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### GIVEN A SURPRISE

#### In Honor of Reaching 80 Years of Age

Members of the Grange and friends had planned a nice party for Saturday evening at Grange hall, in honor of the 80th birthday of Mrs. Huldah Wing, and about eighty were present to enjoy it. This was a complete surprise and the host was delightfully entertained. The party was mostly older people, although a number of younger ones were present. The reception act consisted of Mrs. Wing and son, George Symes, in the receiving line and Misses Edith Messer and Bertha Merrill and Harry Bigelow and Benj. Tenney as ushers. In place of one present being presented Mrs. Wing, almost everybody brought something for her as a remembrance of the occasion. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. A birthday cake, made and decorated by Mrs. E. F. Tenney, was a very handsome affair. The decorations for the hall were clematis and nasturtiums, and a lavender and white crepe paper trimmed chair was in position for the guest of honor.

Among those present from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mathews, of Hillsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, of Bennington; Mr. and Mrs. Daley and party of friends, from Boston; and G. W. Symes, of Dorchester.

Mrs. Wing was born in Phillips, Maine, and is a member of the Stephens branch of the Wing family. Her first marriage was to Jacob Symes, and a number of years after his death she married Benj. B. Wing, who died in November, 1916. She has continued to reside on the home farm and in a limited way carries on the same. Miss Hattie Crooker resides with her. For a number of years Mrs. Wing has attended the reunions of the Wings in various parts of Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts. She holds membership in the Grange, has been a member of the Rebekah degree, I. O. O. F., for nearly fifty years, and was present at the institution of the first Rebekah lodge in Massachusetts; she is also a member of Portia Chapter, O. E. S., of Hillsboro. For a woman of her years she is very active and greatly enjoys the company of her friends, of whom she has a large number, and is held in high esteem by all.

### Church Notes

#### METHODIST

Rev. George Davies, Pastor  
Sunday service at 10.45 a. m., with sermon by the pastor.  
Sunday School at 12 o'clock.  
Thursday evening the pastor's talk will be on Child Nature. Ages from 12 to 21 considered this week.

#### BAPTIST

Rev. W. J. B. Cannell, Pastor  
Regular Sunday morning service, with sermon by the pastor.  
Bible School at noon.  
Monday, 7 p. m., Intermediate C. E. meeting.  
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. J. D. Cameron, Pastor  
The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service. The full membership is urged to attend. This is the beginning of the Fall Rally.  
Sunday School at noon.

Union service at 7 o'clock. Subject of sermon: "Prayer's Objective."  
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The Bible study is proving of value and great interest.

### Auction Sale

By W. E. Cram, Auctioneer, Antrim  
Arthur S. Clark, executor of the will of the late Ella A. Russell, will sell at public auction on the premises, on Newman street, in Hillsboro village, a story and a half dwelling house, all and shed. This house is in good repair, connected with town water and sewer, admirably located, and a desirable home in every way. For other particulars read auction bills.

### A FEW THOUGHTS

#### Suggested by What Is Happening Around

Walter J. A. Ward, of Hillsboro, has been appointed superintendent of the State House, Concord, in place of Bert L. Millen, resigned. Mr. Ward has been for several terms sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives, is a contractor and builder, and will make a very acceptable man for this position.

There appears to be some talk in certain circles throughout the state and nation regarding Democratic hold-overs in office losing their jobs. Will some one who has the information at hand kindly give to the press the exact number of Republican hold-overs who did not lose their jobs under a change of administration eight years ago. There may have been a goodly number but we have not the list.

Monday morning of this week Massachusetts, Nashua and the railroad set their clocks back an hour, and we are all on normal time again. We are told the experience of those cities and states that have been upon daylight saving time all summer has been satisfactory and pleasing and that the same arrangement will be put into force another summer, and of course the general mix-up of train schedules will follow and also the general inconvenience. Good or bad, all agree it would be better if the same time were adopted universally.

George F. Wentworth, of Dover, who last year about this time predicted a mild winter, has carefully considered all the signs of the times and makes the following announcement: He has made observations for a long term of years with considerable accuracy. Here is our crumb of comfort:

Wentworth declares that according to his observations, while there will be some zero weather, there will be more south wind than north wind next winter and more rain than snow. There will be very little snow. He predicted last September an unusually mild winter.

How do you like the sound of the new Fire Alarm whistle? Think it would wake you from a sound sleep in the dead of night? It seems to us that the acid test would be to have the whistle sounded at certain hours in the night for a few intermittent nights, at a time when the people were not expecting to hear it, rather than at mid-day when many of our men are on the street. As we understand it, the one thing needed is to arouse the inhabitants of the Precinct, and as this whistle is on a thirty days trial, let's have it well tested, and at a time when it is most difficult to wake the people up. Experimenting is all right when that is what is being done, but it is well to give this thing a real trial—in every way—and when the time for action comes, the voters will be ready to act intelligently. The special Precinct Meeting is called for October 7 to consider this matter.

The Public Service Commission gave a hearing to a large number of protests on removals of trains on the B. & M. road, at their office in Concord last week, and agree to fix up the schedule the best they can. The railroad management says it is on thin ice and places the blame on lack of patronage. Maybe patronage has fallen off but the big trouble with railroads is not so much the result of present management as what former manipulators have been able to accomplish to the detriment of the roads. The past history of this public utility is fresh in the minds of most of us who have been around here and kept our eyes open for the past twenty-five years. It may be that even now there are too many leaks that if closed would help wonderfully in the finances of the road. It is to be regretted that the present condition exists, but the public should not suffer over-much thereby. If the management cannot arrange to accommodate the people, they can't expect the people to go miles out of their way and put out large quantities of good money to accomplish the thing, the management thinks it most needs.

