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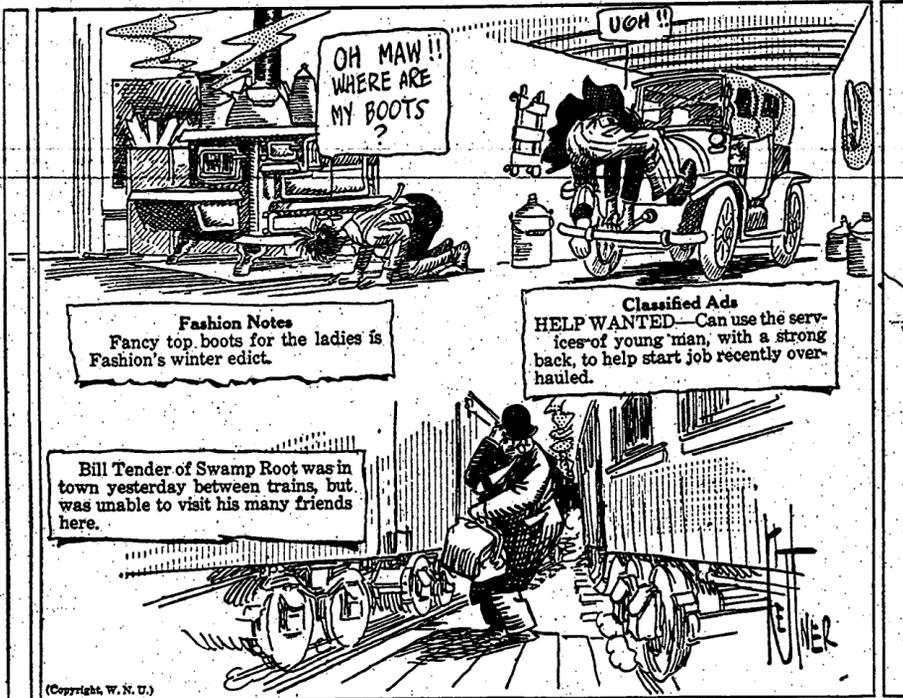
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Locals



Fashion Notes
Fancy top boots for the ladies is Fashion's winter edict.

Classified Ads
HELP WANTED—Can use the services of young man, with a strong back, to help start job recently overhauled.

Bill Tender of Swamp Root was in town yesterday between trains, but was unable to visit his many friends here.

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No Disrespect Allowed



SAY, MR. BLUPP, IS HER WIFE SICK? I AIN'T SEEN HER LATELY

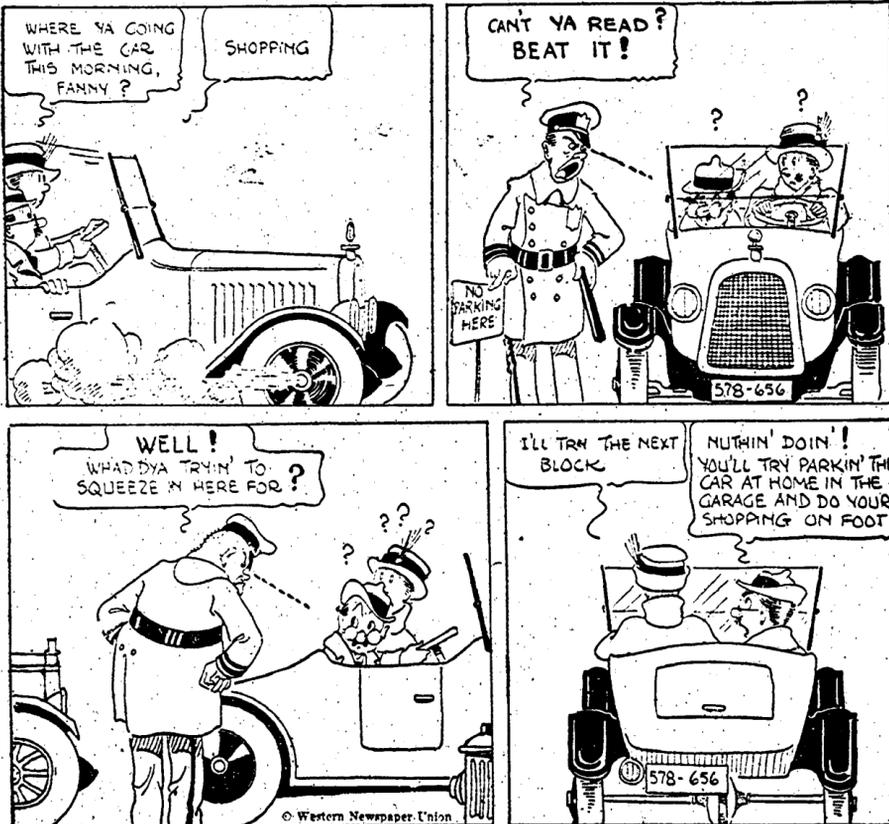
NOPE—SHE'S GONE ON HER VACATION

WHEN DO YOU GO ON YOURS?

I'M ON MINE NOW!

SOCK

Safest Place, Fanny



WHERE YA GOING WITH THE CAR THIS MORNING, FANNY?

SHOPPING

CANT YA READ? BEAT IT!

WELL! WHADDYA TRYIN' TO SQUEEZE IN HERE FOR?

I'LL TRY THE NEXT BLOCK

NUTHIN' DOIN'! YOU'LL TRY PARKIN' THE CAR AT HOME IN THE GARAGE AND DO YOUR SHOPPING ON FOOT

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

Suggests Slayton for Fuel Chief
The name of Hovey M. Slayton of Manchester, city coal administrator during the war, has been recommended to Gov. Fred H. Brown as a successor to the late Charles M. Floyd, who held the position at the time of his death, by Mayor George E. Trudel.

Consider Bond Taxation
Two debating teams have been selected to represent Dartmouth in the intercollegiate triangular debate with Columbia and Amherst, February 24. The subject for debate will be: "Resolved, That the Constitution of the United States Should be Amended to Permit the Taxing by the Federal Government of State and Municipal Bonds."

Drifts Stall Jurymen; Court Suspends
For the first time in the history of the superior court, it was necessary to suspend all activities owing to the failure of many members of the jury to reach the court house, Dover, following a storm last week, which rendered highways impassable for all vehicles. Judge Oliver W. Branch ordered all proceedings suspended until last Monday morning.

Offers \$50,000 to Start Memorial to Burroughs
An anonymous gift of \$50,000 to the Children's Aid and Protective Society of New Hampshire, to establish a permanent fund to be known as the Sherman E. Burroughs memorial in honor of the congressman, who died recently, is announced. The gift is contingent on the society raising an equal sum, which it will begin to do at once. Huntley M. Spaulding of Rochester has been named president of the organization to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Cong. Burroughs.

Abandons Circus in Barn at Whitefield
The Concord agent of S.P.C.A. has become manager without portfolio of a young circus which he discovered in a barn recently without an owner. There are 10 dogs, two monkeys, three ponies and a donkey. According to the agent, this remnant of an animal show which was found in a Whitefield barn, would hardly be recognized by the people who saw them perform last summer. A vigorous search has been started to find the owner, who is alleged to have fled with the returns of a successful summer business.

Spoke on Reforestation
Speaking at a meeting of the New England Waterworks Association in Boston Philip W. Ayres of the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests told of reforestation work in this state and its relation to the water supply. An encouraging sign of the times, he said, is the fact that water companies throughout New England and elsewhere have quite generally begun to plant their water sheds with forest trees. Touching on the present day timber situation, he said that, taking the country as a whole, timber is being consumed four and one-half times as fast as it is grown.

N. H. Legion Out to Win Cup for the Most Members

The New Hampshire department of the American Legion stands up in a recent list of membership percentages by states published by national headquarters. A silver cup is awarded annually by a past national commander to the state showing the greatest gain in membership for the year, and New Hampshire stands an excellent chance of winning it this year. The department of New Hampshire has already won first place once in this competition, and today she has a large percentage of ex-service men in the Legion than almost any other state. State headquarters has set the goal for this year at 7,500.

