.

## Patient Recovers From Shell Shock.

Philip Buriello of Milford, a patient at the State hospital, who was said to be suffering from "shell shock," has so far recovered his mental faculties that he will be released from the hospital within a few days. Buriello went overseas with the 303rd regiment, 76th division, and was reported killed in action. It developed that he had a case of shell shock and after being returned to this country to a base hospital was committed to the asylum in Concord.

# "DANDERINE" STOPS HAIR FALLING OUT

Hurry! A few cents will save your hair and double its beauty.



A little "Danderine" cools, cleanses and makes the feverish, itchy scalp soft and pliable; then this stimulating tonic penetrates to the famished hair roots, revitalizing and invigorating every hair in the head, thus stopping the hair falling out, getting thin, scraggly or fading.

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The fact that his wife uses a little powder is no excuse for a man's coming home shot.

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The worst thing a man can do is to do something his friends are sure he would never do.

## SHE THOUGHT DYEING WAS OLD-FASHIONED

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Wednesday, Feb. 25, 1920  
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Notions of Concerts, Lectures, Entertainments, etc., to which an admission fee is charged, or from which a Revenue is derived, must be paid for as advertisements by the line.  
Cards of Thanks are inserted at 5c. each.  
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Entered at the Post-office at Antrim, N. H., as second-class matter.



"It Stands Between Humanity  
and Oppression!"

## Antrim Locals

Miss Ethel F. Ellinwood, of Wollaston, Mass., spent the week end in town.

Will C. Hills is stricken with the prevailing cold epidemic and is confined to his home.

Mrs. Morris Burnham is in Manchester this week with her daughter, Mrs. C. Harold Clough.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Robinson have been entertaining Mrs. Lewis H. Carpenter, a former resident.

**WANTED**—A capable woman to do general housekeeping in family of three. Inquire at Reporter Office. adv

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Cram entertained their daughter, Miss Mildred Cram, from Claremont, over the holiday.

The shops of the Goodell Company were closed Monday, as were stores generally, in observance of Washington's birthday.

Congratulations are being extended Mr. and Mrs. Fred I. Dunlap, of High st., on the arrival Saturday of a daughter, Doris Annie.

Miss M. Eckless Nay, of Lexington, Mass., is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris E. Nay, convalescing from an illness.

The Sunday evening union service of the village churches was omitted Sunday night, owing to the memorial service held in the afternoon.

Miss Mildred Wallace is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Wallace, on a brief vacation from studies at the Fitchburg Normal School.

Waverley Lodge, I. O. O. F., conferred the initiatory degree at their regular meeting, and will work the first degree on Saturday evening of this week.

The annual Washington's birthday dinner given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church was well attended, and netted a generous sum for the treasury of the society.

Will A. Nichols was a recent business visitor in Boston, making new contracts with the motion picture exchanges for features to be shown at his theaters in Antrim and Bennington.

Frank Foote, who passed away at his home in Lowell, Mass., will be remembered by many Antrim people. The late Mr. Foote resided in Frankestown for some years. He was a member of Waverley Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Antrim.

Lester E. Perkins was the unfortunate loser of a pen of 15 nice pullets when a couple of dogs gained entrance into the hen house and killed every pullet. Included in the pen was a thoroughbred prize cockerel which Mr. Perkins had recently purchased.

A common complaint among householders is to hear of their roofs leaking. The snow melts a little and then freezes, the water backing up under the shingles and dripping from the roofs into the rooms below. During the past week, men have been employed shoveling snow from the roofs of several houses in town. The winter of 1920 will linger long in the minds of Antrim people for its severity.

## WANTED!

A few good live men and women to take orders for "The World War History" in 5 volumes. Sells at seeing. Big Money to agents. Write for information.

INGALLS & HORNBY,  
126 Federal St., Boston, Mass.

## Moving Pictures!

Eight O'clock  
Town Hall, Antrim

**TUESDAY Eve., March 2**

**SPECIAL ATTRACTION**

5 Reel Drama

Watch for announcement

2 Reel Comedy

W. A. NICHOLS, Mgr.

## Antrim Locals

### LOGS WANTED

Few thousand feet White Birch and Maple logs wanted.  
adv. GOODELL CO.

Charles N. Robertson is confined to his home with an attack of the grip cold.

L. S. Drew spent a few days in Boston on a business trip the past week.

Miss Bertha Merrill is ill at her home, suffering from the prevailing epidemic.

Miss Florine Ashford, of Dover, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ashford.

Miss Ethel Proctor, of East Jaffrey, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Proctor.

Sheldon Burnham, of Nashua, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burnham Sunday.

George A. Hodges has gone to California, where he has employment on a large farm with a relative.

Mrs. Lena Hensle entertained her son, Carl A. Hensle, of Portsmouth, first of the week.

Dr. James W. Jameson, of Concord, has been in town for a few days with his brother, R. W. Jameson, and family at the Highlands.

Miss Marie Jameson was at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jameson, over the week end, from Simmons College, in Boston.

The social for the members of the High school which was to have been held in the Methodist church on Friday evening of this week, has been indefinitely postponed.

**WANTED**—Capable woman for housekeeper in small family. Must be good plain cook. A good position for the right person. References required. Address, Box 406, Nashua, N. H. adv. tf

The Board of Trade will meet in the selectmen's room Thursday evening, March 4, at 8 o'clock, to discuss the articles in the town warrant. Every one who is interested is urged to be present and take part in the discussion.

At the meeting of the Woman's Club next Tuesday afternoon, Miss Ann Beggs will be present and will speak on "Conservation and Farm Bureau." All women of the farm are especially urged to be present.

The basket ball game Friday night between Antrim high school and Wilton was cancelled by the Wiltons, owing to poor train connections. The evening train which they would take to come to Antrim has been arriving at 9 o'clock instead of at 7 as scheduled.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Notice to Bond Holders

All the Registered Bonds of the Fifth Issue, Victory Loan, are now ready for delivery at the Hillsboro Bridge Guaranty Savings Bank.

## NOTICE!

Here's your chance, invest ONE CENT and get a DOLLAR: Put your name and address on a post card, set down what you think the 6 months old prize pig will weigh in our Fall Pig contest. The contest closes March 19. Send the card to us.

We will give \$1.00 to the person who first sends in the correct weight. adv

## For Sale

Single comb B. I. Red Cockerels for sale. And a few pairs Japanese Silkies Bantams.

Mrs. N. A. Richards,  
Antrim.