### SPECIAL MEETING

#### Village Precinct Will Consider Fire Alarm

The voters in the South Antrim Village Fire Precinct are warned to meet in special meeting at Engine House hall, on Friday evening, October 7, at 7.30 o'clock, to act upon the following subjects:

1—To see what action the Precinct will take in regard to the purchase of a New Fire Alarm, or take any action thereon.

2—To see what action the Precinct will take in regard to the disposal of the Fire Alarm apparatus now installed in the Engine House.

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

Antrim's compressed air fire alarm hasn't given the best of satisfaction, aside from being an expensive proposition to keep in good working order. It is thought there may be something that will better suit our needs, and the one now on trial will be up for discussion at the special meeting. It is desired that a large attendance be present.

### Incident in Presidential Campaign of 1840

In last week's Reporter "G. A. C." writes interestingly of the presidential campaign of 1840, in which William Henry Harrison was the successful candidate. It was during that "log cabin and hard cider" campaign that Daniel Webster, in a speech delivered at Buffalo, N. Y., gave expression to one of the finest passages of prose poetry to be found in the English language. It used to be in the school readers in my early school days, but probably few of the school children of today have ever seen it. I will give it here from memory, as possibly its word picture of the smoke rising from the rude chimney and curling over the frozen hills may strike the fancy of some child, as it did mine years ago.

"Gentlemen, it did not happen to me to be born in a log cabin, but my elder brothers and sisters were born in a log cabin, raised amid the snow-drifts of New Hampshire at a period so early, that when the smoke first rose from its rude chimney and curled over the frozen hills there was no similar evidence of a white man's habitation between it and the settlements on the rivers of Canada. Its remains still exist. I make it to an annual visit. I take my children to it to show them the hardships that were endured by the generation that has gone before. I love to linger by all that remains of this primitive family abode; and if ever I fall in affectionate veneration for him who raised it, who defended it from savage violence and aggression, who cherished every household virtue beneath its humble roof, and who, during the fire and blood of a seven years revolutionary war, shrank from no danger, no toil, no hardship to serve his country and to raise his children to a condition better than his own, may my name and the name of my posterity be blotted forever from the memory of mankind."

S. G. Hastings

### Visit of Bethesda Lodge

To Antrim on Saturday, October 8, as guests of Waverley Lodge in conjunction with Valley Lodge of Hillsboro, is being looked forward to by members of the order with a great deal of pleasure. Arrangements are going forward by both lodges and in next week's Reporter will be given the program in detail, which we feel sure will be very acceptable to the local lodges and it is hoped will prove entertaining and pleasing to our visitors from the South Boston lodge.

From information we have received it is thought the party will come and return by special train, being nearly if not quite an even hundred brothers. In a general way an outline of the event was given in our last issue, and at this moment it is impossible to give further details than already mentioned in this brief notice.

Before he marries he has a great desire to travel, and afterward he often has the same desire.

### GRAND MASTER

#### I. O. O. F., Makes Visits to Waverley Lodge

An appropriate service for the demobilization of the service flag in Odd Fellows hall was held at the close of the business session at the regular meeting of Waverley Lodge on Saturday evening last. About fifty of the members of the local lodge were present, and also a few visiting brothers.

Ernest C. Dudley, Grand Master, of Concord, was present, and made the address in honor of the occasion. His remarks were interesting and to the point, and while they were serious and necessarily confined to the subject in hand, they were loyal and patriotic in every sense of the word. Everybody was impressed with the sincerity of the Grand Master on this occasion, and his talk will be remembered for a long time. Other brief remarks were made.

The flag has been encased in a frame made especially for it and hangs in the same place in the hall where it has always hung. The stars are numbered as the boys and girls entered the service and includes members of the Subordinate, Rebekah and Encampment branches of Odd Fellowship. These are the names:

Margaret M. Redmond  
Cranston D. Eldredge  
A. Wallace George  
H. Burr Eldredge  
Delmar F. Newhall  
Fannie Burnham  
Alford R. Hazzard  
Harry C. Tenney  
Don H. Robinson  
Horace Patterson  
Grace E. Burnham  
John W. Thornton  
H. Aiden Balch

There are no gold stars on the flag, although one member, H. Aiden Balch, was taken ill on his way home, after being honorably discharged and died soon after.

A brief history will be prepared of these brothers and sisters, and in addition a supplementary history will be appended of the war record of about sixteen other ex-soldiers who have joined the lodge since their discharge from the service. This volume will be preserved as a part of the valuable records of Waverley Lodge.

### Harvest Supper

The Mission Circle of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual Harvest Supper on Friday evening, October 21. The first tables will be ready at 5.30 p.m. Tables of fancy articles and notions, candy, etc., will be a part of the program. After the supper a play will be given.

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### Now's the Time

#### Tid-Bits

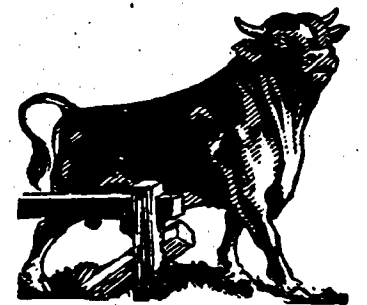
If you have some work that's waiting,  
Now's the time.  
Do not stand there hesitating,  
Now's the time.  
If you wait and are so slow  
While the golden minutes go,  
You'll not have results to show—  
Now's the time.

