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Mrs. Wilkinson gave a very interesting paper on The Art of Portraiture in Olden Times; Solo, Grandmother's Love Letters, Miss Tandy; Sketch, Grandmother in the New Social Order, by Mrs. Boyd; Reading, Grandmother's Beau, Mrs. Colburn.

The Chapter voted to present the William M. Myers Post, No. 50, American Legion, with a flag, and the Regent, Mrs. Boyd, was appointed to purchase the same.

Refreshments were served and a social hour followed.

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## THREE ANNUAL MEETINGS

### School, Town and Precinct. Transact Their Yearly Business

#### School Meeting

The annual School Meeting was held at Town Hall on Monday afternoon, March 8, and was called to order at two o'clock by Moderator D. W. Cooley, who read the warrant, and Rev. R. S. Barker offered prayer. A large number of our people of both sexes were present. Business under the warrant began at once and each article was taken up in its order.

1—To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Dennis W. Cooley was reelected.

2—To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

William C. Hills was reelected.

3—To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Carl H. Robinson was reelected.

4—To choose a Member of the School Board for three years.

Charles W. Prentiss was elected on the first ballot, by a good majority but refused to accept the office.

On the second ballot, John D. Hutchinson had eighteen votes and there was no choice. Mr. Hutchinson withdrew his name.

After the third ballot, Chester A. Bates was declared elected and he, too, refused to accept the office.

Charles S. Abbott was elected on the fourth ballot.

5—To hear the reports of Auditors, Agents, Committees, or Officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Under this article the only officer to report was the Auditor, Charles W. Prentiss, who read the report, which was accepted by vote without debate.

6—To see what compensation the District will fix for services of School Board, Truant Officer, and other District Officers.

Voted that the sum of \$197.50 be the compensation for the District officers.

7—To see what extra compensation the District will allow for services of Superintendent.

Voted that whatever extra sum is needed be taken from the dog tax fund and that received for tuition.

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.

Voted to raise and appropriate five dollars on each thousand dollars of valuation.

9—To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the High School.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3900.

10—To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs of School buildings.

Under this article there seems to be a need of considerable work being done at the village school house to improve the sanitary conditions, to meet the requirements of the state board of education and the sum of \$1600 was, by vote, raised and appropriated for this purpose.

11—To see if the District will adopt Article 83 of the Laws of 1918, providing for medical inspection of schools.

Voted to dismiss the article.

12—To see how much money the District will vote to raise to carry out medical inspection.

After considerable discussion of this article, and a number of the men present aired their respective views, it was voted to raise \$200 for this purpose.

Last year the local Red Cross attended to this work, at an expense of about \$150.

It is understood that Article 11 has to be adopted by the School District, otherwise it is not operative under the law; this being the case, and the article dismissed by vote, there arises a question regarding the use of this appropriation under the twelfth article.

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.

This article called forth considerable discussion and motions and amendments were acted upon; finally on division of the house this action was taken: Voted that the pupils be allowed to hold dances at graduation and on other occasions, as conducted by the majority of High Schools in the state, and that these dances be properly chaperoned by the School Board.

A former vote taken in March, 1910, remains on the records of the School District, as follows, the same not having been rescinded:

Voted, to instruct the School Board to use their power as far as they have authority to prevent dances under the auspices of our Schools.

The question now arises: how can the vote of this year become operative when it conflicts with a vote of the District already in force?

14—To choose all other necessary Officers, Agents, etc., for the ensuing year.

Under this article Charles W. Prentiss and William E. Cram were elected auditors.

15—To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

No further business, the meeting was adjourned at five o'clock, being one of the longest School Meeting sessions held in town in a long time.

#### Town Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 10 a. m., with Moderator W. E. Cram in the chair. After the reading of the warrant, prayer was offered by Rev. H. A. Coolidge. The ballots were given to the ballot clerks, the ballot box found to be empty, and balloting commenced.

The Town Meeting and Presidential Primary was held at one and the same time, two separate ballots being used. It was thought by some, the day before, that perhaps a postponement of Town Meeting ought to be considered, owing to the bad traveling outside the village, but a goodly number of our people attended, remaining most of the day, and in the afternoon a large number of ladies occupied the balcony. One of the strange things about the meeting was that when the result of the vote was announced at seven o'clock in the evening, it was found that exactly the same number of ballots were cast as two years ago, and only two less than a year ago.

A number of the voters did not carry both ballots, consequently a much lighter vote was cast for Presidential delegates than was cast for town officers. Those delegates on the Republican ticket pledged to Leonard Wood had a long lead over the others, the successful delegates being Fred W. Estabrook, Frank Knox, Charles Gale Shedd, John H. Bartlett. The delegates on the Democratic ticket were selected "fifty-fifty" from the Organized Democracy and the Regulars, the successful ones being James F. Brennan, William H. Barry, Eugene E. Reed, Moise Verrette.

The vote for Town officers, those marked thus \* denoting election:

Town Clerk	
*Morris E. Nay	184
Town Treasurer	
*George P. Little	186
Three Selectmen	
*James M. Cutter	178
*Charles F. Downes	174
*Edmund M. Lane	103
Morris H. Wood	85
Overseer of the Poor	
*Edward F. Heath	183
Road Agents	
*Elmer W. Merrill	179
*James A. Elliott	170
Trustee Tuttle Library, 3 years	
*Richard C. Goodell	116
Frank F. Roach	64

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#### Doings of the Republican and Democratic Caucuses

At the Republican caucus on Wednesday evening last, in town hall, at which there were present about forty men, the Republican club was reorganized with the choice of the following officers, all of whom were reelected:

H. W. Eldredge—President  
F. E. Bass—Vice President  
R. H. Roberts—Sec'y. Treas.

H. A. Hurlin, W. E. Cram, B. F. Tenney—Executive Committee

For candidates for town officers, the following were nominated, all of whom are the present incumbents of the offices they are nominated for, excepting Mr. Lane for Selectman, and the two road agents:

Town Clerk—Morris E. Nay  
Treasurer—George P. Little  
Selectmen—J. M. Cutter, C. F. Downes, E. M. Lane

Overseer of Poor—E. F. Heath  
Road Agents—F. L. Proctor, I. P. Hutchinson. These candidates declined to serve and the nominees of the Democrats were accepted by the executive committee and placed on their tickets.

Library Trustee for 3 years—R. C. Goodell

Trustee of Trust Funds for 3 years—C. F. Butterfield

Auditors—H. W. Eldredge, F. C. Parmenter

The Democrats held their caucus on Friday evening last in Selectmen's room, and the following men were nominated by them for town officers, to be voted for at town meeting:

Town Clerk—Morris E. Nay  
Treasurer—George P. Little  
Selectmen—James M. Cutter, Chas. F. Downes, Morris H. Wood

Overseer of Poor—Edward F. Heath  
Road Agents—Elmer W. Merrill, James A. Elliott

Trustee Tuttle Library, 3 years—Frank F. Roach

Trustee Trust Funds, 3 years—Frank E. Wheeler

Auditors—H. W. Eldredge, F. C. Parmenter

#### Assessors' Meetings

The state tax Commission will hold a meeting at Manchester, in the city hall, Saturday, March 13, at 10.30 a. m., for the purpose of conferring with and advising the selectmen and assessors as to the laws governing the assessment and taxation of property. Similar meetings will also be held at Concord, State House, Friday, March 12, at 10 a. m., and at Keene, Court House, Wednesday, March 31, at 1 p. m. It is the duty of every Selectman and Assessor to attend the meeting at the place most convenient to his residence without reference to the county in which the meeting is held.

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**NEW ENGLAND NEWS IN TABLOID FORM**

**Items of Interest From All Sections of Yankeealand**

The oldest resident of Manchester, Mass., Nehemiah C. Marshall, celebrated his 92d birthday anniversary by taking his lesson in snowshoeing.

The oldest resident of Framingham, Mass., Mrs. Frances Lewis Wilson, who celebrated her 100th birthday Nov. 5, died from pneumonia last week.

The season's top price for mixed fish were paid by Portland, Me., dealers when 20,000 pounds landed by four schooners was quickly disposed of at 13 cents a pound.

In spite of the heavy killing of deer during the open season 14 were seen recently in Townshend, Vt., and in another locality a herd of 10 were seen drinking from a spring.

On a wager at a Millford, Mass., restaurant Anthony Freeman, 25, ate 25 fried eggs, four slices of toast and drank two quarts of milk. He won \$40, the bet being \$40 to \$7.

With the transfer of a 40-acre tract of land, announcement was made in Springfield, Mass., of the intention of the Diamond Match Co. to locate a big manufacturing plant in that city.

Robert J. Halliday, Jr., 14, of New Bedford, Mass., angered because his father whipped him with a strap after he had refused to do an errand, shot his father, the police say, with a rifle.

Portland, Me., officials are making an effort to round up what is believed to be an organized gang of thieves who have been operating in the local freight sheds and at the steamship docks.

An increase in the tax rate to provide higher salaries for teachers was favored by a vote of nearly two to one in the election in Burlington, Vt. Four of the six aldermen elected were Republicans.

Six police officers in charge of a sergeant and armed with automatic pistols, stood guard while 1600 cases of liquor from Glasgow were being unloaded at Portland, Me. and destined for Canada.

Gov. Clement of Vermont has announced that he will not call a special session of the legislature to consider ratifying the woman suffrage amendment, as requested by the republican state committee.

A strike of 32 weeks' duration at the Black Cat Textile Co's mills at Bennington, Vt., has been settled. Concessions on a question of increased wages have been made and the workers returned to work.

Samuel Silver, a landlord, was fined \$50 on two counts for failure to keep his tenements in repair. This was the first conviction in a campaign by the Hartford, Conn., Board of Health to improve housing conditions.

Miss Ellen M. Duffey, the Hopkinton, Mass., high school teacher, whose dismissal from the high school Dec. 6 precipitated a protracted legal war among the town fathers, has resumed her position at the high school.

"I branded my daughter with a hot poker and assaulted my wife because they got me angry when they lied to me," said Joseph Malta when he pleaded guilty in Fitchburg, Mass., police court on two assault complaints.

There is to be no increase in cost of milk to the consumer during this month, the present price of 17 cents a quart being maintained according to a statement issued by Dr. N. C. Davis of H. P. Hood & Sons, Boston.

William J. McCarthy, Supervising Prohibition agent for the Boston district conducted a series of raids in Boston and vicinity, resulting in the seizure of eight stills, 10 barrels of wine and a varied assortment of other liquors.

Suspecting an organized plan for stealing cats for their fur the Lawrence, Mass., police began investigation of the loss of many from various sections of the city recently. A local furrier sets the price of cats' fur from \$1.50 to \$2.50.

A dead man was elected constable of Sandisfield, Mass., at the annual town meeting, Monday. The nominee Wellington Fuller, a blacksmith, died last week of pneumonia. He was endorsed by both parties and his name appeared on the ballots.

Three men will be selected shortly at a meeting of former Yale aviators to represent the university in the inter-collegiate air races, May 6 and 7. There are available for the team about 50 students who held commissions in the army, naval or marine corps flying service.

The Connecticut board of education passed a vote recommending that salaries of school teachers throughout Connecticut be increased 50 per cent.

Four paper mills owned by the Fitchburg, Mass., Paper Co., were closed because of the failure of wood pulp to arrive. Three hundred and fifty men were left idle.

Robert M. Washburn, a former senator, appeared before the committee on judiciary of the Massachusetts legislature in favor of his bill directed against the financing of campaigns of candidates for the legislature by persons interested in legislation or "lobbyists," and prohibiting contributions to political organizations by registered legislative agents. He stated an instance where \$40,000 was paid one man to watch the legislature yet it was impossible to show any service performed by him.