When Your Farm Stock is Sick,  
Look For Rats

Diseases among animals doesn't just happen. Rats are carriers of dangerous plagues—hog cholera, foot and mouth disease and that terrible of all scourges—Bubonic plague. Farmers should throw around the premises RAT SNAP. It's sure and safe. Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by Coan's Store and Antrim Pharmacy.



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Freight rates have played a very small part in the rising cost of living.

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A suit of clothing that sold for \$30 before the war was carried 2,265 miles by rail from Chicago to Los Angeles for 16½ cents.

Now the freight charge is 22 cents and the suit sells for \$50.

The cost of the suit has increased 20 dollars.

The freight on it has increased only 5½ cents.

Other transportation charges enter into the cost of the finished article—carrying the wool to the mills and, the cloth to the tailors—but these other charges amount to but a few cents more.

The \$10 pair of shoes that used to sell for \$5 goes from the New England factory to the Florida dealer for a freight charge of 5½ cents—only one cent more than the pre-war rate.

Beef pays only two-thirds of a cent a pound freight from Chicago to New York.

American freight rates are the lowest in the world.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of James C. Richardson, late of Antrim in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Charles S. Abbott, administrator de bonis non with will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the final account of his administration of said estate; and also as administrator of the estate of Elliott W. Baker, formerly administrator of the said estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Manchester in said County, on the 16th day of March next, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

Said administrator 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 6th day of February A. D. 1920.

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

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Ann M. Eaton, late of Bennington, in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Charles S. Abbott, administrator de bonis non of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the final account of his administration of said estate; and also as administrator of the estate of Elliott W. Baker, formerly administrator of said estate:

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Willie E. Staples, late of Antrim, in said County, deceased, testate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Charles S. Abbott, administrator de bonis non with will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the account of his administration of said estate; and also as administrator of the estate of Elliott W. Baker, formerly administrator with will annexed of said estate:

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E. J. COPP, Register.

H. B. Currier  
Mortician

Hillsboro and Antrim, N. H.  
Telephone connection

Administrator's Notice

The Subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Chas. A. Streeter, late of Bennington, in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.  
Dated Feb. 5, 1920.

Hazel D. Gebo.

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Annual Warrants of the Town, Precinct and School Districts

TOWN WARRANT

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on the NINTH DAY OF MARCH, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:—

- 1—To choose all necessary Town Officers, Agents, and Trustees for the ensuing year.
- 2—To hear the report of the Auditors on the Treasurer's accounts and act thereon.
- 3—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the James A. Tuttle Library.
- 4—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to assist the William M. Myers Post, No. 50, American Legion, and Ephraim Weston Post, No. 87, G. A. R., in properly observing Memorial Day.
- 5—To see if the Town will vote to have the Invoice and Taxes printed for the ensuing year, with the valuation of each lot of real estate printed separately, and raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or take any other action thereon.
- 6—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairing roads and bridges for the ensuing year.
- 7—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to secure state aid for the permanent improvement of highways, or take any other action thereon.
- 8—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to secure state aid for Trunk line construction, or take any action thereon.
- 9—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of money necessary to put a drain on the west side of North Main Street, from near the residence of Henry A. Hurlin to the Brook, or take any other action thereon.
- 10—To see if the Town will vote to buy as a Memorial to the Soldiers, Sailors and Nurses of the World War, the ground on West Street known as Jameson field, for the sum of eight hundred dollars, and appropriate the money therefor; also to appropriate additionally the sum of twenty-two hundred dollars to purchase a suitable Memorial Tablet with the names of these Soldiers, Sailors and Nurses properly inscribed thereon; any balance of this appropriation to be used for improvements on the Memorial Field, under the direction of a committee of five to be appointed by the Selectmen, this same committee to have charge of the purchase and erection of the Memorial Tablet, and to serve without pay. Also, to see if the Town will authorize the issuing of Town notes maturing at the rate of five hundred dollars a year to carry the above into effect, or take any other action thereon.
- 11—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suppression of the White Pine Blister Rust, or take any action in relation thereto.
- 12—To see if the Town will vote to observe Old Home Day and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.
- 13—To see if the Town will vote to extend the Electric Lights from Clinton Village to the Irving Stowell place, at Gregg Pond or Lake, and to the Cottage of R. McCleary, at White Birch Point, and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or take any action thereon.
- 14—To see if the Town will adopt Senate Bill No. 25, an act to authorize the Town of Antrim to establish and maintain an Electric Light and Power Plant for lighting its streets, etc.
- 15—To see if the Town will vote to contract, maintain, manage and own a suitable Lighting and Power Plant for the purpose of introducing and distributing, wherever advisable throughout the town, an adequate supply of light for lighting its streets. Also for the use of its citizens, and for other purposes, and for that purpose to take, purchase and hold, in fee simple and otherwise, any real or personal estate, and any right therein, water rights and privileges, machinery necessary for carrying same into effect, and to take any action thereon and appropriate money to carry same into effect.
- 16—To see if the Town will take, purchase and hold the following land for the purpose of owning or controlling an Electric Light Plant, a privilege given them under Senate Bill No. 25. Said land on North Branch river, owned by Chas. R. Jameson, heirs of Mary A. Worthen nee Emerson, W. C. Hills, the former Daniel Swett and William M. Conn farms, and former Curtis farm, and any other land necessary, and take action for same and appropriate money for same.
- 17—To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the use of the Australian Ballot system of voting at all elections where it is not required by law.
- 18—To see if the Town will vote to change the method of payment for the services of Selectmen so that instead of paying them in a lump sum per year, their services shall be paid for according to the actual time they serve the town in or out of executive session at the rate of: 75c. per hour for chairman of Selectmen, 60c. per hour for second Selectman, 50c. per hour for third Selectman, or take any action thereon.
- 19—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Street Lighting, or take any action thereon.
- 20—To see if the Town will vote to accept One Hundred Dollars from Will M. Carr, interest to be used in care of the Carr plat at North Branch cemetery, or take any action thereon.
- 21—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to procure a Snow Roller, or take any action thereon.
- 22—To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to discontinue any suit or attachment which has been brought against Charles R. Jameson in the name of the Town, or take any action thereon.

- 23—To see if the Town will vote to reimburse Chas. R. Jameson for time and expense incurred before the Legislature to defeat House Bill No. 812, an act to legalize the Exemption of the Electric Light Plant at Antrim, N. H., and appropriate a sum of money therefor or take any action thereon.
- 24—To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 117, Laws of 1917, on a section of the Cheshire and Contoocook Valley Road so-called, and appropriate or set aside from the amount raised for highway work the sum of \$1200 for this purpose.
- 25—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to pay Town charges, existing debts, and current expenses of the Town, or pass any vote relating thereto.
- 26—To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-first day of February, 1920.

