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This is the best material for shirts, house dresses, rompers, etc., very durable and fast colors, 32 in. wide 25¢ yd.
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Dr. G. R. Salisbury

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ANTRIM, N. H.,

DENTIST

First Monday of Each Month and Remain Five Days.

Mrs. Jennie Eaton Hedges

Woman's Relief Corps

Word was received here Saturday morning of the death of Jennie Eaton Hedges, wife of James A. Hedges, at her home in Chicago. Mrs. Hedges had been ill about a week with pleurisy, but was apparently much better, when she passed away instantly. She leaves besides her husband, a son, Howard Eaton Hedges, three sisters, Mrs. Hattie Curtis, of Everett, Mass., Mrs. Nellie McGaffey, of Chicago and Mrs. Anna Carter of Antrim, and a brother, Charles Eaton of Antrim, besides a large circle of friends. Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, with interment at Chicago. Mrs. Hedges was well known in Antrim, as she has spent many summers here with her people.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

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.

UNION OF CHURCHES

Subject Much Talked of
In Present Day

"If I have my health and live long enough, it is my ambition to unite the First Congregational and Pilgrim Churches in one large Congregational Society," remarked Eaton D. Sargent at the Governor's reception in the Pilgrim Church. And no man in the city has demonstrated the ability to do things more in the past few years than has Mr. Sargent.

For years it has been the goal of many Congregationalists to have the two societies in one. In many ways it would be an advantage other than the great saving in the expenses of two parishes. Forty years ago there were three Congregational societies in the city. The Pearl Street and Olive Street Societies united as the Pilgrim and erected the present edifice. It has always been admitted that the union of the two was a good thing for the denomination and now it has equal force in the union of the First and Pilgrim Societies.

There is a strong feeling among the Methodists and Baptists that it is wholly unnecessary to have two churches here now of those denominations. Neither of the small societies of the denominations at Crown Hill are self-supporting. The feeling in both is that it would materially strengthen both denominations at Crown Hill if the churches there were closed and the cost turned into the larger societies in the center of the city.

The above few lines were taken from the Sunday edition of the Boston Globe, with reference to the church situation in Nashua, about which situation somewhat is known by many of our people. Reading this leads us to publish the following article on church unity which we have had prepared for some time.

This is a movement which is sure to affect the rural communities, possibly more than any other. Yet it will have a tendency to bring together the weaker or smaller churches in the more thickly settled places. There is no church worker today who has given this matter any great thought but knows something is coming along this line and perhaps in not many years hence. The main object of real church people after all is not or should not be to place their particular church in the lead but to constantly strive to have people see the good that can be derived from working with and in connection with some church; for all must admit that there is some good in every church—none can be so narrow as to believe differently, never mind what they say. The great object in life is to be of service and help others in their efforts along this line, and if they are not doing much at this business to assist them to see the true light and set their machinery working in the right direction to accomplish the most good.

In places where it might seem to some that the town is overchurched, the efforts of the church people are not bearing the fruit they should, or enough good is not being accomplished according to the work put into it—mostly because of the way many people look at the things. Now if this condition exists and it becomes known generally it is with great difficulty that any good is accomplished; and consequently a whole lot of faithful work and earnest endeavor is lost completely.

On the other hand, if two or more societies should unite and pool their interests so to speak—working together for the greatest good to the greatest number—it might be that very much more could be accomplished and the desired end be more easily and quickly reached. This is a matter that has been in our mind for a long time and before very long must assume some sort of shape. We in the smaller towns may not think it applies strictly to us, but if the ones who have these matters in hand to consider what is for our best interests decide to make the move, it will be useless to do anything else but take up the duties as prescribed for us and do everything we possibly can to carry out the desired program.

Some may feel they can do better work in the old way—in a rut if you please—and might think if conditions were changed they would be relieved from responsibility, but such we feel

AFTER THOUGHTS

Of the Town, School and Precinct Meetings

Probably Antrim never experienced a more harmonious town meeting than the one held last week.

The appropriations at town meeting were kept within bounds, in fact were a bit less than last year. It is hoped that the tax rate will be as low, if not lower than it was last year.

It really is too bad that more of our people don't interest themselves to a greater extent in our schools, and attend the school meeting. Some twenty-five or thirty are too few to transact the business necessary to be done for the school year.

Owing to H. W. Eldredge being unable to longer serve the town and precinct as auditor, after a number of years' service, James M. Cutter was elected. A wise choice was made by the voters in selecting the new man, as he has had experience in town affairs. With F. C. Parmenter, a man of experience on the board, both the town and precinct have good men in this position.

Antrim is one of ten towns in Hillsborough County with a tax rate of three percent the past year. It is thought by some of the tax payers that our valuation is high, but in order to have a low tax rate the valuation must be high. It is a question of whether the valuation or tax rate be high. There are arguments both ways, but the present plan which is being followed in town seems to meet with approval generally.