If you have a task before you,  
Now's the time.  
Oh, I earnestly implore you!  
Now's the time.  
If you only really knew  
Just how much it meant to you;  
Life is short and years are few—  
Now's the time.

If you wish to help another,  
Now's the time.  
Do not wait a year, my brother:  
Now's the time.  
Just a simple thing, I guess,  
But I'll tell you plainly, yes,  
It's the secret of success—  
Now's the time.

### Progress Being Made

The big boulder which everybody was expecting to see removed to the village by now, was on Sunday more than a dozen feet from its original location but well loaded for its trip. It was necessary to procure heavier equipment for moving it, and to pass over the state road the tires on wheels must be of sufficient width not to allow them to cut through. This equipment has been procured and is now in use, and with it is an experienced quarryman to superintend the work. The boulder is now reloaded on the heavy truck and the journey to the village has begun.



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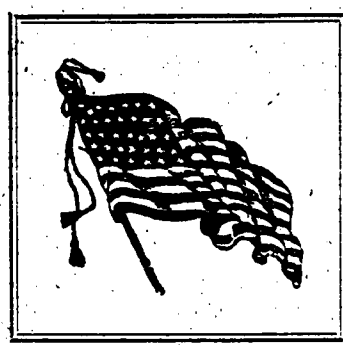
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**Antrim Locals**

Neil Clough, midshipman, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Morse for the week end.

Walter Jameson, of Milford, was a guest of his sisters at the Jameson homestead a portion of last week.

The rain of the past week was a good thing for the gravel recently put upon the state road on Main street.

FOR SALE—Good hen house, in O. K. condition, fifty ft. long. Apply to Matthew Cuddihy. Advertisement

William H. Hill passed his 88th birthday quite recently and is in remarkably good health for one of his years.

Clifton Gibson is attending Commercial College in Lawrence, Mass., and will pursue the regular course of study.

The Seniors of the Antrim High School will hold a Food Sale on Friday, Sept. 30, at 3.30 o'clock, in the Domestic Science room.

Members of the family of George Gibson were in Lawrence, Mass., on Sunday to visit another member of the family, Clifton Gibson.

A. A. Chesnut, M. D., has returned to his home here, after a number of weeks' stay at a hospital in Manchester, somewhat improved in health.

John S. Nesmith has returned to his employment with Timothy Herick, in Staatsburg, N. Y., after having been in town for a number of weeks recuperating from an accident received while at his work.

The hour of running trains on the B. & M. road was pushed back just sixty minutes on Monday morning; and while it seems strange to receive the daily papers and mails an hour later, it really feels like dropping back into an old custom.

Henry S. Lawrence was in town last week renewing former acquaintances. He lived here for a number of years, but later became a resident of the Soldiers' Home in Togus, Me., and for nearly a year and a half has lived in Hillsboro. He tells us he will soon enter the home again, for the winter at least.

Many of our people remember Wallace Dodge when he resided in town a number of years ago; he was then a very young man. He was the fellow who shot and killed his employer in Dublin on Friday last and was taken into custody in Winchendon, Mass., on the same day. He went at once to his sister's home and she immediately notified the police. It is thought the man is mentally unbalanced.

Phillip Whittemore, G. Miles Nesmith, Lyman Tenney and Fred Shoultes went to South Lyndeboro on Saturday and dug potatoes for Erwin Cummings. Mr. Cummings had the misfortune a short time since to injure one hand quite badly, necessitating eight stitches to close the wound. He is getting along nicely, but these men thought it would be a brotherly act to help him some with his harvesting—and the same was greatly appreciated.

The editor and his wife were favored the past week with products from a farm in the neighboring town of Bennington. A collection of five handsome potatoes of the Green Mountain variety, weighing 6 1/2 lbs., were the best specimens of tubers we ever saw; and a full basket of delicious red raspberries picked on Saturday were a treat greatly appreciated at the family table. These were raised by George E. Spaulding, manager of Hill Home Farm, the summer home of Hon. and Mrs. James M. Swift, of Boston.

**Moving Pictures!**

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**Antrim Locals**

Rev. George Davies will preach at the North Branch chapel Sunday evening.

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FOUND—Camper's Cooking Outfit, near Gregg Lake. Apply to Rev. W. J. B. Cannell, Antrim. Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miner have gone to housekeeping in the two tenement house, corner of Elin and Wallace streets.

Miss Clementine Maso, nurse in the Deaconess Hospital, Boston, is spending a short vacation with Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mosley, of Hillsboro, are spending a few days with Mrs. Mosley's father, John Thornton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. A. Merrill have removed from their farm in Deering and will occupy the upper tenement in Charles H. Bass' house for the coming months.

Donald Cameron and Donald Madden left town on Monday morning for Princeton, N. J., where they will continue their courses of study at Princeton University.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will hold their first regular meeting of the season Wednesday, Oct. 5. Supper will be served as usual at 5.30, followed by a social hour.

The steam roller which has been doing duty on the new road in town has been removed to Troy, where it will be used in road construction. It was driven overland under its own power.

The union evening service was not held last Sunday evening, on account of no electric lights. The service will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at seven o'clock.