Plans for a great chain of retail hardware stores with the purpose of selling direct from factory to consumer were announced by Louis K. Liggett, who has acquired the largest individual interest in the Winchester Arms Co. of New Haven, Conn.

Officials of the Providence, R. I., bricklayers' union announced that the strike of their members which has paralyzed building activities in that city and vicinity had been settled. More than 500 have been out. The union demanded \$1.25 an hour from \$1.

The executive committee of the Vermont State Electrical Association, at a meeting in Rutland made tentative plans for an electrical show in the state this year. It will be the first of the kind attempted in Vermont and will probably be held at Burlington.

Worcester tailors have served notice on the master tailors that they will strike March 10 unless they are given less work, even if it means less pay. They want an 8-hour day and \$36 a week. They are now on piece work and work as long as they care to, some of them earning as high as \$80 and \$80 a week.

A United States fish hatchery will be permanently located in St. Albans, Vt., seems assured, that permanency being strengthened by the sale of two acres of land on Sandy Point. The sale probably established a fish hatchery for the propagation of lake fish in that district with the added element of permanency.

Urgent calls for grain stocks are being received at Portland, Me., from all over the state. Many hundred cars of grain are held up on various railroads, some of them frozen solidly to side tracks. Unless there is immediate relief the question of feeding cattle will become a serious problem, according to these reports.

Miss Cecilia V. O'Sullivan, 15-year-old daughter of John J. O'Sullivan of Methuen, Mass., left home to attend the theatre, but unexpectedly went to a ball of the Attilah Club, where she was urged to enter the beauty contest with 50 other Lawrence girls. She was adjudged the prettiest girl and carried off the prize.

A ministers' hotel has been opened for the first time in Boston at No. 16 Beacon street. It is exclusively for members of the cloth and the rate is 50c a day, to cover the cost of laundry. Unitarian ministers will be given the preference. When their wants have been supplied applications from other denominations will be considered.

The Massachusetts state tax for this year, which had been estimated as \$12,000,000 probably will be \$14,000,000. The revised estimate is in consequence of the ruling of Atty.-Gen. Allen that the \$3,107,366 paid the state by the federal government for the Boston dry dock cannot be used for current expenses of the commonwealth.

Maine potatoes were sold last week in Aroostook county at a record price, in fact, the highest price ever known in northern Maine, of \$6 a barrel. This abnormal price has resulted from lack of supplies, the severely cold winter having prevented the moving of potatoes or of any other produce that would be affected by the very low temperature.

Quite a bit of excitement was provided at the Scituate, Mass., town meeting when opposition was raised to Thomas W. Lawson's plan for an appropriation of \$8000 for finishing a park he has donated as a memorial for the town's young men who served in the war. "All right, vote it down," Mr. Lawson shouted in defiance, "I'll pay for it myself."

Charles H. Bickert, vice-president of the National Fruit Products of Tennessee, and named as a defendant in a suit by the government to collect \$171,000 as taxes on spirits, was arrested by federal agents in Stamford, Conn. Federal officials there said that Bickert was charged with making a mash for the distillation of liquor, in violation of the prohibition law.

After an animated debate, the Massachusetts House passed to be engrossed a bill authorizing the department of corrections to provide temporary aid for dependent families of prisoners. The opponents of the bill charged that too much kindly attention was being given to prisoners and that the department of corrections was trying to extend its functions.

Weary travelers in an arid land and furtive carriers of mysterious bundles may breathe a sigh of relief as a result of a ruling of United States Commissioner Hayes in Boston. He declared that he doubts the right of the police to stop and search wayfarers who may be slipping from dark spot to dark spot bearing mementos of the late John Barleycorn.

Harry L. Barker, secret service agent in charge of the Boston office, issued a warning to the public to watch out for a clever counterfeit \$20 bill which is being circulated in cities throughout New England. The raised to \$20 by pasting the figures 20 over the figures 5 and the word twenty over the word five. The counterfeit can be discovered easily by the presidential portrait on the face of the bill. A \$20 bill bears the portrait of Cleveland, while that on the \$5 bill is of Lincoln. Two of the raised bills have been found in Lowell, one in Lawrence and one in Concord.

The spectators of an "entertainment" in a church in Athol, Mass., were shocked by the appearance on the platform at the last of a series of entertainments, of three Boston burlesque girls, attired in real burlesque costume. The happening was unfortunately due to a Boston bookkeeping agency. Originally, the agency was asked that three entertainers for the evening be sent. Unfortunately those selected for the trip were taken ill and instead the three girls were sent along.

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**WILSON TAKES FIRST OUTING SINCE ILLNESS**

With Mrs. Wilson President Goes on Jaunt About Capital—First Outing in Five Months.

Washington.—President Wilson demonstrated to Washington that he is rapidly recovering from the illness that has confined him to the White House for almost six months. For the first time since he was hurried to the capital and ordered to bed, "a very sick man," he left the White House grounds and took an automobile trip through the city.

The President's reappearance in public had been expected ever since he returned to the direction of the executive duties by forcing Secretary Lansing to resign, wrote the Adiratic notes and made several important executive appointments.

But when Washington saw the familiar White House automobile with the President inside, showing the effects of his illness, the city was taken by surprise at the suddenness of his appearance. Few people recognized the executive, but those who did waved cheery greetings to him and were warmly greeted in return.

From the glimpse the people received of the President as the White House car moved hurriedly through the streets he appeared to have aged greatly since he returned ill from his western trip last September. His hair is white and his face shows the marks of illness.

Great secrecy was observed at the White House regarding the trip. At 11 o'clock a. m. the inclosed car of the White House and a car for secret service men were brought to the rear entrance of the executive mansion.

The President walked to the automobile with the aid of his cane and with Rear Admiral Grayson at his arm. Mrs. Wilson and Admiral Grayson helped him into the machine, and then, followed by a car full of secret service men, the President rode through the park along the Speedway and then up Pennsylvania avenue, through the Capitol grounds and back to the White House.

When the President arrived at the Capitol, Senator Borah of Idaho, leader of the "irreconcilable" opponents of the treaty the President is fighting to have ratified, was standing at the curbing. Senator Borah recognized the President and waved his hand. The President smiled broadly and waved in return to his leading opponent in the treaty fight.

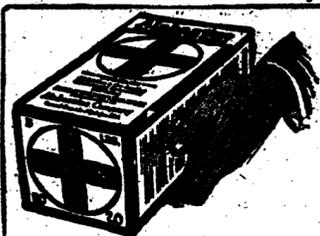
Dr. Grayson said the President had been much benefited by his ride, and that an examination of his blood pressure on his return showed it to be quite normal.

**LATEST EVENTS AT WASHINGTON**

A vote on prohibition in the house can be obtained at least once a year and probably more often by reason of the precedent established by Frederick H. Gillett, speaker, in ruling as in order a proposed amendment to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill. The decision was regarded as a victory for the wets.

The house refused to repeal the Volstead prohibition enforcement law. The vote against the repeal—254 to 85—was the usual prohibition majority, showing that eight months of drought has failed to shake the control of the dries.

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**UNABLE TO IDENTIFY MUMMY**  
London Officials in Something of a Quandary as to Disposition of "Old Jimmy."

One of London's problems at the present hour is what to do with a mummy that lies at the back of the Mansion house in one of the oldest churches of that ancient city. No one knows where it came from, and the focal element around the Mansion house describe it as "Old Jimmy—a former lord mayor of London." The rector is in a quandary over its disposal. The figure is perfectly preserved: eyes, hair, nose, teeth, nails and ribs.

Inside the door of the mummy's box is a glass lid, which was removed a few days ago for the first time for many years. The mummy was covered with cobwebs, but was still in good condition. "It feels like leather," said an onlooker as he touched "Old Jimmy's" elastic ribs. The rector invites suggestions from the public as what to do with the mummy. The mystery as to its identity arises from the fact that during the great London fire in 1666, it was hurriedly removed from another church, and placed where it now lies so as to escape the ravages of the conflagration.

Well Matched.  
"She has dyed her hair a raven hue."  
"I suppose that is to match her crown's feet."

Before and After.  
"Green Hill says he was first attracted by his wife's voice." "Yes, and now he is distracted by it."

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certainly does hearten one up for the day. Why shouldn't it? Grape-Nuts is ready-cooked, ready-sweetened, and contains just those good elements nature requires for the strength to do things.

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Used by Mothers for over 30 years

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Get a package from your druggist for use when needed. Do Not Accept Any Substitute for MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS.

PORTER HAD FELLOW FEELING

Witness of Osculatory Exercises Meant to Do Good Turn in Putting Gob Wise.

The gob was on shore leave and happy because he had found a girl as affectionate as he. His joy was dimmed, however, for a bluecoat had forbidden spooning in the park and his girl had tabooed it in the streets.

This was too much for a colored porter who had been watching. He stepped up to the gob. "Boss," he said, "why don't you go downstairs and try the Long Island station? Dem local trains am a-leavin' mos' all de time!"—Everybody's.

Some Housekeeping. In order to serve its patrons, one of the large New York hotels requires in a single year 375,000 pounds of butter, 500,000 quarts of milk, 90,000 quarts of cream, and more than 2,000,000 eggs.

Pertinent Comparison. "How fast the winter days do fly!" "Mercy, yes! Time goes about as fast as a ton of coal."

As women grow older love cuts much less ice than money.

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

A school of instruction for health officers and sanitary conference, by authority of the state board of health, will be held in Representatives' hall at the state house, Thursday and Friday, March 25 and 26.

Wallace H. Lougee, aged 26, a veteran of the world war, employed by the Laconia Gas and Electric company, was electrocuted by coming in contact with a high tension wire while working upon an electric light pole.

Mistaking the cellar door for the door leading to her bedroom, in the darkness, Mrs. Harriet C. Wallace, aged 87, of Woodsville, stepped over the threshold and plunged headfirst down the stairs meeting instant death.

The additions and alterations to shop No. 2 of the Scott & Williams plant in Laconia are practically completed and the contractors, the Abershaw Construction Company, of Boston, Mass., expect to make delivery of the job on March 10.

Charges of immorality and lax discipline among the inmates of the Portsmouth naval prison were held to be without foundation in the report of the special board of investigation made public by Asst. Secretary Roosevelt, a member of the board.

A deer which probably came into Keene looking for food was chased by dogs and ran into the Davis stable on Roxbury st. The animal tried to jump through a window, but was unsuccessful and was put into a box stall. Fish and Game Warden W. J. Callahan was notified and took charge of the case.

In a rather rough but fast and interesting game of hockey at the Ice Pavilion, Concord, the Victors, Montreal city champions, defeated the Dartmouth Club sextet, 6 to 5, but the Canadians had to go 12 minutes and 30 seconds overtime before they could administer the "sudden death" thrust.

Rev. Sidney B. Snow, for several years pastor of the Unitarian church in Concord, will be a member of the relief party which sails from New York, March 13, to investigate conditions in Transylvania. The party will also undertake religious work, physical aid and general relief, under the direction of the Unitarian commission for Hungarian relief.

Farm Associations Vote to Separate. The Rockingham County Farmers' Association has voted to separate the farmers' exchange from the farm bureau, and a separate set of bylaws has been drawn up for the former organization.

Machine Shop Caves In. A section of the machine shop, 150 feet in length at the Concord car shops of the Boston & Maine railroad caved in under the weight of snow on the roof. No one was injured as the workmen had left the building. The accident cost 150 men out of employment temporarily.