The matter to bring out real oratory and true town meeting spirit, was the article relative to the purchase of a motor driven chemical fire apparatus. All who desired had an opportunity to present their ideas on the subject. Some arguments were good and some were miles away but all had the chance to express themselves. The result of the vote showed that most voters were interested and had given the matter considerable thought.

Musical Program at Service.

The union of the Methodist and Presbyterian congregations in the auditorium of the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening was a service of more than ordinary interest. A specially prepared musical program, rendered by singers from both churches, was enjoyed by a good audience. Special mention is made of the organ voluntary, which was of rare beauty and dignity and finely executed. The work of a full choir was equal to, if not better than anything heard in the village for some time. Lovers of good choir music were unstinted in their praise of the rendition of the selections by the quartette and the duetists. Much credit is also due to the manager for the well arranged program.

sure would not be the case. All would be just as anxious under a new system to do the same amount or more good than they did before; and very likely united effort might accomplish very much more good, which of course is the only reason anything new of this kind would be proposed, and put into operation. For many years there have been those who have said that one church was better for our town than two or three, but of course most of these people were not church members, yet there might be a grain of argument in their favor. There is probably not a single churchman who if he were convinced in his own mind that one church was better than more would favor church unity in a minute. To accomplish the desired end is what we should all wish to do.

The Reporter brings forward this matter to prepare the minds of our readers for what is likely to come some time. Should any of our readers desire to discuss this matter in our columns and will do so in an unbiased, friendly and helpful manner, we should be pleased to give such articles place in our columns. Of course if we should consider any article falling short of the purpose we have in mind, it will be returned to the writer if sufficient postage is enclosed with the article.

A FEW THOUGHTS

Suggested by What Is Happening Around

Spring began officially on Monday of this week.

President Harding has recommended the creation of a commission to control the erection of American war memorials on the battlefields of Europe. Secretary Weeks, General Pershing, Commander Hanford MacNider and one senator and one representative would comprise the Harding commission.

Fourteen states already have refused financial assistance to the move for a George Washington and World War Memorial building in Washington, D. C., and 16 other states will follow suit, according to the American Legion's legislative committee. The Legion opposes construction of the elaborate memorial at a time when thousands of ex-service men are jobless and in need.

About Snow Fleas

Upon inquiry the following information was sent by P. R. Lowry, Assistant Entomologist at New Hampshire State College in Durham.

The tiny insects which are found jumping around on the snow are known as Snow Fleas, (Achorutes nivicola). These little insects belong to the order Collembola. They are tiny, wingless insects having poorly developed mouthparts and hatching from the egg, looking almost like the adult, except smaller. The Collembola are known commonly as Spring-tails. They have at the hind end of the body a little forked appendage which is folded under the body and when this is straightened out it throws the insect into the air.

As to the life history, I have not been able to find anything definite about the Snow Flea. It is not known where the eggs are laid, but they are evidently laid some time in the late winter or early spring and do not hatch until some time the next winter. There are a great many different kinds of springtails, usually being found in damp places, under bark or boards or among dead and decaying leaves.

Decaying Home Orchards

As one goes about the country and looks at the orchards on the farms he can see that many are neglected and some are going entirely out of business.

The Hillsboro County Farm Bureau is trying to have the farmers improve their orchards and save some that are on the road to uselessness. In order to assist the people in this vicinity to trim properly a demonstration will be given in trimming at the Hillside Farm, the home of E. W. Merrill, at two o'clock p. m., on Friday, Mar. 24.

J. D. Hutchinson,

Leader of Trimming Committee

Annual Business Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held in the vestry April 11, at 7.30 p. m. The regular election of officers for the ensuing year will be the first order of the meeting. After this there will be heard the reports of the secretaries and treasurers of all departments of the church. The attention of all members and adherents of the church is called to this notice.

The Ladies' Mission Circle will serve a supper at 6.30, and all families and individuals connected with the church are expected to dine in the vestry that evening instead of at home.

Roads Closed

To heavy travel. The Contoocook Valley highway, the Cheshire road from Keene running through the north part of Antrim, and the piece of permanent highway in Antrim village to Clinton, is closed to travel by three ton trucks with load and two ton heavy team loads.

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March 15, 1922.

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NORTH BRANCH

School closes this week for a two weeks vacation.

Percy Peabody has been ill with the prevailing distemper.

Herman Mathews has been in town sawing wood for several parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith visited the past week at W. D. Wheeler's.

Mrs. A. L. Cunningham has returned from a visit with friends in Boston.

Mr. Bachelder is at West Antrim looking after his interests at the mill.

The Liberty Farm people recently entertained a friend from Lawrence, Mass.

Congratulations are extended to our genial editor on his new position. All join in wishing him success.