Joint Ownership of Bulls

Co-operative bull associations as a means of building up better dairy herds are advocated by the livestock committee of the New Hampshire College Extension service in a statement recently issued. The fact that most herds in this section include only 12 to 18 head of milking stock has tended to keep farmers from purchasing sires of sufficient merit. The bull association plan provides for the joint purchase and ownership of a number of sires by the dairymen in a community. The bulls are kept on the various farms for two years and then exchanged, so that all members have the advantage of new blood at much less cost than under the present system. This method of co-operative ownership of sires has shown lasting results in Denmark, where it originated, and its growth in the United States indicates increasing appreciation of its possibilities.

Bolton Found Free of Crime

County Solicitor Herbert W. Babine gave out this statement with reference to John W. Bolton, Jr., who recently wounded two attendants from the State Hospital when they entered his home at Canterbury:

"John W. Bolton, Jr., Tuesday afternoon, left the county jail, where he has been a voluntary prisoner for about two weeks. Careful investigation has convinced the county authorities that he is sane and has committed no crime."

COOPERATIVE GROUP FINDS COMMISSIONS IT CHARGES SMALL

Takes Steps to Create Reserve Fund—Triples Business Done During Months of 1922

That the New Hampshire Cooperative Marketing association has been attempting to perform a valuable marketing service for its members on too small a commission basis and at less than the actual expense required to handle this work was the message delivered to the members at the annual meeting in Manchester by General Manager James C. Farmer.

As a solution to this problem it was decided that after March 1, each shipper will be required to join by owning one or more shares of stock and three percent will be set aside from egg sales as a reserve fund bearing six percent interest.

The reserve fund will be a means of building up a capital for the association. The report of Mr. Farmer showed that the business of the association in 1922 totalled \$27,881.90, or nearly 200 percent over the previous year. In 1921 the association business amounted to but \$88,000. He reported however, that the bookkeeper's and treasurer's report shows that in spite of low operating costs, the business of the association was handled at a net loss for the year of \$1,533.19.

In his second annual report General Manager Farmer said in part: "An active campaign has been continued throughout the year in educating farmers to cooperative marketing principles as well as explaining in detail the policies of the association and in organizing them into marketing units. Sixty-five meetings have been attended by the manager for this purpose.

"From an organization standpoint as well as proving more central for the association's business, the moving of the headquarters from Concord to Manchester last March has proven especially advantageous.

"Cheaper transportation rates to Boston for the association's eggs was immediately secured, and the fact that we are located in the largest city in the state and that six different lines of railroad enter the city were other added advantages to our membership.

"The method of requiring members to enter into contractual relation with the association to market their products through it, on a yearly basis, has proven satisfactory, the association having at the close of the year 625 members under contract to market their eggs, wool, apples and potatoes. During the year, there has been only three parties who have made written requests to cancel their contracts.

The handling of eggs is the largest department of the association, and the rapid growth of this business can be immediately realized, when we consider that last January we were handling less than 100 cases of eggs per week, while at the close of the year in December, the total reached 484 cases per week, and the volume is steadily increasing. The quality and grade of the eggs handled is continuing to improve. Careful detailed figures for the month of December shows that of the 64,031 dozens of eggs handled, 87.7-10 percent were No. 1, grade."

Asks \$100,000 Heart Balm

Depositions in the \$100,000 alienation suit brought by Mrs. Laura Bradstreet, a Massachusetts woman, against Mrs. Sumner Wallace of Rochester, were taken at the probate courtroom in Dover, before F. Clyde Keefe, county solicitor-elect, as magistrate, Thursday. The case will be tried in the Bay State.

Tendency to Work Fewer Hours Daily

The speech delivered by Prof. H. W. Smith of the economics department at New Hampshire State college before the John Langdon club at Portsmouth, did not declare the professor certain that the 48-hour bill would pass this legislature. The speech which was misquoted traced the tendency of labor to shorter hours throughout the country.

"A study of the history of the labor legislation," Professor Smith said, "leads to a conclusion that the tendency, in labor legislation is clearly in the direction of reduced hours of employment and one might conclude from this tendency that in time a 48-hour law will probably be enacted not only in New Hampshire but in other industrial states as well.

"It is still a question as to whether the present New Hampshire legislature will see its way clear to pass this law and this may be said of other states."

The speaker made no prophecy whatever of whether the legislature would pass such a bill or whether it ought to. Furthermore, the speaker's attitude was unpartisan and was not confined to New Hampshire alone.

Suicide of Chief Boatwain's Mate

Chief Boatwain's Mate Harry Ullman, 29, of Worcester, Mass., spent the evening until 9:20 with his wife at their boarding house, Portsmouth. An hour after, when he went on night duty at the Navy Yard, he committed suicide. He shot himself through the head while he was standing in the tower room of the government tug, Ames Woolley, of which he had charge.

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CHAPTER XVI—Continued.

"There is a house of some kind over yonder in a hollow just beyond the ridge. We will have to stumble along through the dark. Do you think you can make it?"

"Of course, I can," and she placed her hand confidently in his. "I am all right now; really I am; I guess all I needed was to get my breath."

"Why, Natalie, your clothes seem to have all dried off already; mine are soaked through," he exclaimed in surprise.

"She laughed, a faint tinge of mockery in the sound. 'No mystery whatever. This light druff dries quickly, exposed to the air. Did you think you had hold of the wrong girl?'"

"The tone of her voice stung slightly, causing him to make a sober answer. 'That would, of course, be improbable, but I have been so completely deceived, even by daylight, that I dare not affirm that it would prove impossible. Your counterfeit is certainly a wizard.'

"She must be, but as she is miles away from here, you might let the suspicion rest. Is this where we go now?"

"She led the way, the action awakening no question in his mind. If he thought at all about her thus assuming the initiative, the suspicion was dismissed with the idea that probably her eyes were more keen to discover the best path. In this she was certainly successful, and he contented himself by following her closely, but vaguely he felt that in some almost imperceptible manner she had changed her mood. He could not base his thoughts on a single word, or action, yet he felt the difference—this was not the Natalie of the raft. She was too irritable; too sharp of speech. But then, no doubt, she was tired, worn out, her nerves broken. So he drove the thought from him, clinging close to her arm, and vaguely wondering how she was able to trace the path so easily. By this time even West could recognize that they were proceeding along a well-used path, and he was not surprised when she announced the presence of the house before them, pointing out the dim shadow through the gloom.

"That is no hut," he exclaimed in surprise. "It looks more like a mansion."

again, but how had the trick been accomplished? What devilish freak of luck had thus thrown them once more into the merciless hands of this ruffian? He even ventured to turn his head, and glance at the girl. She stood leaning back against the closed door as though on guard, her uncovered hair ruffled, a scornful, defiant look in her eyes, the smile on her lips revealing the gleam of white teeth. In spite of a wonderful resemblance, a mysterious counterfeit in both features and expression, West knew now this was not Natalie Coolidge. He had permitted himself to be tricked again by the jade; the smart of the wound angered him beyond control.

"You are not Miss Coolidge," he insisted hotly. "Then who are you?"

"She laughed, evidently enjoying the scene. 'Oh, so even Captain West has at last penetrated the disguise. No, I am not the lady you mention, if you must know.'

"Then who are you?" She glanced toward Hobart, as though questioning, and the man answered the look gruffly.

"Tell him if you want to, Del," he said, with an oath. "It will never do the guy any good. He's played his last hand in this game; he'll never get away from me again. Spit it out."

"All right," with a mocking curtsy. "I've got an idea I'd like to tell him; it is too good a joke to keep, and this fellow has certainly been an easy mark. Lord, but I could have had you making love to me, if I'd only have said the word—out there on the hills in the dark, hey! You sure are plumb nutty after this Natalie Coolidge."

"We talked about that, but the chance didn't look good. Everything showed the second child died; hospital records, doctor's certificate; there wasn't a link in the chain we could break."

"But who was the other witness—the living one?" "The nurse; she made the exchange of the dead baby for the living one. It was easily done, as the child was really sick."

straight at last. I saw then just what those two were driving at; first I didn't take no particular interest in the scheme; then I got to thinking until finally I hated that soft, downy thing; d—n her, she'd robbed me, and I had a right to my share even if I had to steal it."

