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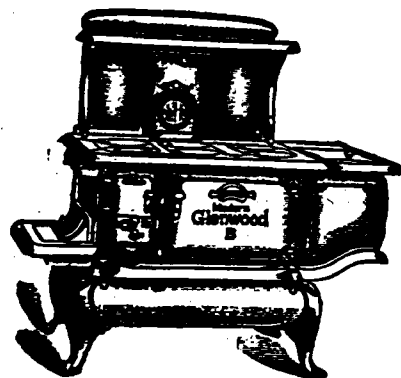
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## OFF THE HIGHWAY

### Three-ton Trucks Ordered Till After Mud-time

An order from the Highway department at Concord has been received by the Selectmen of Antrim, as well as other towns, to post the state roads against the use during the mud season of three ton trucks, and the Selectmen have complied with the order. Large notices have been posted, and the order from the Highway Commissioner reads as follows:

Notice is hereby given that agreeably to an act in amendment of Chapter 96, Laws of 1917, relating to the protection of State roads, adopted March 17, 1921, the following rules and regulations are in effect:

1. All vehicles of over 3 (three) tons gross weight are prohibited the use of the trunk line, cross-state and state aid highways of this State, from 7 a. m. March 21, 1921, until further notice.

Selectmen of towns will see that suitable notices are placed in conspicuous places so that the public may be immediately informed of this order.

Notice shall also be given police, constables or other administrators of the law with instructions to enforce the provisions of this act.

The purpose of this order is to protect highways of the State during the frost season, and will be withdrawn as soon as conditions permit.

F. E. Everett,  
State Highway Commissioner  
Approved by the Governor and Council  
March 17, 1921.

State House, Concord, N. H.

### Church Notes

#### BAPTIST

Rev. W. J. B. Cannell, Pastor

Good Friday—A short service will be held in the evening at 7.30 to commemorate the Passion of our Lord. All welcome.

Easter Sunday—The Easter Concert will be held in the morning at 10.45. It is hoped that all the members of the School, both children and adults, will be present. The parents of the children are cordially invited. A special offering will be taken for the New England Baptist Hospital.

Intermediate C. E. Society at 8.30. Union service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by Mr. Cannell. Special music. A hearty invitation to all.

On Monday evening at 7.30 a stereoscopic lecture will be given in the Baptist church, by Rev. James King Miller, collector missionary of the N. H. Baptist Convention. The title of the lecture is "The Challenge of the World's Need and How we are Meeting it." All are cordially invited.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. J. D. Cameron, Pastor

Morning services at 10.45 with an Easter Concert. The exercises of the Sunday School will be combined with the morning service. The choir will present special music and the pastor will deliver a short address. The public is cordially invited.

#### METHODIST

Rev. George Davies, Pastor

Morning service at 10.45, with an Easter sermon by the pastor, and special Easter music.

Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

The annual conference of New Hampshire meets at Nashua April 8. Bishop Richardson from the South will preside. Many of our people will want to attend, and some are now planning to do so.

### For Sale

Pen of five Sicilian Buttercup fowls; Baldwin apples, \$1.00 and \$1.25 per bu.; Good Potatoes for table use, delivered \$1.25 per bu.

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### Choice Maple Syrup

Place orders early to insure being filled. Price \$2.50 per gallon, 15¢ for crating in orders of less than six gallons.

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## WORLD IS FAR FROM FAMINE

Only One-Third of its Potential Food-Producing Area at Present Under Cultivation.

Only one-third of the world's potential food-producing area is under cultivation, and the crops raised on that third, thanks to agricultural science, increase yearly.

The United States has only some 400 millions of its 935 million acres of arable land under cultivation, yet it raises, among other things, one-sixth of the world's corn supply. The farms of America raise less than half as much wheat to the acre as those of England, yet even with her present standard size-could raise enough corn to meet the needs of Europe on the land that is now lying unused.

Russia produces only ten bushels to the acre of corn, but when science has access to her untold millions of acres, and brings their capacity up to the standard of our own farms, then she alone will be able to supply the world's cereal needs, with the exception of maize and rice.

Less than a third of the world's population gets what we should call three good meals a day, yet the working capabilities of the, from our viewpoint, underfed continents of Asia and Africa will compare very well with either Europe or America. The average meat consumption of the world is 39 pounds a head, yet both the Australian and the American eat nearer 180 pounds per head, and the Englishman is not far behind with about 120 pounds.

It is evident, then, that we can tighten our belts a hole or two yet without running any undue risk of starvation.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

## "CRUCIFIX FISH" ODD CURIO

Figure of Man on Cross Plainly Revealed on Dried Skeleton of West Indian Product.

Joseph Reichenbach of 80 Henry street, has a curiosity in the way of a fish which throughout the West Indian country is known as the "crucifix fish," and is regarded with a mixture of reverential awe by the natives, who throw specimens caught in their nets back into the sea and cross themselves when they come on the skull of one.

The dried skeleton of this fish shows plainly on the under side of the skull the figure of a man on a crucifix with a halo about his head. On the other side of the skull is a figure of a monk with a cowl bending before an altar.

Mr. Reichenbach prizes the specimen very highly. He keeps it in a little wooden box like a coffin. Formerly he was barber in the Hotel of St. George, and one day John L. Sullivan, the famous pugilist, happened in and Joe showed him a specimen of the odd fish. Sullivan was deeply impressed, and expressed a wish to have one like it, so Joe made him a gift of a duplicate of the fish.

There are other peculiarities about this fish skeleton which Joe has. When it is lifted up and shifted there is a rattling in the skull like dice rolling. These are what are known as the "air bones."—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Determining Poisonous Vapors.

In its efforts to determine the extent to which the vapors of fires are actively poisonous, the United States bureau of mines has sought vacuum-bottle samples of air from different places in burning buildings in 25 cities. Certain indications have been reported from the contents of such bottles as have been returned. Most dreaded at fires is carbon monoxide, but only one sample of air from above ground showed this gas, the quantity in that case being too small to harm when breathed a short time. The air and smoke in cellars, however, contain considerably more. The ventilation giving good combustion apparently disposes of any carbon monoxide produced, but there may be some accumulation in close places where ventilation is poor. Air charged with dense smoke was quite free from poisonous gas, the effect of such air being mechanical irritation from breathing the smoke; and the most poisonous air found was a sample containing little smoke that was taken from a poorly ventilated space among cases in a basement.

### Preserving the Salmon.

Completion of an improved \$40,000 salmon hatchery at Madison, Conn., for restocking eastern streams with the valuable food fish that disappeared from that region practically a century ago, is awakening renewed interest in the cause of that early depletion, according to Popular Mechanics Magazine. The too common construction of dams without proper fish ladders, blocking the seasonal ascent of the salmon from the sea, explains the impending loss of this great natural resource, a condition often technically difficult of correction because many of the streams are not listed as navigable waters.