Mrs. Carlton H. Muzzey was called last week to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Earnest A. Runnals, who died Sept. 20 in Hudson. Deceased was the daughter of A. F. Baxter and formerly resided in this town.

Friends of Rev. Elizabeth Barker, of Peterboro, formerly of Antrim, will be pleased to learn that after having an operation in Boston for the removal of cataracts from the eyes, she is getting along as well as could be expected.

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The change in the running time of trains on the Hillsboro and Peterboro branch of the B. & M. road has taken place and the new time appears in another column in this paper. What has been known as the Concord a.m. train to Peterboro and the Concord p.m. train from Peterboro—both accommodating Antrim people—have been discontinued.

**You May Have Read These Before Somewhere**

Better have the best word than the last word.

If you have good manners, everybody you meet will advertise them for you.

Just because you let out a "roar" every time something displeases you, is no sign you are a lion.

When other women say that there is "nothing to" a girl, they mean she is better looking than they are.

The field of opportunity sometimes appears to be fenced in, but if you examine it closely you will find a hole in the fence.

How many of those who criticize present-day styles in women's clothing would like to see a return to "hoops" and floor-sweeping skirts?

A man never will be able to understand why it is that the less goods in a woman's dress, the more it costs, but he knows that if his wife were to be attired in the costume of Eve it would break him up.

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**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Helen B. Estey, late of Antrim, in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Charles S. Abbott, Administrator with will annexed, of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County the final account of his administration of said estate, and whereas upon the settlement of said account he will ask for a decree of distribution of the balance found in his hands to the persons entitled thereto.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Manchester in said County, on the 13th day of October next, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and why said decree of distribution should not be made.

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

Given at Nashua in said County, this 19th day of September, A. D. 1921.

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

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of George W. Stevens, late of Antrim, in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Henry H. Stevens, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the final account of his administration of said estate:

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

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

Given at Nashua in said County, this fourteenth day of September, A. D. 1921.  
By order of the Court.  
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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.

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CHARLES S. ABBOTT,  
Antrim School Board.

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### REPORTER RAMBLINGS

Of Special Interest to Our Readers

There are times when a fat man is not liked by everybody. Even some of the stars in movieland's constellation fall from dizzy heights.

The public debt during August increased nearly \$150,000,000. Why worry about such a trifle when our solons talk grandiloquently in terms containing three more zeros?

The famous old yacht America, on her triumphal trip to Annapolis, has been inspected by crowds of people as she paused in various ports along the coast. Many yachts there are, but few gain so enviable a place as the America.

Henry Ford has made a tax return that his State taxable property amounts to \$262,368,197, but says he really does not know how much he is worth. This is rather a common ailment among tax payers when it comes to filing the returns.

Something similar to the following happened in Antrim a short time

since, and when we read this item it was brought quite forcibly to our mind:

The least you can do is to stop. "Be kind to animals!" This admonition, for so long the motto of the S. P. C. A. is just as fitting today to the driver of the motor car as it ever was to the driver of the horse. The scampering chicken, the frightened dog are always at the mercy of the oncoming motorist. Compared to their bewilderment the driver's is nothing. A doctor recently recited a case, one among many, where a pet dog belonging to some small children was run down and killed by a Packard touring car. The driver heard the children scream and knew that he had struck the dog, but did not bother his head about stopping to find out how seriously the animal was injured. The next morning that true friend of a child was laid away under a tree in the back yard, while mourners, such as no king ever had, shed bitter tears, and that night and for many nights a little five-year old boy with reddened eyes in that house, asked, "Daddy, will Benny Boy go to Heaven?" It was the greatest loss he had ever known.

But the driver kept on going—  
Be kind to animals.

### BENNINGTON

#### Moving Pictures!

Town Hall, Bennington  
at 8.00 o'clock

Wednesday Evening, Sept. 28  
Constance Binney in  
"Magic Cup"

6 Reel Drama 1 Reel Comedy

Saturday Evening, Oct. 1  
Neil Hart in "Sky Fire"  
News Weekly  
5 Reel Drama  
One Reel Comedy

Mrs. Wiswell, from Vermont, was in town for a short time on Monday.

Mrs. Royal Knight entertained guests from Boston over the week end.

The school children had a picnic at Lake George on Saturday and a fine time is reported.

A broken belt caused the lights to go out suddenly on Sunday evening. It was repaired and lights on again within a couple of hours.

Friends of Mrs. J. S. Woods are sorry to learn of her fractured hip, and glad to know she is comfortable as possible under the conditions.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock Pullets; April 1st hatch. Will sell for \$2.50 each.

J. P. Weston, Bennington, N. H. Advertisement

Rev. and Mrs. Elford F. Lounsbury and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. King motorized to Tilton recently, where Mr. Lounsbury's son is an instructor in Latin at the Seminary.

Frank Keaser, of Walden, N. Y., has been a recent visitor with his mother and sister, Mrs. Fred Bartlett. He came from Walden to Holyoke by auto with Mr. Odell, then by train the rest of the way.

LOST—Between Francess town and Antrim, by way of Bennington, Ladies' Hunter Case Gold Filled Watch, with black ribbon for chain. Finder will please leave at the Reporter Office and receive reward.

#### NORTH BRANCH

Charles Taylor has purchased a cow from Liberty Farm.

Arthur L. Cunningham entertained friends from Boston for the week end.

Albert Cutter is carrying the children from the west end of the town to the Branch school.