"What soft, downy thing?" "Natalie Coolidge! Dah, I went out to see her once. Jim took me and we hid in the garden; and when I came back I was raving mad. Lord, why should that little idiot have everything while half the time I was hungry?"

"You mean you envied her?" "Envid, h—! Didn't I have a right? Wasn't she my twin sister? Didn't she have it all, and I nothing?"

"He gasped for breath at this sudden revelation. Then he laughed, convinced it could not be possible. 'Who told you that?' 'Why, don't you believe it? Has she never said a word about it to you?'"

"Certainly not. I am sure she possesses no knowledge of ever having had a sister. Moreover, I do not believe it is true. If you had proof of such relations, why didn't you go to her, and openly claim your share?"

"Go to her! me? Do you hear that Jim? Isn't he the cute little fixer? Why, of course, she knew it; there was nothing doing on the divide. It's all straight enough, only we couldn't prove it by law; anyhow that is what they told me—so we got at it from another direction."

"She seemed so convinced, so earnest in her statement that West in perplexity turned to glance at Hobart. 'Do you make this claim also?' he asked.

"What claim?" "That this girl is a twin sister to Natalie Coolidge? Why, it is preposterous."

"Is it? D—d if I think so. Now look here, West; I don't know just what the Coolidge girl has been told; maybe she never even heard she had a twin sister. If they ever told her that she had, then they must have told her also that the sister died in infancy. Anyhow, that's how it stands on the records. There were just two people who knew different—do you get me? One of them is dead, but one of them is still alive."

"Which one is dead?" "Perdival Coolidge; he knew too much and got gay; he planned to cop the whole hoodle. The fact is he started the whole scheme, soon as he learned who Del was, and planned it all out."

but neither face exhibited any regret; both were intoxicated by success; untroubled by any scruples of conscience. West felt the utter uselessness of an attempt to appeal to either. "Where is Natalie Coolidge?" he asked, his own determination hardening. "What do you propose doing with her?"

Hobart's teeth exhibited themselves in a sarcastic grin. "That is our business, but you can bet she'll not interfere."

"And a similar answer, I presume, will apply also to my case?" "It will. Don't make the mistake, West, of believing we are d—n fools. I don't know just why I've blowed all this to you, but it ain't going to help you any, you can be sure of that. In fact our knowing how the thing was worked is liable to make things a blame sight harder in your case. We won't do no more talking; so go on in through that door."

"The fellow's demeanor had entirely changed; he was no longer pretending to gentility, and his words were almost brutal. Apparently, all at once, it had dawned sharply upon him that they had made a mistake—had boasted far too freely. Any slip now, after what had been said, would wreck the ship. West faced him watchfully, fully aware of the desperate situation, instinctively feeling that this might be his last chance.

"In there, you say?" indicating the closed door. "Yes; move!"

He did; with one swift leap forward, the whole impetus of his body behind the blow, West drove his fist straight into the face confronting him. The fellow reeled, clutched feebly at the smooth wall for support, dropped helplessly forward, and fell headlong, with face hidden in outstretched arms. The assailant sprang back, and turned, in a mad determination to crash his way out through the locked door behind him, but as suddenly stopped startled by the vision of a leveled revolver pointed at his head.

"Not a move," the girl said icily. "Take one step, and I'll kill you."

Hobart lifted his head groggily, and pushed himself half-way up on his knees. "Don't shoot unless he makes you, Del," he ordered grimly. "We don't want that kind of row here."

He dragged himself painfully to the side door, and pressed it open. "Hey you!" he cried. "Come on out here. Now then, rough-house this guy!"

CHAPTER XVII

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The initiatory degree will be conferred by Waverley lodge, I.O.O.F., at their hall, on Saturday evening of this week.

There will be a Republican Caucus at town hall, Tuesday evening, Feb. 27, at 8 o'clock, for the nomination of town officers.

The Antrim Alumni girls defeated the Hancock High girls at basket ball in the town hall on Saturday evening last; score 19 to 10.

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The offering for the "Near East" taken in the Sunday School of the Presbyterian church last Sunday amounted to \$75.00.

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The pictures were advertised to begin this week Thursday evening at 8.30 o'clock, but now that the Washington Dinner has been postponed, the hour of beginning will be 8.15, as usual. The attraction this week will be "The Little Minister."

At the regular meeting of the Legion Auxiliary on Monday evening, it was voted to have the next whist party Feb. 27, at the Home on North Main street. Instead of charging a certain amount for admission, a silver collection will be taken.

Henry C. Hutchinson, who will be remembered by many as spending his summers with Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Colby, died at his home in Lowell, Mass., on Sunday, in his 88th year. He was a Civil war veteran; an uncle of Mr. Colby, who was in Lowell to attend the funeral.

Deputy Collector Fletcher will be engaged from February 15 to March 15, both dates inclusive, in assisting tax payers in the preparation of corporation, partnership, individual and fiduciary income tax returns. He will be in Antrim, at town hall, on Thursday, March 1.

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Mrs. George J. Appleton will spend a few weeks with relatives in Haverhill, Mass., and other places. Her son, Forrest, who has spent the past week at his home here, has returned to his work in Manchester.

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Postponement of Washington Birthday Dinner

The Ladies' Mission Circle have decided to postpone the Washington Birthday Dinner, scheduled for Thursday evening of this week. The entertainment of the moving picture "The Little Minister" will be held in the town hall, as usual.

The Woman's Club

The Antrim Woman's Club observed Children's Day on Tuesday afternoon, February 20. A Valentine party was given 37 children, in charge of Miss Sidie Lane and group. Games were played, valentines were presented by a "Special Mail Carrier," and favors given. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.
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LINCOLN

IT WOULD BE almost unpardonable to entirely pass the birthday of Abraham Lincoln without reflection and devotion. There has never been a time when we as a people needed more the influence of great characters, especially those that were under such adverse conditions as cause them to stand out with especial impressiveness.

There is no question that we become in some measure at least, like those we select as models. We cannot sit dovetailed at the feet of a great master without taking on more or less of his characteristics and being to some extent transformed into his likeness. The country needs today the re-creation of some of those noble souls and master minds that have given chief shape to America's life and institutions.

It is fitting that we spend a little time contemplating the spirit and genius of this America's preeminent character whose birthday we have just passed.

WHEN THE PRESIDENT OF DARTMOUTH recently announced his belief in "the aristocracy of brains," he made a timely classification. Altogether too much time and money has been spent in trying to make scholars out of boys and girls who are without capacity for scholarship and who have often been spoiled for any practical pursuit by encouraging them to attempt success through learning.

How tragic on the other hand is the life that with unusual genius lives itself out within the circumscribed limits that befalls some to whom the door of education is closed, but what solitary glory marks the life that breaks through the handicaps of poverty and illiteracy and by its genius sheds light upon the world out of its depth that surpasses the illumination of the world's greatest culture.

Such was the life of Lincoln, born not in a manger but a lowly cabin, working not as a carpenter, but as a rail splitter, coming not out of Nazareth, but out of quite as provincial a region, unknown for greatness if not for goodness. He continued his course a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief, he too, was at times despised and rejected of men, he trod the wine press alone, his brow often resembled One crowned with thorns, he bore the sins of men and died the just for the unjust.

So likewise he liveth and reigneth in the hearts of his countrymen and in the hearts of all true lovers of liberty around the world.

WE DO NOT BELITTLE CULTURE, it was never more needed than now; culture that makes democracy a safe order and gives promise of the future. We are getting much education today that is cultureless, that makes folks smart but fresh, forward and almost rude. We need real culture with reserve for initiative and power for emergencies, but not more of the training that corresponds to the rush and push that irritates and arouses the crude in others or crushes virtue in keeping with the madness of a commercially ambitious age.

We need leadership made through self-discipline that eradicates the meanness of nature and elevates to supremacy those fine, tender, kindly but mighty forces that make their way without harshness and jealousy to levels of power.

How significant the contrast of the public leadership of today with its narrow prejudices, its cheap personalities, its low and grovelling jealousies, its insulting manners, beside the nobleness and gentleness yet unflinching firmness of this leader of men whose greatness towers with the passing years.