Charles Mann has completed his labor at the Lovren Mills and returned to his home at Methuen, Mass.

The Branch was well represented at town meeting, many enjoying the fine dinner furnished by the W. R. C.

Mrs. Emma Thurlow, of No. Abington, Mass., is caring for her mother, Wing, who remains about the

school children of the Branch furnish the entertainment for party at the Grange Hall night.

Ida L. Young, from Batte, and Mrs. Lucia Tite, from Vt., are spending a season with brother, Ora Story.

Gordon, optometrist, of Antrim, is making regular weekly visits to the Inn on Wednesday. All who need the services of a good optometrist will do well to call on him.

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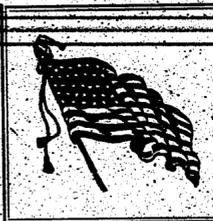
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Antrim Locals

Leo G. Lowell visited the auto show in Boston on Thursday last.

Carlton W. Perkins was in Boston on Friday and Saturday last.

Fred H. Colby spent two days in Boston and Lowell the past week.

Hay of good quality for sale. Apply to B. F. Tenney, Antrim, N. H.

Mrs. O. H. Robb has been confined to her home with the prevailing grip cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Snow have left town and are at Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Miss Muriel Colby is at her home here and has been suffering with a hard cold.

Forest Appleton, of Manchester, was at his home here for a few days the past week.

Charles Wilkinson was at his home here for the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Wilkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Robinson and infant child have been guests the past week of relatives in Arlington, Mass.

B. L. Brooks and daughter, Mrs. W. F. Nichols, are visiting for a season with friends in Boston, and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Harold Clough have removed their household goods to a tenement in the Woodward block on Main street.

John L. Fleming, of Lowell, Mass., has been visiting relatives in this section and his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Paige, in this place.

George Barrett has sold the house he recently purchased and is occupying—the Hodges place—and will vacate in a short time.

J. N. McLeod, of Boston, was in town on Friday and Saturday last, looking after his property—the Arden farm, formerly the Perkins place.

Mrs. Francis Grimes wishes to announce that she has a nice line of Spring coats, suits and dresses at reasonable prices.

The evening train on Friday night from Boston was delayed at Wilton owing to an accident. The mail did not arrive at the post office here that evening.

A representative of the Salvation Army, from Manchester, was in this place a few days the past week soliciting funds for the general work of the Army.

Mrs. Johnson, who has been cook at The Maplehurst at different times during the past five years, was taken sick of pneumonia and died in a few days' time.

The Selectmen have mailed to the taxpayers of Antrim the inventory blanks for use in making individual and corporate returns to the assessors between April first and fifteenth.

Hemiker A. A. defeated the Antrim Juniors at Henniker, 25 to 20. It took four periods to decide the score. One of the features of the game was Kidder getting a basket while sitting down. Watch for posters for rubber game.

George A. Cochran, Esq., of this town, who has been one of the most prominent men in town affairs during his active years, having been selectman, representative, delegate to constitutional convention, county commissioner, moderator, besides holding all kinds of important committees, was present at our town meeting on Tuesday last and voted. This was the 65th town meeting that he has voted in, he being now in his 87th year.

Moving Pictures!

Town Hall, Antrim

Thursday, Mar. 23

Constance Binney in "Such a Little Queen"

Pathe Weekly Pictures at 8.15

W. A. NICHOLS, Mgr.

Antrim Locals

George D. Dresser is confined to his home with rheumatism.

All the schools in town close this week Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

Eldredge F. Snow, of Boston, formerly of Chatham, Mass., visited last week at George W. Nylander's at Maple Grove Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Underwood, of Winchendon, Mass., formerly of this place, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, on Sunday, March 11.

We know of a party who desires to buy a house safe with combination lock. Everything about it must be in good condition. Other particulars may be learned by applying to the Reporter office.

The Farm Bureau millinery work will be demonstrated at the home of Hayward Cochran Tuesday, Mar. 28. All ladies interested in the work are invited to bring their hats and trimmings; aid will be given them under the direction of the county demonstrator.

WANTED—Man around 45 to look after our business in this territory. Easy work, permanent position. Hundreds of men are drawing good salaries right now. Write Oakland Nurseries, Manchester, Conn., for particulars.

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Antrim Grange will hold a Sugar Supper, Entertainment and Dance at the Grange Hall, Friday night, March 24. Admission to supper and entertainment, 25c and war tax. Dance tickets 25c. James Elliott's team will leave the town hall at 7.15 p. m. Free transportation will be furnished.

At the union prayer meeting of the village churches at the Baptist vestry on Thursday evening of last week, it was voted that it was the sense of the meeting that the four treaties framed by the recent World Conference at Washington be ratified by the U. S. Congress without a single change. This action was sent to Senator Moses and Senator Keyes, our two United States senators at Washington. These two far seeing men of affairs will take due notice of every such request from their constituents.