JAMES M. CUTTER  
CHARLES F. DOWNES  
HENRY A. COOLIDGE  
Selectmen

SCHOOL WARRANT

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall, in said District, on the EIGHTH DAY OF MARCH, 1920, at 2.00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following subjects:—

- 1—To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
- 2—To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3—To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- 4—To choose a Member of the School Board for three years.
- 5—To hear the reports of Auditors, Agents, Committees, or Officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 6—To see what compensation the District will fix for services of School Board, Truant Officer, and other District Officers.
- 7—To see what extra compensation the District will allow for services of Superintendent.
- 8—To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate Five Dollars on each Thousand Dollars of the 1920 Inventory of the Town for the support of Elementary Schools.
- 9—To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the High School.
- 10—To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs of School buildings.
- 11—To see if the District will adopt Article 83 of the Laws of 1913, providing for medical inspection of schools.
- 12—To see how much money the District will vote to raise to carry out medical inspection.
- 13—To see if the District will vote to allow the pupils of the Antrim High School to hold dances, or take any other action thereon.
- 14—To choose all other necessary Officers, Agents, etc., for the ensuing year.
- 15—To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands in said Antrim this twenty-first day of February, 1920.

JOHN D. HUTCHINSON  
MATTIE L. H. PROCTOR  
EMMA S. GOODELL  
School Board.

PRECINCT WARRANT

You are hereby notified to meet in Engine House Hall, in said Precinct, on MARCH 10, 1920, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:—

- 1—To choose a Moderator for the year ensuing.
- 2—To choose all necessary Officers and Agents, for the year ensuing.
- 3—To hear the report of the Auditors on the account of the Treasurer, and act thereon.
- 4—To hear the reports of the Commissioners, Fire Wards, and Agents, and act thereon.
- 5—To see what sum the Precinct will vote to pay the members of the Fire Department for their services for the year ensuing, and appropriate a sum of money therefor.
- 6—To see how much money the Precinct will vote to raise to defray expenses and pay existing debts the year ensuing.
- 7—To see if the Precinct will vote to light the streets in the Precinct, raise or appropriate money therefor, or take any other action thereon.
- 8—To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands in said Antrim, this twenty-third day of February, 1920.

GEORGE W. HUNT  
FRANK P. ELLINWOOD  
CARLTON W. PERKINS  
Commissioners of Precinct

W. L. Lawrence  
ANTRIM, N. H.  
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Francestown, N. H.  
Who would be pleased to make dates for demonstrations

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I have reliable companies and will do your business for you with promptness and accuracy, having had many years of experience.

W. C. HILLS  
Antrim, N. H.

SCHOOL BOARD'S NOTICE

The School Board meets regularly in Town Clerk's Room, in Town Hall block, the Last Friday afternoon in each month, at 2 o'clock, to transact School District business and to hear all parties.

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

MAX ISRAEL  
Henniker, N. H.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Mary Cochran, late of Antrim, in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Charles S. Abbott, administrator de bonis non of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the final account of his administration of said estate; and also as administrator of the estate of Elliott W. Baker, formerly administrator of said estate:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Manchester, in said County, on the 16th day of March next, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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Given at Nashua, in said County, this 6th day of February, A.D. 1920.

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In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears the signature of *Charles H. Buxton*



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often follows a  
**Neglected Cold**  
**KILL THE COLD!**

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Standard cold remedy for 20 years—  
in tablet form—safe, sure, no  
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hours—relieves pain in 3 days.  
Money back if it fails to  
cure. Send for a box of  
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### Acid-Stomach

Millions of people who worry, are despondent, have spells of mental depression, feel blue and are generally unhappy, believe that these conditions are due to outside influences over which they have little or no control. Nearly always, however, they can be traced to an internal source—acid-stomach. For it is to be wondered at, Acid-stomach, beginning with such well defined symptoms as indigestion, belching, heartburn, flatulence, if not checked, in time affects the nervous system, becomes deranged. Digestion suffers. The blood is impoverished. Health and strength are undermined. The victim of acid-stomach, although he may not know the cause of his ailments, feels his hope, courage, ambition and energy slipping. And truly it is dark—not worth much to the man or woman who has acid-stomach!

Get rid of it! Don't let acid-stomach hold you back, wreck your health, make your days miserable, make you a victim of the "Blues" and gloomy thoughts! There is a marvelous modern remedy called **EATONIC** that brings all such quick relief from your stomach troubles—restores your stomach to its normal healthy condition. It makes it strong, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your strength, vitality, enthusiasm and good cheer. Many thousands upon thousands of sufferers have used **EATONIC** with such marvelous results that you will feel the same way if you will just give it a trial. Get a box of **EATONIC** today. It is the good tasting tablets that you eat like a bit of candy—from your druggist today. He will return your money if results are not even more than you expect.

## EATONIC

(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Tobacco—Chewing, 50c lb.; smoking, 50c lb.;  
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See Cox, Tobacco Farm, Calvert City, Ky.

### SOUNDED ALL RIGHT TO HER

Prisoner's Defense Naturally Had a  
Lot of Weight With the  
Fair Prosecutor.

The case looked black against the  
prisoner, who was charged with loitering  
suspiciously at the railway station.  
Presently the magistrate said sternly:

"This lady says you tried to speak  
to her at the railway station."

"It was a mistake," pleaded the man  
in the dock. "I was looking for my  
wife's young niece, whom I've never  
seen, but who'd been described to me  
as a handsome young lady, with golden  
hair, well-cut features, fine complexion,  
perfect figure, beautifully dressed, and—"

With a charming blush, the principal  
witness against him interrupted his  
flow of eloquence.

"I don't wish to prosecute the gentleman,  
sir," she said to the magistrate.  
"Any one might have made the same  
mistake."

### Mean But True.

"That was a nasty thing the cook  
said to me before leaving."

### "What was it?"

"Just as she was leaving the house  
she turned back in a rage and said:  
"Well, I've got it on your husband,  
anyhow. I don't have to stay here."

### The Challenge.

He—A kiss is the language of love.  
She—Dummy.—Boston Transcript.

The sweetest sign that a man has begun  
to succeed is when his rivals begin  
knocking him.

## EAT LESS AND TAKE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Take a Glass of Salts if Your Back  
Hurts or Bladder  
Bothers.