WE ARE WRESTLING TODAY with more and bigger problems than ever before faced humanity. There seems to be everywhere a stubborn resistance to all our plans that causes nearly every effort toward world peace, national prosperity or community cooperation to chafe and grind and to be resultless. We are even sort of Coueizing ourselves into believing that we are getting somewhere even though it is but the force of desperation that makes us promise ourselves and have the audacity to promise the public, that the goal is in sight even though it is only the passing ghost of that for which men are struggling. This failure is due to the fact that we are not willing to read history as it is and learn that world peace and progress have ever been by inspiration and not by force.

There will not be abiding good fortune among men until we shall find a leadership in politics and in business that is not ridden by the impossible. The handicap of material objective and material organization, grinding on fruitlessly and producing nothing, getting nowhere, leaving behind it only the grit of its grinding with which in every additional attempt the irritation is greater, the results less and the goal farther away. Unfortunately to this material goal and process our leaders everywhere are committed, yielding at every turn more and more to its crude, cruel barbarous power.

It might be well if possible without utterly losing such good as we have attained, some fortunate misfortune should overtake us and our life be reduced to human simplicity that would make way for genius touched by the inspiration of loneliness such as brings prophets out of the wilderness to point the way of health and wholesome prosperity.

THE WORLD IS FAMISHING for moral leadership. Our own nation is a spectacle for ridicule in the insanity of its political representatives who sell themselves to the highest bidder, a new one every day, because they are blinded and bound by purely commercial objectives to which the nation is enslaved.

Oh for a Lincoln with untarnished soul, with hands unsoiled, with the vision of the seer, and the devotion of a savior touched with the feelings of our nation's infirmities, to speak as at Gettysburg with the inspiration of heaven upon him, and to lay his hands on our helpless life and bid this nation live again.

WENTWORTH STEWART.

Bennington.

Moving Pictures!

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Saturday, Feb. 24
Big Boy Williams
"Rounding Up The Law"
Last Chapter, 15
"Thunderbolt Jack"

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Mrs. Harold Earl is sick with the grippe.

Mrs. Claude Hudson is visiting her sister in Schenectady, N. Y.

Several new members have been initiated in the Grange recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sheldon entertained friends on Thursday evening last.

Victor Cossette is out again after a two weeks illness with the grippe.

Charlie Smith of Watertown, Mass. is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. F. French.

Word from the sojourners in Orlando, Florida, report the thermometer at 80 degrees in the shade.

Several families are having radio sets installed in their homes, costing from \$125.00 to \$300.00, it is stated.

Miss E. L. Lawrence and Mrs. Ruel Cram attended the funeral of George Appleton, in Antrim, last Thursday.

Mr. Abner Avery, who has lived for several years in Walden, N. Y., has returned and is working at the Goodell shop.

The Basket Ball game played here on the 13th, between the Milford team and the Bennington team, was won by Milford, 27 to 20.

Mrs. Joe Diamond, Jr., Mrs. Hart, and Miss Dorothy Hart returned from Lynn and Boston on Saturday last. Dorothy recently had her tonsils removed.

On Monday afternoon next, the 26th, a silver tea will be given at the home of Mrs. H. W. Wilson. All ladies are welcome. Time, 2 until 5 p.m. Tea will be served at 4 o'clock.

A man had in his pay envelope last week a portrait of Jackson, of Lincoln, of the White House, of the American Eagle, and two of George Washington. How much did his pay come to?

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunbar were in East Wear on the 8th and brought back the body of Mr. Dunbar's father, David Dunbar, for burial in Evergreen cemetery. He was 77 years of age.

At the Congregational church: Morning service at 10.45, subject: "Aspects of Christ." Sunday school at 12, with Intermediate C. E. at 6. Evening service at 7: "The Story of a Methodist Bishop."

The S. of V. Auxiliary met with

CHURCH NOTES

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METHODIST

Rev. Wm. Thompson, Pastor
Saturday, at 7 p. m., the Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held at the parsonage. Rev. T. Ross Hicks, District Superintendent, will be present. All the officers of the church are expected to be present and present their reports. Mr. Hicks will preach Sunday morning.

The Bible school will meet after the morning worship.

The week night prayer meeting will this week be held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Burnham.

BAPTIST

Rev. R. H. Tibbals, Pastor
Union service at 7, subject of the sermon: "Enduring Hardship."

Sunday morning, worship at 10.45, with sermon by the Pastor. Topic: "Witnessing at Home."

Bible School at 12 o'clock. Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30, at the parsonage. Topic: "Accepting the Call to Service."

PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. J. D. Cameron, D. D., Pastor

Morning worship at 10.45. Bible school at noon.

Christian Endeavor at 6 p.m.

Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7 at the home of Mr. H. E. Wilson. Bible study of John 8.

NORTH BRANCH

The home of W. D. Wheeler narrowly escaped destruction by fire recently, fire being discovered back of the sitting room stove, in the partition. Prompt work on both Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler's part checked the flames.

Mrs. Oscar Huot entertained a few friends on Feb. 12, her birthday. All reported a delightful time and wished her birthdays came oftener than once a year.

W. D. Wheeler and Harland Swett are the new victims this week of the popular, ? colds.

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FRANCESTOWN

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CLINTON VILLAGE

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Lawrence Holmes has moved his family back to Stoddard.

Frank Brooks has been sick for several days at the home of George Hildreth.

Mrs. Lawrence Black was unable to attend to her teaching duties part of last week because of illness.

Fred Whittemore lost one of his work horses Tuesday morning.

Charles Elwell has been under the care of a doctor for a few days.

Mrs. Margaret Slade and Jack Dalton, of Boston, are stopping at George Hildreth's for a few days.

Born in Manchester, February 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lathrop, a daughter, granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peasley.

Born, at Nashua hospital, Feb. 19, a son to Mr. and Mrs. J. Leon Brownell, of this village, and grandson to Oscar W. Brownell.

Miss E. L. Lawrence on Monday afternoon. An electrically prepared lunch was served, after which several of the members gave sketches from the lives of Lincoln and Washington. Mrs. H. W. Wilson sang a patriotic song and everybody helped to wind up the good time by singing "Yankee Doodle."

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Antrim Loses Good Citizen

The funeral of George J. Appleton took place Thursday, Feb. 15, at 1.30 p.m., from his late home on Concord street. Rev. J. D. Cameron, D. D., officiating. The suddenness of his death was a shock to the community when after but two days' illness the proper death, cut the thread of life. He had been in his usual health the preceding Saturday and at his post of duty. Sunday morning the illness appeared and he steadily grew worse through that day and Monday, when finally Tuesday morning at 4.30 he died. Mr. Appleton was born in Decatur, Feb. 17, 1855. At the age of five years he moved with his parents to East Antrim and for thirty years he remained on the farm. In 1900 he moved to Antrim when he entered the employ of the Goodell Co. and has held important positions; the last few years he has been head of the carver department. He is survived by his wife and son, Forest, who holds an important position with the B & M. railroad in Manchester. Antrim was deeply merged in gloom when his death was announced. Many of his friends saw him Saturday evening and could not realize the fact of his departure Tuesday morning when the knowledge of his death was made known. During the brief illness many expressions of regard were heard and also before his recovery uttered, and when the end came, the suddenness of the departure was almost lost sight of in the sense of the irreparable loss. His near neighbors who knew him intimately were well aware of his sterling qualities. He had a genial and attractive personality. His natural disposition was of that amiable kind that made companionship delightful. He was a man admired by his fellows and in his work, those under him have nothing but words of praise for him. His place in the community will be long remembered and nothing but pleasant memories abide with all who knew him. He was of a retiring nature, and his love for music, in which he was proficient, was in accordance with his make up. His name will be long held in loving remembrance and often recalled. All who knew him will be better for having known him. And truly applicable are the words of the poet Campbell: "To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die."

EAST ANTRIM

J. Wells Dow died at his home in West Deering last Saturday. He was a man of good standing in town, having held the offices of selectman and representative. He leaves a widow. He was the last remnant of the Appleton family in West Deering.