Church Notes

METHODIST
Rev. George Davies, Pastor
Morning service at 10.45, with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday School at 12 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening

BAPTIST
Regular Sunday morning service at 10.45 o'clock.
Bible School at noon.
Union evening service at 7 o'clock.
Intermediate C. E. Monday evening at 7 o'clock.
Thursday evening meeting at 7.30 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. J. D. Cameron, Pastor
The subject of the sermon by the pastor at the morning service will be "Tested Faith."
Sunday School at noon.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7. Subject: "Precious Faith."
II. Pel. J. L. Bible study, books of Obadiah and Jonah.

The Newburyport Presbytery will convene in Portland, Me., Apr. 12, at 2.30 p. m.

Sale of the Brown School House

Sealed bids for the purchase of the Brown School House will be received until 2 p. m. Friday, March 31, 1922. Privilege is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Mattie L. H. Proctor, Emma S. Goodell, Charles S. Abbott, School Board.

Taste is a matter of tobacco quality. We state it as our honest belief that the tobacco used in Chesterfield are of finer quality (and hence of better taste) than in any other cigarette at the price.

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HILLSBORO

William F. Bennett, aged 41 years, died last Friday night at his home here, from pneumonia. He was the son of the late Frank W. Bennett, who died a few weeks ago. He was a graduate of the Hillsboro High School and for a few years owned the periodical and variety store here. For a number of years he was highway agent and since then he has been one of the owners of the Hillsboro Dairy and Ice Company, he having charge of the ice business. He was a member of Harmony Lodge of Masons and Valley Lodge of Odd Fellows, and of the Hillsboro Fire Department. In 1908 he married Miss Annabelle Kendall, who, with two small sons survives him, also a sister, Mrs. Harold Harvey. Funeral services were held from the home on Church street at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

A grand council fire, which included three Camp Fires, the Wambek-Methua, Miss Rosena Eaton, guardian; the Wawbansee, Mrs. Grace Perry, guardian; and the Pompanoosuc Camp Fire of Henniker, Mrs. Thomas Coombs, guardian; was held in the vestry of Smith Memorial Congregational church Friday evening. Six members were given the rank of wood gatherers, 14 the rank of fire makers and one the rank of torch bearer. Rev. H. L. McCann gave a pleasing talk, taking the Camp Fire law for his subject. Each camp fire gave its cheer and the fire makers demonstrated three of the required honors for the rank of fire maker, viz., putting out clothing when on fire, treating an open cut and the head bandage. A social time was enjoyed, during which refreshments of sandwiches and cocoa were served. The Henniker girls were entertained by the local camp fire girls.

CLINTON VILLAGE

Arlene Paige was a Concord visitor one day last week.

Kate Brooks is at her home from Troy for a vacation from school work.

Mrs. Henry Hutchinson is confined to her room with a carbuncle on her arm.

Mrs. Forest Boutelle and son spent the week end at their home in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Lawrence Mahoney and little daughter are visiting relatives in Boston for a few weeks.

Harry Bigelow has been a brief visitor in town, stopping over Sunday night at Mrs. Pike's.

The Center school will keep Monday and Tuesday of next week to make up two days lost by the illness of the teacher.

There will be a sugar party and dance at the Grange Hall Friday evening, under the auspices of a committee from the Grange.

The Woman's Club

The meeting of the Antrim Woman's Club on March 28 will be a musicale under the direction of Mrs. Robert Jameson. Each club member is privileged to invite three guests. The meeting will open at 2.30 p. m.

Fancy Maple Syrup

Place orders early to insure being filled, as I have a long list already booked. Every gallon guaranteed extra quality and full weight. Two dollars per gallon.

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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 on

EDMUND M. LANE, JOHN THORNTON, CHARLES D. WHITE, Selectmen of Antrim.

Executor's Notice

The subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the Will of Louise H. Crombie, 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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Executor's Notice

The subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed Executrix of the Will of Colin Robertson, late of Antrim, in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

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

Dated March 3, 1922. Annie R. Robertson.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hillsborough, ss. Court of Probate.

To the heirs at law of the estate of Patrick J. McGrath, late of Bennington in said County, deceased, testate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Henry W. Wilson, administrator, with annexed of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the account of his administration of said estate:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Manchester in said County on the 18th day of April, 1922, 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 20th day of March A. D. 1921.

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

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A Letter to the People of New Hampshire Regarding Amoskeag

The questions at issue between the Amoskeag and its employees are vital to every citizen of New Hampshire:

They are simple and easily stated.

To operate an industry successfully, production costs must be such as to enable it to compete in the markets where its output is disposed of.

Business not profitably done cannot be continued permanently.