## A FEW THOUGHTS

### Suggested by What Is Happening Around

The season of Boston's frenzied finance is evidently drawing to a close.

If March is a weather breeder spring should be fully hatched by April 1.

Did anyone ever see such a warm day in March as Monday was? We think not.

Beware the public spirited citizen who wants to boom everything at the expense of the other fellow.

Someone came to a seashore tea house and asked, "Do you serve lobsters?" "Oh yes," was the reply, "we serve anybody."

When the seasons change there is not always the disturbance that we experienced on Saturday night. At just 10.54 spring officially began and it was ushered in with thunder and lightning.

The Hoover fund of \$33,000,000 to save from starving three and one-half million European children, has been raised by the American people and the cry of "Save us or we perish" was not in vain.

## Growth in the M. E. Church

The Methodist Episcopal Church made a net gain of 191,559 members in 1919-20, and 91,237 in Sunday School enrollment, according to a statement issued today by the committee on conservation and advance from statistics gathered by Dr. Oliver S. Baketel of New York 'for the general minutes of the church.

It raised \$60,831,681 for all purposes: of which the pastors received \$21,944,613, the district superintendents \$1,369,221, the bishops \$314,080, and the retired ministers \$1,360,409. New church and parsonage buildings and improvements took \$10,655,179. Debts to the extent of \$4,528,796 were paid. Current expenses used up \$11,210,835. For the benevolent bodies, including the receipts of the two women's societies, \$20,005,727 was provided.

The amounts contributed for famine relief, for college education, for hospitals and homes and for local causes can only be roughly estimated. Total donations of the Methodist Church last year are estimated at \$100,000,000, or \$25 per capita.

## Prices Continue High

Just to show how costs of print paper and freights compare with a few years ago, we make the following statement: News print today costs more than we ever knew it to before; forty reams that came in last week was billed to us at a fraction more than seven cents per pound; the freight on same from Berlin, this state, was \$7.40; in addition there was the cartage. Our contract price in 1914 read \$2.65 per hundred weight, freight prepaid. This is only one item that enters into the cost of making a newspaper, and there are many others. We are not complaining in the least regarding the matter, but giving this statement to our readers that they may know why the price of subscription and advertising must be kept to the present high level. The same is practically true in the job printing department.

## Continuation of D. E. Gordon's Special Sale

The special sale which D. E. Gordon is conducting for a short time is continued to Saturday night of this week, March 26, when it will close. Many of the bargains have been taken but there are a great many more on the counters which should attract everyone who may be looking for a cut price on standard goods. By referring to the display adv. on our third page in this paper one may see just what is being offered. If you want a nice talking machine consult Mr. Gordon; his knowledge of this department will be of service to you.

## WOMAN'S CLUB

### Will Hold Food Sale Friday Afternoon This Week

At the Food Sale which will be held in Town Hall next Friday afternoon, there will be tables devoted to the sale of the following articles: Rolls and bread, including brown bread, in charge of Mrs. Lane; cake, doughnuts and cookies, in charge of Mrs. MacClarence; pies, Mrs. Miner; candy, Mrs. Kidder; vegetables and canned goods, Miss Munhall. Proceeds will be devoted to the Scholarship Fund, which pays Normal School tuition of young ladies who will teach in New Hampshire schools. It is hoped that an object so worthy will bring a liberal patronage to the sale.

### March 29 the Last

"If I Were King," the last of the Unity Guild special pictures, will be shown on Tuesday evening, Mar. 29. This is a gorgeous picture, very different from the usual movie. It will please all. William Farnum plays the leading part which E. H. Sothern played for many years.

These pictures given jointly by the Guild and Mr. Nichols have been of a good class and the people have patronized them well. Last night's production, "Pollyanna" was enthusiastically received, a very large attendance being present.

### For Sale

Potatoes \$1.00 a bushel, at house \$1.25 delivered.

F. K. Black & Son

## CLINTON VILLAGE

Auren Peasley is spending a few days with his grandson in Bennington.

Charles Thurston has moved his household goods to Bennington. Walter Smith is moving from the Wallace farm to the Wheeler house.

Leon Brownell was operated on at his home last Thursday evening by Drs. Jameson, Grimes and Tibbets, and is making a satisfactory recovery.

Miss Lena Peasley has completed her work in Manchester and will be at home for a while.

Mrs. O. W. Brownell and Miss Myrtle Chamberlain have returned from Malden, Mass., where they have been for several weeks.

There will be Easter exercises at the church Sunday morning in place of the regular morning service. C. E. will be at 7 in the evening.

Ben Tenney has been confined to the house for several days with blood poisoning in his hand.

Miss Ruth Peasley, from Manchester, was at home over the week end.

Roscoe A. Whitney spent his birthday with friends in Boston and vicinity. He passed Sunday with the Hollis family.

## Americanism

By  
LEONARD WOOD

The people's government, made for the people, made by the people, and answered to the people.—Daniel Webster Speech January 26, 1830.

THERE probably will be instant recognition of the similarity between these words of Webster and those used by Lincoln in his immortal Gettysburg address. Lincoln improved upon something which for a long time stood as being hardly susceptible of improvement, so strong yet simple was its definition of a real government by the people.

There can be no real people's government unless every man and woman takes an interest in the government, not an intermittent or passing interest but a constant and active one. There is no spectacle more contemptible than that presented by the man who continually is finding fault with the government and yet is so indifferent to his duties as a citizen that he fails to take part in upbuilding effort and goes so far at times as to neglect to cast his vote. Such persons have no rights as citizens.

Our government was made for the people and it is the duty of all Americans to keep it what it was intended to be, a people's government. The fact that the government is answerable to the people makes it the kind of government that it is. There is no monarch, but there is a master, the people. American government, therefore, means self-government, and this means liberty under the laws which the people make for their own rule.

There are native born Americans who need Americanization. Too frequently the thought is that Americanization means work only among the foreigners who come to our shores. Some of these hitherto alien people are better Americans after a year's residence in this country, than are some of our citizens whose ancestors came here when the tide of colonization first set westward. Webster knew what Americanization meant when he made the speech from which the extract is taken.

Americanization means that every native and foreign born citizen must be given a full understanding of what a people's government is, how it must be maintained, and the necessity for watchfulness lest license supplant liberty or autocracy supplant democracy.

### Indefinite.

"I don't like to throw bouquets at myself, but I must say folks are afraid of my drive."

"Golf or charity?"

### The City Bird.

"The sparrow soon adapts itself to environment."

"What now?"

"Saw one downtown today which was building a nest of burnt matches."

### Progressing Slowly.

Husband—Making any progress towards getting acquainted with these people next door?

Wife—Just a little. Their cat invited our cat over to a little sing-song last night.—Stray Stories.