Suncook Mills to Build Houses for Employees. The Suncook Mills Company will erect for its employees 34 industrial houses of the modern bungalow type, each two stories in height, it is announced. Work will begin on the residences April 11, and the contract calls for the completion of the undertaking by Sept. 15.

Start Addition Soon. It is announced that the contemplated addition to the Historical building Concord will soon be started and will add materially to Concord's wonderful square where millions of dollars are invested in public buildings. This addition when completed will house Mr. Tuck's art collection which is now in Paris and which is estimated at over one million dollars.

Home Brew Maker Given Fine in Court. Xavier Pinard of Manchester who was arrested by city and federal officers charged with the illegal manufacture of liquor, pleaded guilty in police court and was sentenced by Judge Perkins to pay a fine of \$25, plus \$4.70 costs, and received a suspended 30 days' sentence to the house of correction.

Rewards Two Weeks After Her Divorce. Mrs. Daisy I. Bowers of Nashua was married to John "Dick" Gardner, a prominent Nashua business man, within two weeks after securing a divorce from her husband, Dr. George A. Bowers, alleging cruel and abusive treatment. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Horace B. Williams, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church.

Judge Sawyer Sets Aside \$1,500 Verdict. The jury in Portsmouth returned a verdict for \$1,500 in the case of James Cornell against the Boston and Maine railroad. Judge Sawyer, who heard the case, later set the verdict aside.

The plaintiff claimed he was injured when getting off an electric car at Portsmouth in September, 1919, claiming he had fractured his hip.

Work on New Amoskeag Dam. Better boards giving an idea of how large a proposition the erection of the new Amoskeag power house and dam will be, have been erected in the Merrimack river bed, Manchester, and other preparatory work for actual construction of the \$500,000 project is well under way.

Delay has been caused, however, by the non-arrival of tools ordered because of the freight embargo and the extremely cold weather. The new power house will be located just south of the old stocking mill and will house two modern water wheels of 7500 horsepower each.

Waterway Would Benefit 2,000,000.

O. L. Frisbee, in behalf of the Atlantic Deeper Waterway association, Portsmouth chamber of commerce, and other associations, has appealed from the decision of the U. S. engineers' board on the matter of constructing a waterway connecting the Piscataqua and Merrimack rivers.

Allow Grappling For Metal And Coal Rear Admiral Halstead commandant of the Portsmouth navy yard, has granted permission to fishermen in this vicinity to grapple for coal and junk in the Piscataqua river.

Mr. Frisbee claims that two million people living in the eastern section of New England would be benefited by this waterway.

Few mill workers have anything left after their bills are paid under the present wage and living rates, according to John J. Golden, president of the United Textile Workers of America, who was in Manchester recently. He said he looked forward to a busy season for workers and mills, with no let-up during the summer months.

After a conference with the heads of the textile locals, Mr. Golden met Agent H. F. Straw of the Amoskeag to discuss certain grievances relating to hours of labor and pay on special work. He said the results of the interview were satisfactory.

Bogus \$20 Bills Are Passed in New England.

Harry L. Barker, secret service agent in charge of the Boston office, issued a warning to the public to watch out for a clever counterfeit \$20 bill which is being circulated in cities throughout New England. The bill is in reality an ordinary \$5 note raised to \$20 by pasting the figures 20 over the figures 5 and the word twenty over the word five.

One Pint Must Last Ten Days. "One pint of liquor to any one person in a period of 10 days" is the amount allowed on the federal prohibition blanks which are being issued from the Concord office of the newly appointed federal prohibition director, George H. Whitchee, to physicians in New Hampshire who find it necessary to dispense intoxicating liquors for medicinal purposes.

In filing out these blanks, the federal law places upon the physician the responsibility for deciding from his own professional knowledge as to whether or not the liquor prescribed is necessary as a medicine, and these blanks must carry all the necessary information in detail, as to the amount and frequency of the dose, the oilment for which prescribed, as well as others, and the kind of liquor furnished.

Druggist Also Responsible. New Hampshire druggists who hold permits under the new federal prohibition law to dispense intoxicating liquors for medicinal purposes only, must also shoulder with the physician much of the responsibility which the federal law imposes on the individual and exercise great caution as well as judgement in filling prescriptions. It is the intent of both state and federal laws to restrict the use of intoxicating liquors to genuinely medicinal purposes, and in doing so it is the purpose of the federal authorities, from the prohibition commissioner down, to secure harmonious co-operation with all state officials in the joint work of enforcing the law, which is specific and imposes no unnecessary restrictions.

Tax Commission Makes Schedule. The state tax commission has arranged its schedule of meetings to be held throughout the state for the purpose of conferring and advising the selectmen and assessors as to the laws governing the assessment of property as follows:

Merrimack county at Concord state house, 10 a. m., Friday, March 12. Hillsborough county at Manchester, city hall, 10:30 a. m., Saturday, March 13. Coos county at Berlin city hall, 10 a. m., Wednesday, March 17, at Lancaster court house, 10 a. m., Thursday, March 18. Carroll county, at Sanbornville, town hall, 10 a. m., Friday, March 19. Strafford county, at Dover, city hall at 10 a. m., Saturday, March 20. Sullivan county, at Claremont, town hall, 1 p. m., Wednesday, March 24. Grafton county, at Lebanon, town hall, 1 p. m., Thursday, March 25; at Woodsville court house 10 a. m., Friday, March 26, at Plymouth, town hall, 9 a. m., Saturday, March 27. Rockingham county, at Portsmouth, court house, 10:15 a. m., Monday, March 29. Cheshire county, at Keene, court house, 1 p. m., Wednesday, March 31.

Sues Town for Damage by Mob. A suit for \$1000 has been brought against the town of Northfield by Arthur T. Town of that town through the law office of Judge T. F. Clifford of Franklin. The plaintiff claims that on Sept. 10 his house on Shaker road near Knowles Pond, was damaged by a mob, and under the statutes, a town is responsible for property damage so inflicted. He alleges that doors and windows were smashed and the interior was also greatly damaged. The writ is returnable to the April term of the Merrimack county superior court.

"DANDERINE" PUTS BEAUTY IN HAIR

Girls! A mass of long, thick, gleamy tresses



Let "Danderine" save your hair and double its beauty. You can have lots of long, thick, strong, lustrous hair. Don't let it stay lifeless, thin, scraggly or fading. Bring back its color, vigor and vitality.

Get a 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter to freshen your scalp; check dandruff and falling hair. Your hair needs this stimulating tonic; then its life, color, brightness and abundance will return—Hurry!—Adv.

Great Difference. Ancient—Oh, for the old-fashioned winters, the nights of the log roaring fires.

Up-to-Date—You bet! Now it's the tenant roaring at the janitor for more heat.

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You naturally feel secure when you know that the medicine you are about to take is absolutely pure and contains no harmful or habit producing drugs.

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It is scientifically compounded from vegetable herbs. It is not a stimulant and is taken in teaspoonful doses.

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If you need a medicine, you should have the best. On sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large. However, if you wish first to try this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

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For sores, broken blisters, burns, cuts and all skin irritations. Also innumerable toilet uses. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES

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"I feel it my duty to write you a letter of thanks for your wonderful Peterson's Ointment. I had a running sore on my left leg for one year. I began to use Peterson's Ointment three weeks ago and now it is healed."—A. C. Gilbrath, 7th St., Erie, Pa.

Advertisement for Olive Tar, including text: "for COLDS take Olive Tar" and "Dr. Stafford's Olive Tar".

Advertisement for Castoria, showing a bottle of 900 Drops and text: "Net Contents 15 Fluid Drachms 900 DROPS".

Advertisement for Castoria, including text: "CASTORIA For Infants and Children. Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria Always Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fitcher In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA".

First Magazine Run by Women. The first magazine in America conducted solely by women was the Lowell Offering, a monthly periodical published from 1842 to 1849 by girls employed in the mills of Lowell, Mass. Lucy Larcom was one of its frequent contributors.

No harmful drugs in Garfield Tea. It is composed wholly of simple, health-giving herbs.—Adv.

"Pink tea," Eva, is another name for a scandal function.

Advertisement for Murine eye drops, including text: "MURINE Night and Morning. Have Strong, Healthy Eyes. If they Tingle, Itch, Smart or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Soothes, Refreshes. Safe for Infant or Adult. At All Drug Stores. Write for Free Eye Book. Price 50c. Murine Eye Drops Co., Chicago."

Advertisement for Cuticura Soap, including text: "Cuticura Soap Clears the Skin and Keeps it Clear".

GOLDS are unnecessary—but if you feel one coming on take immediately HURLBURT'S Camphor Pills and stop the cold at the very start. 50 Cents at All Drug Stores. THE KELL COMPANY, Newburgh, N. Y.

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As we are beginning the New Year, 1920, we wish to thank all those who were instrumental in making the year 1919 the banner year of business, since we opened our Clinton Store. We have earnestly tried under very trying business situations, to serve our trade faithfully. We shall make still greater efforts this year. Get our prices, even if we do not get your business. Our buying capacity of two stores may help you.

A Fine Formosa Tea, 38¢ a lb. One Week Only.

Yours for business,

G. O. JOSLIN'S CLINTON STORE

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As good as you used to get

We wonder if you have had trouble with the window shades you have been buying since the war, as almost everybody has. We have been giving special attention to this problem. We can give you shades mounted on just as good rolls as you ever purchased and the very best cloth part the market affords. We can give you matched shades of different qualities, so that you can have the better grades for your living rooms, and something less expensive for chambers, kitchen and back rooms, and still they all look alike from the outside.

Our prices are much less than those now prevailing; some dealers who sell shades are buying now from us. You get the full advantage of our early purchases.

It is not necessary to visit our store to secure advantage of our shade offerings; we can send you samples and then mail the selection.

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Long Distance Telephone

Notices of Concerts, Lectures, Entertainments, etc., to which an admission fee is charged, or from which a revenue is derived, must be paid for as advertisements by the line.

Cards of Thanks are inserted at 50c each. Resolutions of condolence length \$1.00. Ordinary poetry and lines of flowers charged for at advertising rates; also will be charged at this rate for presents at a wedding.

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



"It Stands Between Humanity and Oppression!"

### Antrim Locals

Mrs. George Nylander is spending a week with relatives in Keene.

Mrs. Etta Cutter has been confined to her home with a lame back the past week.

Mrs. Grace Woods, of Peterboro, has been visiting her brother, C. F. Downes, the past week.

Don H. Robinson has been spending a few days with his wife at her former home in Arlington, Mass.

Miss Rose Wilkinson has been spending a few days with relatives in Goffstown.

A rehearsal of the Rebekah degree has been called for this Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows hall.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fuglestad, from Laconia, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark.

FOR SALE—Pure Maple Syrup—order now. Edison H. Tuttle, Antrim, N. H.

Orders taken for single comb, R. I. Red day-old chicks, at 25c and 30c each.

Mrs. N. A. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Will A. Nichols and son, Carroll, have closed their home, owing to having no fuel, and are boarding with Mrs. Nichols' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Brooks.

The regular meeting of the Presbyterian Mission Circle will be held Thursday afternoon. A large attendance is desired, as important business is to be transacted at this meeting.

The rural carriers from our local post office made their routes, as far as possible, to collect mail during the last few days, but could not carry any to their patrons, because there was none to carry.

Owing to the storm of Saturday night, there was a very small attendance at the regular meeting of Waverley Lodge of Odd Fellows; no degree work was done. On Saturday night of this week the second degree will be conferred.

A St. Patrick's party will be given at the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening next, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. This is for the people of the society; no admission will be charged or collection taken, and it is hoped that everyone who possibly can will attend.