Two factors—rates of wages and working hours—interfere with the successful production of textile fabrics in Manchester today.

Working forty-eight hours a week with wages at last year's level, the Company cannot turn out goods in competition with Southern Mills.

In consequence, many of the standard Amoskeag brands are being produced elsewhere at a lower cost and it has been necessary to discontinue making them.

These same conditions are also menacing other Amoskeag fabrics.

THE PERIL OF THE SOUTH IS REAL

Twenty years ago the South had 5,500,000 spindles; today the number is 15,949,000—an increase of 190 percent.

In the last twenty years the number of spindles in Northern Mills has increased from 14,700,000 to 20,776,000, or only 41 1/2 percent.

The difference in rate of growth is largely due to the fact that at least 90 percent of the Southern Mills are running on a minimum schedule of 55 hours a week and many of them are operating 60 hours weekly.

During last December, Southern spindles ran 239 spindle hours, as compared with only 188 hours in the Northern Mills.

In other words, Southern spindles were operated on an average of 1 1/2 hours more a week than were the Northern spindles.

In an industry where competition is keen this factor alone

is fatal, for the fixed expenses which amount to large sums yearly remain the same whether the Mills run 48 or 54 hours a week.

By running 54 hours these expenses are reduced one eighth—the difference between life and death to a business dependent upon a large output and a narrow margin of profit.

Northern Mill wages average 30 to 40 per cent. more today than in the Southern Mills. Amoskeag always has paid, and it hopes always to pay, a higher wage and work shorter hours, but these unusual differences are compelling curtailments of operations all over New England.

ACTUAL REDUCTION OF ONLY 10 PER CENT. IN PAY ENVELOPE

While Amoskeag understands the workers' desire not to have their earnings cut, the workers, by accepting the Company's proposal will receive an actual reduction of but 10 percent in the pay envelope.

Under the new schedule offered, the worker would earn \$1.82 as compared with \$1.00 under 1914 conditions. At the same time he has to spend only \$1.57 to purchase what cost him \$1.00 in 1914.

In making the decision in regard to length of hours and rate of wages, Amoskeag had in mind its obligations to the State, the community and the individual.

For ninety years the Amoskeag Mills have been in operation on the banks of the Merrimack and the present development being made of the water power is sufficient proof of the Company's desire to continue in the future as in the past.

Amoskeag is owned by 3700 persons; 1500 of whom live in New Hampshire.

Since it began business in 1831, the Company has paid out in wages in the city of Manchester more than \$215,000,000; in taxes \$8,500,000; and also has spent many millions in addition for enlargements and renewals.

INCREASE IN TAXES FROM \$177 TO \$748,000.

Its first tax bill in 1836 was \$177.00; last year, nearly 30 per cent. of the city's total of taxes came from Amoskeag—\$748,000 out of a total of \$2,560,000.

Its purse and its influence have ever been ready to help the upbuilding of the State and City.

Its management always has been in the hands of Manchester men and it has conscientiously avoided outside entangling alliances and refrained from locating factories elsewhere.

The ballot of the workers preceding the stopping of work was secret.

While it has been stated there was a vote of 12,400 in favor of a strike, it is currently reported not more than 3500 workers voted at all.

The management does not believe the great majority of Amoskeag workers will be long opposed to accepting the new schedule of wages and hours of work.

Each week of idleness causes a loss in the Pay Roll alone of about \$300,000, amounting to nearly a million dollars during the past three weeks of stoppage; a loss that can never be recovered.

When a sufficient number of operatives to make it possible to operate to advantage signify a desire to return and operating can be carried on without disturbance, employment will begin in order of application.

The Employment Department of the Company is ready to receive applications for work.

Amoskeag desires to operate in New Hampshire. It desires to pay its operatives the best wages possible and yet meet the prices of competitive products.

It desires peace and prosperity not alone for itself but for the community.

To win this, it must have the co-operation of its workers and also the citizens of the State.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Philbrick and daughter, Myrtice, are taking a trip through the South.

The S. of V. Auxiliary meeting was not held on Monday afternoon on account of the bad weather.

Charles, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Griswold, is sick and under the care of a trained nurse.

The S. of V. Auxiliary card party held last Thursday evening was well attended and enjoyed by all present.

FOR RENT—Two tenements in Bennington village. Inquire of C. W. Durgin, Bennington. Advertisement

An examination has been announced in Peterboro for April 8, for the position of postmaster for the town of Bennington.

The millinery, which came through the Farm Bureau, was on exhibition at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Ross for three days the past week. The Bureau instructor is expected on the 31st.