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**Scotch Weave**—The heavy, durable wool faced rug that have become very popular for rooms having hard service.

**Ingrain Weave**—The rug in oriental designs that gives good service and fits the modest purse.

**Fiber Rugs**—The sort that look well, wear well, are easy to keep clean, and popular priced.

**Congoleum Rugs**—The sort that have become very generally used for all rooms, sanitary and inexpensive.

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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.

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## Antrim Locals

FOR SALE—Hay. Price right.  
adv. Fred L. Proctor.

William E. Cram was a business visitor in Boston on Friday last.

Hiram W. Johnson was confined to his home by illness the past week.

Mrs. Henry MacClarence is entertaining her mother from Saxons River, Vt.

Robert Handy, formerly of this place, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Carrie Whynott.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cook have been spending a part of the past week in Boston and vicinity.

Wanted, to buy, small lot of second hand hen wire. Apply to Reporter office, Antrim.

Miss Sadie Lane, of the Woman's Specialty Shop, was in Boston the past week on a business trip.

Miss Mabel Gibson is spending the Easter vacation at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson.

FOR SALE—Two and a half tons of good Stock Hay, price \$40 for the bunch. Apply to

adv. B. F. Tenney

W. E. Shaw, of Manchester, the veteran directory publisher, was in town on Saturday last on a business trip.

Would like the name of someone who does repair work on cane chairs, such as reseatting. Apply to Reporter office, Antrim.

Mrs. Charles W. Prentiss is the guest for a brief season of Rev. and Mrs. G. B. VanBuskirk in West Medford, Mass.

Fred C. Cutter will have the same position as he had last year, as patrolman on the state highway in Antrim and Bennington.

The first degree will be conferred on a class of candidates by Waverley Lodge of Odd Fellows on Saturday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice A. Poor spent a few days the past week with relatives in Malden, Mass., also visiting the auto show in Boston.

The ante room leading to the lodge room in Odd Fellows block has been repainted and newly papered during the past week.

Ralph H. Proctor, from N. H. State College, Durham, is spending Easter vacation at his home here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Proctor.

Household Furniture for sale, starting at 1 p. m. on Thursday, March 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cook, North Main Street, Antrim.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Burnham spent the week end with their son, Rayworth Burnham and family, in Worcester, Mass. Mrs. Burnham will remain a few days.

A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poor on Wednesday evening last, it being their twelfth wedding anniversary. A goodly number of their young friends were present to enjoy the occasion.

Dr. and Mrs. Guy D. Tibbetts gave a very pretty St. Patrick's party on Thursday evening last to twenty four of their friends. A very pleasant evening was passed in playing whist; refreshments were served.

The Jack Lynn Stock Co., comprising eleven people, were in Antrim last week for three nights, playing to good houses considering that business is a bit quiet. The actors took their parts in a most pleasing manner and gave excellent satisfaction.

## Moving Pictures!

Town Hall, Antrim

Tuesday Evening, March 29

William Farnum in

"If I Were King"

Prices, including war tax: Adults, 35c. Children, 20c. Balcony, 28c.  
Pictures at 8.00

W. A. NICHOLS, Mgr.

Fred Proctor's car of Canada horses will arrive soon. See adv.

Miss Anna Duncan has returned from her visit with relatives in Manchester.

Miss Wilma Allen has returned from a few weeks' visit with relatives in Manchester.

Miss Anna Noetzel has returned from her stay of a few weeks in Boston, with relatives.

Mrs. Will Tandy, who was operated upon and reported in these columns last week, is improving.

Mrs. Emma Hutchinson, of Fitchburg, Mass., is the guest of relatives in this place for a season.

Archie N. Nay spent the week end with relatives in the vicinity of Boston and took in the auto show.

J. M. Cutter was in Boston last week on a business and pleasure trip, and took in the sights at the auto show.

Miss Ethel L. Muzzey is spending the Easter vacation at her home here, from teaching in the Milford, Mass., schools.

Cranston D. Eldredge, manager of the Winchendon, Mass. Courier Press, Inc., was at his home here for over Sunday.

Miss Mary Barrett is attending to the library while Mrs. J. E. Perkins, librarian, is in the sugar camp at Windsor.

SYRUP FOR SALE—I will have Maple Syrup for sale at the going price.

adv. Albert S. Bryer, Antrim

Mr. and Mrs. Don H. Robinson visited the past week with relatives in Arlington, Mass., and also visited the Boston auto show.

Miss Ethel Proctor is spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Proctor, from teaching duties in the East Jaffrey schools.

Mrs. N. J. Morse is confined to her home by illness and under the care of a physician. Her sister, Miss Josephine Bailey, of Claremont, is with her.

The village school closes April 1 for one week's vacation. The North Branch and Center schools close this week Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Agnes Tandy, who has been stopping in Concord, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tandy, while her mother is recovering from an operation.

A chimney fire at O. H. Robb's residence on Tuesday a little after the noon hour was looked after by members of the fire department, and no damage resulted.

Mrs. D. H. Goodell, R. C. Goodell, and Rev. W. J. B. Cannell were in Manchester on Tuesday, attending a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the N. H. Baptist Convention.

Robert C. Carlin will remove his household goods and family to Westcott, Maine, where he has a position at a railroad station in that town. He was in Antrim for the week end.

The senior class of the Antrim High School, together with the faculty, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Fred L. Proctor, a member of the school board, on Saturday evening last.

Antrim friends will be interested to learn of the marriage in New Haven, Conn., on March 5, of George V. Ongle, formerly of this town, to Miss Jean Gould, of Glasgow, Scotland.

Russell Cook, having completed his work on the new store house at the Monksnook Paper Mills, in Bennington, will soon leave town. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will both be missed from our midst.

Frank J. Boyd is removing his Ford car business to Hillsboro and expects to be established in business there by the first of April. We understand he has purchased an interest in the new Smith garage and will be located there.

The regular session of William M. Myers Post, No. 50, American Legion, will be held at their usual meeting place on Thursday evening of this week, at the regular hour. As business of importance will be considered it is hoped that a large number of the members will be present.

For Sale

Chester White Pigs \$7; ready to leave Mar. 28.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE  
LEGISLATURE

The only ripple in a session lasting but little more than 30 minutes on Tuesday of last week was over the bill abolishing divorces. It came in with a divided report, that of the majority "expedited to legislate," the minority "ought to pass." Representative Callahan of Keene moved to substitute the minority report, but his motion was voted down by a large majority. He then offered a resolution that a committee of ten be appointed to investigate and report at the next session. This resolution was apparently headed for the scrap heap, but Representative Ahern of Concord suggested that in the spirit of fair play the resolution be adopted and it was referred to the committee as judiciary.