Robert W. Jameson arrived home on Tuesday noon from a business trip to Canada. He was a number of days on the way, his last lap being walking the rails a mile and a half from Elmwood junction to the Hancock state road, meeting a team on that road to take him to his home at the Highlands.

No church services were held in town on Sunday any part of the day, owing to the great amount of snow, which had not been cleared very early in the day from the sidewalks—neither had the roads been rolled. The rollers and sidewalk plows were busy most of the day and with a number of abseilers did good service.

Postmaster Sweet showed enterprise on Tuesday afternoon in driving by team to Elmwood, or as near there as possible, to see if he could in some way get the Antrim mails which had been accumulating there for the past day or two, since trains had been moving over the main and other branches. He succeeded in securing a number of sacks of Antrim mail, and our business men, as well as others, are thanking the postmaster for his interest and efforts in this matter.

### Moving Pictures!

Eight O'clock  
Town Hall, Antrim

TUESDAY Eve., March 16

5 Reel Drama

12 Reel Comedy

Thursday Evening, Mar. 11

"The Lost Battalion"

W. A. NICHOLS, Mgr.

### Antrim Locals

#### LOGS WANTED

Few thousand feet White Birch and Maple logs wanted.

GOODELL CO.

At the next regular meeting of the Rebekah Lodge the degree will be conferred on a class of candidates.

The Antrim Boy Scouts will play basket ball with Hancock High School, at Antrim town hall Friday evening. Everybody come and help the boys.

A Wallace George left Antrim last Friday morning for a two days' visit with Cranston D. Eldredge, at Hanover, but owing to the storm, was forced to make a very much longer visit.

Charles Wilkinson started on the Concord train Saturday morning last for Goffstown, to visit relatives. This train was stalled in a snow bank in Henniker and on Monday Charles walked home, arriving here about 7.30 in the afternoon.

While the trains are running with some irregularity on the main and other branches of the railroad, the branch of road from Elmwood through Antrim and beyond is yet in very bad condition. The rain of Friday night and sudden freezing makes the progress of clearing away the ice from the rails very slow, and it is quite probable that the regular train service will not be restored to normal during the present week.

#### Embargo on Express

Every one feels badly when there is an embargo on freight, and such a thing is a great inconvenience not only to the manufacturer and merchant but to every individual as well; yet it is said: well, we have the express. But when there is an embargo on express, as there is at the present time, then we are up against it.

One other avenue is open: the parcel post. If your packages are not too large and heavy, here is a way out of the difficulty.

Our weekly lot of Reporters never fail to arrive right on time by express, but knew the unusual conditions caused by the severe storm would delay them somewhat this week and when we learned of the express embargo, we began to think of some plan so as to issue the Reporter and not be more than one day late.

Imagine our surprise when along in the middle of the afternoon Wednesday (today) Postmaster Sweet came lugging our weekly bundle of Reporters to our office; they had been forwarded from Boston by parcel post, and the Western Union people realizing the importance of the situation and with their accustomed forethought had shipped them special delivery. Thus we are enabled to issue this week's Reporter and only be one day later than usual.

#### Mrs. F. W. Russell

Mrs. Freeman W. Russell, aged 96 years, died Tuesday morning, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Codman, with whom she has lived for nearly four years. Funeral services will be held Friday, at the home, and the body will be placed in the tomb at Maplewood Cemetery. Her nearest relative was Mrs. Mabel Clark, of Antrim.

#### TO PRESERVE OLD LANDMARK

Creation of National Monument Area Assures Security to Posterity of Famous Mullan Tree

The Mullan tree, landmark of the old Mullan trail, the first highway connecting Montana and Idaho, with the coast, will be preserved to posterity through the creation of a national monument area by the president.

On July 4, 1861, Capt. John Mullan, leader of the party having charge of the survey and construction of the Mullan trail from Walla Walla, Wash., to Fort Benton, Mont., closed his work at the connecting point of the roads from the east and west, at the head of the Fourth of July canon, between Wallace, Idaho, and Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. There he marked appropriately a huge white-pine tree, which since that time has been known as the Mullan tree. Tourists seeking souvenirs of their jaunt along the Yellowstone trail have damaged the ancient tree so much that forest service officers have found it necessary to take steps to protect it, and, to accomplish this, have submitted a petition proposing that a national monument area be created, which has been approved.

### THE GREAT STORM

Goes Down in History as a Record Breaker

With such an unusual winter's day as was last Friday, it did not seem possible that Saturday could bring to us the worst storm of the winter, but such was the case. It rained hard Friday night, turning to snow in the early morning and for most of the day it snowed, and how it did blow! Snow piled up higher in places than in any previous storm this winter, and with a fierce gale of wind blowing all the time it was a very uncomfortable day to be out—in fact there was very little travel on the street.

Again, for the "stealth" time this winter, it seems to us, the trains were off schedule and nothing of importance in the way of mail matter arrived in town for the day. The morning train from Boston got as far as Lyndebero and the morning train to Concord got as far as Emerson's; the evening Boston train and other regular trains due at Antrim station did not come at all. The storm was so severe that no one attempted to shovel tracks, clear sidewalks or run the snow rollers; in fact it was not fitting for man or beast to be out upon the street for long at a time. Many were heard to remark that the blizzard of '88 was not in it with this one—yet memory may be a bit treacherous in this respect—but this was a record breaker in recent years, nevertheless.

All the train service was bad before this storm, due to so much ice and snow, and with the additional burden put upon the railroads by this last storm, it is hard to tell just when trains will again be running on schedule time or when freights will be a regular thing in this locality.

A number of electric wires were broken down and were immediately attended to by Supt. Thompson so that no great interruption of lighting or power service was experienced.

No trains were running on Sunday, consequently Antrim and surrounding territory were cut off from the outside world, not having any daily or Sunday newspapers from Friday till Wednesday. For just 60 hours Antrim was without train service, the longest period since the road was put through to Hillsboro more than 40 years ago. We survived but really did not enjoy knowing nothing—of the world news.

Tuesday night the first train came from Elmwood to Antrim, and Wednesday morning the Boston train was run over this branch. This Wednesday noon the first train from Boston arrived, bringing much mail and express, but trains north to Manchester and Concord are not yet being sent, over this road.

#### BEST STORY YET

This is Our Prize Offering for the Present Week

Here is a pretty good horse story, and the beauty of it is 'tis true: A man residing in this village purchased a horse of another man in town. The latter delivered the horse to his new owner just after one of our recent heavy storms.

The roadway to this man's stable hadn't been shoveled out; it was some distance and his horse was waiting to be put under shelter—what should he do? He was an original chap—this new owner of the equine family, and he had an idea. He led the horse up onto the piazza of his house, through the door into the kitchen, across the floor, down a few steps into the ell, and then out into the stable. The animal did take a tumble down the stairs but came through all right. This was some stunt.

It then dawned upon the new owner that the horse must have some water, and as he had none on the premises at just this time, and the place of business was closed where he had been accustomed in this respect, how could he get water to the horse, or the horse to water? He thought he would have to lead him out the same way he had led him in, but getting him upstairs was the problem. Anyhow, he thought the horse could wait awhile, and shoveling was the order at once. This was the solution and in time the owner could lead his horse to the watering tub near town hall and there he was able to quench his thirst.

This was not a story heard at Town meeting, for the Reporter was told about it days before this great event took place, yet it might have been told a number of times on Tuesday—we don't know.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### FIRST TO TEACH PHILOSOPHY

Honor is Accorded Thales, Who Established a School Which Exerted Wide Influence.

The first school of philosophy was established in Miletus (Asia Minor) by Thales, one of the wise men, and was quite a remarkable institution, exerting an influence for more than a century.

Thales seems to have given himself more entirely to this school than to any of his other undertakings. There is a legend that he never married, and when his mother pressed him to do so he said: "It is not yet time." After his youth was passed she again urged him to marry and he said: "It is no longer time."

Many of the subjects taught in his school, such as astronomy, geometry and geography, show the influence of Egypt and Phoenicia; but the philosophy was probably an original product, for while some of the sciences were somewhat advanced, the philosophy was apparently a first attempt at an explanation of the origin of the world. It originated a movement which culminated more than a century later in the idealism of Plato. We may perhaps understand something of the attitude of the common people toward Thales' school of philosophy from the story of the old woman who laughed when the master fell backward into a ditch after gazing too long at the stars. The old woman not only laughed, but she is said to have called after him: "If you cannot see what is under your feet, how can you understand what is in heaven?"

The geography and astronomy taught in this school were very primitive. The earth was flat, the sun circled around it horizontally, being concealed at night by high hills. One writer of the time describes the world in the following poetical way: "God makes a mantle, large and fair and embroiders on it earth and ocean and ocean's dwellings."

### DIFFERENT KINDS OF SPEED

Aviator and Motorist Didn't Have the Same Kind of Comparison as They Traveled.

The motorist was taking an aviator friend, recently returned from the army air service, out for a spin. Thinking of the 125-mile-an-hour speed to which the aviator was accustomed, the motorist felt that it was incumbent upon him to "let 'er out." His friend, he felt, would feel badly ambling along at the land rate folks are used to traveling. So he cut loose and the car was slipping along at something like 50 miles an hour.

Then the motorist felt a hand laid upon his arm. "Going pretty fast, aren't you?" remarked the aviator, a trifle uneasily. After the motorist had slowed down he asked: "Why, I thought the best speed I could make would seem slow to you. How is it that it appeared so fast?"

"You see, in the air, even at our greatest speed, we seem more or less stationary unless we look below us and see objects flitting past," explained the aviator. "You know speed can only be reckoned visually—by things one is leaving behind. Now, the gait you were moving a few minutes ago looked mighty fast, uncomfortably fast I might say, to me. I kept noticing things we are leaving behind."

"Well, I'll be darned," said the motorist. "I never thought of it in that way before."

And the hand of the speed clock jiggled back to the 25-mile mark.—Kansas City Star.

#### If It Only Were!

The late Ella Wheeler Wilcox, though the most popular poet of modern times, steadfastly refused to enter New York society. The most exclusive Fifth avenue portals were open to her, but Mrs. Wilcox passed them indifferently by.

A New York magazine editor once sought her out with an invitation to a Fifth avenue dinner party.

"I'm sorry," she said, "but I can't go."

"Oh," said the editor, "you must accept this invitation!"

"Why must I?" said the poet.

"Our host," the editor answered, "is rich—rich—a multimillionaire. You must accept."

"Well, I would," said Mrs. Wilcox, with a smile, "if it were catching!"

#### He Was No Molluscoid.

A neighbor's son was entertaining about twenty of his little boy and girl friends at his birthday party. The children were supposed to return to their respective homes at eight o'clock in the evening; however, they were having such a good time when the going home hour arrived, its passing still found them hard at it. The mother of the little host suggested to him the advisability of intimating to his little friends the lateness of the hour. This is how he did it:

"Say, it's nine o'clock; I'm getting sleepy, and you kids have got to go home!"

"What's that? Go home this early?" said one of his indignant little guests. "I thought this was to be an all-night affair!"

#### Some Did.

"So you've been in the army, eh?" asked the old gentleman kindly. "And tell me, did you do much shooting while you were over there?"

"I won \$80 the first day I landed in France," answered the gambler, proudly.—Home Notes.

### Three Annual Meetings

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 \*Charles F. Butterfield 128  
 Frank E. Wheeler 62  
 Auditors  
 \*Hiram W. Eldredge 179  
 \*Fred C. Parmenter 174

After voting for Town officers had been in progress for about an hour, business under the warrant was taken up, and the reading of the auditors' report, under article two, was called for. H. W. Eldredge read the report, the same being accepted and placed on file, by vote.