Liberty Farm Notes

The purebred Holstein Freisian heifer at Liberty Farm that freshened as a senior 2 year old last May 17 has just completed her 10 months, having milked 11,787 1/2 lbs. of about 4 percent milk, which would make 471.48 lbs. of butter fat or 589 lbs. of butter. This record makes her the champion senior 2 year old heifer in the 305 day division in the state; this record is unofficial. She is due to calf June 1. She milked on the 305th day 84 1/2 lbs. and averaged 38.5 lbs. of milk for the entire 10 months.

HANCOCK

Mrs. David R. Damon is visiting in Hillsboro.

The Sewing Circle met last week at the church vestry.

E. H. Tuttle has 3000 eggs hatching in his incubators.

Rev. Milton McCalister, of Pelham, preached here last Sunday.

Miss Ella Ware was reelected on the school board for three years.

The Hancock high school basketball team has had 19 victories and 8 defeats.

Catherine Moore is home from the Keene Normal School for the Easter vacation.

Clarence Ware, Charles Adams and Edward Hubbard were in Concord last Thursday.

Harry, Charles and Simon Sheldon, William and John Welch and William, Jr., attended the auto show in Boston last week.

The committee in charge of the Easter cantata is: Mrs. Annie Putnam, Mrs. Nancy West, Mrs. Cora Otis and Miss Alice Low.

Mrs. Emma Vatcher is recovering from an injury to her spine received when the sleigh in which she was riding upset. Her mother, Mrs. C. E. Hayward, of Amherst, is caring for her.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Former Antrim Resident

Mrs. Abbie S. Gove, widow of James N. Gove, passed away at the home of her son, Walter S. Gove, in Springfield, Mass., Saturday, March 11. She was born in Antrim July 28, 1847, but had made her home in Springfield for the past ten years. She leaves besides her son a brother, James H. Wilson, of Lockport, N. Y., and three grandsons. Funeral services were held at her late home Monday, March 13, and interment was in Maplewood Cemetery at Antrim the following day. Prayer was offered at the grave by Rev. S. G. Hastings.

Legal Weekly Working Hours in the States of the Union

AND TOTAL COTTON SPINDLES IN THE UNITED STATES

LIMITED TO 48 HOURS	Number Spindles	LIMITED TO 56 HOURS	Number Spindles
Massachusetts	11,841,137	Vermont	145,000
California	78,000	LIMITED TO 57 HOURS	
LIMITED TO 50 HOURS		Tennessee	430,695
Ohio	15,000	LIMITED TO 60 HOURS	
LIMITED TO 54 HOURS		New Jersey	429,431
Maine	1,129,016	Kentucky	97,000
New Hampshire	1,448,933	Mississippi	169,000
New York	1,015,038	Louisiana	106,000
Pennsylvania	241,538	Georgia	2,669,227
Missouri	31,000	South Carolina	5,075,540
Oklahoma	5,000	North Carolina	5,247,027
Arkansas	13,000	Virginia	589,886
Michigan	37,000	Maryland	238,000
Texas	160,000	Not incl. New Jersey	14,191,680
Rhode Island	2,791,284	LIMITED TO 70 HOURS	
	6,871,809	Illinois	64,000
LIMITED TO 55 HOURS		NO LIMITATION IN	
Connecticut	1,392,562	Indiana	90,000
Wisconsin	2,000	Alabama	1,295,480
TOTAL COTTON SPINDLES IN THE UNITED STATES			36,725,000

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NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

Morrill Chosen Hospital Trustee
Arthur P. Morrill, speaker of the
House of 1917 and president of the
1919 Senate, has been elected a member
of the board of trustees of Mar-
garet Pillsbury Hospital, Concord, suc-
ceeding Willis D. Thompson, resigned.

Plans "Get Together" Session
The Democrats of New Hampshire
are planning on a "get together" ses-
sion on the anniversary of the birth
of Thomas Jefferson April 13, which
event they will celebrate with a ban-
quet.

Contents of Vaults Undamaged
The safe deposit vaults of the Indian
Head National Bank in the burned
Telegraph block, Nashua, have been
opened and were found in as good
condition as when the bank was closed
after business the day of the fire, with
no trace of fire or water damage.

Physician for Veterans' Bureau
Dr. Bertell L. Talbot, for the last
20 years a practicing physician at Mil-
ford, has been named assistant sur-
geon at the Manchester disabled vet-
erans' bureau. Dr. Talbot was a major
with the Yankee division and saw ac-
tive service at Chateau-Thierry.

To Give Oration at Monuments
Judge Charles R. Corning of Con-
cord has been selected as the orator
at the dedication of the Daniel Web-
ster highway monuments located at
the New Hampshire-Massachusetts
line, just below Nashua. The dedica-
tion will take place May 16.

**Radio Telegraphy to Be High School
Course**
Work of installing wireless appar-
atus in West Manchester high school,
now under construction has begun.
Wireless instruction will be made a
part of the course at the school after
its opening next fall, according to the
plans of the school committee.