Several from this part of the town attended the Farm Bureau meeting at the Grange Hall on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft have returned from a ten days visit with Mrs. Taft's daughter, Mrs. Frank Cole, of Keene.

Misses Theresa Sizemore and Margaret Linton and Robertson are attending school at the village, making the trip by auto.

Although rather late we wish to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Boyle on the arrival of daughters in both homes.

#### Executor's Notice

The subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the Will of Patrick E. Gashion, late of Bennington, in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

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

Dated September 24, 1921.

Henry W. Wilson.

#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

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

Whereas Charles S. Abbott, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the final account of his administration of said estate:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Nashua in said County, on the 25th day of October next, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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

Given at Nashua in said County, this 26th day of September, A. D. 1921.

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

#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Rosanna L. Bullard, late of Milford, in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Charles S. Abbott, administrator with will annexed, of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the final account of his administration of said estate:

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To the heirs at law of the estate of Sarah T. Smith, late of Antrim, in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

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### ACCOMMODATION!

To and From Antrim Railroad Station.

Trains leave Antrim Depot as follows:  
Going South - Trains leave for  
7.05 a. m. Elmwood and Boston  
1.50 p. m. Winchendon, Worcester, Boston  
4.10 p. m. Winchendon and Keene  
Going North - Trains leave for  
7.39 a. m. Concord and Boston  
12.20 p. m. Hillsboro  
6.57 p. m. Hillsboro

Sunday Trains  
South 8.27 a. m. For Peterboro  
6.40 a. m. Elmwood  
North 11.57 a. m. Concord, Boston  
4.49 p. m. Hillsboro

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The Subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Charles F. Whitney, late of Antrim in the County of Hillsboro, deceased.

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

Dated September 7, 1921.

Charles S. Abbott

### Clinton News

Walter Smith and family have gone to Hillsboro to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peasley were in East Washington Monday.

The Ladies' Aid Society meets to day with Mrs. George Sawyer.

Morton Paige was a business visitor in Boston two days last week.

Matthew Coddily has been confined to the house with blood poisoning.

Mrs. Morton Paige spent Wednesday with her daughter in Concord.

Wm. Drury and family, from Medford, Mass., were Sunday guests at Frank Black's.

Preparations are well under way for the annual Harvest Supper to be held Friday, Oct. 7.

Frank Bass and Mrs. J. Lillian Larrabee were in Boston a few days the first of the week.

Miss Nina Hodgdon, a trained nurse from Concord, is caring for Mrs. O. W. Brownell.

Frank Buttrick and family, from Andover, Mass., were Sunday guests at Mesclibrooks Farm.

G. H. Caughey and family drove to Waltham Sunday and visited with Mr. Caughey's parents.

Mrs. Clara Abbott and son, Robert, are returning today from a visit with friends in New London.

Charles Holt and family, Carl Gore, Winslow and Edith Sawyer are attending the Hopkinton Fair today.

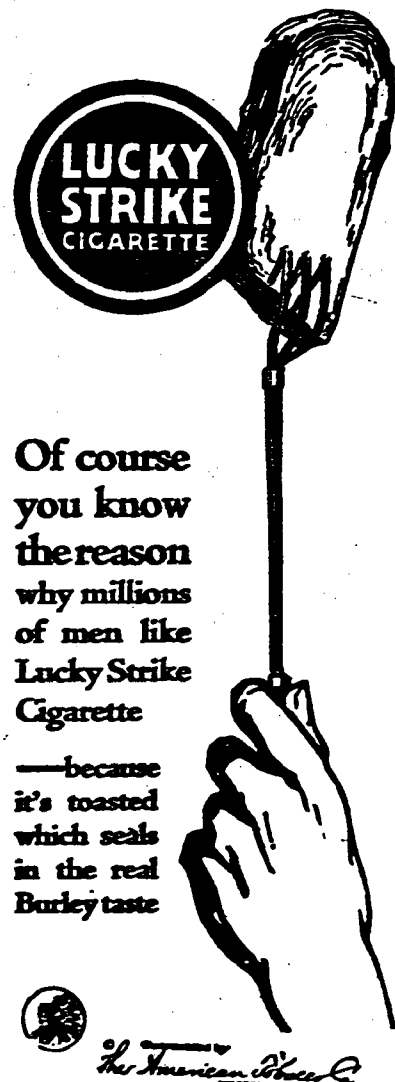
Miss Sadie MacMullen was at home the latter part of the week, and has now returned to her work in Boston.

J. Leon Brownell had the misfortune to receive injuries while at his work this morning, which will confine him to the house for several days.

Mrs. George Sawyer entertained her sister, Mrs. F. O. Little and little grandson, Stillman Baker, from Medford Hillside, Mass., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Case, from Francess town, Mr. and Mrs. George Case and daughter, Lillian, from Goffstown, and Harry Parker, from Deering, were Sunday guests at Charles Holt's.

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### HANCOCK

Ephraim Weston has been drawn juryman and has gone to Nashua.

F. D. Gay, of Hillsboro, was in town one day recently on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. West, of Hillsboro, were guests of their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank West.

An automobile owned by Joseph Bosley was stolen here while Mrs. Bosley was picking cranberries near Sargent's camp.

Miss Clara Johnson, a well known resident of Stoddard, and formerly a housekeeper for E. W. Sturtevant, was married at Hollis recently to Fred Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence will reside in East Peppercell, Mass.

Who jumps at conclusions will have to stand still at facts.