3—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the James A. Tuttle Library.

Under this article it was voted that \$300 be appropriated.

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.

Voted that \$50 be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

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.

Voted to have the Invoice and Taxes printed for the ensuing year, and to raise and appropriate \$65 therefor.

6—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairing roads and bridges for the ensuing year.

After much discussion on this subject \$8000 was voted to be raised and appropriated.

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.

This article was dismissed.

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.

Voted that \$1654.50 be raised and appropriated.

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.

Voted that the Selectmen take care of the above matter and put in a drain, and that the amount of money necessary be taken from the Road Agents' appropriation.

After this article the meeting was adjourned for one hour for dinner.

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.

At one o'clock business was resumed, and under article 10, after much discussion, the following motion was made and carried: "That a Committee of five, to serve without pay, be appointed by the Selectmen, to bring in recommendations at a Town Meeting to be held in November, as follows: First, for a suitable Memorial Tablet to be inscribed with the names of the Antrim Soldiers, Sailors, and Nurses who served in the World War; and Second, for a Memorial of some sort, in addition to the Tablet, that shall be a fitting expression of the part played by Soldier, Sailor, Nurse, and Civilian alike in bringing the war to a successful issue. In considering the cost of such Memorials the Committee shall have in view a fund to be raised by both town notes and public subscription."

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.

Voted to raise and appropriate \$200.

12—To see if the Town will vote to

observe Old Home Day and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Voted to dismiss.

After article 12 it was voted to take up article 19.

19—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Street Lighting, or take any action thereon.

Under this article the motion was carried that the Town pay for street lights in the Precinct and from Clinton Corner to the M. H. Wood corner, as at present; that the Selectmen be instructed to contract therefor, and that the sum of \$1050 be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

18—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.

Returning to article 18, it was dismissed.

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.

Voted to dismiss.

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.

This was dismissed.

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 Sweet and William M. Conn farms, and former Curtis farm, and any other land necessary, and take action for same and appropriate money for same.

Voted to dismiss.

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.

Voted to dismiss.

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.

Voted to dismiss.

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.

Voted to accept.

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.

Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to purchase a snow roller, and that the sum of \$150 be appropriated.

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.

Voted to dismiss.

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. 312, 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.

Article dismissed.

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 Contoosook Valley Road so-called, and appropriate or set aside from the amount raised for highway work the sum of \$1200 for this purpose.

Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to take from the road agents districts the unimproved sections of the Cheshire and Contoosook Valley Road, so-called, in the town of Antrim, and to accept the provisions of

Chapter 117, Laws of 1917, for the maintenance of said sections of road, and the sum of \$1200 be set aside from the money raised for highway work 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.

Voted that the sum of \$3000 be raised and appropriated.

26—To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Under article 26 it was moved and carried that the Moderator be instructed to appoint within thirty days a committee of five who shall investigate the matter of a town history to date, and report at the next town meeting in the Fall as to the cost and possible sales of the book.

Voted that the \$200 appropriated for White Pine Blister be taken from the balances of Hall, Hancock Corner, Gregg Lake, and Moth appropriations, the balance to go into the general fund.

Voted that all minor officers be appointed by the Selectmen.

#### Precinct Meeting

The Precinct meeting was held at Engine hall on this Wednesday evening, being called to order, at 7.30 o'clock by George E. Hastings, clerk of the district, in the absence of Moderator D. W. Cooley. Mr. Hastings read the warrant and business was at once begun under article one.

1—To choose a Moderator for the year ensuing.

Hiram W. Johnson was elected.

2—To choose all necessary Officers and Agents, for the year ensuing.

Under this article these officers were elected:

Clerk—George E. Hastings

Treasurer—William E. Cram

Commissioners—George W. Hunt, Hiram W. Johnson, Carl H. Tewksbury

Firewards—John Thornton, Lewis D. Hatch, Philip W. Whittemore

Auditors—H. W. Eldredge, F. C. Parmenter

3—To hear the report of the Auditors on the account of the Treasurer, and act thereon.

The auditors' report was read by H. W. Eldredge and the same was voted to be accepted and placed on record.

4—To hear the reports of the Commissioners, Fire Wards, and Agents, and act thereon.

The reports of the various officers were read, the same being accepted by vote.

It is very gratifying to know that no fires of any consequence had to be reported for the past year within the Precinct.

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.

Voted to pay members of the Fire Department the same sum as last year, which was \$6, and 45 cents per hour while at fires; and the necessary amount of money was appropriated for this purpose.

6—To see how much money the Precinct will vote to raise to defray expenses and pay existing debts the year ensuing.

By vote, the Precinct will raise one-tenth of one percent, to defray expenses and pay existing debts of the ensuing year.

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.

Voted to dismiss.

8—To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Under this article more discussion was indulged in than all the other articles put together, chiefly on the subject of a suitable sewerage system for the Precinct. This matter has been considered in former years, but nothing definite has been done beyond securing blue print plans and getting estimates. It is now thought by some that further steps should be taken and to that end this talk was made. The matter of septic tanks was considered somewhat. It was thought best to instruct the Commissioners to consult with the State Board of Health regarding methods of sewerage, and learn everything they possibly can in relation to the matter.

While there was a fairly good attendance at this meeting, it was thought that many more should have been present, when as important a matter as this could be more thoroughly considered; consequently it was voted to adjourn to May 5, in town hall, at 7.30 p. m., for the purpose of hearing a report from the Commissioners, and discussing the matter of Precinct sewerage as fully as may be.

#### NEW ENGLAND TIMBER RESOURCES

Under the above caption the Boston Evening Transcript of a recent date printed the following article which will be read with interest by our subscribers:

"An idea of the undeveloped wealth of New England in timber may be gained from a statement in the last number of the Waterbury, Vt., Record, a paper published in the heart of the Green Mountains—under the shadow, as it were, of both Mount Mansfield and Camel's Hump. The Record says that a manufacturer of hardwood lumber, near Waterbury was 'caught' last year with a considerable quantity of hard-wood flooring on his hands, which he had been trying to dispose of. He may have regarded the incident at this time as a misfortune, but he has just sold this particular lot of flooring at a total advance of \$30,000 above what he was willing to sell it for last year—the price of hard-wood flooring having advanced in the meantime \$86 a thousand. The same grade of flooring sold at \$30 a thousand only a few years ago, and there had been an advance from \$76 a thousand to \$86 within ten days. Here, therefore, there was an actual fortune, at least for a Vermont lumberman or sawyer, in the increase in value of one lot of hard-wood flooring alone, in one year's time.

"Naturally an incident like this raises the question whether there are as yet considerable bodies of timber, affording like profits to those who exploit it, in New England hills. And one may be sure that there is. The Waterbury Record says that in the neighborhood of that town there are thousands of acres that are well timbered in hard woods—chiefly maple, beech, and birch. No doubt it had been assumed that this hard wood is too scattered to make it very profitable to timber it. At the old rates for such timber it might have been so, but at prices which now prevail the increased cost of lumbering scattered trees may be more than met. At all events, the Green Mountains are going to be lumbered for hard woods after this. And there are in Maine and New Hampshire great areas of equally valuable hard woods, as well as a good deal of scattered pine which now becomes a valuable proposition.

"The same should be found true with regard to pulp-wood. All who have travelled much in Northern New England are aware of the seemingly endless stretches of low and more or less scrubby timber, which never appeared likely, under previous conditions, to become very valuable. But all this is at least available for pulp-wood, and the supply of it is boundless. To realize upon it should be merely a matter of organization. It will not harvest itself, nor is it a matter for small, furtive or timid enterprise. These more or less scattered areas will need to be handled on a large scale and with ample capital. But it appears incredible that the thousands of miles of woods within New England should not be ample for New England's hard wood and newspaper industries.

"Prevailing high prices for lumber and print paper may indeed deplete New England woods, and turn many a region of wild beauty into a desolation. That has to be lamented, from the aesthetic and the sentimental point of view. But those who love the beauty even of the scrub woods may rejoice that the devastation wrought by cutting is always temporary. No New England woodland ever became a desert. The woods spring up again, in our climate, like the grass of the field. In a very few years the young woods are back again in their refreshing green. Anyhow, we may be reasonably certain that the timber resources of many neglected sections in New England will be developed quite intensively in the next few years."

Ask Your Soldier Boy How "Cooties" Got Such a Hold

He'll tell you that the battlefronts of Europe were swarming with rats, which carried the dangerous vermin and caused our men misery. Don't let rats bring disease into your home. When you see the first one get RAT-SNAP. That will finish them quick. Three sizes. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by Cram's Store and Antrim Pharmacy.

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. 17

Luke Rielly Says, "The Rat Died Before Reaching the River"

"Since moving near the river 2 years ago, we've always used RAT-SNAP. Watched a vicious water rat, nibbling at RAT-SNAP outside the house. About 15 minutes later he darted off for the water, to cool his burning stomach, but he died before reaching it." Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by Cram's Store and Antrim Pharmacy.

# COAL NEEDED!

Owing to storms, embargoes, and other causes, tying up the railroads and prohibiting the moving of freights, it is impossible for many to get coal. The REPORTER is in this very uncomfortable position at this time, and may be compelled very soon to suspend business temporarily till coal can be procured. It is next to impossible to run our office with wood, even if this commodity could be easily procured.

Some one may have a ton of stove coal or small size furnace coal that they can spare to help us out at this time, and if so and will let us know within a very few days, any interruption in our business along this line will be avoided. It seems almost needless to say that we will pay what is right for such an accommodation.

Again let us say that this is a matter of a VERY FEW DAYS.

ANTRIM REPORTER.

#### CLINTON VILLAGE

Dennis Sargent has joined his wife at Fred Whittemore's.

At the next Grange meeting, the third and fourth degrees will be worked.

Dr. Babbitt, from Nashua, was a guest at Fred Whittemore's over one night last week.

Mrs. M. C. Heath is spending a season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Paige.

Charles Thurston has hired the Wheeler house, and expects to move his family there soon.

Miss Ethel Brown is with her sister, Mrs. G. H. Caughey, helping care for the sick ones.

George Hildreth and family have all been under a doctor's care, with the prevailing distemper.

Mrs. Julia Tenney is very seriously sick with pneumonia. She is being cared for by Mrs. Fote, from Hancock, and another nurse.

Misses Annabel and Amy Tenney are at home from their schools in Vergennes, Vt. and Conway, called here by the illness of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Wheeler are both sick with hard colds. Mr. Wheeler was threatened with pneumonia Saturday. They are being cared for by Miss Nan Harlow.

#### EAST ANTRIM

Mrs. G. A. Cochran was a Hillsboro visitor last week.

Allie Winchell is visiting a few days at G. A. Cochran's.

Walter Knapp has so far recovered as to be able to assist in doing chores.

He shed joining house and barn at Robert Dickie's home, caved in recently.

Lewis and Stanley Daniels, of Hillsboro, visited among old neighbors one day recently.

We are pleased to note that G. A. Cochran has been able to go onto the piazza on our pleasant days.

Several from this neighborhood attended Town Meeting by way of snowshoes—we almost said by auto.

Mr. R. C. King Tells a Wonderful Story About Rats. Read It.

"For months my place was alive with rats. Losing chickens, eggs, feed. Friend told me to try RAT-SNAP. I did. Somewhat disappointed at first, not seeing many dead rats, but in a few days didn't see a live one. What were not killed are not around my place. RAT-SNAP sure does the trick." Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by Cram's Store and Antrim Pharmacy.

52 weekly visits of The Reporter for \$2.00. Send it to friends and save letter writing.

#### FIRE INSURANCE Auto Insurance

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.