April 27 Named for Fast Day
Thursday, April 27, was designated
as Fast Day in New Hampshire by the
Governor and council at a meeting
held at the State House.
At the same meeting Mott L. Bart-
lett was reappointed fish and game
commissioner. Mr. Bartlett has al-
ready served one term.

Elects Woman Highway Agent
One of the few women officers to be
chosen at annual town meetings is
Miss May Webster, who the voters
elected to the position of highway
agent for East Kingston. She was
given an extra appropriation amount-
ing to \$400 for road work during the
year.

Unknown Donor Gives \$1000
George G. Clark of Boston and Ply-
mouth is the legal intermediary for
an unknown donor of \$1000 to the
state of New Hampshire to be used
for any worthy purpose the Governor
and council selected. The gift has
been accepted and will be used for the
state hospital for the insane.

Men Falls in Ruins of Home
Charles Kelly, who was rescued by
firemen in a fire in the Avery block,
Laconia, returned to the building after
the fire out several hours later and
was severely injured when he fell
through a hole firemen had chipped
in an upper floor. Kelly said he
wished to see the ruins of his home.

Concord to Have New Building Code
Mayor Chamberlain of Concord an-
nounces the appointment of members
of the city government committee to
act with a committee of the chamber
of commerce in drafting a new build-
ing code for Concord.

**A revision of the code to provide
better safeguards from fires and to
strengthen the requirements in building
permits has been sought for several
years, but the changes were of such
radical nature the ordinances have al-
ways been turned down.**

Reappraisal of All Property in State
At an important meeting of the state
tax commission and 100 assessors and
town officials from all sections of Mer-
rimack county, in Concord, first of a
series of meetings proposed by the
state tax commission to instruct as-
sessors and town officials in the prop-
er methods of appraisal of the prop-
erty in the town of Claremont, made
by the selectmen with the assistance
of the commission, has increased the
valuation of the town of Claremont by
\$6,000,000.

This means, it was explained, that
on the basis that the present state ap-
portionment and the amount of money
to be raised in 1922 is the same as in
1921, the increase in valuation will
cause a decrease in the tax rate from
\$280 on \$100 to \$1.75 on \$100.
Notice was given out officially of a
general reappraisal of all property in

the state of New Hampshire.

Man Barred From U. S. is Granted Delay

A writ of habeas corpus has been
granted the family of John Saigh, or-
dered deported from the United States
because the quota of his native coun-
try, Syria, was filled before he came
here, giving him another lease of res-
idence in Manchester.

Mrs. Saigh, who has been ill for a
week, will be able to appear at the
hearing of the case, which has been
set for March 27 in the federal court,
Concord.

Stued for \$10,000 for Auto Death

J. L. Letourneau, contractor and
builder of Rochester, has been sued
for \$10,000 by the administrator of
the estate of George S. Dow of Salis-
bury, Mass., who received fatal in-
juries last November when a car driv-
ing by Letourneau is claimed to have
struck Dow at Salisbury.

Would Destroy All Unused Lumber Camps

Every abandoned lumber camp in
New Hampshire should be unroofed,
destroyed or moved away, State For-
ester J. H. Foster told more than 100
members of the New Hampshire Lum-
bermen's Association, gathered in Man-
chester. Lumber camps, used by hunt-
ers and hikers, are a constant fire men-
ace to the forests of the state, he said.

Concord to Laconia Road Under Ban

Taking as authority Chapter 32,
Laws of 1921, Frederick E. Everett,
commissioner of highways for the
state, has issued an order prohibiting
the passage of all motor vehicles of
over three tons weight and all
horse-drawn vehicles of over two tons
gross weight over the Daniel Webster
highway from Concord to Laconia
from 7 o'clock a. m., March 18, until
further notice.

Students Who Travel Will Receive Credits

Dartmouth students can spend the
coming summer traveling through Eu-
rope and at the same time get credit
in the college courses, according to an
announcement from the administration
offices. The trip has been arranged
by the intercollegiate tours manage-
ment of Boston and will be conducted
personally by Prof. E. R. Greene of the
Dartmouth department of romance
languages.

Grants Amoskeag 10 Years' tax Ex- emption

In reply to a proposition by the
Amoskeag Manufacturing Co. Merrimack
has voted to grant that corpora-
tion 10 years exemption of taxation
for proposed installation of a power
plant at Mooars Falls, on the Merrimack
river, the estimated cost of
which will be \$2,000,000. The town
grants exemption on the proviso that
the Amoskeag company builds the
power house and road leading thereto.

Strike of Stone Cutters Likely

The present outlook is for a strike
of the stone cutters in Concord and
other New Hampshire granite centers
April 1. The employers gave notice
last fall that there would be a 25 per
cent reduction from the present \$8 a
day wage when the present contract
expires April 1. The cutters declare
they will walk out if the decrease goes
into effect, and the manufacturers say
the wages must be reduced if they
are to get any business.