Edwin Carr, a veteran, is dead at Hillsboro. His father was born at the Andrew White place, in this part of Antrim.

Word was received last week by relatives of Otis Tuttle, of Fall River, Mass., of the death of his wife. Mrs. Tuttle had been an invalid for some time and was a patient sufferer. Friends and neighbors in Antrim extend sympathy.

George Adams, of Woburn, Mass., is stopping at E. G. Rokes' for the present.

Owing to traveling conditions and the prevailing colds, school did not keep all of last week.

Some one predicted last fall that there would be so little snow this winter that any one drawing wood would have to do it on a scow. We wonder what they think about it now. We don't know but what a scow would be the proper thing with this depth of snow.

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Administrator's Notice

The Subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Frank P. Ellinwood late of Antrim in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

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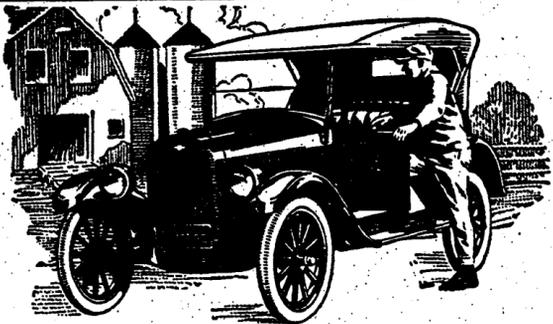


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Pianos for the Japanese.
The piano is becoming a part of the Japanese household equipment, as it has become the favorite instrument with the younger element as well as other instruments from the western countries. The koto, which is the national harp, and the samisen have not been entirely abandoned, but as the younger natives come along they are showing a marked preference for the imported musical instruments. This is of course making a revolution in the character of the Japanese music.

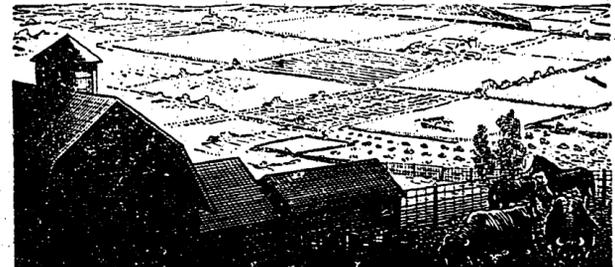
One goes on staying up late at night until the saving question propounds itself. What for?

Many a man who is willing to be a grafter lacks the chance.

The Real Situation.
Hobson—My wife says if I were to die she would remain a widow.
Dobson—Evidently she thinks there isn't another man like you in the world.
Hobson—On the contrary, she says she is afraid there is and that it might be her ill luck to get him.

New Textile Fiber Found.
A new textile fiber discovered by Sir Henry Weekham, a pioneer of the plantation rubber industry, is claimed to possess qualities unsurpassed by any other textile, being as strong as steel, bulk for bulk.

Through the Keyhole.
"I call my new maid 'The Wireless Wonder.'" "Why?" "Because she's always 'listening-in'!"—London Mail.



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If your hard work and investments are not giving you the return they should—if high land prices and high rentals are blocking your road to Success—if you are beginning to see how hard it is to compete with low-priced lands that are equally fertile, you owe it to yourself and your family to get the facts about farm opportunities in Canada. Lower-priced land—lower overhead—lower taxes and operating costs—may be the solution of your problem.

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The opportunity that fits your particular financial and family needs awaits you in Canada, and the Canadian Government Agent will help you find it. Land of great and continuous fertility. (Western Canada's wheat crop in 1922 was the largest in history), land suitable for stock-raising, dairying, mixed farming, fodder crops, market gardening, to suit your experience and your pocketbook. Land that will pay for itself in a few years' crops; hundreds of Canadian farms have produced crops in one year worth more than the price of the land.

Rent if You Prefer—Pay Out of Profits

The Canadian Government has devised a means by which you can "try out" a farm for a year or two before investing, and at the same time increase your capital. The day when you are ready to buy a farm of your own. Many Canadian land owners are willing to rent a portion of their holdings; others

are already retiring and will rent on easy terms. In some cases giving an option of purchase. If you have a farm outfit, or the means of buying it, even if your other capital is small, this is your chance to try out the country for yourself. Seeing is believing. See for yourself. A year or two on a rented farm may be the road to success. If you have present holdings which you cannot sell to advantage, hold them another year or two, conditions may improve, but start in Canada at once. Lands are being taken up; nothing is gained by delay.

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Tennis on ice is getting to be one of the popular winter sports of Chicago, and spectators who have witnessed some of the games claim that it is full of thrills (and falls). Jack Davies is seen in action in a game at the Indian Hill club, near Chicago.

INTERESTING SPORT NOTES

Wesleyan (Conn.) college has added golf to its minor sports activities.

"Tommy" Thompson, captain of the Princeton track team, conducts a thriving peanut stand.

F. A. Potts, Jr., of New York city has been elected captain of the Yale freshmen hockey team.

All New York bouts ending in fouls must be refought at the same club before the boxers can get any money.

August Belmont, president, and all his fellow officers were re-elected by the Jockey club at its annual meeting.

In Roland Todd, a middleweight, English boxing followers believe they have a promising battler.

The New Haven Eastern league club has sold Sterling Stryker, pitcher, and Marty Shay, shortstop, to the Worcester club.

According to reports to hand from Vienna, Akiba Rubinstein won the international chess masters' tournament recently concluded.

Yancy ("Doc") Ayres, right-handed pitcher with the Toledo club of the American association last season, has been sent to Minneapolis.

Pitcher Floyd Wheeler goes back to the Wichita Falls club of the Texas league as an outright purchase, the Pittsburgh club having had him out on option two years previous.

The Bridgeport club of the Eastern league has closed negotiations for the purchase of F. Fisher, a catcher, from the Toronto International League club.

Billiards is among the most popular games in Mexico. Notwithstanding the loss of his right arm on the battlefield of Caluya, President Obregon is a good player.

Fitch horseshoes and keep appendicite away, is the advice of an eighty-two-year-old expert at that well-known outdoor sport. Another way is to hire a surgeon.

Gotham's "Flying Cop."



Bob McAllister, New York's "flying cop," dashed into the limelight again in Madison Square Garden, when he equaled the world's record of 0:06 2-5 for 60 yards, established in 1882. McAllister, a detective on New York's police force, holds the national 100-yard sprint championship.

Two Skating Stars.



Mr. H. M. Potter and Miss Hattie Dose were returned winners in the events in which they competed in the Middle Atlantic championship races, Potter winning the one-half mile race for men, and Miss Dose capturing the championship event for women.

TERRY TO PLAY FIRST BASE

Pitcher Will Succeed Big Ed Konetchy as Guardian of Initial Sack for Mud Hens.

Terry, a pitcher, will play first base this season for Toledo, it is said, succeeding big Ed Konetchy. Made-over pitchers have been very successful in baseball. Mike Donlin entered the National league as a pitcher and became one of the greatest of the outfielders, batting being his chief asset. Bobby Wallace, one of the game's greatest shortstops, was a made-over pitcher. Fingers who have gone to the outfield and made good are legion. Certainly none has forgotten that Babe Ruth for several years was one of the best pitchers in the American league. Reb Russell, famous as a boxman years ago, is burning up as a slugging outfielder for the Pirates.

SIGN ANOTHER ALABAMA BOY

Columbus of American Association Gets Lewis (Red) Hall, Star Player at Third Base.

The University of Alabama, famous for its baseball products, is sending up another one of its stars, but he will stop in AA company on his way. Lewis (Red) Hall, third baseman of the Columbus association club. This won't be Hall's first tryout as a professional, however, for after leaving school last June he played with the Rocky Mount team of the Virginia league, and his name appears on the reserve list of that club.

Biggest Grid "Boner"

What's the biggest boner in football this season? That title goes to Dickinson of Rutgers college. In a game with University of West Virginia, Dickinson, after recovering a fumble, lost his sense of direction and started for his opponents' goals. Then to cap the climax, Sexton and Howard of the West Virginia team, completed the prize "boner" by tackling him instead of permitting him to go on his way.