#### H. B. Currier Mortician

Hillsboro and Antrim, N. H.  
 Telephone connection

#### MAX ISRAEL

Henniker, 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.

MATTIE L. H. PROCTOR,  
 EMMA S. GOODELL,  
 CHARLES S. ABBOTT,  
 Antrim School Board.

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## OUT O' LUCK

Never mind! Just take Cascarets if Bilious, Constipated

Everyone must occasionally give to the bowels some regular help or else suffer from constipation, bilious attacks, stomach disorders and sick headache. But do not whip the bowels into activity with harsh cathartics.

What the liver and bowels need is a gentle and natural tonic, one that can constantly be used without harm. The gentlest liver and bowel tonic is "Cascarets." They put the liver to work and cleanse the colon and bowels of all waste, toxins and poisons without griping—they never sicken or inconvenience you like Calomel, Salts, Oil or Purgatives.

Twenty-five million boxes of Cascarets are sold each year. They work while you sleep. Cascarets cost so little, too.—Adv.

When a man is financially embarrassed he is apt to feel that he has friends who only feel sorry for him.

## DON'T FEAR ASPIRIN IF IT IS GENUINE

Look for name "Bayer" on tablets, then you need never worry.

To get genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" you must look for the safety "Bayer Cross" on each package and on each tablet.

The "Bayer Cross" means true, world-famous Aspirin, prescribed by physicians for over eighteen years, and proved safe by millions for Colds, Headache, Earache, Toothache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Neuritis, and Pain in general. Proper and safe directions are in each unbroken "Bayer" package.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylic acid.—Adv.

Be Johnny on the spot when there is an opportunity to be grasped, otherwise you may find it missing.

## HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more yawning, snuffing, blowing, headache, dryness.

No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed up with a cold or nasty catarrh.—Adv.

Some men are born diplomats and some are married.

## GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER.

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 softens 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.

It is easier to applaud than it is to win applause.

## EASIER FOR HER TO DYE THAN TO BUY

"Diamond Dyes" Turn Faded, Shabby Apparel Into New.

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods.—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers—everything!

Direction Book in package tells how to diamond dye over any color. To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.—Adv.

There is not a moment without some duty.—Cicero.

Refresh a Heavy Skin With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

If wishes were horses beggars would be wanting limousines.

### CHAPTER XXV—Continued.

"That makes no difference," Daphne stormed, already converted to the shop religion. "Customers must not find the door shut. Run open it at once. Suppose Mrs. Romilly dropped in. We'd lose her—unless this notoriety drives her away." A little blush of shame flickered in Daphne's pale cheeks a moment and went out. She sighed: "I suppose Mr. Duane has stopped that check, too—if he ever sent it. Oh, dear!"

Then a nurse knocked; brought in a card growing in a large little azalea tree. Daphne scanned it. "Mr. Thomas Varick Duane!" She peered closer at the pencillings and read aloud: "I just learned. I'm heart-broken. Isn't there anything I can do?"

Daphne felt as if outraged society had forgiven her. "Isn't he a darling?" she murmured. Mrs. Chivvis begrudged a sting, "Well, of course—" She had the poor folks' conscientious scruples against wasting praise on the rich. "You'll want to see him, I presume."

But Daphne had had enough of evil appearance. "See him here? Never!" She stared at poor Mrs. Chivvis with a reproach that was excruciating to accept, and ordered her to go down and meet Mr. Duane and incidentally learn about the check. "Business is business," she said.

Mrs. Chivvis descended in all the confusion of a Puritan wife meeting a Cavalier beau. She came back later to say that Mr. Duane was really very nice, and spoke beautifully and had sent the check and would send another if Daphne wished it, and would make old Mrs. Romilly go on with the order, and would she like some special fruits or soups or something? He was really very nice.

Daphne eyed her with ironic horror and said, "You've been flirting with him! and me so helpless here!"

"Daph!—nee!! Kip!!!" Mrs. Chivvis screamed. The only counter-thrust she could think of was, "And what does Mr. Wimburn say?"

This sobered Daphne. Why had Clay sent no word? Everybody else in town had seen the papers. Clay read the papers. Surely he was not capable of such monstrous pique. When your worst enemy gets badly hurt you've just got to forgive—if you're human.

### CHAPTER XXVI.

Lella was determined to endure everything that might be necessary to regain her beauty. She would go through any ordeal of knives or plaster casts or splints or medicines for that. She was quite grim about it. Her resolution extended to the spending of as much of Bayard's money as might be necessary on surgeons' fees and doctors' bills. If she bankrupted Bayard it would be with the tenderest motives.

Five times she went to the operating table, made that infernal journey into etherland, knowing what afterwards awaited her, what retching and burning and bleeding. She braved death again and again, took long chances with cowering bravado. And all for Bayard's sake.

One morning when Bayard reached his office after a harrowing all-night vigil at Lella's side he was just falling asleep over the first mail when his telephone snarled. He reached for it with alarm. A voice boomed in his ear:

"Ah you thah?"  
"Yes."  
"Keep the line, please. Now, you ah through, sir?"

Then a growl replaced the boom, a growl that made the receiver rattle: "Ah you thah, Mr. Kip? This is Colonel Marchmont. I dare say you remember our conversation about those damned contracts with Wetherell. A little farther discussion might not be amiss—if you could make it perfectly convenient to drop ovvah at, say, a quawtah pahst fah?—Good! I shall expect you at that ah."

Bayard pondered. What new persecution was fate preparing? As he went to the office, he bought an evening paper. A heavily headed cablegram announced that the laborers in the British munition works were striking or threatening to strike. A gleam of understanding came into Bayard's eye. When he reached the desk of Colonel Marchmont he looked unashamed into the revolver muzzle of the old war horse's one eye.

Without any preliminary courtesies or any softening of his previous tone the colonel snorted: "Those devilish contracts you made with Wetherell—The poor fellow is no longer alive—more's the pity, but—Well, I'm afraid I was a bit severe with you. I fancy we might see our way to renewing those contracts at a reasonable figure—say at a 25 per cent reduction from the terms you quoted."

Bayard smiled and shook his head. He bluffed the bluffer. "The prices we quoted included only a fair profit, colonel. Since then materials have been 5/12 up in price every minute, owing to the demand from abroad.

And the home market is booming. We can sell all our product here, and more, too, than we can make."

Colonel Marchmont squirmed, but he was a soldier and loved a good counter-attack. He smiled as he squirmed. Wetherell was avenged, when his successor signed new contracts at a higher price than he had made. The changing times changed everything; yesterday's exorbitance was today's bargain.

Bayard departed with a wallet full of business. He got back to his office on feet fledge with Mercurial wings. His feet were beautiful on the rug of the president's office.

Bayard felt so kindly to all the world that he hurried to the hospital



Wetherell Was Avenged When His Successor Signed New Contracts at a Higher Price Than He Had Made.

to scatter good news like flowers over Lella's couch. She was in that humor when anybody else's good fortune was an added grief to her.

"I'm no use to you now," she wailed. "I never was much. But at least I dressed and kept looking fit. And you said I was pretty. But now—Oh, Bayard, Bayard! You used to call me beautiful, and I tried to be beautiful for you. But now—To be ugly and useless both—it's too much!"

Wise pathfinders say that when you are wandering in strange country you should turn every now and then and look back at the way you came. It wears a different aspect entirely from its look as you approached, and you will need to know how it will look when you return.

From childhood on, Lella had been warned against extravagance—as Bayard had, as have we all. But only now that she was looking backward could she realize the wisdom, the intolerable truth of the adage, "Waste not, want not."

Meanwhile Daphne was having so different a history that she felt ashamed. It seemed unfair to her to get well quickly and with no blemish except a scar or two that would not show, while Lella hung between death and deformity.

But seeing Bayard alone and hearing Lella fret, she felt confirmed in her belief that she had done the wholesome thing when she joined the laboring classes. There were discouragements without cease, yet Daphne was learning what a remedy for how many troubles there is in work. It seemed to be almost panacea. It was exciting, fatiguing, alarming, but it was objective. She was on her way at last to that fifty thousand a year she had dreamed of. She was uncertain yet of earning a thousand a year, but she was on the road.

Clay Wimburn, seeking chances in the West, did not see the New York papers or any other record of Daphne's accident. When he got back to New York, his pockets full of contracts, Bayard, equally successful, greeted him enthusiastically. Then he learned of the accident and the fact that Daphne was "in trade." He was indignant at the news and wanted to see her at once.

Bayard gave him the address, and Clay wasted no time asking further questions. He made haste to the subway, fuming; left the train at the Grand Central station and climbed up to a taxicab.

Then he found Daphne. She led him into a little shop empty of everything but the debris of removal.

"Where are we?" said Clay.  
"This was my shop."  
"What's the matter? Busted already?" Clay asked, with a not unflattering cheerfulness.

"Not in the least," Daphne explained. "We've expanded so fast we had to move. We sublet and moved across the street."

"You remember Mrs. Chivvis, don't you? Mrs. Chivvis, you haven't forgotten Mr. Wimburn. He's kept away

so long you might have, though. Where've you been, Clay? But wait—you can tell me on the way over to the new shop."

When she led him into her new emporium the graceful fabrics displayed were all red rags to him. He was a bull in a crimson shop.

Daphne made Clay sit down and asked him if it were not all perfectly lovely. He waited until Mrs. Chivvis went on to the workroom. He had a glimpse of a number of girls and women on sewing bent. They were laughing and chattering.

He answered, "It's perfectly loathsome."

Instead of resenting this insult Daphne laughed till she fell against the counter. The worst of it was that her eyes were so tender.

"Where did you get all the capital for all this stock?" Clay demanded, with sudden suspicion.

"Oh, part of it we bought on credit and part of it on borrowed money."

"Borrowed from whom?"  
"From Mr. Duane."  
"This was too much of too much. Clay stormed: 'I'll get him!'"

"Oh, no, you won't!"  
"Oh, yes, I will!"  
"I won't have you assaulting the best friend I've got in the world."

He groaned aloud at this, not noticing how she used the word "friend." She ran on. She had not talked to him for so long that she was a perfect chatterbox.

"He lent me five hundred dollars when I didn't know where else to get it. And it nailed our first real contract—a big commission from old Mrs. Romilly. We paid back Mr. Duane's five hundred and then—" She giggled in advance at what was coming to Clay. "And then I borrowed a thousand from him. We owe him that now."

Clay was as wroth as she had wished. He took out a little book. "Well, I'll give you a check for that amount—or more. And you can pay Duane off with interest. I won't have you owing him money."

"You won't have?" Daphne mocked. "You won't have? Since when did you become senior partner here?"

"Senior partner!" Clay railed. "I'm no partner in this business! I hate this business. It makes me sick to see you in it."

"Then step out on the walk," said Daphne. "You're scaring away customers and using up the time of the firm. The boudoir is no place for you, anyway."

A young woman with a bridal veil walked in and Daphne left Clay to blunder out sheepishly. He did not see that she cast sheep's eyes after him. He was a most bewildered young man. He had made a pile of money and still he was not happy!

### CHAPTER XXVII.

In the course of a few wretched days Clay picked up some of the facts about Daphne's presence in Wetherell's fatal car. He was more furious at her than ever and more incapable of hating her.

He saw Bayard often, but Bayard knew little and said less. One afternoon he invited Clay to ride with him to the hospital, whence Lella was to graduate. He warned Clay not to betray how shocked he would be at Lella's appearance, which, he said, was a wonderful improvement on what it had been.

She was, indeed, a mere shell, and Clay was not entirely successful with his compliments.