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NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

Picks 17 Pumpkins From Nashua Vine

Fireman S. T. Smalley of the Central Fire station, Nashua had what he thought was a summer squash come up in his yard. He let it grow, later discovering it was a pumpkin vine. He has picked 16 pumpkins from the vine weighing 82 pounds and his wife had picked one before.

Trudel Enters Race at Manchester

George E. Trudel, member of the Governor's council from the third district, announces his candidacy for the Republican nomination for mayor of Manchester. In a statement to the public he said that he had laid aside his personal inclination and entered the race so that "deplorable conditions" at City Hall may be remedied.

Deer And Ducks Reported Plentiful

Burl Tilton, New Hampshire saw five deer feeding peacefully under an apple tree in the rear of his home a few days ago. There was one extra large buck, a small buck and three does.

Duck hunters report wonderful luck. Duck are very plentiful. Speck pond being a favorite stamping ground for the blacks and mallards.

Indicated in P. O. Defalcation Cases

The grand jury of the September term of the United States district court, Littleton, reported after an all-day and night session, returning 88 liquor indictments. They also returned indictments against Chester Mitchell of Derry for misappropriation of postoffice funds, A. S. Chaplain of Belmont for misappropriation of postoffice funds, and Edward E. Buote for using the mails to defraud.

Governor Praised N. H. Exhibit of Livestock

Governor Albert O. Brown upon his return from the Eastern States Exposition held at Springfield, Mass., praised very highly the New Hampshire exhibition which was located in one of the smaller special buildings. The New Hampshire exhibition, according to the governor, consists mostly of livestock and is featured by an exceptional display from Cheshire county.

N. H. Sunday School Association Meets at Laconia Oct. 13 and 14

The 48th annual convention of the N. H. Sunday school association will be held at the Congregational church in Laconia Oct. 13 and 14 and will be featured by stirring addresses by noted speakers, spirited singing, a parade and a mass meeting for the children.

The principal speaker of the occasion will be E. W. Halpenney of Chicago, adult division superintendent of the Industrial Sunday school association.

Blanket sent to Harding brings flood of orders

The famous blanket which the New Hampshire Farmers' Co-operative Marketing association sent to President Harding last spring has resulted in orders coming into the headquarters office Concord, from all over the country. The latest order was sent recently from Texas and the officials of the organization are amazed at the country-wide diffusing of the knowledge that the Co-operative association is manufacturing blankets among the hills of New Hampshire.

Game Sanctuary for N. H. Urged

A plan is now being urged for the creation of game sanctuaries in the great forest reserves of the country where hunting will be prohibited, predatory animals destroyed and game propagated. New Hampshire has a splendid forest reserve area in the White mountain district which could be used in the plan so widely discussed.

From these sanctuaries game will naturally overflow the surrounding country making of the forest reserve in which it is situated a well stocked public shooting ground. In addition to this, game propagated in the sanctuaries could be shipped to all parts of the state.

To Awaken Deserted Village

A project has been undertaken in the formation of the Lincoln Country club, and through the club the transformation of the deserted village of Johnson into a golf course. Johnson a dozen years ago was a thriving lumber village in the township of Lincoln, but as such it has ceased to function. This "deserted village" is well known to all automobilists through the White mountains, being situated on the state highway leading out of Plymouth to the north. It is located two miles from the Flume and seven miles from the Old Man of the Mountain.

Boon—New Hampshire Plans are Discussed

Maj. Frank Knox and Warden A. Curtis of the State Publicity Commission were in conference at the State House with President Hustie, Vice President Fort, Directors Dudley, Upham and Carpenter, Gen. Frank S. Streeter, counsel, and Fred S. Heath, assistant treasurer of the Boston & Maine railroad. Co-operation between the railroad and the State Commission in advertising New Hampshire was considered.

Congressman To Run for U. S. Judge

Congressman Sherman E. Burroughs of Manchester it has been announced will be a candidate for the judgeship made vacant by the death of Edgar Aldrich, presiding justice of the U. S. district court in New Hampshire. Congressman Burroughs recently had announced he would not again be a candidate for Congress when his term expires next March. The other candidates for the judgeship are George F. Morris of Manchester, Ivory C. Eaton and John E. Spring, both of Nashua.

Peace Reported At I. P. Co. Plant

The mandates of the injunction, granted recently by Chief Justice Kivel of the Superior Court against the Franklin paper mill strikers are being adhered to apparently to the letter. The peaceful picketing which had been carried on since July 7th around the mills has been discontinued. Help in the mills now go in and out and onto the city streets with more freedom and on the sidewalks many new workmen faces have been seen this week.

N. H. Officials Attend Safety Council

The tenth annual congress of the National Safety council was held in the state house, Boston, Mass., Sept. 28 to Sept. 30, with a conference of highway commissioners and heads of motor vehicle departments throughout New England.

This conference is of special interest to New Hampshire people for the reason that Frederick E. Everett, commissioner of highways, and Olin H. Chase, commissioner of motor vehicles, accepted invitations to attend.

Savings of People in New Hampshire Hit \$340 Average

New Hampshire is over the top again. A recent press dispatch stating that, according to figures issued by the Treasury, every man, woman and child in the country is supposed to have \$250 saved up. An inquiring reporter sallied forth and discovered that New Hampshire well deserves a reputation for thriftiness.

Governor A. O. Brown, treasurer of the Amoskeag Savings bank and an authority on matters pertaining to banking, set as an approximate estimate \$340 on deposits in banks in this state for every man, woman and child.