Determination Wins.
Discouragements must and will come. Illness, accident, the ingratitude of friends—all lives and troubles of much the same sort. But when there is a made-up mind about the destination the life will go on despite the troubles, and time, which is a wonderful softener and mellow, will in the end rob the worst of their sting and make the little irritating ones seem as nothing at all.—John Blake in the Chicago Daily Tribune.

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An Accident.
Wife—"Oh, dear! I burnt my cheek with the curling iron." Hubby—"I thought I smelled burning paint!"

It's always a case of the survival of the fittest. Are you fit?

Speaking in Tons.
Billy was eight and good at figures. He had learned the number of ounces in a pound, and pounds in a ton, among other things, and one day he began quizzing his mother about the distances from Indiana to California and to Florida. She said it was about 3,000 miles to California and 2,000 miles to Florida. Wishing to see whether he knew the distance between the two states she asked him, and his reply was "a half a ton."

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NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGISLATURE

Late trains and illness among members of the house were responsible for a meagre attendance when Speaker Abern rapped to order at the opening of the sixth full week of the legislative session. After the usual routine of opening a perfect flood of petitions was received protesting against any change in our Sunday laws. These were tabled to be printed and referred to the committee on revision of the statutes.

The senate asked the concurrence of the house in the passage of S. B. 17 referring to a state agent for the blind. It also concurred with the house in the passage of a bill relating to wills.

There was a burst of oratory when the resolution of Representative Fernald of Dover came up, which asked for an opinion by the supreme court as to the legality of calling the constitutional convention. Mr. Fernald called for the yeas and nays, but subsequently withdrew his request. Upon a division six members voted in favor of the resolution and the matter was quietly laid at rest.

To the surprise of a good many, who anticipated a divided report on the labor committee on the 48 hour bill, it was announced that the committee would make a unanimous report Wednesday morning.

The house was late in starting Wednesday morning, and it was 11.30 before the speaker rapped to order. Another big batch of petitions against any change in our Sunday laws came in and they were referred as the previous ones had been.

The report of the committee on the 48 hour law was read and the first real battle of the session was on. Various amendments were proposed, but with two exceptions these were quickly disposed of. The first amendment to meet with favor was by Mr. Aiken of Franklin and allows mills working only five days a week, by agreement with employees, to work 48 hours during that time instead of only eight hours a day. Another amendment which was accepted makes the date of the act effective in sixty days after its passage instead of thirty as provided in the bill. After the various amendments had been disposed of the real debate on the bill began and was participated in by many of the members. As a rule the speeches were moderate in tone, but occasionally some one stirred up the animals, and occasionally an apology was in evidence for some statement made. Mr. Barry of Nashua, author of the bill, Mr. Stevens of Landaff, Mr. Craig of the labor committee, and various other Democrats spoke earnestly in favor of the bill. Mr. Bass of Peterboro, Republican, also spoke for the bill. The opposition to the measure was led by Mr. Lyford of Concord, Mr. Price of Lisbon and various other Republicans. Mr. Rudd of Franconia got in a dig at the labor committee for its unanimous report. He said: "The committee is unanimous for the bill. Evidently the committee sat on the bill for three weeks and every egg hatched. On the final roll call 28 Republicans voted for the bill and 13 Democrats against it, all but 26 members voting. The bill passed the house by a majority of 65. It now goes to the senate and will be considered by that body the following week.

The report of the labor committee on the bill comprised more than 70 pages, and their findings were in brief: Welfare of women and children will be improved by a shorter work week. States which have already adopted the 48 hour law have enjoyed the greatest industrial development. Notwithstanding Southern competition in the textile industry New Hampshire mills have been very profitable to the owners.

The proposed law will not affect agriculture.

Although the proposed law will decrease output and increase operating costs, Northern mills will continue to be able to meet Southern competition.

These bills have been passed by the house among others of less importance: Authorizing licensing public utilities to exercise rights on public lands; to authorize the discontinuance of state highways; relating to the purchase of legislative supplies.

While the house was passing the labor bill the senate was not idle and passed a bill repealing the direct primary and restoring the caucus and convention system for political nominations. The vote was 12 to 10, two Democrats joining the majority in voting for the bill and four Republicans opposing it. The direct primary has been in force for 14 years, and though there have been efforts to repeal the law this is the first time that either branch of the legislature has favorably considered such a move.

It is generally conceded that the senate will kill the 48 hour bill, and that the house will kill the repeal of the direct primary. This will mean that both issues will appear in the next state election, when not only state officers but a United States senator will be elected.

In a message to the Maine legislature Gov. Baxter suggested that a resolution be passed authorizing the chief executive to return to the southern states the battle flags captured by Maine troops from the Confederates during the civil war.

LIFE'S LITTLE JESTS



GILT-EDGED MODESTY

The hard-bolled captain of industry to whom a friend was introducing a young man just out of college and seeking a job:

"He is a fine, modest young man," said the friend.

"Modest?" snorted the big man. "What in thunder has he ever done to become modest about?"—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Deep-Seated Grudge.

"You refer to the prosperous looking person as a 'coal-baron'."

"Quite so," replied the disgruntled proprietor of a little fuel business.

"But he's not a real nobleman?"

"Certainly not. And since I've been dealing with him I've found out that he's not even one of nature's noblemen."

Insult to Injury.

Fair One—Officer, arrest this man. He has been trying to flirt with me.

Mere Man—What! Her! Why officer I wouldn't flirt with her for a million dollars.

Fair One—Now, officer, you simply must arrest this man. He has insulted me.—American Legion Weekly.

CAUSE FOR SORROW



Snake—Why so sad?
 Zebra—I'm sick of looking like a jail bird, that's why.

Can't Be Done.

Your face may be your fortune, miss But effort is misplaced In trying to increase your wealth. By being double-faced.

Business in Politics.

"A man can't use money in politics any more."

"I'm glad of it," said Senator Sorghum. "If things had kept on the way they once started, the candidates would have been lining up at the primaries with 'shop early' slogans."—Washington Star.

Secret Diplomacy.

Her Chim—However did you make your husband give you that lovely all-season trip?

Mrs. Wyse-Guy—Don't tell a soul. I had mother write and ask when it would be convenient for her and father and my two sisters to come and make us a nice, long visit.

Behind the Times.

Clancy—What would you do if I kissed you?

Nancy—How do I know? You know very well that I haven't been to the movies lately.

Overpaid.

"Tennyson J. Daft receives a good deal more money for his poetry than he deserves," stated old Festus Pester. "How much does he get?" we asked. "I haven't the slightest idea."

SURE THING



"Do you consider thirteen at table unlucky?"

"Yes, with food at present prices."

Of Course Not.

It's really not consistent. As any one can see. When a fellow's living in "A Flat" To snore in loud "High C."

Nothing Lacking.

"So you've started to shave yourself, eh? Don't you miss the barber's chatter?"

"Not at all. You see, I set my phonograph going during the process."

Another Fine Point Settled.

"Speaking of the sultan," said Professor Pate, "I really don't perceive that desertion of a great many wives is any worse than the desertion of one."

"It isn't worse," replied J. Fuller Gloom. "It's better."

Frightened by Shadows.

"Cheer up, old man," said the optimist. "Things aren't as bad as they seem."

"No, but they seem so," groaned the pessimist.

WOULD NOT TRADE FOR \$10,000 CASH

Benefits From Tanlac in Ending His Stomach and Rheumatic Troubles, Priceless, States Tucker.

"I wouldn't take \$10,000 for the good Tanlac has done me," declared W. E. Tucker, 1120 North 28th St., Richmond, Va., a boxmaker for the Allegheny Box Co., recently.

"I thought I would have to give up the job I had been on seventeen years, but Tanlac has built me up eighteen pounds, and I never felt better in my life."

"I was so weak and run down and had lost so much weight and strength I just felt broken down all the time. I got up mornings awfully nervous, with no appetite, feeling like I hadn't slept a wink, and while on the job my nerves were so unstrung that the noise in the factory just tortured me. My liver wasn't acting right, and I suffered so much from rheumatism I could hardly use my arms."