The American men and women must  
guard constantly against kidney trouble,  
because we eat too much and all  
our food is rich. Our blood is filled  
with uric acid which the kidneys strive  
to filter out, they weaken from over-  
work, become sluggish; the eliminative  
tissues clog and the result is kidney  
trouble, bladder weakness and a general  
decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps  
of lead; your back hurts or the urine  
is cloudy, full of sediment or you are  
obliged to seek relief two or three  
times during the night; if you suffer  
with sick headache or dizzy, nervous  
spells, acid stomach, or you have rheu-  
matism when the weather is bad, get  
from your pharmacist about four  
ounces of Jad Salts; take a table-  
spoonful in a glass of water before  
breakfast for a few days and your  
kidneys will then act fine. This fa-  
mous salts is made from the acid of  
grapes and lemon juice, combined  
with lithia, and has been used for  
generations to flush and stimulate  
clogged kidneys; to neutralize the  
acids in the urine so it no longer is a  
source of irritation, thus ending  
bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot in-  
jure, makes a delightful effervescent  
lithia-water beverage, and belongs in  
every home, because nobody can make  
a mistake by having a good kidney  
flushing any time.—Adv.

It is easier to find a fault than it is  
to lose it again.

Since it is worth while to be well, take  
Garfield Tea, Nature's medicine.—Adv.

### Novel.

"I have a novel idea for a film play."

"What is it?"

"The husband and wife in the plot  
have no serious marital difficulties."

### The Reason.

"You look depressed this morning."

"Yes; when I went to look at my  
private stock this morning I found  
I was out of spirits."—Baltimore  
American.

### Sampling the Cellar Stock.

"Has Bill changed much since he got  
out of the army?"

"Not much. He still spends a great  
deal of his time in a dugout."—The  
Home Sector.

### A Bear Defined.

Friend—A bull, then, is an optimist  
and a bear is a pessimist.

Operator—Well, not exactly. I  
should call a bear an optimistic pes-  
simist. He thinks things are going to  
smash and hopes to make money if  
they do.

### The Retort Courteous.

"I went to call on that newly rich  
upstart, Mrs. Alicash, at the refined  
and artistic apartment she has leased,  
and she had the impertinence to send  
me word she was not at home."

"What did you do?"

"I sent her word back by the maid  
that I did not suppose she would be  
in such surroundings."

### Not a Flirt.

A friend of mine while motoring in  
the East had an amusing experience  
which he related to me recently. Driv-  
ing through New Hampshire, he  
stopped pityingly when he saw a wom-  
an beginning the climb of a mile-long  
upgrade. My friend is considerably  
under thirty and the woman was sixty  
or more, scrawny, squirrel toothed,  
crooked and bony. He raised his hat  
and asked: "May I give you a ride,  
madam?" She glared and snapped:  
"No, sir, you can't. I'm none of your  
city flirts, I'd have you know."

## CONSULT U. S. IN FIUME SOLUTION

Suggestion in President's Note  
of Treaty Withdrawal From  
Senate Has Effect in Europe.

### AMERICA MADE NO THREAT.

Premiers Cannot Expect to Fix Bound-  
aries at Their Convenience and  
Expect America to Uphold  
Them, Is His View.

Washington.—President Wilson's  
note to the premiers of Great Britain  
and France, objecting to the Adriatic  
settlement, tells them frankly, if not  
bluntly, that if the ultimatum sent to  
the Belgrade government is permitted to  
stand he will be obliged to "con-  
sider the advisability of withdrawing  
the Versailles treaty from the United  
States senate."

In undiplomatic language, what the  
President says is that they cannot  
hand us any boundaries for the new  
nations that their own convenience dic-  
tates and expect us to go ahead with  
the plan to guarantee those bound-  
aries.

The suggestion that the treaty may  
be withdrawn is not a threat, but a  
simple statement that we are not go-  
ing to permit other nations to make  
the arrangements and look to us to  
help carry them out. In this connection  
President Wilson is as much  
against the famous Article 10 as Sen-  
ator Lodge or Senator Borah.

The news of the President's commu-  
nication struck the senate in the midst  
of its half-hearted effort to get the  
peace treaty into ratifiable shape. It  
provoked a thought that there was a  
possible deliverance from an annoying  
situation, for there appears to be very  
little hope anywhere that the differ-  
ences between the treaty's friends and  
its enemies can be composed.

But even the suggestion that the  
treaty might possibly be withdrawn did  
not cause any long continued satis-  
faction.

"If it were true," said Senator  
Lodge, "the powers would give in.  
They need the United States."

"The President is sending for the  
George Washington again," said Sen-  
ator Moses, referring to the incident  
in Paris that brought the peace confer-  
ence out of a trance or a deadlock.

Recent sessions of the senate were  
in some respects the most futile since  
the treaty came before it.

"My present opinion is that the treaty  
will go back into the same old hole  
in the senate," said Senator Hitchcock.  
"We will not accept the Lodge reserva-  
tions, and it looks now as if the milder  
reservationists will not come to us.  
There is no prospect of a change."

Mr. Hitchcock was asked if he would  
call on the President to inform him of  
the situation. He said that he had no  
plans to do so.

It is believed, however, that the  
President will take the matter up with  
a few senators before the treaty is dis-  
cussed. He may confer with some  
of the friends who stood by him  
through the war. The attitude of ad-  
ministration senators is that it would  
be futile to yield on the Lodge reserva-  
tions if the President is to pocket the  
treaty. They would rather stop where  
they are.

Mr. Hitchcock said that enough sen-  
ators would support him to defeat the  
Lodge program. He indicated that after  
the debate had run along as it has  
for a few days he would state the case  
as he sees it and tell Senator Lodge  
that if he is going to strangle the treaty  
he might as well act without delay.

While the withdrawal of the Ver-  
sailles treaty from the senate would  
not constitute an actual withdrawal  
of the United States from further par-  
ticipation in allied affairs growing out  
of the war, the difference is hardly  
more than a matter of word splitting.

### Food Cards in Italy.

Rome.—Owing to the high rate of  
exchange, the difficulty of securing  
transport and the scarcity in supplies,  
the Council of Ministers has decided to  
re-establish card systems for the nec-  
essaries of life under the same condi-  
tions as during the war. Cards there-  
fore will be required for bread, rice,  
macaroni, coal, lard and fats.