Warns Against Inexperienced Tree "Experts"

The state forestry department, in
notices which have been issued, warn
the people of the state against en-
gaging of inexperienced men to do
work on their trees.

Much damage has been caused about
the state by men who pose as fore-
sters and experienced workmen and
the department urges upon owners of trees
to be careful in engaging men to do
work for them.

Although many instances are called
to the attention of the department of
the work of inexperienced men, one of
the worst to come to the attention of
the department was one reported of a
Concord orchard which had been cared
for by alleged experts. Department
men made an examination of the orchard
and the damage done in the prun-

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ing was far greater, it is stated, than
if the trees in the orchard had not
been touched at all.

Urges Reciprocity by N. H. Urban and Rural Teachers

Some reciprocity measure whereby
the country teacher might gain help
from the city teacher and the younger
teachers from the older and vice versa
was a suggestion strongly recommend-
ed by Mrs. Alpha H. Harriman of the
State Board of Education in an ad-
dress before members of the Manches-
ter Teachers' Guild.

Mrs. Harriman told of the great
amount of good that had been ac-
complished by such a reciprocity idea
in the State Federation and other or-
ganizations and felt that in the ex-
change of plans, outlines, and all sorts
of equipment the country teacher would
benefit as her supplies were not nearly
as elaborate as those of her city sis-
ter and naturally the older teachers
could give from their experience to
the younger members of the profession.

On the other hand the speaker felt
that the same means would enable the
older teachers to get fresh inspira-
tion and reminded her audience that "God
made the country, man made the
town" and that flowers, greens, etc.,
sent in from the country with a mes-
sage inspired by natural surroundings,
would more than compensate a city
teacher for the effort expended to keep
in touch with a rural teacher.

Edson D. Sanborn of Fremont Dead

Edson Dana Sanborn of Fremont,
a graduate of New Hampshire State
college in the class of 1910, member
of the New Hampshire legislature and
prominent Mason, is dead from Bright's
disease.

Mr. Sanborn, known to all State col-
lege students as "Chuck," was a mem-
ber of the football team for four years
captaining the eleven during his junior
year. He also played on the base-
ball and basketball team, but did not win
his letter in these sports.

COREAN BOY MATURES EARLY

Youngster May Be Married at Age of
Seven, According to Custom
of the Country.

Any time after a Korean boy is seven
he may be married, and he is seldom
still unengaged at 12 or 14. At that
time he winds his pigtail—if he still
wears one in these crop-headed days—
into a topknot and swaggers a bit
in the presence of the unbrothered.
Formerly, if a Korean boy had any
schooling at all he squatted all day
on the schoolroom floor, learning to
read and write, but not to speak
Chinese, and he would have thought
himself well educated if he acquired
a vague knowledge of the maxims of
Confucius. He often felt content to
carry a "jiggy" or to drive a pack
pony or even to act as nurse to the
baby, while his older brother wrestled
with the Chinese classics. Under the
new regime the school hours are
still long and strenuous, but the boys
pursue a Japanese course of study
in Japanese. They probably would
vote their games more interesting than
any curriculum whatsoever. Their na-
tional sport is stone-fighting, which
they carry on during the first fifteen
days of the New Year. At the same
season they have sky tournaments, in
which they cut the string of one an-
other's kites and take the falling kites
as prizes.—Marietta Noff in Asia
Magazine.

Root's Cleverness.

A lawyer, who once opposed Ethu
Root in a breach-of-promise suit tells
this story: "My client, for all her
broken heart, was a very pretty and
vivacious girl. Root detected her—
and me—by ending his defense with
these words:
"Gentlemen of the jury, do you
really think that this charming young
lady's life is blighted or that her pros-
pects of getting married are preju-
diced in the least? I don't suppose
you do. There is not one of you
who would be averse to forming the
acquaintance of so delightful a per-
son. Why, look at her now—she is
actually smiling at me, but I must at
once inform her that I am not in the
matrimonial market!"—Boston Trans-
cript.

New York Turns to Concrete.

A reinforced concrete building six
teen stories high is to be built in the
leather district of New York city, just
below the Brooklyn bridge. This is a
record height for such a structure on
Manhattan island, where concrete has
been used sparingly and only for lofts
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4. I WANT TO SEE MR. METER ABOUT — HE'S BUSY JUST NOW — HAVE A CHAIR?

5. THERE'S MR. METER. I WANT TO — WELL, IT'S JUST ABOUT CLOSING TIME NOW. BETTER BRING IT IN TOMORROW.

6. DID YA EVER SEE SUCH A CRACKY OLD CREEP IN ALL YOUR LIFE? JUST LIKE THE PUBLIC — EXPECT YOU TO WORRY ALL HOURS JUST TO SUIT THEM.