"But Tanlac has made a clean sweep of my troubles, and now, with plenty of strength and energy, I am working and feeling fine."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Over 35 million bottles sold.—Advertisement.

AT LEAST THEY WERE MATES

Small Boy Had Changed His Shoes, as Directed, Though With Little Better Results.

The favorite son was going to church with his mother and older brother when the discovery was suddenly made that he had on one of his own shoes and one of a pair belonging to his brother. His mother impressed upon him the fact that he ought to have been more careful; that he should wear his own things, and should refrain from using those of another.

The favorite son agreed to all this and returned meekly to the house. Mother and brother waited for him to change his shoes. In a few minutes he was back with mates. The walk to church was resumed and the destination reached just as the service started.

Mother and the two boys took a seat well forward, the minister was making some announcements, and the church seemed particularly quiet. Suddenly came a loud whisper from the favorite son.

"Gosh!" he said, "I got both of Bob's shoes on now. I changed the wrong one."

Question of Whose Time.

Dr. C. F. Curtis, of Iowa State college, tells the following:

One day a tourist driving through a rural district saw a country boy leisurely "herding" one pig.

"My boy," he asked, "aren't you spending a lot of time in herding that one pig?"

"Naw, his time ain't worth much," the boy drawled.

The Eternal Cause.

"What is the matter, little girl?"

"Two boys were fightin' and I got struck with a stone."

"That's it; the innocent bystander always gets hurt."

"But I don't know as I was an innocent bystander. I was what they was fightin' about!"

Bees Have Hip Pockets.

In the bee's legs are pockets for holding pollen, each pocket being closed by rows of bristles which interlock in the most wonderful manner, so preventing the pollen from falling out.

One fool can always find another fool to admire him.

DYED HER BABY'S COAT, A SKIRT AND CURTAINS WITH "DIAMOND DYES"

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint her old, worn, faded things new. Even if she has never dyed before, she can put a new, rich color into shabby skirts, dresses, waists, coats, stockings, sweaters, coverings, draperies, hangings, everything. Buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is guaranteed. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never streak, spot, fade or run.—Advertisement.

Practical Wish.

Mary Louise attended grandpa's birthday dinner. When the candles were lighted on the cake every one made a wish for grandpa.

When it came Mary Louise's turn mother said, "And what is your wish, dear?"

"Well, I wish he'd cut the cake," was the answer.

Can Make It Talk-Cents. Dix—"They say that money talks; can you make it?" Dix—"Sure! I can make every penny count."

The sweetest slumber is the kind interrupted by the alarm clock.

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Stop COUGHS and SORES

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ESTABLISHED 1878 REFUSE SUBSTITUTES

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EYES SORE? Dr. Isaac Thompson's EYE WATER
 A reliable and speedy remedy since 1786. Buy at your druggist's or John A. Thompson & Co., 16 River Street, Troy, N. Y. BOTTLES FREE

Keep the Children Well!

During these days many children are complaining of headache, feverishness, stomach troubles, and irregular bowels. If mothers only knew what

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS for CHILDREN

Will do for children no family would ever be without them. These powders are so easy and pleasant to take and so effective in their action that for over 30 years mothers have used them and told others about them. Sold by Druggists everywhere.

Do Not Accept Any Substitute for **MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS.**



MADE COURTROOM OF SALOON 'UPSTAIRS' HAD TWO APPEALS

Innumerable Good Stories of Character Once Well Known Throughout Western Texas.

But of Course the First One Was the Stronger in Little Elizabeth's Heart.

Roy Bean was the greatest joke (and one of the greatest tragedies at times) that western Texas had ever known. He was a saloon man. And he "held court" in his saloon and "court" sessions were opened and adjourned at least 20 times each day.

It was not considered "good form" to pull a gun in "Roy Bean's place." For instance: A tourist from the East stepped off the train one day, went into "Bean's Place" and ordered a bottle of beer (ordinarily cost 50 cents) and laid a \$20 gold-piece on the bar to pay for it. Bean politely pocketed the \$20 and when the stranger asked for his "change" and, on being denied, started an argument, oh boy! Roy Bean declared, "court" in session" and fined the man \$19.50 for disturbing the peace.—Adventure Magazine.

Birth of Revolutions.

Great revolutions are the work rather of principles than of bayonets, and are achieved first in the moral, and afterward in the material sphere.—Mazzini.

Never judge the keenness of a woman's intellect by the sharpness of her tongue.

Although but four years old, Elizabeth, a minister's daughter, had not been considered too young for careful instruction in spiritual matters and though yet "of the earth earthy," fully appreciated the interest of her parents in her spiritual growth.

One day she was called downstairs from an absorbing morning with her toys by her mother, who insisted that she should not go back until little brother had finished his nap.

"But, mother, may I go and get just one doll?"

"Yes, if you can get it quietly."

A few minutes intermission, the doll is procured and Elizabeth rushes into her mother's arms smiling radiantly.

"Mother," she says, "every time I go upstairs the Lord comes into my heart."

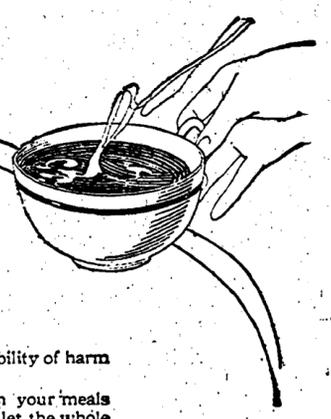
With husky voice and moist eyes the mother clasps her child in her arms.

"Now, mother," said Elizabeth, "may I go upstairs and play?"—Judge.

The city worker may get more money than the farm-hand, but he also spends more.

No doubt his satanic majesty grins his teeth when he meets a man who loves his neighbor as himself.

Has your mealtime drink said "Pay up!"



A GOOD many people have had free from any possibility of harm to health.

Try Postum with your meals for a few days and let the whole family, the children included, share in its appetizing, invigorating goodness. It will bring better nights and brighter mornings.

Your grocer sells Postum in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages) for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared; made by boiling fully twenty minutes.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
HILLSBOROUGH, SS.
Court of Probate
To the heirs at law of the estate
of Lewis A. Knight late of Bennington
in said County, deceased, intestate,
and to all others interested therein:
Whereas Fred A. Knight 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
Peterborough in said County on the
2nd day of March next, to show
cause, if any you have, why the same
should not be allowed.
Said administrator is ordered to
serve this citation by causing the
same to be published once each
week for three successive weeks in
the Antrim Reporter a newspaper
printed at Antrim in said County,
the last publication to be at least
seven days before said Court.
Given at Nashua in said County,
this 6th day of February A. D. 1923
By order of the Court,
E. J. COPP, Register.

111
cigarettes
TURKISH VIRGINIA BURLLEY

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for
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ACCOMMODATION!
To and From Antrim
Railroad Station.

Trains leave Antrim Depot as follows.
Going South Trains leave for
7:02 a. m. Elmwood and Boston
10:31 a. m. Peterboro
1:50 p. m. Winchendon, Worcester, Boston
4:10 p. m. Winchendon and Keegan
Going North Trains leave for
7:30 a. m. Concord and Boston
12:20 p. m. Hillsboro
3:38 p. m. Concord
6:57 p. m. Hillsboro
Sunday Trains
South 6:27 a. m. For Peterboro
6:40 a. m. Elmwood
North 11:57 a. m. Concord, Boston
4:49 p. m. Hillsboro
Stage leaves Express Office 15 minutes
earlier than departure of train.
Stage will call for passengers if work
is left at Express Office, Jameson B'wood.
Passengers for the early morning train
should leave word at Express Office the
night before.

ABENAGUE ENGINE COMPANY
Marlboro, N. H.