### CHICAGO-TO-COAST MERGER.

Northern Pacific, Great Northern and  
C. & N. W. to Consolidate.  
Chicago.—The dream of James J.  
Hill will come true soon after March  
1. This is a consolidation of the Chi-  
cago, Burlington and Quincy, the Great  
Northern and the Northern Pacific rail-  
way systems. Hale Holden, who has  
already resigned as regional director  
of the central west, will be at the head  
of the combination.  
The consolidation comprises 25,000  
miles of lines.

### MARYLAND BEATS SUFFRAGE.

By Big Vote Both Houses Defeat Rat-  
ification of Amendment.  
Annapolis, Md.—The Maryland gen-  
eral assembly decisively rejected the  
federal amendment for woman suf-  
frage. In the senate the vote was 18  
against and 9 for ratification; in the  
house 64 against and 36 for ratifica-  
tion. Big delegations of suffragists  
came from Baltimore, and the Com-  
mittee on Federal Relations heard  
them and women opposed to the  
amendment.

### MRS. W. K. DRAPER.

Member Red Cross League  
Which Opens at Geneva.



Mrs. William K. Draper, the only  
delegate of her sex sent by the Amer-  
ican Red Cross to the first general  
council of the League of Red Cross  
societies opening at Geneva, Switzer-  
land, on March 2.

## HALT RAIL STRIKE ON WILSON OFFER

Brotherhood Agree to Truce  
Pending Organization of Arbi-  
tration Tribunal by Congress.

Washington.—Peaceful settlement of  
the railroad controversy seemed cer-  
tain after union chiefs agreed to lay  
before their organizations President  
Wilson's proposals for a settlement.

President Wilson telegraphed Pres-  
ident Barker of the United Brotherhood  
of Maintenance of Way Workers call-  
ing attention to the decision reached  
here by other rail union heads and  
asking that Barker's strike order, effec-  
tive at 7 a. m. Tuesday, be withdrawn.  
The order was intended to take 800,000  
workers from their duties to enforce  
their wage demands.

The union executives who have been  
meeting here, in a letter to President  
Wilson, announced this course of ac-  
tion and added that they favored the  
creation of a special tribunal to re-  
examine the entire railroad wage prob-  
lem and settle it. They asked him to  
secure the assent of the railroad man-  
agers. They asked that the special  
tribunal so created work on the basis  
of the following principles:

"Rates of pay for similar and analo-  
gous services in other industries."  
"Relation of rates of pay to increas-  
ed cost of living."

"A basic minimum wage sufficient to  
maintain a railroad man's average  
family upon a standard of health and  
reasonable comfort."

"That differentials above the basic  
minimum living wage be established,  
giving among other things due regard  
to skill required, responsibility assum-  
ed and hazard incurred; decision of  
this tribunal to be handed down with-  
in 60 days after agreement to establish  
it, and to be final and binding upon all  
railroads in the United States and em-  
ployees whom we represent."

The President proposed two methods  
of settling the wage question. He  
promised to use all possible speed.

"In this connection," replied the union  
chiefs, "we have been pressing the  
necessity for immediate relief and urge  
that you do not require us to await the  
creation of a tribunal by legislation to  
deal with this problem."

"We feel justified in saying that we  
do not believe that railroad employees  
will be willing to accept any plan  
which contemplates delay."

## WORLD NEWS IN CONDENSED FORM

LONDON.—The internationalization  
of the Dardanelles and of the Bos-  
porus and the Turkish retention of  
Constantinople were decided upon de-  
finitely by the allied Supreme Council.  
BOSTON.—The will of Henry B. En-  
dicott, former executive manager of  
the Committee on Public Safety and  
millionaire manufacturer, was filed for  
probate. It leaves virtually the entire  
estate, estimated at \$10,000,000, to his  
immediate family.

CAIRO.—The Sultan of Egypt is dis-  
tributing \$12,000 among the poor in  
celebration of the birth of an heir to  
the Sultanate.

LONDON.—Earl Curzon, secretary  
for foreign affairs, speaking at the  
Primrose League dinner, deplored the  
publication of sensational articles  
concerning the settlement of peace  
problems and the attitude toward  
these of the United States, which, he  
pointed out, was confronted with ex-  
ceptional difficulties.  
NEW ORLEANS.—With the arrival  
of General Pershing, the 1920 Mardi  
Gras carnival, the first since 1917, was  
formally opened. A reception for Gen-  
eral Pershing took place at the City  
Hall, where he addressed gatherings  
of school children and war veterans.

## GERMANY MAY TRY CULPRITS

Allies Accept Berlin's Offer to  
Take War Guilty Before  
Leipzig Supreme Court.

### KAISER INTERNING HINT.

Ask Dutch to Reconsider—Practically  
Suggest Holding Emperor Under  
Guard—Won't Interfere  
in Trial.

London.—The allied reply to the  
German note of January 25 proposing  
as an alternative to extradition that  
persons accused by the allies be tried  
at Leipzig states that Germany's pro-  
posal for such trial at Leipzig is com-  
patible with Article 228 of the peace  
treaty. The allies, the note says, will  
abstain from intervention in the pro-  
cedure of that court.

The reply of the council to Holland's  
note regarding the extradition of the  
Kaiser repeats more strongly than was  
expected the right of the nations to  
try Wilhelm, but, as has already been  
told, plainly opens the door for Hol-  
land to exile him or to guard him  
safely on Dutch soil without surren-  
dering him for trial.

After stating that the allies have  
carefully considered the German note  
of January 25 the reply says:  
"The powers observe, in the first  
place, that Germany declares herself  
unable to carry out the obligations im-  
posed on her by Articles 228 to 230,  
which she signed. They reserve to  
themselves the power to employ in  
such measure and form as they may  
judge suitable the rights accorded to  
them in this event by the treaty."

"The allies note, however, the Ger-  
man government's declaration that  
they are prepared to open before the  
court at Leipzig penal proceedings  
without delay, surrounded by the most  
complete guarantees and not affected  
by the application of all judgments,  
procedure or previous decisions of Ger-  
man civil or military tribunals before  
the Supreme Court at Leipzig against  
all Germans whose extradition the al-  
lied and associated powers have the  
intention to demand."

"The prosecution which the German  
government itself proposes immedi-  
ately to institute in this manner is com-  
patible with Article 228 of the peace  
treaty and is expressly provided for at  
the end of its first paragraph."

"Faithful to the letter and spirit of  
the treaty, the allies will abstain from  
intervention in any way in the pro-  
cedure of the prosecution and the ver-  
dict in order to leave to the German  
government complete and entire re-  
sponsibility. They reserve to them-  
selves the right to decide by the re-  
sults as to the good faith of Germany,  
the recognition by her of the crimes  
she has committed and her sincere de-  
sire to associate herself with their  
punishment."