There was a short discussion on the bill to defray the expense of John H. Wheeden of Somersworth incidental to his trial for manslaughter. He was a special officer and killed a man in the discharge of his duty. The sum asked for was \$1600. It was stated on the floor that the expense of the prosecution in the case was only about \$300, while Mr. Wheeden's lawyers had a charge of over \$1200 for services. It was voted to refer the bill back for a further hearing.

In the senate a bill was passed under suspension of the rules giving the State Highway Commissioner authority to limit the loads carried by auto trucks. Attention was called to the fact that at this season heavily loaded trucks tear up many thousands of dollars worth of road and immediate action was urged.

In the afternoon the appropriations committee sent a bill along the spines of the representatives by presenting the report asked for giving the amount of appropriations demanded by the various measures. The committee stated to grant all the demands made by the departments, institutions and in the measures pending in the committee would mean a state tax of \$2,470,927.54 for 1921 and \$2,473,542.79 for 1922, said Chairman Lord, who told House members that to recognize only the estimates of the various departments and institutions would mean a state tax for 1921 of \$2,496,277.54 and for 1922 of \$2,134,493.79.

The state tax the past two years was \$1,700,000.

A resolution introduced Wednesday that a committee be appointed to investigate the McElwain strike in Manchester was voted down on a roll call, 204 to 81. A bill reported from the committee on appropriations to equalize the salaries of state officials made a decided splash in some of them, the salary of the commissioner of education being cut from \$6,000 to \$4,000, and the deputies being reduced from \$250 to \$200 each. A few increases are granted, \$500 for the state treasurer and chairman of the bank commission, and \$250 for insurance commissioners, associate bank commissioners, and secretary of the state board of charities. The bill was tabled to be printed.

In the afternoon the house had a busy session and ran a good sized crisis through the legislative hopper. Among the bills passed were these: Amending the law in relation to motor vehicles engaged in the carriage of passengers for hire; relating to compensation for cattle killed; providing for a license to take lobsters; amending the game laws in regard to the open season on deer.

Thursday was the busiest day of the session, with a single exception. A big batch of committee reports came in and was disposed of and several bills were passed. Among the bills killed were two primary repeal bills and the resolution to permit a portrait of the late Senator Henry W. Blair to be placed in the state house. The resolution on a commission on divorce was adopted and sent to the senate. The bill for the erection of a dormitory at the Keene normal school was reported inexpedient. The bill providing that women may hold public office also went into the scrap heap.

A new bill was reported for the protection of deer in the state. It forbids all lumber camps with a staff of five or more men from having any deer on hand during the closed season. NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGISLATURE The morning session continued until two o'clock Thursday, business in order for the afternoon session being made in order for the morning. Bills passed included acts for celebrating the 300th anniversary of the settlement of New Hampshire, abolishing the office of state liquor agent; providing for a board of parole; taxing the gross premiums of foreign insurance companies; appropriating \$4500 for the town of Richmond to assist in repairing highway damage caused by a severe storm; and regulating the erection of reservoir dams.

The house received and acted upon 60 committee reports Thursday, a larger number than had been considered in any entire week of the session previously.

A new bill introduced into the senate would substitute a board of three fish and game commissioners for the present department headed by one commissioner.

The Senate passed House bills increasing the length of brook trout which may be legally taken from five to six inches and increasing the bounty on wild cats from \$5 to \$10.

And Not Be Blue.

When you know a man to be yellow it is just as well to draw the color line.—Cartoons Magazine.

## Water Glass

For Preserving Eggs

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## SELECTMEN'S NOTICE

The Selectmen will meet at their rooms, in Town Hall block, on Monday evening of each week, to transact town business.  
The Tax Collector will meet with the Selectmen.

JAMES M. CUTTER,  
EDMUND M. LANE,  
JOHN THORNTON,  
Selectmen of Antrim.

## 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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Trains leave Antrim Depot as follows:

	A. M.	P. M.
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	10.27	
		2.30
1.30		6.57
4.15		

Sunday: 6.27, 6.40, 11.57 a.m.; 4.49 p.m.

Stage leaves Express Office 15 minutes earlier than departure of train.

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## Executor's Notice

The subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the Will of Mary J. Emerson, late of Antrim in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

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

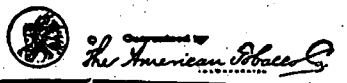
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Ralph G. Smith

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## HORSES For Sale!

Was delayed in getting car, so Horses will probably arrive in a day or two. Nice Chunks in Pairs and Single. The kind that will do some good to the man who buys them. All well broken and ready to work. Right off the Canadian farms.

If in need of any Horses this Spring, come and see them. Horses will be higher as Spring advances.

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The Goodell Farm

## BRIDE OBSCURES THE GROOM

Louisiana Court Has Solemnly Held That the Man Does Not Attract Any Attention.

It is at last judicially determined that the groom at a wedding is merely a necessary incident, accessory, or piece of furniture. The bride is the whole cast. In a divorce action in Louisiana, in which defendant denied he was the man who had married plaintiff, and his identity with the bridegroom was in issue, the court says:

"The only evidence introduced by the defendant in support of his denial that it was he who married plaintiff in Indianapolis on October 9, 1911, was the testimony of the Probate judge who performed the ceremony and that of the proprietor of the Imperial hotel. The Probate judge and the proprietor of the Imperial hotel both testified that they had identified the plaintiff as soon as she had spoken to them when they stepped off the train in New Orleans; and from that circumstance, counsel for defendant argue that the Probate judge and the proprietor of the hotel would surely have been able to identify the defendant if he were the individual to whom plaintiff was married by the judge in presence of the hotel proprietor. We do not think so. With due respect for his honor, the Probate judge, and for the proprietor of the Imperial hotel, it may be that the bride attracted more attention than the groom." — From West's Docket.

## MUST BREAST TAPE TO WIN

Starter in Life's Race Foolish to Handicap Himself by Forebodings That Hinder Success.

Don't be hampered at the start of life's race by the thought that, perhaps there is something about you that hinders success.

Don't run yourself out. Take a gait that you can hold. Don't endanger your health or sacrifice your happiness by overeffort. The man who runs too fast at the start lags at the finish unless he has extraordinary staying powers.

One morning, over in France, there was a call to go over the top. The officer in addressing the men told them what was to be accomplished and who was to lead them. It was a desperate task that was being undertaken, and a pale-faced young fellow was the man upon whom the great burden had been put.

"Why did you choose Jones to lead that expedition?" the commanding officer was asked, after the attack had proved successful.

"Because," said he, "once he gets started all hell can't stop him."

That's a great reputation for a man to have on the field or the farm, in the office or out on the job.

Train yourself so that once you get started nothing on earth can keep you from making a finish creditable to yourself and to your job.—F. A. Walker in Chicago Daily News.