Has For Sale, All Abenague Parts,
Also, New and Rebuilt Engines.
1 New 18 in. "White" Wood Planer,
price \$175.00
1 Second-hand 18 in. x 9 ft. Plain
Engine Lathe, \$60.00
1 15 in. x 8 ft. Screw Cutting Lathe,
\$200.00
1 Cowan Transveyer or Shop Truck,
\$50.00

FORECLOSURE SALE

By virtue of the authority given the
undersigned in a certain mortgage
from Mabel G. Parker to the Keene
National Bank, dated March 29, 1919,
and recorded in Vol. 765, Page 221,
of the Hillsborough County Registry
of Deeds, the undersigned will sell for
conditions broken at public auction the
following described property:

A certain tract of land with the
buildings thereon situated in Antrim
in the County of Hillsborough and
State of New Hampshire, near what
has been known as the Jameson Sugar
Orchard and bounded and described as
follows: Beginning at the southwest
corner of the premises at land formerly
of N. W. C. Jameson; thence northerly
by said Jameson land, to said
Jameson's northeast corner; thence
westerly by land formerly of said
Jameson to a staple and stone; thence
northerly by land formerly of J. W.
Duncan, seventeen and three-fourths
(17 3/4) to a staple and stone; thence
easterly by said Duncan land and land
of Melvin D. Poor at a stake and
stones; thence southerly by land of
said Poor and land of Alvah Dodge to
land formerly of said N. W. C. Jameson;
thence westerly by said Jameson
land to bound first mentioned. Reserving
to said Town of Antrim all rights in
and to a highway on the south side
of said lot.

Said mortgage is subject to a prior
mortgage held by W. E. Cram for
\$825 with interest costs and expenses.
The auction will take place on the
steps of the Town Hall, in said Antrim,
at 9:30 a. m., on March 13,
1923
The amount due on said mortgage
is Fifteen Hundred Dollars, with in-
terest from March 29, 1919, and ex-
penses and costs.
KEENE NATIONAL BANK.

Antrim Has New Postmaster

After the necessary exami-
nations and ratings by the U.
S. civil service board at Wash-
ington, Miss Alice R. Thomp-
son stood highest. She has been
recommended to President
Hailing by Congressman Wason
and the Senate has con-
firmed the appointment; also
she has received her official ap-
pointment duly signed by the
President. Miss Thompson is
now a full fledged postmaster,
and the first woman to receive
such an appointment in An-
trim. She has served four and
a half years as assistant post-
master, nearly three months as
acting postmaster, and is fully
qualified and eminently able to
perform the duties of the office
to the satisfaction of all pa-
trons. She is entitled to the
congratulations she is receiv-
ing from her many friends.

The Reporter had thought
for some time that it should
state how it felt concerning the
appointment of a woman as
postmaster at a third class of-
fice, but so many of this sex are
being selected for similar posi-
tions that it seems hardly nec-
essary. The department is per-
fectly in accord with the idea
and holds out every means of
assistance to them. From all
accounts they make courteous
and painstaking officials and in
every case that has been called
to our attention there is nothing
but praise and approval.
So far as the work of the office
being too hard for a woman to
perform, there is little or no
argument. Most positions of
trust have more or less confine-
ment attached to them, as does
this particular one; but it is a
most interesting and instructive
position, and to the one who
likes her work and enjoys meet-
ing the people, and has a cour-
teous and affable manner, it
is a most pleasing as well as
a lucrative position.

It might be well to add here
that every patron of the office
owes it to the postmaster and
her assistant to assist them in
every way possible, and make
it just as easy for them to per-
form their duty on your behalf
and to the department as possi-
ble. Make their apparent bur-
den just as light as you possi-
bly can; and in helping them
you help yourself at the same
time. Just watch and see how
nicely this mutual assistance
to each other will work out.

EAST ANTRIM

In a recent issue G. A. Cochran,
Esq., refers to the snow
storm of 1888. Mrs. Warren
Wheeler tells us that she well
remembers the storm, her fa-
ther having been taken sick
during this storm, and as soon
as the roads were opened a doc-
tor was sent for, which was
Dr. Christie, and he told when
he arrived there that he could
not reach the top of the drifts
while standing up in the
sleigh, on Sand hill. This may
seem like some story, but true
nevertheless, and one had to
go after the doctor in those
days for we had no telephones
here at that early date.

Mrs. Alfred Winchell and
children, of Milford, Mass., are
stopping for a season at G. A.
Cochran's.

Miss Bertha Myers gradu-
ated from Elliot hospital, Man-
chester, on Feb. 13th.

Mrs. M. S. French and Mal-
colm, Jr., also Warren Coombs
are recovering from attacks of
the prevailing distemper.

Bank books should be sent
to the Hillsboro Savings Bank
this month for verification,
and everyone having savings

WOMAN ROUTED SIX INDIANS

Single-Handed, Mrs. Merrill Slew Red-
skins With an Ax, Only One
Escaping.

During the summer of 1877, Mr.
Merrill's cabin in Nelson county, Ky.,
was attacked by seven wandering In-
dians, writes Lewis Appleton Barker in
Adventure Magazine. The barking of
the watchdog at midnight was the
family's first knowledge of the ap-
proach of any one, and, unfortunately,
Mr. Merrill, opening the door to learn
what was afoot, had his thigh and arm
immediately broken by rifle fire, thus
placing him at the very beginning hors
de combat. As he fell he cried out to
his wife to close the door. Mrs. Mer-
rill, the equal of any man in both
strength and courage, seized the ax
and dropped the bar of the door, just
as several Indians appeared in view.
It was not long however, before they
had effected a breach and were half
way into the little room. With only
the ax as a weapon this Amazonian
woman killed or seriously wounded
four of her assailants.

The other three, ascending to the
roof, made an effort to make an en-
trance by means of the great chimney.
Undaunted, the lone defender, with
four savages wallowing in their blood
at her feet, seized her choicest pos-
session, a feather bed, and ripping it open
threw it upon the fire, making a blind-
ing smoke, in which two of the re-
maining fiends dropped to the hearth
nearly insensible. It was but the work
of a moment to dispatch these two as
she had the others.

One would have thought that this
would have been enough for the sole
survivor, but apparently he, too, was
not devoid of courage. For scarcely
had she succeeded in ridding herself of
those who had come down the chimney
than her attention was called to the
last one who was even then hurling
himself over the threshold of the
broken door. There was not even
time to raise her weapon for a good
blow, but just as it was in her hands,
she drew the keen edge of the zory
ax across the cheek of the intruder,
inflicting a deep gash.

Apparently this was too much even
for him, and with one terrific yell he
made for the forest.

Horace Greeley's Barn.

During the illness that resulted in
his death, in 1872, Horace Greeley ex-
pressed a wish in talking with his
daughter, that after he was gone and
forgotten, his old barn would still be
serving a useful purpose. Although
the famous editor has been dead for
half a century, his wish has been made
a reality, and his daughter and her
husband are living today in the house
into which they transformed the old
concrete barn.

Some years after the death of Gree-
ley, fire destroyed all the frame build-
ings on the estate, and the family
sought refuge in the old barn as an
emergency home. Later, with the as-
sistance of an architect, the old barn
was remodeled into a comfortable and
modern dwelling. The corners and
part of the foundations are of recent
masonry construction, and the chim-
neys and trimmings of brick have been
added. The new residence is described
in Popular Mechanics.

In this bank should attend to
this matter at once. Read ad-
vertisement on first page of
this paper.

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GARDEN
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WILL BE YOUR GUIDE TO
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It tells in its 224 pages how to grow
the best Vegetables and Flowers
and offers everything needed for
the Garden, Greenhouse, Lawn
and Farm, including Vegetable
and Farm Seeds, Roses, Dahlias,
Hardy Perennials and other
Plants, Garden Implements,
Lawn Mowers, Lawn Rollers,
Fertilizers, Insecticides, etc. You
will need this book of reference
many times during the season for
gardening.
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hero is a fit partner for her; and they do become partners
in one of the funniest adventures you ever heard about—
thrilling, too! Innocently they get mixed up in a burglary
which draws not only the local police of an English town,
but the detective brains of the celebrated Scotland Yard
upon their trail. And the girl's father was a bishop; think
of the disgrace if she were caught!

Not a crime story at all, but the story of two joyful cherubs
who were suspected of a crime. There are motorcycle trips
over a charming countryside; circumstances which cause the
climbing of trellises and the invading of ancient castles in
the dead of the night; hiding in caves; subterfuges of all
sorts, and through it all is the rollicking spirit of youth—
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