"At the same time the allies, in the  
pursuance of truth and justice, have  
decided to intrust to a mixed inter-  
allied commission the task of collect-  
ing, publishing and communicating to  
Germany details of the charges brought  
against each of those whose guilt shall  
have been established by their investi-  
gations."

"Finally, the allies would formally  
emphasize that procedure before a  
jurisdiction such as is proposed can in  
no way annul the provisions of Ar-  
ticles 228 to 230 of the treaty."

"The powers reserve to themselves  
the right to decide whether the pro-  
posed procedure by Germany which  
according to her, would assure to the  
accused all guarantees of justice, does  
not in effect bring about their escape  
from the just punishment of their  
crimes. In this event the allies would  
exercise their rights to their full ex-  
tent by submitting the cases to their  
own tribunal."

The German press, as quoted in a  
dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph  
Company from Copenhagen, declares  
that Field Marshal von Hindenburg's  
surrender is demanded by the allies  
not only because he is alleged to have  
said, "The most cruel war is the most  
humane, because it leads to an end,"  
but also because of his responsibility  
for the destruction of property during  
the German retreat.

### MEAT PRICES LOWER IN CHICAGO

Hogs Drop \$1 a Hundred Below Pre-  
vious Quotation.  
Chicago.—Meat prices again tumbled  
at the stock yards. Hogs dropped  
\$1 a hundred pounds. Prices of hogs and cattle are from  
3 1/4 to 4 cents a pound less than the  
price a year ago. Inquiry at whole-  
sale and retail meat markets and at  
downtown restaurants failed to show,  
however, that Mr. Ultimate Consumer  
was getting much benefit from the  
slump.

### DEMANDS SOLDIERS' BONUS.

President of American Legion Prepares  
Drive in Congress.  
Washington.—Franklin D'Oller, pres-  
ident of the American Legion, arrived  
in Washington to establish headquar-  
ters for a force that will attempt to  
swing Congress over to the Legion  
viewpoint on the question of a bonus  
for soldiers.  
He did not meet congressional lead-  
ers, but representatives of the Legion  
are preparing a drive some time this  
week.

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moods. He is either up in the garret  
or down in the cellar."  
"Well, if he was prudent enough to  
lay in a private stock I bet most of  
the time he's down in the cellar."

## PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

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and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments.  
Your cold in head or catarrh will be  
gone. Your clogged nostrils will open.  
The air passages of your head will  
clear and you can breathe freely. No  
more dullness, headache; no hawking,  
snuffing, mucous discharges or dry-  
ness; no struggling for breath at  
night.  
Tell your druggist you want a small  
bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a  
little of this fragrant, antiseptic  
cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate  
through every air passage of the head;  
soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed  
mucous membrane, and relief comes  
instantly.

It is just what every cold and ca-  
tarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay  
stuffed-up and miserable.—Adv.

Poverty is more of a punishment  
than it is a crime.

If you would know a man study his  
infirmities rather than his virtues.

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### The Reason.

"Press agents rarely go into bankruptcy." "No wonder. Their liabilities are also their assets."

### RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 3/4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and will make hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

A woman is always grateful to the man who gives her a chance to refuse him.

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## NEW ENGLAND NEWS IN TABLOID FORM

Items of Interest From All Sections of Yankee Land

By 97 votes Marblehead, Mass., went wet for the first time since 1880, the vote standing 546 to 449.

Stoughton Bell placed on record as against the bill the Boston and the Massachusetts chambers of commerce.

Two Boston men were held in the sum of \$1,000 in the Malden, Mass., district court on a charge of having stolen a 10-cent pocketbook containing a cent.

A Waterbury, Conn., man who was arrested after seizure of the largest illicit still yet uncovered in New England, was fined \$200 and costs for keeping liquor with intent to sell.

Gov. Milliken will call special session of the Maine Legislature, if necessary, to provide for enrollment of women voters; believes they will have full suffrage before June primary.

S. Edward Perry, 70 years old, a retired farmer, Canton, Mass., committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn. Despondency due to ill health is thought to have been the cause.

The factory and contents of the J. W. Steers Organ Company, Springfield, Mass., one of the oldest of its kind in the country, were destroyed by fire with a loss estimated at \$100,000.

Mrs. Mary E. widow of Joseph C. Robinson, recently observed her 101st birthday at the family home, 206 Washington street, Malden, Mass. She enjoys good health and reads the daily papers.

Joseph W. Launze, 44, an accountant at the Quinsigamond wire mill of the American Steel & Wire Company, Worcester, Mass., was drowned in a big tank containing thousands of gallons of oil.

Failing to get any heat in her apartment and being unable to rouse the janitor, a woman occupant of an apartment house in Lynn, Mass., called police headquarters. The police found a poker game going on.

Mrs. Theodore Burnett, a French stowaway, who was married at sea to a member of the ship's crew, and ordered deported from Boston by the immigration department, has been admitted to the U. S. on \$2000 bail.

Information that the Massachusetts quota of the national guard will number 12,600 instead of 4000, as at first ordered, has been received by high authorities in the military service of the state, from Washington sources.

The British Avro biplane, which made a record trip from New York to Boston in 2 hours eight minutes last month and has since been replying on the ice-covered Charles river basin, Boston, broke away from its mooring.

From articles found in the rooms of John Noccia and Anthony Forleson, who were shot and killed in a pistol duel in the cellar of a South Beach, Conn. house, the police connect them directly with at least eight burglaries.

News that his mother, ill with blood poisoning in a Boston hospital, was not expected to recover, led 15-year-old Philip T. Abbott of Franklin, Mass., to commit suicide by firing a bullet into his mouth from a small hunting rifle.

The will of Henry B. Endicott, which is dated Dec. 24, 1918, has been filed in Dedham, Mass., for probate. With the exception of certain bequests to his old servants and some personal friends, the entire estate is left to his immediate family.

Through the watchfulness of Dr. William H. Spear, the veterinary inspector of the Portland, Me., board of health, Portland people were prevented from eating pork from a herd of 200 hogs in the vicinity of that city afflicted with hog cholera.

George J. Flervo of No. Adams, Mass., has taken steps to annul his marriage with Miss Margaret Kennedy of that city at Pownal, Vt., on Feb. 1, claiming that he was drugged at the time of the ceremony and did not know that he was married.