## Improved Lighting System.

The advantages of electric lamps that can be moved about from one place to another may now be considered in installing the lighting system in the home or elsewhere. The new system requires no cord connection, but a novel type of plug, to be used with a special outlet, gives portability not only to the lamp bulb, but to the entire fixture. The outlets are located in the parts of the room or establishment where occasional as well as permanent lighting may be desirable. The plug has curved blades instead of the ordinary straight ones, and is easily attached to any fixture. The outlet has two parallel slots in a rounded triangular center. As the plug is inserted with the curved blades pointing upward, electrical and mechanical connection are formed, and the heaviest household fixture is safely supported. The outlet will also receive the standard parallel-blade plug used with cord connections. To change a lamp from its regular one it is simply necessary to lift the fixture from its old location and plug it into the desired outlet.

## Can Hook the Filver Now.

The latest thing in pawnshops is one for motorists. Heretofore pawnshops have been reserved for the class that want to put up their watch or dress suit, but now, with so many workmen owning filvers, those who are on the inside of the pawning business decided that a similar institution for motor cars would be had.

The motorcar pawnshop is located near Columbus Circle, in the heart of "Gasoline Row." Here, when the motor owner is short of ready money, he may drive his "filv" and place it in "hook." If he fails to pay back the loan with interest the car is sold as second hand. All in all, it is said to be the most profitable business for these pioneers in the pawning line, and they always have a hundred or more cars of all kinds and conditions on hand.—New York Sun.

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## NORTH BRANCH

Dora and Gladys Craig are at home on a vacation.

The ice in Dodge Lake is breaking up fast, one month earlier than last year.

Twenty-one wild geese were seen Monday, flying north to their summer home.

## Gift to Tuttle Library

The James A. Tuttle Memorial Library has been presented by Misses Mary and Annie Munhall with six finely bound and valuable books, entitled "The New America and the Far East." These volumes are one of a limited number of sets published and the patrons of the library are fortunate to have the opportunity to use them.

## For Sale

Two Overland five passenger Automobiles, model 90 T. Will sell one or both. Apply to

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Grass Papers and Oatmeals,  
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NOW is the time to preserve  
your roofs with Cabot's Shingle  
Stain. Get my estimate.

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# SALE ANNOUNCEMENT!

With the one idea in mind of rendering greater satisfaction and better service to our patrons, we have decided to greatly enlarge our VICTOR DEPARTMENT so that, at all times, one may find a Complete line of VICTROLAS and VICTOR RECORDS at our establishment. In order to carry out these plans, we have decided to reduce the space allotted to some of our other departments.

We are therefore offering at **GREATLY REDUCED PRICES—** Cut Glass, Heisey Glassware, China, Electric Lamps, Jewelry, Clocks, Watches and Silverware, (including the famous Community and Rogers Bros. makes.) This is an unusual opportunity for the people of Hillsboro and vicinity to secure exceptionally high-class wares at ridiculously low prices.

Whether or not you have in mind the purchase of any particular article at this time, it will be well worth your while to stop in and look over our splendid assortment, as you are certain to find several items which will interest you. Our art goods MUST be seen to be appreciated.

If unable to stop in, write us of your needs and we will be glad to furnish you with prices, etc.

We have hundreds of other articles in our stock that we cannot enumerate for lack of space. All marked down to extremely low prices. We extend a cordial invitation to call in and look around.

## China

All of our fine imported stock of hand-painted China of over 1000 pieces will be sold at a tremendous sacrifice, LESS THAN PRE-WAR PRICES. You will buy these beautiful hand-decorated pieces of China at less than the wholesale cost. Some of them are marked as low as one-half the regular price. You will positively get real bargains in china at this sale. Don't overlook your opportunity of owning these beautiful pieces for your own use or for future gifts.

## Cut Glass and Heisey Glassware

Our stock of beautiful, sparkling Cut Glass is one of which we are justly proud, consisting as it does, of a large variety of high-grade, deep cut, formal designs of Crystal Glass, such as bowls, bon bonns, vases, oil lamps, salt and pepper sets, water sets, plates and nappies. We are prepared to offer a discount of 25% on this stock of Glassware. It surely must be seen to be appreciated.

## Electric Goods

For some years we have carried a stock of high class Electrical Goods, such as lamps, toasters, flat irons, stoves, etc., at prices less than wholesale prices of today. Our two light, antique, bronze parlor lamp, with panelled opal shade, a \$15.00 lamp for \$8.67, is a real bargain. Our electric flat iron at \$3.98 is also a real bargain. There are only two items which we mention in this department. There are many others.

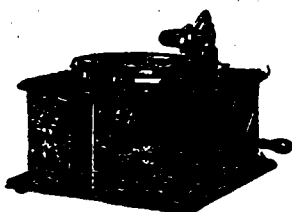
6 NICKEL PLATED NUT PICKS in a neat box, worth 50c, for 25c  
A WALTHAM WATCH, ladies' 8-000 size movement, in a 20 year warranted case. Reduced from \$25.00 to \$17.50  
A 17 JEWELLED WALTHAM, in a 20 year warranted case, for \$26.48  
A 7 JEWELLED WALTHAM, in heavy Silveroid case, a serviceable watch for heavy work, for \$7.76  
ROGERS BROS. A1 KNIVES AND FORKS, guaranteed triple plate, only one set to a customer, reduced from \$4.00 a dozen set to \$2.56

## Put this Victrola in a corner of your home

Model XI  
Mahogany \$150

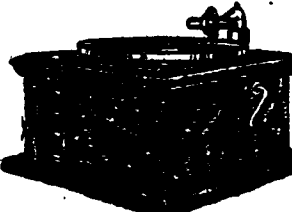
This is unquestionably the biggest \$150 phonograph value obtainable. A beautiful instrument, perfect in every detail, with all the famous Victor improvements.

**\$5 down** and a purchase of some records of your choice secures delivery complete. There are many other Victrola models here on proportionately easy terms. Learn how easy you can have one.