Lella sighed: "Much obliged for your good intentions. I'm a mere sack of bones, but I'm going to get well. The doctors say that if I take care of myself every minute and go to a lot of specialists and go to Bar Harbor in the hot weather and to Palm Beach in the cold and spend about a million dollars I'll be myself some day. That's not much, but it's all I've got to work for. Poor Byrdie! He didn't know he was endowing a hospital when he married me."

"What do I care, honey?" Bayard cried, with perfect chivalry. "The money is rolling in and I'd rather spend it on you than on anybody else."

"The money's rolling out just as fast as it rolls in," Lella sighed. "The Lord seems to provide a new expense for every streak of luck. And that's my middle name—Expense."

She had actually learned one lesson. That was a hopeful sign.

Clay sought Daphne in her odious (to him) place of business. She asked him what she could sell him. He said he would wait till the shop closed. She raised her eyebrows impudently and gave him a chair in a corner. He sat there feeling as out of place as a strange man in a harem.

Eventually the last garrulous customer talked herself dumb; the last sewing woman went. Mrs. Chivvis pulled down the curtains in the show window and at the door and bade good night.

Then Daphne locked the door, dropped wearily into a chair, and sighed, "Well, Clay?"

"I want to know why you don't give up Tom Duane."

She shrugged her excellent shoulders again, but she did not smile. She spoke instead: "I don't ask you to give up your stenographer."

"Oh, it's like that, eh? Well, then, why won't you let me lend you money instead of Tom Duane?"

Her answer astounded him with its feminine logic: "I can borrow of Mr. Duane because I don't love him and never did and he knows it. I can't borrow of you because—"

He leaped at the implication: "Because you love me?"

"Because I used to."

"Don't you any more?" he groaned. "How can I tell? It's been months and months since I saw the Clay Wimburn that came out to Cleveland and lured me on to New York. The only Clay Wimburn I've seen for some time has been a horribly prosperous, domineering snob who is too proud to be seen with a working woman. He wants to marry a lady. I never was one and don't want to be one. I'm a business woman and I love it."

"And you wouldn't give up your shop for me?"

"Certainly not."

He looked at her with baffled emotions. She was so delectable and so obstinate, so right-hearted and so wrong-headed. It was intolerable that she should keep a shop. He spoke after a long delay:

"May I come and see you once in a while?"

"If you want to."

"Where you living now?"  
"Still at the Chivvisses."

"You ought to take better care of yourself than that. Surely you can afford a better home."

"I suppose so, but it would be lonely anywhere else. It has been safe there—since you quit calling on me. It doesn't cost me much."

"But you're making so much money."

"Not so very much—yet, but it's all my own and I made every cent of it, and—golly! how I love to watch it grow."

"You miser."

"Maybe. I guess that's the only way to save money—to make a passion out of it and get a kind of voluptuous feeling from it. But I really think that it's the fun of making it that interests me most. It certainly keeps me out of mischief and out of loneliness. Oh, there's no freedom like having a job and a little reserve in the bank. It's the only life, Clay."

"And you wouldn't give up your 'freedom,' as you call it, even for a man you loved? Couldn't you love a man enough to do that?"

"I could love a man too much to do that. For where's the love in a woman's sitting around the house all day and waiting for a man to come home and listen to the gossip of her empty brain? That isn't loving, that's loafing."

Clay was not at all persuaded. "But there's no comfort or home life in marrying a business woman."

"How do you know? You know plenty of unsuccessful wives who are not business women."

"I want a housekeeper, not a shopkeeper."

"Go get one, then, I say. If a woman can't earn enough outside to hire a housekeeper let her do her own housework. But if she can earn enough to

hire a hundred housekeepers why should she stick to the kitchen? In my home, if I ever get one, the cook will not be the star. Besides, it enlarges life so. Instead of two living on the wages of one two will live on the earnings of two. It seems to me it couldn't help being a better and a happier way of living."

Clay blushed vigorously as he mumbled "What's your business, woman going to do when the babies

come? Or do you cut out the kiddies?"

Daphne blushed, too. "Well, I should think that the business woman would afford babies better than anybody else. She has to give up the housework, anyway, even when she's a housekeeper. I suppose she could give up her shop for a while. At least she could share the expense—or her husband could stand the bills since he escapes the pain. I tell you, if I ever had a daughter I'd make her learn her own trade if she never learned anything else. I'd never raise her to the hideous, indecent belief that the world owes her a living and she's got a right to squeeze it out of the heart's blood of some hard-working man. No, sirree! It may be old-fashioned, but it isn't decent, and it isn't even romantic. The love of two free souls, with their own careers and their own expenses, seems to me about the best kind of love there could be. Then both of them can come home evenings and their home will be a home—a fresh, sweet meeting place."

Clay breathed hard. He was silenced, but not convinced—beyond being convinced that Daphne Kip was still the one woman in the world for him, in spite of her cantankerous notions. Still, of course, a woman had to have some flaw or she would not be human. Daphne's foible was as harmless as anyone's, perhaps. So he blurted out:

"I suppose you've given up all thought of marrying me?"

She answered him with pious earnestness: "I've never given up that thought, Clay. I've been trying to make myself worthy of the happiness it would mean. I have had the trousseau all made, and paid for, a long while. That's what I came to town for originally—our trousseau. But when I saw how much sacrifice it meant for my poor old father and what a bundle of bills I'd be dumping on my poor young lover I couldn't see the good of it. So I took my vow that I wouldn't get a trousseau till I could earn the price of it myself. And now I've earned the price and I've got it. But I've lost my excuse for wearing it."

"Still, I'd probably have lost you, anyway, or ruined you if I had brought you my old ideas. Everybody always says that money is the enemy of love. I wonder if it couldn't be made the friend. It would be an interesting experiment, anyway."

"Daphne, honey, let's try the experiment."

She looked at him with a heavenly smile in her eyes, and answered, "Let's."

He moved toward her, but she dodged behind the counter. She studied him a moment, then reached below the counter. A bell rang and a drawer slid out. She took some bills from it, made a memorandum on a slip of paper, and put that in the place of the bills, closed the drawer, and leaned across the counter, murmuring:

"They say all successful businesses are begun on borrowed money. So I'll borrow this from the firm—for luck."

She put out her hand. Clay put out his. She laid three dollars on his palm and closed his fingers on them.

"What's all this?" he asked, all mystified. She explained:

"A plain gold band costs about six dollars, and that's for my half of the partnership. Women are wearing their wedding rings very light nowadays."

"I should say so!" Clay groaned, but with a smile.

She bent forward and he bent forward and their lips met. She was only a saleswoman selling a customer part of a heart for part of a heart, but to Clay the very counter was the golden bar of heaven, and Daphne the Blessed Demozel that leaned on it and made it warm.

### THE END.

#### The Hottest City.

The city of Hyderabad, on the great Sind desert of India, has the reputation of being the hottest place in the world, having a shade temperature of 127 degrees during the summer months! Even the natives find it hot—and that is saying something.

In order to cool their houses as much as possible, the people make use of curious ventilators very much like those on shipboard, "setting" them so as to convey a breeze to the dwellers in the hot rooms below. Every residential building has several of these queer shafts leading down to the principal living rooms, and especially to the bedrooms. Even so, it is practically impossible, during the terrible heat of summer, to get to sleep until two or three o'clock in the morning, and then one only gets a couple of hours' rest, as the rays of the Indian sun are especially strong early in the morning, and soon raise the temperature again to an unbearable extent.

#### Rush for Free Molasses.

When a tank car filled with 3,000 gallons of molasses was upset near Telford, Pa., and the molasses began to run out, people came by scores, on foot, in carriages and by automobiles, and salvaged some hundreds of gallons of molasses before the railroad men plugged the opening and left dozens of disappointed ones waiting to get at the outflow.

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PROBLEMS FACING STRICKEN WORLD

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

PRIMARY CAUSE OF UNREST

With the Passing of "Small Business" Went the Feeling of Community Interest, Which Meant So Much.

Article VIII.

By FRANK COMERFORD.

Not many years ago something happened which changed the relations between employer and employee. That happening has had a marked effect upon industrial discontent. Something was lost out of the relation between the owner and the men who worked for him. The human element, the personal touch, between the boss and the workers stopped. With its passing unrest grew with great vigor. It was a new kind of unrest, too. It was a lasting, determined, resolute discontent. This came to pass in the day that small business entered the twilight.

In the day of the small plant, business was owned and run by a man, or a number of men, doing business as a partnership. These men lived in the community in which their men lived. They worked with their men. In the front of the plant was the office of the Boss. He was on the job. He wasn't a hired boss, either—he was the real boss—the owner. The sign under which the business was run bore his name. It identified him with the business. The Boss had his home in the city in which the plant was located. His children went to the public school, frequently to the same school to which the children of his workmen went. If he was a church-going man—and generally he was—he and his family went to religious services on Sunday to the same church that many of his men and their families attended. The men who worked for him knew him, at least to the extent of recognizing him when they saw him. He knew many of them, and recognized them with a nod or "Good morning," when he saw them on the street. Few people realized how much this meant to harmonious relations in the industrial world. When working men had a grievance, or thought they had, they took it directly to the Boss. He talked it over with them. He was reasonable and fair. If the complaint was well founded it was given consideration, a remedy was found. The working man was satisfied. He had had his say. He was treated as a human being by a human being. He felt he was part of the business—so did the Boss.

Regulated by Public Opinion.

In the day of small business, the owner of a factory or plant who paid his men an unliving wage was a marked man in the community. Public opinion chastised him for his selfishness and inhumanity. The people said he was a sweater, a slave driver, and held him in contempt. They contrasted his good clothes, the style of his family and his fine mansion, with the rags his working men wore, the hovels in which they lived. He was pointed out, hated, despised. The thought of the community was that it would be better for him and his to give up some of their excess luxury and give the men living wages. The disgrace fell not only upon his head, but it followed his wife and children. When they went to church they were looked upon as hypocrites, for all the people knew that every day in the week he was insulting the Christ he pretended to worship, on the Sabbath. Few men are so thick-skinned as not to feel the lash of public opinion. It isn't easy to bear the hate of one's neighbors. It is natural for men to want the good opinion of their fellows. In the day of small business, public opinion held a lash over the inhuman and greedy, kept hirers of men human, but in the progress of the world the small employer was doomed to go.

The partnership passed off the stage, and with it the personal touch between employer and employees. The corporation, a soulless body, was born of the law. It absorbed small plants and small businesses. It collected under a single roof thousands of men. The corporation, the combination, the trust, had come. This new order of doing business on a large scale was efficient—economical. It eliminated waste and duplication. It was a great, smooth-running machine. It represented progress in doing the world's work.

The corporation name did not disclose the owner of Big Business. It was an impersonal, inhuman thing. Frequently the stockholders did not live in the cities where the plants were located. The real owners were unknown to employees and public. Many of the large shareholders had never seen the plant. The men who worked in the plants had never seen the men for whom they worked. The man actually running the business was only an employee. He was paid a large salary and it was made plain to him when he was hired that his salary and his job depended on his ability to make profit. The corporation was organized for millions of dollars. The manager was expected to make dividends. The larger the dividend checks, the higher he was rated. His tenure of job and salary

were measured by this definition of success. To make profits it is necessary to keep down the cost of production. The principal item in the cost of production is the labor charge, the wages of the men. The employee manager set himself to his task. One object, one thought, was always before him—keep down wages. He drilled this idea into his staff, his superintendents, his foremen. The first commandment of Big Business to him was "make dividends or quit."

Evil in Over-Capitalization.