Least Unemployment in Manchester Claim

It is claimed to be the verdict of traveling salesmen that Manchester is operating its industrial plants nearer to a normal basis than any other city in the United States, and that the number of unemployed, per capita is smaller here than in any other city of equal size. The Amoskeag Manufacturing Company is operating at capacity and is employing night shifts in some departments; the Star mills are running 75 per cent of capacity, and the various shoe shops are working 75 per cent of normal.

Grant Declares B. & M. on Verge of Receivership

Declaring that the Boston and Maine railroad has no capital, no credit, cannot sell short term notes or bonds to get money to make improvements or even to pay operating expenses and is on the verge of receivership, General Passenger Agent F. E. Grant told the public service commission and about 75 prominent men gathered from all parts of the state, that if the uneconomic branch lines were to continue to have good service the sections must provide revenue to pay for the service, at a hearing in the senate chamber at the state house.

One suggestion was made that it might be well to ask Henry Ford to take over the Boston and Maine and put it back on a paying basis.

The 75 men gathered to protest against the discontinuance of certain trains, said to be non-paying by Mr. Grant.

Mild Winter coming, says Prognosticator in Dover

Next winter will be mild with little snow, according to the prediction of George F. Wentworth, of Dover, an ex-letter carrier, who was retired for age a year ago, after more than 33 years' service. Mr. Wentworth said that his observations of the weather, including the direction of the wind, on Sept. 21, the Autumnal equinox, coupled with observations of the character of the succeeding winter weather, which he had made over a period of many years while tramping his carrier route, had led him to conclude that the weather on Sept. 21 was a reliable key to the character of the

weather for the next six months.

On that day the wind was south by southeast all day, with gathering clouds which brought rain. Wentworth declares that according to his observations, while there will be some snow weather, there will be more south wind than north wind next winter and more rain than snow. There will be very little snow. He predicted last September an unusually mild winter.

New Kind of Clock

A clock recently invented in England has some novel features. One of these is that the weight of the clock itself is the moving force which actuates the mechanism, the clock sitting down two vertical pillars; to wind it, therefore, all that is necessary is to push the clock up to the top again. One advantage attaching to this system, in addition to its simplicity and the absence of keys, is that the need for winding is visible at a glance; hence this necessary operation is not likely to be overlooked.

ALWAYS ON GUARD

Superstitious Bulgarians Dread Spirits of Evil

Observe Many Odd Customs Which They Believe of Immense Importance to Their Welfare

Are you one of those who will not walk under a ladder, raise an umbrella in the house or spill the salt without casting a few grains over your shoulder? If you believe in these or the kindred superstitions that dying out in this country, you will feel a degree of kinship with the average Bulgarian peasant. For there are so many things a Bulgarian may not do, writes Temple Manning in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Among the many customs of rural Bulgaria, to neglect which is considered unlucky and even sinful, are the following: To bring flour into the house and neglect to fumigate it with special incense. This must be done to drive out of the flour any demons which may have entered the sack.

When the housewife or her daughter goes to the spring for water, she must not neglect to spill a little on the ground before even starting with the pail for the house. This is done to turn out any elemental spirit which has been scooped into the pail. If it isn't done the spirit may take up its abode in the house, and may even enter the body of one of the family who drinks the water.

If you are asked to sell a loaf of bread you must not part with it without first having cut or torn off a small piece from an end. The spirit that has helped you make the bread must be given a chance to fly out of the loaf and still linger in the house he loves.

Under no circumstances may you give a child a spoon to play with. I do not know just why you may not do this, but it is considered exceedingly unlucky.

Nor can I account for the belief which is common in some far farming sections of Bulgaria, that it is very unlucky to give a child under seven years of age a bath. The child may wash itself, but that is its own lookout. The mother may wash the child a little also, but not give it a bath all over at one time.

Imagination easily accounts for the prohibition against cleaning a stable, selling milk, fetching water or doing any of the many other farm duties after darkness has fallen.

But how is one to account for the Bulgarian belief that to permit a dog to sleep on the roof of a house will disturb the rest of the dead members of the family?

These and countless other superstitions rule the daily work and habits of old Bulgarians and the youths who live and work in many a shut-in section of that hilly land.

An airplane capable of landing without the need of a large aviation field, able to rise without a long run before, able to travel more than 300 miles an hour and, if necessary, to meander along at but a few miles an hour, is announced as the invention of an Italian engineer, Epaminonda Bertucci of Rome.

The inventor claims that he already tried out the machine on a small scale and regards his first experiments as indicative of the success of the invention. The new machine is primarily intended for aerial war chasing and is to be armed with a machine gun. It is a monoplane.

MODERN RESIDENCE IN CHINA

Living in House Equipped With One Range and Faldstool, Chinese, Has Its Good Points.

Our two-story house consisted of two big rooms downstairs and sleeping apartments and a tiny rest garden upstairs. In this rest garden I spent most of my time, and kept my sun umbrella and my much prized money afternoon. It was a pleasant, sunny place, furnished with painted summer chairs, rugs and mosquito nets in pottery jars, writes H. T. F. in Asia Magazine.