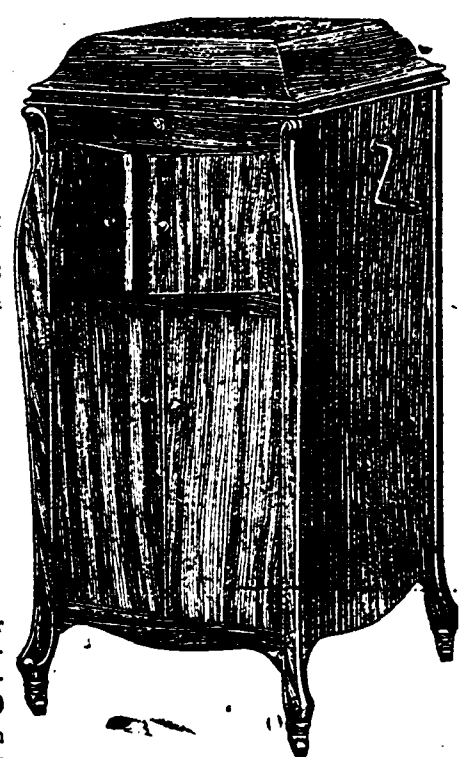
**Victrola IV**—For the small home as illustrated; a genuine instrument of Victor quality. plays all records for \$25.00

Purchase a few records. No down payment on instrument. Terms \$1.00 a week



**Victrola VI**—The most popular portable Victrola made, genuine Victor quality and tone; plays all records for \$35.00

Purchase a few records. No down payment on instrument. Terms as little as \$1.00 a week



**Columbia \$1.00 Records**  
Selections to suit every musical taste. Brand new—double face—fine choice.

**3 Sheets Popular Music**

For this Sale 25c

## Clocks

Both the 8 day and 30 hour kinds we have in large variety, ALL FULLY WARRANTED. A nickel alarm clock at \$1.26, our 8 day kitchen clock, \$7.50 at \$4.56, gilt parlor clock with candelabra at \$18.00 for \$8.26, are samples of the reductions in Clocks.

Here is a partial list of bargains we offer during this sale  
**SILVERWARE**—Must be seen to be appreciated. We carry a large stock of the justly famous COMMUNITY and ROGERS BROS. A1 goods, in a variety of useful and attractive articles, 20% discount.

**NICKEL GOODS**—Casseroles, chafing dishes, spoons and forks, trays, percolators, thermos bottles, food jars, nested drinking cups. Discount 25%.  
**SILVER PLATED HOLLOW WARE**—Sandwich trays, cake baskets, bread trays, children's cups, napkin rings, soap boxes, etc. 25% discount.

**CAMERAS**—For the children and grown ups, \$3.50 to \$30.00.  
**JEWELLED HAIR ORNAMENTS**—Something unusual and what every woman wants. Very latest styles. Stores will not come out. 25% discount.

**FRATERNITY PINS AND CHARMS**—Masonic, Odd Fellows, K. of P., Red Men, Eastern Star, Reekkah, etc. 20% discount.

**WATCH CHAINS**—Waltham and Dickens chains and regular Vests in great variety plain and fancy links, with nicest assortment of pocket knives to go with them if desired. 25% discount

1 Lot Scarf Pins, 75c \$1.00, \$1.50, now 67c  
1 Lot Link Buttons, 75c \$1.00, \$1.25, now 63c  
1 Lot Branch Pins, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, now 76c

## Few Other Bargains

1 Lot Sterling Silver Thimbles, all sizes, while they last 42c  
We have a few men's heavy nickel cased Watches, warranted a year, that we are offering during the sale for \$1.87 each.

We have a small assortment of spoons and forks of the famous Community Silver, warranted 20 years. As a part of our stock now, that we will close out at this sale for less than wholesale cost. Ask us about them.

**SILVER TEA SPOONS, ROGERS A1 PLATE, 6 IN A PACKAGE.** Only one set to a customer. Remember these are genuine Rogers goods, and we warrant them. Price per set \$1.67

**GOLD AND GOLD FILLED NECK CHAINS** in the regular rope and chased cable patterns, 14, 16 and 18 inches long, including solid gold clasps, all soldered links. Reduced from \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 to \$1.87

**GOLD FILLED LOCKETS**, plain and stone set in popular sizes and shapes. Place in each for two pictures. Good weight guaranteed. We will engrave one old English letter free of charge. Reduced from \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 to \$1.87

**EXTRA FINE GILT AND NICKEL Embroidery Scissors**, each 48c  
**FAMOUS W. W. W. SOLID GOLD RINGS** for ladies. Set with Garnet, Emerald, Turquoise and Ruby Doublets. Remember these are solid gold. Worth from \$3.50 to \$5.00. Your choice \$2.49

**LEATHER POCKET BOOKS, CARD CASES**, etc., in the various popular shades of black, green, tan, brown. Reduced from \$1.25 and \$2.00 to 87c  
We have a large variety of gold filled Bracelets to show you, with the lowest prices ever made on high class goods, 25% discount.

**D. E. Gordon, Hillsboro**

Remember, Our Sale Closes SATURDAY NIGHT, March 26th



NEW HAMPSHIRE  
STATE NEWS

**Catch Eight Wild Cats at Haverhill**  
Eight bob or wild cats have been shot in Haverhill this season. Representative P. W. Allen took one of the pelts to put on exhibition at the fish and game office in the state house at Concord.

**Reject Two Carloads of Tubercular Cattle**

As a result of inspection of cows with the tuberculin tests, two carloads of condemned cattle were shipped away from Lebanon last week, several of the local farmers and milkmen losing a substantial number of cows.

**Case of Sleeping Sickness**  
Dr. E. T. Drake of Franklin received a statement from the superintendent of the Massachusetts General hospital confirming his diagnosis of sleeping sickness in the case of Hollis Morrill. Dr. Drake had pronounced it sleeping sickness before the young man was taken to the hospital in Boston.

**Christian Endeavor Convention in April**

Hillsborough County Christian Endeavor union is to hold a convention Thursday, April 28, in Chester. Plans for an elaborate program are in progress under the direction of Lester Harvey of Manchester, president of the union, and Mrs. Wesley Adams of Derry, secretary.

**Many Trout Fry for Cheshire County**

Through the efforts of State Fish and Game Warden William J. Callahan the hunting and fishing conditions in Cheshire county will probably be improved within the next few years. Last week Mr. Callahan received 750,000 trout fry which he will distribute in many of the brooks in the county.

**Elect Town Clerk For Thirty-third Term**

At the town meeting, the other day, the voting population of Canaan, or a considerable portion of it, re-elected Geo. H. Gordon to the office of town clerk for the 26th consecutive year and for the 33rd term, dating from the time he first assumed the office in 1883.

**Navy Station Again Open to Enlistments**

The Manchester navy recruiting station has received orders to begin enlisting first enlistment men again. Also men who have had previous military service and have been honorably discharged. Men who have been out of the service less than one year, may be re-enlisted in the rating shown on their discharge.

**Lewis to Hold Cars of "Rum Runners"**

Jonathan S. Lewis, state law enforcement officer, reports that he now has five cars taken from "rum runners" around the state which he intends to hold if the courts sustain his contention that the cars are seizable under the New Hampshire prohibition law. Three of these cars are in Grafton county and one each in Merrimack and Coos.

**Establish Shoe School at Exeter**

Plans have been perfected by the Shoe Manufacturers' association and the Shoe Workers' Protective Union of Haverhill, Mass., for the establishment of a school at once in Exeter, to instruct women in French cord turning. The women's fancy shoes now in demand require a large amount of this kind of work and there is a scarcity of help.