A carrier pigeon pursued by gulls alighted on the steam trawler Sea Bird, 175 miles east of Cape Cod, its leg band bearing the inscription, O F B 292, 1915. On reaching T wharf, the pigeon was liberated and, after getting bearings, flew in a westerly direction.

Representative E. Gerry Brown of Brockton, Mass., appealed to the House to give the farmers a square deal and to protect their interests by creating a commission to investigate the agricultural resources of the state and to report upon the causes that have contributed to its decadence. The committee on agriculture had reported adversely on his petition, and Mr. Brown asked the House to substitute the bill.

Although the cost of living in Massachusetts has increased 92 per cent, since 1914, there has been almost no profiteering, declares the state commission on the necessities of life in its report to the Legislature. The great increase in prices, according to the commission, has been due chiefly to increased demand and decreased supply, both of which it calls natural outcomes of the world war. The commission recommends no legislation designed to control prices directly, declaring it believes such laws would be worthless and likely to do more harm than good.

Mrs. Anna Tomaskiewicz of South Hadley, Mass., was arrested on a bench warrant charging her with murder in having caused the death by poisoning of her husband, Andrew T. Tomaskiewicz, who died last August under peculiar circumstances.

The Massachusetts House has passed to be engrossed the bill requiring towns to provide transportation for school children or to pay for their tuition in nearer schools in adjoining towns, when the town schools are remote from the homes of school children.

An official inspection of the First Company, Rhode Island State Guard, of Woonsocket, will be made April 19 at the Woonsocket Armory by Adjutant General Charles W. Abbot, Jr., and the commanding officer of the company, according to general orders.

Colonel Edward L. Logan, commander of the American Legion in Massachusetts, urged the Legislative Committee on Military Affairs to support bills to care for the graves in France of the Massachusetts men and women who gave their lives to democracy and for erecting there a suitable memorial in their honor.

Working their way through almost impassable snow drifts, the selectmen of Concord, Vt., succeeded in recovering the body of John Leclair, 76 years old, who was killed by one of his cows, which died from starvation. Leclair's body lay in the barn for five days before it was discovered by a hunter who stopped at the farmhouse while making a round of his traps.

The plant of G. H. Grimm & Co., Rutland, Vt., manufacturers of maple sugar-making utensils, was destroyed by fire, the loss being estimated at \$58,000. In an attempt to save valuable papers in the office, Chief A. A. Courcelle put on a gas mask and entered the building, but he was partially overcome by smoke and had to crawl out on his hands and knees.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels intends to establish a Summer training school at Newport, R. I., this summer, according to information received by Governor Bucknam. Secretary Daniels states he will request appropriations not only to continue the Newport station, but to utilize it for the training of young men desiring to enter the navy or the naval reserves.

Landlords in Massachusetts would be required to maintain a temperature of 55 degrees from 6 o'clock in the morning until 11 o'clock at night during the period of the year between Oct. 15 and April 15, under the terms of a bill which was favored before the judiciary committee by Health Commissioner Woodward of Boston, Mayor Adams of Melrose, representing the commission on the necessities of life, and Representative Silbert of Boston.

Mrs. Patrick J. Sullivan, 49, of Springfield, Mass., was accidentally shot in the left side by her 6-year-old son, Edward, in her home. The youngster was playing about the house and found a 22-caliber loaded revolver in a bureau drawer. He took it to his mother and asked her what it was. She told him to put it back. As he was about to do so he pulled the trigger in fumbling with the weapon and the bullet struck Mrs. Sullivan.

What its effect a strike vote was taken among the thousands of mill hands in Lawrence, Mass., who are members of the Amalgamated Textile Workers of America. The move is believed to portend a nation-wide strike of textile operatives by April 1 at the latest. The ballot circulated among the local workers did not mention strike. It seeks to find out how many workers want the forty-four-hour week and a 50 per cent. increase in pay.

Abolition of some of the present holidays, so that Nov. 11 in Massachusetts can be observed as a day commemorating the ending of the great war was suggested to the committee on legal affairs by Representative Hartshorn of Gardner in support of his bill providing that Armistice day be designated as a legal holiday. Mr. Hartshorn believed it might be possible to merge armistice day and Thanksgiving. Edmund W. Longley, vice-president of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company in opposition, said the institution of another holiday would cost the people \$5,000,000 in loss of wages.

Acquisition by the Central Maine Power Company of a majority of the stock issues of public utilities controlled by Maynard S. Bird and Hugh J. Chisholm of Portland, Me. is being effected, subject to the approval of the public utilities commission. These corporations include the Androscoggin Electric Company, which operates the interurban electric railroad between Lewiston and Portland; the Oxford Electric Company, furnishing electrical power in Norway, South Paris and Mechanic Falls, and the Knox Electric Company, which operates the Rockland, Thomaston & Camden street railway, and supplies power and light to Knox county towns in the vicinity of Rockland.

Former Senator Arthur Harrington of Charlestown, Mass., gave the members of the legislative committee on election laws a graphic word picture of how the political game is played in ward five, formerly ward eight. Boston, if his charges are true. He charged extreme colonization of voters, stating that in a building on Causeway street, a room 30 feet square had been fitted up with 16 double bunks, which were occupied on the evening of March 31 in each year by at least 80 men who at other times lived elsewhere.

### JUDGE C. W. SESSIONS.

Expiring at Trial in Detroit of Newberry and 134 Others.



Judge C. W. Sessions, before whom Senator Newberry and 134 others are on trial in Detroit charged with corruption, conspiracy and fraud in the 1918 senatorial contest.

## WILSON WARNS ALLIES U. S. WILL QUIT EUROPE

President Protests Against British Fiume Scheme of Cutting Tangle Presented to Slavs.

Paris.—Hugh C. Wallace, the American ambassador, delivered to the French foreign office a memorandum from President Wilson in which the President said he could not approve of Premier Lloyd George's proposed settlement of the Adriatic question, which has been submitted to the Jugo-Slavs.

It is also said that an identical memorandum was delivered to the British Foreign Office in London.

President Wilson gives it to be understood that if the allied powers settle the Adriatic problem without consulting the United States government the United States will find it impossible to concern itself in European affairs or continue in the peace conference.

In his memorandum President Wilson criticizes Premier Lloyd George's plan as communicated to the Jugo-Slavs by the Supreme Council on January 20. The President examined the plan, but declares he cannot approve of its tenor. He particularly opposes the idea which consists in giving the Jugo-Slavs the choice between this plan and execution pure and simple of the London pact.

In addition, according to the Paris Temps, the President finds the Lloyd George plan too divergent from the memorandum drawn up at London last December by Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau, with the collaboration of the American representative.