Frequently these large industrial corporations were greatly over-capitalized. A corporation representing an actual investment of \$100,000,000 was organized for \$500,000,000. It didn't take a financier to see that \$400,000,000 of its capitalization was wind, water, fake—a lie. The law that gave the corporation a right to exist forgot to keep it under control. The stock was sold, shares representing fiction as well as those representing value. The Captain of Industry spoke of the \$400,000,000 of over-capitalization as a "melon." The law should have written it down larceny. The selling of this stock was nothing more or less than obtaining money under false pretenses. When a working man obtained bread under false pretenses he was sent to jail. When honest men cried out against this grand larceny they were called muckrakers, agitators, and charged with provoking unrest, disturbing business. If this did not silence them, paid publicity told the world that the stock was held by widows and orphans; that the attacks upon it were efforts to rob them.

The state, the law, the government, had given dollars the right to organize. A corporation is a union of dollars, exactly as a labor union is an organization of men. The men organized as a matter of self-defense. They knew the individual no longer had a chance to register his complaint with the owner and that as an individual the worker was utterly meaningless in such a large scheme. When he complained he was told, "Take things as they are, stop whining; if you don't like your job, quit. There are thousands of men waiting to step into your shoes."

One of the first things the corporation did was to deny to men the right the law gave it—the right to organize. In defiance of their attitude the men did organize and forged the strike as a weapon with which to fight for their rights. The law had not kept pace with the times. It failed to furnish protection. It failed to provide a reasonable control over these powerful big combinations. The men asked for the privilege of collective bargaining. It was a simple request, a just one; its meaning is clear. The men wanted the right to appoint a committee to represent them and discuss with the men who hired them the terms of employment. The directors, generally men who never saw the plant, telegraphed the employee boss, the manager, a direction to refuse the demand for collective bargaining. There was only one reply the men could make. They made it. It was force—the strike. The last twenty-five years have been filled with strikes, which created waste and caused hate, which grew out of the refusal of Big Business to concede to men a right the law conferred on it, the right to organize.

Capitalistic Duplicity.

When the cost of living forced men to ask for an increase in wages they were often met with the answer, "We can't afford it." The men could not afford to work longer for the wages they were getting, because they were unable to make both ends meet. The pay on hope was not large enough. The men pointed to the fact that the answer given by capital was not true. To show their good faith the capitalists told the general public, "We are only making 3 per cent on our capital; men who loan money get 5 per cent." They did not tell the people they were receiving 3 per cent on \$500,000,000, while the real capital invested was only \$100,000,000. The sweat of men was being used to pay dividends on \$400,000,000. If the dividends earned were distributed over the capital actually invested, \$100,000,000, the profits would have been shown in their true light. The reasonableness of the demand of the men would have been disclosed. It was a case of crooked capitalization, lying to protect its ill-gotten gains. Big Business needs ethics—Captains of Industry need ideals.

Let me repeat, the law left the men helpless. They had only one course—Fight, Strike! Strikes cause great public inconvenience. The people smarting under hardships condemn and blame the strikers. Strikes have another effect that is even worse. They harden hate into a concrete class feeling. Strikes are responsible for the attitude of mind of many working men today who say, "I will do as little work as possible for the money I get." It is a vicious circle of hate. Co-operation is made impossible, confidence is destroyed, trust killed; the chasm between employer and employee is widened and deepened. A final consequence of these physical and psychological effects is the tendency towards riot. The strike is a training school. It develops hate. It creates lawlessness, idleness, hunger, hate, irritation, disregard of law which, when combined and concentrated, make revolutions.

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Common Duty Before All.

It should be the sublime duty of all, without thought of partisanship, to help in building up the new world, where labor shall have its just reward, and indolence alone shall suffer want.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George.

WILSON STICKS TO DEC. 9 SCHEME

Willing to Have Italy and Yugoslavs Try to Come to Agreement

LEAVE ALBANIA ALONE

President Reiterates Resolve Not to Acquiesce in Pact of London—Replies to Allies' Note.

Washington, (By the Associated Press)—President Wilson accepts with reservations the proposal of the British and French premiers that Italy and Yugoslavia undertake a settlement of the Adriatic question.

He says if Italy and Yugoslavia prefer to abandon the so-called buffer state, containing an overwhelming majority of Yugoslavs and desire to limit the proposed free state to the corpus separatum of Fiume, placing the sovereignty in the league of nations, without either Italian or Yugoslav control, the United States is willing to leave the determination of the common frontier to Italy and Yugoslavia.

The President says he cannot possibly join in the premiers' suggestion that the memorandum settlement of Dec. 9 be withdrawn; declares that Albanian questions should not be included in the proposed joint discussions, and reiterates that the United States cannot approve of the execution of the terms of the treaty of London.

Finally he expresses the earnest hope that the allied governments will not find it necessary to decide on a course which the American government in accordance with its reiterated statement will be unable to follow.

President Wilson's note in part, follows:

"The President desires to express his sincere and cordial interest in the response of the French and British prime ministers received on Feb. 27. He notes with satisfaction their unaltered desire to reach an equitable solution in conformity alike with the principles of the peace conference and of the legitimate though conflicting aspirations of the Italian and Yugoslav peoples. He further welcomes their expressed intention regarding certain essential points to urge upon the governments interested that they should bring their desires into line with the American point of view."

"The President is surprised, however, that they should find in the statement of his own willingness to leave to the joint agreement of Italy and Yugoslavia the settlement of their common frontiers in the Fiume region and ground for suggesting the withdrawal of the joint memorandum of Dec. 9. In this he could not possibly join. The memorandum represents deliberate and disinterested judgment after months of earnest discussion. It constituted more than a mere exchange of views; it was a statement of principles and a recapitulation of the chief points upon which agreement had been reached. There was thus afforded a summary review of these points of agreement of the French, British and American governments and the memorandum should remain as it was intended to be, the basis of reference representing the combined opinion of these governments."

"In referring to the 'common frontier in the Fiume region,' the President had in mind the express desire of the two interested governments to abandon the project of the free state of Fiume as defined in the memorandum of Dec. 9. If, as he understands, the governments of Italy and the Serb-Croat-Slovene state prefer to abandon the so-called buffer state containing an overwhelming majority of Yugoslavs and desire to limit the proposed free state to the corpus separatum of Fiume, placing the sovereignty in the league of nations without either Italian or Yugoslav control, then the government of the United States is prepared to accept this proposal and is willing under such circumstances to leave the determination of the common frontier to Italy and Yugoslavia."

"In this connection the President desires to reiterate that he would gladly approve a mutual agreement between the Italian and Yugoslav governments reached without prejudice to the territorial or other interests of any third nation, but Albanian questions should not be included in the proposed joint discussion of Italy and Yugoslavia, and the President must reaffirm that he cannot possibly approve any plan which assigns to Yugoslavia in the northern districts of Albania, territorial compensation for what she is deprived of elsewhere. Concerning the economic outlets for Yugoslavia in the region of Scutari suggested in the note under reply, the President desires to refer to the memorandum of Dec. 9 as making adequate provisions to meet the needs of Yugoslavia."

"Regarding the character and applicability of the treaty of London, the President is led to speak with less reserve on account of the frank observations of the French and British prime ministers. He is unable to find in the 'exigencies of military strategy' sufficient warrant for exercising secrecy with a government which was intimately associated with the signatories of the treaty of London in the gigantic task of defending human freedom and which was being called upon for unlimited assistance and untold treasure."

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SELECTMEN'S NOTICE The Selectmen will meet at their Rooms, in Town hall block, the First Saturday in each month, from two till five o'clock in the afternoon to transact town business. The Tax Collector will meet with the Selectmen. JAMES M. CUTLER, CHARLES F. DOWNES, HENRY A. COOLIDGE, Selectmen of Antrim.

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## Bennington

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson have been spending several days in Boston.

Mrs. Nellie Burnham is visiting her son, Walter, at Sheldon Springs, Vt.

Miss Jennie Cashion, of Manchester, is visiting her sister, Miss Mae Cashion.

The severe storm caused our people much inconvenience in many ways besides being very costly in a great many cases.

At the School Meeting, which was held Friday evening, Geo. E. Edwards was reelected as member of the School Committee for 3 years; Mrs. Frank Taylor, Treasurer; Arthur F. Bell, Clerk; and Henry W. Wilson and Mrs. Emma Joslin, Auditors. Approximately \$5000 was voted for the support of the schools for the ensuing year.

### 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.

## Bennington.

### Moving Pictures!

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Wednesday Evening, Mar. 10  
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Friday Evening, Mar. 12  
"The Lost Battalion"

Saturday Evening, Mar. 13  
5 reel drama

"Fatal Fortune" Chap. 10

### Town Meeting

The voters of the town, gathered at the town house on Tuesday to transact the necessary business for the year. The officers elected and the actions under the several articles in the warrant appear herewith:

1—To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

The following were elected:

Town Clerk	Arthur F. Bell
Treasurer	Arthur F. Bell
1st Selectman	James H. Balch
2d Selectman	Herbert A. Eaton
3d Selectman	James J. Griswold
Road Agent	Frank A. Taylor
Trustees of Trust Funds, 3 years	Edward R. Keeser
Janitor of Town Hall	Edward R. Keeser

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.

Voted to raise and appropriate \$16,000.

3—To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate for Memorial Day.

Voted to raise and appropriate \$100.

4—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to secure hydrant service.

A sufficient sum of money, approximately \$275, was voted.

5—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for highways.

Motion carried to appropriate \$2700.

6—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate to lighting the streets with electricity.

Voted to raise and appropriate \$300.

7—To see what action the Town will take with regard to State Air maintenance of same and Trunk Line maintenance.

Article voted to be carried out, and a sufficient amount of money raised for same.

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.

Voted to accept.

9—To see if the Town will appropriate \$125.00 for the control of the White Pine Blister.

Voted to raise and appropriate \$125 for above article.

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.

Voted to purchase an Honor Roll, and to raise and appropriate \$300 for same.

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BETS

WILLIE LUCKNEAR INTENDS TO STARTLE THE ASSEMBLED MULTITUDE WITH A FEW HAIR RAISERS.

BUDDIE, BROTHER OF TIMMIE THE ACE, WHO IS TRYING TO HOLD UP HIS END SINCE GETTING HIS LAST PIN ON HIS BROTHER.

TIMMIE, THE ACE, IN HIS SOAPWITH PLANE JUST ABOUT TO START OUT ON A RECORD SMASHING FLIGHT.

JOC RIPPENSTITCH, THE DRESSMAKER'S SON AND SPORTSMAN, IS GIVING ODDS OF 100 TO 1 ON THE WINNER. IN HIS DEALINGS JOE HAS NEVER BEEN STUCK YET.

LT. FUNGUS HAS ACTED IN MOST MYSTERIOUS MANNER REGARDING THE PLANE HE WILL USE FOR HIS FLIGHT. HOWEVER IT IS RUMORED THAT HAMMERING AND SAWING HAVE BEEN GOING ON IN HIS CELLAR FAR INTO THE NIGHT.

THIS CUP-ENGRAVED BY JIMMY TOOL WITH THE AID OF A CAN OPENER-WILL GO TO THE WINNER. (A SUGAR BOWL IS MISSING AT THE HOME OF MRS. GRUB WHICH IS NOT UNLIKE THE AERIAL PRIZE)

ARIUL PRIZE

OWING TO AN UNFAVORABLE WIND LT. HARRY GARRY HAD TO BRING DOWN HIS HAVAHAND-2. HE WAS LAST SEEN GOING TO HIS SHEP.

LT. SKIPP, THE CARPENTER'S SON, WHO BROUGHT DOWN TWO PLANES FROM HIS FATHER'S TOOL BOX, WILL FLY IN A VE-7

P. L. Crosby