**Moses Against Cable Purchase by British Government**

Strong opposition to the British purchase of the Atlantic cable with a landing at Rye beach was expressed by Senator George H. Moses in an interview in Washington. The announcement of the purchase of the cable by the British government was made in parliament by H. Pike Pease, assistant postmaster general.

"I am opposed to granting any landing permits for any cables upon any portion of the continental or insular coastline of the United States to any company which is not wholly American."

**Ponzi Investment is Taxable Income**

John F. Shea, deputy collector of Internal Revenue, is the head of the income tax collectors at the Manchester postoffice. Collector Shea says: "An investment with the Ponzi company or any of its agents, whereby the note matured, or the face of the note, plus the interest was paid, such interest constitutes taxable income. Where the face of the note plus the matured interest, was re-invested, which is the so-called pyramiding, the interest re-invested plus any additional interest received from the re-investment, constitutes taxable income."

**Few Agriculturists at Cattle Bill Hearing**

The house committee on agriculture gave a hearing on house bill 208, relating to the inspection of tubercular cattle. A representative of the federal government appeared before the committee to urge the bill, declaring that \$150,000 be appropriated for each of the next two years, as suggested, and assuring the committee of the co-operation of the federal government in the work. Only a few agriculturists interested in the bill were present at the hearing.

**Three-Ton Trucks Is Limit**  
State Highway Commissioner Frederick M. Everett has issued orders prohibiting traffic by motor vehicles exceeding three tons gross weight on trunk lines, cross-state and state aid highways in New Hampshire until the end of the season of "soft" roads due to the frost coming out of the ground. The order will be withdrawn as soon as conditions permit.

**Will Post State's Automobile Roads**  
New Hampshire motorists and the thousands of visitors from all over the country who tour the hills and valleys of the state will soon be relieved of the hitherto troublesome task of finding highways which they can trace in their guide books but cannot locate because they have never been properly posted, if the plans of the Automobile Legal association are carried through to completion. A large sum of money has been laid aside by the association to provide for the proper marking of highways and boulevards and much has been done along this line in other states of New England.

**Long Trip for Boy Scouts**  
The publicity committee of the Concord chamber of commerce unanimously endorsed at their organization meeting the project trip of Concord Boy Scouts in an Abbot-Downing Concord truck from the capital city to Washington around July 4, bearing a message from Governor Brown to President Harding. The committee believes this will be one of the best methods to advertise Concord and New Hampshire to the country and the world.

The Boy Scout trip will be made under the leadership of Richard Smith Boy's Work secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who originated the plan and is organizing the party. The boys will be recruited from Troops 1 and 6, and as only 1st and 2d class scouts can go, the boys are passing their test with much energy and eagerness in order to get into the trip.

**N. H. Social Work Conference**

Nathan Smith, of Boston, commissioner of education, gave the principal address at the closing session of the New Hampshire conference of social work which was held in representatives hall in the state house. He spoke on the economic necessity of adequate education, declaring that New Hampshire like all New England must be regarded as among the poorer sections of the country if we think only terms of natural resources.

"Our social and economic as well as our political welfare depends upon the extent to which we develop our human resources," said the speaker, "development of this kind depends upon education. If New England is to hold her own with other sections of the country she must maintain a most vigorous program of public education. It is somewhat disconcerting to those anxious for the welfare of New England to note that in recent years other states, particularly the West, have been taking popular education more seriously than the states of this section."

Specially, the speaker emphasized the necessity of defining more clearly the object to be obtained through the institution of the school, emphasizing the point, "that other institutions as well as the school must share the responsibility of the right education of the people."

**May Make 'Back to Land' Experiment**

The announcement from Washington that W. W. Husband, the commissioner general of immigration, has approved the "to the land" plan as the solution of the immigration problem, is particularly gratifying to the New Hampshire Manufacturers' association. The association has been working on this plan for several months now and approval of the government means that not only New Hampshire, but all America, sees the needs of the future, in the opinion of General Manager Francis A. French of the association.

Minutes of the meetings held last month and the reports of progress made were sent to Commissioner Husband by Manager French, with the invitation to the Bureau of Immigration to make of this state a demonstration field for the movement.

After an investigation it is found that there are about 100 farms available for the experiment in New Hampshire. These would be fitted out and put in livable shape for less than \$200, while the association through its co-operation with banks would provide financial assistance until such time as the farms are self supporting. Another feature is the provi-

## Bennington.

## Moving Pictures!

Town Hall, Bennington  
at 8.00 o'clock

Wednesday Evening, March 23

Eileen Hammerstein in  
"Wanted for Murder"

5 Reel Drama 2 Reel Comedy

Saturday Evening, March 26

George Walsh in  
"Manhattan Madness"

News Weekly  
One Reel Comedy

FOR SALE—Nice Top Buggy,  
which I will sell cheap. Apply to  
John T. Day, Bennington

Special services will be held at the Congregational church on Sunday morning next, in observance of Easter. Service at 10.45.

Acting on instructions from the State Highway department, the Selectmen are posting notices forbidding the use of three ton trucks on the state roads till further notice. This is a precautionary measure and will last through the mud season.

The local committee of the St. Patrick's church is making good progress in collecting funds for the relief of the suffering women and children of Ireland.

The frost is coming out of the ground, the roads in town are in prettily good shape with a few exceptions, and very soon we shall see the patrolman doing service on the state road.

A number of Odd Fellows are interested in attending the regular meetings of Waverly Lodge in Antrim on Saturday evenings; work is being done at almost every meeting now.

The Aberthaw Construction Company, of Boston, has completed the new large storehouse which they have been erecting for the Monahan Paper Mills in this place. This house has a floor area of one hundred square feet, fireproof throughout, built of brick and cement, and has the capacity to store the contents of a hundred carloads. Already it is being used for storage, and not only will be very useful and a needed improvement, but it is a nice addition to the already fine set of mill buildings. Our people are greatly pleased with this substantial addition to the Monahan Mills property for it conveys to the minds a feeling of assurance that with the return of prosperity through the country this business will again boom and possibly more so than ever has before. The owner, Arthur J. Pierce, is to be congratulated on this latest improvement to his valuable property.

## HILLSBORO

Harold Doble, of Boston, Mass., is visiting friends in town.

Frank Horne, of Lawrence, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Denison.

Miss Isabel Ellsworth is visiting her sister, Mrs. George E. Gould, in Manchester.

Rev. Roderick McLeod of New York City, occupied the pulpit at Smith Memorial Congregational Church Sunday.

The plans for the proposed memorial building are in the hands of a committee and a report will be made as soon as possible.

Frank Smith has taken the position of "watchman fireman" at the woolen mill. Scott Hilton recently resigned from the position because of ill health.