At the back, under removed from the main part of the house, were the kitchen, servants' quarters and an open-air laundry. We were really very practical and modern and comfortable. Our kitchen provided for an admirable compromise between old and new methods. It had an English gas range and a Chinese one. But the paper Chinese atmosphere was preserved by these well-traditional screens, who called themselves Ah Ching, Ah Ling and Ah Fok. Most Shanghai screens are called simply "Boy" or "Anna" or "Cecile," but ours chose their names as distinctive for screens these are James and Bridget are with us. Ah Ching did most of the housework and the running of errands; Ah Ling did the mending and cooking, giving us a pleasantly varied succession of Chinese and foreign dishes; Ah Fok, the sun, looked after WEIRD and attended to my personal wants.

From the first I was fond of Ah Fok, with her fiery, frank, intelligent features, her soft voice and gentle, unobtrusive manner. She had served an American mistress before coming to me, but showed a surprising willingness to adopt my particular way of doing things, whether in making beds, in keeping my clothes in order, or in entertaining WEIRD. On the other hand, Ah Ching, elderly, grave and full of responsibility, was very partial to his accustomed way of arranging furniture and of washing windows and floors. If left to himself he would dust old books and corners faithfully, but if I made any formal inspection of his labors he would invariably slight them to indicate that I should not be suspicious, as a friend explained—a form of logic that I found highly amusing. Ah Ling, while from his ordinary ability, was chiefly interesting because his eyes were really oblique—as Chinese eyes are supposed to be, and usually are not, and because his hair really curled—as Chinese hair is supposed never to do, and does occasionally.

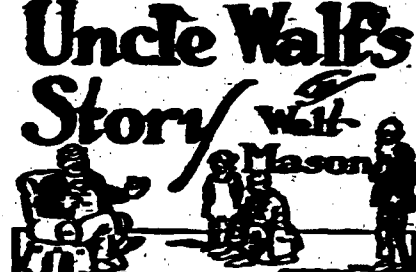
He had it. C. Tom Johnson, chief clerk of the city board of health, recently completed a course in the Benjamin Harrison Law school, passing his final examination with high honors. Consequently his two small children, Vivian, age nine, and Jerry, age six, credit him with considerably more than the usual wisdom.

"I went home the other night," Johnson said, "and found the youngsters sitting on the front steps waiting for me. I hadn't been there five minutes till they had asked me five minutes questions in a row that would stump the fellows who pass Thomas A. Edison's examination. Jerry started out: "Is there any ending to the sky?" he asked. Vivian had been to school, and heard something about gravity, so she asked: "If gravitation would stop, would the earth bump into the sun?" Jerry came right back with: "Who is God?" and Vivian wanted to know where the devil lives. Then she asked whether the people on Mars are like us, and I gave up and sent it."—Indianapolis News.

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FORBES OF ANIMALS

SPRINGFIELD has an extremely graphic dining room," said the veterinary surgeon. "He has made the animal a member of his family for several years, and it was so gentle and docile that it could drive it. The other day Frederick made up his mind he would sell Debbie, as he couldn't afford to buy breakfast food for his any longer. A man who wanted a horse dropped around, and Frederick hitched Debbie up, and that had been just naturally on my way and the two men are going around on a thing, far there never was a greater horse."



"There are several explanations," remarked the village parson. "It is possible, even probable, that the horse understands everything. Frederick says, and when it heard his halloo about selling, the horse suddenly put up a job to quell the deal. Perhaps Debbie has a strongly developed sense of humor, and thinks such an escape would be highly amusing, and we must admit that it was. I cannot imagine anything more humorous than to hitch up a perfectly gentle horse, and then have it act like a fan-dangled deal."

"There is no doubt that animals have a sense of humor. Unless we admit that, it is impossible to explain many things they do. I think the mule is a great humorist. When a mule looks most innocent, he is most dangerous. You can tell when a horse is going to land you a few sample kicks as a testament of its good nature; it kicks back the cow and catches the rail, and looks as vindictive as a rattle-snake. A reasonably active cow can get out of the way when he sees a horse unloading his heavy artillery. Here it's different with a mule. This highly suspicious animal will stand motionless, every motion and every glance expressing scorn on earth, good will toward man. The innocent bystander is saying to himself that he never did see such an amiable expression on an animal's face, and just then the gentle critter heads him a holiday assortment of feet, and when he recovers consciousness he can't find words that properly express his sentiments."

"The cow is another humorist. I have noticed cows stare or leer at all my days, and they all were addressed to humorous winks. The cow I have seen thoroughly enjoys hitting me over the head with her tail. Of course there is some excuse in the matter for a cow that keeps her tail going; but there isn't any sense in such exercise in the winter, when the flies are dead. At this season my cow never remembers her tail except at milking time. Then she keeps it going as though the flies were around her in clouds, and she has become so expert with her old tail that she patted me on the left ear about twice a week, and then I had an excellent milk, and was it whenever I milked. So she hits me on the nose every time, and it's simply wonderful how accurate her aim is."

"I had a cow once that I milked for four years and during that time she never lifted a foot or kicked once in any way. I considered her the safest cow I ever saw. One evening there were some visitors from the city at our house, and they went to the barn lot with me to see me milk the cow. There were two or three ladies in the party, and as I walked I explained to them that the animal was a marvel when it came to docility. I said I didn't believe she would kick if a change of position cost of under five cents, and she simply calmly resisted the temptation to make me left. The thirty cents, as just when I was most enthusiastic in her praise, she landed a left hook on my chin, and put me down for the count. These city folks said that if she was a gentle cow they'd give fifty cents to see an unruly one and I suppose they're talking about the cow yet."

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