The League of Nations is watching the situation closely and may step in at any moment. Officials here are frankly fearful of the possibility of war over the Adriatic. It is admitted that if the situation comes to an impasse between the Serbians and the Italians this may afford the first opportunity for the league to enforce a settlement through the application of economic measures.

French diplomats are greatly excited over President Wilson's action. They say that the American government will not take part in the discussion of the Council of Premiers, to which it is invited, yet at the same time exacts that the premier's decision must be shaped in accordance with Washington's wishes.

### LATEST EVENTS AT WASHINGTON

Rear Admiral W. S. Benson, chief of the Bureau of Naval Operations during the war and one of the figures of the Daniels-Sims naval row, is to be named chairman of the United States Shipping Board to succeed John Barton Payne when the latter becomes secretary of the interior.

In view of the fact that the amounts offered in the bidding for the former German ships are below the totals of the original sealed bids, which were not considered entirely satisfactory, it is doubted if the board will wish to go through with the sale. A few of the offers may be accepted. Bidding on ex-German passenger vessels proved a disappointment. In nearly all cases the offers made at the auction conducted by the Shipping Board were less than previously presented in sealed bids. There were no bidders for a considerable number of the ships.

Protests were presented to the Senate Committee on Agriculture against the Gronna bill, repealing the wheat guaranty and abolishing the grain corporation. The bill was favorably reported, but because of opposition Senator Gronna was obliged to arrange for further consideration.

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**GETS MONEY FROM RUBBISH**

Invention of Englishman Has Proved Its Practical Value in a Number of Towns.

One of the most remarkable machines in the world has just been invented by an Englishman, W. P. Hoyle. It converts dust into cash—or, more correctly speaking, it extracts what is worth saving from rubbish and prepares it for redistribution. Cinders are washed, dust is converted into fertilizer, tins are cleaned, and paper and rags are sorted. Another bit of machinery used in this wonderful "refuse recovery plant" deals with concrete blocks for building. It has been proved that every hundred tons of waste produce \$160, and since a town of 75,000 inhabitants discards about one hundred tons of rubbish daily one can easily work out the municipal revenue that such a plant would produce. Not a few towns in the United Kingdom have already installed a Hoyle rubbish converting plant. Aberdeen in one day collected \$3,000 worth of discarded bottles, a week's jam-jar collection in the city of Sheffield realized \$800, while Glasgow estimates that one year's conversion of its rubbish will bring in \$20,000.

Poor reputations are due to the fact that good intentions are seldom credited.

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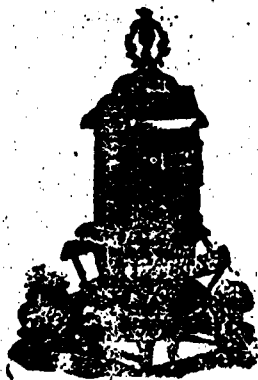
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## BENNINGTON

A Weekly News Letter of Interest

### Moving Pictures!

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"Fatal Fortune" Chap. 7

WANTED—A capable woman to do general housekeeping in family of three. Inquire at Reporter Office. adv  
Mrs. George O. Joslin spent about three weeks in Somerville, Mass., where she was called by the death of a niece, Mrs. Fred Lee.

Word was received here last week of the sudden death by heart failure, of G. Frank Foote, of Lowell, Mass., formerly of Franconstown, and known to many of our people.

Mrs. George Hoffman, of Mattapan, Mass., recently visited with her sisters in this place, Mrs. George Edwards and Mrs. Harry Wilson.

Mrs. Mary Wilson has returned to her home here, after spending a number of weeks with her son, Forest Wilson, in Hillsboro.

Lincoln's and Washington's night was observed by Sons of Veterans Auxiliary with appropriate exercises. At the close of the meeting light refreshments were served.

Bennington has reached her quota in the drive for the Near East Relief Fund, and the chairman, Mrs. Taylor, wishes to thank the people for their interest and cooperation. Ten dollars was contributed by the school children.

A most delightful valentine party was held at the Congregational church vestry, on the afternoon of the 14th. The room was very prettily decorated. The afternoon was spent in playing games, after which lunch was served to about fifty of the children of the Sunday School.

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### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Marietta F. Nesmith, late of Antrim, in said County, deceased, testate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas George Miles Nesmith, 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 Milford, in said County, on the 26th day of March 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 18th day of February A. D. 1920.  
E. J. COPP, Register.

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Mrs. Fred Knight visited in Hillsboro recently.

The recent storms of the past two or three weeks have added somewhat to the trouble already existing in the matter of embargoes on incoming and outgoing freights and made it next to impossible to keep stock enough in hand to manufacture paper, there being a large number of cars of raw material, and coal as well, somewhere on the road at the present time, but not being able to get it has caused the paper machines at the Monadnock Paper Mills to shut down the present week. It is hoped this stock will all come along without further delay and that the machinery at this mill will not be long idle from a cause which seems more or less needless, to say the least.

### BENNINGTON TOWN WARRANT

The Selectmen have posted the annual Town Warrant and we give herewith the several articles to be acted upon at the Town Meeting to be held at the Town Hall, Bennington, Tuesday, the Ninth Day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon:

- 1—To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 2—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
- 3—To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for Memorial Day.
- 4—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to secure hydrant service.
- 5—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for highways.
- 6—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for lighting the streets with electricity.
- 7—To see what action the Town will take with regard to State Aid maintenance of same and Trunk Line maintenance.
- 8—To see if the Town will vote to accept legacies and gifts given to the Town in trust by different individuals, the income to be used in the care of cemetery lots.
- 9—To see if the Town will appropriate \$125.00 for the control of the White Pine Blister.
- 10—To see what action the Town will take in regard to purchasing and erecting a permanent Honor Roll, in honor of the boys of the Town who have served in the World War, and appropriate money for the same.

### GREENFIELD

Mrs. Anna Foote was in Lowell the past week.

Fred W. Barnes spent Saturday at Mineral Spring Dairy Farm.

Mrs. Nelson Labier has been visiting in Peterboro the past week.

The road men are having a hard time to keep the roads open this winter.

Ed. Farrington and family, from Lawrence, Mass., are at their farm for the week.

John Robertson, Sr., who has been confined to his home for five weeks, is able to be out again.

Miss Isabel Robertson, from Keene Normal School, spent the week end and holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson.

G. S. Peavey has just passed his 85th birthday. Mr. Peavey received many cards of congratulation from friends. He holds the Post came in Greenfield.

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YEH?



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