The Legion post will not have a baseball team this year, was the vote recently. Last season new uniforms and a complete equipment was purchased at great expense. The insignia upon each uniform was "American Legion" and the suits were worn by non-members, a practice that will not be allowed this year.

tion for social connection. The children of these families would be furnished with the best of educational facilities and in sections sparsely settled, where schools were far between, appropriations would be asked for the building of new ones. In other ways, every effort would be made to make these people fit in with the general social life if the communities in which they lived.

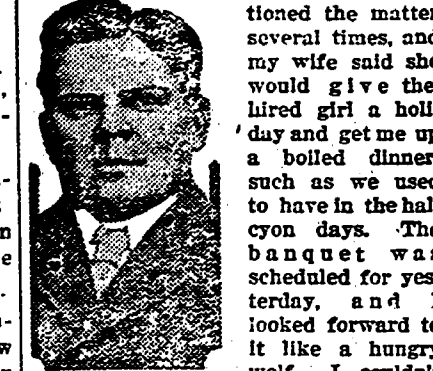
**Reserve Gridiron Squad**  
Dartmouth's football policy will be to develop men who have had little or no gridiron experience, in order that they may be held in reserve. Jackson Scamell, head coach of the team declared at the annual dinner of the Dartmouth Alumni association in New York.

He declared Dartmouth always had been weak in providing substitutes for injured players and that his policy of developing new men would not only relieve this situation, but would provide material for future teams.



## PERVERSITY OF THINGS

"IT BEATS all how fate puts a crimp in a man's fondest ambitions," said the retired merchant. "Recently I have been hungering for an old-fashioned boiled dinner, composed of corn beef and all the standard vegetables. I mentioned the matter several times, and my wife said she would give the hired girl a holiday and get me up a boiled dinner, such as we used to have in the halcyon days. The banquet was scheduled for yesterday, and I looked forward to it like a hungry wolf. I couldn't think of anything else for three days. And when the meal was dished up I had an attack of jumping toothache, and was jumping over the chairs with my head under my arm."



"That's always the way in this world, doggone it," commented the hotel keeper. "Just as sure as you look forward to something you're going to run up against a disappointment that will break your heart."

"Last week I had so much business I was on my feet day and night. I didn't get any sleep to speak of for several nights, and my eyes felt like hard-boiled eggs. I was just dead on my feet I was so played out. I looked forward to the time when I could sav off a few lengths of slumber just as you looked forward to that boiled feller."

"At last things slackened up and I went up to my room at seven o'clock in the evening, prepared to sleep round the clock, or as much longer as I felt necessary. I was so drowsy I could hardly see to get my rags off, and I heaved a sigh of relief when I crawled in between the sheets. But before I had been there three minutes old Jiggleson came along with his brass band and began playing selections under my window. The congressman from this district was occupying the room next to mine, and those loud musicans were serenading him, probably hoping to be appointed postmaster before long. They played every blamed tune you ever heard of, and I had to leave my own room and go to one at the back of the hotel."

"That room hadn't been used for a long time, and things weren't in good repair. I climbed into the bed and was snoring a few quotations from the classics, when all the slats came down at once and I landed on the floor on my ear with my feet up on the foot of the bed. I thought my back was broken in three places, but I managed to get up, and then I hiked back to my own room. I had left the window open when I yelled at Jiggleson and drew some furniture at his musicians, and I was so sleepy I forgot to close it."

"The bed was right up against the window, and I was just getting asleep once more when it began to rain. About forty gallons of water blew in on me before I could get the doggone window closed. I had to rustle around on a dry night shirt and some sheets and things, and by that time I was pretty near desperate. I don't know if anything more aggravating than to be dying for a good old-fashioned sleep and then be unable to make connections."

"At last I got into bed again, all snug and comfortable, and was doing some ground and lofty sleeping. Then along came a guest who mistook my room for his own, which was on the floor above. It happened that his key lifted the lock of my door, so he opened it and came in. When he saw me there he took me by the ankles and dragged me out onto the floor and sat on me, and asked me what in thunder I meant by occupying his bed, for which he had paid in advance. It took ten minutes to make things clear to him, and by that time I felt like a driving idiot. "But I had sense enough left to get back into bed and make another try at sleeping. I had slept about twenty-seven wats when a big framed picture of my wife, which hung over the head of the bed, came down and smashed itself on my face and put my nose out of joint. Then I gave up. I put on my clothes and went downstairs and sat up all night, hoping the building wouldn't cave in on me. It didn't, and that was the only bit of luck I had that night."

## COMBINE ART WITH "MOVIES"

How City of Toledo, O., Attracts Children to Its Museum, for Educational Purposes.

In order to attract the children of Toledo to that city's museum of art the museum management offers its little visitors "story hours," gallery talks, music hours, classes in pure and applied design, and the educational motion picture. Interest in visits to the museum was first stimulated through the medium of an organized bird club. Thousands of children have also been brought to the museum during the last four years by means of the annual vegetable and flower shows in which the children have participated.

"The Toledo museum was the first to include motion pictures in its educational plan when, in the autumn of 1915, the necessary equipment was presented through the efforts of H. Y. Barnes, then assistant to the director," writes Eula Lee Anderson of Toledo. "This proved not only a further magnet to attract boys and girls to the museum but a further means of teaching art. During the first few years films dealing with travel, crafts and art were difficult to secure, yet by diligent search many fine things were made available, including the life of Pallas, the famous potter, and a beautiful hand-colored film showing the making of silk."

"The policy of the museum is not to amuse by means of the film, but to educate the child along artistic lines, using only such productions as are of a distinctly cultural quality."

## PLAGUE OF OLD EGYPT BACK

Crops of Argentine Province Destroyed by Locusts That Swarm in Uncounted Millions.

Shades of the plagues of ancient Egypt!

Santa Fe province of the Argentine now has complete faith in the biblical account of the scourge of locusts, for at times millions of these insects "cover the face of the earth." They come suddenly and without warning, in great clouds, and settle down on the country. Then the ground resembles a great moving carpet. Little damage is done at first, though the Argentinians find it inconvenient to have locusts throughout their houses, but as the insects move through the country, they dig small holes and lay their eggs. Soon the larvae are hatched, and at that time, before they can fly, they are destructive. By the time they are ready to leave, every living thing in their path is destroyed. Eventually they fly away to parts unknown, and the farmers have to start their crops over again. Squads of locust destroyers, like fire-fighting units, are maintained by the government to combat the pest, and ranchers are also responsible for fighting them. Their efforts are almost unavailing, however, because of the myriads of the insects.

## Alliteration.

Alliteration occurs sometimes in the writings of the ancients, but not, it is supposed, designedly, as they regarded all echoing of sound as a rhetorical blemish. Cicero, in the "Offices," has this phrase: "Sensim sine sensu actus senescent;" and Virgil in the "Aeneid," has many marked alliterations. —William Mathews.

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